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At least two guns used in Park Ridge shootings

New information available to Park Ridge Police Department indicates that bullets recovered in recent shootings are not all necessarily from the same gun.

Analysis of the bullets which struck a laundry building are from a different gun than those

bullets recovered at the other two shooting sites, police said.

A report from the Illinois State Police states it cannot say for certain that bullets that struck and entered a home and those that hit a parked car are

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New law defines child endangerment

New legislation sponsored by state Senator John Cullerton, D-Chicago, and signed by Governor George Ryan defines legal endangerment in terms of children left unaccompanied in an automobile.

The new law, scheduled to take effect June 1, establishes a maximum time and a minimum age for leaving a child unattended.

The new law states that a

child under 6 years of age must not be left in a vehicle, running or not, for more than 10 minutes, unless accompanied by someone at least 14 years old.

A person who leaves a child unattended and out of sight in an auto can face charges of child endangerment and a penalty of up to one year in prison and a \$2,500 fine.

It's unsafe. A child can be

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Student group gives \$2,200 to kids cancer

A basketball game in the Niles West gym about a week ago was much more than a basketball game.

It was a fund-raising activity by Niles West students who participated in a tourney under the banner of their one-time, junior high teams. All this was to benefit One Step at a Time, a Wisconsin camp for young cancer patients.

cer patients.

To round out the event, kids who have benefited by attending the Wisconsin camp attended the game and talked about what the camp has meant to them.

Local businesses like Kinkos, and Georgia Nut Co. helped sponsor the event with advertising and candy; Army-Navy Surplus supplied uniforms; Merrill Lynch, raffle money; Classic Design, trophies; and Dunkin' donuts with donated product. Chicago Bears Bob Pickens donated two footballs signed by all

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Tuition up for District 207 non-residents

Out-of-district students attending district 207 schools will get a tuition increase of \$145 more than last year, or a new rate of \$12,671.

Liz Paine, spokesman for the district, said that three students pay at the non-resident tuition rate.

The Maine Township District board approved the increase last month.

School principal says students need more help;
School Board to consider proposal

Maine East calling for longer school day

Maine East principal David Barker has proposed lengthening class days to nine periods next year in contrast to the present eight-period day.

Barker feels his student population needs help reaching optimum efficiency and effectiveness and sees an expanded day in terms of helping his freshmen population achieve that level.

He plans to introduce a freshmen advisory program, which he views as a guided study to help freshmen understand what is expected of them.

Another reason behind Barker's proposal is to provide freshmen with time to take a new course offering, the History of Western Civilization. Although not required for graduation, Barker encourages all freshmen to take it.

Sophomores, juniors and seniors would have the extra period to take an additional elective or to seek help with other classes.

English teacher Lynn Dieter, who served on the faculty committee that developed the new schedule, said that many years ago Maine East operated on a nine-period day. Time misman-

agement by administration led to it being dropped, she added. Dieter said she is anxious to get additional time back in the school day to give extra help to

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Park Ridge man charged with battery against coach

Ronald Facer, 44, of Park Ridge, faces charges of battery against a Prospect Heights park district basketball coach.

The incident occurred Jan. 5 in a hallway after a game held at MacArthur Middle School.

The park district coach, Ed Fallon, 38, of Wheeling, reported the incident to Prospect Heights police.

Facer, whose son had not been on the team for about a month prior to the incident, al-

legedly confronted Fallon at the game and suggested they "handle" a matter away from children. Once in the hallway, Fallon said Facer punched him in the face.

The Prospect Heights Park District says it is conducting its own investigation.

Facer, who is charged with a Class A misdemeanor, posted bond and is scheduled to appear in court at Rolling Meadows Jan. 22.

Culver School mascot helps teach students about responsibility



Codee, the Culver School Mascot, visited the kindergarten students in Mrs. McShane's class to encourage them to follow the Culver Code. The code was developed by the Culver students as a guide for living and learning. Students from every class are chosen biweekly for a Culver Commendation for following the code.

Morton Grove Metra parking fee increased

Parking fees will be increased at the Morton Grove Metra Station sometime in February.

Village trustees voted to raise the daily parking rate from \$1 to \$1.25 when the new automated system is complete. The new rate was recommended by Metra, which owns all but one of the lots.

New boxes will accept prepaid fare cards which will be available through the village.

Extra revenue will be used at the station, either for repaving or for a new station building.

The \$1 parking fee was set in 1988.

The Bugle's community job listings can be found on
<http://www.ChicagoMetroJobs.com>



Mary Hogan named Volunteer of the Year

Mary Hogan of Park Ridge has been named Volunteer of the Year by the Rotary Club of Park Ridge.

The announcement and 2001 Volunteer of the Year award presentation were made recently during the Park Ridge Rotary's dinner celebrating the 40th anniversary of the organization's charter.

Hogan, a 41-year resident of Park Ridge, was nominated for the honor by Park Ridge Mayor Ronald Wietecha who told the Rotary Club how her volunteer work "has literally touched all of the 37,000-plus citizens in our

town."

He noted how, as co-chair of the District 64 Citizens' Referendum Committee, Hogan successfully orchestrated the passage of two school referendums on the first attempt at a time when most school referendums were being defeated. "The organization has been studied by communities throughout the suburbs as a model of how to organize citizens to successfully pass a referendum," said Wietecha.

In addition, Hogan has served for more than two years on the city's task force to study and recommend the direction for Park

Ridge's uptown business area. She also has volunteered for high school and elementary school organizations, the health arena, social and service community groups, and organizations serving the larger Chicagoland area.

As he presented the award to Hogan, Park Ridge Rotary President Robert McBride stressed that her efforts "truly exemplify the Rotary motto of 'Service Above Self.'"

Hogan, who said the award would always be one of the highlights of her life, attributed her dedication to volunteerism to the example set by her parents (Paul and Helen LaRue) and her husband, Dan, "who lives 'service above self' every day of his life." She also pointed out that their two children were following suit - daughter Katie is involved in fundraising at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, and son Dan Jr. launched a successful campaign to stock a local food pantry.

Hogan's other community activities include serving as vice president of the Pan Hellenic Club of Park Ridge, and as a member of Advocate Lutheran General Hospital's development council, the Maine Mothers' Scholarship Club Board, the Junior League of Chicago, the P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization), and the Twentieth Century Juniors/Park Ridge Juniors, for which she also chaired their 2001 benefit.

Previously, she served as president of the Children's Home and Aid Society (1987). The Twentieth Century Juniors/Park Ridge Juniors (1992-93), United Way Board of Directors (1994-96), the Park Ridge Health Foundation (1994-96), the Lincoln Middle School P.T.O. (1996-97), and Maine South High School Music Boosters (1999-2000). Hogan also was active with the High School District 207 Superintendent's Parent Committee, the District 207 Education Foundation, Field School P&TA Board of Directors, and the Emerson Middle School BOPA Board.

The Volunteer of the Year award is presented by the Park Ridge Rotary Club in recognition

of an individual who lives, works or attends school in Park Ridge, and has an outstanding record of service to the community.

The honoree is chosen from nominations received from businesses, community groups and representatives of various organizations. This is the 12th year the Park Ridge Rotary Club has honored a Volunteer of the Year.

The Park Ridge Rotary is an affiliate of Rotary International, a service organization of 1.2 million men and women in 30,149 clubs in 162 countries around the

world.

The Park Ridge Rotary is made up of 76 business and professional leaders who volunteer their time and services to the community through participation and funding of projects. The organization promotes fellowship, vocational services and high ethical standards for club members, and supports Rotary's international efforts for peace and understanding, improved health services, disaster relief and literacy. The club is one of 70 Rotary clubs located in Rotary District 6440.

Park Ridge man wins Illinois lottery prize

January 10, 2002, William Armstrong knows what the statement "Players Have More Fun" truly means. After purchasing an Illinois Lottery "Little Lotto" ticket, he won \$38,968.

Armstrong, 44, a business owner in Glenview for the past five years, says he purchases a couple of lottery tickets every week.

Armstrong, who says he uses birthdates to pick his numbers, was one of two players that matched all five numbers on the December 14, 2001 Little Lotto drawing. He was checking the Internet for the lottery numbers and said he was quite happy to find he had a winning ticket.

