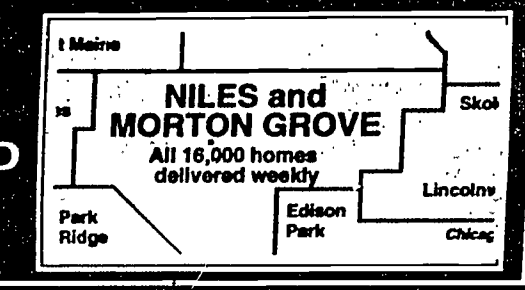




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## St. Martha's parish school to close

After 53 years, St. Martha's school faces being closed by Chicago Archdiocese this summer.

Enrollment at the primary school has declined dramatically. Four years ago, St. Martha's saw 200 students enrolled for the school year. When that figure dropped to just 94 for 2000-2001, following the departure of several teachers at the end of this school year, St. Martha's pastor, Father Robert Burnell, requested that the school be closed.

As enrollment has dropped throughout the last few years,

parents have been pulling their children out of St. Martha's and relocating them to other Catholic schools, subsequently leading to lower enrollments.

School officials hope that St. Martha's doors will eventually reopen, but in the meantime the parish plans to help parents alleviate the costs of moving students to schools outside of the parish (there a fee of about \$500 per student to attend school outside of a supporting parish).

Many St. Martha's students have been enrolled at parochial schools in Skokie and Wilmette.

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## Preliminary work begins on Dist. 219 project

While the major construction on Niles North and Niles West won't begin until next year, both District 219 high schools will see preliminary work done this summer, as the district kicks off its much anticipated expansion/renovation project.

With next year's enrollment at Niles North expected to increase by 100 students, most of the work will be done at that high school in order to temporarily house students and faculty until the major construction begins in 2001.

The work at Niles North will

include the addition of a second classroom for students with special medical needs. The current special needs classroom will be converted into a computer lab, while the computer lab will be relocated to space designated for health classes. In turn, the health classes will be held in a temporary mobile classroom, which will also be home to as many as eight teachers' offices.

Meanwhile, Niles West will see comparatively minor work including repairs to the hallway and new carpeting for the audi-

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## Lowes seeks to open store in Lincolnwood

Lowes Home Improvement Center has approached the Village of Lincolnwood seeking to construct a 115,000-square-foot store and garden center at the southeast corner of Touhy and Lawndale avenues on property currently owned by Illinois Tool Works.

Village officials believe that Lowes would bring a significant amount of sales-tax revenue to the area. Lowes proposal calls for the village to share approximately \$4.5 million in such revenue with the developer.

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## Skokie man killed in car crash

Two people were killed and one injured when a driver crashed into their disabled car parked on the shoulder of the Edens Expressway in Wilmette.

Leonid Broadaskaya, 52, of Skokie, and Eugenia Sokolova, visiting from Russia, died in the crash.

Broadaskaya's daughter, Maria, was seated in the back of the car during the accident and sustained serious injuries but was listed in stable condition at Evanston Hospital.

Police received a call between noon and 12:30 p.m. from a mo-

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Area residents harshly criticized for 'wasting Board's time'.

## Proposed townhomes near Abbey Manor draws anger

Board meetings in general tend to be rather staid, but when the issue at hand concerns development of multi-family housing in Niles' residential neighborhoods, you can count on both Plan Commissioners and resi-

by Lisa Ashkenaz Croke

dents to put on a good show. Lately, recent meetings at the Plan Commission have a tendency to degenerate into shouting

matches as residents concerned about declining property values argue with frustrated Commissioners.

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## Woman commits suicide in police officer's home

A Park Ridge woman may have used an off-duty Chicago police officer's handgun to commit suicide in his Northwest Side apartment on Monday night.

Elizabeth Billing, 21, met the sergeant in a bar on the 5300 block of North Cumberland. She said she had no place to sleep, so he gave her the key to his apartment at about 7:30 p.m.

When he returned almost four hours later, the door was locked and there was no response when he knocked. After a janitor opened the door, the officer found Billing's body and an eight-page note.

According to police, she thanked the officer for letting her stay in the apartment, and wrote that she was sorry about his apartment at about 7:30 p.m.

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## Vice President Al Gore in Niles



Vice President Gore addressing Niles seniors on Medicare July 6.

by Lisa Ashkenaz Croke

ence last Thursday morning at the Niles Senior Center.

Addressing a crowd of seniors, state representatives, and local officials, Gore hammered home his theme of "fighting for the people, not for the power-

ful," in a not too subtle reference to his opponent for the presidency, Republican candidate Texas Governor George W. Bush.

Armed with charts graphing his proposals to save Medicare,

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## Time tells the story of waterproofer warranty

Finding water in the basement after a heavy storm, to put it mildly, a nasty experience.

"Every year at this time, hundreds of homeowners in the area will have that experience," says Bill Crawford of EverDry Waterproofing, "and the only thing that will take the sting out of it is knowledge that there's someone out there who can fix the problems once and for all."

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He says early detection of a basement water problem is important. "A musty smell, mildew and mold, dark spots and other discoloration, minute cracks in the basement walls and, of course, water seeping through these are just a few warning signals of serious trouble ahead." "Any of these are all signs that the property owners should have the basement inspected by professionals, and that's another service we offer at no charge."

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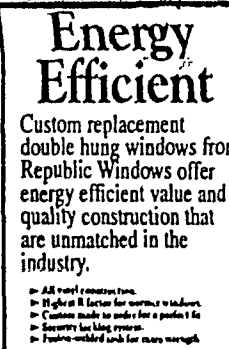


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## Native American Pow Wow in Morton Grove

Events and activities at the Pow Wow included dance and music with The Portage Singers and Dancers of the Midwest American Indian Association, Native American Stories and History with Nipundikan Productions, Native American craft and food demonstrations, and archeological displays. Pow Wow was funded with assistance from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources/Illinois State Museum.



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Julia Ramone of Chicago by a Wig Wam.



Portage Singers and Dancers of the American Indian Center.

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## Maine Township awarded \$130G in state grants

Maine Township will receive \$130,000 in grant money from the 2000-2001 Illinois State budget for road repairs and improvements to the Township Hall in Park Ridge.

Sponsored by Township Trustee Bob Dudy's brother, State Senator Walter Dudy, and the Illinois General Assembly offices of state representatives Michael McAuliffe and Ralph Caparelli, the funds will be distributed to Maine Township by mid-Fall of 2001.

Trustee Mark Thompson said that the funds will allow the township to begin repair work on projects that otherwise would have likely been done next year. The majority of the money, \$120,000, will go to facility improvements at Township Hall on 1700 Ballard Rd., and the remaining \$10,000 will be used for road repairs.

## Roosevelt Reunion

Roosevelt High School, 3436 West Wilson, Chicago, Class of 1975 25th Reunion: Saturday, July 22nd, 2000.

For more information e-mail at rhs1975@aol.com or write to rhs1975 25th Reunion, P.O. Box 2133, Northbrook, IL 60065-2133 or call (847) 559-8609.

P.S. we still need your help looking for classmates.

## Applications for member of Board of Education available

A vacancy exists for the seat on the Board of Education held by Dr. Mary Pat Jordan who tendered her resignation effective June 27, 2000. East Maine School District 63 is now accepting applications for prospective Board members through July 20, 2000.

The Board of Education is accepting applications for prospective members to fill the unexpired term of Dr. Jordan until the next regular school election to be held in April, 2001. In compliance

with the School Code of Illinois the Board of Education will appoint a successor for Dr. Jordan within forty-five (45) days of the date of her resignation. Dr. Jordan's full term will expire in November, 2001.

In order to be eligible to submit for candidacy to the Board of Education the applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must be 18 years of age or older, must be a resident of East Maine School District 63 for at least one

(1) year, and finally, must be a registered voter.

Individuals wishing to file an application for candidacy to the Board of Education may secure the appropriate documents from Mr. Michael J. Johann, Board Secretary, at the Educational Service Center located at 10150 Dee Road, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016. If additional information is required, please contact Mr. Johann at (847) 299-1900.

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

## Jerusalem Lutheran Church & School

Vacation Bible School  
Jerusalem Lutheran School invites children, from preschool through eighth grade, to attend their annual Vacation Bible School for a week of Bible stories, songs, snacks, crafts and new friends! Jerusalem Lutheran is located at 6218 Capulina Ave. in Morton Grove. This year's VBS theme will be "The Impossible Mission." Vacation Bible School will be held July 24 through 27, 9 to 11:30 a.m., and on Friday, July 28, a family night cookout will be held. To register or for more information, please call Mr. Gustafson at 965-4750.

or come early on Monday morning.

### School News

Jerusalem Lutheran School, 6218 Capulina in Morton Grove, recently held its Kindergarten graduation. The graduates presented a program of songs, Bible verses, and recitations, including their "Keys for Happy Living." This year's graduates are Julia Phillips of Niles, and Rachel Naumann, Matthew Hutchinson, and Elizabeth Ceisel of Morton Grove. For information on Jerusalem's grade school or preschool programs, call Mr. Gustafson at 965-4750.

## Dr. Frank Petlak Niles dentist, dies

Frank R. "Doc" Petlak, D.D.S. was laid to rest Monday morning at Interment Maryhill Cemetery.

Dr. Petlak was a 4th Degree member of the North American Martyrs Council and is survived by his wife Eveline; children Robert, Andrew (Karen), William (Patti), and Mary Lynn

(Roman) Satur, and grandchildren Frank, Kirsten, Christopher, RJ, Roger, Tarah, Michael, William, and Holly.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Misericordia Home, 6300 N. Ridge Ave., Chicago, IL 60660. For info. call 847-966-7302.

## Summer job seekers wanted in Maine Township

There is still time to get extra spending money for summer fun or to start saving for back-to-school needs. MaineStay's E.A.R.N. (Encourage Adolescent Responsibility Now) program is seeking young people ages 12-19 from Maine Township who want jobs doing lawn care, child care or a variety of other part-time duties.

E.A.R.N. matches up requests from area residents with job seekers. Jobs are available year

around and can be seasonal in nature. Job seekers and potential employers are encouraged to contact MaineStay at 847/823-0650 for further information, sign-up forms or other assistance.

MaineStay is located at 838 Busse Highway in Park Ridge. For details on all Maine Township activities, agencies and programs visit the Maine Township website at www.mainetownship.com.

## Disabled Services to host Lunch & Bingo

Disabled persons from Maine Township are invited to join in the fun on July 25 at Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., from noon to 3 p.m. The day will be highlighted with a light lunch, games and bingo.

The cost for lunch and bingo is \$6.25. Bingo without lunch is \$1. The Town Hall is accessible. A sign language interpreter will be available upon request. Call Donna Anderson, Director of Disabled Services or Barbara Winiacki at 847/297-2510 (voice) or 847/297-1336 (TTY) for reservations or further information on this and other programs/activities for disabled persons. The lunch/bingo program is held every fourth Tuesday.

For further information on all Maine Township activities, agencies and programs visit the Maine Township website at www.mainetownship.com.

## Gretchen E. French promoted

Gretchen E. French is the new Director of Agency and Community Services for Maine Township. She was appointed last week by the Board of Trustees to fill a vacancy left when Phyllis Klug retired late last year.

Ms. French had most recently been working for the Township in an administrative assistant position. Prior to that she was in various teaching-related capacities with Community Consolidated School District 62 at the Algon-

quin Middle School.

Her new duties will include overseeing agency funding and related activities such as the popular Agency Day, Student Government Day, and Clinical Government Program while serving as liaison to local schools regarding local government. In addition, she will also coordinate the annual Volunteer Recognition Reception and prepare the Maine Focus newsletter.

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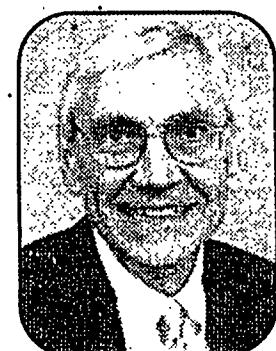
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## Niles Public Library

Discover Tips for Coping with Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia

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strategies, Carly Hellen, director of Alzheimer's education at The Wealshire, will explain common behaviors associated with these diseases and how to handle daily living with obstacles. This program requires registration. Please register at the Library Information Desk or call 847/663-1234.

Summer Movie Fun for Kids at the Library

Looking for a fun way to spend the afternoon? Join us for our summer movie series especially for kids! The Niles Public Library District will premier the children's motion picture "Stuart Little" on Wednesday, July 19 and Thursday, July 20 at 1 p.m. Don't miss the fun when the Little family adopts an adorable, spunky boy named Stuart, who looks a lot like a mouse. State-of-the-art special effects, laugh-out-loud comedy and rip-roaring hijinks make this the biggest adventure a Little can have! This film is rated PG and is 85 minutes long. Tickets are required and will be available in the Children's Department the day of the show. For more information, please call the Library at 847/663-6623.

Let's Play Marbles  
From classics like the ring and drossies to marble versions of football, golf and tic tac toe, discover dozens of entertaining marble activities during Play Marbles on Monday, July 24 at

## Our Lady of Ransom Festival



Photos by Kim Poam  
Andy Brezina, 10 years old, is a winner at Catch a Frog.



Waiting for some rides.

