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**Left Hand: Blase to use Niles employees in opposing District 63 referendum**  
 (see column below)

**District 63 braces for Tuesday's referendum**

Parents and teachers are preparing for three April 4 property tax referendums whose outcome will impact public elementary education. School District 63 is al-

ready in a deficit situation in their education fund as is District 73 1/2, according to sources, has been in deficit spending since 1975. If taxpayers turn down the real

estate tax add-on, it may reflect homeowner backlash rather than apathy towards quality education.

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**MG voters to decide on 911 issue**

by Nancy Keraminas

In addition to selecting a Mayor, Village Clerk, and four trustees, Morton Grove voters have a referendum question to answer April 4. The Morton Grove Village Board voted unanimously

January 9 to put a 911 referendum on their next ballot. Voters will be asked to approve a 75 cent per phone line surcharge to pay for the installation and maintenance

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**Local referendums on ballot may produce increased voter turnout**

**Voters go to polls Tuesday**

by Nancy Keraminas

Property tax and other referendums may be a factor in otherwise low anticipated voter turnout for the April 4 election. Two area school districts are asking voters to approve property tax rate hikes ranging from 33 percent to more than double existing ceilings. Morton Grove voters are being asked to approve a 75 cent per phone line surcharge to fi-

nance an enhanced 9-1-1 system and Des Plaines voters will be deciding whether to change to a "strong mayor" form of city government, giving their chief elected official power to hire and fire department heads. East Maine School District 63 proposes to raise its educational tax rate nearly 33 percent from

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**From the Left Hand**  
 by Bud Besser  
 Next Tuesday's Roundup...  
 District 63 Referendum

Niles Mayor Nick Blase is spitting invectives about next week's school District 63 referendum. In fact he's doing more than "spitting". He's writing a letter to Niles voters which will be going out this Friday telling Nilesites to vote against next Tuesday's referendum.

We told "the man" he's wrong and he's right. He said he's going to use public works people to distribute the letter opposing the referendum. We said he had no right to involve the village people or spend their money in getting involved in another district's referendum. We said he was right in being so concerned about his constituents. Nick said one-third of Niles residents are senior citizens who are on fixed incomes. Socking them with a tax hike of \$178 annually for a \$100,000 house is downright outlandish.

Blase pointed out the upcoming quadrennial assessment in Maine Township may increase taxes another

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**Man arrested following 100 mph chase**

A Chicago man led police on a high-speed chase through Skokie, Niles, and Park Ridge after police attempted to stop him in connection with a shoplifting incident. The Saturday afternoon chase ended near Oakton Street and Illinois 83 when the car collided with a Des Plaines police

car. Three children ages 2, 6, and 8 were found, unharmed on the floor of the car. No one was injured in the chase. Tyrone C. Burdine of Chicago was charged with retail theft, ag-

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**MG begins curbside recycling**

by Maureen F. Deasy  
 The Village of Morton Grove will be instituting a curbside recycling program involving all single family homes in the village.

Working in conjunction with its private trash hauling company, Haulaway Inc., the village plans to supply homeowners with free standing and plastic containers for recyclable products. Residents will be asked to place all aluminum cans, newspapers and all colors of glass into the con-

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**Election Day Tuesday, April 4**  
 Polls open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.

For polling place information call:  
 Maine Township: 297-2510  
 Niles Township: 673-9300

**Waiting for takeoff**



Photo by Jill A. Janov

Morton Grove residents, Tiffanie, Ryan, and Christopher Kimura, children of fire fighter Stanley Kimura, watch a Coast Guard helicopter take off from the Prairie View Community Center field. The Coast Guard visit was part of Morton Grove Safety Day presented by the Village of Morton Grove and the Morton Grove Park District.



### Community Focus

## Niles North grad on stage of Les Miserables

by Nancy Keraminas  
 Andy Gale, who is portraying Feuilily in the national production of "Les Miserables," didn't live in the area very long, but he has many fond memories of his senior year at Niles North High School. Gale, whose parents moved to Skokie from New Orleans his last year of high school, graduated from Niles North, in June of 1965, part of the school's

ward to seeing one of his dance instructors who now teaches at the Columbia School of Dance, near New Chinatown. Andy met her during his Vista days. The Vista elistment was part of his curriculum at Antioch College in Ohio, from where he graduated in 1970. From Ohio, he went west and had various acting roles in the Marin County Shakespeare Festival-in California as well as a-



1,000 percent to her performance," Gale said. Larry Kirk, who was in the same production of "Fiddler on the Roof," Gale was thrilled. Gale now calls New York home, but "home" is a relative term to someone who has been on

**He hopes his fellow Niles North Alumni will come backstage to recall high school memories, though he is unsure who from his class is still in the area.**

Gale speaks almost reverently about actor Jack Gilford, of "Cocoon" fame. "Gilford and his wife have been an inspiration to me, both business-wise and as human

the road for the past year and a half. In "Les Miserables," former contemporaries will see him play 13 other parts with numerous costume changes in addition to play-

ing the revolutionary Feuilily. He hopes his fellow Niles North alumni will come backstage to recall high school memories, though he is unsure who from his class is still in the area. He also intends to look up Peter LaForge, his Niles North English teacher who he lists in his credits as one who taught him literary appreciation as well as "lots about writing."

The unassuming Gale is still growing professionally and admits to occasionally wanting "the big bucks" a movie role or television series would bring. Like many of his contemporaries in the sixties generation, he is comfortable about his career and doesn't have to center stage to feel fulfilled. He told us this is the best time in a life that has always been full of contentment as well as changes. "I'm becoming the actor I've always wanted to become."

### Free seminar to cover tax strategies

Tax-free municipal bonds are one of today's most popular investment options, and will be the subject of a free seminar sponsored by Skokie Federal Savings to be held at the North Shore Hilton, on Saturday, April 1, at 10 a.m.

Richard Boyd, Municipal Bond Expert with Federated Securities, will be the featured speaker at what promises to be an informative and worthwhile presentation.

All are welcome to attend the seminar. Reservations are required and can be made by calling Vivi Vasilias at Skokie Federal Savings, at 676-5547.

### Bicycle Safety Poster Contest

Secretary of State Jim Edgar issued a reminder that the annual Bicycle Safety Poster Contest will continue accepting entries through April 4.

"Bicycle safety must be stressed," Edgar said. "The number of fatalities from bicycle accidents has been increasing, and thousands are injured each year."

As part of his youth safety initiative, Edgar is pushing to reduce accidents through education and skills testing throughout the state.

This year's contest theme is "What Bicycle Safety Means to Me." The contest reinforces bicy-

cle safety by rewarding good safety ideas.

Entries will be accepted through April 4 and will be on display at local libraries through April 29.

The contest is divided into three grade levels: kindergarten through second grade, third grade through fifth grade, and sixth through eighth grade.

First place winners at the state level will win a bicycle, helmet and trophy. Other winners will receive bicycle accessories or medals.

Secretary of State officials expect more than 10,000 entries this year. Edgar will present awards to the state winners in Springfield during May, which is National Bicycle Safety Month.

Entries should be submitted to local libraries with the contestant's name, address, phone, school, grade level, and name of local library. Slogans of ten words or less may be used. All posters must be drawn with crayons, markers, or colored pencils.

**Christopher D. Urgo**  
 Airman 1st Class Christopher D. Urgo, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force electronic warfare counter-measures specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss.

Urgo is the son of Robert J. and Dolores D. Urgo of 7721 N. Oconto, Niles.

He is a 1983 graduate of Maine South High School, Park Ridge. In 1987, the airman received an associate degree from Winona State University, Minn.

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first graduating class.

There were lots of opportunities for the budding thespian to practice his craft. He appeared in the school's productions of "Ah Wilderness," "South Pacific" and "Apollo of Bellaque." Gale recalls his first stage kiss, a chaste exchange with an actress who similarly wore braces. "We were sure we were going to lock bumpers," he chuckles but even this debut performance happened without...ahem...a hitch.

Gale was elected to the National Honor Society and was on the staff of Calliope, the school's literary magazine. His journalistic skills served him when, in the 1970's he was on a short hiatus from acting, and "took a sidestep" to work as a reporter for the Sacramento Bee newspaper. He came to California after a stint as a Vista volunteer in Chicago, teaching inner city youngsters drama.

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### THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR TOWNSHIP TAX BILL-SEE FOR YOURSELF!

Here is a tax bill on an average (\$100,000) home in Maine Township:

COOK COUNTY COLLECTOR		REAL ESTATE TAX BILL - 1987	
118 N. CLARK STREET CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60610		1500 WASHINGTON SQUARE WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS 60707	
VOLUME	PERMANENT REAL ESTATE	25-25-210-0000000	1000 20208 MAINE
TAXABLE VALUE	ADDITIONAL VALUE	TAXABLE VALUE	TAXABLE VALUE
7,497	278.28	7,775.28	7,775.28
7,497	87.89	7,863.17	7,863.17
1,423	20.66	7,883.83	7,883.83
1,423	22.12	7,905.95	7,905.95
2,233	272.94	8,178.89	8,178.89
1,423	71.82	8,250.71	8,250.71
1,423	16.27	8,266.98	8,266.98
1,423	1.22	8,268.20	8,268.20
1,423	22.94	8,291.14	8,291.14
1,423	41.51	8,332.65	8,332.65
1,423	49.77	8,382.42	8,382.42
7,747	949.44	9,331.86	9,331.86

Add together the three town funds to get the township total - \$23.16!

No matter what scare tactics the local branch of the Cook County Democrats have been using to win your vote, the truth speaks louder than their political charges: **Maine Township government costs the owner of an average (\$100,000) home only \$23.16 per year.**

The township spends six cents per family per day for all services combined.

Maine Township's total property tax share is only **TWO PERCENT** of your total bill, even though the township has no other taxing authority such as the city and county have.

**Re-elect the Republican Township Tax Savers.**  
**Punch 113 at Your Neighborhood Polling Place on Tuesday, April 4.**  
 Supervisor - **Jean B. Hall** Clerk - **Stephen J. Stolton**  
 Assessor - **Thomas E. Rueckert** Collector - **Gary Warner**  
 Highway Commissioner - **Bill Fraser**  
 Trustees - **Robert C. Williams, Mark Thompson, Carol A. Teschky, Anita Rifkind**

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## GOP claims Blase broke state law

by Nancy Keraminas  
 Mayor Nicholas Blase of Niles was unaffiliated by Maine Township Republican charges that literature sent out under Blase's signature is unethical and illegal. A March 23 mailing to Niles residents, on yellow stock, with letterhead identical to that of Blase's official office, urges voters to elect the Township's Democratic ticket.

Republican Maine Township Trustee Mark Thompson filed charges against Blase with the State Board of Elections under the Election Interference Act that prohibits the use of public offices or public materials for campaign purposes. Blase, who is the Maine Township Democratic Committeeman, defends his mailing, saying he, and not the Village paid for it.

## Sewer problems send MG to Springfield

by Jill A. Janov  
 In order to generate funds to repair Morton Grove's sewers, Mayor Richard Hohn met with State Representatives on March 21 and visited Springfield, Ill. on March 23.  
 "I hope that we have the show on the road," Hohn said at the regular Morton Grove Village Board meeting on March 27. "We can always use an extra buck for our sewer program."  
 In other village business the Morton Grove Fire Department commended the Morton Grove Women's Club and Fel-Pro Bet-

## Homeowners demand solution to flooding problem

# Niles acts to ban assault weapons

by Nancy Keraminas  
 The Village of Niles will draft an ordinance restricting assault weapons as soon as a correct legal definition of the weapons is obtained.

The entire Village Board, at the initiation of Trustee Angelo Marcheschi, watched a demonstration by Niles Police Chief Ray Giovannelli, who brought a small arsenal to the March 28 regular meeting. Giovannelli's presentation was meant to give graphic testimony about the purpose of various types of guns.

Also, as its self-imposed April 1 deadline nears, the Village has still not given a satisfactory answer to water-weary residents of the 8200 block of Oconto Ave. and the 7600 block of Kedzie St. Certain homeowners in that area are plagued by flooding and have applied continuous pressure on village officials to offer them a viable solution to their problems.

An owner, whose home is on the lowest lying lot in one of the areas in question, complained to President Nicholas Blase that Public Works employees had told him to "jack up his house" to solve his flooding problems.  
 Blase acknowledged that this was not an appropriate solution and his next comment summarized the current status of flooding

## Dist. 71 trims staff

Following a regular board meeting where a group of almost 12 parents asked members to keep class sizes small, School District 71 board members went into executive session. Following the 45-minute executive session, Superintendent Eugene Zaleski announced staff changes affecting Niles Elementary and Culver schools.  
 Supt. Zaleski told The Bugle on March 28 that the previous night's staff announcements were discussed with those involved prior to the Board's convening. According to Zaleski, only one classroom teacher had to be dismissed honorably, due to declining enrollment. Other full-time staffers had their duties trimmed back. If enrollment projections Continued on Page 36

## Firefighters seek training opportunities

When an ice fisherman spotted a submerged vehicle in the north end of Lake Belleau in Park Ridge on March 4, it turned out to be an unexpected bonanza for Park Ridge's fire department divers. The unit will use the vehicle for training exercises later this spring before Forest Preserve District officials extricate the car.  
 The vehicle's owner has not been located. No determination has been made how the vehicle ended up on the bottom of the lake. No one was found inside the car.  
 According to Park Ridge's Continued on Page 36

## Lead in school water

by Maureen F. Deasy  
 Preventative action is being taken at two elementary schools where excessively high levels of lead were detected in drinking water. Officials of Elementary School District 62 will continue this action until the problem is resolved.  
 Drinking water tests at all 13 District 62 schools found that two of the fountains had lead levels higher than the 50 parts-per-billion (ppb) standard set by the Safe Drinking Water Act.  
 One of the fountains, located at Cumberland School, registered 384 ppb when the water was first turned on in the morning.  
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## Golf-Greenwood plan opposed

Public officials representing three communities are joining residents of the area near Golf Road and Greenwood Avenue in round three of their fight against Lincolnwood developer Sam Callas. Park Ridge, Niles and Maine Township governments object to Callas' latest proposal to rezone the four lots in the unincorporated area from residential to commercial in order to build a strip shopping center on the southwest corner. The developer appeared before the Cook County  
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## Oakton Nursing receives top honors

Board President Thomas Tenhoeve announced at the March meeting of the Oakton Community College Board, that the American Nurses' Association gave the Oakton Continuing Education for Nursing program top honors. He also announced that the Medical Records Technologist professional organizations that were evaluating the program cited no deficiencies in their exit interviews.  
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## Curlin' on the river



Photo by Mary Hannah  
 Four short weeks ago, before the flowers began peeking out of the ground, players took advantage of the frozen river in St. Paul Woods in Morton Grove to get together for some good-natured warging and bantering, while playing a game of eisstockschessen. The Bavarian version of curling, literally means "ice shooting". Otto Eiler of Niles, shown above, uses a bowling swing motion to propel the heavy marker across the ice at a wood block, while trying to knock away markers belonging to the opposing team. Two-person teams face off against each other.



## First meeting on LSSI goals

Donald M. Hallberg, president of Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI), recently spoke to more than 60 of the agency's employees at a meeting held at St. Matthew Lutheran Home in Park Ridge.

The residential nursing care facility is a program of LSSI. In addition to St. Matthew employees, those from the Northwest Suburban Counseling and Educational Center, Alcoholism-Drug Dependence (ADD) Program - Northwest Suburbs and the LSSI central administrative offices, located in Des Plaines, attended the lunch meeting. This meeting was the first of many planned by the agency to keep employees across the state informed about the agency's goals and progress in more than 102 programs.



Donald Hallberg

## JCC retirement planning class

"Financial Dignity in Retirement Years", a class that will survey financial planning, tax management, and health care cost-balancing for mature adults, will start April 28 at the Bernard Horwich/Mayer Kaplan site, 5050 W. Church St., Skokie, on Fridays from 11 a.m. to noon through the week of May 22.

Instructor Helene Yentis will discuss a wide range of financial options for mature adults. She will explain general asset management and sound strategies for seniors to maintain their investment and their lifestyles.

The class will cover potential tax impacts of changes in catastrophic health care coverage under Medicare, ways to offset rising medical costs, the outlook on social security, estate management, and tax-saving methods.

Yentis is a certified financial planner and has worked for 17 years in the real estate industry as an appraiser and broker.

She holds a bachelor's degree in journalism and education from Boston University.

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631-0574	

## "Weekend in France" at North Shore Hotel

French music, entertainment and food will highlight a make-believe "weekend in France", hosted by the senior citizen residents of the North Shore Retirement Hotel, 1611 Chicago ave., Evanston, on Friday, April 7 and Saturday, April 9 from 1-4 p.m. The public is invited to attend the French festivities at no charge.

"A Day on the French Riviera", Friday, April 7, will feature Francois, the sultry French performer who is a regular at the Hyatt Hotels.

"Sidewalks of Paris", will continue the theme on Sunday, April 9. Visitors will sit at cozy cafe tables, eat French pastries and coffee and watch Carlon, "the mime on roller skates", as he performs his silent tricks to make everyone laugh in delight. French jazz music will be played. Caricatures will be drawn by well-known artist, Katherine Helden, as if everyone was visiting the Left Bank of Paris.

For reservations, please call 864-6400.

## Res Alumnae host Card & Bunco party

The Resurrection High School Alumnae Association will host its annual Card & Bunco party on Sunday April 9 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. This event will be held at Resurrection High School, 7500 W. Talcott.

This afternoon's activities will include card games, bunco and several raffles. Refreshments will be served. Admissions will be \$3.

Come, bring your friends and enjoy an afternoon of fun while helping the Alumnae Scholarship Fund of Resurrection High School.

For information call 775-6616.

## Senior Citizen News

Niles Senior Citizens  
967-6100 ext. 376

### LIGHT LUNCHEON

Our Friday, March 31 light luncheon will be served at noon. The featured film is "Here comes Mr. Jordan" starring Robert Montgomery. The menu will include chipped barbecued beef, chips and cake. Tickets cost \$1.50.

### TICKET SALES

Ticket sales will be held on Monday, April 3 at 10 a.m. on a walk-in basis. Telephone reservations will be accepted after noon. Tickets for the following events will be sold:

The April Trip will be held on Friday, April 14 from 10:45 to 5 p.m. Featured luncheon is at the Colonial Steakhouse in Lemont where the menu will include roast chicken, salad, potato, vegetable, sherbert and beverage. Following, we will visit the Illinois and Michigan Canal Museum in Lockport. The 10 room museum has many historical displays. Tickets are \$12.

The April 21 luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. Tickets cost \$4. The menu includes two pieces of Brown's fried chicken, three fritters, cole slaw, mostacholi and cake. Musical entertainment will be provided by Larry Tobler, banjo player.

Our Light Luncheon on Friday, April 28 will be served at noon. The film is "His Girl Friday," with Cary Grant and Rosiland Russell. The menu will feature baked beans with hot dogs sliced into them, garlic toast and cake. Ticket cost is \$1.50.

### CALCIUM COOKING CLASS

A calcium cooking class will be offered on Thursday, April 6 at 2 p.m. This class is important for men as well as women. Come and enjoy the recipes. Samples of the demonstration dish are available, as well as free recipes and calcium handouts. The cost is \$2 and pre-registration is necessary. Walk-ins are accepted.

### CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

A caregiver's support group meets monthly. Our next meeting is Monday, April 3 at 7 p.m. Newcomers to the group must enroll with either Carol Harris or Bev Wessels. For further information, please contact Wessels, MSW, or Harris, RN, at 967-6100, Ext. 376.

### ELECTION DAY PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS

Because the Niles Senior Center is used as a polling place, it will be necessary to cancel some activities on election day, Tuesday, April 4, including oil painting, square dancing, and line dancing.

### CAREGIVERS INFORMATION SERIES

A six-week caregiver information series will be offered on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. starting April 18. Each class will cover an aspect of caregiving. The cost is \$5. Pre-registration is necessary and can be made by calling 967-6100, Ext. 376.

## Township helps seniors

Senior citizens are frequently frustrated when searching through a maze of agencies to find the help they need, according to Maine Township Information and Referral Service Coordinator Jane Tischler.

In Maine Township senior citizens and their relatives can ease that frustration with a little help from Tischler.

She is available by phone or appointment to help provide information, file forms for special assistance, and locate agencies that can help senior citizens with their special needs.

From her office in the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge, Tischler can put senior citizens in touch with information on housing, medical services, social and mental health services, nutrition, home-delivered meals, friendly visitors, employment, energy assistance, social activities, senior discounts and other services available to elderly Maine Township residents.

At her fingertips are a list of agencies that help seniors find suitable and affordable housing. After she refers clients, she follows up to make sure they are finding the assistance they need.

She is always alert to new programs and happy to spread the good news. Currently, she is informing renters who are 62 or older as well as the disabled that they may apply for a federal government Section 8 subsidy on April 26 by calling 663-5447.

This is a voucher program providing a 70 percent rent subsidy with the cooperation of the landlord. Applicants must have an income of less than \$13,850 for one or \$15,850 for two.

Some of her most frequent callers this winter have been concerned with getting help paying those who meet income eligibility guidelines apply for the Illinois Home Energy Assistance Program (I-HEAP) and tax relief through the Senior Citizen Circuit Breaker.

Tischler brings some special talents to her job. A native of Guatemala, she communicates well with the Maine Township's Hispanic community and helps make township services more accessible to them.

She is a warm and patient listener with years of experience in community social service work. She came to Maine Township in January from Northwest Community Services in Mount Prospect where she was director of community services.

Maine Township has one of the largest elderly populations in Cook County, with approximately 20,000 senior citizens. The township has offered the Information and Referral Service since 1983 with the help of grants from the Suburban Cook County Area Agency on Aging.

Seniors and their relatives are encouraged to take advantage of this service by calling Tischler at 297-2510.

SALE ENDS WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 5th

<p><b>LEAN TENDER CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS</b> \$1.98 LB.</p> <p><b>BONELESS ROLLED PORK ROAST</b> \$2.69 LB.</p>	<p><b>MEATS</b></p> <p><b>U.S.D.A. CHOICE BONELESS CHUCK EYE ROAST</b> \$1.89 LB.</p> <p><b>U.S.D.A. CHOICE TENDER RIB EYE STEAKS</b> \$4.98 LB.</p> <p><b>LEAN GROUND CHUCK</b> 3 LBS. or MORE \$1.69 LB.</p> <p><b>SIRLOIN PATTIES</b> \$2.29 LB.</p>
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## Maine Township assists seniors



Jane Tischler, Maine Township senior citizen information and referral coordinator, tells a resident about a federal subsidized housing program for seniors and the disabled that will be available to income-eligible renters on April 26.

