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Car loses control; strikes car parked on driveway

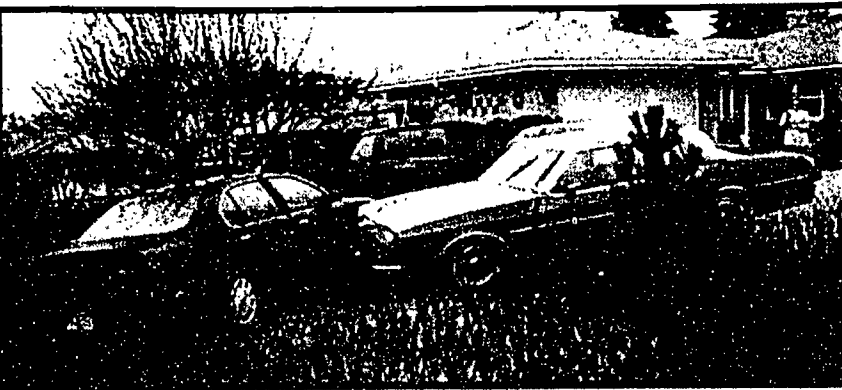


Photo by Larry Zimmerman
A car making a left-hand turn from eastbound Howard Avenue onto northbound Waukegan Road lost control Monday morning, hit a landscaping rock, then entered the property at 7042 West Howard where it struck a car parked on the driveway.

The driver, an 82-year-old Niles resident, was taken to Lutheran General Hospital. She sustained no serious injuries, according to Niles Police Department spokesman.

New Director for Morton Grove Park District

by Christine Caplinger
Jeff Fougousse took the oath of office for the position of Director of the Morton Grove Park District at the March 16, 2000 meeting of the Board of Commissioners.

Fougousse (pronounced Foo'-zher-oo) replaces outgoing Manager/Administrative Director Gary Balling. Balling resigned from the Morton Grove Park District after accepting a position at the Oak Park Park District. Fougousse was unanimously voted by the Board of Commissioners to replace Balling.

In attendance at the meeting were several members of Fougousse's family. Present were his



Jeff Fougousse
wife and pre-school aged son, his father-in-law, his brother, his parents and a close friend of the family.

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MG Village Board approves construction of condos

by Christine Caplinger
The Morton Grove Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals presented three cases at the March 13, 2000 meeting of the Morton Grove Board of Trustees.

Plan Commission Chairman Pro Tem Dwight Roepenack presented them, all of which were in regard to the

property at 6301 Lincoln Avenue.

The first of the three requested a rezoning of the property from M-2 General Manufacturing to C-2 Service Commercial.

Mr. Roepenack reported that Ms. Bonnie Jacobson, a Planner, **Continued on Page 40**

Public bodies fearful of losing tax monies; Library claims \$600,000 at stake

Niles Library, Niles Highs may join to block tax appeals

by Lisa Ashkenaz-Croake
The Niles Public Library District Board is considering joining Niles High School District 219 in forming a consortium to intervene against property tax appeals.

In a letter presented to the Board, Library Administrator Cary Czarnecki stated that an intergovernmental agreement to form the consortium was drafted "out of concern about the increasing number of property tax appeals being made."

Appeals granted by the Property Tax Appeals Board (PTAB) to property owners, could result in the loss of significant tax revenue to municipal bodies such as the library and high school district

which have the power to levy property taxes either independently or through the village. According to an intergovernmental agreement sent to Czarnecki by the high school district's business manager, Gerry Yeggy, **Continued on Page 40**

School bus driver charged in sexual abuse incidents

by Laurie Matlin
A Skokie school bus driver has been charged with aggravated criminal sexual abuse in connection with several incidents involving a mentally handicapped passenger he regularly picked up on his route to her special education school.

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Coyote alert in Park Ridge

by Dorie Finnegan
An increase in the number of coyote sightings in Park Ridge has prompted the Park Ridge Police Department to educate its residents on the dangerous nature of the harmless looking, yet wild animal.

Park Ridge has long been a natural habitat to the coyote, but due **Continued on Page 40**

Cub Foods in Niles holds Grand Opening



Photo by Larry Zimmerman
Cub Foods held its Grand Opening in Niles, marking the 21st Cub store in the Chicagoand area. The new store is located at 5740 W. Touhy Avenue. The 63,000 square foot store presents shoppers the opportunity to get the lowest prices on thousands of grocery and drug items.

Shown are: Mike Carter, Regional Vice-President; Mayor Blase of Niles; Ed Dubok, store manager; and Lester Thompson, Illinois District Manager.

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Lincolnwood Town Center announces 10th anniversary celebration events

Lincolnwood Town Center is pleased to present the following events in celebration of its 10th anniversary.

Lincolnwood Town Center 10th Anniversary
 Lincolnwood Town Center celebrates its 10th anniversary the weekend of March 24-26. The celebration will feature a \$10 or 10% sale from participating merchants, local entertainment and a fashion show.

The entertainment includes performances by the Niles West High School Jazz Band Friday, March 24 at 5:30 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Snookie the Clown will make balloon creations on Saturday, March 25 from 3-6 p.m. and on Sunday, March 26 from 12-3 p.m. Denis Hannah of the Paint Box Theater will tell children's stories on Saturday, March 25 and Sunday, March 26 from noon-1 p.m. All performances will be held in Center Court.

The Spring Fling Fashion Show will be held Saturday, March 25 at 2 p.m. in Center Court. It will feature the hottest

spring looks from American Eagle and The Children's Place.

10th Anniversary Shopping Spree Giveaway
 Lincolnwood Town Center is giving away a shopping spree. The winner will receive a \$500 shopping spree from Simon, a \$250 shopping spree from JC Penny and a \$250 shopping spree from Carson Pirie Scott. Shoppers can register March 1-31 at Center Court. The drawing will be held April 1, 2000.

IRS offers possible business tax relief

The IRS Illinois District is sponsoring a free evening payroll tax workshop where special assistance will be available to businesses that are experiencing federal tax related problems. This assistance may include penalty abatements, liberal installment agreements, and other assistance for first time newly delinquent businesses and self-employed taxpayers.

The workshop for employers and entrepreneurs will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 29 in the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton Street, Skokie. Registration will begin at 6 p.m.

Topics to be covered during

Morton Grove Garden Club

The Garden Club of Morton Grove will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 28, at 7:30 p.m. at the Austin Park Field House 8336 Marmora in Morton Grove.

Our program "Container Gardening" will be given by Debra Phillips. She will present a slide lecture of lush hanging baskets, window boxes, containers and many original ideas. Discussions on cultures, creative combinations and how to use them. She will give care tips and a new receipt for aging containers, that really work! Also a demonstration on planting a flower tower.

The public is invited. Admission is free. Refreshments will be served. For additional information call 966-4264.

Disabled Services to host Lunch & Bingo

Maine Township Disabled Services will host "Lunch & Bingo" on Tuesday, March 28, at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road in Park Ridge from 12 noon to 3 p.m.

On March 28, cost for a classic Quizzo's box lunch and Bingo will be \$6.25. The cost for those wishing to just play Bingo is \$1.

For reservations or for information designed to help disabled persons enjoy an afternoon of fun and companionship, call Disabled Services at (847) 297-2510. TTY is (847) 297-1335. The Maine Township Town Hall is handicapped accessible, and an interpreter will be available upon prior request.

Morton Grove Citizen of the year



The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce thanks Luella Halpapp for the Morton Grove Woman's Club, for accepting our 1999 Citizen of the Year Award. Lu has had a great impact on the community of Morton Grove. The luncheon was the event of the season and we are so grateful that the Woman's Club had so many in attendance. Congratulations to Luella Halpapp for all her hard work and dedication.

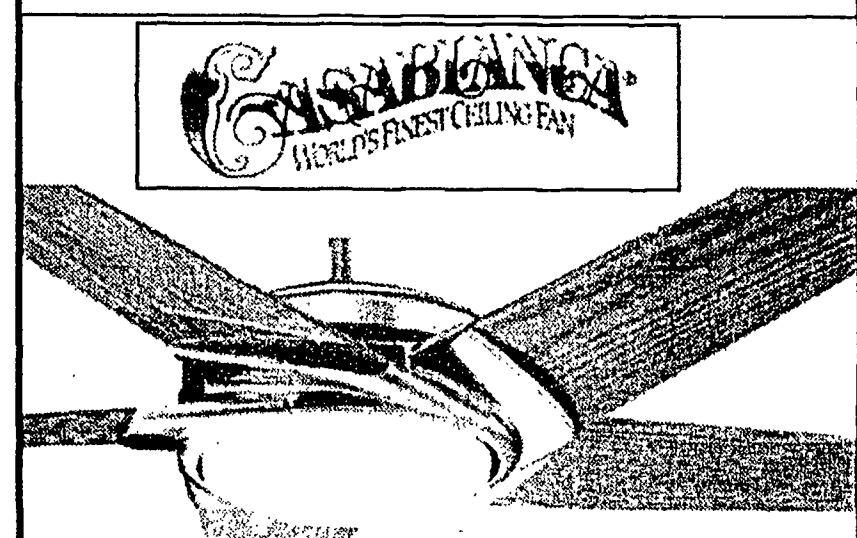
Barbara Duffy holding a certificate from the Morton Grove Historical Society presented at the Luncheon, Luella holding a flower bouquet from the Morton Grove Woman's Club, and Louise Widjowski holding the Citizen of the Year Award given by the Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce.

Help prevent child abuse

Child Abuse continues to be one of the most pressing problems of our time. In fiscal year 1999, over 106,000 incidents of abuse were reported in Illinois. You can help protect the children of our state and reduce this number simply by checking Line 26b on your Illinois State Income Tax Return and contributing to the Illinois Child Abuse Prevention Fund.

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Businessman Arthur Ameling dies

Arthur Albert Ameling, 76, a lifelong DesPlaines resident and longtime businessman, died Wednesday, March 15 in Holy Family Medical Center in Des Plaines.

Mr. Ameling, whose business dealings ranged from flowers to toys and doughnuts, was also known by friends as a great family man and active church member.

Mr. Ameling most recently was retired after 25 years as owner of four doughnut shops, including Country Donuts in Schaumburg and Crystal Lake. Two other doughnut shops that he owned in

Mount Prospect and Palatine have since closed. Before opening his doughnut shop operations, Mr. Ameling worked with his brothers as a partner in the former Ameling's Toyland in DesPlaines from 1955 to 1963.

Mr. Ameling, a 1941 graduate of Maine Township High School East in Park Ridge, attended Valparaiso, IN, from 1941 to 1943 where he studied mathematics. From 1943 to 1945, he served in the Army with the 89th chemical Mortar Battalion in Europe during World War II.

In 1945, Mr. Ameling began his

Former teacher, 71, dies

Janet Evans, who taught 2nd and 3rd graders in Park Ridge and DesPlaines for more than three decades, died Thursday, March 16, in her home after a long battle with cancer.

Mrs. Evans, 71, trained as an art teacher and although she never officially worked specifically in that area, she infused the arts throughout her lessons as a way to enhance the overall education of her students.

"Not all children can excel in art," she once told a school newsletter. "But they can all feel a sense of pride for a job done neatly and well."

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Staff changes at M-NASR

The Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR) announces the promotion of Sarah Trembly, former Recreation Specialist with the agency, to the position of Program Manager. In her new position, Trembly will be responsible for staffing, training staff and programming for M-NASR's Summer Day Camps and Leisure Education Programs. Leisure Education programs are offered to schools within the agency's service area. A graduate of Grand Valley State University in Grand Rapids, Michigan, Trembly holds a degree in therapeutic recreation and she received her certification as a therapeutic recreation specialist in 1998.

Russ Wike has been hired to fill the position of Recreation Specialist formerly held by Sarah Trembly. He is a graduate of Illinois State University, Bloomington-Normal, with a degree in Parks and Recreation Management. Wike interned as a naturalist at Grant City State Park in Cumberland, Illinois. His duties will include programming for adults with physical impairments and leading a variety of M-NASR programs.

If you or someone you know could benefit from M-NASR's services please call 847-966-5522 for further information.

2000 'Cruise our World' - Maiden voyage a success

The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce recently hosted the first "Cruise our World" Restaurant tour. This all-inclusive event featured a progressive dinner provided by some of Morton Grove's finest eateries: Champs Sports Bar & Grill, Bella Via Ristorante and Kappy's Restaurant. Nearly 30 residents and chamber members attended the inaugural event. As with most cruises there was plenty of food and fun! Due to the overwhelming success the chamber is looking to host another cruise, more information is forthcoming. Until then...Bon Voyage and Bon Appetit!

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Eligible bachelors to be honored

Today's Chicago Woman Foundation will sponsor The Bachelor Party, a benefit featuring the bachelors in the February issue of Today's Chicago Woman, at Drink, 702 W. Fulton, Chicago, on Thursday, March 30, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Music, beverages and a light buffet are included in the ticket price of \$25 before March 21 or \$35 at the door. There will be a raffle and a silent auction with packages that include dates with some of the bachelors. For more information, call (312) 951-8976.

Today's Chicago Woman Foundation is a not-for-profit organization established in 1989 that provides funds to organizations that help women and children in crisis situations and promotes awareness of these groups.

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Health / Fitness

TV viewing linked to obesity

by Dr. Robert Richart

American children spend more time watching television and videotapes and playing video games than on any other activity except for sleeping. Recently the Journal of the AMA published a study that evaluated the potential association between television viewing and obesity.