3 p.m. at Niles Public Library District. Demonstrating a variety of marble games, Bob Frede, a marble expert and collector, will share his collection of marbles for an afternoon of old-fashioned fun for school-age children and adults. Collectors -- bring your own marbles for a free appraisal! This program requires registration, and space is limited. Please register in the Children's Department or call 847/663-6623.

Dream Interpretation  
What do your dreams really mean? Learn to examine the wonderful world of dreams during Dream Interpretation on Tuesday, July 25 at 7 p.m. at Niles Public Library District. Discussing how dreams can be used to solve problems, release pain and aid one's personal growth, Joyce Shatney, a licensed clinical social worker, will explain how to record your

dreams and keep a dream journal. Learn the significance of recurring dreams and nightmares, predictive dreams, the problem-solving aspects of dreaming and more! Shatney has studied dreamwork and has taken numerous courses and workshops on dream interpretation. This program requires registration. Please register at the Library Information Desk or call 847/663-1234.

Movie "Six Days, Seven Nights" Premieres at the Library

Niles Public Library District's summer film series continues with "Six Days, Seven Nights" on Wednesday, July 26 at 2 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Starring Harrison Ford and Anne Heche, this entertaining, romantic comedy is about a New York City career woman who's forced to interrupt an idyllic tropical vacation with her boyfriend for an adventurous business side trip. This movie is rated PG-13 and is 102 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.

Martial Arts Demonstration  
Teens, ages 12-18 -- are you interested in learning more about martial arts? Then you won't want to miss this workshop on Wednesday, July 26 at 7 p.m. at Niles Public Library District. Discover the basic principles of taekwon do as well as the physical and mental benefits of martial arts training during this hands-on workshop.

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### District 63 students' artwork on display

"Faces in the Light" portraits of Native Americans drawn by sixth-grade artists from Viola H. Nelson School (East Maine School District 63) in Niles, are on exhibit through August 20 at Kendall College's Mitchell Museum of the American Indian, 2600 Central Park Avenue, Evanston.

The exhibit comprises 20 pencil-and-ink drawings, based on photographs of Native Americans chosen by the 11- and 12-year-old student artists from Des Plaines, Morton Grove, and Niles.

Although it's unusual for grade-school art to be shown in a bona fide museum, Mitchell Museum Director Janice Klein said, "We welcomed these drawings because of the Native American emphasis, the students' sensitivity to the subject matter, the quality of the artwork, and the museum's interest in young people and families."

The Mitchell Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Thursdays until 8 p.m.), and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. Admission: \$2 suggested adult donation; \$2.50 seniors, students, and children. For information, phone (847) 475-1030.

### Dear members of the Niles Community

In an effort to provide a community service project, 4 scouts from Boy Scout Troop 175 have selected the renovation of St. John Brebeuf's Flanagan Hall, as their Eagle Service Project. These young men have chosen these various projects to provide a service to their community.

With this facility being utilized as a meeting place by many organizations throughout the community, the much needed painting and renovations will benefit many folks in our community.

After reviewing the proposed renovations the scouts have their plans in place.

But these scouts can not successfully accomplish this undertaking without the help of the members of the community! They need your help!!

Initial estimates to renovate and recondition the hall are approximately \$9,000 for the replacement materials and supplies. The associated labor is estimated at approximately 450 hours of labor to provide the expected results.

All funding and the necessary labor for these projects can not be provided by the Parish, so the scouts have turned to members

of the community for help. Here's where we can all pull together to help.

The scouts are asking the community to assist them in their project to improve the facility. All monetary contributions will be used to renovate and improve the hall and adjoining rooms. The renovations have been set to start in early August 2000. Actual time schedules will be announced.

All contributors to this great cause will be announced. Large contributions will be noted on a special plaque to be mounted in the hall. We ask everyone to be generous in their time & monetary donations for this worthy cause.

Donations can be sent to the St. John Brebeuf, 8307 N. Harlem Ave., Niles, IL 60714. Please mark the envelope "Flanagan Restoration Fund." Please help us provide a better meeting place!! For more info on donations of time and/or money, contact Bob Galassi at 847-965-0920.

Respectfully yours in service to our community, Bob Gallasi, Asst. Scoutmaster Troop 175 & David Okun, Scoutmaster Troop 175.

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• It's important to establish a relationship with your florist.

Discuss your budget and show your florist different styles that you like.

• Select flowers that are in season and locally grown. They are more plentiful and can be a big cost-saver.

• For the church, consider splitting the cost of the church flowers with the couple who is getting married before or after you.

• For the centerpieces, decorate each table with smaller floral clusters, giving each couple a small arrangement to take home.

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Pictured is Club President, Phyllis Cossarek, holding Leadership Award, on left Jean Seitsinger, General Federation of Women's Clubs-Illinois President, and right, State Junior Director, Bonnie Heydon.

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To order a free copy of the *For Women Only Calcium Counter*, women can call 1-877-878-7394 to up their calcium today. For more nutritious and delicious recipes, visit the KRAFT Web site at [www.kraftfoods.com](http://www.kraftfoods.com).

### Mario Tricoci to beautify Pheasant Run

Pheasant Run Resort proudly announces the opening of *Mario Tricoci's newest Hair Salon & Day Spa* at Pheasant Run. With construction nearly complete, the resort is buzzing with excitement over the 3,200 square foot, two-floor space about to be unveiled. *Mario Tricoci Hair Salons & Day Spas* will provide over 200 services to resort guests and Tricoci clients, including body treatments, massages, facials, manicures, pedicures, waxing, haircuts, color and makeup. The addition of the *Mario Tricoci Hair Salons & Day Spas* is one of the largest and most exciting projects the resort has undertaken since their multi-million dollar resort renovation program began in 1998.

Pheasant Run has created five Mario Tricoci specialty overnight packages for guests designed to relieve stress for a long weekend or one-night stay. They may even create their own! The resort tower rooms on the 15th floor are currently being remodeled to include king size chiropractic/therapeutic mattresses, hair dryers and lighted makeup mirrors with five-time magnification power for Mario Tricoci overnight guests. Each exclusive package includes a

Tricoci's Choice Welcome Platter, two souvenir plush Pheasant Run Robes, use of the fitness center and three pools. Packages start at just \$399 per couple. Guests may choose from the following getaways:

• The Mario Tricoci Sport Lover or Sun Lovers Package.

• The Mario Tricoci Under the Sea Package: showcasing the hottest new spa trend with a variety of seaweed treatments.

• The Mario Tricoci Deluxe Spa Package: includes massage, facial, choice of one of three spa treatments, and a complimentary New Image Design.

• The Mario Tricoci Day and Night of Beauty: features seven relaxing hours of eight luxurious services, plus a gourmet lunch.

In addition to weekend and overnight escapes, *Mario Tricoci Hair Salons & Day Spas* at Pheasant Run Resort offers two new massage treatments, the Thai Massage and Basalt Stone Therapy. Massage and similar treatments will be exclusive to the first floor, which lends itself exclusively to spa relaxation and rejuvenation and contains six private treatment rooms. Upstairs is the salon level, where makeup, hair care and nail treat-

ments are the focus.

Please join Pheasant Run Resort in welcoming Mario Tricoci Hair Salons & Day Spas. Witness history in the making. Indulge yourself in luxury and reward yourself with the pampering you deserve. Visit Mario Tricoci Hair Salons & Day Spas at Pheasant Run Resort open 7 days a week, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Reservations required for groups and strongly recommended for individual appointments.

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Jennifer, a 1995 graduate of Illinois State University, received a bachelor's degree in education. She is employed as a third grade teacher by Northbrook School District 27 at Grove School in Northbrook.

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## Health News

### Marriage conflicts may affect mental and physical health

Failure to select a mate who shares a similar value system, has family or cultural similarities and a compatible personality can negatively affect much more than the marriage -- it can also affect mental and physical health, according to Phillip L. Elbaum, L.C.S.W., a clinical social worker and assistant professor in the department of psychiatry at Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL.

Poor mate selection can lead to marital discord, which in turn

may lead to a higher risk of psychiatric disorders such as depression, alcohol or drug abuse and anxiety disorders, according to Elbaum, who also is a social work clinical manager at the Edward Hines Jr. Veteran Affairs Hospital, Hines, IL.

Marital discord occurs when couples engage in negative criticism, or in contempt, which occurs when one person attacks the other's self-esteem and the other becomes defensive.

"While the link between se-

lection of a compatible mate and a harmonious marriage seems obvious, the number of individuals who have psychiatric disorders related to marriage problems indicates that some people miss, or ignore, early warning signs in a relationship," said Elbaum.

In fact, research indicates that 42 percent of patients who seek mental health services are identified as having psychiatric problems, such as anxiety, depression and substance abuse related to marital problems. Women, in particular, are at risk for depression if marriage problems surface.

"A major misconception is that relationship issues manifested during the dating and engagement periods will suddenly disappear after marriage," said Elbaum. "In reality, for many people, these problems continue to exist or get worse as the marriage progresses."

Another common theme among couples who face problems is when either person fails to take responsibility for his/her actions and withdraws, which in turn can lead to a conversation ending without a resolution, noted Elbaum.

"The inability of couples to regulate conflicts or bridge their

differences successfully is the leading reason why 50 percent of marriages in the United States and 60 percent of second marriages end up in divorce," said Elbaum. Research indicates that half of the U.S. marriages end in seven years. The first two years are the most critical in a marriage, with divorce peaking in the second year.

Elbaum notes that research conducted by John Gottman, University of Washington in Seattle, has shown that extreme personality traits, such as aggressiveness, volatility or antisocial behavior can negatively impact a relationship.

"Couples who argue, but who provide each other positive feedback, can enjoy solid marriages," added Elbaum. "Arguing and differences between couples are healthy when they are goal-directed, issue-focused and do

not attack the other partner's self-esteem."

In fact, healthy marriages can serve as buffers against stress because individuals in successful relationships are better able to manage other problems and issues in their lives, said Elbaum.

"What's important is not who you choose as a mate, but how you deal with your choice," he said.

Elbaum advises that people be aware of the situation and get into a successful conflict regulation mode by engaging in a dialogue that fosters constructive communication and respect. Most conflicts are not resolved but regulated, said Elbaum. If partners continue to experience severe emotional distress, they may want to consider marriage therapy from a professional expert, he said.

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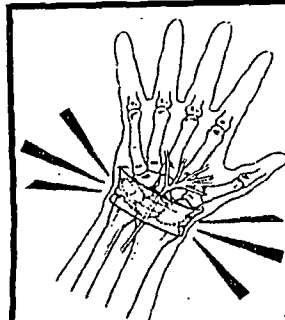
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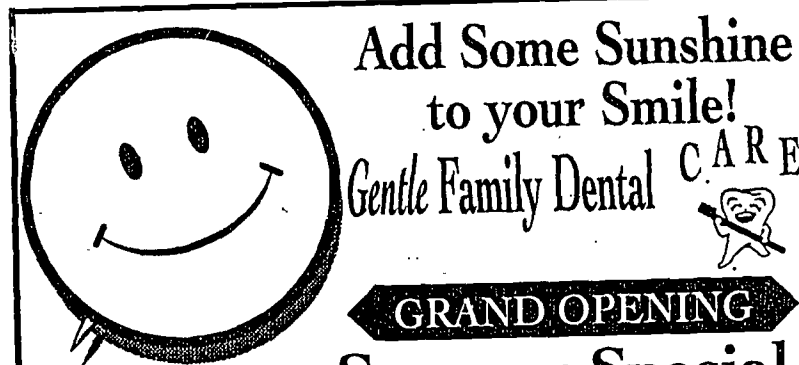
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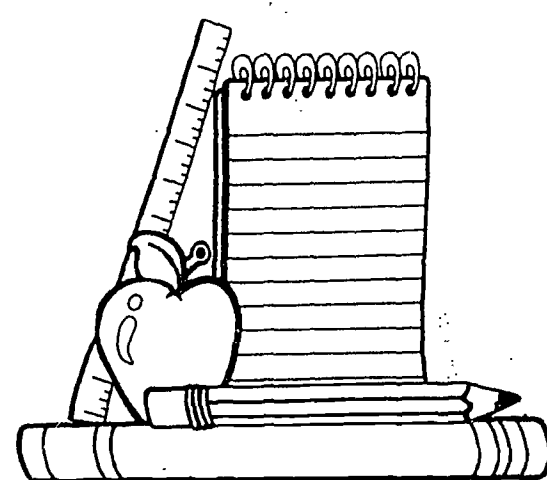
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## Health News

### Sun, water, food and bugs: Summer health and safety tips

The summer season is short, so that means suburban Cook County residents spend as much time as possible outside. The Cook County Department of Public Health reminds everyone to enjoy the warm weather days with safety in mind:

#### Sunburn Safety

The number of cases of skin cancer has more than doubled in the past two decades, increasing about 4 percent a year despite the warnings:

1. The best treatment for sunburn is prevention. Apply sun screen lotion to children every time they go outside for more than 30 minutes. Make sure the lotion will protect against both UVA and UVB rays. Re-apply every three to four hours.

2. Gradually increase the

amount of time your children are exposed to the sun. Try to avoid sending them out between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. when the sun is at the peak of intensity.

3. Don't be fooled by cloudy skies -- about 70 percent of the harmful rays from the sun can reach the skin and cause a burn.

#### Water Safety

Drowning is the second leading cause of unintentional injury-related death in children 14 and under, with as many as 1,800 children drowning yearly.