Tischler assists senior citizens with a wide variety of needs by providing information on medical

services, nutrition, home-delivered meals, friendly visitors, utility subsidies, circuit breaker tax relief, mental health counseling, social services, senior activities, employment and much more. Senior citizens and their relatives may reach Tischler at the Maine Township Town Hall, 297-2510.

## North Shore Hotel spring concert

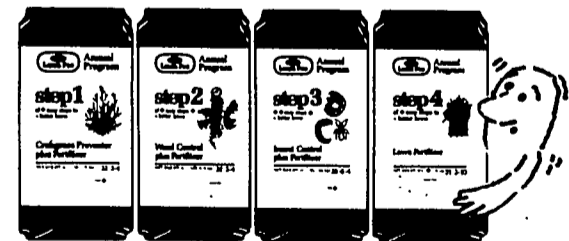
George and Virginia Nash, recent recipients of an "Outstanding Senior Citizen Award" presented by the North Shore Hotel for their contribution to musical enjoyment, will perform a spring program entitled, "In the Spring A Young Man's Fancy..." at the North Shore, 1611 Chicago Ave., Evanston, on Saturday, April 1 at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend the concert at no charge.

The husband-and-wife team will sing songs of springtime, love and marriage, including "Sweethearts", "Apple Blossom Time", "Because" and "Tiptoe Through the Tulips" as well as big band favorites and nostalgic romantic songs.

Virginia Nash has been active in musical circles all her life and has been a professional entertainer for the past 15 years. George has sung professionally for the past ten years. Both Nashes are retired. For reservations, please call 864-6400.



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## Lawrence House art fair

The first Art Fair of the spring season will be held at Lawrence House, the senior citizen residence at 1020 W. Lawrence Ave., on Saturday, April 1, starting at 10 a.m.

The public is invited to attend the Art Fair at no charge.

The Fair is geared to senior citizens and features senior painters, sculptors, photographers, ceramists, needleworkers, wood carvers as well as all other artisans and craftspeople. All work on display will be available for sale.

Among the items featured will be crocheted toys and clothes, bowls and platters, jewelry, embroidery, wood objects and watercolor scenes of downtown Chicago. Everything is designed and fabricated by senior citizens. For information, please call 561-2100.

## Arthritis action group meets

The Northwest Chicago/Suburban Arthritis Action Council will hold its next meeting of the year on Wednesday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m. We meet at Lutheran General Medical Group, S.C., 6000 W. Touhy Ave. in Chicago on "peptic/ulcers in arthritis" by Juan J. Engel, M.D.

Juan J. Engel, M.D. is licensed internist, subspecializing in gastroenterology. Engel is the Director of the Section of Gastroenterology at Lutheran General Hospital-Park Ridge.

All meetings are free and open to the public. In order to provide adequate seating, reservations are required. Call 763-1800.

## Mended hearts support group

"Magnetic Resonance Imaging (M.R.I.) in Cardiovascular Diagnosis" is the topic for the next meeting of the Lutheran General Hospital-Park Ridge chapter of the Mended Hearts Support Group at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 6. The group meets in Johnson Auditorium, Parkside Center, 1875 Dempster, Park Ridge adjacent to Lutheran General Hospital.

The speaker for the meeting is John Phillips, M.D., director, Parkside Magnetic Resonance Center. Dr. Phillips will give a tour of the M.R.I. facility and discuss and answer questions on M.R.I. and cardiovascular diagnosis.

The Mended Hearts is a group that offers support and encouragement to people who have had heart surgery, heart disease, and other heart problems. Meetings are open to the public and are free of charge.

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## Senior Citizen News

Morton Grove Senior Citizens  
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### HEALTH FAIR

The Morton Grove "Life. Be In It." health fair has several important screenings and exhibits for seniors and for the entire community. The fair hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 8 in the Prairie View Community Center at 6834 Dempster St. A complete blood workup including blood chemistry and coronary risk profile is available for just \$18. Additionally, screenings for glaucoma, spinal analysis, vision, body composition, colon cancer and breast cancer are available. Reservations are required for the fair and can be made by calling the Morton Grove Department of Health and Human Services at 470-5246.

### TAXING RETURNS

Expert income tax filing help is available for Morton Grove senior citizens every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. This free assistance is provided by volunteer aides who have been trained by the IRS and AARP. For an appointment, call the Senior Hot Line at 470-5223.

### MEALS-ON-WHEELS VOLUNTEERS

The Morton Grove Department of Health and Human Services, together with numerous medically homebound and shut-in residents are searching for individuals willing to donate an hour a week to deliver hot meals. Meals are prepared at the Bethany Methodist Terrace health care facility and all deliveries are within Morton Grove. To volunteer or for more information call the Department of Health and Human Services at 470-5246.

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### MANAGING CHANGES AFTER 60

Morton Grove senior citizen residents whose lives are in transition because of loss of a loved one, retirement, relocation or any other lifestyle change, may wish to consider the "Managing Changes After 60" support group now meeting at the Flickinger Senior Center. Carol Powers, M.S.W., social worker with the Family Counseling Service of Evanston/Skokie Valley and Laurel Letwat, R.N., Morton Grove Village Nurse, will moderate the group to start at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, March 21. Topics of discussion include changing self-image, surviving a loss, living alone, health issues, friendships, and maintaining independence. For more information call the Flickinger Center at 965-4100, Ext. 254.

### DIABETES SCREENING

Morton Grove residents can take advantage of free and simple Accu-Check blood sugar screenings from 9 to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, April 4 in the Flickinger Senior Center. People coming in for the screening should not be known diabetics and should fast from the evening meal of the night before.

### ORCHESTRA AND CHORAL CONCERT

Niles North High School invites township senior citizens to a special, free musical concert at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4. The Niles Township Senior Citizens Club has many fine arts programs just for seniors. Call 673-6822, Ext. 5422 for more information.

### ISSUES IN THE NEWS

Every Thursday morning, a group of senior adults meet to rap about any and every national or world issue in the news. Anyone watching the session knows that these folks are fans of the media and concerned about world events. Issues in the News meets every Thursday with a new series beginning April 6 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Prairie View Community Center. For more information, call Ronce Brenner, Senior Adult Supervisor at the Center at 965-7447.

### HAPPY HOOFERS

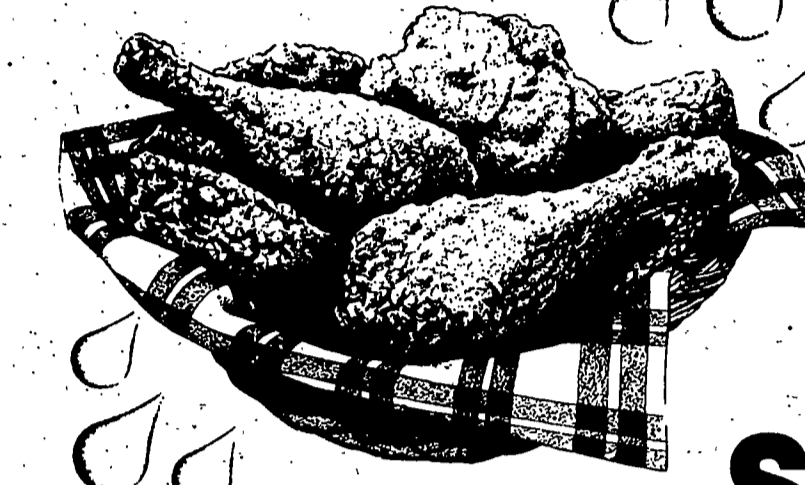
The Happy Hoofers, Morton Grove's walking club, meets at 9 a.m. each Monday and Wednesday morning for indoor or outdoor excursions depending on weather conditions. The Hoofers enjoy friendly socializing as well as snappy workouts and always conclude with coffee or tea at the Flickinger Senior Center. For more information, contact the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223.

### CHORE PROGRAM

The Morton Grove senior citizen Chore Program will be structured somewhat differently during the spring, summer and fall. Seniors in need of lawn cutting, yard clean-up, or minor maintenance will have these needs met by youth and young adult workers referred by the Village. Seniors will pay a modest price to be negotiated between themselves and the worker before each job. The program will begin in mid-April. For further information, call Bud Swanson at the Flickinger Municipal Center at 965-4100, Ext. 254.

For more information about these senior services and recreation programs, call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223 or the Prairie View Community Center at 965-7447. To receive the "Seniors in Morton Grove" newsletter, send \$2.50 to the Morton Grove Park District, 6834 Dempster St., Morton Grove, IL., 60063.

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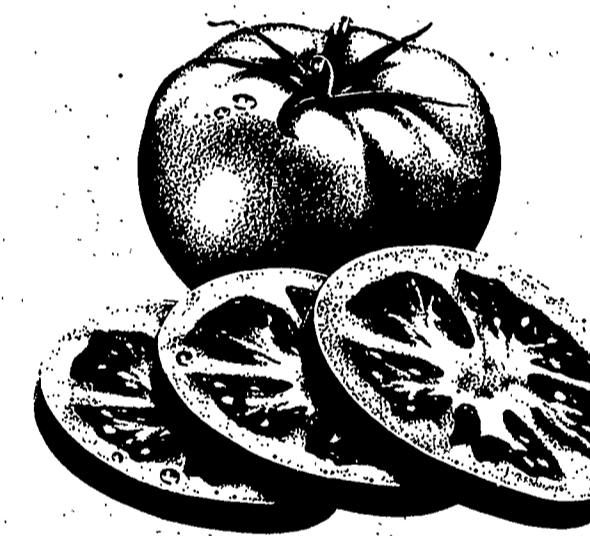
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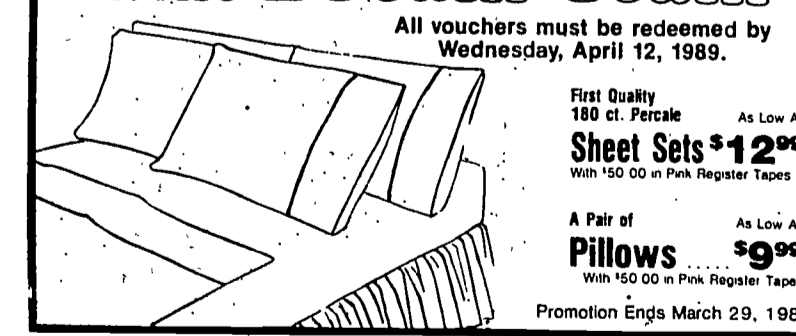
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### July 4th parade participants needed

Participants are being sought for Skokie's 4th of July Parade. The Parade will step off at noon Tuesday, July 4, from the Centre East Parking lot. There will be a new route this year, east on Lincoln Ave., to Howard St. west to Kostner, north to Oakton, then west on Oakton to Oakton Park. The reason: Oakton and Skokie Blvd will be torn up due to construction, so there will be a new route just for this year.

Organizations and businesses are encouraged to participate with a float or a decorated car, truck, or bicycle, or by just walking. Contributions are needed to get more bands this year and have a bigger parade, so send your check to Chairman Marshall Massie, 9334 Lockwood, Skokie, 60077 or phone 966-4392. If you wish to participate in the parade, send your name, address, telephone number and some information about your group to Massie or Lovadore Mickey Bode, Publicity Chairman at 966-7997.

### Documentary by Holocaust survivors

The Survivors of the ill-fated Voyage, the "St. Louis", will be united in the Chicago area for participation in a documentary produced by the Holocaust Memorial Foundation of Illinois in conjunction with Loyola University, regarding the Fiftieth Anniversary of the "Voyage of the Damned." The production will be available to the public for a nominal fee. The Survivors will be at a gathering on Saturday, April 1, at 7 p.m. at Allgauer's Restaurant, located at 2855 Milwaukee Ave., in Northbrook.

The "St. Louis" sailed from Hamburg, Germany on May 13, 1939 with 930 Jewish refugees fleeing Nazi persecution. They were under the mistaken belief that they would be permitted to land in Cuba. They were, however, barred from entry, and, despite heroic efforts, were denied refuge by the United States. The refugees were finally forced to sail back across the Atlantic Ocean to Europe.

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## Singles Scene

**MARCH 31**  
**ST. PETER'S SINGLES**  
St. Peter's Singles Dances, will be Friday, March 31, at 9 p.m. at the Casa Royal, 783 Lee St., Des Plaines and Saturday, April 1, at 9 p.m. at the Park Ridge VFW Hall, Canfield and Higgins. There will be live bands and free parking is available. For more information, call 334-2589. Admission for members is \$2.50 and guests is \$4. All singles older than 35 years are invited.

**APRIL 7**  
**AVANTI ITALIAN AMERICAN SINGLES CLUB**  
The Avanti Italian-American Singles Club invites all single ladies and gentlemen to the Spring Fling Dance on Friday, April 7 at 9 p.m. in the Villa Verdi Room of Biancalana's at 7372 W. Grand Ave., Elmwood Park. Guests will hear three hours of The Wine and Roses Live Band for Contemporary Musical Entertainment plus recorded music interludes for listening and dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission is \$5. Table snacks and a cash bar will be available.

**APRIL 7**  
**ST. PETER'S SINGLES**  
St. Peter's Singles invite all singles over 35 to two dances: Friday, April 7, at 9 p.m. at Northwest Hall, 4948 N. Central and Saturday, April 8, at 9 p.m. at the Immaculate Conception Hall, 7211 N. Talcott (off of Harlem.) Admission to both dances is \$5 and includes drinks and late buffet. There will be live bands and free parking is available. For more information, call 334-2589.

**APRIL 8**  
**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Singles (ACTIS) will host a dance for all singles over 40 from 9 p.m. to midnight, Saturday, April 8, at a new location: American Legion Hall, 9757 Pacific Ave., Franklin Park. Admission is \$4. There will be live music, free parking and free refreshments. For additional information, call Yvonne at 344-4333 or Frank at 763-4792. Meetings are held at the above address the last Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. The club invites all single and widowed Catholic men and women over 50 to attend and join. Dues are \$12 a year. Future dances are held on the second Saturday of each month. Please attend. All are welcome.

**FRIDAYS**  
**FRIDAY SINGLES STOP**  
A Gala Singles Party for singles ages 25 and older is held on Fridays at Private Eyes, Deerfield Hyatt, Lake-Cook Road, Deerfield, 8 p.m. Admission is \$6 and includes a scrumptious buffet. Proper attire is requested. This is where the North Shore Singles meet. For more information, call 945-3400.

**APRIL 8**  
**COMBINED CLUB SINGLES**  
All singles are invited to the Combined Club Singles Dance with the live music of Streetwise at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 8, at the Holiday Inn O'Hare Rosemont, 5440 N. River Road, Rosemont. The dance is co-sponsored by the Northwest Singles Association, Singles and Company, and Young Suburban Singles. Admission is \$7. For more information, call 725-3300.

**APRIL 8**  
**N.S. JEWISH SINGLES**  
On Saturday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. the North Shore Jewish Singles will meet at Calo Risorante, 5343 North Clark, Chicago. Singles are invited to join the group for an evening of dinner, dancing and entertainment. Reservations will be required and can be made by calling Betty at 824-3225. New prospective members are invited to attend this social evening. The cost for the meal will be \$9.95 plus tax and tip. Deadline for reservations is April 6.

**APRIL 9**  
**SUNDAY SINGLES**  
Sunday Singles will have their weekly dance and social on Sunday, April 9, at Knickers Restaurant, 1050 E. Oakton St. (just west of Mannheim Road) in Des Plaines. Free buffet and parking are available. No membership is required. All singles are welcome. Music and dancing is designed for singles over 28. Dress is nice and casual. The dance starts at 7 p.m. and admission is \$5. There will be a cash bar. For more information call 459-8004.

**APRIL 12**  
**N.S. JEWISH SINGLES**  
On Wednesday, April 12, at 7:30 p.m. the North Shore Jewish Singles will meet at Congregation Beth Hillel, 3200 Big Tree Lane in Wilmette. Refreshments and socializing will follow the program. The cost will be \$2 for members and \$3 for non-members. For further information, call Fran at 945-3784.

**APRIL 14**  
**SHABAT SINGLES**  
The Aware Singles Group and the Chicagoland Singles Association invite all singles to a joint singles dance with the live music of Streetwise at 8:30 p.m. on Friday, April 14, at the Marriott Oak Brook Hotel, 1401 W. 22nd St., Oak Brook. Admission is \$7 for non-members. For more information, call Aware at 777-1005.

**APRIL 14**  
**CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB**  
All single young adults (ages 21-38) are welcome to a dance sponsored by the Catholic Alumni Club at 9 p.m., Friday, April 14, in the Penthouse Ballroom of the Ramada O'Hare Hotel, 6600 N. Mannheim Rd., (just north of Higgins Rd.) in Rosemont. Non-member admission is \$6. Music will be provided by the band "Park Avenue." For more information, call 726-0735.

**APRIL 14**  
**CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB**  
A retreat for single young adults, ages 21 to 38, will be sponsored by the Catholic Alumni Club on the weekend of April 14 to 16, at the Seton Christian Life Center, 16100 Seton Rd., in South Holland. The retreat will be conducted by Fr. Ken O'Malley of the Catholic Theological Union. The non-member cost for the weekend is \$80. Reservations and advance payment are required. For more information, call 726-0735.

**APRIL 15**  
**JEWISH SINGLES**  
The Jewish Singles invite you to a Citywide Dance on Sunday, April 16, from 7:45-11:45 p.m. at Traffic Jam, 401 W. Ontario, Chicago. Live band. Admission \$4, but only \$3 with this notice.

**APRIL 16**  
**SUNDAY SINGLES**  
Sunday Singles will have their weekly dance and social on Sunday, April 16, at Knickers Restaurant, 1050 E. Oakton St. (just west of Mannheim Road) in Des Plaines. Free buffet and parking are available. No membership is required. All singles are welcome. Music and dancing is designed for singles over 28. Dress is nice and casual. The dance starts at 7 p.m. and admission is \$5. There will be a cash bar. For more information call 459-8004.

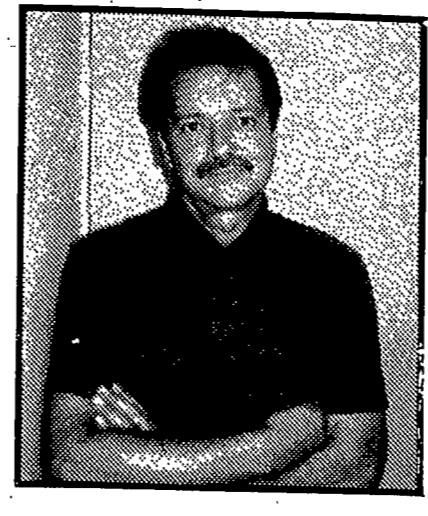
**APRIL 16**  
**TOWN & COUNTRY SINGLES**  
Town and Country Singles will sponsor a dance with complimentary food buffet on Sunday, April 16, starting at 7 p.m. at Knickers Restaurant, 1050 E. Oakton, just west of Mannheim in Des Plaines. These events are open to all singles age 30 and older. Membership or reservations are not required. The music will be from the 50's through the 80's. The attire will be dressy casual. There will be a cash bar. For more information, call 459-8248. The admission will be \$5.

**NORTHLAND SINGLES**  
Northland Singles will sponsor a dance party and buffet for all singles at 7 p.m. on Sunday, April 16, at the Sea Princess Restaurant, 1290 S. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville. Admission of \$6 includes the buffet. For more information, call 282-8828.

**IN-BETWEENERS**  
The In-Betweeners Club, for singles ages 40-65, will hold their monthly meeting in the Ministry Center of St. Raymond's Church, I-Oka and Milburn streets, Mt. Prospect, IL, on Friday evening, March 31 at 8 p.m. There will be

### Pierski seeks re-election

James L. Pierski is seeking re-election to the Niles Park Board of Commissioners, for his third four-year term. Currently serving on the Board for his 8th year his term expires April 30 as do the terms of Mary Marusek and Val Engleman. The election for the Park Board is Tuesday, April 4, along with Village and Library Board elections.



James L. Pierski

Jim, his wife and six children currently reside on West Johanna Drive and have been Niles residents for over 22 years. The entire Pierski family, including Jim's mother Louise, brother Bob with his family, also are long time Niles residents.

"Seeking re-election," Pierski said, "is the extension of continued service to this fine community." During the past 13 years he has been extremely active in community groups as: the Niles Baseball League, activities at St. John Brebeuf Church, the Niles Events Committee, and girls softball.

"All the training I received serving in these various groups, coupled with my experience on the Park Board these past 8 years certainly has provided me with a good background to be better able to serve the community of Niles," said Pierski.

Continued improvements in park facilities, services, new and creative programs to continue meeting the needs of Niles Park District residents is what Pierski pledges to continue in his next term if elected.

### Don't gloat - Get out and vote!

"Tuesday, April 4th is a very important day," says Jim Pierski, a candidate for re-election to the Niles Park Board. "It is the day we all count, the day we make our choice by voting in the village wide elections. Don't stay home, make your choices known in the Village, Park and Library elections by exercising your right to vote."

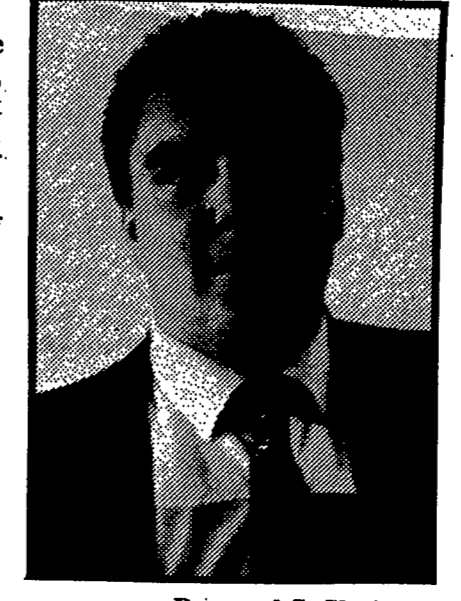
Too often we are dissatisfied with local government issues or officials and yet when the time comes to have a say in these matters, people stay home and don't vote. "Do not let that happen, please vote on Tuesday, April 4th," urges Pierski.