Nearly 200 third and fourth grade students in two schools participated in the study. Students from one school received an 18 lesson, six month classroom curriculum to reduce television, videotape and video game use. The curriculum consisted of teaching the children to budget their entertainment time and did not include any lifestyle modifications, such as diet or exercise. The children from the second school received no special instruction and were used as the control group.

Compared to the control group, the group that received instruction showed significant decreases in body mass index, waist circumference, tricep skinfold thickness and other measurements of body mass. These changes were accompanied by significant decreases in reported television viewing and meals eaten in front of the television. The encouraging part of the study is that of all the causes of childhood obesity, television viewing may be one of the easiest to change and does not require any expense to implement.

Long hours of inactivity can lead to weakness of the supporting muscles of the spine increasing the likelihood of neck and back pain and injury. Obesity can cause an increase of the lumbar curve, also contributing to back pain. Physical and social development may also be hindered by too much inactivity.

Dr. Robert Richart is a 1986 graduate of Palmer College of Chiropractic and Texas Chiropractic College. He maintains a practice in Niles at 8933 West Golf Road. To receive a complimentary spinal examination and consultation, please contact Dr. Richart at www.richartchiropractic.com



Laser Vision Correction 'Supper Seminar'

Learn about the latest procedures in laser vision correction to reduce or eliminate the need for eyeglasses and contact lenses in a Supper Seminar co-sponsored by Oakton Community College's Alliance for Lifelong Learning (ALL) program and Rush North Shore Medical Center. Jonathan B. Rubenstein, M.D., will present New Techniques in Correction for Near-sightedness and Astigmatism from 5:30-8 p.m. on Monday, April 3, at Rush North Shore's Scharfstein Academic Center, 9600 Gross Point Road, Skokie.

The \$8 fee includes supper. Advanced registration with payment is required. To register, call the Alliance for Lifelong Learning at (847) 982-9888, press #2.

The ADA campaign for National Nutrition Month 2000 is, "Food & Fitness: Health for a Lifetime." The ADA's slogan is a call for action that challenges Americans to take responsibility for their food, nutrition and physical activity habits.

Healthful diets help children grow, develop and do well in school. Making proper food choices helps reduce the risk for chronic diseases such as heart disease, certain cancers, diabetes, stroke and osteoporosis. Good diets can reduce major risk factors such as obesity, high cholesterol and high blood pressure.

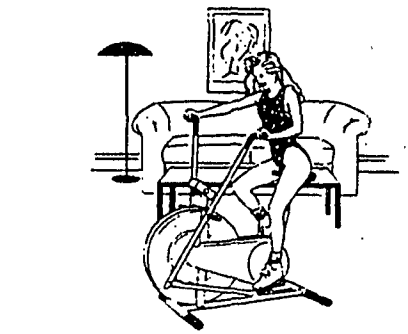
March is National Nutrition Month

Healthful diets contain essential nutrients and calories needed to prevent nutritional deficiencies and excesses. Eating a variety of foods is the best way to get the daily amount of proper vitamins and minerals.

The ADA recommends a daily eating pattern based on the Food Guide Pyramid:

- 6-11 servings of grains (bread, rice, cereal and pasta).
- 2-4 servings of fruits.
- 3-5 servings of vegetables.
- 2-3 servings of meat, poultry, fish, dry beans, eggs and/or nuts.
- 2-3 servings of milk, yogurt and/or cheese.
- Keep fats, oils and sweets to a minimum.
- Avoid "fast foods" and fried foods.
- Reduce salt intake -- use herbs and spices in its place.
- Read food labels. Today's labels list the amount of fat, calories, sodium and cholesterol per serving.

In addition, the ADA recommends moderate physical activity. Continued on Page 8



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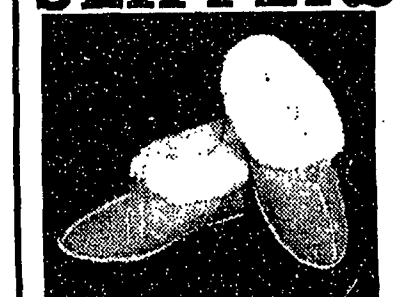
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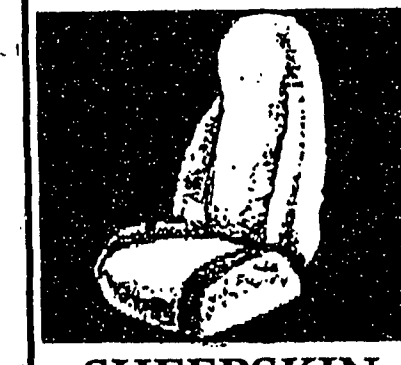
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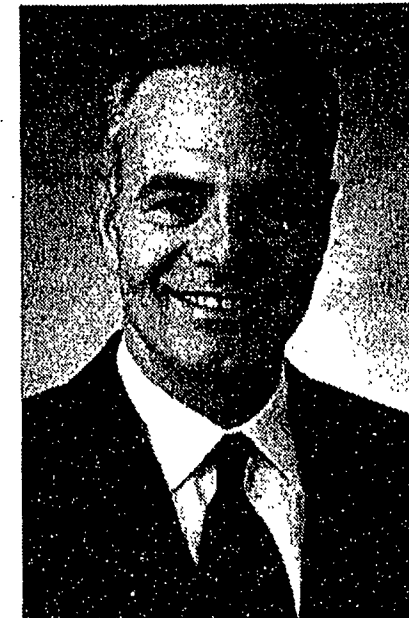
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Health / Fitness

Appointed vice president at Resurrection

Martin Massello, of Chicago, was named Vice President of Support and Outpatient Services at Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 West Talcott Avenue. In this position, Massello is responsible for radiology and imaging, radiation therapy, tumor registry, cancer treatment center, communications, media services, food services, environmental services,

laundry, maintenance and engineering, supplies and mail distribution, security and volunteers. He also oversees outpatient services including the outpatient department, dialysis, endoscopy and same day surgery. Massello came to Resurrection Medical Center from St. Francis Hospital in Evanston, where he was Vice President of



Martin Massello

Support Services and Physician Practice Services since early 1998. He had been with St. Francis Hospital since 1990, serving in multiple management roles in areas including pharmacy, laboratory and materials management. Massello received a bachelor's degree in pharmacy and a law degree from Ohio Northern University. He also completed studies in medical ethics at Loyola University.

Turning Point elects Davis to Board of Directors

Turning Point Behavioral Health Care Center announces the election of Gilla Pizant Davis, M.D. to the Board of Directors. Davis is a psychiatrist at Evanston Northwestern Healthcare in Evanston, and has a distinguished career and reputation in Chicago. She is a Diplomate on the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, and the National Board of Medical Examiners. She received her M.D. from Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago. Davis recently was acknowledged as one of the top doctors in her specialty by her peers in the "Guide to Top Doctors".

Ken Zwerner, President of the Center's Board, said, "The inclusion of Dr. Davis to the Turning Point Board provides us with a special area of expertise and perspectives in behavioral health care. Dr. Davis will be most valuable in areas related to managed care contracting and internal organization, especially relevant to a continued national accreditation for Turning Point".

The Board of Directors oversees Turning Point Center, a comprehensive 501(c)(3) charitable community mental health center

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Letters to the Editor

The census is supposed to mean 'a count of the population'

Dear Editor:

Have you seen the new census questionnaire? Our leaders in Washington say that a census is very important to our democratic form of government, especially to make sure that we have the proper number of representatives that we're entitled to have under the Constitution. That's a valid and honorable reason. But why does the government need to know so much about our personal lives? The details that are asked for in the new census questionnaire go way beyond how many representatives we're supposed to have or how federal money gets allocated to certain states and districts. Here's a sample of some of

the questions. They want to know about your physical, mental and emotional condition, where you work, what the company produces, what you do as an individual specifically do, how you get to work, if any others accompany you to work, what kind of vehicle you drive, what time you leave for work (why?), how many hours you work, how many vehicles you own in total and how much you make each year.

Not only do they want to know how much you make at your job, they also want to know how much you make from interest, dividends, social security, income from property, etc. They want to know what kind of house you have, its description, when it was built, when you moved in, the number of rooms, the number of bathrooms, the kind of plumbing, what kind of kitchen it has, the size of the lot, whether it's used for business, the costs of your various utilities, how much your mortgage payments are, how much you pay for insurance, what your real estate taxes are and how much you feel the house is currently worth.

BJBE Singles Club
Thursday, March 30, at 7:30 p.m., Jack Diamond, popular musical historian, will bring his much requested Part 2 of the Judy Garland Story to the group. The meeting will be held at B'nai B'rith Beth El, 901 N. Milwaukee Ave. A \$5 fee to be paid at the door. For information contact (847) 634-1740.

my own adult children, and quite frankly, it's none of my business. Why does the Commerce Department feel that they need to know all of these details under the guise of a census? If "Census 2000" ends up being a flop, if people decide that the government is just being too degenerate, invasive, they have only themselves to blame.

Sincerely,
David F. Miller,
Niles

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To The Bugle Staff:

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Women's News

St. Thomas Fall Semester Dean's List

The University of St. Thomas recently announced the names of students whose academic achievements during the 1999 fall semester earned them a place on the university's dean's list.

Students named to the list have maintained a minimum of a 3.5 grade-point average, on a 4.0 scale, during the semester.

Area students named to the dean's list are: Maureen D. Falton, of Park Ridge and Amy L. Ginsburg of Lincolnwood.

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Celebrating 25 years of marriage



Erin Moy (left) helped her parents Jane and Ed Moy celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary at the Evergreen Restaurant in Chicago's Chinatown Feb. 26. The Moy family has lived in Des Plaines since 1992. Jane is a teacher and reading specialist at Amundsen High School in Chicago. Ed works as a computer security specialist for Axtom Corporation in Downers Grove, and Erin, a graduate of Maine West High School, is a senior at Dominican University in River Forest.

About 80 of the Moy family and friends gathered to enjoy a delicious 12-course dinner of traditional Chinese dishes and wish the happy couple 25 more years of happy marriage. After the dinner, Ed presented Jane with a beautiful jade bracelet.

NEIU series of events on women's history

In recognition of March as Women's History Month, Northeastern Illinois University (NEIU) will present the following events, all open to the public.

Monday, March 27: "Women's Lives, Voices, Solutions: Shaping a National Agenda for Women in Higher Education." A national teleconference hosted by the University of Minnesota via satellite, featuring a keynote address by Johnnetta Cole, 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Student Union, room 214.

Resisting Pornography and Prostitution, with guest speaker Claudine O'Leary, 5:30 p.m. (Nancy Matthews, Criminal Justice), Science Building, room 112. **Tuesday, March 28:** Discussion of the Time of the Butterflies by Julia Alvarez, a historical novel about a group of sisters set in the Dominican Republic, 12:15-1:30 p.m. (David Leaman, Political Science), Science Building, room 111.

Wednesday, March 29: "Women's Lives, Voices, Solutions: Shaping a National Agenda for Women in Higher Education." A national teleconference hosted by the University of Minnesota via satellite, featuring a keynote address by Johnnetta Cole, 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Student Union, room 214.

nessa via satellite, featuring a moderated panel and participation from satellite sites via fax, e-mail and telephone, 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Student Union, room 214.

"Hues: A Celebration of Depth and Diversity within Chicago's Lesbian Community." A multicultural panel of women from various organizations will discuss contemporary issues relevant to the lesbian community, 7:30-9:30 p.m. (O. Evelyn McCoy, Social Work), Classroom Building, room 1002.

Thursday, March 30: Multicultural Issues in Practice, 10:50 a.m. - 12:05 p.m. (Cathy Stanley, Social Work), Fine Arts Center, room 255. For further information contact Laurie Fuller, Coordinator (Women's Studies) at 773-583-4150, ext. 3308, or Diane Fresco, Secretary at ext. 3302.

Northeastern Illinois University is a comprehensive state university serving more than 10,000 commuter students. It is located at 5500 North St. Louis Avenue in Chicago.

Women's health center discusses back pain

The Women's Health Resource Center of Lutheran General Hospital series continues with "Surgical Treatments for Back Pains" from 7 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 4, in Olson Auditorium, Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 Dempster. Martin Herman, M.D., neurosurgeon, will lead an enlightening presentation on the newest surgical treatments for osteoporosis, stenosis and fractures due to other causes. The lecture will cover alternatives, as well as detail the spinal fusion procedure. To register, call HealthAdvise at 1-800-3-ADVOCATE (1-800-323-8622).

The Women's Health Resource Center of Lutheran General Hospital is an access point for the public to learn about the hospital's women's programs, services, support groups and community resources. The center, located in the Lutheran General Victor Yackman Children's Pavilion, is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, with evening and weekend visits available by appointment. For more information on the center and its services, call 847-723-8810 (TTY line for hearing impaired, 847-723-8885).

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CCDPH serves women, infants and children

Suburban Cook County parents and guardians of young children can receive free food through a federally funded program operated by the Cook County Department of Public Health (CCDPH).

The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program is a support service for low-income working families that assists in obtaining nutritious foods for pregnant and breast-feeding women, and children under the age of 5. Eligible participants receive coupons for milk, juice, cheese, cereal, beans, peanut butter and infant formula. WIC also gives parents information on breast-feeding and child nutrition and provides free health screening for iron-deficiency anemia.