Armstrong has been married to his wife Marianne, for the past 14 years, and has three chil-

dre. He plans to invest some of his winnings and pay bills with the rest.

Little Lotto is drawn Monday through Friday.

A one percent bonus will be given to EZ Pantry, 8208 W. Oakton Street in Niles, the Illinois Lottery retailer who sold the winning ticket.

The Illinois Lottery was founded in 1974 and has annual sales of \$1.5 billion. All Lottery profits are deposited in the state's Common School Fund to assist K-12 public schools. Players must be at least 18. For winning numbers, jackpots, and other Lottery information, log on to the official Illinois Lottery website at:

www.illinoislottery.com

Maureen Murphy Presentation

On February 14, The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce & Industry will be hosting a presentation on real estate tax appeals. The how and why by the Expert-Commissioner, Cook County Board of Review Maureen Murphy. The Presentation will be held at the Holiday Inn Northshore located in Skokie, from 12 to 2 p.m. The cost of the presentation is \$15 per person including lunch. Learn how the appeal process works. This is an information-packed presentation that will help you understand the real estate tax appeal process. This presentation benefits all property owners, from homeowners to businesses. The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce is opening up this presentation to all business owners and homeowners. Please call the Morton Grove Chamber to register at (847) 965-0330.

Commissioner Maureen Murphy Cook County Board of Review As an elected Commissioner of the Cook County Board of Review since December 1998, Maureen Murphy has been the primary speaker at over two hundred engagements. As a former school board member, township clerk and state representative who was chairman of the House Revenue Committee,

Murphy brings a broad range of expertise and experience in government and tax policy to every audience she addresses. Organizations hosting Commissioner Murphy in the past have included The Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce, The Illinois Chamber of Commerce, The City Club of Chicago, The Civic Federation, Plumbers Union Local 130, The Northwest Association of Realtors, The Chicago Bar Association, The Greater O'Hare Association of Commerce and Industry and many other local suburban groups, clubs and associations.

AC-U-TAX establishes presence on the Web

AC-U-TAX Accounting & Tax Service, with offices in Skokie and Streamwood, has established a web site with the help of a National Software provider. This site has many helpful links, which will help individuals get forms and information to help with their tax problems.

Besides the links there also is a self-preparation page on the site. The self-preparation page will allow individuals to prepare tax returns and electronic file with the Internal Revenue Service for fast refunds.

\$750M fed grant for emergency center at Glen

Niles Fire, Chief Harry Kinowski, on hand recently to celebrate receipt of a \$750,000 federal grant for a new public safety training center, commented on the occasion in light of recent events.

Kinowski, speaking on behalf of the Northeastern Illinois Pub-

lic Safety Training Academy (NIPSTA), commented, this is probably the best chance the fire service has ever had to win federal grants.

NIPSTA is a joint agency of municipalities formed for the purpose of training emergency personnel.

Two Park Ridge employees charged

Park Ridge police have arrested another park district employee in connection with alleged embezzlement of funds from the agency.

Josephine A. Chicalace, 52, of Bartlett, was charged with one count of felony theft, according to Park Ridge Deputy Police Chief Tom Swoboda.

Chicalace was office manager at the district's Oakton Ice Arena. She resigned on Dec. 26, one week after her boss was charged with felony theft of \$15,000 to \$17,000 in the same case.

According to the complaint filed in court, Chicalace "removed cash from a safe located in her office and used the money at area riverboats for gambling over a period of 10 months."

Reportedly, Chicalace was unable to be reached for comment about the statement.

She had worked for the district for 18 years, according to a park district spokesperson.

Her bond was set at \$10,000 and she is scheduled to appear at the District Court in Skokie at 1:30 p.m. on Jan. 31.

Chicalace's immediate supervisor, Matthew Horbas, former revenue facilities coordinator for the park district and Des Plaines resident, was also charged with felony theft for allegedly using district funds for riverboat gambling. Horbas had worked for the district since 1979. He will also appear at Skokie Court on Jan. 31.

Learn the Art of Oil Painting at Oakton

Learn the "medium of the masters" this spring when you enroll in one of the following non-credit oil painting courses through Oakton's Alliance for Lifelong Learning (ALL) program.

Studio I (ART B15 Touch-Tone 077625) introduces you to the basics of working in oils and acrylics. Some basic drawing experience is suggested. Bring pencil and sketch book to first class. Course meets from 7-10 p.m. for six Mondays, beginning February 11, at Maine West High School, 1755 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. Course fee is \$110.

Studio II (ART B16 Touch-Tone 072974) is for more experienced artists to help each other compare techniques and overcome weaknesses. Bring any material you have to first class. This class shares the same time and space with the aforementioned Studio I class. Course fee is \$110.

Painting with Oil and Acrylics I (ART C35 Touch-Tone 08311) explores the basics of creating artwork in this medium. Bring sketchpad and #2B pencils to first class. Some drawing experience suggested. Class meets from 7-9:30 p.m. for seven Thursdays, beginning February 7, at Niles West High School, 5701 Oakton St., Skokie. Course fee is \$110.

Painting with Oil and Acrylics II (ART C36 Touch-Tone 08314) will increase your skill and ability to create with oils and acrylics. Bring sketchpad and #2B pencils to first class. This class meets from 7-9:30 p.m. for seven Thursdays, beginning

April 18, at Niles West High School.

Those who have registered for ALL classes within the last five years, or for a credit course in the last three years, may register by using the Touch-Tone system at (847) 635-1616, or by fax at (847) 635-1448. Both methods require payment using a major credit card (Visa, MasterCard or Discover).

LEGAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF MORTON GROVE PUBLIC NOTICE TO BID BITUMINOUS PATCHING MIXTURES AND CLASS SI CONCRETE MFT SECTION 02-00000-00GM

Sealed bids will be accepted at the Public Works Facility, Office of the Public Works Director, 7840 Nagle Avenue, Morton Grove, Illinois, until 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, February 21, 2002, for bituminous patching mixtures for maintenance use, including 643 tons of hot patch mixture and 200 tons of cold patch mixture, and 1,383 c.y. Class SI Ready Mix Concrete.

Copies of the bidding documents are available at the office of the Public Works Director.

These materials are being purchased with Motor Fuel Tax revenues and Illinois Department of Transportation bidding procedures will be observed. The Village Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding. The Village Board further reserves the right to review and study any and all bids to make a contract award within thirty days after bids have been opened and publicly read.

David O. Erb
Director of Finance
Village of Morton Grove
Dated, January 24, 2002

to send on-duty people to Glenview for training. They couldn't get back to Des Plaines in a timely fashion to fight fires, he said.

Plans for the new NIPSTA center include a shooting range and fire-training tower, mock fire station, a four-car railroad train "crash site," and several buildings to serve as an outdoor urban street for training in hostage rescue and gas attacks. A trench area would give emergency workers the opportunity to train shoring earthworks and rescuing, had stability failed.

Backers expect that fees from fire and police departments and

private firms will raise \$50 million for the center in 15 years. If the member municipalities have faith in those figures and in getting federal grants, they will be asked to back the issuing of bonds. The projected time for this decision is October, 2003.

NIPSTA's strongest backer is the town of Glenview which gave the agency a \$1 per year, 40-year lease on 231 acres, including four buildings, on the former Glenview Naval Air Station. The village is also giving \$1.25-million for a 160,000 square-foot concrete driver-training pad for firefighters to maneuver their big rigs.

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Organic Food Network sponsors potluck

The Organic Food Network invites you to Fall in Love with Raw Foods! The network will host a raw food potluck with a Valentine's Day theme on Sunday, Feb. 10 from 2 to 5 p.m., Wheaton Center Clubhouse, across from the train station in downtown Wheaton.

Cost is \$5 for members of the network and \$10 for nonmembers. All are asked to bring an organic, vegan, raw food dish to share.

The Organic Food Network is also sponsoring a visit to Chicago

by Nomi Shannon, author of *The Raw Gourmet*. Shannon will give a talk and mini-demo on Friday, 17 and teach a four-hour raw food preparation class on Sunday, May 19. Location and cost to be announced at a later date.