"Review the various issues facing the Village, Park and Library Boards, read the newspapers, acquaint yourself with the candidates and their stances and vote April 4th," Pierski says. "Naturally, I'd like to have your vote on Tuesday, but most important of all is for every registered voter in Niles to make his or her choice known on Tuesday, April 4th by voting!"

### Skaja cites Tam clubhouse renovation

Bernard S. Skaja III, candidate for Niles Park Commissioner, plans to upgrade park services at Tam Golf Course. Skaja feels the Tam Golf Course is the prize of the Park District.

I understand the importance of parks, playgrounds and park programs but our community has other people besides children. I want to express the need for renovation of the club house at Tam Golf Course. I see a need for a larger seating area and expanded locker room facilities. With these improvements I feel the concessions will offset the operating costs. Also I would look into the possibility of obtaining a grant to offset the cost of renovations. I feel my background in business and community involvement can be best used as a Niles Park Commissioner. Community involvement for Skaja includes Optimist Club of



Bernard S. Skaja III

Niles-Past Vice President; Knights of Columbus fourth degree; Holy Name Society of Saint John Brebeuf; Niles Bicycle Club; and Niles Essay Contest judge.

### Incumbent Costello seeks re-election



Niles Library Trustee, Irene Costello, Library Election Official and Village Clerk Frank Wagner, Village Election Official, study the election laws for the upcoming April 4 elections.

Trustee Costello is the only incumbent Niles Library Trustee who is seeking re-election. She has been on the Library Board for the past 10 years as board secretary. As a library user, she understands how much a good library can contribute to the community and how valuable it can be for students doing research work as well as providing for the recreational needs of the residents.

Trustee Costello's interest and dedication in the Niles Library has greatly contributed in changing into the progressive modern facility we have today, complete with a professional administrative staff that is one of the finest in the area. Her diligence has helped re-establish the once inactive Friends of the Library group into a working and helpful viable arm of the Niles Library.

Trustee Costello is seeking re-election so she may continue to provide the experience and leadership that is needed to help the library's growth.

### Picture your pet at library

In honor of National Pet Week, May 7-13, the Niles Public Library District is planning to have a display of pictures of people with their pet.

If you would like to participate, bring a photograph of you and your pet to the Children's Services Department at the library, 6960 Oakton St., Niles, by May 1. Please be sure to include your name and your pet's name. The library cannot return the photographs.

For further information about this program and other free activities, call the Niles Public Library District at 967-8554.

### Notre Dame Jazz bands perform

The Notre Dame/Resurrection High School Jazz Band will perform "An Afternoon of Jazz" on Sunday, April 2 at 3 p.m. at Resurrection High School. Joining the Meladons which is under the direction of Mr. James Kostek, will be the Notre Dame University Jazz Ensemble under the direction of Father George Wiskirchen, C.S.C., and The Notre Dame Community Band quided by Greg Stepanek.

This second annual performance brings together the founder of the Meladons, Father Wiskirchen, the current members, and the future members who now perform in the community band. The performance will be in the auditorium of Resurrection High School, 7500 W. Talcott, Chicago. The admission donation will be \$2.

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## Church & Temple News

### Senior pastor installed at Edison Park

At a special congregational meeting held on March 12, the members of Edison Park Lutheran Church, overwhelmingly approved to extend the call to be Senior Pastor to Rev. Duane C. Pederson.

Pastor Pedersen has served as Associate Pastor at Edison Park Lutheran since February. He will be installed as Senior Pastor on Sunday, April 2, at 4 p.m., at the church, 6626 N. Oliphant Ave.

Pastor Pederson was born in Kalispell, Montana. He attended high school in Kalispell; Concordia College in Moorhead, Minnesota; Luther Theological Sem-

inary in St. Paul, Minnesota, and has a Master's degree in counseling from Montana State University in Bozeman. He is presently a doctoral candidate at McCormick Theological Seminary in Hyde Park. Prior to coming to Edison Park Lutheran Church, Pastor Pederson served as Associate Pastor of Hope Lutheran Church in Bozeman, Montana. His internship year was spent in Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Pastor Pederson and his wife Sylvia, were married in 1975 and have two sons, Brian, eight years old, and Brandon, seven years old.

### Judea Mizpah rummage sale

Temple Judea Mizpah Sisterhood will hold its spring rummage sale and boutique on Sunday, April 2, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Temple, 8610 Niles Center Road, Skokie, east of the Skokie Swift.

Any new or used clothes, toys, appliances, etc., that you have put into closet corners, drawers, nooks and crannies, hoping to find someone who could use them, can be donated to Temple Judea Mizpah Sisterhood.

Just drop off merchandise at the Temple from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, March 27, or from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday, March 28-30. No dropoffs will be accepted after Thursday, March 30, due to the observation of the Sabbath. Please bring all clothes on hangers. The community is invited.

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### Pastor Dave Newcomb memorial

A "Memorial of Appreciation" for Pastor Dave Newcomb (1927-1989), of Janesville, Wisconsin, will be held on Sunday, April 2, at 4 p.m. at the Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4500 West Dempster in Skokie. It is sponsored by the Holocaust Memorial Foundation of Illinois and the Friends of the Israel Defense Forces and the community is invited. Participants in the Memorial will be Rabbi Neil Brief, Niles Township Jewish Congregation, Albert J. Smith, mayor retired, Skokie; Moshe Fox of the Consulate General of Israel, Ben Hagga Steurman, Friends of the IDF, Erna I. Gans, Holocaust Memorial Foundation of Illinois, Lois Newcomb, Cantor Shlomo Shuster, Niles Township Congregation, and the Shekinah Singers.

### SJB dinner dance

Chairmen Andy Jr. and Andy Beirwaltes, Sr. announce that North American Martyrs Council #4338 Knights of Columbus are holding their annual St. Pat and St. Joseph dinner dance.

The dinner dance will be held on April 1, in the gym of St. John Brebeuf School. Doors will be open at 6:30 p.m. There will be delicious all-you-can eat corned beef sit-down dinner catered by the well-known Harrington Caterers, dancing to the popular Combo Counts Band, good old Irish-Sing-Along, and ice-cold draught beer, wine, set-ups and ice all evening. All of the above for a donation of \$18.50 per person.

For more information and reservations call Andy Jr. at 966-6961 or Andy Sr. at 967-8976.

### Marriage renewal at Edison Park

Edison Park Lutheran Church, 6626 Oliphant, will include a special Marriage Renewal in its 8:30

and 11 a.m. worship on Sunday, April 2. Couples married 6-15 years, who would like to renew their vows, are invited to participate in this service. Call the church office at 631-9131 for further information.

### Elston Ave. Rummage Sale

The Elston Avenue United Methodist Church will hold their annual Spring Rummage Sale on Tuesday, April 4, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. and on Wednesday, April 5, from 9 a.m. until noon. (Wednesday special, \$2 per bag). For further information, please call the church office at 775-3399.



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### JCC classes start

Six-week classes in interpersonal communication, Chinese martial arts, comparative religion and national political issues will start April 3 at the Kaplan site of the Bernard Horwich/Mayer Kaplan Jewish Community Center (JCC). The non-credit classes are sponsored by Oakton Community College of the JCC's Kaplan site, 5050 W. Church St., Skokie.

In "New Techniques for Old Relationships," students will learn to improve interpersonal communication skills, handle their emotions and develop deeper relationships with family members, spouses and long-time friends.

Class instructor Shirley Craven holds a master's degree in social work from George Williams College and is a psychotherapist in private practice. She has taught at Oakton Community College for three years.

The class meets Thursdays, April 6 to May 25, from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Cost is \$36 for adults, \$18 for mature adults 60 and older.

The ancient Chinese martial art of Tai Chi will be taught for relaxation, exercise and self-defense. Calm, gentle movements help reduce stress, improve blood circulation, strengthen the cardiovascular system and tone muscles regardless of age.

Instructor George Azoo has taught Tai Chi for five years and has been involved in the martial

### NSJC

Auction '89 will be held at the Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 West Lyons, Morton Grove, on April 9, 1989. Many new and exciting items will be auctioned off including two beautiful cars!

Potpouri of Fashion, a Brunch and Fashion Show, will be held on Sunday, April 30 at 11:30 at Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 West Lyons, Morton Grove. Tickets are \$10 per person.

On Thursday, April 20 Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, Lyons, Morton Grove will hold its 10th Traditional Seder Adults - \$20 each, Children under 12 - \$15 each. Please call the Synagogue office for further information 965-0900.

### JCC sees mystery play

Bernard Horwich/Mayer Kaplan Jewish Community Center (JCC) mature adults can see the musical comedy "The Mystery of Edwin Drood" on April 5 at the Candlelight Dinner Playhouse in Summit.

Transportation is available. Buses will leave the Kaplan site,

arts for 15 years, most recently under tutelage of Master Hsu of China.

The class meets Thursdays, April 6 to May 25, from 1 to 2 p.m. Cost is \$36 for adults, \$18 for mature adults 60 and older.

"Common Threads of Universal Religions" will compare the worship and common themes of eight religions. The class will survey the central teachings about God, good and evil, the Golden Rule and the afterlife in religions such as Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Buddhism and Baha'i.

The instructor for the course will be Anne G. Adkinson, who has studied comparative religion and holds a master's degree in English and humanities from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville.

The class meets Thursdays, April 6 to May 25, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$36 for adults, \$18 for mature adults 60 and older.

A "National Issues Forum" program will study current social and political problems. The instructor for the program will be named later.

The class will meet Mondays, April 3 to May 29, from 1 to 3 p.m. Cost is \$45 for adults, \$22.50 for mature adults 60 and older.

For information on any of these classes or to register, call Carol Verson at 675-2200.

### Passages lecture on ethical wills

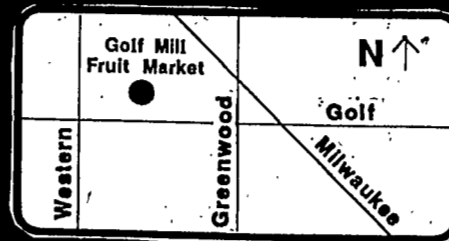
Writing an ethical will is a custom observed in many Jewish families. In a Passages Through Life lecture on Tuesday, April 4, Dr. Nathaniel Stampfer, professor of education at Spertus College, will present "Whispers of Immortality," from 1 to 2:30 p.m. in room 112 at Oakton Community College East, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., in Skokie.

An ethical will expresses personal values, love and gratitude to children and other loved ones. Stampfer is co-author of "Ethical Wills: An American Jewish Treasury. A \$1 donation will be collected at the door. For information, call 635-1414.

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# Police News

## Burglary

Tina's Pizza was burglarized sometimes between March 13 and 14. Thieves gained entry to the building located at 5900 Lincoln Avenue and removed \$65 from the cash register. This burglary is the second in the three weeks since new owners have occupied the pizzeria.

A 19-year-old Hermansville, Michigan woman had the wheel stolen from her auto parked at 3353 Waukegan Rd. A steel belt-radiated tire and an aluminum mag-type wheel worth \$50 and \$175 respectively were stolen.

A residence in the 7700 block of Churchill St. was burglarized March 15. The house was ransacked, and a wrapped baby gift worth \$60 was stolen. Also missing were numerous crystal and china bells worth \$500.

A 64-year-old Morton Grove resident heard something strike his front door in the 7000 block of Wilson March 17. The man found three dents caused by a BB type gun.

## Criminal damage to property

Sometime between March 5 and 12, someone spray-painted the garage of a Morton Grove resident living in the 9000 block of Parkside. Black spray paint was used by the offenders to spray various symbols on the garage.

## Thefts

A Kohl's security guard arrested a 47-year-old Lincolnwood woman after she left the store with unpaid-for jewelry in her purse and pockets. The guard had observed her taking a \$13.50 bracelet and \$59.98 worth of rings into a restroom, removing the price tags and concealing the costume jewelry. She will have an April court appearance on charges of retail theft.

A Niles man reported the theft of his wallet from a company cafeteria in the 6200 block of Howard on March 22. Besides credit cards and identification, \$400 in currency was in the billfold.

Two men between the ages of 25 and 30 took two video recorders, each valued at \$299.97 on March 21 from Sears. The men fled with the display goods with a Sears employee in pursuit. The employee can describe them and gave the license plate number of their car to Niles police.

## Furs stolen from Golf Mill

Two men boldly stole four fur-lined jackets from Arctic Dream in Golf Mill March 20. A store employee called Golf Mill security when two suspicious men in their twenties, both with black hair, entered the store and began trying on coats. The security guard left after the men exited the store. Ten minutes later the men returned and one of them, about five feet 11 inches tall, weighing 145 pounds, took the coats and told the other he wanted them. The second man who was about 6 feet 2 inches tall, pushed the store employee back and both fled southbound out of the store and in a waiting car driven by an unknown person. Total value of the stolen outerwear was \$2,596.

## Tool thefts

\$7,000 in sheet metal tools and \$400 in other power tools were stolen from a 1989 Ford van parked in the 9000 block of Terrace Dr. in Niles. The theft occurred during the night of March 22, when someone unknown broke out a window of a van belonging to a Glenview heating company, entered the van and stole equipment.

Miscellaneous power tools valued at \$12,000 were stolen from a 1975 Chevy van. The rear lock of the vehicle was damaged in order to access the tools. The van was parked in the 7900 block of Nordica Ave. when the tools were stolen sometime between March 24 and 26.

March 17 a firecracker exploded at Dominicks, 5744 Dempster St., breaking a large window. The night manager reported unknown offender(s) used chewing gum to affix a firecracker to the front window. When the firecracker exploded, it left a four-inch hole and stress cracks in the glass.

## Underage drinkers

In separate incidents, Doc Weed's bouncers signed complaints against six underage drinkers last week. The young men and women involved presented false identification when attempting to get into the establishment.

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## DUI

A 26-year-old Albany Park man will be in court April 7 after he was arrested by Niles police for DUI, driving with a suspended license and having a blood alcohol level over .10. The man left the scene of the rear end accident in the 7600 block of Caldwell and was nabbed in Morton Grove near Nagle and Kirk avenues, attempting to fix the blown tire of his 1979 T-Bird. The arresting officer noted the man's slurred speech, noticeably alcoholic breath and staggering carriage. In addition, the officer issued a citation to the driver of the second car, a 1977 Cadillac, for failing to give information after the accident. Deep ruts in the lawn of Salerno Company were noted, as a result of the March 23 accident.

## Alcohol factors into car crash

Two severely injured drivers and one passenger were treated at Lutheran General Hospital after an early morning head-on collision at Sherman and Waukegan roads March 24.

A 31-year-old Mount Prospect man is accused of DUI and other traffic charges after his 1986 Mercedes collided with a T-Bird driven by a 63-year-old Niles man who was attempting to turn left onto Sherman Road, heading north on Waukegan Road.

The impact of the collision forced open the trunk of the Mercedes, revealing a cache of empty beer cans. The Mercedes driver's passenger, a 35-year-old Niles man, was also severely injured. All three men were cited for failing to wear seat belts. The third charge leveled against the Mt. Prospect man was for failing to reduce his speed.

## Auto stereo thefts

Thieves were at work last week separating stereo equipment from automobiles. An employee of The Bradford Exchange reported the theft of his \$500 stereo system during the morning of March 23. The system was removed from his 1985 VW Jetta after the left front door window of the car was broken. The VW was parked in the west lot of 9333 Milwaukee Ave.

A \$350 JVC stereo was stolen from a 1988 Fiero parked in the Golf Mill parking lot March 24. A 1986 Chevy Chevette parked in the 8700 block of Wisconsin St. the night of March 23 is minus one \$230 stereo system. On March 26 a 1972 VW bug was broken into while parked in the 8600 block of Ozanam Ave. The \$190 in-dash radio was stolen along with a leather briefcase and sundry other items.

## Car/theft/vandalism

Someone left their 1985 Datsun car unlocked while shopping at a Niles grocery in the 8700 block of Dempster St. March 26, allowing a thief to make off with a \$400 women's leather jacket and a \$90 baseball jacket.

Melinda A. Wolf Marine Cpl. Melinda A. Wolf, daughter of Mario F. and Joan L. Deri of 6707 N. Keota, Chicago, has been meritoriously promoted to her present rank while serving at Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, California.

Philip J. Masikapp Navy Fireman Apprentice Philip J. Masikapp, son of Katie and Lauretta Mesikapp of 6540 N. Spokane Chicago, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego.

## Blase honored for contribution



Niles Mayor Nick Blase was honored recently for his efforts on behalf of Little City Foundation. Colleen Lennon, Illinois Smiles coordinator, Little City Foundation, presented him with the award. Blase will head up the Suburban Mayor's Committee for Illinois Smiles for Little City Tag Days for the 11th year this year.

Niles Mayor Nick Blase was honored recently by Little City Foundation for his efforts on behalf of people with mental retardation. Blase, who has been a loyal and dedicated supporter of the foundation, will head up the Suburban Mayor's Committee for Illinois Smiles for Little City Tag Days for the 11th year this August. Each year, Blase helps recruit and organize hundreds of volunteers for Illinois Smiles Tag Days. This year, the tag days will be held Fri., Aug. 18 and Sat., Aug. 19 throughout Chicagoland. WLS-TV personality Joan Esposto is Illinois Smiles Chairperson.

Funds raised from Illinois Smiles benefit Little City Foundation's programs for people with mental retardation and other developmental challenges. Little City Foundation provides education, vocation, recreation, health and wellness, and residential programs. For more information on how to be a Smiles volunteer, call 282-2207.

## Wells founder dies

Milton Knickerbocker Wells, founder of Wells Manufacturing Co. in Skokie, passed away March 19 in Sun City, Arizona. He was 88 years old. The former Park Ridge resident had been living in a nursing home in Sun City. Wells, known as "Mickey" to his friends, started his foundry in 1947. Under his tutelage, the plant grew from 42,000 square feet to more than 10 times that size and he added locations in Wisconsin, Indiana, and California as well as metropolitan area facilities in Woodstock and Melrose Park. The manufacturer of automotive and other industrial iron castings employed 60 workers 40 years ago and now has more than 800 on its payroll.

Wells' father, started Chicago Foundry in 1901. Mickey Wells, along with his two brothers Raymond and Clayton, joined his father's firm in 1926 after graduating from Chicago-Kent College of Law in 1926. He persuaded his family to begin manufacturing specialty items during the Depression, when other foundries were going out of business. He began his own foundry when family members resisted the idea of expansion. Wells retired in 1983, as chairman of the board. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Martha, his son Marshall, who now heads Wells Mfg. Co., daughters Doris Duesing and Charlotte Morean, 10 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

## The Savings and Loan Business... A Healthy Industry



by Donald J. Babicz President Norwood Federal Savings Bank

Based on the news accounts, one might think the entire savings and loan industry is experiencing severe financial difficulties. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Indeed, with a caseload of 350 impaired institutions nationwide, Congress and the Bush administration face a formidable task. However, contrary to what some may believe, the entire industry is not awash in red ink. In Illinois, and elsewhere, the vast majority of savings and loan associations and savings banks are solvent. In fact, 85 percent of Illinois' thrifts are GAAP solvent and 95 percent are RAP solvent. (GAAP stands for generally accepted accounting principles, standards set forth by professional accounting organizations. RAP stands for regulatory accounting principles, standards adopted and approved for use by the thrift industry's chief regulator, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board).

Furthermore, Illinois associations have posted five consecutive profitable years. Over the first nine months of 1988 (the latest data available) the aggregate net income of the business in Illinois was \$109 million. With assets in excess of \$68 billion, Illinois is the nation's largest savings and loan state in asset size, and the largest in terms of number of institutions.

Although deregulation has enabled associations to diversify, Illinois thrifts continue to concentrate on what they know best - residential lending. Proof of Illinois' thrifts' commitment to serving the state's home financing needs is that three-fourths of the institutions' assets are invested in mortgages and mortgage-based securities.

The Bush administration has introduced an industry reform package which would revamp the industry and recapitalize and restructure the thrift deposit insurance fund. I commend the President for making the crisis a top priority. It is imperative that we find a quick and lasting solution to the problem. However, his plan could jeopardize the health of many viable institutions and severely undermine the nation's housing finance system.

I acknowledge the need for industry reform and FSLIC recapitalization. However, let's accomplish reform in an orderly and equitable manner. Specifically, with regard to the current proposals, I urge our legislators to recognize and consider the following points: 1. This nation needs a separate housing finance system devoted to helping our citizens realize the American dream of home ownership. 2. The home financing industry needs an independent regulator which understand the housing market and the institutions which serve it. 3. Healthy savings and loans have already paid their fair share to help recapitalize the FSLIC - some \$4 billion thus far, including \$250 million by Illinois thrifts. 4. Proposals to recapitalize and restructure the deposit insurance fund should call for insurance premium parity for banks and savings and loans. 5. Proposals to merge the FSLIC and FDIC should include language authorizing banks and savings and loans to use the same insurance seal. 6. Capital requirements for all financial institutions should be equal and institutions required to increase their capital should be given a reasonable time frame in which to attain the required level. 7. Regulatory contracts in place between institutions, Congress, and regulators must be recognized and honored, specifically in regard to goodwill, deferred loan losses, and the crediting of secondary reserves against FSLIC premiums.

It is in the best interest of all parties to find an equitable solution to resolve the problems and ensure that a similar crisis never recurs. Our nation needs a specialized home financing industry. We have an excellent system in place - let's not jeopardize it!

## Accent on special learning at Culver School

by Nancy Keramias

Students at Culver School at 6921 W. Oakton St. in Niles are given the opportunity to learn French and Spanish as early as the third grade, according to Nancy Perez of the District 71 school. The program also includes third and fourth graders at South School in Niles. "This is the optimal time to learn a language," Perez said. Third graders who qualify can begin learning French by singing, role playing and conversation. According to Perez, they learn all about the language. Sixth graders who do not need extra help in reading are allowed to learn Spanish and, according to Perez, alumni have earned advanced placement in college. "Our children do well in high school foreign language," Perez said. "This program sparks interest in another language and the skills the children learn are transferable to another language." This skill becomes valuable especially for the college bound.

The teaching of French has gone on for over 20 years and the Spanish program has been in place for about 11 years.

## Democrats claim GOP officials hid

Maine Township officials have deliberately hid from voters during the township campaign according to their opponents in the Apr. 4 election. "From the start of this campaign, Republican Township officials went into hiding and refused to come out and address the issues that are important to Maine Township government," Andrew Przybylo said, candidate for township supervisor on the Democratic slate. "They have refused to meet us in a public debate, they have refused to answer questions about their administration of township government and most importantly, they have refused to face the residents of Maine Township."