For an appointment, suburban Cook County residents may call CCDPH, Monday - Friday, 8:45 a.m. - 4:15 p.m., at 708-492-2100. TDD for the hearing/ speech impaired: 708-492-2002.

'Make A Difference Day'



The Niles Ladies Auxiliary to V.F.W. Post #7712 collected non-perishable food to donate to Maine Township Food Pantry for "Make a Difference Day." Shown with some of the donations are: from the left Pauline Bolton, Mary Symer, Hospital Chairman, and Valerie Orlovski, Jr., Vice President. For Christmas the Auxiliary collected paper goods, diapers and household items for Wings as well as giving a monetary gift. A monetary gift was given to some needy families in the area as well.

Volunteers needed to deliver meals to elderly

Volunteers are urgently needed to help deliver meals to frail, homebound senior citizens in the Skokie, Morton Grove, Niles and Rogers Park areas. Meal delivery begins at 11 a.m. Monday through Friday, and is completed in about an hour. Volunteers deliver meals in teams of two, one person drives and one person

brings the meals to the older person's door. Volunteers can choose a weekday on a regular basis to deliver meals or they can assist as their schedules permit. Volunteers are retired individuals, college students, stay-at-home mothers, employees who deliver occasionally during their lunch hour, and those who want

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35th Annual Jewelry, Gem, Fossil and Mineral Show

The Des Plaines Valley Geological Society will hold its 35th Annual Jewelry, Gem, Fossil and Mineral Show on April 1st - 2nd, at the Des Plaines Park District Leisure Center, 2222 Birch Street, just west of River Road off Touhy in Des Plaines. Parking is free.

Hours are 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Saturday, April 1st and from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Sunday, April 2nd.

The show will feature exhibits

of handmade jewelry, fossils, minerals, and other fascinating rocks. Members will be demonstrating their crafts, and there will be minerals, fossils, gems, jewelry, and equipment for sale by eight dealers. There will be raffles, silent auctions and door prizes. Food and refreshments will be available.

Again this year a special feature will be the "Kids' Corner" which will have many fascinating

educational games, exhibits, and computer displays for children. The cost is \$2 for adults. Seniors and students 12-18 with school I.D. Children under 12 are free if accompanied by an adult.

Monthly meetings of the Des Plaines Valley Geological Society are held on the third Thursday of each month at Our Lady of Ransom School, 8300 N. Greenwood Ave., Niles, at 8 p.m. We encourage all interested persons to attend. Bring a friend.

Holy Family's Hole Ole Gala

As final plans take shape for Holy Family Medical Center's Annual Gala, top notch raffle prizes are confirmed. The annual Gala, to be held Saturday, April 1, 2000 at the Rosemont Convention Center, will bring individuals youth of the border to be immersed in the music and dancing of the Spanish culture.

Funds raised will help support Holy Family's women's health services including the New Beginnings Maternity Program providing pre- and post-natal care for women regardless of their financial means.

Grand raffle prizes include a \$3,500 dream vacation travel voucher (grand prize), two round trip tickets for two to anywhere United Airlines flies into within the 50 United States (second prize), a \$2,000 shopping spree extravaganza at Target.

Furs, Skis (third prize), and for the fourth prize, His and Her Spa package courtesy of Michael Thomas Salons, Buffalo Grove.

The Hole Ole Gala Committee promises the night to be remembered for years to come. The entire evening is packed with thrilling music, dancing, an elegant dinner, a custom made sweet table and lots of other surprises that can't be shared before the big night.

Grand raffle tickets can be purchased in advance or at the event for \$50 each or three for \$100. Winners for the grand raffle prizes need not be present at the Gala to win.

Hole Ole Gala tickets can be purchased grand tickets, please call Holy Family's Fund Development Office at 847-297-1800, ext. 1118.

Child and adolescent parent support group

The new Child and Adolescent Parent Support Group offers education, support, and timely help through the (NAMI) National Alliance for Mental Illness of Cook County North Suburban chapter. If you have a family member touched by a childhood emotional disorder, or are merely concerned about a child and seek support, we welcome your call. Parents of a child up to age 19, wishing to join in for a few hours of sharing information, learning

"how to and where to" get help, are invited.

Meetings are facilitated by Barbara Maser, M.A. Family and Marriage Counseling, who is a parent and an NAMI member. There is no charge.

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Kenilworth Union Church. Please call to confirm your interest and for further information: NAMI-CCNS 847-724-1460.

Crusin Cousins

Brianne Sander, 14, of Morton Grove and her sister, Samantha (Sam) Sander, 12, will be following the Lakefront WALK route in honor of their mother, Pati, who was diagnosed with MS 12 years ago. Pati took part in the WALK herself with other family members a couple of years ago. Now, her legs have been weakened by

progressive MS so she is encouraging the rest of the family to continue their efforts on her behalf. Brianne and Sam will walk with their cousins Meghan Joyce, 20, team captain, and Katie Joyce, 15, of Park Ridge. Hence, the team name Crusin Cousins. As a group they hope to collect \$700 or more for MS.

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Community Calendar

May merriment at Children's Discovery Days

Celebrate the onset of spring and experience the pageantry of May 1st at the Wheaton History Center's Children's Discovery Days on Saturday, April 1, from 10-11:30 a.m. Children ages 5 and up will create mayflowers and join in traditional Maypole dance. In addition, children will explore the history of May Day traditions at this festive event. Register for May Merriment, at the Wheaton Park District and refer to the program's registration #1802-8 for April 1. Program fees are \$5 for Wheaton residents and \$8 for non-Wheaton residents.

Support group for substance abusers

A group for recovering alcoholics and drug abusers is being offered at Turning Point Behavioral Health Care Center in Skokie. The group, BIO (By Invitation Only) meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. for one hour at the Center, and the members have been recovering from alcohol or drugs for at least six months to one year. For more information on this special group, call Ellen DeFilippo at 847-933-0051 extension 453.

Loyola Academy

Forensics Team Members Catherine Kiwala of Lake Forest and Mary Candiotto of Lincolnwood, both seniors, made it to final rounds at the district tournament at New Trier. Catherine placed fifth in Foreign Extemporaneous Speaking, and Mary placed first in U.S. Extemporaneous Speaking for the second year in a row qualifying her for the National Tournament held in Portland, Oregon this June. English Instructor Mr. P.J. Samorian of Chicago coaches the team, and Religious Studies Instructor Ms. Karen J. Murphy of Chicago serves as assistant coach.

Loyola's Science Bowl Team was among 16 high schools that attended the Illinois Regional Science Bowl held at Motorola in Schaumburg. The team, which included Juniors Stephen Walker of Arlington Heights, David Faylali of Lincolnwood and Karl Mendoza of Niles and seniors Steven Gross of Wilmotte and John Lorenz of Chicago, made it to the semifinals before losing to Cary-Grove in a close match. Captain Stephen Walker gave a superb performance as the team easily won the first and second rounds. They tackled questions in astronomy, chemistry, mathematics, physics, Earth and general science. The U.S. Department of Energy introduced the National Science Bowl competition in 1991 as a way to encourage high school students to excel in math and science and to pursue careers in those fields.

Annual Loon Walk

The Lake-Cook Chapter of the Illinois Audubon Society will hold its annual search for loons and other waterfowl on the lakes of Lake County on Saturday, March 25th. The walk will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the parking lot opposite the Gale Street Inn on Diamond Lake Road in Diamond Lake. For further information, contact Arnie Bock at (847) 433-0983.

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Marriott Theatre executive producer retires

The Marriott Theatre in Lincolnshire announced that Executive Producer, Kary M. Walker, will retire after 21 years. Succeeding Mr. Walker as Executive Producer, is Marriott Theatre's Associate Producer, Terry James.

Mr. Walker, recipient of the J.W. Marriott Award of Excellence, has served as Executive Producer for Marriott's Lincolnshire Theatre since 1979. Out of over 125,000 associates, he is one of only 200 recipients of the J.W. Marriott Award of Excellence. Marriott International's esteemed award for outstanding service and leadership, since its inception in 1987.

Originally known as Drury Lane Theatre North, the theatre was built in 1975 as a "star" house, with a TV or film celebrity in the main role of each play as part of Marriott's Lincolnshire Resort. Upon joining in 1979, Mr. Walker abandoned the faltering star system, instituted a subscription program, and began producing musicals to attract large audiences.

In 1983, foreseeing the decline of adequate numbers of new musicals emerging from Broadway, Mr. Walker, with Artistic Director Dyanne Earley, and Marketing Director Peter Grigsby, became a driving force in the development of original and re-thought musicals. Mr. Walker is a founding member of the National Alliance of Musical Theatre Producers, assisting and fostering artists in creating new works for the Marriott stage. The result has been a string of American and World Premieres that have brought the national press and the country's attention to Lincolnshire; notably, the 1989 production of *Matador*, which subsequently played London's West End; the World Premiere of *Annie Warbucks*, opening off-Broadway in New York to rave reviews; and World Premiere productions of *Give My Regards to Broadway*, *Starline*, *Grown's Corners*, *History Loves Company*, *Ms. Cinderella*, *Phantom of the Country Palace*, and *Peggy Sue Got Married*.

Mr. James has been associated with the Marriott Theatre since 1982. As a professional actor he appeared throughout the United States in more than 85 musicals, including numerous productions for the Marriott Theatre, prior to becoming Director of Advertising and Public Relations in 1991.

In 1993, Mr. James chose to add musical director to his other responsibilities at Marriott. He has garnered Jeff Nominations for his work on *And the Winner Goes Round and Round*. In 1999, Mr. James was awarded the Joseph Jefferson Award and After Dark Award for musical

ly with me for the past eight years in multiple positions. He comes from a musical background, as do I. His artistic sensibilities are acute. There is nothing I can do anymore that he cannot do better. Marriott and I anticipate great things for the theatre's future with his energy, talents, taste, and business acumen."

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Northbrook Symphony Orchestra

On Sunday, March 26th, Samuel Magid, Music Director, and the Northbrook Symphony Orchestra will present Sarah Bullen, principal harp, of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, as guest soloist. She will be featured in the Harp Concerto by Handel and Debussy's Dances Sacred and Profane. The orchestra will also perform Mahler's Symphony No. 4, with Elizabeth Norman as the featured coloratura soprano.

Please Note: That Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg, violinist, who was originally scheduled to perform at the March 26th concert, has been nominated for an Academy Award, for her documentary film "Speaking in Strings." So that she may attend the Awards Ceremony in Los Angeles on March 26th, her performance has been re-scheduled for the June 18th NSO Concert.

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Scholar-in-Residence Chicago a cappella stirs passions with Eighteen Lips

Beth Hillel Congregation-Wilmette will hold its Scholar-in-Residence weekend on March 31-April 2 which will coincide with the Congregation's participation in the Shabbat Across America event. The congregation will be honored to host Professor Jonathan Sarna, Joseph H. and Belle R. Braun Professor of American and Jewish History and Chair of the Department of Near Eastern and Jewish Studies at Brandeis University. Professor Sarna's field embraces all aspects of American Jewish history, from the colonial period to the twentieth century, with special emphasis on social, cultural and religious history. He has written, edited or co-edited sixteen books and regularly contributes to Commentary, Moment and the Journal of American History.

Professor Sarna will be the congregation's featured speaker Friday night following Shabbat dinner, Saturday morning and evening, as well as Sunday morning following a brunch co-sponsored by the Adult Education Committee and Men's Club.

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Tickets are available pro-sale at \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Tickets will also be available at the door at \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12.

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Conductor Samuel Magad passes the baton

Samuel Magad's vision has guided the Northbrook Symphony Orchestra since its inception two decades ago. The NSO has long been recognized as the North Shore's most prestigious and successful orchestra, receiving many accolades, including the coveted Illinois Council of Orchestras 1997 Orchestra of the Year and 1998 Conductor of the Year, which recognized Mr.

Gemini Jazz Bands on winning streak

On Saturday, January 22, Gemini Junior High School Jazz Bands 1, 2 and 3 competed in the Northshore Jazz Festival which was held at Glenbrook High School in Glenview. Competing with nineteen bands, Jazz Band 1, under the direction of Mr. Steve Edey, took first place in the Junior High School Division. Jazz Band 2, directed by Mr. Brian Budzik, earned third place. Jazz Band 3, under the direction of Mr. Craig Sturken, earned a superior rating. Chris Foley, drummer, and Constantine Kaganovich, saxophonist, were awarded medals for their outstanding solo performances.

In competing with fourteen bands, Gemini Jazz Band 1 was also named the Junior High School Grand Champion at Jazz in the Meadows which was held at Rolling Meadows High School on February 26. Members of the band are: Saxophone - Lisa Kim, Constantine Kaganovich, Martin Andel, and Jeff Riemer. Trombone - Chris Ludkowski, Krystian Nisposki, and Dana Ready. Trumpet - Matt Honsa, Derek Wysocki, Walter Gabriel, Jimmy Spiegelman, and Jordan McCurdy. Bass - Jeff Chang. Drums - Chris Foley. Auxiliary Percussion - Jonny Block. Piano - Christine Koh and Christie Angerson.