1. Always provide adult supervision while children are in or around water.

2. While learning to swim is important for children, never rely solely on swimming lessons, life preservers or other equipment to keep a child safe.

3. Remember that lifeguards are on duty to respond to emergencies, not to supervise children.

4. Maintain gates and fences around residential pools.

5. Take a class and become certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

#### Food Safety

Picnics are part of summertime fun, but illness should not be. Food safety when picnicking should be a number one priority.

1. Always wash hands thoroughly before preparing food and after handling raw meats. Scrub fruits and vegetables, too.

2. Avoid cross-contamination of foods by keeping each food item separate. Wrap foods well.

3. Keep food chilled. Don't take food out of the refrigerator until it's time to leave for the picnic. Stock cooler with plenty of ice and maintain a temperature of 40 degrees F. Replenish ice as necessary.

4. Cook food properly. To ensure bacteria are destroyed, cook hamburgers and ribs to 160 degrees F, ground poultry to 165 degrees F and poultry parts to 180 degrees F. Never partially cook food for later use.

5. Put leftover perishable items back into the cooler immediately after grilling or serving.

Food should never be left outside for more than an hour. When in doubt, throw it out.

#### Insect Bites or Stings

Avoiding infested areas is the best, but if that is not possible, make sure arms and legs are covered with clothing to protect against bites.

1. The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends using insect repellents containing no more than a 10% concentration

of DEET on children.

2. Avoid contact to the mouth or eyes and try not to put any repellent on the hands because it may get rubbed into eyes.

3. Make sure skin gets washed thoroughly after coming indoors.

4. Do not scratch or pick at a bite -- it can infect the area and leave a scar.

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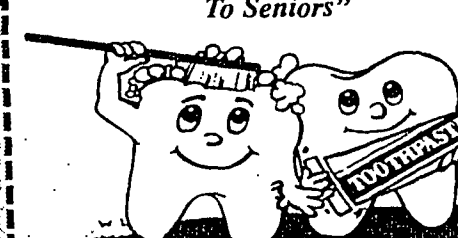
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Dominican University Center Stage proudly announces the 2000-2001 Fine and Performing Arts season. Exemplary artists from around the world and close to home will grace our stage in a season filled with premier events and rare moments of theatre, music and dance.

The Guest Artist series begins with a powerful play about an American stage and screen actor

who rise to superstardom and subsequent decline is one of the legendary tragedies of Hollywood. Consummate stage actors Michael Poehlman and Jill Poehlman bring the legend to life in the Chicago-area premier of *Barrymore*, by William Luce. Center Stage welcomes two of Chicago's leading dance companies, River North Chicago, and the return engagement of

Muntu Dance Theatre of Chicago. We are also thrilled to present the internationally-renowned Moscow Boys Choir for a joyous holiday concert. Additionally, we welcome the smooth stylings of contemporary vocalist Alice Peacock. The Chicago Cultural Center has been the home of ShawChicago for over sixty years and Center Stage is pleased to showcase this company of Chicago's finest actors with their lively concert reading of one of Shaw's most engaging comedies, *Mrs. Warren's Profession*.

Center Stage is honored to welcome two great literary artists to our stage: Frank McCourt and Wendy Wasserstein. These distinguished authors/playwrights will create an atmosphere filled with magic as they share their wit and wisdom about life, work and art.

The Children's Series is full of adventure with four shows that will delight the whole family. *Wiley and Hairy Man* tells the story of the courage of a small boy with a big fear who learns to overcome his fears and outwit the Hairy Man. AlphaBet Soup Productions will also return to Center Stage with their wild, wacky, warm and wonderful adaptations of *Little Red Riding Hood* and *The Jungle Book*. The holidays just wouldn't be the same without two timeless classics, *Twelve Night Before Christmas* and *A Charlie Brown Christmas*. Center Stage will present these delightful shows back-to-back as one fun-filled production.

Music, laughter, tears and trials encapsulate the season of plays appearing at Center Stage. The longest running musical in the world, *The Fantasticks* by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt, is a touching look at young love, featuring many well known songs such as "Try To Remember" and "Soon It's Gonna Rain." The springtime tale about two love affairs both assisted and complicated by the scheming of busybodies is the premise of William Shakespeare's intelligent and romantic comedy, *Much Ado About Nothing*.

Two great dramas are also slated for this season *The Rimers of Eldritch*, by Landford Wilson, and *The Runner Stumbles*, by Milan Sitt. A man is murdered in the small town of Eldritch, but who is he? And what were the circumstances surrounding the murder? A young nun dies mysteriously and the prime suspect is a priest in *The Runner Stumbles*. Powerful murder mysteries that leave the audience to judge. And our student directors will also create a stir with their look into truth and illusion in *Uncommon Scenes*, An Evening

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Trix Circo Mundial tours  
Chicago

General Mills' Trix Cereal presents Trix Circo Mundial, the first bilingual Latin-flavored circus, to Chicago through July 20, in the parking lot of Soldier Field. Tickets can be obtained by calling Ticketmaster at 1-888-959-0595.

Trix Circo Mundial is a single-ring circus that performs to the rhythms of salsa, merengue and other Latin beats. Audiences interact with a variety of stunts, trapeze acts and acrobatics done with spectacular Latin-flavored live music and folklore costumes. The majority of the circus performers, artists and clowns are from Latin America, Spain and the Spanish-speaking Caribbean, as well as Hispanic communities in the United States.

The Waterloo German  
Band returns tonight

The Village of Niles Leaning Tower Concert Series continues on Thursday, July 13 with the Waterloo German Band. The Waterloo German Band has entertained in Germany, Washington D.C. at the White House Lawn Concerts, for several Presidents of the United States, and numerous Senators. They have played at dances, conventions, festivals, concerts, parades and social gatherings in 22 states.

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The concert series is free and open to the public. The concert

will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Food will be available by Shaul's Presentation Catering & Events in Niles, (847) 647-9304. Please bring your own lawn chairs. If you have any questions, please call the Village of Niles at (847) 588-8000.

Thursday, July 20, The Village of Niles will welcome the Fabulous Murray Brothers. The Fabulous Murray Brothers are four talented singer-musicians that play over 25 instruments combining comedy, impersonations, and audience participation. Their contagious enthusiasm is enhanced by costumes, lighting, computers, special effects and more! Don't miss the "ultimate variety band" in concert. Food will be available by Shaul's Catering in Niles. Come out and join the fun!

## Dining / Entertainment

Marriott Theatre presents  
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Performance Schedule: Wednesdays at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; \* \* \* Thursdays at 8 p.m.; Fridays at 8 p.m.; Saturdays at 5 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.; and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. A signed performance for the hearing impaired is scheduled for Saturday, August 12th at 5 p.m. \*Added matinees -- July 27th, August 3rd, August 10th, and August 17th.

Ticket Prices: Ticket prices range from \$33 to \$38. \*Students and senior citizens receive \$5 off the full ticket price (excluding Friday and Saturday performances). \*\*Receive a complimentary dinner with the purchase of a full price ticket for Thursday evening performances. The Thursday Night Complimentary Dinner has a limited availability and is not applicable with any other discount or offer. \*Reservations with a major credit card can be made by calling the Marriott Theatre box office at (847) 634-0200. Dinner Theatre Packages available for all performances.

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of One Act. Season brochures will be available in late July. Subscriptions and single event tickets will be available beginning August 1. Please call the Dominican University Center Stage Box Office at (708) 524-6942 for more information or to be added to the mailing list for our season brochure.

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## Free Disney mini-movie festival

Disney Channel PremEARS in the Park, a Free, mini-movie festival for kids and families, will take over the New World Music Theatre on Thursday, July 13.

As part of the events, kids and families will be treated to a premiere of the Disney Channel original movie, Ready 2 Run, on a giant screen. Families will also enjoy activities, games, prizes, live performances by rising musical acts, Hoku and BBMAK, and a special live stage performance by favorite Disney characters.

Where: New World Music Theatre -- Tinley Park, Illinois.

When: Thursday, July 13 (rain or shine); Games and activities begin at 6 p.m.; Movie begins at sundown.

Local residents can call (708) 614-1616 for event information. Admission to the event is free of charge. Parking fees may apply. Seating is first-come, first-served. Families are encouraged to bring canned food donations which will be collected on site for the "Can Film Festival," and donated to the Greater Chicago Food Depository.

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## Community Calendar

**'Hands on Health'**

Looking for fun, kid-friendly ways to share vital health tips with your children? Searching for up to date information on nutrition, health care, and local immunization programs? It's all available in one big multicolored interactive exhibit at Skokie Public Library this July.

The traveling Hands on Health exhibit, resembling an ambulance, contains health-related books, models, and storytelling materials geared toward children and their caregivers. Visitors can play with colorful plastic food models to learn more about the five basic food groups, and familiarize themselves with human anatomy with skeletal models. Books on a variety of health topics are also available for library cardholders to check out and enjoy at home.

The Hands on Health ambulance will be parked in the library lobby from July 6-31. It will be accessible during normal library hours, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday from noon to 6 p.m. Skokie Public Library is located at 5215 Oakton Street.

Watercolor and acrylic paintings, photography, dimensional wall hangings, paper mache sculpture, glassworks and much more will fill the sidewalks of Edens Plaza during the 6th Annual Edens Art Fair to be presented by American Society of Artists, a national membership organization, at Edens Plaza, Lake, Skokie & Edens Expy, Wilmette, Saturday, July 15 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, July 16 from Noon to 5 p.m. Other display will include hand-crafted jewelry, decorative painting, wildflower collage, metalworks, oil paintings and much more.

Art in Action will be included in the show with some of the exhibitors working/demonstrating at various times during the show. Alice Jaeger-Ashland, a exhibitor in the show will be working on block prints, Bill Dobias on wildflower collage and Irene Shamok on paper mache sculpture. Each of the many exhibitors will be happy to discuss their work with you.

Programs will be available free of charge listing the exhibitors, their media and showing their location in the show.

Among the exhibitors will be Mark Stoga, Park Ridge; Vuja-din Dabich, Park Ridge; Lili Perone, Morton Grove; and Irene J. Shanok, Des Plaines. Additional information may be obtained from A.S.A. at 312/751-2500 or by calling 847/991-4748.

**Former pastor to preach at St. Luke's Church**

This Sunday, July 16, the Rev. Carl Mielke will be the guest minister at the 9:30 a.m. Worship Service at St. Luke's Christian Community Church, 9233 Shermer Road, Morton Grove.

Rev. Mielke is a former pastor of the Church, having served for 11 years, from 1976 - 1987. He has the distinction of being the pastor who served the church longest in its entire history.

Members and friends who remember Pastor Mielke and were touched by his ministry will enjoy seeing and hearing and greeting him and his wife again.

For further information, please call the church, (847) 966-9233.

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**Summer dance classes offered by NEIU's Department of Music**

A five-week summer session of dance classes for children, teens and adults will be offered at Northeastern Illinois University (NEIU) beginning July 24 through August 24.

Classes for children ages 3 to 7, offered on Thursday afternoons, including Creative Movement and Pre-Ballet. On Monday afternoons, the Children's Summer Dance Workshop for students ages 8 to 12 will offer classes in ballet, jazz, tap and modern. Classes for teens and adults include Ballet II/III, offered on Thursday evenings, and Modern/Jazz/II which will be held on Monday evenings.

The cost for the Children's Dance Workshop is \$80; all other courses are \$40. The classes will meet in room 114 of the A-Wing on NEIU's campus, 5500 North St. Louis Avenue (near Bryn Mawr and Central Park), Chicago. For additional information, registration, or to receive a schedule of classes, contact Rachel Burton at (773) 794-6138.

**Lake Shore Ski Club to meet**

Lake Shore Ski Club will meet at John Barleycorn's Pub, Lincoln and Belden, in Chicago on Wednesday, July 19. Meeting begins at 6 p.m. All who are interested are cordially invited to attend and learn about the exciting summer events which include tennis, golf, bicycling, volleyball and rollerblading to name a few.

Lake Shore Ski Club was founded in 1955 and has over 1200 members from throughout the Chicago Metropolitan area, Northern Indiana, Western Michigan and Southern Wisconsin.

For further information and to find out about the advantage of becoming a Lake Shore Ski Club member, call 312/777-1200 or visit our website at www.lssc.org.

**Greek Food Fest to be held**

St. Haralambos Greek Orthodox Community of Niles is hosting a Greek Food Fest on July 14 to 16 on the church grounds at 7373 Caldwell Avenue in Niles. Sample Greek food, wine and music! For further information, call (847) 647-8880.

**Knightly News & Views**

Grand Knight Rich Zaprzalka invites all brothers to the first monthly business meeting of his third term. The meeting will be held in Flanagan Hall on Wednesday, July 19, in Flanagan Hall, starting at 7:30 p.m. Rich will discuss the upcoming year's events.

Special thanks to all the members that supported the council at the Niles Independence Day Parade for year 2000. Grand Knight Rich Zaprzalka would like to thank the members that participated in the honor guard and the brothers that handed out candy along the parade route. It was another great showing for a great council.

Grand Knight Rich Zaprzalka offers his congratulations to Sir Knight Andy Beierwaltes, Sr. upon his receipt of the St. John Brebeuf Holy Name Society's "Man of the Year" award. A great award for a great man.