Przybylo stated that the reason that the Republican slate went underground during the campaign was that they were afraid to discuss their record over the last four years. "The incumbent township officials do not want voters to discover what they have been up to while they have been in office," Przybylo said. "They do not want to explain why they have wasted tax dollars on health and insurance benefits for themselves and have appropriated massive amounts of money on duplicative services. And most of all, they do not want to discuss the areas of township mismanagement which it has been reported that past township administrator Art Duffy had threatened to disclose."

Przybylo then contrasted the kind of campaign that the Democratic slate has run. "Throughout this campaign, our slate has had an issue oriented approach to the many problems confronting Maine Township government," Przybylo said. "We have identified specific problems and proposed specific solutions. We have exposed all the fat in the township budget that resulted in an 82 percent tax increase and have outlined specific appropriations that can be cut to reduce taxes by at least 10 percent.

We were the only slate to advance an agenda to help unincorporated residents with problems like the provision of Lake Michigan water to the area, inadequate police protection and sewer cut-off demands. And we are the only candidates that are interested in improving services for township senior citizens by exploring the possibility of arranging basic health services and shuttle bus transportation to shopping centers for seniors. Conversely, the Republican slate has failed to propose any specific solutions to township problems or to explain why they have been so inattentive to these important matters over the last four years."

"The choice is clear in this election," said Przybylo. "The Republicans are hoping that by keeping a low profile they can hide their record from the voters and slip by."

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## LEGAL NOTICE

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING** Notice is hereby given to the legal voters, residents of the Town of Niles in the County of Cook and State of Illinois that the ANNUAL TOWN MEETING of said Town will take place on Tuesday, April 11, 1989, being the second Tuesday of said month at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M. at the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton Street, Skokie, Illinois, for the transaction of the miscellaneous business of the said Town and after a Moderator having been elected, will proceed to hear and consider reports of officers, and decide on such measures as may, in pursuance of law, come before the meeting. Given under my hand at the Edward A. Warman Administration Center, This 15 day of March 1989.

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## Sports

### Men's and women's softball registration

The Golf Maine Park District is currently taking registration for this summer's men's and women's 12" and 16" softball leagues. The park district offers a women's 12" Slow-Pitch league on Mondays, with the games at 6:30, 7:45 and 9 p.m.; a men's 12" Slow-Pitch league on Saturdays, with the games at 4:30 and 5:30 p.m. and a men's 16" Slow-Pitch league on Sundays, with the games at 9:30, 10:45 and noon and some games at 1:15 p.m. All games are played at Dee Park, which is located at 9229 Emerson St. in Des Plaines.

Each league will consist of eight teams playing in a 14 game schedule plus the playoffs for the

top four teams. The league fee is \$390 per team, plus a \$25 refundable forfeit fee. Regular season league champions receive a \$390 jacket allowance plus a team trophy, with each second place team receiving team and individual awards. The winners of the playoffs receive team and individual awards.

All registration is on a first come-first serve basis. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is due at the time of registration.

For further information, please contact the park district at 297-3000, or stop by the office at 9229 Emerson in Des Plaines.

### MG Park karate classes

The Morton Grove Park District will be offering classes in Karate. The Art of Self-Defense will enhance the students both mentally and physically. Mentally, Karate increases concentration, confidence and discipline. Physically, Karate strengthens the muscles and coordination.

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All classes are under the direction of John DiPasquale, National Junior Karate Coach, and four-time National Champion. Youth classes will be at National Park in Morton Grove on Wednesdays and Devonshire School in Skokie on Mondays.

The Spring Session will begin Monday, April 10 and Wednes-

day, April 12. For further information, call 359-0668 or the Morton Grove Park District at 965-1200. Out-of-district residents are welcome.

### Parents' group presents N.C.A.A.

Notre Dame High School Parents' Association Athletic Boosters at 7655 Dempster St., in Niles on Mon., Apr. 3 will present N.C.A.A. Basketball Finals on a Big Screen television.

Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. No one under 21 admitted, there will be food and drinks and a raffle. The evening will cost \$10. Profits from this event will help to purchase an ice machine for the training room.

### Res runner joins runners camp

Angie Jablonski, a senior at Resurrection High School, was invited to participate in the elite runners camp at Prosperator Square, Utah for a week in August.

The camp, directed by Bob Wood, former distance coach at the University of Utah and Paul Cummings top coach and one of America's most talented runners, provides the opportunity for young runners to train with and learn from runners from around the world. This camp is by invitation only and the invitees represent only the top one to two percent of the country high school distance runners.

Angie took 11th in state competition this year and went on to win the Cross-Country Junior Olympics. With this win, Angie qualified for nationals and ran in Tulsa Oklahoma. At this race 50 runners from around the country competed. Angie came away with the win.

### Skokie resident elected to college government

Mariann Janessa, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Janessa, 5443 Mulford St., Skokie, has been elected to serve on the Intramural Board at North Central College.

The Intramural Board has the duty of running the intramural sports program. This program consists of activities such as bowling, football, basketball, volleyball and floor hockey. In addition, the board sponsors other events throughout the year which include racquetball, pool and tennis tournaments.

North Central is a comprehensive college of the liberal arts and sciences with an enrollment of 12,350 students. U.S. News & World Report includes the College in its 1988 rankings of "America's Best Colleges," and education editors of the New York Times call it one of "The Best Buys in College Education" today.

### M-NASR basketball banquet

On March 19, the Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR) hosted their Basketball Banquet at the Des Plaines Leisure Center. The event honored nine teams including M-NASR A and B teams; Clearbrook Center A and B teams; Memorial Park District; Golfview Meadows; Clifton House and Helping Hands Rehabilitation Center.

The 210 Mentally retarded adults in attendance enjoyed a buffet lunch followed by an awards ceremony where individual awards, team trophies and ribbons were distributed to all of the athletes.

For more information regarding recreation programs for special populations contact M-NASR at 966-5522.

### Richard Dahlman

Navy Seaman Richard Dahlman, son of James E. Dahlman of 4726 Russet Lane, Skokie, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego.

## Bowling

### Niles Club 55 Senior Men's Bowl

Standings	W-L
Trident All Stars	57-27
Dragon Playboys	56-28
Fantastic Five	55-29
Pacers	52-32
Gold Stars	49-35
Pinstripers	49-35
Mustangs	45-39
Long Shots	44-40
Bozo's	42-42
Dina-Mo's	42-42
Equalizers	42-42
Flying Tigers	42-42
Unknown Stars	40-44
Bodinos	39-45
Two Plus Three	37-47
Niles Playboys	35-49
Senior Power	34-50
Tridentures	32-52
Destroyers	30-54
Sandbaggers	18-66

Hot Shots: George Kovich 565; Jim Fitzgerald 562; Chet Hajduk 549; Frank Voelker 547; Ray Muntges 540; Jerry Lieberman 529; Ted Stagg 529; Julian Akul 516; Walter Kozioi 516; Mike Huler 514; Angie Donash 513; Harry Frank 506; Dino Landi 504; Joseph Kucan 502; Larry Burns 500.

### Catholic Women's Bowling League

Team Standings	W-L
1st Natl. Bank of Niles	55-36
Candlelight Jewelers	54-37
St. Farm Ins. A Beierwaltes	47-44
Ray Old's-Park Ridge	46-45
Classic Bowl	45-46
G.L. Schmitz Ins.	39-52
Debbie Temps, Ltd.	39-52
Skaja Terrace	39-52

High Series

T. Peters	525
G. Thoma	518
L. Jensen	507
C. Oettringer	498
R. Paschke	487
P. Koch	480
J. Granatelli	472

High Game

L. Jensen	210
T. Peters	196
C. Timmes	182
R. Paschke	181
J. Granatelli	178
G. Thoma	177

### St. John Brebeuf Holy Name

Standings for 3-24-89	Points
Team	
Dr. Tom Drozd	61
Wiedemann Ins.	54
Champs	53
Northwest Parishes	53
Windjammer	52
Norwood Federal	44
State Farm Ins.	41
Skaja Terrace	39
Anderson Secretarial	29
J&B Sheet Metal	29

Top Ten Bowlers

Tom Drozd	599
Ralph Kozeny	574
Brian Wozniak	567
Dennis Madigan	561
Jim Fitzgerald	560
Vern Koss	557
Val Greco	542
Card Lindquist	537
Jim Jekot	537
Mel Koenigs	526

### Catholic Women's Bowling League

Week of March 15	W.L.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.	
Team Standings	
#3 1st Natl. Bank of Niles	51 33
#6 Candlelight Jewelers	51 33
#4 Ray Old's -Park Ridge	45 39
#7 State Farm Ins. - A. Beierwaltes	42 42
#8 G.L. Schmitz Ins.	39 45
#5 Classic Bowl	38 46
#1 Debbie Temps, Ltd.	37 47
#2 Skaja Terrace	34 50

High Series

L. Minter	530
M. Kroll	507
L. Jensen	488
G. Thoma	484
C. Oettringer	483
D. Zima	481
N. Vito	465

High Games

L. Jensen	203
C. Oettringer	197
G. Thoma	194
L. Minter	193
G. Schultz	194
M. Coronato	191
P. Koch	185
T. Peters	180

### Classic Seniors Mixed Bowling League

Team	W-L
Eager Beavers	59-26
Lions	51-33
Greyhounds	50-34
Poodles	49-35
Bulldogs	46-38
Hound Dogs	46-38
Oldies But Goodies	43-41
No-No's	41-43
Tigers	41-43
Lambs	40-44
Raccoons	38-46
Billy Goats	37-47
Alley Cats	36-48
Stingers	35-49
Kitty's	35-49
Hi Steppers	26-58

HI-Series Men

Frank Voelker	597
Jim Calderone	572
John May	559
Lou Meltzer	550
Fred Eda	537
Frank Rutkowski	521
Ted Stagg	504
Phil Goldfine	504
Ken Itter	503

Women

Vivian Leonard	519
Lucy Gentile	491
Ethel Kay	441
Terry Fritzie	435
Flo Jacobs	425

High Game

Frank Voelker	226
John May	214
Jim Calderone	205
Fred Eda	200
Vivian Leonard	195,186

### Niles Men's Wed. Nite

Name	W-L
N.W. Credit Union	76-36
Ralph's Imperial Lounge	76-36
Candlelight Jewelers	60-52
Bank of Evanston	57-55
Matthews	54-58
Wally's	49-63
Olympic R&H Lounge	42-70
Minellis	34-78

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# Politics

## Clerk's office has precinct information

Stolton also reminds registered voters who live in unincorporated Maine Township and expect to be out of the county on Election Day, that they can vote in-person by absentee ballot through Monday, April 3, at his office in the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge. The Clerk's Office is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays.

Stolton emphasized that only residents of the unincorporated area can vote in-person at the Town Hall. Residents of municipalities can vote in person at their city or village halls.

For further information, call the Clerk's Office at 297-2510.

Maine Township Clerk Stephen J. Stolton is reminding Maine Township voters that they can call his office at 297-2510 to learn the locations of their polling places.

Most polling places for the April 4 local elections will be the same as those used in the November general election. However, two new precincts have been added since the November election causing several polling places to change. Voters who are unsure of the locations of their polling places should call Stolton's office. Voters can also check local newspapers for the current list of Maine Township polling places.

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## GOP claims Democrats presented deceptive campaign

Speaking on behalf of the Republican slate for Maine Township government Wednesday, March 22, Joan B. Hall, candidate for supervisor, and incumbent Trustee Mark Thompson blasted their Democratic opponents for distributing campaign literature containing false promises, ignorant statements and misleading information.

Hall said, "From the beginning the Democrats have played fast and loose with the facts. Some of their statements appear to be designed to deceive the public and others demonstrate an abysmal ignorance of issues, duties of township officials, and the limited authority of township government.

"For example, in their most recent flyer the Democrats promised to bring Lake Michigan water to the unincorporated area. What they fail to realize is this is a function over which township government has no jurisdiction. And furthermore, it is a non-issue because North Suburban Public Utility Company, the area's water supplier, has already taken steps to bring Lake Michigan water to these residents. This process is set to begin in June when their water supply will contain 50 percent lake water and is expected to be completed by 1992 when the residents will have 100 percent Lake Michigan water."

Thompson, the senior trustee on the board and a candidate for re-election April 4, cited a second flyer in which the Democrats literally 'erased' the facts from their campaign literature.

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"The Democratic literature depicts a man looking with surprise at his property tax bill exclaiming 'Holy Cow.' If you look closely, however, the dollar amounts of the portion of the property tax bill allocated to Maine Township government have been whited out.

"The Democratic township candidates are attempting to white out the good record of the Republican township officials. They know we have a good record on low taxes, quality services, and economical government. What the Democrats don't want the voters to know is that the man in their campaign literature is saying 'Holy Cow' because he can't believe how little he pays in taxes to Maine Township government.

"On the other hand," Thompson said, "the Democratic candidates are attempting to replace the federal dollars with local dollars so that we could continue to help fund local social service agencies that provide day care, mental health treatment, emergency shelter, alcoholism and substance abuse treatment, programs for developmentally disabled children and adults, and other vital services to residents regardless of their ability to pay. The average annual cost for these services to a typical homeowner is less than a hamburger and soft drink at McDonald's. Even with this nominal increase, Maine Township is spending no more today than it did in 1986, the last year of Federal Revenue Sharing. Our spending did not change--only the source of our revenues," Thompson said.

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James C. Aydt has been appointed Personnel Director for the Village of Skokie. Aydt served for 14 years as Personnel Director for the City of Elgin. Prior to that, he was Assistant to Elgin's City Manager. He holds a master's degree in public

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The small increase in township taxes that did occur was due to the elimination of the Federal Revenue Sharing Program and our need to replace these lost federal dollars with local dollars so that we could continue to help fund local social service agencies that provide day care, mental health treatment, emergency shelter, alcoholism and substance abuse treatment, programs for developmentally disabled children and adults, and other vital services to residents regardless of their ability to pay.

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On Tuesday, State Representative Ralph Capparelli, (D-Chicago) supported House Resolution 155 condemning the improper display of the American Flag at the Chicago School of the Art Institute. For the past several weeks, veterans groups and concerned citizens have been protesting outside the institute, calling for the removal of the display.

"This exhibit is a disgrace to the flag and an insult to veterans, volunteers and parents of fallen soldiers," Capparelli said. "This display mocks our symbol of freedom and undermines the pride associated with the American flag."

Capparelli, a veteran of the United States Navy, said the resolution also calls for the removal of the display from the School of the Art Institute. "The school administrators should spend more energy teaching students to abide by the laws protecting our flag, rather than defending what they call art."

The resolution, which overwhelmingly passed the House, will be presented to the Art Institute and to the veterans groups which have been active in protesting against the controversial display.

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### Letters To The Editor

## Let District 63 tighten their belts first

Dear Mr. Besser:

I really enjoy the "Left Hand" column in The Bugle and have been reading The Bugle since high school.

I hope you can print my letter. I haven't seen any tax payer feedback on the proposed Dist. 63 tax referendum at all in the local papers.

Again, thanks for your insight in the "Left Hand" column on all issues.

Dear Editor:

In the last 2 weeks I have read 2 excellent "Left Hand" columns on the "quiet" referendum School District #63 is trying to keep low key so it will pass. I would not even have known about the referendum at all if I didn't read it in the Bugle.

District #63 is up to its age old

tactics of only sending home information through the school kids to their parents of how they need the tax increase to keep those extra-curricular activities, etc., going after school so little "Susie" and "Tommy" will be kept busy at school while Mommy and Daddy are at work. The parents with kids are always the most sympathetic to tax increases for the schools.

I know how the game works, after all I have lived in Niles all my life and I too have brought home the same propaganda to my parents.

After reading the Bugle I looked at my last Real Estate Tax Bill and noted out of a \$2000.00 per year bill, \$1321.50 went to School District #63 and School District #207. District #63 got

\$762.00 last year alone. Without the heavy school taxes my tax bill would be 2/3 less!

It never ceases to amaze me that even when past school referendums have failed, the school district still got their increase by raising the taxing rate. Now that they are at their maximum they need us voters to allow them more.

I just can't afford another \$178 to \$267 more per year for School District #63. Enough is enough. Let School District #63 eliminate those top heavy administrative positions. To the head of the school district - Dr. Gleichman, who says the present tax rate is "moderate" compared to other Cook County school districts - I say who are you kidding? Maine Township has a fairly high as-

essed valuation and we homeowners pay plenty - a lot higher than many Cook County areas.

I wonder just how many of those highly paid administrative people and teachers from District #63 actually live within the District and share our tax burden? I ask does Dr. Gleichman need to make \$80,000 per year to manage 2800 students when in 1970 there were 7500 students and the head of the District made \$40,000 per year? The average teacher now makes \$40,000 per year too. These are not shabby salaries. I wonder how many District #63 taxpayers make salaries of \$40,000 or \$80,000 per person a year? I wish I did!

Many people don't even get yearly pay raises anymore. Companies have a lot of workers over

the barrel. So many firms have cut back that people are lucky to have a job in many cases, let alone expect a pay raise.

District #63 has not shown the taxpayers of this area that they really need such a tremendous increase in property taxes. We will soon have the quadrennial reassessment in our area and the school district will get a fairly good size tax increase anyway - and they know it, but they still want more!

How much can the taxpayers bear? Why should we continue to pay for past mis-management? I look at the now empty Apollo Jr. High that District #63 had to have, which cost us millions. I look at the \$450,000 the District spent for fancy offices at Ballard School which has sat empty for years now.

It's time District #63 tightened their belts and the taxpayers to tighten their purse strings! I challenge Dr. Gleichman to take a 25% pay cut immediately and for teacher's salaries to be frozen until District #63 gets back on its feet without the taxpayers footing the bill.

When Dr. Gleichman and District #63 show the taxpayers they will meet us half-way, then we'll talk!

Susan Bowers, Niles

### Thanks for coverage

Dear Mr. Besser, Thank you for your coverage of "Caravan", this year's Field School Variety Show. We appreciate all you have done and look forward to working with you next year.

Sincerely, Tom Greenslade, Publicity 35th Annual Variety Show

### North American Martyrs St. Patrick's dance

Chairman Andy Jr. and Andy Beierwaltes, Sr. announce that North American Martyr's Council #4338 Knights of Columbus are holding their annual St. Patrick and St. Joseph's dinner dance.

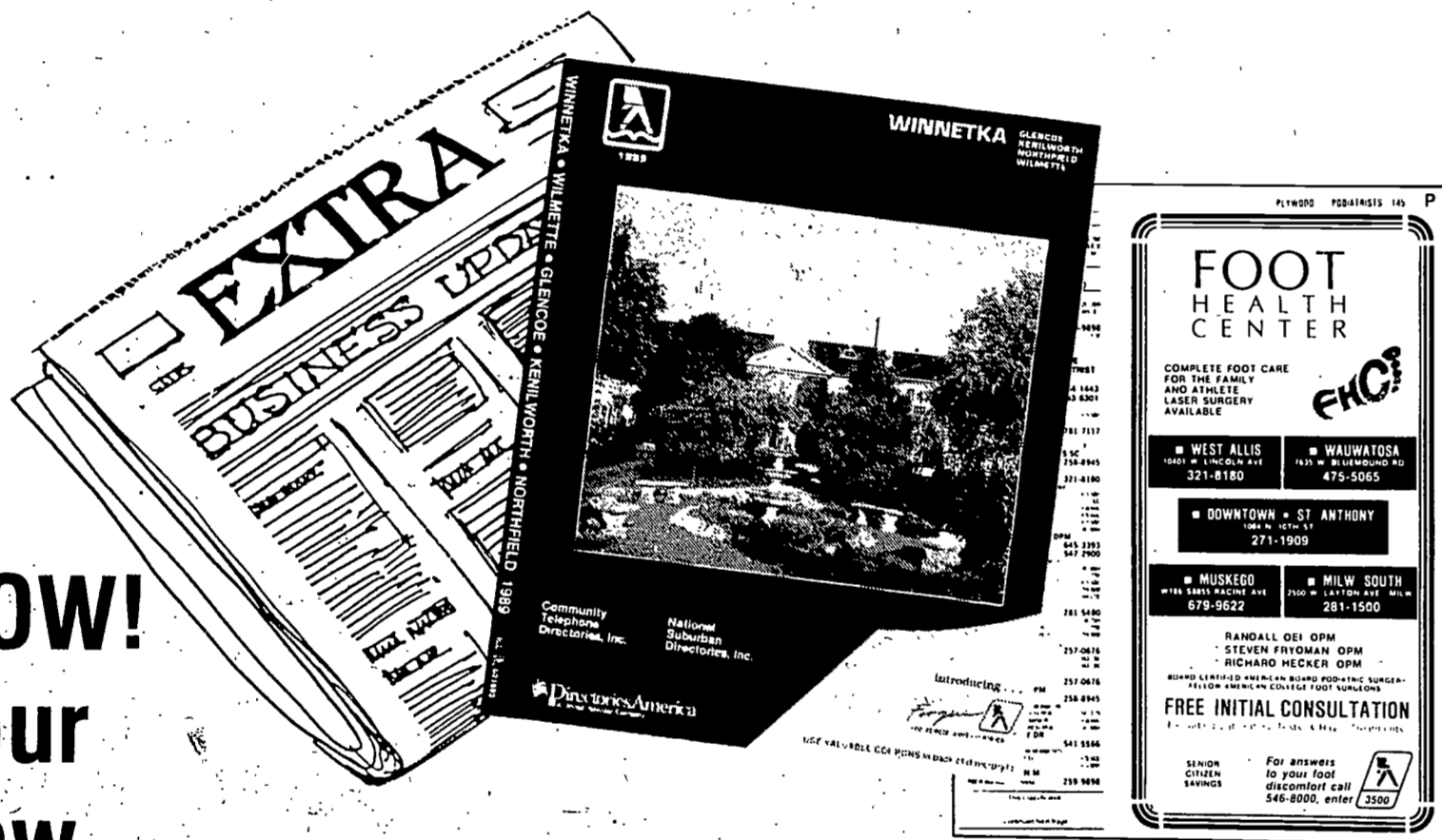
The Dinner dance will be held on April 1 in the gym of St. John Brebeuf School. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m.