Magad's guiding hand and musicianship. He leaves the orchestra at the pinnacle of its success at the conclusion of the 1999/2000 concert season. The orchestra's sold-out concert audiences are the largest on the North Shore. His new title with the NSO will be Music Director Emeritus. Samuel Magad will continue to provide guidance and direction to the orchestra he was instrumental in founding by continuing as guest conductor and in participating in the orchestra's five year expansion plan. Mr. Paul Goldstein, President of the Northbrook Symphony stated that "Samuel Magad is greatly admired by the orchestra players, his board and the communities that he has served with high distinction. We will celebrate his tenure as music director and very active involvement with a special event at the end of this season." Samuel Magad will assist in the process of passing on his baton to find a new music director to continue to provide great music with this orchestra.

Join a Taekwon Do Class

Taekwon Do is a Korean martial art which prepares you both physically and mentally in the event of a confrontation. Class begins March 28 through June 1. It helps you achieve your true potential and develop greater respect for yourself as well as for those around you. The five tenets of Taekwon Do: courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control and indomitable spirit are stressed. To help round out your martial arts training, the Japanese art of Jiu Jitsu is incorporated to prepare you to deal effectively with grappling situations. You will learn the proper techniques for striking with your hands, kicking, blocking attacks with hands and feet, control holds and use of some pressure points, throws and take downs, releases from various attacks, proper break falls and ground fighting and free sparring.

Our new instructor Jordan Gitelman who has a III degree black belt in Taekwon Do and I degree Belt in Jiu Jitsu instructs the classes. Classes will take place at the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard Street, on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Class for all levels of kids ages 8-12 years takes place from 6-7 p.m. Class for all levels for kids 13 years-adult takes place from 7:10-8:10 p.m. Class fees are Res \$60, Non-Res \$70.

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L-R Dan Owyar 13 yrs. old, Tom Shields 14, Mike Owyar 12 (standing) Chris Owyar 15.
Tom & Chris fill out an application at the recreation booth as Dan & Mike watch.



Al Swank, a jr. from Notre Dame High School talks to Laura Chastain, an aquatic supervisor. Al is applying for a life-guard position at Niles Park District Job Fair.

Niles West Festival of Orchestras

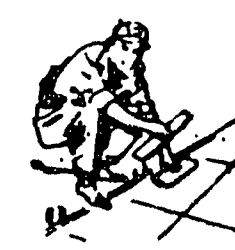
The Niles West High School Orchestras, under the direction of Steven Katz, will present a "Festival of Orchestras" at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 26 in the auditorium at the high school, 5701 W. Oakton St., Skokie, Illinois. The Beginning Strings, Concert, Phil-

harmonic and Symphonic orchestras will perform. Selected works include "Peter and the Wolf," narrated by Niles West teacher Chris Schwarz, and a Chopin "Piano Concerto" solo performance by senior Andrea Hui, the Concerto Award winner.

Dominican art students display work

Dominican University art students will display their artwork in the Student Art Exhibit beginning Sunday, March 26 through Friday, April 2 in the O'Connor Gallery, located on the fourth floor of Lewis Hall at 7900 West Division Street. An opening reception will be held on Sunday, March 26 from 3 to 5 p.m.

The art exhibit is an opportunity available to all current art students. A wide range of artwork will be on display. The O'Connor Gallery is located on the fourth floor of Lewis Hall. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Exhibits are free and open to the public. For more information, call (708) 524-6842.



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All Park Ridge Rotarians, however, know these nations are among the last few where the dread disease, polio, must be eradicated in the year 2000 if Rotary is to achieve its goal of a world certified free of polio by 2005.

William Haley, Park Ridge Rotary president, explained that the eradication of polio and certification that the world is free of polio is the Rotary Foundation's highest priority this year.

The last known case of polio in the western hemisphere was reported in 1991. Rotarians realize that until polio is eradicated world wide, a possible new outbreak is just a plane ride away. That is why the Park Ridge Rotary Club joined with 20 other Rotary clubs in northeastern Illinois to provide funds to equip one of the five polio surveillance stations local Rotary District 6440 is supporting in west Africa.

Since the onset of Rotary's involvement in the fight against polio, this group of 21 northeastern Illinois clubs has donated more than \$675,000 to polio eradication. One billion children have been immunized in a worldwide effort for which Rotarians worldwide have provided more than \$450 million since the first polio pilot project in the Philippines in 1985.

The next fundraising effort for the polio eradication initiative will be held in May 2000. For more information, call Haley at 847-384-9202.

The Rotary Club of Park Ridge also concentrates on local community service projects. In the last club year, the Park Ridge Rotary spent a total of \$23,545 on local community efforts and scholarships for local students. Chartered in 1961, the club is an affiliate of Rotary International, a service organization of more than 1.1 million men and women in 29,728 clubs in 162 countries.

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The bidding forms and documents are available at the Office of the Director of Public Works, Village of Morton Grove, Morton Grove, Illinois. Bids must be submitted on the forms provided.

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Dated at Morton Grove, Illinois, this 23rd day of March 2000.

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Church and Temple News

SJB Youth Ministry Planned Famine

St. John Brebeuf's Youth Ministry is participating in the World Vision Planned Famine. All 8th grade and high school students are eligible to attend. The two-day fasting retreat will be held on March 24-25 at St. John Brebeuf school, 8301 N. Harlem. Activities include guest speakers, service projects, prayer time, gym time, discussions and videos re-

garding hunger in the world. Retreat participants will be soliciting monetary pledges to be donated to the World Vision project. More information can be obtained by calling Beatrice Przytycki, Youth Ministry board member and retreat facilitator, (847) 351-8856. If no answer, leave a message.

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Millennium gathering of Ministers of Care

The St. John Brebeuf Ministry of Care program provides a link between the parish faith community and the homebound person. On Sunday, March 26, St. John Brebeuf will host a Millennium Gathering of the ministers of care in the school hall, 8301 N. Harlem. The program begins at 2:30 p.m. with a presentation, "Woman at the Well," given by Rev. Nick Desmond, pastor of Our Lady of Angels parish. Bishop Edwin Conway will be attending the gathering. Dinner will be served at 5 p.m. The cost for the afternoon is \$5 per person. There are four divisions of the Ministry of Care Program: bereavement, hospital, nursing home and homebound visits. Volunteers share their faith values in a loving, caring way by ministering in these areas. They also provide other services such as sitters, grocery shoppers and drivers. For further information regarding the Ministry of Care program, contact Jeanine Lembecke, (847) 966-8145.

A good name, like good will, is attained by many good actions and may be lost by one bad one.

Niles Township Jewish Congregation

The GAN YELADIM of EZRA HAHONIM, The Niles Township Jewish Congregation, is pleased to announce the work of Wilbur and Orville Wright at 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 26 at the Lincolnwood Public Library. When the brothers accidentally crash land into the present day, they realize that the audience knows little about their exploits so they decide to take them back to the future of flight. In a stunning conclusion they transform the set into the Wright Flyer.

St. Martha's proud of its students

We are very proud of our students and their achievements. As they excel in their studies, we would like to share their accomplishments with you. Jennie Sander, a 7th grader took 1st place in our school Chicago Tribune Spelling Bee and represented our St. Martha School at St. Dominilla's on February 25, 2000 in Hillside, IL. There were 40 schools represented and Jennie went out in the 4th round placing her and St. Martha School in the top 20 schools represented in the Contest. St. Martha School is very proud of Jennie and we congratulate her on the fine job she did. Melissa Lara, an 8th grader, achieved the highest Mathematics score on the entrance exam administered in January at Regina Dominican High School. She is also a recipient of the Ann Fallon, O.P. Leadership award and a semester of free tuition. Melissa, also was one of the seven students to score in the 99th Percentile and has therefore been named one of our St. Catherine of Siena Scholars. We are very proud of Melissa for her great accomplishment here at St. Martha School. Congratulation to both of the girls, their parents, and faculty, who have taught them here at St. Martha.

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Lincolnwood Public Library

The Wright Stuff at library March 26

Face to Face Productions will present their original musical *The Wright Stuff* based on the life and work of Wilbur and Orville Wright at 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 26 at the Lincolnwood Public Library. When the brothers accidentally crash land into the present day, they realize that the audience knows little about their exploits so they decide to take them back to the future of flight. In a stunning conclusion they transform the set into the Wright Flyer.

Christopher Caldwell plays Orville Wright and Mark Grimsch portrays his older brother Wilbur in the play which was written for children ages 5 to 12 and for their families. Songs written by Mark Amesta and Bill Vaananen include "Idea, Plan, Execution" which demonstrates the process of inventing and problem solving, and "Men of the Air" and "Back to the Drawing Board."

Tickets are required and are available free at the circulation desk three weeks before to Lincolnwood residents and one week

Niles Public Library

IRS Representatives Shares Tax Tips and Strategies Preparing your own taxes can be an unenvying experience. Learn to take the fear out of tax preparation during Tax Tips and Strategies on Saturday, March 25 at 1 p.m. at Niles Public Library District. Providing straightforward tax advice, Rita Bailey, a representative from the Internal Revenue Service, will discuss the latest tax laws and planning tips for 2001. A question and answer session will follow this brief presentation. Registration is required for this program. Please register at the Library Information Desk or call 847-663-1234.

Movie Beloved Premieres at the Library Don't miss author Toni Morrison's film adaptation of her Pulitzer Prize winning novel on Tuesday, March 28 at 2 p.m. at Niles Public Library District. Starring Oprah Winfrey and Danny Glover, *Beloved* traces the life of a former slave who's made her way to a free life in Ohio in 1873 and will do anything to protect her children. This movie is rated R and is 172 minutes long.

No registration is required for this program, and seating is limited to 120 patrons. The Library will not hold or reserve any seats. No food or drinks may be consumed during this presentation.

Seasoned Writer Gives Advice on Writing

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before to non-residents. The library is located at 4000 W. Pratt Ave., phone 847-677-5277.

Pet photography display Pet photos by Debra M. Greenberg are on display at the Lincolnwood Public Library from March 12 to April 15. The library is located at 4000 W. Pratt Ave. Call 847-677-5277. Art exhibits are coordinated by Barbara Knapp.

In fond memory, give a book A book is a gift that can be opened again and again. You can add meaning to celebrating a special occasion, honor a special person or commemorate a special event by giving a book to the Lincolnwood Public Library. An inscribed bookplate marks the occasion and acknowledges your generosity. The library sends the honoree a formal announcement of your donation and your gift is tax deductible.

Other gift ideas: a more substantial donation may be used to endow a materials fund or to enhance library services by purchasing a special piece of equipment. Donation forms are available at the library, 4000 W. Pratt Ave.

Niles Park District Spring Events

Lunch with Bunny: Saturday, April 8, 11 a.m. - Noon and 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.; Banquets at Tam, 6676 W. Howard Street; Residents - \$5, Non-Res - \$6; Kids up to 3rd grade are invited to celebrate Spring with a special lunch with Bunny. Bunny will be available for this perfect photo opportunity so be sure to bring your cameras. Special entertainment and craft project included.

Spring Egg Scramble: Saturday, April 15, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. - Noon; Grennan Heights, 8255 Oakton; Residents - \$5, Non-Res - \$6; Kids up to the 3rd grade are invited to participate. All pre-registered children will receive a goody bag filled with treats and complimentary refreshments. Registration must be received by April 14. Remember to bring a basket to collect your treasure.

Flashlight Egg Hunt: Saturday, April 15, 7 - 8 p.m.; Grennan Heights, 8255 Oakton; Residents - \$7, Non-Res - \$9; 5th-8th grade kids are invited to participate in this NEW event. Grab a flashlight and get ready for some egg-hunting! A pizza dinner will be served before the egg hunt.

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School News

Maine East's Native-American Club



Maine East's Native-American Club will entertain visitors to the Saturday, March 18, International Celebration with Lakota dancing, organized by officers (from left) Chris Lukaszczuk of Park Ridge, (middle, from left) Anna Iskra of DesPlaines and Patricia Paszczolka of Park Ridge, and (top) Maggie Staunton of Niles. The eleven anniversary showcasing Maine East cultural diversity is from 12-4 p.m. in the girls' P.E. gym.

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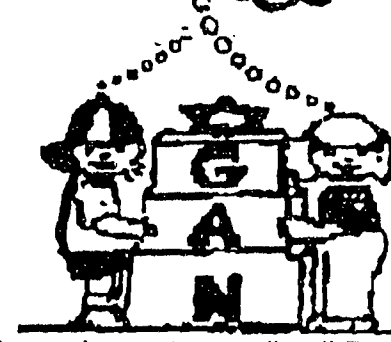
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The Edge sponsors Open Mic Night

Thirty Maine East High School students met recently for two and a half hours to read poetry and prose, to create music, and to enjoy the arts at Open Mic Night. They were joined by teachers, parents, and grandparents in a dimly lit room decorated with stars and glitter, like a night-club.

One of the highlights of the evening was a poem written by Katie Kanfer, a Maine East junior residing in DesPlaines, and read in tandem by Kanfer and Lydia Krupinski, a Maine East sophomore residing in DesPlaines. All through the evening students and teachers spontaneously went to the mic to perform their original works or their favorite works from a published author.

Post Script, a student-band, played several hits from the 70's, including their most requested song, "I Will Survive." The band is comprised of Sara Schaeufele, Dmitry Shuster, Dmitry Polyakov, and David Pollak of DesPlaines, Joyce Park of Glenview, and Benny Priolo of Niles.