Membership in Chicago's Organic Food Network is a one-time fee of \$25 per person, or \$35 for married couples. Besides discounts on special events and activities and optional membership in the Living Foods and Friends Raw Food Potluck Club, benefits include The Organic Food Basket

online newsletter and a copy of *The Alternative Guide to Buying Natural and Organic Food*, a 12-page print newsletter listing dozens of resources for organic food in the Chicago area.

The Organic Food Network is sponsored by Nutrition Show & Tell, an enlightened living education service also offering nutrition makeovers, enlightened living workshops and health-promoting products. To join The Organic Food Network and sign up for the raw food potluck, send your check to: Nutrition Show & Tell, P.O. Box 4086, Wheaton, IL 60189. Be sure to include your name, address, phone number and e-mail address. To RSVP to events or receive a free sample issue of *The Organic Food Basket* online newsletter, e-mail your request to Nutrition Show & Tell at NutriSnT@aol.com, or call Laura Black, director of the Organic Food Network at (630) 752-8006.

Wendy Jordan exhibits photography at MG Library

During the month of January, Shawn Bourland, a Chicago artist, exhibits original metal sculptures in the Lincoln Ave. display case at the Morton Grove Public Library. Additional examples of Bourland's sculptures can be viewed on his website:

www.metallion-art.com. The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information, or mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220. TDD: (847) 965-4236. www.webtary.org.

Shawn Bourland exhibits sculptures at MG Library

During the month of February, Wendy Jordan, a Park Ridge photographer, exhibits four collections of photos at the Morton Grove Public Library: a series of "street photography" that began in Europe; "portraits" of trees that seem to have human qualities or personalities; photos

of New Mexico and the Southwest; and portraits of children and families. The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information, or mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220. TDD: (847) 965-4236. www.webtary.org.

Learn Web tips and tricks at Library

The Des Plaines Public Library will present a program on Web tips and tricks at 7 p.m. on Thursdays, Feb. 7, 21, and 28. A library staff member will repeat the same presentation on each date, so interested persons should register for one session only.

The program is designed for people who have a basic familiarity with computers, and have used the World Wide Web, but haven't always had great success with their searches. The presentation will focus on how to do a good search quickly in an appropriate search engine or directory. Some of the most popular and useful search engines will be

highlighted. Basic and advanced search techniques to get relevant information will be demonstrated.

The program will also address the different types of Web sites including commercial, nonprofit educational, and governmental. Commonly used computer and internet terms will be defined and a glossary of Internet terms will be distributed. Handouts of the tips that are presented will be available, as well as bibliographies of Internet sites prepared by library staff.

For information or to register, please phone the Registration Desk at (847) 376-2787.

Area merchants invited to join special promotion

The Des Plaines Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Des Plaines Public Library are inviting local merchants to participate in a special promotion during National Library Week, April 14 to 20. To thank their customers and show support for America's libraries, local businesses are being invited to offer a special

value or discount to people who show their Des Plaines Public Library cards during National Library Week. The type of value or discount is up to the individual merchant. In order to be included in the flyers, brochures, and other materials, interested businesses are asked to register before February 20 by phoning (847) 376-2792.

The library will list participating businesses in news releases on posters in the library, on the library Web site, and on flyers for distribution to patrons. The Chamber of Commerce will list participating Chamber members in its newsletter.

The library is also creating a special poster for participating business to display in their windows. The poster will say: "Show us your Des Plaines Public Library Card for Special Value during National Library Week, April 14 to 20."

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Library Book Group discusses Steinbeck's book

Librarian Christine Posinger will lead a discussion of John Steinbeck's *Cannery Row* at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 5. Books are available one month prior at the Registration Desk, and advance registration is necessary.

February 27 marks the centennial anniversary of John Steinbeck's birth. *Cannery Row* was first published in 1945 and features a colorful group of characters who populate the sardine canneries, vacant lots, flophouses, and honkytonks of Monterey, California. They include Lee Chong, the grocer; Doc, a young

marine biologist who surprisingly finds love; and Dora Flood, the flamboyant proprietress of a bordello.

Steinbeck was born in Salinas, California, and the Monterey Bay region was the setting for much of his fiction. He attended the local high school and studied marine biology at Stanford University, but did not earn a degree. Several of his early poems and short stories appeared in university publications. After working for a short time as a laborer and reporter in New York City, Steinbeck returned to California, where he

wrote and worked as a manual laborer. His jobs included apprentice painter, caretaker of an estate, surveyor, and fruit-picker.

Steinbeck's first three novels were largely unnoticed, but in 1935, *Tortilla Flat* brought him wider recognition. Among his many well-known works are *Of Mice and Men*, *The Red Pony*, *The Grapes of Wrath* (winner of the Pulitzer Prize), *The Wayward Bus*, *The Pearl*, *East of Eden*, *The Winter of Our Discontent*, and *Travels with Charley*. In 1962, Steinbeck was awarded the Nobel Prize in Literature. He died in 1968.

For more information on the program, or to register, please phone the Registration Desk at (847) 376-2787.

Auroris Dance Company of Niles North

Auroris Dance Company presents "Coming and Going". Auroris Dance Company will feature a wide variety of dance artistry ranging from works in the jazz and hip-hop realm to pieces in a modern style.

This event will take place February 1-2, 2002, 7 p.m. at Niles North High School Auditorium, 9800 North Lawler, Skokie.

International Night 2002 at Niles West

Members of student ethnic clubs will introduce the community to the richness of their culture. Representatives from the African-American, German, Scandinavian, Indo-Pak, Assyrian, Latino, Chinese, Thai, Serbian, Russian, Japanese, Korean, Israeli, and Filipino clubs will perform a variety of songs, dances and other demonstrations that highlight their cultural diversity.

This event will take place February 1, 2002, 7 p.m.-9:30 p.m. at Niles West High School Auditorium, 5701 W. Oakton, Skokie.

Contest Seeks Spiritual Poems from Niles Area

Great news for poets. The Texas Poetry Alliance is offering a \$1,000 grand prize in their annual spiritual poetry contest open to the public. There is no entry fee and everyone is invited to submit a poem.

"Our goal is to encourage new talent," says Poetry Director Laurie Green. "In a world where poetry is the Cinderella of the Arts, we are helping poets to find their glass slipper. Spiritual poems, which may be written on any sub-

ject and using any style, tend to inspire the reader, thus our desire for entries of a spiritual nature."

To enter, send one poem 20 lines or less to: Free Poetry Contest, 3412-A Moonlight Ave., El Paso, Texas 79904. Or enter online at www.freecontest.com.

The deadline for entering is February 10. A winner's list will be sent to all entrants. The editors reserve the right to publish the winning poems.

The Christmas Story



A Christmas tradition at St. John Brebeuf School is to have the first grade students dramatize the story of the Nativity. This event took place at the 8:45 a.m. Eucharistic Liturgy on December 21 and again at the Family Liturgy on Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24 at 5 p.m.

After weeks of practice and the help of first grade teachers Sheila Harrington and Cathy Matlese, the students told the story of the First Christmas Night while others dramatized the birth of Jesus. Tori Vonder Heide and Zachary Koziol portrayed the characters of Mary and Joseph. Daniella Gobbo and Nicholas Bartley portrayed the characters of Angel Gabriel and the kind innkeeper.

Left to right: Nicholas Bartley, Zachary Koziol, Tori Vonder Heide, Daniella Gobbo.

Trinity College Ice Hockey

The Trinity College men's ice hockey team won at NESCAC rival Amherst, 3-2, on Jan. 8, before returning home with a 1-1 tie against Division II Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) East foe St. Anselm and a 5-0 shutout of ECAC East opponent New England College on Jan. 11 and 12, respectively.

Senior co-captain forward Jeff Griffin (Wethersfield, CN) scored the game-winning goal in the third period to beat Amherst for the second time this season. Freshman forward Jeffrey Natale (Hamden, CN) and senior co-captain forward Matthew Greason (North Bridgeton, ME) scored the other Bantam goals, while senior goaltender Geoff Faulkner (Westerville, OH) made 17 saves.

Against St. Anselm, Faulkner made 26 saves and freshman forward Joseph Ori (Niles, IL) scored the lone Bantam goal on an assist from Natale. Faulkner

added 34 saves to record his third career shutout and Natale recorded his second hat trick of the season the next day against New England College.