A delicious all-you-can-eat corned beef dinner will be catered by the well known Harrington Caterers. This is a sit down dinner. Dancing to the popular Combo Counts Band will follow along with a good old Irish-Sing-Along. Ice cold draught beer, wine and ice will be available all evening. Admission to the dinner dance is a \$20 donation per person.

For more information and reservation call Andy Jr. at 966-6961 or Andy Sr. at 967-8976.

### Social worker presents program

Gloria Bersani, social worker, St. Francis Hospital Extended Care Service will present a "positive" program to the Monday Group of the Smith Activities Center, Lincoln and Galitz, Skokie on April 3 at 1:30 p.m. Please call 673-0500, Ext. 335 for additional information.



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## Home Improvement

### Bathroom remodeling

Have you grown weary of looking at your bathroom tile? Would you like to replace your white tub, sink and closet with color by "Kohler"? Do you have sufficient room to install a whirlpool?

The Niles Public Library will host a program on remodeling your bathroom, April 13 at 7 p.m. Ted Sigg, former teacher turned

remodeler, will provide the audience with slides of a project from start to finish. In addition, he will display sample products and assist the audience in working through a cost estimating sheet.

This program is free and open to the public. Please make your reservation or direct your questions to J. Zelter at 967-8554.

### Glenkirk hosts rummage sale

Glenkirk's Gigantic Rummage Sale is scheduled for Saturday, April 1, at the Glenkirk School in Deerfield. Hours will be from 8 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

A large variety of men's, women's and children's clothing will

be available at low prices, as well as a wide selection of furniture, antiques, linens, jewelry, housewares, toys, books, small appliances, and knick-knacks. Thousands of dollars worth of valuable merchandise must be sold. No pre-empt sales will be allowed.

The Glenkirk School is located at Alden and Clay Courts (2 blocks west of Waukegan Road off of Hazel Street) in Deerfield.

For more information or to donate items, contact Lucy Coward at 998-8380. All proceeds benefit the infants, children, and adults served by Glenkirk. Donations are tax deductible.

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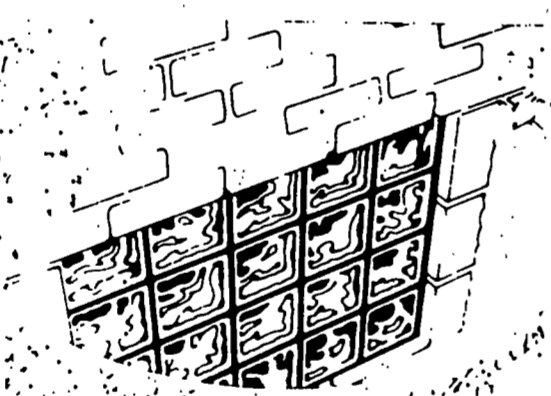
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### Spring home maintenance tips

With winter now past and spring upon us, area homeowners may wish to inspect their property and decide what items need to be checked, repaired or replaced. With this in mind, the Northwest Real Estate Board recently listed several critical maintenance items important to protect structural components of a homeowner's building, as well as items which will improve the property's cosmetics.

'Critical maintenance' generally relates to the soundness of the structure; if not performed regularly as needed, the lack of this critical maintenance can adversely affect other structural components and harm the building.

Since water damage presents potentially the most harmful damage to a home, critical external maintenance includes repairing or replacing a damaged, weathered, or aging roof, proper tuckpointing of a brick chimney or sidewalk bricks and masonry, repair or replacement of broken, cracked, or rotting wooden frame wall panels or damaged aluminum siding and inspecting for cracks or broken concrete in the building's foundation.

All plumbing throughout the building should be examined on a regular basis, with repairs or replacements made to rusting, aging, or broken pipes, fixtures, and faucets. Broken, non-functioning, or leaking radiators can also result in damage.

All electrical components throughout the building should be examined, and anything aged, defective, or frayed should be replaced.

When examining the interior of a home, floors with too much 'give' when walked on should be examined. All interior woodwork and doors should receive regular attention and wooden cabinets inspected for damaged or rotting wood and should receive a coat of varnish or paint if necessary.

Examples of exterior cosmetic maintenance include proper landscaping with grass seed or sod added when necessary, routine trimming of trees and bushes, and the replacement of bushes or plants made on a regular basis. Other exterior cosmetic items include patching or replacement of sidewalks and driveway, with a regular exterior sealant applied to driveways or parking areas requiring such attention.

Interior cosmetics include replacing carpeting, tile, or linoleum, repainting walls and ceilings to give a new or larger look, and washing windows, trim, ceilings, and walls.

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Within the structure, the interior of the roof and the attic sides and ceiling should be inspected. Water seepage is a possible hazard, and the basement walls -- the interior of the building's concrete foundation -- should be inspected for breaks or cracks. Repairs include patching with concrete and coating with a high-quality water-resistant commercial sealant.

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## Home Improvement

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The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Village of Morton Grove are sponsoring the sale of Guide Lites an illuminated address sign for home or business that is specially designed to eliminate the problem of locating and reading addresses in the dark.

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Guide Lites are available at the Richard T. Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina, or Par Enterprises, Inc., 6834 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove.

For more information, call the MGCCI office at 965-0330.

### Kite and airplane safety tips

March in northern Illinois brings winds, and winds suggests kites blowing against the sky. But, along with the fun of spring kite flying come a number of pitfalls that can be avoided by following some basic safety guidelines regarding power lines.

Beware of using kites with metal or wire frames. These materials are conductors of electricity and can come into contact with power lines. To avoid such a hazard altogether, fly your kite in an area where you can avoid power lines, trees and television and radio antennas.

Weather can also be a factor in kite flying. By all means, avoid kite flying during rain, especially a thunderstorm. Ben Franklin did all of us a great service by flying his kite and discovering electricity, but he was very lucky. If a kite is struck by lightning, wet string can conduct electricity down to the person at the other end. Also, a wet kite string contacting a power line can be just as dangerous.

Please follow these safety rules and teach them to children, too. Then all you'll need is a good breeze and a bit of skill to get that kite flying high.

Many of these rules apply to model airplanes, too. If a model airplane comes into contact with a power line, it can also cause injury or death to people on the ground below. These hazards are just as great from the lower voltage lines found in a back yard, as they are from the high voltage lines on large transmission towers.

Never assume that a utility pole is carrying only telephone lines. Treat all lines as if they carry electricity. A model airplane can drift toward nearby power lines because of strong winds, a failed engine or control line, or an unwary flyer who moves from his or her original spot.

If a kite or model plane does become entangled in power lines, under no circumstances should you try to retrieve it. Do not climb the pole or tower, or use a rope or stick to dislodge it from the line. If your entangled plane or kite creates a hazard for those walking underneath, call your local Edison office and leave it to the experts who have the proper training and equipment to work with live wires to remove your mangled flying machine.

Finally, when the weather gets a bit warmer, sailboats will begin to re-appear on lakes and rivers. In addition to following the other rules of boating safety, be alert at all times to ensure that your boat's mast does not come in contact with overhead power lines.

### Puppet creators at OCC on Family Day

Bruce and Claire Newton, puppet creators for major television shows, will present their proudest creation, Garfield Goose, during Family Day from noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 9, at Oakton Community College, 1600 E. Golf Road, Des Plaines.

The Newtons have more than 20 years of experience as writers, producers, and performers for NBC, CBS, and ABC television puppet programs. Their telepuppets present one of the brightest, exciting, and refreshing puppet programs in Chicago.

The puppet show is just one of many fun activities planned for Family Day.

Children's singer Ella Jenkins will entertain at 3 p.m. in the Gymnasium. Moonwalks and pony rides amuse children, and clowns and jugglers will amaze them. Sparky the Squirrel, compliments of the Park Ridge Park District, will make his first appearance, and the Des Plaines Library Book Worm will return for its annual visit.

Musical performances will be presented by the Maine South Alumni Choir, Boy Scout Drum and Bugle Corps, and a children's violin group. The Lakota Indian Dancers and the Israeli Dancers will excite visitors with their colorful costumes and dazzling

### Free tax booklet available

A free tax booklet is available to assist taxpayers confused by changes in stated and federal tax laws, according to State Senator Bob Kustra.

The 30-page "Guide to Free Tax Services" is available from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) by calling the toll-free number, 800-424-3676.

The free booklet contains information about many specialized publications and services the IRS offers to help answer questions taxpayers may have about filling out their tax forms, according to Kustra.

The booklet also has information about Tele-Tax, a free service that allows taxpayers to call a toll-free number to listen to tapes on any of approximately 140 different tax-related topics. Tele-Tax may also be called for automated refund information. Chicago residents may call 829-6397 and the Tele-Tax number in Springfield is 217-789-0489. Elsewhere in Illinois, residents may call 800-554-4477.

Taxpayers may also call the IRS at 435-1040 in Chicago or 800-424-1040 elsewhere or go to the nearest IRS office for assistance, Kustra said.

### Landscaping and gardening ideas

Making those landscaping improvements will put green in your yard and in your pocket. A well-designed, well-maintained landscape can add anywhere from 7-15 percent on the resale value of a home. Permanent improvements in landscaping such as new shrubs and trees also increase the value of your property for tax purposes, which trims the taxable gain when you sell your home.

Visitors to the West Suburban Home and Garden Show will be treated to an abundance of colorful gardens and landscaping displays. Experts, such as Ken Benson of Grant and Power Landscaping will give formal presentations as well as answer individual questions from show visitors.

The West Suburban Home and Garden Show runs March 31 to April 2 at the College of Dupage in Glen Ellyn. Show hours are Friday 4-10 p.m., Saturday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. The show is open to the public and ample free parking is available.

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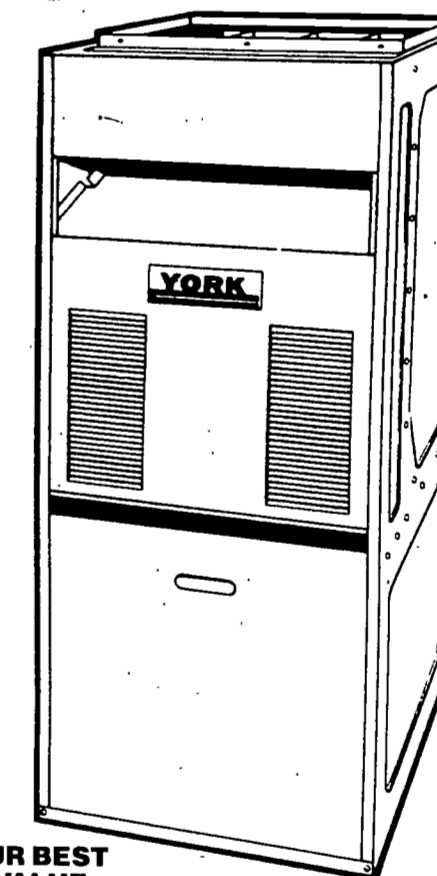
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## Area News

### Survey shows Chicago Daycare costs high

A new daycare survey released by Chicago Review Press, publishers of "Chicago Area Daycare and Preschool Guide" reveals that Chicago-area full-time daycare for one child costs an average of \$3,979.90 per year, which is \$724.36 more than the national average.

The survey was done with the help of Runzheimer International, a Rochester, Wisconsin-based management consulting firm specializing in gathering data on goods and services and other living cost components for corporations.

"Chicago area parents on the average pay \$76.53 per week for full-time daycare, which is about \$13 more per week than the national average of \$62.60," Louann Chaudier, author of "The Guide," said.

At the extremes of costs in the Runzheimer study, Manhattan was the highest with the average weekly cost of \$172.33 per week for full-time daycare, which calculates to \$4,977.34 more per year than Chicago. Tampa,

Florida parents paid much less, with \$45.58 per week. This is \$1,609.40 less than yearly costs in Chicago.

The source for Chicago figures in the survey, Chaudier's "Chicago Area Daycare and Preschool Guide," was published in December. The book is aimed at helping parents make the most efficient use of the daycare dollars by helping them pinpoint centers which most closely meet their needs and ability to pay.

The book lists more than 300 licensed daycare centers and preschools in Cook, Lake, and DuPage counties. Entries list costs, hours, age accepted, and other detailed information about services and policies. Chaudier compiled the book from responses to a lengthy survey sent to all licensed daycare centers and preschools in Cook, Lake, and DuPage counties.

"Chicago Area Daycare and Preschool Guide" is available in many area bookstores or from Independent Publishers Group, 814 N. Franklin St., Chicago, 60610.

### "Heart of Polonia" Telethon

The Copernicus Foundation presents the "Heart of Polonia" Telethon live from the Copernicus Cultural and Civic Center on Saturday, April 1.

The Polish American community's largest fund raising event will be seen this year on cable TV throughout Chicago and suburbs. In the City of Chicago, the telethon will be seen on Channel 25. In the suburbs, it will be carried on the Local Origination (LO) Channel. Viewers should consult

their local cable company or cable guide.

Hours of the telethon are 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. in Chicago and most suburbs. TCI/CableNet will start carrying the event at 9:30 p.m. and Continental Cable at 10 p.m.

The Telethon is presented annually for the benefit of the Copernicus Center, a leading Polish American organization and a model for similar endeavors both locally and nationally.

The seven hour event will feature almost non-stop entertainment. Among the performers will be popular singers, Jimmy Damon and Waldemar Koccon, a favorite of the city's Polish community. Also, the Polish folk dance groups Wesoły Lud and Polonez Dancers, the Lira Singers and operatic bass Stefan Wikor.

At press time, major sponsors of the telethon included Cragin Savings, PKO Trading Corporation, Hoyme Savings, LOT Polish Airlines, Western Savings and Northwestern Savings.

The public is invited to join the Telethon audience at the Copernicus Center, 5216 W. Lawrence Ave., and watch the production of a live TV show. There is no admission charge. For more information call 777-8898.

### Ottman chosen Chef of the Year



Alex Ottman, executive chef of the Sheraton Plaza Hotel at 160 East Huron Street in Chicago, has been named Chef of the Year by the 500-member Chefs of Cuisine Association of Chicago. The prestigious award was presented to Ottman by his peers at a recent black-tie dinner at the Swiss Grand Hotel.

Ottman has been executive chef of the Sheraton Plaza since March of 1980 and has received a number of awards for his talents. A member of the executive board of the Chefs of Cuisine Association, Ottman is also a vice president of the organization and continues to lend his 20 years of experience to the group's apprenticeship program after serving as its chairman in 1986.

One of the few Chicagoland chefs who can boast membership in the exclusive American Academy of Chefs, Ottman is certified by the American Culinary Federation and is a member of Les Amis d'Escoffier.

### Summer day camp registration

The Niles Park District will begin accepting registration for Summer Day Camp on Monday, April 3 at 9 a.m. Registration will be accepted in person at the Administrative Office, 7877 N. Milwaukee Ave. (a birth certificate and proof of residence must be presented at the time of registration).

The Day Camp Program is packed full of organized games, arts and crafts, swimming, sports, field trips, special events and more for youth ages 6 to 10 years old. The camp meets Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and transportation from a

neighborhood park is included. Niles Park District offers three sessions of Day Camp: Session 1 - June 19 to July 7 (\$120 through June 2 and \$135 June 3 and after), Session 2 - July 10 to July 28 (\$120 through June 2 and \$135 June 3 and after), Session 3 - July 31 to August 11 (\$80 through June 2 and \$90 June 3 and after). If you register all three sessions prior to June 3, you can pay \$300, a savings of \$20. All listed fees apply to residents of Niles Park District. Non-resident fees are 50 percent higher.

For additional Day Camp information call 824-8860.

### Niles preschool registration

The Niles Park District will hold registration for Fall Preschool on Wednesday, April 5 for residents and Thursday, April 6 for non-residents at the Ballard Leisure Center, 8320 Ballard Road, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

The district offers morning and afternoon classes for two hours each day. Those interested may choose from two, three or five days per week programs for either three or four year olds. The fall session runs for 15 weeks and is followed by a winter/spring session.

Parents must register in person for preschool and present a birth certificate and proof of residency. The cost of the program is \$70/two days a week, \$105/three days a week and \$175/five days a

### Ice skating at Sports Complex

The Niles Park District has added additional Open Ice Skating sessions at the rink, 8435 Ballard Road. Skating will be held on Saturday, April 1 and April 8, 2-3 p.m. and Wednesday, April 5, 7-8 p.m. Each session is \$2 per person and skate rental is available. For additional skating information and a complete schedule of Open Skating hours, call 297-8010.

### Kustra wants nicotine named dangerous

Cigarette packages have carried health warnings for years—now it's time to officially recognize that nicotine is an addictive drug and to do something about helping people who are dependent on it, says State Sen. Bob Kustra.

Kustra is introducing legislation that defines nicotine as a dangerous drug and specifies that use of this substance is drug abuse and dependency. "This is a logical approach to helping smokers and other tobacco users kick their habits," he said. "The legislation would broaden state programs for addicts of other drugs and alcohol to include people who are addicted to nicotine."

Kustra noted that the National Institute on Drug Abuse says nicotine in tobacco products is even more addictive than heroin. "It's not surprising that so many people who would like to break their tobacco habit are unable to do it on their own," he said. "By classifying nicotine as a dangerous drug, we can provide the help they need."

"It is ironic that tobacco is the only substance on the market which causes death, when used as intended by the manufacturers," Kustra added. "Certainly we ought to be working to end its use, just as we work to prevent use of other dangerous substances."

Kustra said Gov. James Thompson's proposed increase in tobacco taxes could help pay for state services to help people break the tobacco habit. "With such a substantial increase in the tobacco tax under consideration, it's logical to link the revenue from cigarettes and other tobacco products with treatment programs that my bill would require," he said. The Governor has proposed an additional cigarette tax of 18 cents per pack plus a 20 percent tax on the wholesale price of other tobacco products.

### MONNACEP spring courses registration

The Oakton Community College MONNACEP Office will accept spring continuing education registration from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays, April 1 and 8, at the College's campuses in Des Plaines (room, 1411, 1600 E. Golf Road) and Skokie (Room 160, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave.). Classes will begin the week of April 17.

Evening registration is open from 5 to 7 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from April 4 to 12 at Oakton East. Registration will also be held from 7 to 9 p.m. at the following high schools on the following dates: Tuesday, April 4, in

the South Lobby at Niles West, Oakton and Edens Expressway, Skokie; Wednesday, April 5, in 5th auditorium lobby at Niles North, 9800 Lawler, Skokie; Monday, April 10, in room A102A at Maine West, 1755 S. Wolf, Des Plaines; and Tuesday, April 11, at the Glenbrook District Office, 1835 Landwehr Road, Glenview, room 149 at Maine East, Potter Road at Dempster St., Park Ridge and at Maine South, 1111 S. Dee Road, Park Ridge.

For registration information, call the MONNACEP Office at 982-9888.

### Library seeks historical treasures

The Lincolnwood Library is seeking historical "treasures" such as old scrapbooks, photos, maps, playbills, letters, programs, diaries, old news clippings and posters from Lincolnwood residents, according to Cynthia Josephs, Library director.

"Such items could be a vital link to the past and worth giving to the Library for our Lincolnwood Historical Collection," she said. During spring cleaning time, Josephs asks that people consider their discards before tossing them out. "It may not be trash, it may be history," she said. "Lincolnwood residents can help us be keepers of history. What one person may think is of

no value, may be well worth preserving when seen from another perspective. With the passing of years, ordinary documents become precious records of days gone by and of considerable interest to future generations," Josephs said.

The Historical Collection was begun during the village's Diamond Jubilee celebration with the support of the Illinois Humanities Council and the National Endowment for the Humanities. It includes printed and written items and photographs.

Call the reference desk, 677-5277 to find out if what you have to donate is appropriate for the collection.

### Niles Library sponsors essay contest

The Niles Public Library District is sponsoring an essay contest as part of the celebration of the Thirtieth Anniversary of the Library and in observance of National Library Week, April 9 to 15. The theme of the essay contest is "What the Niles Public Library District Means To Me." The contest is open to all residents of the library district who hold a valid library card.

The contest will be judged in three categories: under 6th grade, 7th through 12th grade, and adult. Essays should be no

more than 500 words long. Entries may be mailed to the library or may be dropped off at the circulation desk. All entries must be received by April 12 at 5 p.m.

Entries should be typewritten and should show the name, address, telephone number and school grade of the individual entering the contest. Prizes will be awarded in each category and the decision of the judges is final. All entries become the property of the Niles Public Library District. For more information, contact the library at 967-8544.

### YMCA spring classes

The Spring II registration of classes at the Leaning Tower "Y", 6300 W. Touhy Ave., begins Tues., Apr. 6 for members and Tues., Apr. 11 for non-members. Classes begin Apr. 17 and run for seven weeks. The "Y" provides a wide spectrum of classes for all ages and interests. For pre-schoolers with programs such as Dad/tot gym classes, Kid-Kolege, pre-school gymnastics, Play and Learn; Creative Movement and the ever popular gym and swim combination classes. Spring II orientation for preschool is Thurs., Apr. 13 at 7:15 p.m.

For youth ages 6-15: progressive swim classes, Porpoise, diving, leaders club, T-ball, floor hockey and floor hockey league, wallyball, gymnastics, judo and self defense, karate, racquetball, Healthy Heroes and skin diving.

Adults are offered pre and post natal fitness and swim classes, swim instruction, life-guarding, judo, self defense and karate, ballroom dance, aerobic dancing, Aquanastics, Aquarobics, diving, arthritis water exercise program, scuba diving, Sea Lancers Scuba Club, Mask, Fin and Snorkel Night, Masters Swim, physical fitness classes and specialty aerobic classes, weight training, cardiac rehab program, nutritional counseling and diet control, stress testing and health risk appraisal evaluation, relaxation training and stress management, blood pressure screening, Healthy Back, first aid, CPR, golf, yoga, wallyball and racquetball. Friday Family Fun Nights on Apr. 21, May 5 and 19, dog obedience, duplicate bridge, financial seminars and hypnosis are also included as special interests. Open activities for Gym and Swim are also available.

On Sat., Apr. 8, a wallyball demonstration will be held at the YMCA. It all starts at 1 p.m. and will last approximately one hour. If you have never seen or played this exciting game, now is your chance. Wallyball is very similar to volleyball, except it is played on a racquetball court.