For more information on membership - call membership chairman Joe Tatkowski at 847-966-6913.

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## Community Calendar

### The Cradle

**Domestic Adoption:** The Cradle, a private, state-licensed, nonsectarian adoption agency, conducts free informational meetings on domestic adoption from 7 to 9:30 p.m. the 3rd Tuesday of the month at Lutheran General Hospital (Johnson Auditorium) 1775 Dempster in Park Ridge. Call (847) 475-5800.

**International Adoption:** The Cradle, a private, state-licensed, nonsectarian adoption agency,

conducts free informational meetings on international adoption from 7:30 to 9 p.m. the 1st Tuesday of the month at The Cradle, 2049 Ridge Ave. in Evanston. Call (847) 475-5800.

### Pizza Party

Summertime Is Pizza Time! American Legion Post 134: 6140 Dempster, Morton Grove. Starting July 14, 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. Pizza - Beer - Soda \$1 each.

### Niles Park District Bright Beginnings Preschool

Preschool registration for the 2000-2001 preschool program is underway. Registration is currently being accepted at the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard Street, until all classes are filled. Classes meet two, three, or five days a week depending on your child's age. For registration, or to have information mailed to your home on our Bright Beginnings Preschool Program, please call (847) 967-6653.

### Birds and Butterfly Walk

The Lake-Cook Chapter of the Illinois Audubon Society will venture to Goose Lake Prairie State Natural Area in Grundy County July 15 for a day of birding and butterflying. Special birds of the area include the state endangered Henslow's sparrow, king rail, orchard oriole among others. As the day warms up, butterflies should fill the prairies with color.

### Flea Market Fundraiser

The Maine Township Regular Democratic Organization will sponsor a Flea Market Fundraiser on Sunday, July 16, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., rain or shine, in the south parking lot (fronting on Milwaukee Ave.) of the White Eagle Restaurant and Banquets, 6767 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. Plenty of parking is available in the back of the restaurant. Vendors will be selling a variety of items, new and used, including: crafts, beanie babies, collectibles, jewelry antiques, toys, audio/video, kitchen wares, furniture and miscellaneous. Admission is only 50 cents for adults, children are free. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. A copy of our report is or will be on file with the Cook County Board of Elections. For more information call Gail at (87) 724-6469.

### Crohn's and Colitis meeting

Chicago's Carol Fisher Chapter of The Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America, a support group for those who want support or information about Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis, meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. in Room 1041A, 10th Floor, Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 Dempster St., Park Ridge. Free. The next meeting will be held on July 20. For information about the support group call (847) 520-3456. For information about CCA call (847) 827-0404. Visit our web site at www.ccf.org.

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### White Sox players at Wolff's

On Sat., July 15, Keith Foulke, Star reliever for the Chicago White Sox will be making an appearance from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Wolff's Flea Market and Antique Mall - Located at 2031 N. Mannheim in Melrose Park (at the intersection of North and Mannheim Aves.) Keith will be signing one free autograph per person as time permits.

### SINGLES

Sun., July 16  
20- & 30-Something Singles

Twenty-Something & Thirty-Something Jewish Singles Socials - the Jewish Connection Let's Get Together Party. Play the Dating Game and have your picture taken for the Moment Date Book, Niles Township Congregation, 4500 Dempster at Kolmar, Skokie, Sunday, July 16, 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (men to 45) \$5. Call (847) 317-1171.

Sun., July 16  
Spares Sunday Evening Club

Spares Sunday Evening Club for widowed, divorced, and other single adults is sponsoring a Hawaiian Luau Dance from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 16 at the American Legion, 6140 Dempster Street, Morton Grove. Live music is by The Rhythm Lads. Hawaiian wear is optional. Members \$6, guests \$7. (847) 965-5730.

North Shore Jewish Singles 50+ Rap Session 7:30 p.m. \$4 call for reservation and location (847) 821-9440 or (847) 433-4423.

Wed., July 19  
North Shore Jewish Singles 50+

7:30 p.m. \$5 Sidney Zwick presents a Musical program featuring Klezmer Music. Beth Hillel Congregation, 3220 Big Tree Lane, Wilmette. For information call (847) 878-2872.

Sun., July 23  
North Shore Jewish Singles 50+

Dance 7:30 p.m. \$10 Beth Hillel Congregation, 3220 Big Tree Lane, Wilmette. Includes refreshments. Music by Frank Mitchell's Band. For information call (847) 328-5353 or (847) 965-5663.

Sat., July 29  
North Shore Jewish Singles 50+

7:30 p.m. \$6 at Par King in Lincolnshire on Milwaukee Avenue. We will meet afterwards for a snack at Dappers on Euclid/Lake and Milwaukee Avenue (menu). Reservation call either (847) 679-5107 or (847) 680-8463.

### Niles

#### Animal complaint

A woman leaving her house on the 7700 block of Waukegan noticed that her vacationing neighbor's dog was lying in back of the house and seemed unable to get up. When the woman returned just over 3 hours later, the dog was lying in the same position, unable to fully move.

The woman contacted the Niles Police Department and told them that another neighbor was caring for the dog while its owners were on vacation.

The officer reported that the dog was found surrounded by flies near the back door crying. He couldn't move and seemed unaware of his surroundings and emitted a terrible odor.

The dog was taken for treatment to the Niles Animal Hospital and notice of the incident was left in both the owner's and caretaker's mailboxes.

#### Stolen auto (recovered)

Unknown offender(s) gained entry to an attached single-car garage on the 8300 block of Elmwood sometime between Friday night and Saturday morning when the homeowner discovered that his 1991 Grey Honda Accord was missing.

According to police, the offender(s) removed the garage door opener from the man's Nissan pickup truck which was parked in front of the house. Once inside the garage, the offender(s) located the Accord with the keys in the ignition and took the car. The homeowner said that he never heard the garage door open.

At approximately 4 a.m., a witness observed the vehicle at the bottom of the swimming pool at a park in Morton Grove. The Morton Grove Police Department was notified and recovered the vehicle.

An unnamed offender entered the rear service door at a car dealership in the 5700 block of Touhy on July 3 and removed a 2001 Pathfinder that an employee had temporarily left unattended with the keys in the ignition.

An officer from the Skokie Police Department found the car undamaged parked at a restaurant in the 5600 block of Touhy later that night. The suspect is described as male, black, in his 20s, 5'7", 250 lbs.

#### Theft of purse

A woman was helping an elderly shopper pick items off the shelf at a food store on the 7800 block of Waukegan when a man grabbed her purse from her cart and started running out of the door.

A nearby witness saw the offender and gave chase. The man was seen driving away in a grey '92 Mitsubishi 4-door sedan. The man is described as a white male, 20-25 years old, 6'1", 170 lbs. with a fair complexion

and thin build. Police traced his license plate number to an address in Barrington, but had not made an arrest at the time of report.

**Theft**  
Two as yet unknown offenders were observed on video tape stealing 15 bottles of vodka from the liquor department at a food store on the 5600 block of Touhy Friday evening. The two men, ages 18-20, 5'10" and 6' ft., 150 and 170 lbs fled the store with \$150 of liquor.

#### Burglary

Unknown offender(s) entered a donut shop on the 7500 block of Harlem sometime after closing via the drive up window using a pry-type tool to open the 2' x 2' sliding window.

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An officer responding to a moving violation accident on the 8300 block of Golf smelled a strong scent of alcohol on one of the drivers.

When asked if he'd been drinking, the driver said that he'd had a lot to drink the day before. After failing a field sobriety test, the driver agreed to a breathalyzer which registered an alcohol level of .167. The driver was then taken into custody.

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A 27-year-old Glenview man was arrested June 21 after he was charged with failure to stop after a motor vehicle accident. Police said the accident occurred about 2 a.m. June 18 when a car traveling eastbound on Dempster was struck by a car traveling northbound on Waukegan Road. The second car fled but the front license plate fell off at the scene of the accident. The Glenview man told police that he had "panicked" following the incident and therefore left the scene. A court date was scheduled for July 21.

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## Police News

### Animal complaint

A woman leaving her house on the 7700 block of Waukegan noticed that her vacationing neighbor's dog was lying in back of the house and seemed unable to get up. When the woman returned just over 3 hours later, the dog was lying in the same position, unable to fully move.

The woman contacted the Niles Police Department and told them that another neighbor was caring for the dog while its owners were on vacation.

The officer reported that the dog was found surrounded by flies near the back door crying. He couldn't move and seemed unaware of his surroundings and emitted a terrible odor.

The dog was taken for treatment to the Niles Animal Hospital and notice of the incident was left in both the owner's and caretaker's mailboxes.

### Stolen auto (recovered)

Unknown offender(s) gained entry to an attached single-car garage on the 8300 block of Elmwood sometime between Friday night and Saturday morning when the homeowner discovered that his 1991 Grey Honda Accord was missing.

According to police, the offender(s) removed the garage door opener from the man's Nissan pickup truck which was parked in front of the house. Once inside the garage, the offender(s) located the Accord with the keys in the ignition and took the car. The homeowner said that he never heard the garage door open.

At approximately 4 a.m., a witness observed the vehicle at the bottom of the swimming pool at a park in Morton Grove. The Morton Grove Police Department was notified and recovered the vehicle.

An unnamed offender entered the rear service door at a car dealership in the 5700 block of Touhy on July 3 and removed a 2001 Pathfinder that an employee had temporarily left unattended with the keys in the ignition.

An officer from the Skokie Police Department found the car undamaged parked at a restaurant in the 5600 block of Touhy later that night. The suspect is described as male, black, in his 20s, 5'7", 250 lbs.

### Theft of purse

A woman was helping an elderly shopper pick items off the shelf at a food store on the 7800 block of Waukegan when a man grabbed her purse from her cart and started running out of the door.

A nearby witness saw the offender and gave chase. The man was seen driving away in a grey '92 Mitsubishi 4-door sedan. The man is described as a white male, 20-25 years old, 6'1", 170 lbs. with a fair complexion

and thin build. Police traced his license plate number to an address in Barrington, but had not made an arrest at the time of report.

**Theft**  
Two as yet unknown offenders were observed on video tape stealing 15 bottles of vodka from the liquor department at a food store on the 5600 block of Touhy Friday evening. The two men, ages 18-20, 5'10" and 6' ft., 150 and 170 lbs fled the store with \$150 of liquor.

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## Church and Temple News

### OBITUARIES

**VICTOR ROSY**  
Victor Rosy, 90, of Niles, died Saturday, June 10. He was born June 24, 1909 in Chicago. Beloved husband of Palma Rosy. Beloved father of Janet Bacci, Charlotte (Carl) Lindquist and Noreen (Glenn) Vincent. Grandfather of Beth Bacci, Brett Bacci, Sandra Beierwaltes, Laura Dura, Tara Engmann and Gino Frugoli. Brother of Nancy Muscheto, Carl, George, Henry, and Joseph Rosy. Services were held

June 15 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery, Niles.

**WILLIAM DeWALD**  
William DeWald, 87, of Morton Grove, died June 24. Beloved husband of Mildred. Beloved father of Louise Black, William Jr., and Patricia Mullis. Step-father of Daniel Mielke, Jerry Mielke and Susan Bennett. Grandfather

of 15. Great-grandfather of 9. Great-great-grandfather of 3. Brother of Nellie Swinson. Services were held Wednesday, June 28 at St. Martha Church, Morton Grove. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines. Memorials to: Des Plaines Kiwanis Club.

**IRENE D. SOPOCI**  
Irene D. Sopoci, 89, of Morton Grove, died June 23 at Bethany Terrace Nursing Home, Morton Grove. Beloved wife of the late John. Beloved mother of the late Edward. Sister of the late Evelyn and Harry Trast. Services were held Tuesday, June 27. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home. Interment was in Wheaton Cemetery.

**BERNARD WDOVICIK**  
Bernard Wdowicki, 93, of Morton Grove, died July 3 at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. Beloved husband of Antonia Wdowicki (nee Kovacic). Beloved father of Albert (Roselyn), Paul (Patricia), Donald (Patsy), Bernard (Mary Lou), and Carol (Gerard) Root. Grandfather of 14. Great-grandfather of 12. Services were held July 6 at St. Martha Church. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home.

**EVA ROSE PIKUL**  
Eva Rose Pikul (nee Plotka), 74, of Morton Grove, died Monday, June 19. She was born June 4, 1926 in Chicago. Beloved wife of Edward J. Beloved mother of Gregory, Debbi (Bernie) Torri, Candy (Michael E.) Bargo and Paulette (Warren) Strietzel. Grandmother of Susan (Nasser) Amer, Jenny, Ashley, Gunner, Michael, Johnny and Kristen. Sister of Lois May Kruse and Rev. Frank Plotka. Fond aunt of many. Services were held Wednesday, June 21 at St. Isaac Jogues Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery, Niles. Memorials: Masses preferred.

**SANTO CASTELLO**  
Santo Castello, 86, of Morton Grove, died June 26 at Ballard Nursing Home, Des Plaines. Beloved husband of Nancy. Beloved father of Josephine Nelson, Marian (Bob) Golemo, Sebastian (Catherine) and Nancy. Grandfather of 14. Great-grandfather of 1. Brother of the late Bessie Guccione, Marie Todaro and Salvatore Castello. Services were held Saturday, July 1 at St. Paul of the Cross Church, 320 S. Washington, Park Ridge. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Mausoleum, Des Plaines.