Faulkner was named to NESCAC honor roll for his outstanding performances in the three games. He allowed three goals in 185 total minutes with 77 saves for a 0.97 GAA and a .963 save percentage.

Trinity, coached by John Dunham, is currently in sixth place in the NESCAC with a 5-3-1 league record. Faulkner is second in the league with a 1.88 GAA in net and Greason is tied for ninth in the league in scoring with six goals and 12 assists for 18 points.

The Bantams will visit Division II ECAC East rival St. Michael's on Fri., Jan. 18 and undefeated ECAC East foe Norwich the No. 1-ranked team in the United States College Hockey Online (USCHO) division III national poll, on Sat. Jan. 19.

"Rhythm Nation" at Niles West High School

The Orchestris Dance Company presents "Rhythm Nation" February 7-9, 2002, 7:30 p.m. at Niles West High School Auditorium 5701 W. Oakton, Skokie.

Orchestris Dance Company will present a wide variety of dance styles from lyrical to ballet, from jazz to hip-hop and modern in a fun evening of quality entertainment.

Talking So People Will Listen..."

"Talking So People Will Listen, Listening So People Will Talk" is a six-week series that has been created for adults who want to become more effective communicators by assessing fears and developing skills. Subjects include: Assessing your strengths and weaknesses in speaking and listening; the origins and types of fears; skill-building and communicating one-on-one; and, skill-

building, communicating in group situations.

Open to all, "Talking So People Will Listen..." will be held on Thursday evenings, February 8 to April 18 (no meetings on March 28 or April 4). 7:30 to 9 p.m., at Jewish Family and Community Service, North Suburban District, 85 Revere Drive, suite J, Northbrook (conveniently located a few minutes west of the Lake-Cook exit of the Edens Express-

way). The \$60 series fee is adjustable if needed. For registration and information, call group leader Tema Rosenblum, LSW, Family Life Educator, at (847) 272-2882.

"Talking So People Will Listen, Listening So People Will Talk" is a program in the Family Life Education series sponsored by Jewish Family and Community Service.

Business After Hours

The Niles Chamber of Commerce and Industry invites you and your fellow employees to our first Business After Hours of 2002. Begin an exciting year: meeting new contacts and increasing your business' revenue. Bring extra business cards and literature about your business. Food

and beverages will be served. Your name will also be entered into our grand prize raffle for a \$800 trip voucher. Plug into the Niles Chamber!

Wednesday, January 30, 2002, 5 p.m.-7 p.m. at Kokonut Restaurant, 6913 N. Milwaukee, Niles.

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Continuing Education Classes in Real Estate at OCC

Whether you're a licensed salesperson, broker, or appraiser in need of continuing education credits, or a consumer looking to increase your knowledge of real estate principles and pitfalls, Oakton's Alliance for Lifelong Learning (ALL) has a course this spring for you. Highlights include:

License Law/Esrow (REL E44) covers the new obligations imposed under the revised Illinois Real Estate License Act. Class meets from 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 26, at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie; or from 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. on Saturday, April 6, at the DesPlaines Campus, 1600 E. Golf Rd. Results in 3 Continuing Education (CE) credits. Course fee is \$40.

Environmental Concerns in Real Estate (REL E72) provides a comprehensive look at environmental regulations affecting the real estate industry, including the Environmental Response Compensation Liability Act (ERCLA), as well as the environmental threat of asbestos, radon, and lead. Class meets from 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. on Saturday, March 9, at the Ray Hartstein Campus. Results in 3 CE credits. Course fee is \$40.

Uniform Standards of Appraisal Practice (REL E82) is an introduction to the standards that govern real estate appraisal. Students will learn about ethical obligations, professionalism and competent performance of various appraisal methods and techniques. Federal and Illinois regulations will be included. Class meets from 6-9:45 p.m. on two

Tuesdays, beginning February 26, at the DesPlaines Campus. Results in 7 CE credits. Course Fee is \$40.

What Every Seller Needs to Know Before Selling a Home (REL E17) is taught by an attorney, an accountant, and a real estate broker. Get your legal, financial and general real estate questions answered during this informative seminar. Seminar meets from 7-9 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Niles West High School, 5701 Oakton St., Skokie; or on Tuesday, March 19, at Glenbrook North High School, 2300 Sherman Rd., Glenview. Seminar fee is \$20.

The Hidden Costs and Potential Horrors of Home Buying (REL E19) unravels the maze of secret costs and potential traps that could make buying your dream house a nightmare. Seminar meets from 7-10 p.m. on two Wednesdays, beginning February 27, at Niles North High School, 9800 Lawler Ave., Skokie; or on two Thursdays, beginning April 11, at Maine East High School, 2601 W. Dempster St., Park Ridge. Seminar fee is \$49.

Those who have registered for ALL classes within the last five years, or for a credit course in the last three years, may register by using the Touch-Tone system at (847) 635-1616, or by fax at (847) 635-1448. Both methods require payment using a major credit card (Visa, MasterCard or Discover).

For more information about other real estate classes through ALL, call (847) 982-9888, and press option 3.

SJB Christmas Concert

SJB students in Kindergarten through fourth grade performed music of the Christmas season in a recent concert. A daytime performance for the school and an evening program for parents were held in the school gym. The choral music, featuring

Christmas songs from many countries, was under the direction of Mrs. Beverly Tabern. The Junior and Senior Bands, under the direction of Mr. John Niemec, also played many traditional carols.



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"Discipline and Limit Setting..." is a program in the Family Life Education series sponsored by Jewish Family and Community Service.

'Pom Pon Girls for the Day' needed by Niles North

The Niles North Varsity Vixettes are seeking students in grades 1 through 5 for the third annual "Pom Pon Girl for the Day." A pom/dance clinic will be held from 12:30 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 26 at the high school, 9800 North Lawler (use the rear entrance by the football field). The cost of \$20, to be paid at the door (cash or check), will include the dance clinic, performance, poms and a T-shirt. Registration will begin at 12:15 p.m. on January 26. Those who complete the dance clinic will be expected to attend a dance review at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 2 before their performance during the half-time show of the boys' Varsity basketball game vs. Buffalo Grove.

For more information, please contact Vixettes sponsor Mrs. Zoloto at (847) 568-3259.

Jennifer Anne Przybylo

The Legion of Young Polish Women will present Jennifer Anne Przybylo of Lincolnwood, Illinois at its annual White and Red Ball on Saturday, February 16, 2002 at the Chicago Hilton and Towers Hotel. Music will be provided by Franz Bentler.

Jennifer Anne Przybylo is the daughter of Chester and Elizabeth Przybylo of Lincolnwood, Illinois. She is a student at St. Ignace College Prep where she is a Junior. She is a member of the National Honor Society, National French Honor Society, Philosophy Club, and is managing Editor of the School Paper Spirit. She is also a member of Loaves and Fishes Soup Kitchen at St. Mary of the Woods Parish. She also enjoys sailing, and kickboxing. She enjoys running, gardening, traveling and dancing. She is interested in becoming a neurosurgeon.

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Illinois State Dental Society News

Governor Issues Proclamation for National Children's Dental Health Month. Governor George Ryan officially recognized the importance of oral care for children by proclaiming February as Children's Dental Health Month in Illinois.

Governor Ryan urged the public, community dentists and children's organizations to participate in upcoming activities and events. The mayor stressed the importance of proper oral health care for children, noting that a healthy smile can last a lifetime.

For more information about Children's Dental Health Month, contact the Illinois State Dental Society at (217) 525-1406.

Coloring Contest Held in Observance of National Children's Dental Health Month. The eleventh annual National Children's Dental Health Month Coloring Contest sponsored by the Illinois State Dental Society is currently under way. The contest is open to children in kindergarten through third grades and several prizes will be awarded in each category. Entry forms are now available from participating members of the Illinois State Dental Society and no purchase is necessary to be eligible to participate or win.

This year's contest features the theme "Don't Let Your Smile Become Extinct!" The Illinois State Dental Society sponsors the coloring contest to remind children about the importance of oral health as a contributor to overall health. The coloring sheet features "Flossie," the Illinois State Dental Society mascot. Participants may use any medium they like to complete the entry form, including crayons, markers, paint and/or pencils. Entry forms must be returned to the Illinois State Dental Society at P.O. Box 376, Springfield, IL 62705 and postmarked by February 28, 2002. Winners will be notified by April 21, 2002.