Sign ups are being taken for day camp - 9 sessions - each one week in length for the summer for children ages 6-15. An extended care program from 7-9 a.m. and 3:30-5:30 p.m. is also available for day camp participants. Wee

### MNASR seeks camp counselor

Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR) is currently accepting applications for counselors for its summer day camps. High school students, college students and other individuals who are interested in planning activities to amuse, teach and entertain children in various six-week day camp programs are encouraged to apply.

The camps will include programs for children and young adults with physical, mental, learning or behavioral disabilities. Programs will operate from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. or 9:45 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Monday through Friday, depending on the camp site. Applications are available at the M-NASR office, 9400 Ortole St., Morton Grove. For further information call M-NASR at 966-5522.

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## Health News

### Activity lecture for disabled

Physically disabled adults can learn how to enrich their lives through indoor and outdoor activities from two guest speakers at a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 6, in the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge.

The meeting is co-sponsored by A-SCIP, a support group for the disabled, and Special People Inc., a service organization.

Betsy Turvitz, program director of the Brier Patch, will demonstrate ways to use arts and crafts for enjoyment and making money.

Also on the program will be a discussion of fishing, camping and other outdoor activities available to the disabled by Tom

Mansfield, editor of Disabled Outdoor Magazine.

Special People and A-SCIP present exciting line-up of informative monthly programs throughout the year. Programs feature discussions of transportation, employment, housing, recreation, legislation and other topics of interest to the disabled.

Residents of Chicago and the north and northwest suburban areas are invited to attend. The meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month at the Maine Township Town Hall, which is accessible to the handicapped.

Special People will provide lift van service to the meetings on a first-come, first-served basis with 24-hour notice. For van service call Ron Brekke at 318-0597.

Interested individuals, their families and friends are always welcome to attend the free meetings.

For more information on programs for the disabled, contact Maine Township Disabled Services Coordinator Donna Anderson at 297-2510 or Special People Chairman Ron Brekke at 318-0597.

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### Mobility training book review

Evanston resident Dr. William Goodman, a specialist in mobility training for the blind, wheelchair-bound and other handicapped persons as well as senior citizens who have difficulty maneuvering, has written a book on "Mobility Training for People With Disabilities," which will be published in April.

Dr. Goodman will review and discuss his book for the first time at the North Shore Hotel, 1611 Chicago Ave., Evanston, on Wednesday, April 5 at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend at no charge.

Dr. Goodman is a medical consultant to rehabilitation institutes, nursing homes and hospitals, where he offers in-service training for professionals who work

**Edgewater offers BodyCues program**

Edgewater Medical Center is now offering a new program that brings health information directly into women's homes. The program, called BodyCues, is a home health party that helps women understand how their bodies function. It also describes which preventative diagnostic tests women should regularly have, maintain a healthy lifestyle, and even gives tips on how women can improve the way they communicate with their doctors.

According to Lana Cherny, M.D., a Family Practice physician and Edgewater's BodyCues Coordinator, "Doctors and patients have to trust each other, and to see each other as partners in health care. BodyCues is one way in which women can learn more about their bodies, and about how to talk openly with their doctors."

In addition to private homes, BodyCues programs can also be held in women's workplaces, at churches and social organizations, or even at schools and libraries. "We have held a number of BodyCues programs at girls' high schools, and it is very rewarding to me to be able to answer the questions that these young women ask about health care," explained Dr. Cherny.

"I like going out to homes and churches to meet with people," she said. "It is important to me that women realize that they can participate in the decisions that affect their health," adds Dr. Cherny.

Edgewater Medical Center is the only Chicago-area hospital to offer the BodyCues program. The parties, which are free of charge, can be scheduled by calling 878-0813 during business hours.

**St. Francis names board members**

Two new members were recently elected to St. Francis Hospital of Evanston's Board of Directors. The Board currently consists of 47 prominent Chicago-area citizens.

Ruth Helen Wolf, of Wilmette, has been actively involved with St. Francis Hospital for nearly 40 years as a philanthropist, fund raiser, Auxiliary member and volunteer. Financial contributions from Wolf and her husband have led to the establishment of the Ruth Helen Wolf Arthritis Center, the remodeling of the hospital

with disabled and elderly persons. He believes both the elderly and handicapped can keep up their previous mobility patterns...using as a goal the time prior to their difficulty in moving around.

"Don't let pride get in the way of getting help in getting around," he says. "It is possible to be handicapped or disabled and still have an independent spirit."

Dr. Goodman has worked with disabled and elderly for 30 years specializing in their mobility. "Mobility Training for People with Disability" will be published by Darles Thomas Medical Publishers of Springfield. For information on the North Shore Hotel Program, call 864-6400.

**Resurrection hosts health fair**

Community residents are invited to a special health fair, Saturday, April 15 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Resurrection Nursing Pavilion, 1001 N. Greenwood Ave., Park Ridge.

Located in the first floor dining room, the health fair will feature a variety of free health screenings and health information programs.

Resurrection Nursing Pavilion Education Coordinator Ramona Kukulewicz notes that the fair will feature a special \$6 blood cholesterol test, as well as several free screenings such as blood pressure, pulmonary function, weight measurement, visual acuity and hearing tests, and a diabetes (finger stick) blood sugar test. Also included in the fair will be healthy eating information and snacks, a demonstration on proper lifting techniques and body mechanics, fitness handouts, and an on-duty ambulance available for tours.

Swedish Covenant recently was certified to administer the Medifast program which is medically supervised and proven safe and effective by over 200,000 patients in private practice and outpatient clinics throughout the nation.

The program is recommended for persons who are 40 or more pounds over their ideal weight.

To find out more about Medifast, plan to attend the free meeting which will be held in the Life-Center on the hospital's campus. Registration is not necessary. For more information, call the Life-Center at 878-8200, Ext. 5660.

**"Nursing and the Law" course**

Edgewater Medical Center will be the Chicago-area sponsor for "Nursing and the Law: Critical Issues in Contemporary Care." The program has been designed to provide up-to-date information to nurses practicing in hospital, nursing home, office and home health settings. "Nursing and the Law" will be held at Edgewater on Friday, April 28, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The program has been approved by the American Association of Critical Care Nurses for 0.8 Continuing Education Credits.

For more information or to register, contact Patricia Rodomski, R.N., Clinical Director of Nursing Education at 878-6000, Ext. 3492. Edgewater Medical Center is located at 3700 N. Ashland Ave., Chicago.

### The Center of Concern calendar

The Center of Concern, 1580 N. Northwest Hwy., Park Ridge, has announced its calendar for April. Personal Counseling, Employment Program, Shared Housing, Friendly Visiting, Financial and Budget Counseling, and Medicare Counseling are all available, by appointment, on a daily basis. We are also available at any time to provide information on many subjects. We invite you to call us at 823-0453.

Our scheduled services are: Blood Pressure Testing on Sat., Apr. 29, 1-3 p.m.; Blood Sugar Screening on Sat., Apr. 29, 1-3 p.m.; Book Browsers' Club on Tues., Apr. 25, at 2 p.m.; Grief and Loss Support group on Thurs., Apr. 6, 13, 20 and 27, at 2 p.m.; Income Tax Assistance on Sat., Apr. 1, 8 and 15, by appointment; Legal Counseling on Sat., Apr. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, by appointment; Senior Companions' Meeting on Tues., Apr. 25 at 12:30 p.m.; Weight Loss Support group on Mon., Apr. 3, 10, 17 and 24 at 11 a.m. and Wills Program on Wed., Apr. 5, by appointment.

To make an appointment, or ask questions, please call 823-0453. Please mark your calendar and set aside Friday evening, May 12 for our Annual Meeting and Dinner.

**Medifast weight control plan**

A free information meeting on the Medifast program is being presented at Swedish Covenant Hospital, 5145 N. California, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4. Medifast is a weight control program which incorporates using medically formulated nutritional supplements.

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Local residents recognized at the graduation ceremonies were: Elaine Brewer, Carolyn Chaney, Linda Gardner, Wanda Dotson, Itzela Inniss, Carol Johnson, Monique Johnson, Angela Pearson, Jennifer Smith, Jackie Wells and June Young of Evanston; Liebich of Des Plaines; and Ruth Baumgartner of Park Ridge.

The BNAT Program, a human resource investment program service authorized by the Northern Cook County Private Industry Council, prepares students for employment in nursing homes, hospitals and other health care agencies. The next session will start April 11. Applications are being accepted now.

For information, call Program Coordinator Kathleen Ahern-Gray, 674-5950.

## Health News

### Know your cholesterol program



Planning for their "Cholesterol Connection" community health education program at Resurrection Medical Center are (left to right) Gayle Pichlik, registered dietician; Linda Dean, exercise physiologist; and Chris Barr, registered dietician.

Healthcare specialist at Resurrection Medical Center invite community residents interested in learning more about cholesterol to attend a free, three-part health education series, "Know your Cholesterol Connection" scheduled during the month of April at the Northwest side medical complex, 74435 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago.

Part 1 of the series, "Know your Cholesterol Medical Connection," begins at 10 a.m. April 5 or at 7 p.m. April 6 in Marian Hall. Featured speaker will be Samuel Borushek, M.D., an endocrinologist on staff at the medical center, will discuss coronary heart disease risk factors including elevated blood pressure, cholesterol levels, diet and exercise relationships and more.

"The main circulating fat, or lipid, associated with coronary heart disease is known as cholesterol," Dr. Borushek explained. "It is a waxy substance found in blood and other body tissues. Other fats such as triglycerides are found in the body and carried in the bloodstream."

Dr. Borushek will explain the importance of proper diet and exercise in establishing optimal cholesterol levels.

Part 2 of the series, "Know your Cholesterol Nutrition Connection" will be offered at either 10 a.m. or 7 p.m. April 12. Registered dietitians from Resurrection's Health Promotion and Wellness Department will present ideas for healthy heart cooking and will explain the connection between proper eating habits and blood cholesterol levels. According to Gayle Pichlik and Chris Barr, dietitians presenting this portion of the program, healthy heart cooking involves not only reducing

cholesterol levels, but monitoring saturated fat and sodium intake, recipe modification, meal planning, and appropriate cooking methods.

Part 3 of the series, "Know your Cholesterol Exercise Connection" at either 10 a.m. or 7 p.m. April 19, will examine the effects of exercise on blood cholesterol levels. Exercise Physiologist Linda Dean will discuss medical evidence detailing the benefits of regular exercise habits on lowering blood cholesterol levels. Her presentation will focus on relationships between regular exercise, ideal body weight and good cholesterol levels. In addition, exercise program suggestions will be offered.

For additional information and advance registration for these free programs please call the Health Promotion and Wellness office at 792-5022.

Walk-in donors are welcome and should enter the hospital through the auditorium doors. Convenient parking is available in the north parking lot off River Road. Refreshments will be served.

**HFH plan blood drive**

Holy Family Hospital, in conjunction with LifeSource, will sponsor a blood drive from noon to 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, in the hospital auditorium, Golf and River roads, Des Plaines.

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### North Shore academic stress lecture

Is growing up on the North Shore of Chicago any tougher for children academically than for kids in other communities? This question and others will be answered at a free community lecture titled, "Academic Stress on the North Shore," on Thursday, April 13, from 7-9 p.m. at Old Orchard Hospital in Skokie.

"Kids are under a lot of academic stress to get into the best colleges and universities," said Janet Pierce-Ritter, Director of Education at Old Orchard Hospital. "And, it all starts as early as pre-school."

"Kids on the North Shore say they feel a lot of pressure from their parents to 'succeed.' They say they have to live up to the reputation of the schools they come from in the suburbs. And, some of these kids just aren't able to fulfill these expectations," she said.

According to Ritter, some parents expect things from their children which their children may not be able to deliver. This is where it helps to know about the what the school can do for the children and parents," she said.

"Many parents don't know what their children's school can do for them in the way of services. For example, finding out early that a child is in need of special educational services, (i.e. gifted, learning disabled) will influence the schools their children attend," she said.

"This presentation came out of our experience with parents and questions they most frequently ask," said Mary Wade, Community Relations Director for Old Orchard Hospital. "We usually get requests for speakers about single parenting and seminars about developmental issues around children," she said.

Old Orchard operates a free community speakers bureau which addresses topics about mental health and chemical dependency to schools, agencies businesses and other community based groups.

The lecture is open to the public. For more information contact the Community Relations Department at 679-0760.

### Lutheran General scholarship/intern program

The Service League of Lutheran General Hospital-Park Ridge is accepting applications for its Scholarship/Intern Program now through May 10 from high school juniors and graduating seniors in Maine Township. Eight \$500 scholarships will be awarded and internships are available in a number of departments in the hospital for the summer.

The scholarships are given to high school junior and senior students to help them explore a profession in the health-care field. Interns work in areas such as patient care units, Occupational Therapy and Radiology for a minimum of 20 hours a week for a seven-week period during the summer.

Recipients of these awards will be selected on the basis of ability, extra-curricular participation in activities and scholastic achievement. Applications are available at the Service League Office at Lutheran General Hospital-Park Ridge, 1775 Dempster St., or from career counselors at Maine West, East and South High Schools. Winners will be announced by June 1. For more information, contact the Service League Office at 696-6105.

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## Entertainment

### Botanic Garden April activities

On Sat., Apr. 1 an African violet show in Exhibition Hall from 1 to 5 p.m. will take place. Children's Activity: "Jungle Survivor" kits are available for children and their families to explore the tropical greenhouse from 1 to 4 p.m.

On Sun., Apr. 2 there will be greenhouse tours at 1, 2 and 3 p.m.

On Sat., Apr. 8 and Sun., Apr. 9 Horti-Court, an exhibit of house plants entered in the Garden amateur plant contest will be present-

ed from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Also on Apr. 9 there will be a lecture presentation on "Gardening in Containers" by David Tarrant at 2 p.m. (Preregister 835-8261, \$5) and greenhouse tours at 1, 2 and 3 p.m.

An art exhibit through May 7 will be presented by Chicago artist-photographer Kuchma.

Each Saturday and Sunday "Jungle Survivor" kits are available for children and they can explore the tropical greenhouse from 1 to 4 p.m.

### Niles resident plays in college ensemble

Julie M. Hedrich, daughter of Barbara J. Hedrich of 6910 W. Howard in Niles, has been chosen as a member of the 1988-89 University of Dayton Symphonic Wind Ensemble, a select group of musicians that performs four concerts during the school year. The group, which is conducted by Richard Chenoweth, assistant professor of music, performs advanced wind ensemble compositions and is open to UD students by audition.

Hedrich, a 1988 graduate of Niles West High School, was one of only 13 freshmen to be chosen to participate. She is majoring in mathematics and taking music courses as her electives. Hedrich is also a member of the University of Dayton Pep Band and is actively involved in intramural sports.

### Art students' exhibit at Oakton

Selected artworks of district high school students will be exhibited through April 21 in Oakton Community College Koehnline Art Gallery, 1600 E. Golf Road, Des Plaines.

Works represented will include drawing, painting, design, paper sculpture, ceramics, printmaking and fiber art. Gallery hours are: 7:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays; 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Fridays; and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

### Niles Art Guild watercolor show



An exciting watercolor monograph demonstration will be presented by Clay Anderson at the Niles Art Guild meeting on Wednesday, April 6, 7:30 p.m. in the Niles Recreation Center, 7877 Milwaukee Ave., Niles.

Clay Anderson's west Texas childhood is reflected in her watercolor monograph, which is a single impression made by painting on glass and then printing on paper. Her love for wind-sculpted rocks of the Southwest and for wide expanses of sky and beach show up in her work, invoked by her initial color washes and strokes.

She has studied at the Art Institute of Chicago, U.C.L.A., and the Art Center of Los Angeles. For the past fourteen years, Anderson has participated in juried shows throughout the midwest, winning more than 100 awards. Of the 13 shows she exhibited last year, she won "Best of Show" twice and three "Second Place" awards.

Her most recent shows include the Dallas 500, Oak Park, Hinsdale, Randhurst Winter Show and Kraft Foods in Glenview. She also has her paintings displayed in corporate collections of Amoco Oil Co., First National Bank of Des Plaines, and the Bank of Yorktown. Her works are in private collections in this country, Canada, Europe, Japan, Australia, and Saudi Arabia.

The community is united to see this unique method in making a watercolor monograph. No guest fee.

**Author speaks at MG**  
Elizabeth Gage, author of the sizzling novel, "A Glimpse of Stocking", will speak on "Writing Best-Sellers—Selling Fiction" at the Morton Grove Public Library on Sunday, April 9, at 2 p.m.

Gage, a Glenview resident and graduate of Northwestern University, saw her first novel become a blockbuster success and she is now hard at work on her second novel, "Pandora's Box". The program will include audience discussion and refreshments and is free of charge. Gage's lecture is part of the "Inside Writing and Publishing" series at the library, which features writers in the Chicago and suburban areas.

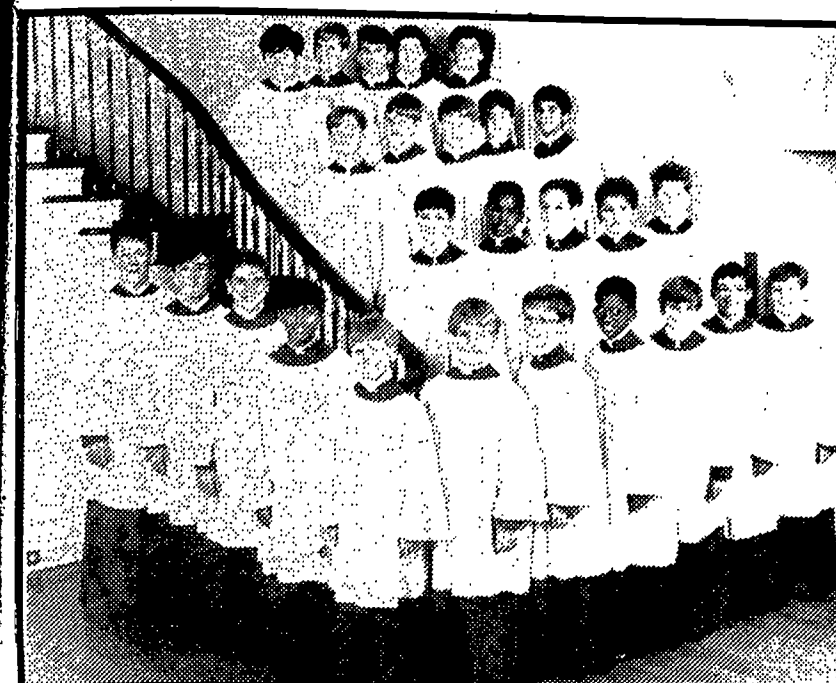
### Edison Park women meet

Although Garden Club Meetings are regularly scheduled for the third Thursday of each month, members felt that more Niles residents could make the March meeting if it were held after Easter.

Niles Garden Club welcomes all Niles residents to attend meetings and, join the club. Club member Joe Ferraro, notes, "there is no hobby more rewarding than plants, indoor or outdoor, and this includes those you can eat."

## Entertainment

### American Boychoir presents concert



American Boychoir will be presented at the Community Concert Association final concert of 1988-89, April 2, at 3 p.m. at Maine East High School.

The Community Concert Association of Maine Township will present the final concert of the current 1988-89 series, The American Boychoir, James Litton, Music Director, Sunday, April 2 at 3 p.m. at Maine East High School Auditorium, 2601 Dempster St., Park Ridge. The concert is a bonus for all new Community Concert members for the 1989-90 obtained before April 2. Anyone who can house boys Sunday night after the performance and offer dinner and breakfast please call 824-2591 or 823-1272. Volunteers will be invited to attend the concert.

The American Boychoir is America's foremost concert boys' choir. Founded as the Columbus Boychoir in 1937, it enrolls talented boys ages 8-14 from throughout the United States, its engaging performances of classical and light repertoire have entertained audiences in 2,000 cities and towns, at the White House, the Vatican, Westminster Abbey and in many other programs for special audiences. The American Boychoir is the only non-sectarian boarding choir school in the western hemisphere.

### "Diary of Anne Frank" opens

Anne Frank was a 13-year old Jewish girl who hid from the Nazis in an Amsterdam garret for two years. Because of the bravery of two friends, Anne's family and others escaped detection. "The Diary of Anne Frank" tells of the struggles and dreams of an adolescent girl living in an isolated and dreary life. It's a story of hope and joy.

The Des Plaines Theatre Guild presents "The Diary of Anne Frank" for four weekends beginning Friday, March 31. The curtain goes up at 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays; Sunday matinee begins at 2:30 p.m.

Produced by Marilyn Collignon, the show is directed by Frank Del Giudice. Members of the cast include: Holly Maples, Don Collignon, Jan Graves, Rosa Blasi, Kevin Nordurf, Pam Peca, Steve Calzaretta, Tony Muscarello, Marty Berman, and Marcia Hettlinger.

Ticket prices are \$7 with student and senior discounts and \$15 on Friday and Sunday only. The Guild Playhouse is at 620 Lee Street, Des Plaines. To reserve tickets call 296-1211.

### Niles Choir and Symphony concert

The Niles Concert Choir and Symphony Orchestra directed by Rev. Stanley R. Rudcki will present a 25th Anniversary concert on Sunday, April 9 at 7 p.m. in Queen of All Saints Basilica, 6280 N. Sauganash. The ensemble will perform Ralph Vaughan Williams' monumental and stirring "A Sea Symphony." Soloists are Sarah Beatty, soprano and Victor Benedetti, baritone. Admission is free.

The Niles Concert Choir and Symphony, who are associated with the Fine Arts department of Niles College Seminary, present several major choral and orchestral works each year on campus and in churches of the Chicago area. The all-professional orchestra includes members of the Chicago Symphony and Lyric Opera Orchestra. The choir has also performed in Europe and at Orchestra Hall here, together with the Chicago Symphony; it has presented several Chicago premieres of major choral works, including the Chicago premier of Benjamin Britten's "War Requiem."

### Northwest Choral rehearsals

The Northwest Choral Society begins rehearsals Monday, March 27, 8 - 10:15 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 418 Touhy Ave. Park Ridge, to prepare for their June "Pops" concert. This non-profit community choral group is comprised of about 60 members from Chicago and the northwest suburbs, singing light classics and popular music under the direction of John Melcher. On June 2, and 3 they will be presenting a concert of hits from Broadway musicals such as "Kismet," "Into the Woods," and others.

There are openings for good voices in tenor and bass sections, and a limited number of openings for sopranos and altos. Prospective members may attend one of the first two "open" rehearsals. For more information call Judy Richardson, 823-7320.