**BRIAN DAVID WILLS**  
Brian David Wills, 19, passed away suddenly in Nevada. Beloved son of Anne Marie and Dr. Richard Houston Wills. Grandson of Anna Eberhardt. Nephew of Rudy Klatt. Cousin of Dr. Sylvia A. Klatt and Peter Klatt. Services were held Thursday, June 29. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Joseph Cemetery. Memorials to the Y-Me Breast Cancer Organization, 212 W. Van Buren, Chicago, IL 60607.

**MANFRED REBLIN**  
Manfred Reblin, 75, of Niles, died Saturday, June 3 at Hampton Plaza Nursing Home, Niles. He was born April 3, 1925 in Germany. Beloved husband of Ruth (nee Klaus). Beloved father of Paul (Beth) and Shirley (Stuart) Stautz. Grandfather of Samantha, Amanda and Luke. Brother of the late Wolfgang. Services were held Wednesday, June 7. Arrangements handled by Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home. Interment was in Ridgewood Cemetery, Des Plaines. Memorials to: Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association, 4709 Golf Road, Suite 1015, Skokie, IL 60076.

### Edison Park Lutheran Church Preschool

Registration is under way for classes at Edison Park Lutheran Church Preschool, 6626 N. Olin Avenue, Chicago. There are two classes for 4-year-olds. Morning class meets four days per week: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 9 - 11:30 a.m. Monthly tuition: \$90 non-Church members; \$85 Church members. Afternoon class meets three days per week: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, 12:45 - 3:15 p.m. Monthly tuition: \$70 non-Church members; \$65 Church members.

The preschool is designed to help 4-year-olds develop self-confidence and kindergarten readiness in a Christian, early group experience. Classes are limited to 20 children and are taught by an experienced, certified teacher and qualified assistant. In addition, each day one parent acts as helper of the day. Registration forms and further information may be obtained from the Church Office. Forms, accompanied by a \$50, non-refundable registration fee, will be accepted at the Church, until classes are filled.

Edison Park Lutheran Church Preschool admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

Progress begins with getting a clear view of the obstacles.

## Sports / Park & Library News

### Orchard Village's Annual Golf Outing

The Orchard Village Golf Committee invites you to attend the Seventh Annual Orchard Village Golf Outing. Golfers number 144 are expected at Itasca Country Club on Monday, July 31, 2000, to participate in a day full of golf-related activities, including Select Shot Scramble and other challenging contests. The purpose of this exciting event is to benefit people with developmental disabilities supported by Orchard Village. Chicago media personality, Tom Shaer, will be the special guest for the event.

The Day begins at 11 a.m. with registration and starting hole assignments. A patio barbecue lunch with indoor seating will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., when Mr. Shaer will engage golfers in a Q&A session. At 1:30 p.m., tee-off begins. During the evening, golfers can enjoy cocktails from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Immediately following, at 7:30 p.m., dinner begins, accompanied by awards and prizes ceremony. The fee for the event is \$300 per person. Other special fees include a foursome rate of \$1,200, a foursome and hole sponsorship fee of \$1,700, and hole sponsorship fee of \$500.

Besides an action-packed day of challenging golf, each golfer's admission fee includes the patio

barbecue lunch, a golf cart to use throughout the event, cocktails, raffle prizes, dinner, awards, and Select Shot Scramble. All proceeds support the people of Orchard Village.

Orchard Village is committed to enhancing the quality of life of people with developmental disabilities by protecting and nurturing the right to control one's own destiny. Orchard Village provides community integrated residential, vocational and respite services that are both supportive and challenging, promoting individuals' rights and teaching responsibility for life choices.

Orchard Village is not a programatically focused organization, rather, it is unique in its philosophy of person-centered planning. Orchard Village uses 25 personal outcomes as a guide to explore each individual's own priorities and wishes. Unlike many other organizations supporting individuals with developmental disabilities, Orchard Village considers its support successful when each individual both achieves, and makes strides toward reaching their stated personal outcomes.

To make a donation, purchase tickets for the golf outing, or ask questions, please contact Erika Paukstis, Associate Executive Director, at 847-967-1800.

### Asthmatic children experience outdoor adventure

For many children, summer camp means fun in the sun and a chance to make new friends. For children diagnosed with severe asthma, summer camp may not mean anything since many camps are not staffed or equipped to handle their disease. The American Lung Association of Metropolitan Chicago's CampACTION (Asthmatic Children Tuning In On Nature) is a five-day overnight summer camp for children between the ages of 9 and 12 years old that live in Cook County and have physician diagnosed asthma.

This year, CampACTION will be held from August 13-18 at the Camp Minikani campgrounds in Hubertus, Wisconsin. CampACTION is staffed 24 hours a day by medical professionals including physicians, nurses, and respiratory therapists who assist campers with special medical needs and teach them asthma self-management skills. YMCA staff monitor the children as they participate in swimming, canoeing, and other activities.

Registration is \$70. Scholarships are available. There is a required transportation fee of \$35 (covers roundtrip fare from Chicago to Wisconsin) for all campers. Preference for admission to CampACTION is given to chil-

dren using daily medications. The application deadline is June 19. For more information call the American Lung Association of Metropolitan Chicago at (312) 243-2000.

### Summer Used Book Sale

The annual Summer Used Book Sale and special 25-cent Paperback Sale, sponsored by Friends of the Mt. Prospect Public Library, will be open to the public Saturday, July 15 and Sunday, July 16, at the Library, 10 S. Emerson (Rte. 83 & Central Ave.) A Members Only preview sale will be Friday, July 14.

Donations of 'pre-read' books didn't stop during the week the library was closed for renovations so there is plenty of materials to choose from -- adult and young people's fiction and non-fiction in hard cover and paperback editions, all at affordable prices. The featured paperback sale will be in the first floor meeting room.

Public sale hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Saturday and Noon to 4:30 p.m., Sunday. For more information, please call the Library at (847) 253-5675.

### Children's poetry wins awards

Skokie Public Library's year-long "One World in the New Millennium" poetry project finished with an artistic flourish, as winners received framed illustrations of their poems. More than 140 poems were submitted over the course of the year, many of which will be printed in the *One World* poetry magazine scheduled for publication later this month.

Throughout the school year, children in grades 3-8 were invited to submit in progress for critique by professional poets, publishers, writers, and librarians. Kids were also treated to poetry sessions with local poets, opportunities for one-on-one critique, and a workshop where they bound their completed poems into illustrated books. Especially popular with older kids was the open mic Poetry Cafe, where students lounged on pillows, drank hot chocolate, and shared their writing with one another.

First prize winners Zahid Lodhia, Andrei Ailutoaei, and Kevin Kelly had their poems framed and illustrated by artist Kevin Luthardt. Other winners will have their poems performed in a special program by "A Child's Voice," performance art-

ists dedicated to getting young people excited about poetry.

The majority of participants were drawn from East Prairie School, thanks to the support of Suz Bates, the school's Enrichment Coordinator. A complete list of the winners, along with the names of their poems, is printed on the reverse.

Skokie Public Library, located at 5215 Oakton Street, is open to the public Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 9

p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.

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## School News

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ticeship) Certificate (35 credit hours) and the new Tool and Die Design and Engineering Certificate (20 credit hours).

Register early for these fall 2000 courses to ensure your place in the class of your choice. Consult the Fall Credit Class Schedule for specific meeting times, or call Student Services at (847) 635-1741 (Des Plaines) or (847) 635-1417 (Skokie).

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cial emphasis on reading machine prints.

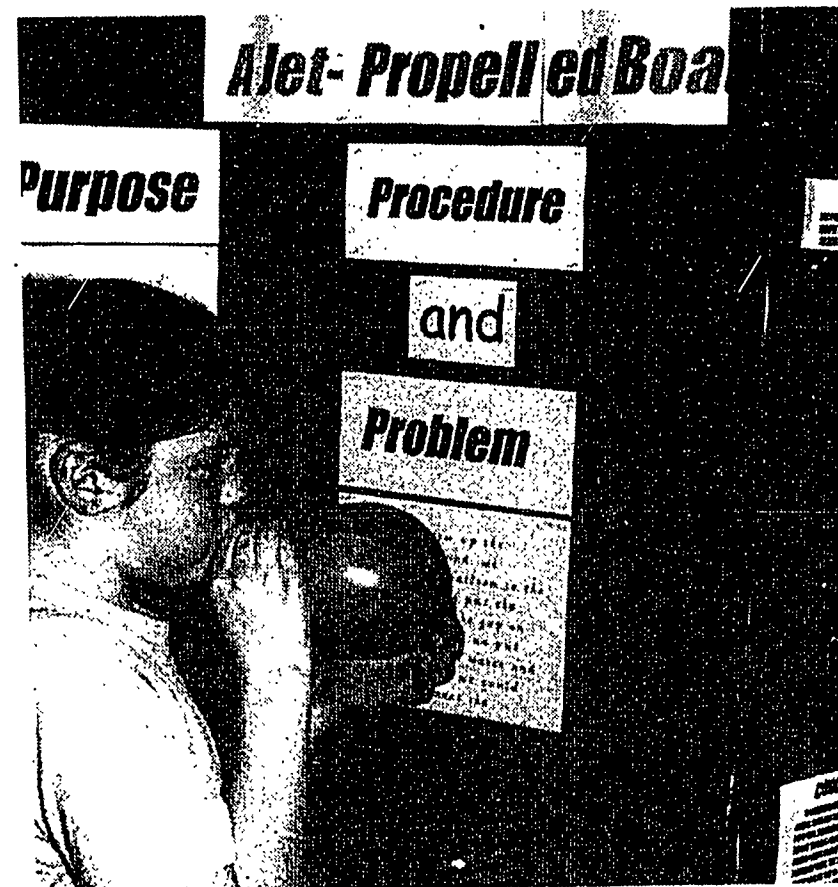
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• Basic Machine Shop Practice (MTA 106) is a hands-on introduction to machine trade techniques; metal working procedures, including layout, measurements and preparation of materials; and the care and operation of lathes, drill presses, mills, grinders and saws. This class meets at Maine West High School, 1755 S. Wolf Road, Des Plaines.

For more information, contact George E. Gren, chair of the Machine Technology (Apprenticeship) program, at (847) 635-1688.

### Jerusalem School science fair



Jerusalem Lutheran School of Morton Grove recently held its annual science fair. Group or class projects were done by preschool through fourth grades. Students in the upper grades each performed their own experiments at home and presented the results to the audience. Pictured is 3rd grader Marian Schoephoester preparing the class's jet-propelled boat.

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Grade 7  
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Grade 6  
Joseph Boruch, Stacy Delvo, Colleen Jaacks, Hee Woo Lim, Nick Marcucci, Lisa Nannini, Alexander Nellessen, Elizabeth Ryznar.

Grade 5  
Kaitlin Annunzio, Melisa Bergen, Jennifer Cielinski, Wesley Honeman, Joseph Kim, Richard Linchangco, Stephanie Mendoza, Joseph Paolelli, Mary Poliwka, Lauren Restivo, Philip Schniedermeier, C. Danielle Tan.

Grade 4  
Thomas Ambat, Kelly Caputo, Susanne Hansel, Hanna Johnson, Elizabeth Kloser, Salvatore Palafox, Tony Scarpaci, Kevin Seske, Robert Zielinski.

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Grade 8  
Lester Dominguez, Jocelyn Jo-

seph, Joanne Narrido, Pritul Patel, Joann VanWitzenberg.

Grade 7  
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Grade 6  
David Budzinski, Adrienne Carmona, Katherine Cien, Margaret Domanski, Kevin Fiorentino, Casey Guzman, Corinne Keane, Suzie Kim, David Lesner, Katherine Magdongon, Mitchell Messer, Christopher Mezyk, Timothy Mueller, Mary Beth Naples, Vicool Patel, Andrew Pilola, Joey Randazzo, Adam Tan-dez, Stephanie Zipp.

Grade 5  
Charles Capazzoli, Jacqueline Cichon, Marcella Ferrigni, Kristin Grabowski, Michael Halperin, Galina Ivanova, Jaison Joseph, Krystyna Korcz, Michael Lin, Tyler Mikos, Michelle Puszyński, Susan Shahwan, Luigi Randazzo, Ann Marie Swing.

Grade 4  
Steven Bower, Nevin Chacko, Phillip Falsen, Jennie Ghisolf, Daniel Kamys, Joan Kwak, Genevieve Linchangco, Brian Maisel, Steven Messer, Gregory Nannini, Jade Narrido, Michael Telwak.

### Oakton introduces new career programs

In addition to associate degree programs in the arts, fine arts, science and science in engineering, Oakton Community College provides workforce preparation in more than 75 areas. This fall students can register for several new career programs:

• Professional Accounting -- CPA Preparation. A 25-credit-hour certificate program that gives bachelor's degree students a high-quality, low-cost option for meeting the requirements for sitting for the CPA Exam in years 2001 and beyond. For information, call Michael Milstein, professor and chairperson of accounting, at (847) 635-1778.

• Residential Comfort Systems Installer. A 25-credit-hour certificate program for learning how to install the most common residential heating and cooling systems. For information, call Chad Ganger, professor and chairperson of air conditioning, heating and refrigeration technology, at (847) 635-1955.

• Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer-Internet (MCSE+I). A 34-credit-hour certificate program for a comprehensive introduction to electronics and personal computer hardware technologies, as well as courses on designing, managing and maintaining local area networks (LANs) and the Internet. For information, call Thomas White, professor and chairperson of electronics and computer technology, at (847) 635-1904.

• Web Page Graphic De-

sign. A 30-credit-hour certificate program for people with strong design skills who want to create innovative and exciting sites for the World Wide Web. For information, call Berny Krue, professor and chairperson of graphic design, at (847) 635-1830.

• Human Services. A 60-credit-hour associate in applied science degree program. Previously, the human services curriculum was offered only as a certificate. Students can specialize in general human services or substance abuse as part of the two-year program. For information, call Robert Frank, professor and chairperson of human services, at (847) 635-1846.

• Tool and Die Design and Engineering. A 20-credit-hour certificate program that is part of the Machine Technology (Apprenticeship) program, a curriculum that fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training for related instruction in the highly skilled machine trades. For information, call George Green, chairperson of machine technology, at (847) 635-1688.

• Professional Management Assistant. A 10-credit-hour, four-course certificate program that trains office assistants, providing instruction in office management, personal productivity, team process, customer service and other topics. For information, call Susan Cisco, professor and chairperson of management and supervision, at (847) 635-1872.

### Fairview South collects 3,000 labels

Fairview South announces its conclusion of the 1999/2000 Campbell's Labels For Education™ drive. Over 3,000 labels were collected! Thanks to all the families who participated. A big thank you to a special senior citizen who donated 281 labels to the program. Jewel and Dominick's also provided the school with bonus points.

Fairview will receive jump ropes, baseballs, basketballs, soccer balls, footballs and play balls from Campbell's this year.

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Drop off your labels to the Fairview South school office at 7040 Laramie Ave., Skokie. For more information on how to be a part of District 72's Campbell's for Education® Label Collection Drive, contact Barb Michalesko, coordinator, at (847) 982-1490.

**Local teacher participates in teaching Institute**  
Agnès Aichholzer, a teacher at Stevenson High School from Skokie, recently participated in Carleton College's week-long institute for teachers. She spent the week studying techniques for teaching French.

Designed for teachers of Advanced Placement, enriched or accelerated classes, the College's 24 intensive workshops enable teachers to focus attention on their individual teaching needs. The courses allow teachers to examine selected topics within the curriculum for their subject area.

### Maine High School disabled students awarded scholarships from Job Fair proceeds

Four students with disabilities from the Maine Township high schools are smiling this summer as they just learned about receiving either a \$500 or \$1,000 scholarship. The North Suburban Council on Employment awarded the scholarships for Persons with Disabilities (NSCEPD) from proceeds of its annual Job Fair event.

This year's scholarship winners are Terence John Class of Des Plaines (Maine West), Timothy Carlson and Patrick Dorsey, both of Park Ridge (Maine South), and Matthew J. Glon of Niles (Maine East). Each school is awarded \$1,000 and can be divided by multiple winners at the discretion of the school's teachers and department chairs.

Held in May, the 9th Annual NSCEPD Job Fair put Chicago area companies together with qualified job seekers with disabilities. Nearly 50 companies from international giants such as Motorola and Airborne Express to smaller local organizations came to meet with residents from Maine Township at Chateau Ritz in Niles.

Established in 1995, the Scholarships for area graduates are funded from exhibit fees, contributions (both cash and in-

kind), and other donations, according to Donna Anderson, NSCEPD Council Chairperson and Maine Township Director of Disabled Services. She added, Council activities such as the job fair are supported by Maine Township and area companies. "The positions filled as a result of the event ranged from entry level to professional levels," Ms. Anderson said. "The response from area companies and

job seekers has seen exciting growth since we started in 1992 with a handful of people and 10 companies. We are really looking forward to next year!"

For further information on Maine Township activities, agencies and programs, call 847/297-2510 (voice) or 847/297-1335 (TTY). Interested parties are encouraged to visit the Maine Township website at [www.mainetownship.com](http://www.mainetownship.com).

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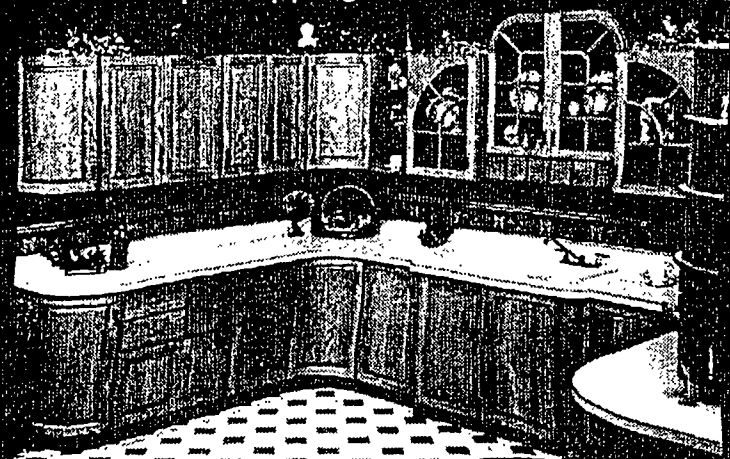
## Senior center's computer lab Grand Opening



The Niles Senior Center held the Grand Opening of their new computer lab on Monday, June 5th. Pictured are the volunteer instructors from left to right -- back row: Chester Szalanski, Harry Kuhrau, Seymour Wachtenheim, Jim Dowd, George Mistic, Harold Goldsmith. Front row: Valerie Ennis, Lorraine Meyer and Eve Kohn. (Not pictured -- George Evans and Ray Benson.) The senior center is offering computer classes, and providing open lab time. Niles residents 62 and older are welcome to come in and use the computer lab. If any questions, contact Jaymi Ostman at 847-588-8420.

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## Senior Breakfast Club meeting

The Lutheran General Senior Breakfast Club will present a "Fitness to Drive" program from 8:30 to 10 a.m. Friday, July 21, featuring Denise Fiducia, Ph.D., coordinator of the Psychological Assessment Service, Lutheran General Hospital.

Club meetings, sponsored by Lutheran General Older Adult Services, are held once a month in the 10 East cafeteria of the hospital, and feature presentations by health care professionals, free continental breakfast and social time. Seating is limited and reservations are required. To sign up, call: 1-800-3-ADVOCATE (1-800-323-8622).

Upcoming topics in the 2000 Senior Breakfast Club series include: "Controlling Your Blood Pressure" on August 18; "Hearing Loss and New Technology" on September 15; "Long Term Care Insurance" on October 20; "Music Therapy" on November 17; and a holiday celebration on December 15.

## Senior Men's Volleyball

"Sportsmen 2000" Fitness for Fun friendly competition, Niles vs. Park Ridge, July 13 - 9 a.m. Niles Community Center, July 20 - 1:30 p.m. Park Ridge Community Center.

This series is in preparation for the Senior Olympics to be held July 27, 28 and 29 at the Park Ridge Senior Center.

## Morton Grove Senior Citizens 470-5223

### VISUALLY IMPAIRED MOTIVATORS

Morton Grove's Visually Impaired Motivators is a support group for people with vision impairment. The group provides a positive environment for expressing feelings, learning about low-vision and coping skills, and building on strengths. Resource information is presented and problem solving discussion is encouraged. The next meeting will be at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 18 in the Morton Grove Village Hall. For information, or for transportation, call the Senior Hot Line at 470-5223.

### TUNES ON TUESDAY

The Morton Grove Park District will host free concerts on Tuesday, July 18, Susie Dobbs; and July 25, Bill Archer's Big Fund Band at 7 p.m. in Harrier Park. Local restaurants will offer a variety of tasty and reasonably priced menu items starting at 6 p.m. Bring the family, meet friends, and don't forget the lawn chair.

### GOLF MILL SHOPPING

Seniors wishing to join shoppers on a trip to Golf Mill Mall on Tuesday, July 25 should call today to reserve a seat on the Seniortrun. Home pick-ups begin at 10 a.m. with arrival at Golf Mill at 11 a.m. Shop and browse for three hours until the Seniortrun 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 for a reservation.

### CUBS GAME

Join the Prairie View Travel Club for a sun- and fun-filled afternoon on Tuesday, Aug. 15 to cheer on the Chicago Cubs as they do battle with the St. Louis Cardinals. Please be advised that these are not senior tickets as in previous years. The bus leaves the Prairie View Community Center at 11:30 a.m., and will return at 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$29 for residents, and \$33 for non-residents. Register at Prairie View, or call Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

### HOLLYWOOD CASINO

Join the fun as the Prairie View Travel Club heads to the Hollywood Casino on Tuesday, Aug. 22. Each participant will receive \$8 cash back on this trip. Besides gaming, enjoy a scrumptious breakfast buffet. Afterwards, a wonderful lunch will be served at Walter Payton's Roundhouse Complex. There will also be a presentation about the history of the roundhouse. The bus will leave the Prairie View Community Center at 8:30 a.m., and return at approximately 3:30 p.m. The cost is \$32 for residents, and \$37 for non-residents. Register at Prairie View, or call Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

### CITIZEN ALERT - CONTACT OFFICER TABOR

There have been a series of assaults against Asian-American women in the past few months. Morton Grove Police are advising residents, especially women, to use caution when a stranger approaches an individual or their home. The offender in recent attacks displayed a silver-colored metal shield and told his victims he is a police officer, FBI agent, or a census taker.

The Morton Grove Police Department advises residents to keep front and screen doors locked at all times. Prior to answering the door, look out a peephole or window anytime the doorbell rings. A police officer will carry a badge with the name of the agency or city and his badge number on it. Also a police officer will carry a form of picture identification. If a person identifies himself as a police officer and there is any doubt, call 911 and verify that an actual police officer has responded to that home. A uniformed officer in a marked squad car can be requested to respond to the home.

Combating crime is a team effort. Be suspicious, do not be afraid to report suspicious persons or vehicles to the police. Write down descriptions of people, vehicles, and license plates involved. Any questions can be directed to Officer Adam Tabor of the Morton Grove Police Department's Crime Prevention Bureau at 470-5200.

### MORTON GROVE HOMECARE SERVICE

The Morton Grove HomeCare Service is a program offered by the Village of Morton Grove and funded by a Cook County Community Development Block Grant. The service is for residents age 62 and older who may need assistance with a combination of the following: bathing, laundry, personal care, companionship, preparing meals and light housekeeping. The amazing thing about this program is that all services are provided at no charge for a duration of up to six months through Evanston Northwestern Healthcare. To qualify, a person must be age 62+, a Morton Grove resident, demonstrate a medical need for home care, meet income (less than \$28,150 annually) and asset (less than \$50,000) eligibility criteria. For more information, contact Morton Grove's Senior Citizens Services at 965-4100, ext. 6110.

## Niles Senior Citizens 588-8420 - 588-8000

### NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION

The Niles Senior Center - 999 Civic Center Drive, behind Village Hall, serves Village of Niles residents, age 62 and over, and their younger spouses. To register for classes, trips, purchase tickets, etc., you must be a member of the Center. For additional information - or FREE membership - please call or visit, and be placed on the mailing list.

### SENIOR COMPUTER LAB

Take advantage of the brand new computer lab. Sign up at the Reception Desk for 45 minutes of open lab time. Help is always available in the lab, and open lab is free.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**KITCHEN DUTY VOLUNTEER** is needed once a week to help empty the dishwasher, re-stock cabinets, launder towels and maintain supplies. Hours and days are flexible. Please contact Kelly 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.

**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 Jaymi at 588-8420.

### YARN NEEDED

The Senior Center is requesting left over yarn or scraps of material for veterans and senior crafters. Lap robes and shawls are made for veterans at Hines Hospital. Volunteer knitters and crocheters are also needed. Please call us.

### JULY TICKET SALES

**Chicago Cubs vs. Colorado Rockies Trip - Wednesday Aug. 2, 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.** See Cubs battle Rockies from Terrace Reserved Seat. \$13 includes transportation.

**August Lite Lunch and Movie - Friday, Aug. 4, 12 noon.** Tuna Fish Sandwich & Fresh Fruit followed by 1 p.m. movie, *Anna and the King* (PG-13) with Jodie Foster. Cost: \$2.

**Sunday at the Center: Pet Appreciation Day - Sunday, Aug. 13, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.** The afternoon includes a lecture on the pros and cons of owning a pet, opportunities to share a pet story and a discussion on the possible affects of pets on blood pressure. Pet-Smart will bring in dogs and cats from area shelters that are available for adoption and seeking a special home. Refreshments will be provided. Registration is required.

**Evening at the Center: "Thanks for the Memories" Party - Tuesday, August 29, 5 to 8:30 p.m.** Live Music from 1920's through today. **Down Memory Lane** presented by Young at Heart. Dinner from 5:15 to 6 p.m. features Roast Beef, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans Almondine, Tossed Salad and Cupcake. Cost: \$9.

### FOR YOUR HEALTH - VITAMINS LECTURE

Vitamins Lecture is Friday, July 14 at 2 p.m. Rich Teper, from Shaklee Vitamins, is back to answer all your questions about taking vitamins. Registration is required.

### TAM GOLF OUTINGS

**Women's Golf Outing - Friday, July 14, \$13** includes golf, lunch, and prizes.

**Men's Golf Outing - Wednesday, July 19, \$13** includes golf, lunch, and prizes.

### FRIDAYS AT THE MOVIES

**July 14 - Music of the Heart (2000, PG)** stars Meryl Streep as a woman who brought music to inner-city schools proving that given the chance, kids want to learn.