For a list of Illinois State Dental Society member dentists in your area or for additional information about the contest, call (217) 525-1406.

Oakton Performances to Benefit Local Shelters & Rape Crisis Centers

This February, Oakton Community College will join 550 colleges and universities around the world in hosting benefit performances of Eve Ensler's Obie Award winning play, *The Vagina Monologues*, as part of the V-Day 2002 College Campaign. Performances are scheduled for 8 p.m. on Feb. 15 and 16, and at 7 p.m. on Feb. 17, at Oakton's Performing Arts Center, 1600 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines.

The V-Day College Campaign raises awareness and money to help stop violence against women and girls by supporting and revitalizing the work of existing anti-violence organizations. Since Valentine's Day 1998, when a group of talented theater, film and music celebrities gathered in New York to perform the play and raise funds to stop violence against women, "V-Day" has been commemorated each year with special performances and other events that celebrate women. This year Oakton will donate 90 percent of the proceeds to local shelters and rape crisis centers with 10 percent earmarked for the Revolutionary Association of the Women of Afghanistan (RAWA).

The Vagina Monologues is based on Ensler's interviews with more than 200 women of different ages, backgrounds and ethnicities about their sexuality and explores the myriad emotions these women experience in their everyday lives.

The *Vagina Monologues* runs the gamut from wildly funny to deeply moving," says Kathleen Carot, assistant professor of speech and theater and director of this year's production. "It is a life-changing experience for the performers and audience alike."

Tickets are \$15 for the general public, \$12 for students and seniors, and can be purchased through the Oakton Box Office, (847) 635-1900. Oakton's Performing Arts Department and Women's Institute are sponsoring the performances.

For more information, call (847) 376-7061, or log on to www.vday.org to learn more about the V-Day 2002 College Campaign.

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Support Group at Res for Persons with MS

Persons with multiple sclerosis (MS), their families and friends are invited to join a monthly support group at Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 West Talcott Avenue. The support group provides people with MS information on management of the disease, as well as offering them social and emotional support from others who share common concerns about living with MS.

Meetings include presentations by health care professionals on different aspects of the disease, discussion groups for sharing personal experiences and pos-

itive strategies for living with MS, and social activities to help maintain health and wellness.

The support group is sponsored by Resurrection Medical Center, the Greater Illinois Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and the Park Ridge Health Foundation. It meets once a month in the Rehabilitation Center of Chicago, accessible from entrance C on the first floor of the Resurrection Medical Center Professional Building, 7447 West Talcott Avenue. No registration is required to attend.

For more information, including the date of the next support group meeting, call Lisa Ridge-way at (773) 594-7856.

Childbirth Classes at Holy Family Medical Center

For first time parents who speak Spanish, Holy Family Medical Center, 100 North River Road, will offer its "Prenatal Classes in Spanish." The four-week series will cover how to prepare for labor, proper nutrition, exercise, breastfeeding and infant and mother care. The free series will take place on Tuesdays from 6 to 8 p.m. from February 5 to 26.

Registration is required. For more information or to register, call 1-877-RES-INFO (1-877-737-4636).

New programs at Niles Family Fitness Center

The Niles Family Fitness Center is now offering the following new programs. Call (847) 588-8400 for questions regarding the following programs or Club membership.

• **Niles Resident Open House - Saturday, Feb. 9 - 6 to 8 p.m.** ... Enjoy pool activities, workout in the Fitness Center or shoot some hoops in the gymnasium. Refreshments will be served and everyone who attends will receive a FREE guest pass to come back for another visit. Save \$30 off the activation fee when you purchase an Adult, Senior, or Corporate Annual Membership between 6 to 8 p.m. Niles residents only - proof of residency will be required. Contact the Niles Family Fitness Center at (847) 588-8400 for more information.

• **All Night Ski Trip - Grades 6 to 12** ... It's back and better than ever - the overnight ski trip 2002! This year we will be going to Chestnut Mountain in Galena, IL. This resort includes a snowboard park, bonfire area, game room, and a DJ in the lodge. Each teen has the option to ski, snowboard, or just relax by the fire. Fee includes transportation and supervision. Sponsored by the Illinois Park & Recreation Teen Committee. Registration deadline is January 21. Contact the Niles Family Fitness Center at (847) 588-8400 for more information.

• **Devil's Head Ski Trip - Grades 6 to 12** ... Spend the day skiing at Devil's Head Resort in Merrimac, Wisconsin. We will travel on a chartered motor coach that will transport us in comfort to this scenic ski area. Registration deadline is February 5. Contact the Niles Family Fitness Center at (847) 588-8400 for more information.

• **Chicago Wolves Trip - Grades 6 to 12** ... Don't miss the excitement of the Wolves inaugural AHL season! Join us as we travel to the Allstate Arena to see the 2000 Turner Cup Champion Chicago Wolves face off against the Milwaukee Admirals. Price includes ticket and transportation. Registration deadline is February 20. Fees: \$21 Member-Resident, \$72 Non-Resident. Contact the Niles Family Fitness Center at (847) 588-8400 for more information.

• **School's Out Camp - President's Day - 6 to 12 Years** ... Don't spend your day off school holed at home. At Adventure Camp you can play sports and games, make crafts, go swimming and more! Guaranteed to be the most fun you can pack into a day. Camp hours are 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Extended camp hours are available from 3 to 5 p.m. for an additional fee. Deadline to register is 10 days prior to camp or when camp is filled. Date February 18. Fees: \$25 Member-Resident, \$30 Non-Resident. Contact the Niles Family Fitness Center at (847) 588-8400 for more information.

• **WOW Van** ... Client will be referred to available services. Suburban Cook County residents who are financially eligible (JFF school lunch program) Women, Infants and Children (WIC) can receive WOW services. At the time an appointment is scheduled, financial screening will be done and accommodations will be made for persons with disabilities. The WOW van is scheduled to visit the following location during February: Skokie - Wednesday, February 6 - Niles Township Center, 5255 Main Street.

WOW Van will be in Skokie

Cook County Department of Public Health Wellness on Wheels Van Rolls Into Suburban Communities. The Cook County Department of Public Health's (CCDPH) Wellness on Wheels (WOW) van provides health services throughout suburban Cook County.

Services include health counseling, tests for anemia and diabetes, blood pressure and cholesterol screening, tuberculosis (TB) testing, immunizations, urinary sex, breast self exam instruction, pelvic pap smears for women and testicular exams for men. If a health problem is found, the

client will be referred to available services.

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Ever notice that your face breaks out when you get stressed? Or perhaps your scalp becomes itchy and flaky? Women face countless situations throughout their lives that not only cause their bodies to react and change but their hair and scalp, too.

"A woman's scalp health is challenged throughout her life," said New York-based dermatologist Dr. Hilary Baldwin. "The daily demands of work, family responsibilities and hormonal changes such as pregnancy or menopause can take a toll on her scalp and skin. Starting a new job, meeting deadlines, having a child and even getting married can trigger dandruff or dry scalp."

Perhaps it's no wonder that dandruff and dry scalp are two of

the most common skin conditions American women face. In fact, more than 50 percent of the U.S. population is affected by dandruff or dry scalp at some point.

"Just as your facial complexion responds to changes within your body, the condition of your scalp can be one external measure of your overall health," Baldwin said.

Why? Dandruff is caused by a naturally occurring fungus called Malassezia, which feeds on your skin's natural oils.

Women experiencing dandruff should know two things. First, dandruff is a chronic condition, which means it can come back if left unchecked. Second, a daily hair care regimen that includes a shampoo with an effective anti-

fungal ingredient can get rid of the flakes you have and help keep new ones from forming.

Baldwin recommends her patients use Head & Shoulders anti-dandruff shampoos or conditioners which contain the anti-fungal ingredient pythione zinc (ZPT), a highly effective form of dandruff treatment.

"While some anti-dandruff shampoos merely mask the condition by working on the symptoms, Head & Shoulders goes right to the source of dandruff by attacking the fungus that causes flakes," Baldwin said.