### Northeastern presents "Killing Game"



Townpeople (from left to right) Harriette Denise Holmes (New City), Linda Lee Schmidt (Morton Grove) and Lara Hovey (Glenview) fight for possession of stolen material when the University Theatre of Northeastern Illinois University presents Eugene Ionesco's "Killing Game," March 31-April 1 and April 5-8 at 7:30 p.m. in the university's Stage Center, 5500 N. St. Louis Ave. in Chicago. Admission is \$5, students and senior citizens, \$3.50. For ticket information, call 583-4050, ext. 3750.

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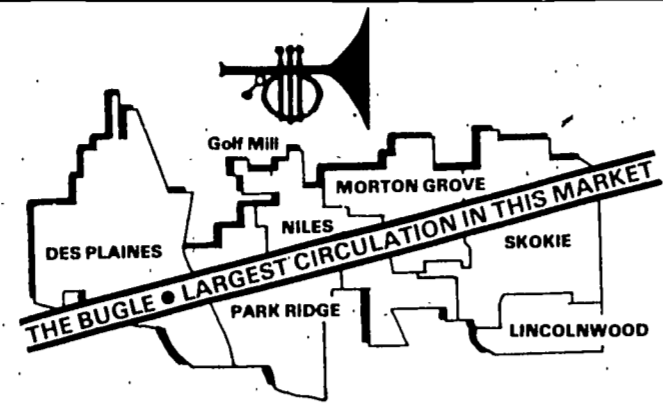
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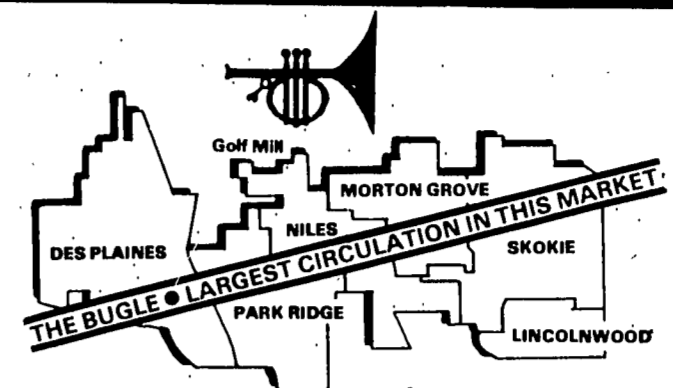
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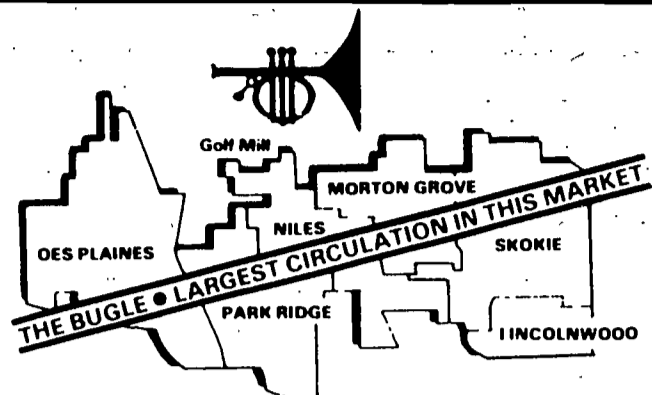
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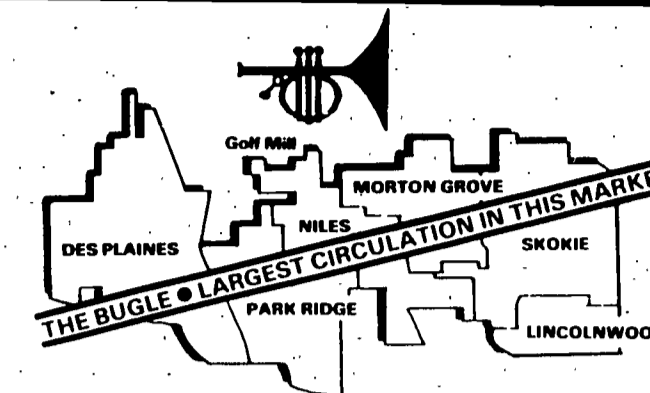
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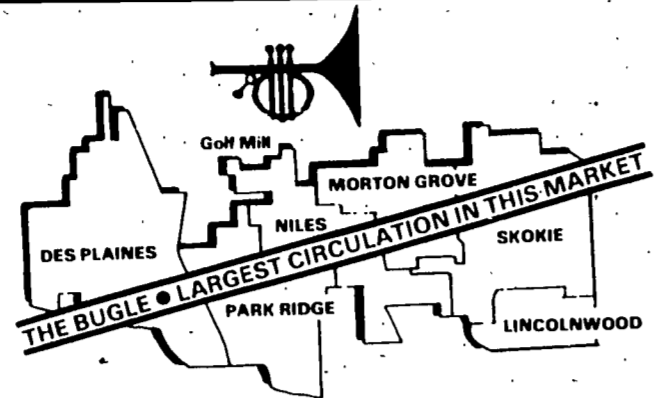
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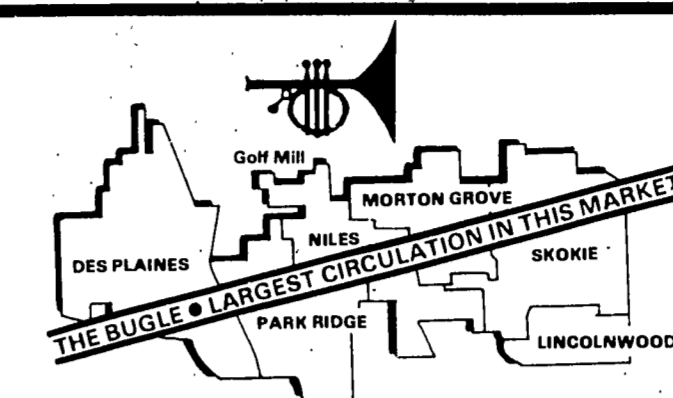
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## Dad and son talk fire safety



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Joe Paczosa, of Morton Grove, discusses son Ken's experience in the Morton Grove Fire Safety House while fake smoke blows out of the house behind them. Morton Grove fire fighters showed children alternate escapes from a burning house as part of Safety Day at Prairie View Community Center on March 22.

## Lead detected...

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ing. It then registered only 9 ppb after running for a few minutes.

The other fountain, located at Forest School, registered only 7 ppb when first turned on but then soared to 359 ppb after flushing. WaterTest's report said, "If lead levels increase substantially upon flushing, lead solder joints in the building's pipes may be involved."

According to Tom Buckman, assistant superintendent for business services, both fountains will be retested within the next couple of weeks to indicate if the initial tests were accurate.

Symptoms of acute lead poisoning are sometimes vague but may include vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal pain, nausea and loss

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change, personnel could be rehired. State law requires school boards to give 60 days' notice of personnel decisions of this type.

School boards are also mandated to make tenure decisions regarding teachers in their second year of employment. They must either be advanced to tenure, continue on for an additional year or be dismissed. Accordingly, four second year teachers were advanced to tenure. Four part-time teachers, not covered by the tenure system had their part-time status re-affirmed. A substitute teacher filling in for a staffer on parental leave will not be offered the position next term, due to the return of the regular teacher.

In addition to the full-time staffer honorably dismissed because of enrollment considerations, a part-time special education teacher was also honorably dismissed for the same reasons.

Three program teachers in District 71 had their duties reduced because of fewer children. A music teacher is cut back to 85 percent status, an art teacher's duties will be reduced to 80 percent in September, and a physical education instructor will be on staff only 75 percent beginning next fall. All reductions were honorable, meaning there is no disciplinary or negative evaluations of the staff. Their duties may be increased, if more students enroll next term.

## Traffic safety hints

by Secretary of State Jim Edgar

Many accidents occur when drivers enter a curve at too high a speed and lose control of their vehicles. Practice the following steps until they become automatic: 1. Brake in a straight line before you reach the curve. Downshifting can help to slow down vehicles with manual transmissions. 2. Never accelerate into a curve. Instead, keep the accelerator in a steady position and turn the wheel smoothly into the curve. 3. Accelerate gently at the mid-point of the curve when you can see the road straightening. Unwind the wheel as you straighten out. Good drivers always try to "flatten" the curve. This involves changing the path of your vehicle slightly as you go through the curve. It is possible to steer and

accelerate so smoothly that it makes the curve appear straighter than it is. Negotiating a curve safely also depends on the type of vehicle you drive. Some vehicles, such as cars with raised rear ends, cars pulling trailers, pickup trucks with camper shells, and vans, have less ability to take a curve. Drivers of those vehicles should be extra cautious when cornering.

Some curves are on road surfaces that are especially slippery when wet. Therefore, slow down even more when approaching a curve in rain or snow. Be careful when approaching any curve in the road. Remember, your vehicle's speed should be its slowest before you go into a curve.

## Firefighters seek...

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Deputy Chief Jon LeMaire, using the real thing is infinitely preferable to the mock-ups the department's divers are accustomed to using. Divers generally work with a "dummy car" jerry-rigged out of steel pipe and canvas tarps when they practice underwater rescues using mannequins.

Fire departments use human test subjects as well. According to Niles' District Chief Walter Blase, members of the Village Board participated in a simulation in the fall of 1987 to understand how it feels to be in a smoky house. Departments generally use a non-toxic substance when personnel undergo smoke simulations, according to Morton Grove Lieutenant Ralph Czerwinski but have fewer reservations with mannequins. "We've endangered our mannequins many times," chuckled Czerwinski. Park Ridge's LeMaire said his department prefers to use real people when they practice lowering victims in baskets from high-rise buildings. LeMaire comments wryly, "There's not a lot of volunteers for that."

Safety considerations are a high priority when fire departments use innovative methods for in-service training. District Chief Norm Ruth of Morton Grove

## Traffic safety hints

of appetite, increased heart rate and low blood pressure. Onset of these symptoms may occur gradually over three to six months. Without prompt treatment, renal failure, peripheral nerve damage, convulsions, coma, multi-system failure, or shock may occur all of which lead to death.

Although there were no reports of complaints from any of the students at either school, at the Board of Education Meeting, staff at the schools were instructed to turn off the fountain at Forest School and to run the water at the Cumberland School before the children arrive.

All other district drinking fountains tested at 11 ppb or lower.

The ability to stop quickly is one of the keys in preventing accidents. If your brakes appear to be losing some of their stopping ability, do not hesitate to have them checked.

The brakes are one of your vehicle's most important, but often neglected, safety systems, according to the AAA-Chicago Motor Club. Several warning signals that may indicate your brakes are about to fail including a scraping sound or other noise when the brakes are applied, pulls to the left or right during braking, a vibrating brake pedal and a decrease in pedal pressure or a change in the distance the brake pedal travels.

Brakes should be inspected by a qualified mechanic at least once a year. Vehicles driven in urban areas need to have brakes checked more often than vehicles driven on the highway because stop and go driving takes a faster toll on brakes.

The auto club also recommends that you check the brake fluid reservoir level monthly. On most cars, the reservoir is attached to the firewall in the engine compartment on the driver's side. Most late model cars have a sight glass so you can see the fluid level without removing the cover. Before adding any brake fluid, read your owner's manual to determine the correct fluid to use.

## Motor fuel allocations announced

Illinois municipalities have been allotted \$14,440,718 as their share of motor fuel tax paid into the State Treasury during Jan., according to the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Motor fuel tax funds are allocated monthly to the various municipalities in Illinois for their streets and highways. The monies allocated are computed on the basis of population.

The allotments to certain of the municipalities follow: Des Plaines, \$81,590; Glenview, \$48,816; and Niles, \$44,738.

comes up with many of the department's training exercises, which must be stimulating as well as simulating. Throwing ladders up against a wall is too basic for a seasoned professional. Ruth's members, along with members of the Public Works Department, are planning a June training exercise replicating a water main break and tunnel collapse situation, rescuing dummies. The two departments will build an above-grade simulator and use sawdust and chips to represent the debris present in a cave-in.

When Morton Grove's equipment is parked outside ITT Bell and Gossett or Monogram Models, it generally is because the department is staying prepared for evacuations and fine-tuning their skills in pulling lengths of heavy hoses through long corridors. Company management gives advance approval for and cooperates with these periodic exercises. Niles and other departments keep their automobile rescue techniques sharpened by using their elaborate Hurst tools on abandoned vehicles. Niles firefighters improved their skills by "cutting up" the condemned Lawrencewood Shopping Center.

Firefighters often go on loca-

tion out of their district for training. When a unit goes to Glenview Naval Air Base to practice high-speed stops on an unused runway, they will "switch places" with another unit from that area, if enough personnel take part in the exercises, so that emergency service continues uninterrupted. Training itself will be interrupted if personnel are needed for an emergency situation.

There is an increasing trend for specialization within some fire departments, as the job description expands to encompass a vavhich don't necessarily have a fire component. Chemical leaks and spills are a constant possibility as are train and plane wrecks. Because of its forest preserve lakes, Park Ridge needs trained divers, whereas other departments have disbanded their costly diving units and apply those resources to other areas. To stay accredited for special situations, a firefighter is required annually to receive ten hours or more of drill in each specialty. In addition, there are frequently written exams administered. A department cannot afford to risk its members endangering themselves or members of their company.

## Ray College schedules open houses

Ray College of Design will hold two open houses in April for prospective students, their parents, and other interested persons. The Woodfield campus, in the Suburban National Bank Building, 600 Woodfield Dr., Schaumburg, has scheduled its open house for Tuesday, April 4, 7-9 p.m. The Chicago event is set for Sunday, April 9, 1-3 p.m., at the Colegate campus in the Sun-Times Building, 401 N. Wabash, Chicago.

Activities will include discussions of admissions requirements, portfolio evaluation, degree requirements, tuition costs, financial aid, and placement. College directors, faculty, and staff will be on hand to answer questions. Visitors will be able to tour the college facilities.

Further information is available from the Schaumburg campus office at 619-3450 or the Chicago campus office at 280-3500.

## Friends give computers to library

The Friends of the Lincolnwood Library presented Director Cynthia Josephs with a generous donation to underwrite the cost of two computer terminals. Lydia Cohan, president of the Friends, made the presentation on behalf of the group.

Already installed and working successfully, one computer is used at the circulation desk and other is a public access terminal (PAC) used by patrons to search the Library's data base. In addition, the Friends' gift pays for the WordPerfect software package, needed by the staff for library administration.

"The Friends are such an active and effective group," Josephs said. "We are so grateful for their significant support. This recent gift allows us to have user-friendly computers that improve the smooth flow of operations."

Through the year, the Friends sponsor a variety of fund-raising events, which are entertaining and profitable. For information on joining the volunteer group, call Lydia Cohan, 677-7279.

## 911 issue...

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costs of a 911 system. Once installed, the municipality will pay for the personnel and other operational costs of the system. Supporters of 911 point to the time and money savings of the installed system, but some citizens may see themselves as beneficiaries of an efficient police and fire dispatch system and not wish to change the status quo if it means incurring additional personnel expenses.

Presently, there are separate phone numbers for police and fire emergencies. In addition, each municipality has its own emergency numbers. A person reporting an emergency existing across the street may dial the wrong village, in error, resulting in a delay in sending emergency personnel. With a 911 system in place, the call is properly routed. Currently, an individual in Morton Grove or Niles who dials 911 will reach a Skokie dispatcher who must take additional time to summon the correct department.

Proponents of 911 also cite the electronic superiority of the system as an additional consideration. Morton Grove Village Administrator Larry Arft refers to the enhanced 911 system proposed for Morton Grove as a "quantum leap in public safety". Whereas if a caller is unintelligible to the dispatcher or passes out while trying to convey emergency information to public safety personnel, under enhanced 911, the location of the caller and other necessary information is known to the dispatcher.

Enhanced 911 is a state of the art computerized system with a visual display screen at the Public

## Curbside recycling...

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tainer. The container should be placed at the curb or in the alley along with the regular trash on collection day.

Village Administrator Larry Arft said that public education will consist of a special edition of the Morton Grove Exchange that will be sent to residents a week to 10 days before the program is scheduled to start.

The village has agreed to fund the recycling, which will cost \$68,000 a year. The cost of the special containers is included in this figure. The recycling itself will not generate any revenue.

"None of the recycling programs are making money yet," Arft said. "They all cost money, but the benefits outweigh the costs." Arft emphasized a drastic need to find alternatives to dumping. According to Arft, Haulaway currently uses three landfill sites, one in Hillside, one in DuPage County and one in Will County.

Haulaway has purchased a special truck which contains individual compartments for each of the materials to be recycled. Employees will separate the products at the curbside into the specified compartments. From there, the materials are processed by Haulaway and sold to recycling companies.

Arft said that this added work will not disrupt normal garbage pickup.

Morton Grove was one of the first communities in the Chicago area to test a curbside recycling program.

Arft said that the village plans to expand the program to include apartments and condominiums, but said in the meantime, the present program will make a great deal of a difference. "We are very pleased with the results so far and we can only hope for the best," Arft said. "We have to find an answer to the problem of solid waste disposal.

Safety Answering Point (PSAP). The system under consideration for Morton Grove will include a disconnect feature enabling PSAP to ring off even if the caller does not hang up, to prevent jamming of 911 lines.

A call holding feature allows a call to be traced even if the caller hangs up. The PSAP will be able to determine whether a caller has hung up or is still on the line and is unable or unwilling to speak or, if the caller has hung up and not given sufficient information to the PSAP, the PSAP can phone back. A panicky caller may be unable to give the correct information to a dispatcher, a situation which may exist for callers with language or physical difficulties as well.

In communities where there is already an operational 911 system, the child should be taught to dial 911 in case of emergency at an early age. Even if the child does not know his address, emergency personnel will respond to the location of the telephone and perhaps save a life. This life-saving capability is perhaps the most persuasive argument for 911. If the 911 referendum is approved in Morton Grove, residents will be asked to pay up to \$9 per year per phone line. Whether or not this is a small price to pay for the type of life insurance afforded by 911, will be up to those who participate in the referendum.

Village projections are that 911 will have an easy passage. A recently passed ordinance sets the fee to be collected as 50 cents rather than the 75 cents ceiling. Officials believe that this 50 cents could be reduced even further after the start-up costs are paid for.

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There are no clearcut distinctions between those who favor the tax increase and those who oppose it. Some East Maine homeowners support it, despite the \$177 per \$100,000 valuation which will appear on their tax bills, and others oppose it, saying the needed funds should come from the state of Illinois, either from an increase in the sales tax or from another revenue source. Others would also be affected by an increase in the property tax, passed on by their landlords when new leases are issued.

Revenue projections by the schools do not forecast sufficient extra income from the 1990 Quadrennial re-assessment to offset the deficit situation in the Education Fund. Other leaders feel the school's assessment should not be raised until they realize the extra income from the Quadrennial. District 63 indicates that the proposed 2.40 per \$1000 assessment is a ceiling amount. In theory, the taxing body could levy a smaller amount, if revenues from the Quadrennial are sufficient to offset the deficit.

Whatever the outcome, the reality is that school districts are dealing with their financial crises with the only tools they have. Since schools are powerless to give themselves additional state aid, which has steadily declined, the only solutions available to them are those they have tried and those they dread: to reduce building and maintenance expenses, to cut down on staff and programs and to ask for a property tax increase.

School buildings in each respective district have been closed in past years due to declining enrollment and the classrooms in many of the remaining buildings are filled to capacity. There is no

## Police chase...

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gravated battery, criminal damage to property, reckless conduct and endangering the life of a child.

The incident began at the Old Orchard Shopping Center when police officers saw a woman walk out of the south door of Montgomery Ward and Co. carrying a white plastic bag. She placed the bag in a car, took another bag and returned to the store, police said. They ran a computer check on the car's license plates and learned that the vehicle was registered to a man with a suspended driver's license.

Later, a man came out of the store, got into the car and left the shopping center, traveling west on Old Orchard Road, police said.

When an officer tried to stop the car, the car accelerated and headed south on the Edens Expressway at 100 mph police said. Police also said that the driver was recklessly changing lanes and driving on the shoulder of the highway.

At Dempster, a police car pulled along side of the car, which was slowed by traffic, and waved for the car to pull over. Instead of stopping, the car rammed the right side of the police car, said police.

Burdine, maneuvered his car back into the left lane and continued on to Touhy Avenue. West bound on Touhy, the car continued through Niles and Park Ridge. Then the car went north to Oakton. On Oakton, Burdine headed west until his car collided with the police car.

## Easter Bunny poses at Harlem-Irving



Photo by Mary Hannah

Tommy Brennan poses in front of his sister, three-year-old Katie and his brother Stephen for a picture with the Easter Bunny at Harlem-Irving Plaza.

## FDIC controls Skokie S & L

Federal banking officials placed 10 Illinois financial institutions under FDIC control March 16, including Skokie Federal Savings and Loan, which has branches in Skokie, Chicago, Barrington, Woodstock, Glencoe and Kenilworth. Under provisions of the regulatory oversight program announced by President George Bush in February, Skokie Federal was declared insolvent, following a Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation (FSLIC) evaluation and a recent audit conducted by Skokie Federal officials.

Day to day operations at the bank will not change substantially, according to Dave Loveday, spokesman for the Federal Home Loan Bank Board. The institution's president (James W. Peters) will stay and the same personnel will work behind the counters. An FDIC manager will be responsible for ensuring bank business is safe and sound. According to Loveday, Skokie Federal is basically well-run as well as well-backed. Some out-of-state loan transactions for large southwestern United States developments dating from the 1970's have gone unpaid, contributing to the institution's problems. It has more

than \$1 billion in assets. Despite the takeover, most customers were not overly panicky, though some account holders reportedly were partially withdrawing funds. Customer accounts are federally insured up to \$100,000. Until the institution is either sold or merged with another financial institution, it will remain under Federal Control.

## Dist. 71 announces board member

Dist. 71 announces new board member Barbara Hedrich has rejoined the board of Niles Elementary School District 71, replacing Ed Poczowski, who resigned Feb. 21. Hedrich, who works as an assistant editor for a magazine, was on the board for eight years between 1979 and 1987. She was defeated in the 1987 board election.

Hedrich was selected among a field of two candidates and volunteered for the job because she felt her experience would be helpful. She formerly served as president. She will be on the board until at least November when three four year seats will be open. Hedrich is undecided whether she will run in the November election or complete the remaining two years of Poczowski's term.