**July 28 - Let it Ride (1989, PG-13)** starring Richard Dreyfuss and Teri Garr in the funny tale of a compulsive gambler who finally hits a winning streak at a Florida racetrack. This is a special Mary S. selection. Note: All movies start at 1 p.m.

### MEN'S CLUB GENERAL MEETING

Men's Club General Meeting is Monday, July 17 at 10:30 a.m. Leon M. Michelson, a Movie Historian, will speak. Lunch is Italian Submarine Sandwiches. Cost: \$2.

### COMPUTER INTEREST GROUP

Computer Interest Group is Monday, July 17 at 2 p.m. Registration is required.

### 55 ALIVE

55 Alive is Tuesday and Wednesday, July 18 and 19, at 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. All Illinois insurance companies are required to offer a reduction on the liability portion of your automobile insurance after the successful completion of this Refresher Course. Cost: \$10.

### HUMANITIES IN ACTION

Humanities in Action is Wednesday, July 19 at 10:30 a.m. The topic will be Language & Literature. Newcomers welcome! Registration required.

## 55 Alive safe-driving course

Lutheran General Hospital's Senior Advocate program and the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is offering 55 Alive, a two-session safe driving refresher course for experienced motorists 50 and older.

The eight-hour course is taught in two, four-hour sessions spanning two days. The sessions will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays, July 22 and July 29, in the Special Functions Dining Room on the 10th floor of Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. Participants must attend both dates to become eligible for a reduction in car insurance rates.

There is a \$10 fee for the program and refreshments are included. The class size is limited. To register, call 1-800-3-ADVOCATE (1-800-323-8622).

The course helps drivers refine existing skills and develop safe, defensive driving techniques. Topics covered include age-related physical changes (vision, hearing, reaction time) and ways to compensate for those changes, traffic safety rules of the road, new laws, hazardous driving situations, effects of medications on driving ability, and proper use and maintenance of vehicles.

Future 55 Alive sessions will be held at Lutheran General Hospital on the third and fourth Saturdays of every month.

The 55 Alive program, which was developed by the AARP in 1979, is the first and most recognized comprehensive nationwide course created especially for older drivers. Upon successful completion of the course, graduates of 55 Alive may be eligible to receive a state-mandated multi-year discount on their auto insurance premiums.

## United Ostomy Association

Chicago's North Suburban Chapter of the United Ostomy Ass'n, a support group for all ostomates and those anticipating ostomy surgery, meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m., in the 10th Floor East Dining Room of Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 Dempster St., Park Ridge. The next meeting will be held on July 26, 2000. Refreshments. A WOCN (Wound Ostomy Care Nurse) is always on hand to offer help and information, and programs are fun and informative. Free. For information, call (847) 724-7453 or (847) 520-0699. Visit our web site at [www.geocities.com/~mr-ostomy](http://www.geocities.com/~mr-ostomy).

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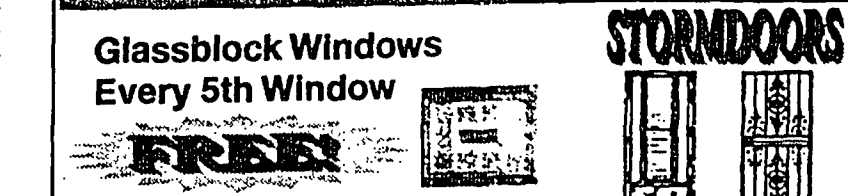
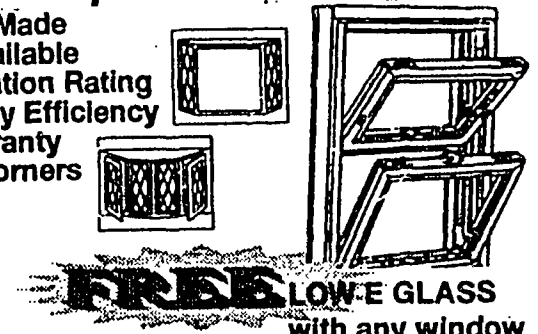
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## Home Style

### There's still room at the top at Lincoln Court Condominiums

Sales started in March 2000 for Lincoln Court Condominiums in downtown Skokie and already the development is 50 percent sold. The building is sold out of one-bedroom residences, but there is still time to purchase a home with a rooftop terrace. Northfield-based Focus Development is the developer.

Located at 8035 Lincoln Ave., the four-story, new-construction courtyard building will feature 30 one- to two-

bedroom homes with 1 to 2 1/2 baths. Available homes range in price from \$213,990 to \$303,000 and include 1,225 to 1,777 square feet.

Buyers selecting a home that faces the courtyard will be able to enjoy trees and shrubs planted throughout the courtyard's greenspace. The courtyard will also feature various seating arrangements.

Those who enjoy watching people pass by or the day-to-day

events of Skokie Village, might prefer a floor plan that faces Lincoln Avenue or Warren Street.

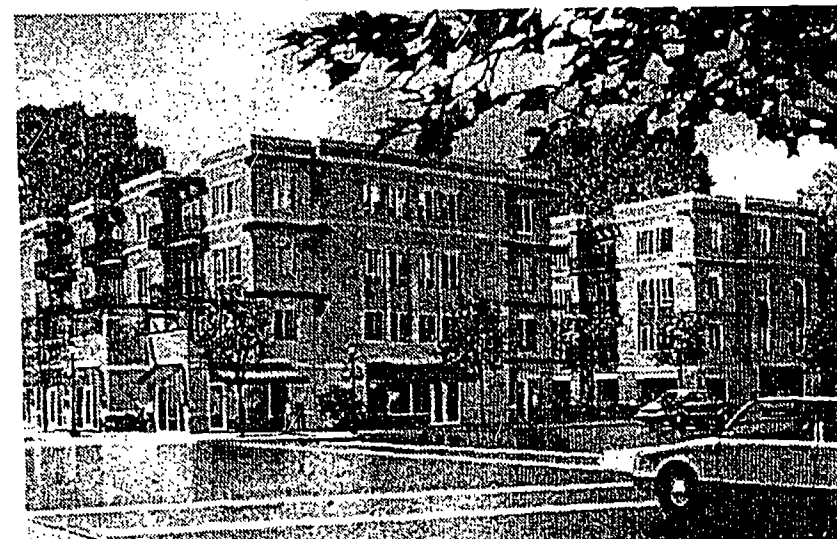
Lincoln Court's floor plans offer a variety of room combinations -- including dens, formal dining rooms, family rooms and eat-in kitchens. Homes also include walkout balconies, rooftop terraces and walk-in closets in master bedrooms, per plan.

Kitchens at Lincoln Court 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 ice-maker and dishwasher.

Baths feature ceramic floor tile, wire-shelved linen closets, Delta fixtures and a selection of designer cabinetry.

Building amenities include a first floor exercise room and party room, as well as an intercom security system. Residential units begin on the second floor. A heated, underground garage provides one indoor parking space per home. Additional indoor parking and basement storage are also available.

As with all Focus Development properties, the company



has emphasized the design and materials used for Lincoln Court Condominiums. The exterior finish of the building includes a combination of limestone, face brick and stained cedar, while the indoor common areas include renaissance brick and limestone with custom wood moldings.

Three local businesses will occupy 3,600 square feet of retail space at Lincoln Court Condominiums. The tenants include Skokie Optical and two dental practices. Dr. Randy Mikos and Dr. Eleanor Gomez.

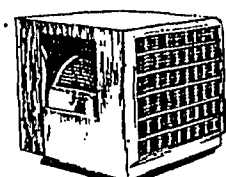
center is open in downtown Skokie at 5019 Oakton St. To visit the sales center, take I-94 to Dempster Street and head east. Turn right on Skokie Boulevard then right onto Oakton Street to the sales office.

Sales hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. The sales center is closed Tuesday and Wednesday. For more information, or to make an appointment, call (847) 568-1600, or visit Focus Development online at [www.focusdevelopment.com](http://www.focusdevelopment.com).

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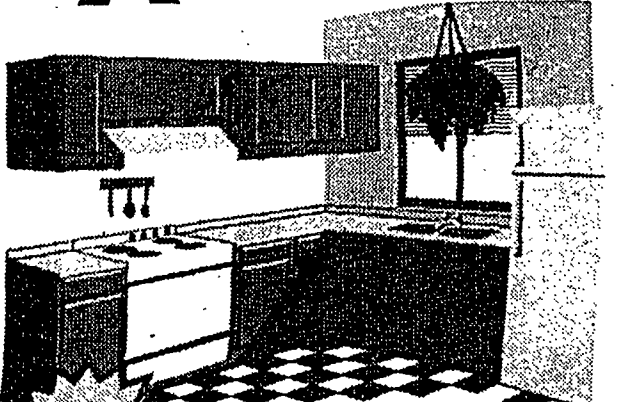


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Effective May 2000 JULIE's design stage joint meet will be replaced with the design/stage planning information request. Customers who use this service will be faxed a list of engineering contacts of JULIE member utility companies with underground facilities near their excavation site. It will be the responsibility of the architect or engineer to contact each individual utility engineering staff to

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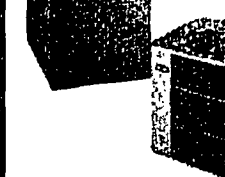
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## LGH offers service at the touch of a finger



Nutrition representative MaLu Chau (left) helps Minnie Show of Chicago's northwest side, a patient at Lutheran General Hospital, choose her next meal.

Thanks to the computerized palm top that allows the user to key in individualized meal orders, about 60 percent of the hospital's patients hear their meal choices and make decisions for lunch and dinner, and the next day's breakfast. That adds up to prompt, friendly customer service.

Each nutrition representative meets with about 60 persons each day, and usually will work with the same patient throughout his or her stay to provide continuity. Presently, Lutheran General is one of only several hospitals in the Chicagoland area that offers this service.

## Hospice . . .

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Rainbow Hospice also recognizes and welcomes their newest bereavement volunteers. These volunteers completed training in the Widowed Person Service program, a program developed by AARP. The following volunteers will provide outreach services to newly widowed clients: Doris Bergman (Vernon Hills), Ilse Collier (Des Plaines), Georgiana Duffy (Park Ridge), Ava Fogel (Des Plaines), Maria Kennedy (Prospect Heights), JoAnn Roberts (Evanston), and Ernie Roehrborn (Evanston).

Volunteering for hospice differs from other community work. No task is too big or too small for the volunteers, but often the most important activity is "being there" for clients -- to assure them they are not alone, to listen to hold a hand, to offer a smile or comforting touch. It is not easy work, but the personal rewards are enormous. "It's inspiring to see the amount of compassion and dedication that our volunteers have to patients and families," says Jenny Swerdluk, volunteer coordinator, Rainbow Hospice.

Rainbow Hospice is growing as more people face end-of-life care issues and concerns. For need for new volunteers. If you would like to learn more about hospice volunteering, contact Jenny Swerdluk, volunteer coordinator at (847) 692-8889.

## Ladies auxiliary installs officers

The Ladies Auxiliary of Niles Memorial Post 7712 recently installed the following officers for the coming year. President Roberta Fitch, Sr. Vice President Pauline Bolton, Jr. Vice President Valerie Orlovski, Chaplain Estelle Merle, Secretary Anna Krueger, Treasurer LaVerne Kozak, Conductress Loretta Witkowski, Guard Emilie Paluch, Trustees E. Lillian White, Geraldine Deagon, Patricia Lawson. Installing officer was Past Auxiliary President E. Lillian White. Mistress of Ceremonies was Estelle Merle.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is a service organization dedicated to promoting patriotism, improving the community and protecting veterans' rights.

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Education of School District No. 71, Cook County, Illinois, Clarence E. Culver School, that a tentative budget for said School District for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000 and ending June 30, 2001 will be on file and conveniently available for public inspection at the District Office, located at 6901 W. Oakton Street, Niles, Illinois 60714 after 9:00 a.m., July 19, 2000.

Notice is hereby further given that a public hearing on said budget is scheduled to be held at 8:00 p.m. (CDT) on the 22nd day of August, 2000 at Clarence E. Culver School, 6901 W. Oakton Street, Niles, Illinois 60714, in said School District No. 71.

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## Townhomes . . .

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sioners over the Village's seemingly never-ending trend to fill up vacant land with townhomes and condominiums.

This month's meeting of the Niles Plan Commission was no exception.

At issue is a small plot of land on 7546 Waukegan Road where a single-family home sits on a 59' x 300' plot of land nestled between the Abbey Manor Condominiums to the south and a row of single-family homes on Birchwood to the north.

Though it houses a private home, the land is in fact zoned B2 for a small business. But developers appeared before the Plan Commission about three months ago, requesting a change in zoning that would allow them to construct a eight-unit, 35-foot townhome complex on the land. After subsequent protests by residents, the townhomes were reduced to seven, and then finally five 32-foot high units.

Niles' seemingly most popular development attorney, Paul Kolpak, told the crowd attending this month's meeting that the decision to rezone the property as residential would have a far less severe impact on the neighborhood than if a business were opened in the same spot. He warned that should the plot remain zoned for business, residents might find a disruptive tavern or noisy machine shop in their midst.

But residents weren't buying it.