So follow this hair and scalp care advice and breathe a sigh of relief. No matter what stage of your life you're going through, you don't have to live with flakes.

How to Take Off Those Holiday Pounds for Life

It's true that no holiday celebration is complete without delicious food, shared with friends and family. Unfortunately, after the celebration is over and the tastes of those holiday desserts are long forgotten, many people who are watching their weight regret splurging during those family dinners and office potlucks.

Statistics show that more than half of adults in the United States are overweight or obese. If you have resolved to lose weight after the holidays, be prepared to back it up with a lifelong plan that includes healthy eating and regular physical activity.

Remember that dramatically reducing portions and depriving yourself of certain foods does not work in the long term. Instead, aim for a gradual weight loss of no more than one-half to one pound per week. The key to losing weight and keeping it off is to make changes to your eating and physical activity habits that you can follow for life.

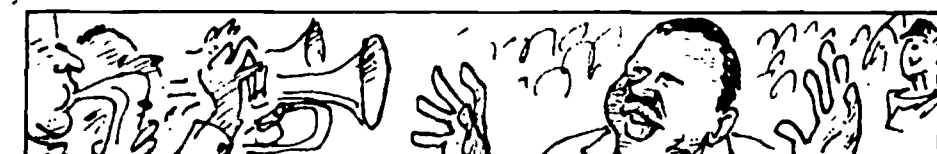
Here are some tips for a healthier eating plan from the Weight-control Information Network of the National Institutes of Health (NIH):

- **Get the daily recommended amounts of vitamins, protein, carbohydrates and fiber.** Women 25 and older should get about 50 grams of protein each day; men should get 63 grams. Protein sources include lean meat, poultry, fish, beans, eggs and nuts. To prevent fatigue and fluid imbalances, eat at least 100 grams of carbohydrates per day, found in breads, cereals and grains. For proper bowel function, nutrition experts recommend 20 to 30 grams of fiber, found in vegetables, fruit, beans and whole grains.
- **Limit your fat intake.** Your body needs fat to survive, so be sure to include some fat in your diet. However, no more than 30 percent of calories should come from fat per day. Fat intake should be a maximum of 60 grams for a 1,800-calorie diet and 67 grams for a 2,000-calorie diet.

- **Drink water.** Your body needs at least eight to 10 glasses of water a day.

- **Keep moving.** Research shows that people who exercise are more likely to keep the weight off than people who only change how they eat. Exercise reduces stress and can help control blood pressure and type 2 diabetes. Remember, a little bit of physical activity is better than none, so do what you can at first and work up to the recommended levels.

In general, most people should exercise for 20 to 30 minutes at least three times a week and do muscle strengthening at least twice a week. Consult your health care provider or fitness professional for the best exercise regimen for you.



Bandleader Count Basie's real first name was William.

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Free Training Consultation at Faust

It's still not too late to keep your healthful New Year's resolutions to start exercising regularly. Remember those? For a limited time Faust of Italy Hair Salon and Spa for women is offering a free consultation session with a professional personal trainer to help in getting started on the right foot.

"The critical aspect of any exercise program is to set achievable goals taking them right where they are at, and then composing a safe, effective program," said trainer Terry Strand, BS MA. "There is no 'one size fits all' program that can be used for everyone. That's where my job comes in."

The Faust gym features a full line of cardiovascular, weight machines and free weights for the beginner and the veteran, as well as a swimming pool, whirlpool and sauna. Though Faust of Italy has been in operation for 30 years, it is primarily known for its beauty salon. The addition of a trainer will help expand its services for present salon customers, as well as for new ones. "Some of my clients ask for help to lose weight and tone up."

others want to add some activity to a sedentary lifestyle. Of course many come in because their doctor advised exercise to help lower their blood pressure, blood sugar, and lipid levels."

The Faust spa is open six days a week, and is a clean, quiet place for women to come to work out together or alone.

"It's never too late to get in shape. With correctly designed workouts and sensible dietary habits, the sky is the limit," Terry said. "After being a trainer for enough years, you get to know what is going to work for your clients, and what isn't."

Terry is a former Illinois AAU record holder, paramedic, de-greed and certified professional trainer. His training articles have appeared in publications such as Windy City Sports and Muscle-Mag. He is available for a limited time for a free consultation without obligation. To make an appointment at your convenience, call Faust of Italy at (847) 967-0429 or (847) 967-0421. Faust is located in Morton Grove at 5835 Dempster.

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Harry Truman's grandson to address seniors

Clifton *Daniels, grandson of a U.S. President, will address a group of seniors at the monthly Men's Group meeting on Monday, Feb. 11. Daniels will give an insightful analogy of his famous grandparents, Harry and Bess Truman.

The program will be held at Maine Township Hall, 1700 Bal-

lard Rd., Park Ridge, from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

"This promises to be a fun and interesting presentation," says Mary Swanson, Director of MaineStreamers, the Township's adult and senior services department that organized the appearance.

Lunch will be served immedi-

ately following the presentation. The cost is \$3.50 per person. Reservations are suggested. Volunteers are needed to assist.

For further information on this and other seniors programs, activities and events, contact the Adult and Senior Services Department at (847) 297-2510.

Resolve to get involved in 2002

Experience the sense of satisfaction that comes from sharing your time, talents and love with your neighbors in Northern Cook and Northern Du Page Counties. Hundreds of meaningful volunteer opportunities are available in your area. Training is provided. No experience necessary.

Seniors age 55 or better may obtain information by calling the Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) 847-228-1006 or check our web site at www.rsvps.org. Don't delay! Call today!

Friday, Feb. 8 - Yiddish Music and Conversation, with Aviva May 2, 2 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 8 at CJE's Lieberman Geriatric Health Centre, 9700 Gross Point Road, Skokie. Call (773) 508-1000 for information.

Thursday, Feb. 21 - Lyric Opera Music and Lecture: Wagner's Parsifal, 2 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 21 at CJE's Lieberman Geriatric Health Centre, 9700 Gross Point Road, Skokie. Call (773) 508-1000.

Programs for seniors

Council for Jewish Elderly offers the following free programs of interest to senior citizens and their families at a variety of community locations. For further information for programs, please call CJE at (773) 508-1000.

Wednesday, Feb. 6 - Lecture/Discussion, The Jewish World Today, presented by Sareta Lazovsky, 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 6 at CJE's Lieberman Geriatric Health Centre, 9700 Gross Point Road, Skokie. Please call (773) 508-1000 for information.

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Council for Jewish Elderly Support Groups

Council for Jewish Elderly (CJE) offers support groups on a wide variety of topics of interest to seniors and their families. Fees vary according to the program and individual circumstances. Some groups may be partially covered by Medicare and supplemental insurance. For information or to join a group, please call CJE at (773) 508-1000.

Mondays, February 4, 11, 18 and 25, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Coffee and Conversation, a group for Holocaust survivors meets from 1 to 2:30 p.m. each Monday at the Holocaust Memorial Foundation of Illinois, 4255 W. Main Street, Skokie. sponsored by Council for

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Niles Senior Citizens 588-8420 - 588-8000

NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION

The Niles Senior Center offers FREE membership to Village of Niles residents, age 62 and over, and their spouses. To register for classes, trips, or purchase tickets, you must be a member of the Center. To register to become a member, please drop in and fill out an application, or call us and we will mail one to you.

NILES - ONLINE

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FOR YOUR HEALTH - FEBRUARY

FEBRUARY 13

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Blood Pressure Screening is Wednesday, Feb. 13, 1 p.m.-3:30 p.m. No appt. needed.

FEBRUARY 20

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

Cholesterol Screening is Wednesday, February 20, 7 a.m.-10 a.m. Resurrection Hospital will be doing a blood draw for cholesterol, triglycerides, HDL (good cholesterol) & LDL (bad cholesterol). Fast 12 hours. Hold medication taken with food. Water permitted. Appointment only. No walk-ins. Cost: \$16.

FEBRUARY 28

STROKE PREVENTION

Stroke Prevention is a free lecture on Thursday, February 28 at 2 p.m. Come learn stroke prevention from a physical therapist from Resurrection Hospital.

CLASSES BEGIN

QUILTING

Five-week course begins Friday, February 1 at 9 a.m. Cost \$15.