## Low turnout possible

If in-house voting is any predictor of election turnout, then April 4 voters will waste little time casting their ballots. Voters who will be out of town on Election Day may go to their Village clerks' offices to punch their preferences for township office. As of March 28, ten voters had come to Niles Clerk Frank Wagner's office to vote, whereas during the November election last year, 120 voters had already submitted absentee ballots.

## State helps fund school transportation

Parents or legal guardians who must provide transportation to and from school because free transportation is not available for their children may be eligible to receive money from the state to help offset some of the cost. Both bus fares and mileage for private automobiles at 22.5 cents per mile are eligible for reimbursement.

To qualify for the reimbursement, students must live more than one and a half miles from school or face a hazardous condition on their route to school. They must also be under the age of 21 at the close of the year and be enrolled full-time in grades kindergarten through 12.

Reimbursement claim forms for the 1988-89 school year are available at Maine East, Maine South, and Maine West. Claim forms, which must be completed at the school, are sent to the Illinois State Board of Education. Checks will be sent directly from the state during December. If insufficient funds are available from the General Assembly, all claims will be prorated.

For further information about the reimbursement program, call 782-5630.



## Hands muffle helicopter noise



Morton Grove resident, Tina Zimmer, 5, stares at her brother Gary, 8, left, and Skokie resident Nicholas Kangadis, 6, as they cover their ears to muffle the noise of the Coast Guard helicopter taking off from Prairie View field on Safety Day, March 22. More than 400 people attended the event.

Photo by Jill A. Janov

## Voters...

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1.81 percent to 2.40 percent of assessed valuation. School District 73-1/2 wants its educational fund tax rate increased nearly 43 percent from 1.88 percent to 2.70 percent of assessed valuation. In addition the Skokie School district is asking for an increase in the ceiling for Operations, building and maintenance from .25 to .53 percent of assessed valuation. Both school districts attribute their financial situations to decreased Illinois State Aid.

Local elections include the following states of candidates:

### Niles Village Board of Trustees

Mayor Nicholas B. Blase is running unopposed for his eighth four-year term. Others on his Progress Through Economy party slate include incumbent Clerk Frank C. Wagner, Jr., and Trustees Abe Selman, Louella B. Preston and Peter A. Pesole, all incumbents. Independent Walter P. Chmielowski, a library trustee, is challenging the incumbents for one of the three trustee four year terms.

### Morton Grove Village Board of Trustees

President Richard P. Hohns is seeking election in his own right, after filling out the term left by the death of Richard Flickinger. Hohns leads the Active Party slate. Four incumbent trustees are vying for three four-year terms on the board. Trustee Henry Sza-chowicz is running as an independent, saying he is offering voters a youthful, watchdog candidacy. Trustees Don Schneider, Daniel Scanlon and Neil Cashman were slated by the Active Party, as was Larry Schulte, who is running unopposed for the two-year term left by Hohns' elevation. Village Clerk Wilma Wendt, also on the Active slate, is running unopposed.

### Lincolnwood Village Board of Trustees

Two full slates of candidates oppose each other in this village contest where the challengers oppose the incumbents support for the planned unit development (PUD) at the Bell and Howell site. Lincolnwood Administrative Party candidates are Frank Chulay, seeking a second four year term, Clerk Robert Haring, who has held the job for 18 years, Trustees Robert Nitsche, Richard Russi and Robert Abelson. The

Lincolnwood Better Government Organization slate is headed up by Robert Nussbaum, followed by Bertha Gimbell who is running for clerk, and Trustee-candidates Henry Novoselsky, Roman Grossmann, and Judith Malkin.

### Skokie Village Board of Trustees

The entire Skokie Board of Trustees, all Caucus Party members, are running unopposed. Mayor Jacqueline Gourell is seeking her first full four year term. Clerk Marlene Williams and Trustees Donald Perill, Robert Fritzhall, Manly Croft, George VanDusen, Frank McCabe and Betty Petroski will seek four year terms as well.

### Des Plaines City Council

Three men are challenging incumbent Mayor John Seitz who is seeking his third four-year term of office. Two alderman Joseph Bonk, and Bruce Geibert, along with policeman Mike Albrecht have their eye on the Mayor's chair, where the issues concern the strong mayor referendum and city services. Albrecht supports the referendum. Incumbents Dana McAllister and Kenneth J. Fredricks are running for Clerk and Treasurer, respectively.

Des Plaines will elect eight aldermen. Five races are contested. In the 1st Ward, Helen Pollard and Robert Ehlert are challenging Mary C. Childers. John Reddington is contesting William Schneck's 4th Ward seat and Richard Grzebeniak is trying to unseat Joseph Hardiman in the 5th Ward. There is a three way race in both the 6th and 7th Wards. In the 6th, incumbent Carmen Sarlo is pitted against Susan Geuder and Walter Slancy. Seventh Ward alderman Nicholas Chiropoulos is facing Kenneth Oehlerking and Michael O'Malley. Thomas J. Christianson (2nd), Margaret Wetter (3rd) and Karl Haupt (8th) are running unopposed.

### Park Ridge City Council

The top of the Park Ridge municipal ticket are members of the Homeowners of Park Ridge Party, all facing no opposition. Mayor Martin Butler is seeking his fifth term and is running with Betty Hennehan for Clerk and Carl Brauweiler for City Treasurer.

All but two of Park Ridge's wards have unopposed races. Michael Maggio is running without an opponent for his first try for 1st Ward alderman. Willard Bell (3rd), Dean Henry (4th), JoAnn Lemmer (5th) and Roger Crawford (7th) will be re-elected. Second Ward alderman Curt Edlund is being challenged by Frank Genualdi and the race in the 6th Ward is between incumbent Charles M. Hogan and Herbert Herman.

### Maine Township Board of Trustees

Republican incumbents are being attacked - the GOP said the facts are being twisted - for raising the Township's portion of the property tax bill and for being careless about spending. All candidates are seeking four-year terms of office. The GOP's Joan Hall is running against Democrat Andrew Przybylo for Supervisor. Highway Commissioner Bill Fraser is being challenged by Angelo Troiani. Clerk Steven J. Stolton is facing Democrat Helen Daniel and Gary K. Warner of the GOP is pitted against Lawrence Wagner for the Collecto post. There are four trustee seats in the contest. The Democrats are represented by Elizabeth G. Hantz, Bonnie B. Lindquist, John Edward Halversen, Sr., and Norine M. Murphy. The GOP has slated Anita Rifkind, Carol Teschkey, Mark Thompson and Robert C. Williams. Republican Assessor Thomas Ruckert has no Democratic counterpart.

### Niles Township Board of Trustees

All offices are four year terms. The candidates are running unopposed. Thomas J. McEllingott, Supervisor; Charles Levy, Clerk; Robert P. Hanrahan, Assessor; Sam M. Becker, Collector; and Trustees Judith-Rae Ross, Anthony Gagliano, Marshall J. Belgrad, Suzanne Schwartz.

### Niles Park District Board

Four people are in the race to win three four-year seats: Incumbents James L. Pierski and Valentin R. Engelman are on the ballot as are Carol Panek and Bernard S. Skaja, III.

### Morton Grove Park District Board

Four candidates are vying for two spots. Board President Eileen

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25% next year. That increase added to the District 63 proposal could mean residents with \$200,000 homes would receive a \$356 increase if the referendum passed with another \$90 District 63 increase resulting from the re-assessment. That \$456 District 63 increase would only be part of the increase for their other taxes in the township.

The Mayor of Niles was very combative. He said he also had sent a letter to residents on Niles stationery urging the voters to back the Maine Township Democrats April 4. Mayor Blase was asking Nilesites to support Committeeman Blase and his cohorts next week. And he added he paid for all costs of mailing out of his own (Maine Democratic) pockets and Nilesites were not burdened with such costs.

nek, for the three openings on that board. They've all served Nilesites extremely well through the years being hardworking, conscientious public officials.

Buddy Skaja, the other candidate in the election, is a fine young man whose name is recognized by many residents. But as we had written in previous elections, Buddy seems to be seeking election by exploiting his good name, rather than by actively participating in the community. If he sincerely wants to become a board member he should begin to attend meetings and participate in park activities. Niles needs young people to serve on all its public boards. But the candidate should show some prior interest and involvement before seeking office.

### Morton Grove's 911 referendum

Two weeks ago The Bugle began writing about East Maine District 63 trying to sneak through this referendum. They have not sent out any news releases regarding the tax increase. They sent home information ONLY to parents of children in school.

This referendum is paid for by all the taxpayers and residents in District 63. If the district wants to pass such a vote they have a responsibility to EVERYONE in the district. The board members represent the entire district, not just residents whose children are in school. Trying to "sneak" a tax increase past the people who have to pay for it is not the way we do business in our communities. That may be Chicago-style politics. Here in our area we would hope the administration and board members would understand an enlightened community is a prerequisite for any approval for such a tax increase.

Morton Grove will join Niles and Skokie in having a 911 emergency number if voters approve it next Tuesday. The 50 cent monthly charge is a small price to pay for a number which is known by most people as an emergency number throughout the country.

Visitors to the community as well as residents will immediately know the emergency number if the voters approve its use.

Last year two boys were severely burned by electrical wires just outside Morton Grove's borders. In making the initial emergency call the wrong telephone number was called into the fire station. Had there been a 911 emergency number it is not likely the caller would have erred.

The greatest proof of the need for a 911 emergency number in Morton Grove, as well as nationwide, is to ask members of your family what the present emergency number is. It is imperative a common number be installed to insure emergency service will be forthcoming in an emergency.

### Niles Park District

In Tuesday's Niles Park election we urge voters to elect incumbents Jim Pierski and Val Engleman and former Niles trustee, Carol Pa-

Coursey has been in office 12 years. Coursey and Commissioner Andrew DeMonte are seeking re-election. Firefighter Stanley Kimura and businessman Ron Stein are seeking their first terms.

### Golf Maine Park District Board

Irwin A. Burchew is the sole candidate for the six-year term on the ballot.

### Skokie Park District

Seven people are in contention for the two six-year terms: Clifford Levy, Jane Neihaus, Chuck Webber, Shelly Sutker-Dermer, Michael Gelder, Thomas Dammrich, and Myrna Smith all want to be commissioners.

### Park Ridge Recreation and Park District Board

Five people are vying for four seats on the board. David E. Hillquist, Susan Rizzo, Garrick M. Abesethan, Joyce A. Clark and Roy L. Sues are on the ballot.

Glenview Park District William Zanolini and Michael D. Towning are running unopposed for the two six year terms.

### Niles Library Board

Six-year terms in the contest. There are five hopefuls for three seats on this board. Incumbent Irene M. Costello, Donald LeMone, Ted Przybylo, Mill Buzi and Carol Levey are all seeking office.

### Morton Grove Library Board

Mary Ellen Cohen and Jacquelyn D. Weick are running unopposed for the two four year terms available.

### Skokie Library Board

Three candidates are vying for two seats on this board. Norma Zatz is the sole incumbent seeking another six year term. Zeld Rich and Henry Klein are hopefuls.

## Niles acts... Continued from Page 3

parts are not part of organized crime. The ordinance was requested by Police Chief Giovanni, whose department will notify churches, fraternal and other appropriate groups of the new legislation. The ordinance was approved unanimously.

The Village Board voted unanimously to object to a petition in front of the Cook County Zoning Board to change the zoning of a southwest corner of Ballard Road and Greenwood Avenue from residential to commercial use. Park Ridge and unincorporated Maine Township officials also oppose any potential rezoning and are drafting similar letters. Objections are based on traffic congestion, flooding considerations and the existing residential character of the area.

In other business the board unanimously: Voted to allow Phar-Mor Drugs at 8901 N. Milwaukee Ave. to rent out all but x-rated videotapes.

Permitted K-Mart at 8650 Dempster Street to install a satellite dish, approximately six feet in diameter, on the westerly wall of its most northerly corner. The

company told the board it will use the dish for information transmission and inventory updating.

Approved a request by Aldi Food Store to combine land they own at 7424 Waukegan Road into one parcel. Aldi ceded the 50 by 50 foot section of Waukegan Road which was part of its land to the Village and will pay the costs of relocating a hydrant on their property.

Amended a municipal ordinance to coincide with an Illinois Statute which states a minor must be in his own home to be permitted to consume alcoholic beverages in the presence of a parent or legal guardian. Some individuals interpreted the previous law to signify a minor could drink in the private home of any consenting adult.

Diverted its \$36,050 Illinois Housing Development Authority 1989 tax credit into a general pool with monies donated from other municipalities to provide low-income housing opportunities. Other communities besides Niles have adopted this policy because no homes in their boundaries have price tags as low as the IHDA allocation.

## Golf-Greenwood....

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Board detailing their opposition to the plan, one from the Highway Commissioner and a second from the Township Board of Supervisors.

Fraser also mentioned that Callas cut down trees belonging to the Township along the right of way and has not replaced them. Salerno has submitted a bill to the developer for the village's costs of cleaning up debris on the property, at a cost of over \$800.

Park Ridge is concerned about increased traffic congestion which will result from that type of development. According to the city's Building and Zoning Commissioner Randall Derfield, increased traffic would have a "negative impact on Park Ridge to the south of the property." Derfield told The Bugle, "We feel the west side of Greenwood is predominantly residential and should remain so."

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as the heading are the same as that of the Village. The official complaint to the State Board was filed March 28.

Investigation procedure, according to Daniel W. White, Assistant Executive Director of the State Election Board, consists of a review of the complaint and, if warranted, the complaint and the documentation would be assigned by White to an investigator. The investigator would report back to the assistant executive director who would make the appropriate referral, based on his findings. White's alternatives include referring the case to the States' Attorney. According to White, there are no provisions in the Election Interference Prohibition Act relative to the ethical aspects of campaigning.

Chapter 46, Section 103 of the State Election Code, according to Election Specialist Jim Sterniky, stipulates that public funds may not be expended to influence citizens about candidates. An elected official may write informational literature about a proposition or referendum, such as Morton Grove's newsletter articles about the 9-1-1 referendum, but must list pros and cons of the proposed item. Violations of the code are punishable by up to six months in jail and or a \$500 fine for the first offense.

According to Mayor Blase, the use of the letterhead was justified because he is permitted to use his

official title. "There's nothing wrong with it. It was paid for by Nicholas Blase." Blase dismissed the action as politically motivated. "The Republicans are desperate and grasping at straws. For years they've ignored us. All of a sudden they're paying attention." Thompson counters that the mailing should have been printed with the name of the person or organization who paid for it.

The letter reads as follows: "TO NILES RESIDENTS: As your Mayor, I and our Board provide your basic services; Police, Fire, Street Maintenance, etc. Yet there is another agency of Government called Township Government that provides no basic service to 95 percent of you. But you all pay taxes to support it. In the past three years, this Township Government, which is run-

## Sewer problems...

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April 4 election can vote at the Village Hall through April 3. She warned that absentee-voting is a convenience for those who cannot be at the polls and not an alternate voting time. In sum Mayor Hohns said, "Use it, don't abuse it."

In new business, Trustee Dan Scanlon recommended the board reword an existing municipal parking ordinance for clarification. He explained that parking regulations exist which are not always posted on signs and requested this change because the village is in the process of reviewing and updating the existing village ordinances. All six trustees approved the recommendation.

Additionally, Larry Arft, village administrator, reported the need for a special executive board meeting on April 5 at 8 p.m. so the board can begin fire fighter labor negotiations. Attending the meeting will be the labor relations attorney, the village attorney, Arft and the board. The labor talks will be closed to the public.

Continued from the March 13 village board meeting, the board unanimously passed James H. Lunn's, of Lunn Limited, proposed subdivision on Foster Avenue and Washington Street in Morton Grove. The 1.687 acre site will house five luxury homes and 12 townhouse condominiums. Although problems arose because the water detention basin was altered, it was restructured to comply with village staff recommendations.

Also continued from the last meeting, the board gave permission to the Jenny Craig Weight Loss Centre to sell food in Highland Square Shopping Center subject to two conditions. The food must be sold only to enrolled clients and it cannot be consumed on the premises. Only Trustee Donald Sneider voted against the proposal. He has consistently voted against the sale of food in Highland Square Shopping Center located at 7901-7960 Golf Road.

## Three ways to travel



Photo by Jill A. Janov

Morton Grove residents, Eric Kezios, 11, left, Dan Blackhall, 13, and Terry King, 14, right, enjoy the warm weather on two wheels, two crutches and two feet.

## Oakton Nursing....

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In new business, the board approved all of the resolutions put before it. These include:

- excavation and sewer work purchased from Greco Contractors Inc., of Mount Prospect for a total not to exceed \$84,000.

- purchase of xerographic paper from Whitaker Carpenter Marquette Paper Company of Elk Grove Village for a total not to exceed \$31,222.

- purchase of a rental tent for graduation from HDO Productions Inc., of Northbrook, for a total not to exceed \$6,346.

- the consignment purchase of tickets for Great America for a total not to exceed \$15,000. The tickets will be sold to students at a discount rate. Any tickets not sold can be returned to Great America.

- purchase of keynote speaker service from Neil Postman, from New York University for a total of \$5,000 plus travel expenses of \$750.

- Other expenses included conference rentals including meeting rooms for the conference and

sleeping rooms for the speakers from out of town that will cost \$6,000 and catering expenses will range from \$10,000 to \$15,000 depending on the number of conference registrants.

- authorization of additional funds for the Lake Erosion Control Project for the purchase of peninsula walkway repairs from the Thomas Madden Company of Hodgkins IL for a total not to exceed \$3,200.

- purchase of road salt from Elmer's Union Service Inc. of Des Plaines for a total not to exceed \$8,000.

- authorize the sale of radiography equipment to Mylin Medical Systems of Darien IL for a total of \$2,500. Due to lack of enrollment the college no longer offers radiography. Most of the equipment is 8-10 years old and must be sold before it becomes obsolete.

- approval of Coopers and Lybrand as independent public auditors for the 1989 through 1991 fiscal years.

## Rules of the Road review

Secretary of State Jim Edgar, in cooperation with Smith Activities Center is offering a Rules of the Road Review Course for all citizens in the Skokie area.

The purpose of the course is to help applicants pass the Illinois Drivers License renewal examination. It updates drivers on the current rules of the road, explains the vision and the driving ability examinations, and prepares applicants for the general written and road sign examination.

The Rules of the Road Review Course will be held at Smith Activities Center, Lincoln and Galitz, on April 10, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

The course is free to everyone, any age, who wishes to attend.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of the Assumed Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County.

File No. K115457 on March 14, 1989. Under the Assumed Name of Anchor Collection Enterprise with the place of business located at 1550 Sandpebble, Wheeling, IL 60090, the true name (s) and residence address of owner (s) is: Laura Ann Ledany - Ori Ledany, 1550 Sandpebble Dr. Wheeling, IL 60090, P.O. Box 434, Morton Grove, IL 60053.

For more information, please contact 673-0500 or 1-800-252-2904 Toll-Free.

## LEGAL NOTICE

BUDGET HEARING FOR GENERAL TOWN, GENERAL ASSISTANCE AND GENERAL REVENUE SHARING PURPOSES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal residents of the TOWN OF MAINE in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, that the tentative budget for General Town, General Assistance and General Revenue Sharing Purposes for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1989 and ending February 28, 1990 will be on file and available for public inspection at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge from and after 9:00 a.m. on March 9, 1989.

Notice is further given hereby that a PUBLIC HEARING on said General Town General Assistance and General Revenue Sharing budget shall be held at the hour of 7:00 p.m. on the 11th day of April, 1989 at said Town Hall.

ANNUAL MEETING Notice is further given hereby that the Annual Meeting shall be held at the hour of 7:30 p.m. on the 11th day of April, 1989 at said Town Hall.

Stephen J. Stolton  
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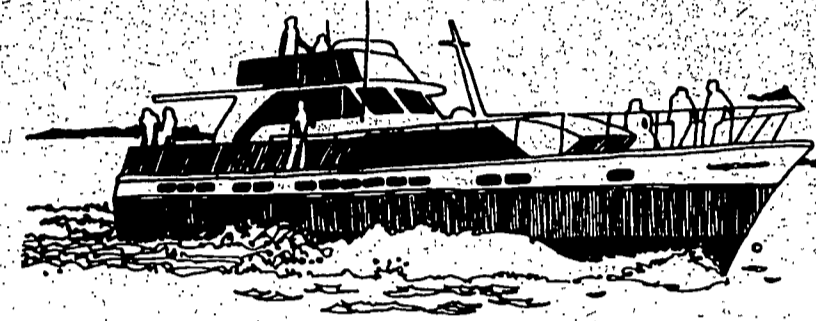


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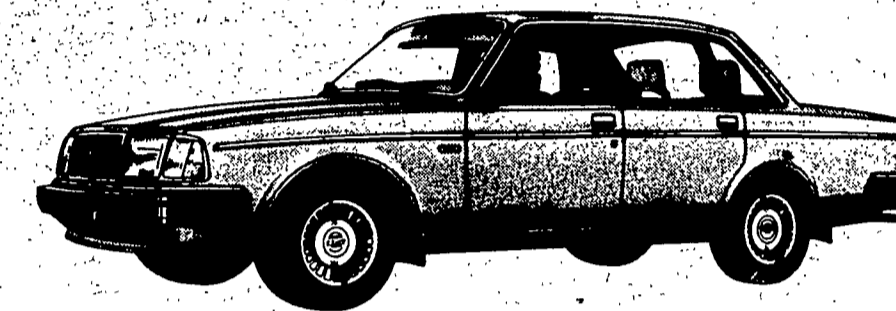
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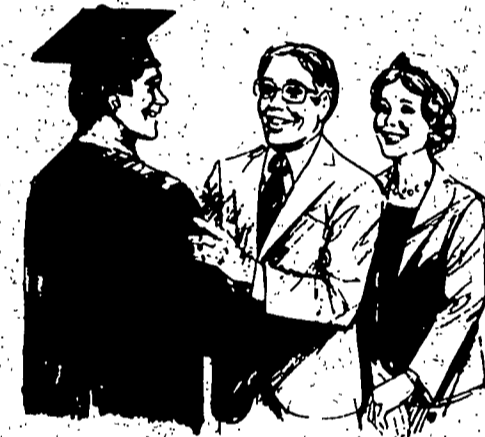
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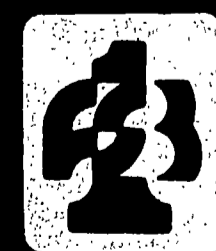
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