Beginning Driver's Training (DR) E01-01, Touch-Tone 09452 focuses on the basic laws and fundamental skills of driving. Classroom and behind-the-wheel training are included, with instruction in turning, backing up and lane changes. This class meets from 6-8 p.m. on Tues-

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Maine East German Club activities

German Club, a core ethnic/language club at Maine East for decades, is involved in several activities for second semester, including breakfasts planned with other language clubs, the International Celebration, and pizza parties.

The group plans to participate in the school's annual International Celebration in mid-March, with plans to possibly sell German pretzels, bratwurst, schnitzel, or sauerkraut, German candy, and an apple-mint water juice mix. Members may also perform an ethnic dance, but this will be discussed after first semester exams end.

Towards the end of March, German students as well as club members will have their annual German competition at the University of Illinois in Chicago.

Members of German Club also participated in making gingerbread houses from scratch. They then brought them to school, and everyone had an opportunity to vote on the best house. Sandy Kozlowski of Niles and Aneta Dec of DesPlaines won first place. Kris Ossowski of Park Ridge and Lydia Krupinski of DesPlaines won second, and Sara and Ann Schaeufele of DesPlaines won third place.

"A" students at Nelson School

In grades 4, 5 and 6, several students had an all "A" report card the second marking at Nelson School. The Student Council honored these students with a pizza luncheon on Friday, March 10th. The students had lunch with the principal, Mr. Larry Mishkin. There were 39 students who achieved this wonderful report card.

In grade 4, the students were Angela Suriano, Jessica Lee, Katie Lenart, Marija Bulatovic, Ryan Lucena, Kristen Kim, Paulina Plasek, Cara George, Matt Okunowski, A.J. Pagurigan, Justyna Podgorska, Mathew Plus, Tina De Benedetti, Kyle Zaron, Brian Martin, and Michelle Han.

In grade 5, the students were Jenna Grounitch, Jojo Harrington, Isabel Diaz, Kristina Youmaran, Ceann Aragon, Arthur Kopeck, Gina Bojic, Antonina Pondo, Jane Suh, Maria Kanelos and Darshan Patel.

In grade 6, the students are Rosnika Fernando, Millie Parkara, Chris Jangelio, Neha Agnihotri, Christopher Varughese, Nicole Domanski, Chirag Tailor, Christine Avilina, Jessica Fleck, Samira Matezic, Emma Keenan, and Hannah Wirthshafter.

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School News

Holy Cross alumni to honor two teachers

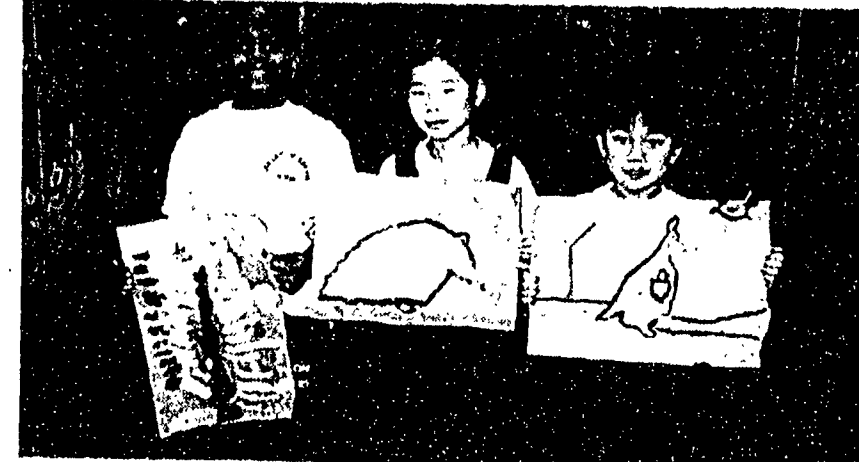
Ed Jakubczak and Bob Koleno were at Holy Cross for a combined 75 years of service before they retired at the end of the school year in 1999. Both will be honored at the first annual Holy Cross Alumni Education Endowment Benefit, "A Collaboration of Education and the Development of Dreams," April 1, at Elmcrest Banquets in Elmwood Park. Tickets are \$75 per person.

There will also be dinner, dancing, and special entertainment. Autographed sports memorabilia, many collectible items, and theater weekend getaway packages will be featured in a silent and live auction.

Reservations can be made by sending a check with an amount for the number of tickets requested to Holy Cross Alumni Education Endowment Fund, % Riebandt & DeWald, P.O. Box 1880, Arlington Heights, Illinois 60006-1880.

For additional ticket information contact: Jack Ross (708) 453-1868. Ross and Larry Wegner are co-chairmen for the event. Proceeds will be used to fund financial aid for needy students attending Holy Cross High School.

Visiting the Continents



Michael Spitt, Susanna Kwak, and Rick Tuville show off their Aboriginal artwork. These first graders are traveling to each continent with the help of their teachers.

Gemini Jazz Bands compete in Festival

On Saturday, February 26th Gemini Jazz Bands 1, 2 and 3 competed in the Jazz in the Meadows Jazz Festival held at Rolling Meadows High School. Over seventy bands from all over the Midwest competed at the Fest. Bands were judged in several categories by various college professors and professional musicians from the Chicago land area.

Gemini Jazz Band 1 came in first place in the Junior High Division. The band received 285 out of 300 points from the three judges and received an overall superior rating. Students Derek Wysocki, Christ Ludkowski, and Jeff Chang received awards for outstanding soloing efforts. The band is directed by Steve Edsey.

Gemini Jazz Band 2 and Gemini Jazz Band 3 each received excellent ratings for their fine performances. The bands are directed by Brian Budzik and Craig Sunkin.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Consolidated Community Development Plan
Cook County Community Development Block Grant Program
Emergency Shelter Grants Program
HOME Investment Partnership Program

DATES: Thursday, April 6, 2000
Thursday, June 1, 2000

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

PLACE: Cook County Board Room
118 North Clark Street
County Building - Room 507
Chicago, IL 60602

The Cook County Consolidated Community Development Plan includes the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, the Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG) Program and the HOME Investment Partnership (HOME) Program. The areas covered by these programs are primarily suburban municipalities under 50,000 in population. These programs do not include the City of Chicago.

PURPOSE: The Cook County Consolidated Community Development Plan will hold two (2) Public Hearings for the 2000 Consolidated Community Development Program Year which begins October 1, 2000.

The amounts of funds available for the 2000 Program Year are: \$12,967,000 for CDBG plus program income (to be determined); \$44,000 for ESG; and \$5,478,000 for HOME.

The purpose of the first hearing, 4/6/00, is to hear proposals from the non-municipal and Emergency Shelter Grant applicants regarding their applications submitted to Cook County, and to hear testimony from interested persons or groups.

The purpose of the second hearing, 6/1/00, is for the Advisory Council to approve the recommended projects for the 2000 program year Annual Action Plan - Year 1 of the Consolidated Community Development Plan.

All interested persons, groups and municipalities are invited to attend and participate.

CONSOLIDATED PLAN SUMMARY

The Consolidated Community Development Plan of Cook County serves as a comprehensive five-year planning document for suburban Cook County. It provides the basis for the consolidation and coordination of the following federal grant programs: Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) Program, and the HOME Investment Partnership Program. The 2000 Annual Action Plan of the Consolidated Plan will describe the activities that Cook County will undertake to address priority needs and local objectives, as identified in the Consolidated Plan, with anticipated grant and program income funds received during the next program year. The Annual Action Plan is being developed with the participation of County residents, local municipalities, and government agencies, and in consultation with various social service organizations.

The draft Annual Action Plan will be available on or after June 30, 2000. Cook County will accept comments on the draft Plan from June 30 through July 31, 2000. For questions or comments regarding the draft Plan, contact Ellis Johnson at (312) 601-1000. The draft Annual Action Plan of Year 1 of the Consolidated Plan can be viewed at the office of the Department of Planning and Development, 69 W. Washington, Suite 2000, Chicago, Illinois.

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Niles Library liason



Photo by Kim Poam
Ms. Ciszek is the Niles Public Library Liason for 15 yrs. Here, she is showing the 5th graders @ Culver School one of the books she promotes during her Book Talks.

Morton Grove Historical Society meeting

The Morton Grove Historical Society will have its next meeting on Tuesday, March 28th, at 7 p.m. in the Baxter room of the Morton Grove Public Library. (Because of the primary elections, the meeting will be held one week later than usual.) Following a brief general meeting, the Society will pay a special tribute to the people who have helped the Society by serving as volunteers.

their services for many activities, including being docents at the Historical Museum, cataloging the Museum's collection of artifacts, and decorating the Museum for the holidays. There is no admission charge for the meeting, and the public is welcome. Light refreshments will be served. For more information about the March 28th meeting, please call Mary Walsh at the Historical Museum at (847) 965-0203.

Members have volunteered

Real Estate Tax Assessment Appeal

Joseph Berrios, Maurice Murphy, and Robert Shaw, Commissioners of the Cook County Board of Review, have announced the dates for filing assessment appeal complaints by property owners in Lemont, Niles, Palatine, and Schaumburg Townships. The filing dates for property assessment appeals opened on Monday, March 13, 2000 and will close on Friday, April 7, 2000.

Evidence which can be particularly helpful to the homeowner seeking an assessment reduction includes any of the following items: a photo of the taxpayer's property; proof of recent sale prices of homes similar to the home of the taxpayer who is appealing; a real estate appraisal, if available; assessed valuations of comparable properties in your neighborhood; and evidence of flood, fire, demolition, or structural damage. Anyone interested in receiving an assessment appeal complaint form can write the Cook County Board of Review.

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SJB Second Grade Class News

During the past month, the second grade classes have been thinking about jobs that people they see everyday have. The children had to think of a job that they would like to have; they then made a job toolbox and filled it with things that are necessary for the job. Each child presented his toolbox to the class. Students then tried to guess what job the child chose to do. Some of the presented toolbox jobs were police officers, professional golfers, a dolphin trainer, a gardener, construction workers, a car dealer, a horse trainer, a cook, a paramedic, an artist, a doctor, a handyman, a salesman, and a maintenance engineer.

Morton Grove Senior Citizens 470-5223

DIABETES SCREENING

Non-insulin-dependent diabetes is gradual in onset and usually occurs in adults over age 40. Some of the warning signs are: blurred or any change in vision, tingling or itchy skin; slow healing of cuts and bruises; and drowsiness. Free diabetes screenings are available from 9 to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, March 28 in the Morton Grove Village Hall Senior Center. People coming in for the screening should fast from the evening meal of the night before.

GOLF MILL SHOPPING

Seniors wishing to join shoppers on a trip to Golf Mill Mall on Tuesday, March 28 should call today to reserve a seat on the bus. Home pick-ups begin at 10 a.m. with arrival at Golf Mill around 11 a.m. Shop and browse for three hours until the bus returns shoppers home at 2 p.m. Mall trips are scheduled on the last Tuesday of every month at no cost. Call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223 to make a reservation.

HEALTH SMART SEMINARS

This series of special "Health Smart Seminars" will be presented at 10:45 a.m. on Mondays at the Prairie View Community Center. To register, call Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

- Osteoarthritis - Knee Pain March 27
- Cardiovascular Wellness April 10
- "Sleep Disorders" April 24
- Osteoporosis May 8
- Cholesterol - The Killer Within May 22

COFFEE WITH CATHERINE

"HOME REPAIR FRAUD" & "HEALTHY AGING"
Discussion on the dangers and warning signs of "Home Repair Fraud" is the important subject at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, April 4 in the Prairie View Community Center. With Spring coming and the need to repair or remodel the house, seniors will be bombarded with many offers to do the jobs. This video will provide legal tips to protect against professional home repair con-artists. There will also be a free consumer guide handed out. For a reservation, call Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

The factors that determine longevity and "Healthy Aging" are surprisingly simple: good nutrition, regular exercise, managing stress and nurturing vitality through supportive relationships and positive attitude. Seniors can view this video hosted by Kenneth R. Pelletier, author of "Mind as Healer, Mind as Slayer" on Tuesday, April 18. A discussion will follow on developing a life plan to insure enjoyment in later years.

STEPPING BACK IN TIME

Travel to Indiana on Wednesday, April 5 for the day to step back in time to the early 1900's. The first stop is Ruthmere, the three-story brick home of Albert & Elizabeth Beardsley. This home has been featured on America's Castles. Next is lunch in Middlebury at the wonderful Country Inn featuring homemade cooking at its finest. Finally, visit the S. Ray Miller Antique Auto Museum in Elkhart featuring a display of 40 antique cars complemented by an extensive collection of vintage clothing and other memorabilia. This is truly a delightful day excursion, both men and women presented by Felicia tours. The bus leaves the Prairie View Community Center at 7:30 a.m. and will return at 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$64 for residents, and \$70 for non-residents. Register at Prairie View.

TAKE TIME FOR THURSDAYS:

"PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE"

"Planning For The Future" is the topic at 1 p.m. on Thursday, April 6 in the Prairie View Community Center. Benecom, Inc. will present current information on Medicare, Medicaid, and decisions related to a person's health care future. Advance planning for final arrangements will also be covered. This program is sponsored by Simkins Funeral Home. Make reservations by calling Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

TORONTO RAIL ADVENTURE

Toronto is known as a brilliant, dynamic and gracious city. Join the Prairie View Travel Club on this five day and four night fun-filled vacation from June 5 through 9. Enjoy delicious meals, unique sightseeing, spell-binding entertainment, first-class service and an exciting train ride aboard VIA Rail's high-speed LRC train to Toronto, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Niagara Falls and Windsor, plus so much more. The cost is \$609/person for triple occupancy, \$649/person for double occupancy, and \$829/person for single occupancy. Call Senior Adult Supervisor, Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200, for more information.