CHINESE MAHJONGG

Four-week course begins Friday, February 1 at 1 p.m. \$5.

DIABETIC COOKING

Four-week course begins Wed., Feb. 6, at 10 a.m. \$12.

COMPUTER CLASS REGISTRATION

March Computer Class registration begins Mon., Feb. 4 at 8:45 a.m. Classes include the following: Pre-Introduction to Computers, Introduction to Computers, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Internet and Genealogy Workshop. Contact Jaymi at 588-8420.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Shovel driveways for the Niles Seniors. Contact Kelly at 588-8420.

GENERAL TICKET SALES

Please call for ticket availability

Poker Tournament - Friday, Jan. 25, 12 to 3 p.m. Come and play seven-card stud and five-card stud. Includes lunch and prizes. Cost: \$3.50.

Evening at the Center: "Wheel of Fortune" - Tuesday, Jan. 29, 5 to 8 p.m. Join us for an evening of fun and excitement. Dinner includes a submarine sandwich, chips, and dessert. We will then play Wheel of Fortune. Cost: \$4 includes meal & prizes.

Ireland Travelogue - Wednesday, Jan. 30, 12 p.m. An exciting journey through Ireland! Experience monuments and ruins, St. Patrick's Cathedral, etc. Prior to video, enjoy an Irish meal of Cornbeef & Potato Soup. Cost: \$3.50.

Book Discussion - Friday, February 1, 10 a.m. Featured book is *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee. Cost: \$1 includes pastry.

February Lite Lunch & Movie - Friday, February 8, 12 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Enjoy a Tuna Salad on whole wheat bread, then watch the Drama/Romance, Pearl Harbor (2001, PG-13) starring Ben Affleck. At 12:45 p.m., 182 min. film will begin. \$3.50.

CURRENT EVENTS GROUP

Current Events Group meets every month on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday, at 10:30 a.m. Please join us at our next meeting (Jan. 23) as we discuss local & world issues.

KITCHEN BAND GROUP

Kitchen Band practices at 11 a.m. on the first and third Wednesday of each month and performs locally. We are looking for new members (vocalists and instrumentalists). Please call Mary Ann for more information. Next meeting: February 6.

DROP IN CERAMICS

Drop in Ceramics begins Thursday, January 10. You are invited to "drop in" room 226 anytime between 10 a.m.-3 p.m. to work on a ceramic piece of your choice. A \$2.50 Drop in cost covers paints & firing. For more information, contact Mary Ann at 588-8420.

Maine Township Senior Citizens 297-2510

MAINE TOWNSHIP FEBRUARY SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Maine Township seniors' program - MaineStreamers - offers older adults a variety of programs each month. Membership is free. For more information or to register as a member, please contact the Adult and Senior Department of Maine Township at (847) 297-2510 weekdays.

Below are more samples of February, 2002 programs. Registration is accepted by mail only and must be accompanied by separate checks for each program. All activities and programs are held at Maine Township's Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., Park Ridge unless otherwise indicated.

Reminder: all Maine Township residents 55 or older can participate in the activities and programs which include day trips, men's and women's groups, special evening and weekend classes and much more.

"STARS ON ICE" TRIP

Rosewood Restaurant & Allstate Arena, Saturday, February 2, 4:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Cost: \$68 members/\$73 guests.

See the world's most spectacular ice show! America's premier figure skating showcases Tara Lipinski, Kristi Yamaguchi, Katarina Witt, Kurt Browning and U.S. Pair Champions Jenni Meno & Todd Sand.

Prior to the show you will enjoy a delicious dinner at The Rosewood Restaurant. We will depart from the Town Hall.

"A LITTLE BIT O' IRELAND" TRIP

Fireside Theatre - Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin, Saturday, February 9, 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$63 members/\$68 guests.

Grab your shillelagh and join the party as we travel to one of our favorite places. Dinner included. The trip departs from Town Hall.

INTERMEDIATE MICROSOFT WORD FOR WINDOWS

Students will learn advanced document formatting, including headers, footers and merging of documents in addition, students will be learning how to use templates to create documents and the merge feature. Prerequisite: Introduction to Microsoft Word for Windows.

*Class 5: Fridays, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, March 1, 8, 15 & 22. Time: 12 noon to 2 p.m.

INTERMEDIATE WINDOWS "95" - (Level 2)

In this course, the student will learn how to modify the start menu, create desktop shortcuts, learn basic Windows utilities and learn more in depth file and folder creation and maintenance. Prerequisite: Introduction to Computers.

*Class 6: Fridays, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, March 1, 8, 15 & 22. Time: 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

MICROSOFT EXCEL USING SPREADSHEETS

This course covers the basics of spreadsheets - the tool you can use for managing budgets, solving complex mathematical equations and financial calculations, and organizing data. Prerequisite: Introduction to Computers.

*Class 7: Saturdays, February 2, 9, 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 23. Time: 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

"HISTORIC MAINE TOWNSHIP" LUNCHEON

Wednesday, February 6. Doors open at 11 a.m. Lunch is served at 12 noon. Chateau Ritz, 9100 Milwaukee Ave., Niles. Cost: \$13 members/\$14 guests + \$1 for fish.

Today's luncheon will highlight the fascinating history of Maine Township by displaying historic items from our Historical Societies. So plan on arriving at 11 a.m. so you can enjoy viewing the items prior to lunch.

MEN'S GROUP

Monday, February 11, 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Held at Town Hall. Cost: \$3.50 includes program and lunch. Program will feature Clifton Daniels, grandson of Harry and Bess Truman and son of Margaret Clifton will give an insightful analogy of his famous grandparents and family. Lunch will be served. Registration required. Volunteers needed.

BEGINNERS BRIDGE CLASS

Fridays, February 8, 15, 22 & March 1, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., Park Ridge. Instructor: John Krelle. Cost: \$12 for 4 classes.

SJB Golden-Agers Delight in the Holiday Season

"Twas the season to be jolly and the Golden-Agers of St. John Brecheuf certainly were! Christmas festivities (including a wonderful party and a fruitful bake sale) and joyful events (happy births and merry anniversaries) played colorful roles in this season's panorama.

This column is a little behind in presenting club news, because the columnist was a lot under the weather, sorry!

Bill and Dolores Gruzynski celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on September 15 at a surprise reception held at the White Eagle restaurant. Given by their children and grandchildren, the party included 60 relatives and friends, some traveling from as far away as Texas, Indiana and Wisconsin. (Because flights were cancelled that day, two of the couple's children and their families from Arizona and California could not attend.) Best wishes to the happy couple and to their equally happy families!

On November 17 and 18, the Golden-Agers held their annual bake sale. Such a delicious affair! Many thanks to everyone, especially Chairlady Teresa Kapka and her crew, who baked such wonderful goodies and worked so very hard to make the sale such a success. Our tummies salute you!

November wedding anniversaries include:

Richard and Helen Brezezinski, Felix and Betty Jack, Joseph and Lillian LoPipero, Robert and Doris Teschner.

And January celebrants are: Edwin and Jeanne Bielski and Joe and Betty Walsh.

Congratulations to all! And many, many more!

Members enjoyed the annual Christmas party at the White Eagle restaurant on December 11. The food (delicious!) certainly lived up to all expectations and the entertainment, the singing and dancing was super. Beautiful flowers provided by the restaurant added to the party's wonderful ambience. Everyone agreed that it was so nice to enjoy the holiday spirit with good friends.

On November 13, Golden-

Agers attended a Mass for all the deceased members of the club. Everyone shared many happy memories of these angels: they will always be in our prayers.

Marion Barone reports that she now has a total of nine (9) great-grandchildren and four (4) grandchildren - three of whom were recently born within one month! Grandparents are Charles and Sue Baron. Congratulations to the Baron families!

Adding their names to the list of great-grandparents are Dolores and Bill Gruzynski, who welcomed their great-grandson Peter, born November 4 to their granddaughter, Shannon. Baby

weighed in at 5 pounds, 12 ounces. Mother, father and great-grandparents are doing great, as is Peter!

And so it was a child was born! On Christmas morning, Taylor Rose was born to Robert and Kimberly Hindman. Camille DiMaggio and Anne Maczek became great-grandmothers at this blessed event. Happy day! And another round of applause, please!