"Why would it have to be a bar or machine shop?" asked one woman in response to Kolpak's warning, which was also continually repeated by Plan Commissioners. "Why not a beauty shop, a flower store, or a day care center. This area certainly could use one of those."

James Heinlein, secretary of the Abbey Manor Condominium Association told the board that the continual development of multi-family homes throughout Niles was becoming a detriment to homeowners.

Reading a prepared statement, Heinlein said that if the village insisted on such "shoe-horned installations" that "this will not be the Niles we expected when we came to live here."

He also suggested that as the neighborhood had no open land within the Waukegan/Milwaukee/Harlem triangle, that

## Lowes . . .

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Linconwood's Plan Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on the matter this month at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 26 in the Council Chambers, at which time Lowes will present its proposal. Following the presentation, the Plan Commission will make its recommendation to the Village Board of Trustees, which should vote on the proposal by September.

the land be converted to a small park.

In fact, Heinlein has written to Niles Park District Executive Director, Joe LoVerde, recommending that the district consider filing a condemnation suit to attain the property, as it recently had done to prevent condominium development on land adjacent to the Tam Golf Course on Caldwell (LoVerde could not be reached for comment).

Now the Plan Commission wasn't biting.

"Everyone wants a park in their back yard," said Commissioner Angelo Troiani. "But it's not going to happen."

As residents took their turns addressing the board, primarily arguing about the potential devaluation of their own homes, Chairman James Callero harshly criticized individuals for wasting the board's time by making repetitive arguments.

"I don't want to hear the same opinion stated 25 times," he snapped.

That was just about he end of the meeting's civility.

Steve Busch, president of Abbey Manor asked for a show of hands by those who favor the development. Needless to say, not a hand was raised. Hands defiantly remained in the air when Commissioner Troiani then asked the crowd how many of them wanted the a liquor store, tavern, or machine shop on the property.

"Oh come on, wake up!" He yelled at the crowd in response to the raised hands. Which in turn was followed by shouts from the crowd of "Whose side are you on?" and "We're not going to forget this!"

Eventually, Troiani apologized for losing his temper and the request was passed by a vote of four to three, with Commissioners Mike Looby and Kimberley Biederman voting against the recommendation.

"I just felt that it (the development) was too big for the property," said Commissioner Looby. Commissioner Beiderman chose not to comment.

As for the residents, they left the meeting angry, but not disheartened. They may have lost this battle, but they know that a vote by the Niles Board of Trustees will determine the outcome of the war. It's a fight they don't plan to lose.

## Suicide . . .

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If the Village Board approves the development, the store would be the first Lowes in Chicago.

The sergeant told investigators that his service revolver was kept secured in a closet where Billings must have found it.

## High School Vice President Gore . . .

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**New Trier East High School - Class of 1980 - 20 Year Reunion:** Alumni of New Trier East High School, Winnetka, Class of 1980, are seeking classmates for their 20 year class reunion to be held in the fall of 2000. For details, call (847) 259-1130 or write Reunions, Ltd., P.O. Box 4641, Northbrook, IL, 60065.

**Oak Park - River Forest High School - Class of 1990 - 10 Year Reunion:** Oak Park - River Forest High School, Oak Park, Class of 1990 will celebrate its 10 year class reunion on Saturday, October 7, 2000. For additional information, call (847) 259-1130 or write Reunions, Ltd., P.O. Box 4641, Northbrook, IL, 60065.

**Evanston Township High School - Class of 1950 - 50 Year Reunion:** Evanston Township High School, Evanston, Class of 1950, is planning a festive 50 year class reunion on Saturday, October 21, 2000. For additional details, call (847) 259-1130 or write Reunions, Ltd., P.O. Box 4641, Northbrook, IL, 60065.

**Niles Township Jewish Congregation**

Ezra Habonim, The Niles Township Jewish Congregation will have a full schedule of services during the summer months. Regular Friday night Erev Shabbat services at 8 p.m. Shabbat morning services at 10 a.m.

Nightly services at 7 p.m. Mon-Thursday and 6 p.m. Saturday & Sunday.

All are invited to attend. The Social Action Committee of Ezra-Habonim, The Niles Township Jewish Congregation invites the community to attend a provocative session with our stateswomen: Senator Carol Roman and State Representative Julie Hamos. They will be speaking on crimes in Illinois, especially hate crimes.

Family Shabbat dinner Friday, July 21 at 6 p.m. Bring the family to a special evening of worship, study - and great food. \$10 for adults. \$6 for children 6-12. For reservations call Sara Cohn 673-6355.

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## Martha's . . .

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with the majority likely to attend St. John Brebeuf in Niles. School officials are awaiting final approval for the school closing, which should come from Cardinal Francis George before summer's end.

"People Seldom Improve When They Have No Other Model But Themselves To Copy After."

Social Security, and lower prescription drug costs, Gore used the opportunity to compare and contrast both men's positions on issues relevant to seniors.

Gore said that Bush does not plan "to set aside one dime" of the country's anticipated \$1.5 trillion surplus to insure Medicare's solvency.

"Right now there are 39 million people on Medicare, and with the baby boomers retiring there are going to be 81 million people on Medicare within the next 35 years," said Gore. "We need to plan for that. We need to set aside some money from these surpluses that are building up in order to extend the life of Medicare and repair it for this big challenge that's going to come."

Gore proposed \$75 billion to extend Medicare and prepare for the influx of new recipients. He also wants to put aside an extra \$40 billion "to make up for some of the unwise cuts" made throughout the health care industry when the 1997 Balance Budget Act was passed. Finally, Gore said he wants \$224 billion for new prescription drug benefits under Medicare.

"The way it would work is that you would get 50 percent of all of your prescription drug costs paid for by Medicare up to a total amount of \$5000," he explained. "Now, if you're in the poverty level or even a little bit over, you'd get all of the expenses paid." Gore added that recipients whose prescription bills eat up a particularly substantial amount of their income (regardless of the amount of that income) would be entitled to 100 percent drug coverage.

Gore compared the administration of his prescription drug plan to one proposed by Governor Bush, pointing out that Bush does not want to link prescription drug benefits to the Medicare system.

"He supports a plan to subsidize insurance companies. (A plan) that urges you to go to those same insurance companies and HMO's that you're having trouble with on other health care problems and ask them (to) please give you benefits for prescription drugs," said Gore. "It's a plan that's doomed to failure and (even) the drug companies say that it's not going to work."

The Vice-President asserted that Bush's spending proposals in general were unworkable, as they surpass the amount of estimated surplus funds. Gore pointed to a chart showing Bush's proposals for \$16 trillion in tax cuts, \$1/2 trillion primarily for new defense spending, and \$1 trillion to privatize Social Security.

"If you add up what he has already proposed in his budget, and don't even add in the Star Wars costs, you can see that it completely swamps the amount of surplus that's there," said Gore. "I just don't think that's

the right way to do it."

Instead, Gore wants to put Medicare funds off limits in order to insure that what he calls "the Medicare surplus" is protected from politicians who would treat the surplus "as a piggy bank."

Regarding soaring prescription drug costs, Gore told the crowd that fair market competition could keep prices down, but the problem was that the pharmaceutical industry was abusing the patent system and eliminating competition by lobbying for patent extensions and buying out generic competitors, thus keeping costs at a maximum.

While he shied away from outwardly saying that federal representatives were being bribed to vote for extension measures, the Vice-President did say that Congress and the Senate had fallen "hook, line and sinker" for phony lobbying efforts where drug companies use petition drives to disguise themselves as citizen action groups, and that as president, he would veto any legislation that sought to artificially extend a patent.

"The drug companies have so much power in the marketplace that they get to dictate the price," said Gore. "I'm all for them having profits, but they're spending double on advertising and lobbying that what they say they need for research and development. So let's have a little reality check here."

Gore touched on other initiatives he'd implement as president, all of which would be part of a balanced budget. He wants a Patient's Bill of Rights that "takes medical decisions away from HMO's and gives them back to doctors and nurses, a plan to preserve Social Security, 'high quality health care' for every American child within the next four years, to increase military pay for those in the lower ranks, and to pay off the national debt by the year 2012.

Gore also said that as president, the first bill he'd send to Congress would be the McCain-Feingold Bill for campaign finance reform.

## Dist. 219 . . .

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torium, grouting and sealing for the pool, and some general remodeling.

The district will spend about \$500,000 of its over \$80 million construction budget on this summer's work.

## Car crash . . .

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torist who reported a car driving erratically on the Edens.

The driver, a 43-year-old Buffalo Grove woman, was listed in serious condition at Evanston.

Police have not yet questioned the driver, but will work with the Cook County state's attorney's office on the investigation.

## Police News

### Morton Grove

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#### Burglary

A purse containing credit cards and \$100 was taken June 23 from a home in the 5900 block of Cleveland. Police said that the front door had been pried open and the den, kitchen and three bedrooms ransacked. The incident occurred between 10 and 11 p.m.

A CD player and 60 CDs, valued altogether at \$1,300, were taken overnight June 27 from an unattached garage in the 9200 block of Sayre Avenue. Police said the burglars entered through an unlocked service door and entered the car where the merchandise was taken.

A lawn trimmer, weed wacker and various lawn equipment, valued at \$1,650, were taken from a landscaping truck parked in a parking lot in the 8400 block of Lehigh Avenue between July 3 and July 5. Police said a pry tool was used to remove two padlocks from the trailer door of the vehicle.

#### Theft

A 40-foot red flatbed trailer was taken from the rear of a building in the 7800 block of Lehigh Avenue. The theft, which was discovered during an inventory of equipment, occurred sometime between May 15 and July 5.

#### Criminal damage to property

Two juveniles were ticketed after police responded to a report of a possible attempted burglary in the 9200 block of Osceola Avenue July 6. The juveniles, ages 16 and 17, were caught running through a back yard near a house where a woman had reported a possible attempted burglary. The woman told police that she was asleep about 12:40 a.m. when she heard her doorbell ring several times, followed by a pounding on her rear door as if someone was trying to break in. The boys told police they were playing Ding Dong Ditch, where they would ring random doorbells and run away but decided to create more havoc instead. They told police they used a broom to break out glass on the house's storm door before being scared off and running. Both were ticketed for criminal damage to property and a curfew violation.

### Skokie

#### Burglary

On June 24 between 4:30 and 11 p.m. a home on the 9300 block of Lawler was burglarized. The victim and his wife had gone out for the evening. Upon their return home, they discovered the front door of their house standing wide open. Upon entering their home the victims found their entire home had been gone through, every room and closet had been

checked, including the basement where a safe was located and pried open. They also discovered that both side doors had been unlocked and opened by the suspects. The offender(s) appear to have used a hand tool to gain entry through the rear door. \$25,000 in miscellaneous jewelry and US currency was stolen.

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Copies of specifications and bid documents are available at the Office of the Director of Finance, Morton Grove Village Hall. A Mandatory Pre-bid meeting will be conducted in the Trustees Conference Room, second floor of the Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina Avenue, Morton Grove, Illinois, 60053, at 9:00 A.M. on Wednesday, July 26, 2000. The bid specifications will be reviewed, and a tour of the facilities will be conducted. Bidding questions should be directed to Mr. Ed Hildebrandt, Building Commissioner at (847) 470-5214. The Village Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding. The Village Board further reserves the right to review and study any and all bids and to make a contract award within thirty days after bids have been opened and publicly read.

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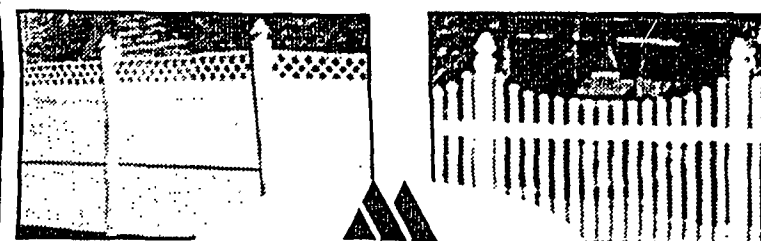
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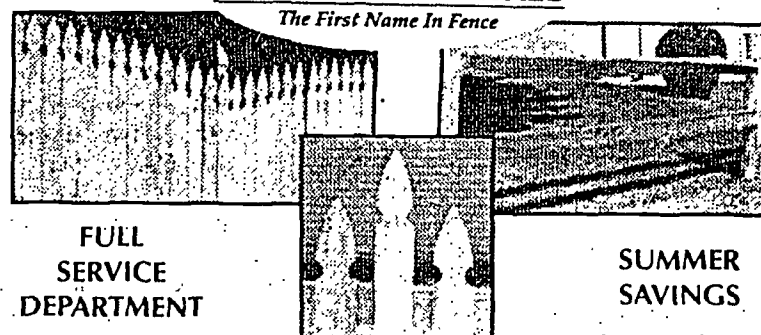
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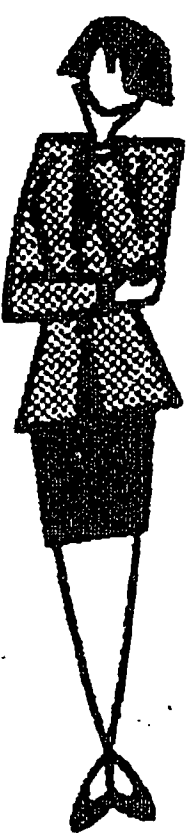
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