Niles Senior Citizens 588-8420 - 588-8000

NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION

The Niles Senior Center - 999 Civic Center Drive, behind the Village Hall, serves Village of Niles residents, age 62 and over and their younger spouses. To register for classes, trips, purchasing tickets, etc., you need to be a member of the Niles Senior Center. For additional information, or if you wish to become a member, please call or visit and be placed on the mailing list. Free Membership!

COLLECTORS WANTED

The Niles Senior Center is planning a Hobby Collectors Show 2000, Friday, April 28, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you have a special collection or a hobby and would like to participate, please pick up the Information Sheet at the Reception desk.

CELEBRATION OF

SENIORS ANNOUNCEMENT

If you are 90 years of age and older, or a couple celebrating your 50th year of marriage, contact the Niles Senior Center to receive information about an upcoming event.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

COMPUTER LAB VOLUNTEERS are needed to assist other older adults in learning to use computers, approximately 2 to 4 hours a week. Computer experience required. Training will be provided. Please contact Mary Swanson at 588-8420.

MEALS ON WHEELS DRIVERS are needed to deliver meals to Niles homebound elderly, weekdays between 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Please contact Kelly at 588-8420.

VIDEO CAMERA OPERATOR is needed to assist at various events. Must be able to operate video equipment. Please contact Mary Swanson at 588-8420.

GENERAL TICKET SALES

Please Call For Ticket Availability

March: Life Lunch and Movie is noon, Friday, March 24. Sloppy Joe Sandwich followed by Runaway Bride (PG-13) with Julia Roberts and Richard Gere. Cost: \$2.

Evening at the Center - Card Party is Wednesday, March 29, 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Enjoy submarine sandwich with chips followed by an evening of Pinochle, Bridge, Poker, Uno, Billiards and Board Games. Please notify front desk if you are interested in playing a specific game, but don't have a partner. \$6 for meal, games and prizes.

Sunday at the Center - Branch with Yvonne and Larry is April 9, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch (served 12 noon to 1 p.m.) is French Toast, Scrambled Eggs, Mini Bagels with Cream Cheese, Mini Muffins and Danish, Ham and Bacon, Country Fried Potatoes, Pasta Primavera with Chicken and Alfredo Sauce and Orange Juice. Then listen to Larry perform a variety of your favorite songs accompanied by Yvonne on the Piano. Cost: \$8.

Norman Rockwell Exhibit at the Chicago Historical Society is Tuesday, April 11, 9:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. After enjoying America's Best Known Artist, partake of a traditional family style Greek meal at The Parthenon Restaurant. Fannie Mae Outlet completes this tour. Cost: \$30.

April: Life Lunch and Movie is Friday, April 14, from 12 noon to 1 p.m. enjoy a Corned Beef Sandwich Lunch. At 1 p.m., the movie is Circle of Friends (1995, PG-13) starring Minnie Driver as a young woman who leaves her Irish Village to attend the university in Dublin and meets Chris O'Donnell. Cost: \$2.50.

Evening at the Center - "Good Ol' Days" Party is Tuesday, April 25, 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Begin with a dinner featuring Swedish Meatballs, Buttered Noodles, Green Beans Almondine, Caesar Salad and Dessert. (Dinner is served between 5:15 p.m. and 6 p.m.) Then Mark Dvorak plays his guitar and banjo to take you down memory lane! Cost: \$8.

CURRENT EVENTS DISCUSSION GROUP
Current Events Discussion Group is 10:30 a.m., the 2nd and 4th Wednesday each month. Next meeting this month is March 22. Registration is required.

MARCH FRIDAYS AT THE MOVIES
Starring Julia Roberts

• March 24 - Life lunch of Sloppy Joes at 12 noon, Runaway Bride (1999, PG-13), with Richard Gere, is a delightful story of a woman who holds whenever she is about to be married. Cost: \$2. This movie and next week's movie starts 1 p.m.

• March 31 - Pelican Brief (1993, PG-13), with Denzel Washington, is based on a John Grisham book in which law student, Julia Roberts, theory about the assassination of two Supreme Court justices puts her in danger. No cost.

HUMANITIES IN ACTION

Come and learn about our newest program that challenges your mind through exercises. The first meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 19 at 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Registration is required.

Oakton's Emeritus Program

After Muhammad's death in 632 A.D., the world's 25,000 Muslims expected a utopian society; in reality, wealth, power and political influence were unevenly distributed among the prophet's followers. A new course offered by Oakton's Emeritus Program, Islam's Story: After Muhammad's Death (HIS E53-81 Touch-Tone 21045), explores how the Muslim faith was organized so that its people could face the realities of a non-utopian society. This four-week, non-credit course

meets from 10-11:30 a.m. on Wednesdays, beginning April 12, at Oakton's Ray Harstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Skokie. The course fee is \$50. In-district residents age 60 and older pay half the listed fee. Students who have registered for these classes by using the Touch-Tone system at (847) 635-1616. Registration can also be taken via FAX at (847) 635-

1448. Both methods require payment using a major credit card (Visa, MasterCard or Discover). Other Emeritus classes beginning soon include The Cinema of Latin American and Spain (HUM E76), Abstract Art (ART 856), Theater-Going in Chicago (HUM S20) and Friday Afternoon at the Movies (HUM E74). For more information about these classes and a listing of future Emeritus programs and events, call (847) 635-1414.

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Police News

Niles Police Possession of Controlled Substance

A 14-year-old boy and a 15-year-old boy were taken into custody over the weekend after an incident involving an overdose at Golf Mill Shopping Center.

Police say a 15-year-old Morton Grove girl had been given Liquid G by her 15-year-old boyfriend. Liquid G is a controlled substance that induces euphoria and often unconsciousness, leaving the victim with no memory of the incident.

The girl, who was transported to Lutheran General Hospital, was reported in stable condition after the incident and doctors say she should fully recover. Police say the 15-year-old boy, who mixed the Liquid G with Dr. Pepper, took sips of the liquid and shared the drink with his two friends.

The two boys, who disappeared from the scene after police and an ambulance arrived, later told police that they got the bottle of Liquid G off the Internet. The 15-year-old told police that he was unaware that the product was illegal since he was

able to buy it through the Internet. After locating the shipping tag in which the vials were sent, Niles police contacted Long Island, N.Y. police who will conduct a follow-up investigation. The boys were released to their parents pending future criminal charges.

Burglary
A restaurant in the 7700 block of N. Milwaukee Avenue was burglarized in the early morning hours of March 19.

Police say that a rear door was pried open at Siam's House, Inc. and several items were taken, including a cash register, phones, a fax machine, color television set, AM/FM radio and two gas stoves. A small amount of money was also taken in the burglary.

A business in the 9600 block of Milwaukee Avenue was burglarized in the early evening hours of March 18. Police say that tools, panels and a cable totaling \$4,200 was taken after a panel in an overhead garage door was broken off.

A home in the 8400 block of Ozark Avenue was ransacked during the evening of March 18 after the front door was pried open and forced off its wooden frame. Police say the 83-year-old homeowner and his daughter had come home from church and heard noises from the bedroom and hallway. The two then heard the front screen door slam shut. Police surveyed the neighborhood but could find nothing.

A sliding door on a house in the 9800 block of North Grace was pried open in the evening hours of March 18. Police say a stereo, CD player, cassette player and jewelry were taken. Additionally, the basement, kitchen, two bathrooms and all the bedrooms were ransacked.

Theft
Approximately 45 pairs of women's slacks, 20 sweater and 30 skirts on display at the front of a store were taken March 16 from a Golf Mill business. The loss was estimated to be \$3,352. No one witnessed the items being taken.

was taken in two separate incidents from the Cigo Gas Station, 7662 N. Milwaukee over the past week. The first incident, involving \$15 worth of gas, occurred at 7:45 p.m. March 14. The second incident, involving \$22.50 worth of gas, occurred at 7 p.m. March 19.

Aggravated Battery
An 18-year-old Chicago man drove to the Niles Police station after he was cut off in traffic and attacked by that car's drivers. Police say that the man was eastbound on Dempster Avenue near Greenwood Avenue when he was cut off by a black Honda Civic. Two men left the car and began to flash gang signs, the man told police. One man struck the car with a pipe, causing the windshield to break. He then broke the driver's side window, causing an injury to the 18-year-old driver. The man drove to the Niles police department with the Honda following. The drivers of the Honda drove off when the 18-year-old turned into the police station.

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I Was a Teenage Election Judge

About 150 high school seniors in suburban Cook County will serve as election judges at polling places during the March 21 primary. Clerk David Orr announced.

Legislation approved by the Illinois General Assembly last year permits qualified high school seniors, who are not necessarily of voting age, to assume the responsibilities of adult election judges. No more than two teen judges -- one from each political party -- can serve in a single precinct.

This is a wonderful opportunity for young people to get a first-hand view of democracy at work, not just from a textbook," said Orr, who pushed for the statewide measure and administers the program in suburban Cook. "We exceeded our goal of recruiting 100 judges for the primary, but we intend to encourage more schools and students to take part in the program and increase participation in future elections."

Principals from participating high schools must nominate the students and parents must give their permission. Eligible teens must also maintain at least a 3.0 grade point average and demonstrate an interest in the political process.

Morton Grove Theft

A 64-year-old Chicago taxi driver reported theft of service in the early morning hours of March 14 after a passenger he picked up at Halsted and Madison in Chicago left the cab in Morton Grove without paying his fare. The driver told police that he took the passenger to an office building in the 8700 block of Waukegan Road. The passenger told the driver he needed to go into his office to retrieve some money to pay the fare while the cab waited. The man used a key to enter the building but never returned with the money. Police searched the building but found no one.

A car was reported stolen from a parking lot in the 6300 block of West Oakton March 13. Police say the owner's car keys were taken from a jacket hanging in a coat rack at Arrowsmith Shoes warehouse. Three witnesses told police they saw a co-worker trying to enter the car with keys. One witness told police that when she asked the man what he was doing, the man told her that his boss gave him permission to use his car to run errands. A Sony disc player located inside the warehouse was also reported missing.

A checkbook and two credit cards were reported taken from a

briefcase behind the counter of a restaurant in the 6000 block of Dempster Avenue March 10. One check was reportedly cashed for \$1,350.76 at a Chicago food store. It was unknown if the credit cards were used before they were canceled.

Police were called to the Shell Gas Station in the 5600 block of Dempster Avenue March 16 after a car left without paying for \$46.50 in gas purchases.

A homeowner in the 7900 block of Linder Street reported that checks were taken from a purse in their home sometime between January 31 and February 7. A check for \$300 was paid from the account. The account owner did not recognize the name written on the check.

A 53-year-old Chicago man was arrested for misdemeanor retail theft after an incident at the Value City Department Store in the 6800 block of Dempster Street March 14. Police say the man placed a Evan Piccone men's suit in an ankle wrap bandage underneath his pant leg. The man left the store without paying and was arrested, police say.

A security person was assaulted March 13 after he stopped a suspected shoplifter. Police say that the security agent noticed on

store video cameras a woman putting merchandise in her purse. After she bought additional clothing and left the store, the security agent asked the woman to open her purse. The woman, with help from another man, pushed away the security person and left the area via car. Police were able to trace the credit card used to buy some of the merchandise to a 29-year-old Chicago woman.

Burglary
Approximately \$450 worth of power tools were taken from a pickup truck parked in the 5800

block of Dempster Avenue. Police say that the locked vehicle and bed cover were forced open sometime between 3 and 4 p.m. March 4.

Deceptive Practice Investigation
Police are investigating deceptive practices after \$4,095 was written on a closed checking account at Abt Appliances, 9000 N. Waukegan Road.

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Natural gas deregulation

Webster's New World Dictionary defines a utility as a) something useful to the public, esp. the service of electric power, gas, water, telephone, etc. b) a company providing such a service. In a regulated market there is only one local utility that provides both the supply and service to everyone in the area, which makes them such prized possessions when playing Monopoly. In an environment where customers have energy choice,

which is getting closer for Illinois natural gas and electric consumers, the utility still provides the service - but a number of other companies can provide the supply - the game board may soon have to change.

For nearly half a century Nicor Gas has been the utility providing natural gas supply and service to customers throughout northern Illinois. And now, through its natural gas pilot program - Customer Select - Nicor

Gas is helping customers understand deregulation by providing the chance to choose a supplier now, before widespread deregulation becomes effective. Currently, sign up is nearly 100,000 - a remarkable number as it represents more customers than many other gas companies serve in total.

Although a wealth of information has been distributed to eligible customers explaining the details of deregulation and how to

participate in the pilot, some basic questions still remain for customers who are just beginning to grapple with the idea of choice in the natural gas industry. With the deadline for enrollment in Customer Select just a few weeks away - March 31 - here are some common customer questions and answers that have come up.

Q. What is a supplier?

A. A supplier is any entity that purchases a commodity - such as natural gas - on the open market and in turn sells their supply to customers. Suppliers are not responsible for delivery of natural gas to customers' homes or businesses, or maintenance of the utilities' pipes.

Q. How does the purchase of natural gas work?

A. Natural gas is a commodity, like wheat or coffee, and its market price is influenced by many factors across the country, including weather and overall demand. Suppliers purchase natural gas on the open market, trying to get the best possible price.

Q. Nicor Gas has always been my natural gas utility. How will it work when I have choice?

A. Nicor Gas is - and will re-

main - a utility that is regulated by the Illinois Commerce Commission. As supplier choice becomes available to eligible customers, suppliers will have the opportunity to sell only the commodity - natural gas - to customers.

Nicor Gas owns all of the pipes in the ground and will still be responsible for delivering the gas supply through its natural gas pipelines to your home or business regardless of the supplier. As the incumbent utility for the northern third of Illinois (excluding Chicago), Nicor Gas will ensure safety and handle any emergencies or problems involving natural gas, as well as continue to maintain its equipment, including pipelines.

Q. What is Nicor Gas' role in this pilot?

A. As the incumbent utility, Nicor Gas owns the distribution system - local natural gas pipelines - throughout northern Illinois. Since all of the natural gas supply will have to be delivered through this system, Nicor Gas is responsible for ensuring that all aspects of delivery work safely and efficiently.

The Customer Select program allows customers, suppliers and the utility to test how deregulation

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tion will function.

Customers eligible to participate in Customer Select get the chance to review offers from various suppliers and choose the company that best suits their needs.

Suppliers are eligible to purchase natural gas and customize service packages to attract customers.

The utility, Nicor Gas, has the opportunity to set up its internal systems - such as billing for distribution services - to work with outside suppliers and delivery customers.

Q. Why switch?

A. It's possible that some customers will save money. Savings will depend on the volume of gas a customer uses, the supplier program selected and even the weather. Different suppliers offer various options, providing customers the chance to customize their service and select the best fit for them.

Q. Who are the suppliers participating in Customer Select?

A. Suppliers marketing to residential and business customers are: Corn Belt Corporation, The Energy Cooperative, Nicor Energy, L.L.C.; Volunteer Energy Services, Inc.; and WPS Energy Services, Inc. Suppliers marketing only to business customers are: AmGas/MidAmerican Energy; CMS Energy Marketing; Services; and Trading; EnergyUSA; Nicor

Energy Marketing of Illinois, Inc.; Peoples Energy Services Corporation; Reliant Energy; Sanna Energy Services; Unicom Energy Services, Inc.; UtiliCorp Energy Solutions.

Q. It was easier when there was no choice - why not just leave things the way they are?

A. Competition in any industry can help bring about improvements for customers. Customized programs and services, pricing options and the development of new products are all benefits of doing business in a competitive market. Nicor Gas supports choice in the industry because changes will ultimately benefit customers.

Q. Do customers have to participate?

A. No. Customer Select is purely a voluntary program. Customers who choose not to participate will continue buying natural gas for their home or business from Nicor Gas.

Q. How can customers be sure that they will receive the same level of quality service from a new supplier that they receive from Nicor Gas?

A. All of the natural gas suppliers participating in this pilot program have met Nicor's standards ensuring sufficient natural gas supply, pipeline capacity and credit worthiness. In addition, they must adhere to codes of conduct related to telemarketing and customer complaint resolution, as well as comply with truth in advertising laws.

Q. Can customers still use any of the convenient payment

plans they may already have set up with Nicor Gas?

A. Yes. Customers can continue to use Nicor Gas Conventional Payment Plan and Electronic Funds Transfer option. They should ask prospective suppliers about similar plans.

Q. What happens when the pilot program ends?

A. Depending upon the success of this pilot, the program may be extended. At that time, participants may be given the opportunity to remain with their new supplier, select another supplier or return to Nicor Gas.

Customer Select is a pilot program that began in January 1998 and runs through April 30, 2001. Communities eligible for participation include Addison, Bloomington, Bolingbrook, Carol Stream, Downers Grove, Glendale Heights, Glen Ellyn, Joliet, Lockport, Loves Park, Macomb, Park, Normal, Rockford, Roscoe and Wheaton, as well as all business customers.

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Free Public Seminar: Working with an Architect

Are you planning to build a home, remodel your kitchen or renovate a three-flat? The Chicago chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA Chicago) is sponsoring its popular public seminar in April to help homeowners with the design and construction process. The seminar,

entitled Working with an Architect, will be held on Tuesday, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect, and will be led by resourceful residential architects. Workshop leaders will provide information and answer questions about the role of owner, architect, contractor and building

from budget to drawings to construction; and tips on choosing an architect, including how to review a portfolio, check references and assess affordability. In addition, seminar participants will view the AIA video, Investing in

a Dream: A Guide to Getting the Home You Really Want and receive reference materials. The Working with an Architect seminar is free and open to the public. Pre-registration is required. For information and to register, call AIA Chicago at 312-670-7770.

RE/MAX Villagers honors associates

Nineteen associates at RE/MAX Villager, 1245-47 Waukegan Rd., Glenview, have been honored by RE/MAX of Northern Illinois for their outstanding sales achievements in 1999.

RE/MAX associates can achieve membership in one of four honorary clubs based upon the commissions they earned over the course of 1999. The most exceptional sales performance is honored by membership in the Platinum Club. Other top achievers can earn a spot in the 100% Club, Executive Club or President's Club.

On average, the annual sales total of Platinum Club members exceeds \$8 million. David Braun won this award for 1999 sales performance.

Annual sales of 100% Club members range from \$3.5 million to \$8 million. Earning 100% Club membership for their 1999 sales achievements were Eleonora Pasmank, Sue Moon, William Ehlers, Lenora Knudson, Thomas Reharchak, Ana Amal Moral, Patricia Joseph, Janet Levenez, Sandra Hampton and Michelle Shoemaker.

Members of the Executive Club typically have annual sales of \$2 million to \$3.5 million. Named to Executive Club membership for their 1999 achievements were Leonard Golden, Toni Brens, Daryl Fine, Tom Vana, Keith Hancock and Linda Thomas.

Annual sales in the \$1 million to \$2 million range earn membership in the President's Club. Honored for reaching this sales milestone were Martin Kong, Joel Diener and Arline Levy.

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The RE/MAX of Northern Illinois Region consists of more than 2,500 associates providing residential, relocation and commercial real estate services through 119 individually owned and operated offices throughout the northern one-fourth of Illinois. The Northern Illinois Region has more than 3,400 independently owned and operated full-service real estate offices in 34 nations and eight territories on six continents.

INTEREST RATE FACTORING CHART

This chart will assist you in calculating your monthly principal and interest payments for fixed rate loans. Check to find your interest rate then look across to find your interest rate factor according to your term (years). To calculate your principal and interest payments, multiply the interest rate factor by the loan amount in 1,000's.

Example: Rate 6.5%, Term 15 yrs; Rate Factor 9.56
Loan Amount \$100,000; 9.56 x 100 = \$956.00

This chart does not include property taxes, insurance, association fees or other charges.

Factors per \$1,000.

Interest 15			Interest 30		
Rate	Years	Factor	Rate	Years	Factor
6 %	15	8.44	10 %	15	10.75
6 %	30	8.44	10 %	30	10.75
6 %	45	8.51	10 %	45	10.82
6 %	60	8.57	10 %	60	10.87
6 %	75	8.64	10 %	75	10.93
6 %	90	8.71	10 %	90	11.05
6 %	105	8.78	10 %	105	11.13
6 %	120	8.85	10 %	120	11.21
6 %	135	8.92	10 %	135	11.29
6 %	150	8.99	10 %	150	11.35
7 %	15	9.06	11 %	15	11.45
7 %	30	9.13	11 %	30	11.53
7 %	45	9.23	11 %	45	11.62
7 %	60	9.32	11 %	60	11.71
7 %	75	9.42	11 %	75	11.81
7 %	90	9.52	11 %	90	11.91
7 %	105	9.62	11 %	105	12.01
7 %	120	9.73	11 %	120	12.11
7 %	135	9.84	11 %	135	12.22
7 %	150	9.95	11 %	150	12.32
8 %	15	10.12	12 %	15	12.43
8 %	30	10.23	12 %	30	12.54
8 %	45	10.34	12 %	45	12.65
8 %	60	10.45	12 %	60	12.76
8 %	75	10.56	12 %	75	12.87
8 %	90	10.67	12 %	90	12.98
8 %	105	10.78	12 %	105	13.09
8 %	120	10.89	12 %	120	13.20
8 %	135	11.00	12 %	135	13.31
8 %	150	11.11	12 %	150	13.42
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9 %	30	11.40	13 %	30	13.66
9 %	45	11.52	13 %	45	13.78
9 %	60	11.64	13 %	60	13.90
9 %	75	11.76	13 %	75	14.02
9 %	90	11.88	13 %	90	14.14
9 %	105	12.00	13 %	105	14.26
9 %	120	12.12	13 %	120	14.38
9 %	135	12.24	13 %	135	14.50
9 %	150	12.36	13 %	150	14.62
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Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation announces name change

The Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation announced that it is changing its name to the Frank Lloyd Wright Preservation Trust. The announcement, delivered to members and volunteers at the Foundation's 26th Annual Meeting, Feb. 15, 2000, at the ballroom of the School of the Art Institute in Chicago, comes after careful deliberations.

The Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation name reflects the museum site it has operated for more than 25 years. The addition of the Frederick C. Robie House, on the campus of the University of Chicago, as a second museum site led the organization to consider changing its name to represent its expanded mission.

"The name Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation implies more than one museum site," says Joan B. Merritt, president of the Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation. "The Foundation has had world-

wide support for more than 25 years with its current name, so it is important to create the link between the current name and the new one, as well as the connection between the Home and Studio and the Robie House."

The Foundation will begin operating with its new name in September 2000.

The museum sites respectively represent the birth and culmination of the Prairie style of architecture and draw more than 100,000 individuals from the United States and abroad each year. Currently, the Foundation is managing the ambitious interior and exterior restoration of the Frederick C. Robie House in the Hyde Park neighborhood of Chicago, during which time it will remain open to the public.

The Annual Meeting also included the election of officers and a new director and recognition of the Foundation's outstanding volunteer corps for three, five, 10, 15, 20 and 25 years of service. Rob Wetherald, senior vice

president for Corporate Facilities & Administrative Services at Scudder Kemper Investments was elected to a second two-year term as board chairman and Ellen Hite, director of human resources at Jenner and Block, was elected vice chairman. Other elected officers included Graham Rarity, sales management at Tiffany & Co., secretary, and James A. Graves, vice president of Bank One, treasurer. Sara G. Bode, president and chief executive officer of Honey Tree Inc., was elected to the board.

For more information on the Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation's tours, educational programs, Wright Plus Housewalk on May 20 and other activities, call (708) 848-1976.

The Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio Foundation, 951 Chicago Ave., Oak Park, Ill., was established in 1974 to restore and preserve Wright's Home and Studio as the birthplace of the Prairie style of architecture. In 1997, the Foundation assumed management of Wright's Frederick C. Robie House owned by the University of Chicago.

Condominium sales begin in downtown Skokie

Sales are underway at Lincoln Court Condominiums, the newest community by Northfield-based Focus Development. Located at 8035 Lincoln Avenue in downtown Skokie, the four-story courtyard building will feature 30 one- to two-bedroom homes with 1 to 2 1/2 baths. Lincoln Court Condominiums will also include 3,600 square feet of retail space.

The nine floor plans offer a variety of room combinations including dining, formal dining rooms, eat-in kitchens, walkout balconies, rooftop terraces and walk-in bedrooms. Prices range from \$169,000 to \$297,000. Homes at Lincoln Court Condominiums range in size from 992 to 1,777 square feet.

Those searching for privacy may prefer the F floor plan, a two-bedroom, two-bath home with an eat-in kitchen, den and Great Room. Separated from the second bedroom by the Great Room, the F's master bedroom features a walk-in closet, walk-to-wall carpeting and master bath. The master bath includes a double-bowl sink, soaking tub and separate shower.

The Great Room features a walkout balcony and is around the corner from the second bath and the laundry room, which includes side-by-side washer/dryer hookups. The den, which is off of the entry, can easily be converted to a third bedroom due to its wall-length closet and optional doors. The F is priced from \$214,300.

All kitchens are equipped with designer cabinetry and countertops; disposals; Moen stainless steel double-bowl sinks; and white-on-white GE appliances, including a slide-in gas range, microwave, frost-free refrigerator with icemaker and dishwasher. Baths feature ceramic floor

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"HALL OF FAME RECIPIENT"

Carol Picarra, Broker Owner of RE/MAX Allstars located at 2900 Milwaukee Ave. in Niles, was proud to announce that her partner Richard Haczak was inducted into the RE/MAX Hall of Fame recently in Las Vegas, at the RE/MAX International Convention. In order to achieve membership in the RE/MAX Hall of Fame, a sales associate must have individually closed more than 350 real estate transactions during their RE/MAX career. Since its inception, the RE/MAX International Hall of Fame has recognized 325 affiliates from Northern Illinois with Richard being the second inductor from Niles.

Richard has been associated with Niles since 1965 when he opened Haczak Storage on Milwaukee Ave., which is operated for over 25 years. He went on to help organize the original "Hall of Niles" because a Village Trustee in 1966 and got his real estate license in 1970, and had served on various real estate committees over the years. He and his partner, Carol Picarra, opened RE/MAX 100% Club and a Lifetime Multi-Million Dollar Producer. He can be reached at RE/MAX Allstars located in Oak Mill Mall in Niles at (847) 965-5544.

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Skokie (847) 470-7522, 5600 Old Orchard Road, Room 155, Skokie, Illinois 60076 (2nd Municipal District Circuit Court).

Rolling Meadows (847) 818-2067, 2121 Euclid Avenue, Room 237, Rolling Meadows, Illinois 60008 (3rd Municipal District Circuit Court).

Maywood (708) 865-5509, 1500 Maybrook Drive, Room 082, Maywood, Illinois 60153 (4th Municipal District Circuit Court).

Bridgeview (708) 974-6074, 10200 South 76th Ave., Room 237, Bridgeview, Illinois 60455 (5th Municipal District Circuit Court).

Markham (708) 210-4116, 16501 Kedzie, Room 237, Markham, Illinois 60426 (6th Municipal District Circuit Court).

Property owners in the townships mentioned above have until 5 p.m. on Friday, April 7, 2000 to file assessment appeal complaints.

The Board will then notify the taxpayer of a hearing date where they will be able to argue on behalf of their request for a lower property tax assessment.

Norwood Park Home schedules Open House

An Open House at Norwood Park Home, 6016-20 N. Nina Ave., Chicago, will be held from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. on Wed., March 29. Visitors will have the opportunity to tour the Assisted Living Units and Suites along with other facilities, meet residents and staff members and enjoy refreshments. It is a leisurely and informative way to examine a retirement facility and have your questions answered.

Norwood Park Home is a 211 bed-facility that is fully licensed to operate as Assisted Living and Skilled Nursing Care. To best meet the needs of residents, care in both areas is classified into three levels. Residents in Assisted Living I and II require some assistance with care or need supervision. Skilled Nursing Care also is divided into three levels, ranging from light intermediate to skilled care. The level of care is determined after careful evaluation of the resident's needs.

For more information about the Open House or Norwood Park Home, call (773) 631-4856.

District Spelling Bee winners

The Annual Sixth Grade Spelling Bee, held by East Maine School District #63, was conducted on March 8, 2000 at the Dr. Donald C. Steina Educational Service Center. Before a group of students, parents, teachers and administrators, the eight district finalists did an outstanding job of demonstrating their prowess in spelling.

The eight contestants were: Apollo School - Ho Seok Ku, Suisant Patel, Nelson School - Vanessa Hurst, Amy Behrendt, Mark Twain School - Jasmine

Roy, Peter Ciesielski, Washington School - Michael Pak, Michael Ibrahim.

The winners, Michael Pak, First Place, Washington School, and Jasmine Roy, Second Place, Mark Twain School, were awarded trophies with gold Spelling "Bees" on top.

Moderator Nicholas Maldonado, Principal of Apollo School, congratulated all of the contestants for their fine preparation for this event. All contestants were

presented with Certificates of Achievement.

The judges were Orlando Piedra, Principal of Mark Twain School, Barbara Danielson, Teacher, Washington School, and Judith Henning, Director of Curriculum and Instruction.

There are six schools in East Maine School District #63. The District serves students in communities of Des Plaines, Morton Grove, Niles, Glenview and Park Ridge.

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The agreement would create a governing board consisting of a representative from each taxing district which would contest appeals brought before the PTAB if the granting of such appeals result in a loss of at least 50% of tax revenue.

The Library Board approved intervening in such an appeal at this month's meeting, when it voted to fight against a PTAB appeal presented by MPC Products Corporation. MPC has requested an assessment reduction of over \$300,000, which could result in possible loss of \$600,000 in tax revenue to the library.

Library attorney Dennis Walsh of Klein, Thorpe and Jenkins, Ltd. said that by joining forces with other taxing bodies, the library could save money on costs incurred when fighting future tax appeals.

The library district could either join the consortium as full members granting it an equal vote with

other taxing bodies, and making it responsible for contributing legal fees for each appeal regardless of whether or not a case involves the library directly, or it could join as an "ex-officio" member, only voting on cases where a ruling would result in at least 50% of lost library tax revenue. In such instances, the library would not be responsible for costs incurred once the appeals process is concluded.

In a letter to Czarniecki, Klein, Thorpe and Jenkins attorney, Gerard Dempsey cautioned that as municipalities derived significant revenues from sales taxes, they tend to be "somewhat reluctant" in challenging property tax appeals from commercial real estate. Since these municipalities would also be allowed to join the consortium, Dempsey states that their participation "may compromise to some extent the state purpose of the Cooperative," and recommended that the library opt for limited participation in order to save itself from potential liability.

The Library Board did not vote on the matter, but will do so at a future board meeting.

Condos . . .

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felt that the area is showing a trend in development toward multi-family residential use, and that the Village's comprehensive plan calls for the area to be a mix of commercial, residential and institutional uses. Mr. Rosenack also reported that Mr. Steve Lennet, the Planner for the applicants Elliott Homebuilders, Inc. and McShane Corp., agreed with Ms. Jacobson's view, noting that the petitioners would present a plan in keeping with the area's character. The Board of Trustees approved the rezoning of the property.

The remaining two cases called for the construction of up to 354 condominium units and

200 senior assisted living units, and for a Special Use permit, allowing for a planned unit development. Elliott Homebuilders and McShane Senior Living, after receiving input from village officials and residents, revised their original plans to decrease the density of the development, comply with building height restrictions, allow for legally mandated open space and fire safety requirements, allow for the condominiums to be provided a sound barrier as appropriate on the portion of the property adjacent to the Schwarz Paper factory and to allow for other detailed construction requirements to be met.

The second and third of these cases were passed by the Village Board of Trustees.

Director . . .

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ity. They looked on as he took the oath of office administered by Board President Andrew DeMonte.

The Board as a whole congratulated Fougereousse on his new job. Commissioner Betty Fergus commented that there are "some big shoes to fill, but I think you've got big shoes, too." Commissioner Ellen Coursey, giving a friendly reminder that the job is demanding, said she would "make your hair as white as mine." DeMonte said he knows Fougereousse will "do a good job, but if you don't I'll call your mother."

Fougereousse has been employed by the Morton Grove Park

District for 19 years, holding the position of Superintendent of Recreation/Facilities for the last 16. In 1997 he was selected as VIP of Morton Grove, and in 1998 he received the Al Hatten-dorf Professional of the Year Award from the Illinois Parks and Recreation Association. He earned an MS from Aurora University. About his new position Fougereousse stated "I am very excited about the opportunity that has been provided to me and I look forward to the challenge that this position will bring."

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Sexual

abuse . . .

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Arnold Lee Sampson, 69, of 3901 W. Greenleaf Street in Skokie, was arrested March 2 after the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services alerted the Skokie police department. Sampson confessed to police that he had fondled the girl at least five to 10 times since the beginning of this year, police said.

Authorities were alerted to the incident after the teenage girl, who attends special education classes at Julia Molloy School in Morton Grove, told a relative of the incidents. That relative informed school officials who contacted the state department of Children and Family Services. Skokie police were contacted on March 1.

Police say Sampson, who has worked for the All Town Bus Company for a year, apparently recently would pick up the girl early on his route in Skokie and then pull over to a side street where he would walk back to where the girl sat. Representatives from All town declined to comment on the incidents.

Sampson, who appeared in court March 7 to face the Class 2 felony charge, was being held at Cook County Jail in lieu of posting bail on a \$50,000 bond. Police investigators say they are pursuing the possibility of other charges in the case.

Sampson has no previous criminal record and police say they do not believe there are other victims.

Coyote . . .

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to an increase in population and an increase in new construction, coyote sightings are becoming a more common occurrence than ever before. Since coyotes are not nocturnal animals, it is not at all uncommon to see them in broad daylight. For that reason, the Police Department strongly stresses the importance of NEVER leaving small children or small dogs outside unattended.

Although there have been increased sightings, the only time it is necessary to contact police regarding coyotes is if you witness a coyote being fed by someone, or if it appears to have become domesticated. A coyote is domesticated if it nests on your property or does not run away when approached by humans.

To reduce the likelihood of the animal frequenting and nesting on your property, NEVER FEED A COYOTE. It is not just dangerous, it is illegal to do so. Also, accessibility to garbage is one of the easiest ways for coyotes to find a meal, so the Park Ridge Police Department recommends covering up garbage securely.

Any questions can be directed to the PRPD at 847-318-5222.

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business career as a partner with his father in the former Amling Brothers Wholesale Florists, Des Plaines. The business was not connected to the Amlings Flori-riand chain which then was operated by his father's brothers.

Mr. Amling was a lifelong member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Des Plaines where he served for many years on the board of trustees and the board of managers for the church endowment fund. Mr. Amling also graduated from Immanuel Lutheran

Evans . . .

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To that end, painting, cutting, painting and writing were common exercises in her classroom, former students say. Mrs. Evans was also an accomplished seamstress who made clothes for herself, her friends and her family.

Mrs. Evans, who lived in Des Plaines since 1957, was known as a firm teacher who loved to have fun, according to her daughter, Lynn Sakata. She wanted the children to enjoy themselves but she would not put up with any nonsense, she said.

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Millennium Spelling Bee results

Matt Araszewski of Northbrook, proudly announces the Knights of Columbus Spelling Bee Competition for 2000 has concluded with the following winners: 1st place - Max Starowicz, 2nd place - Stephen Christ and 3rd place - Stacie Barlas.

The finals were held in St. John Brebeuf School's Plangan Hall, Niles, on Thursday, Febru-

ary 24, when the top 5 candidates in 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th grades competed for the top 3 positions.

Winners received council recognition and a chance to represent the council in the regional Knights of Columbus competition.

Matt thanks the many teachers assisting in the competition and the brothers that helped host this successful event.

The school appreciates this fine representation and is sure the boys came away with a feeling of achievement and respect for academic excellence.

Thank you to the parents who took the time to drive their student to this downtown location for the competition.

The students in Mrs. Styczen's fifth grade class and the students in Mrs. Braun's second grade class at Nelson School worked together to make comic strips honoring the late Charles Schulz.

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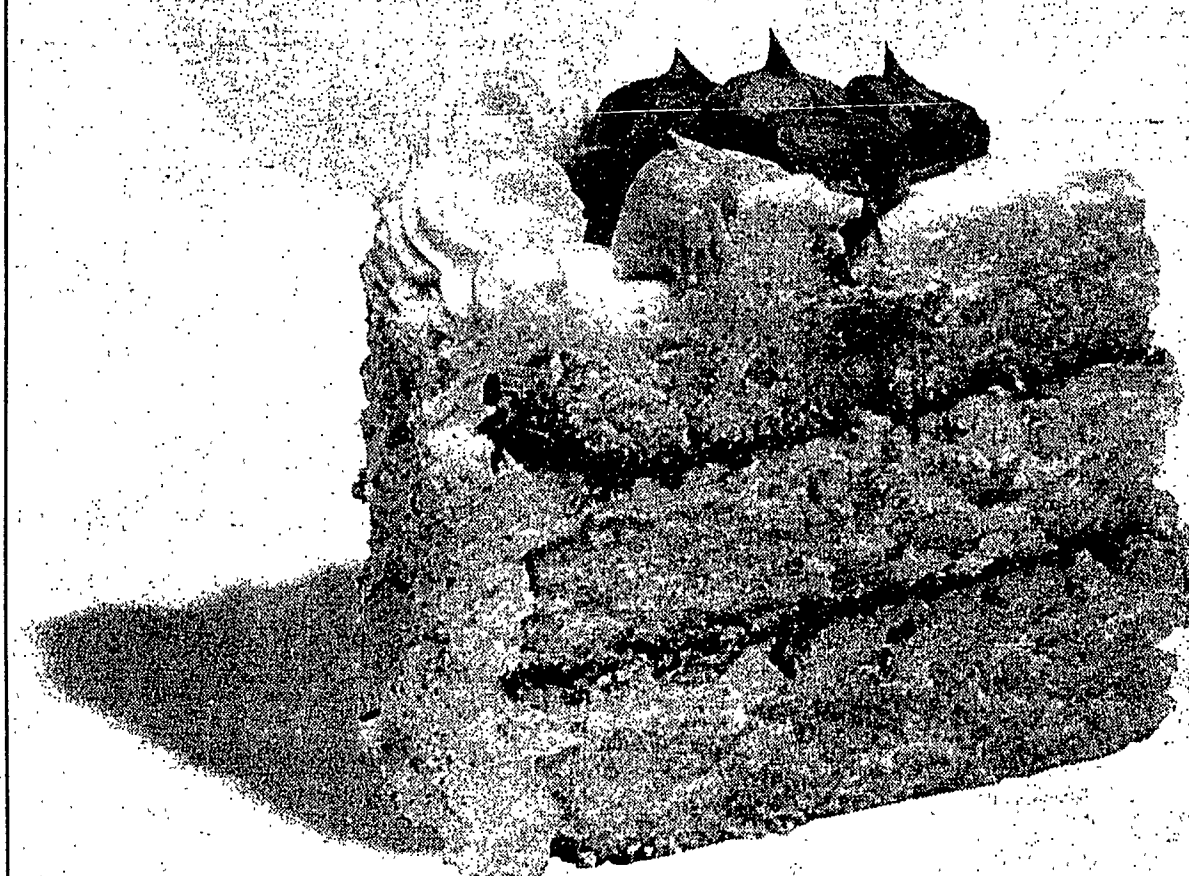
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Lincolnwood Town Center



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