Now that the first real snowfall of the season has lightly dusted everything white, everyone is gearing up to change that color to red - to the red of St. Valentine's Day and its heartfelt activities!

Basic Internet Training at the MG Public Library

Are you a beginning computer user interested in learning how to use the Internet? Saturday, March 2, at 10 a.m., the Morton Grove Public Library will host *Basic Internet*, a free computer training program. The presentation will cover a brief history of the Internet, basic terminology, and the scope of information available on the Internet. Those who attend the introductory level lecture and demonstration on March 2 will be eligible to register for an individual, hands-on tutoring session covering basic Internet navigational skills to be scheduled later in the month. Registration is limited to 50 Morton Grove residents who have valid library cards. Beginning February 4, stop by the Reference Services Desk to register for the class or call (847) 965-4220. The Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Avenue, Morton Grove. For more information, or for mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220, for TDD (847) 965-4236, www.webrary.org.

Silvia Schmelzer exhibits photos at MG Library

During the month of February, Silvia Schmelzer, a Skokie artist, exhibits original jewelry at the Morton Grove Public Library, in the Lincoln Avenue entry display case. Ms. Schmelzer was born in Argentina and moved to the U.S. thirty years ago. Her early art studies were in ceramics and enameling; currently, she is attending master classes at the Evanston Art Center where she designs and fabricates jewelry in silver, brass, gold, and other metals. The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information, or mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220, TDD: (847) 965-4236, www.webrary.org.

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Jewish Elderly and Jewish Family and Community Service. No charge. To register, call (773) 508-1000.

Mondays, February 4, 11, 18 and 25, 3 to 4 p.m. Coping with Parkinson's, meets from 3 to 4 p.m. Mondays in the auditorium at Lincolnwood Place, 7000 N. McCormick, Lincolnwood. Individuals with Parkinson's disease share coping strategies, practical ideas for making tasks easier, and day-to-day struggles and triumphs. Sponsored by CJE. The group is free. To register, call Maria at (773) 508-1000.

Friday, February 22, 9:30 to 11 a.m. Living with Parkinson's provides ongoing support, guest speakers, helpful resources and medical updates. The group meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. on Friday, February 22 at Mayer Kaplan JCC, 5050 W. Church, Skokie. No charge. For registration, please call Carol Harris at (773) 508-1000.



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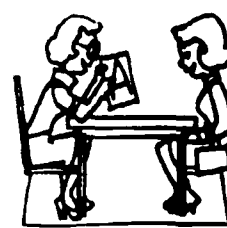
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Poems Sought in Contest from Niles Area

A \$1,000 grand prize is being offered in a new poetry contest sponsored by Celestial Arts. free to everyone. A whopping \$50,000 in prizes will be awarded during the coming year! "Even if you have never entered a competition before," says

Poetry Editor Michael Thomas, "this is your opportunity to win big. Even if you have written only one poem it deserves to be read and appreciated. Beginners are welcome!"

To enter send one poem 21 lines or less: Celestial Arts. PO

Box 1140. Talent, OR 97540. Or enter online at www.freecontest.com.

Be sure your name and address is on the page with your poem. The deadline for entering is February 18, 2002. A winner's list will be sent to all entrants.

Register for Morton Grove Baseball 2002 season

The Morton Grove Baseball Association has set two dates for parents to register their children at the Prairie View Community Center for the 2002 season:

Saturday, Jan. 26, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 30, 6-9 p.m.
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Morton Grove and surrounding communities are invited to play in one of the eight leagues sponsored by the MGBA or run in conjunction with other communities.

Parents can also mail their registrations using the form that appears in the latest issue of the Morton Grove Park District mag-

azine, or downloading one from the "Handouts" section of the new MGBA Web site, www.eteamz.com/mgba.

Parents can submit questions by e-mail to MGHarr@aol.com, or by leaving a message at (847) 965-7558, ext. 5.

Oakton offers Tai Chi Chih Classes

Oakton Community College's Emeritus Program offers several Tai Chi Chih classes for everyone from the beginner to the expert. Students can learn 20 movements that are designed to increase and integrate your body's energy, and may help with sleep, depression, anxiety and other stress-related

problems. These non-credit classes meet at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

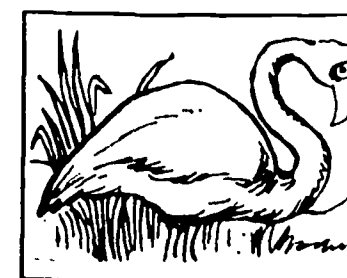
Tai Chi Chih: Part I teaches the first ten movements, including the final pose. Session I (PED E30-71, Touch-Tone 05676) meets from 8:30-9:30 a.m. on six

Mondays, beginning Feb. 25. Session II (PED E30-72, Touch-Tone 07987) meets from 8:30-9:30 a.m. on six Mondays beginning April 8. The course fee for both sessions is \$72.

Tai Chi Chih: Part II teaches the remaining nine movements and refines all the movements in the form. Students must have completed the first class to enroll. Session I (PED E30-73, Touch-Tone 08124) meets from 9:45-10:45 a.m. on six Mondays, beginning Feb. 25. Session II (PED E30-74, Touch-Tone 08123) meets from 9:45-10:45 a.m. on six Mondays, beginning April 8. The course fee for both sessions is \$72.

Continuing Tai Chi Chih: For the Body that Wasn't Born Yesterday (PED E31-71, Touch-Tone 05670) helps students refine the movements they already know as well as learn new ones. This course meets from 11 a.m.-noon on twelve Mondays, beginning Feb. 25. The course fee is \$144.

In-district students age 60 and older pay half the listed fee. Persons who have registered within the last five years may register using the Touch-Tone phone registration system. For more information about these and other Emeritus classes, call (847) 635-1414.



Flamingoes are not naturally pink. They get their color from their food—blue-green algae that turn pink in digestion.

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OCC Emeritus Program offers several art seminars

Oakton Community College's Emeritus Program offers several art seminars - from watercolors to drawing - to enhance your skill with the medium. These non-credit classes meet at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

Drawing (ART B93-71, Touch-Tone 06329) teaches techniques suitable as a foundation for effective drawing. The class meets from 10-11 a.m. on six Mondays, beginning Feb. 25. The course fee is \$84.

Watercolor/Drawing (ART C19-71, Touch-Tone 06328) improves on the skills learned in Drawing as well as studies the application of color as it applies to the use of watercolor paints. The class meets from 10-11:30 a.m. on six Mondays, beginning April 8. The course fee is \$90.

Studio I teaches the basics of working in oil or acrylic paint. Previous drawing experience is recommended. Session I (ART B15-71), Touch-Tone 05619) meets from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on eight Wednesdays, beginning Feb. 6. Session II (ART B15-72,

Touch-Tone 05998) meets from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on eight Wednesdays, beginning April 3. The course fee for both sessions is \$140.

Studio II is for artists who have had experience working with oils and acrylics. Students will work with painters to compare techniques and improve upon weaknesses. Session I (ART B16-71, Touch-Tone 05549) meets from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on eight Wednesdays, beginning Feb. 6. Session II (ART B16-72), Touch-Tone 06327) meets from 9:30 a.m.-

12:30 p.m. on eight Wednesdays, beginning April 3. The course fee for both sessions is \$140.

In-district students age 60 and older pay half the listed course fee. A registration fee of \$5 is required for students 60 and under and for those who live out-of-district. Persons who have registered for ALL classes within the last five years, or for a credit course in the last three, may register using the Touch-Tone phone system.

For more information about these and other Emeritus classes, call (847) 635-1414.

Niles Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours

Join the Niles Chamber of Commerce and Industry for a night of networking. Meet and rub elbows with the area's most established businesses. Food and beverages will be served. Guests are welcomed. So bring lots of business cards and some literature about your company. Where else could you meet 50-100 potential customers? This event is networking the easy way. Attend-

ees will receive a raffle ticket entry toward our grand prize of \$800 trip voucher.

Wednesday, February 20, 2002, 5-7 p.m. at Richard Spinal & Sports Rehabilitation Center, 908 Waukegan Road, Glenview. RSVP by February 18, 2002. Register on-line at: www.nileschamber.org or fax (847) 966-7617. Call (847) 966-7606.

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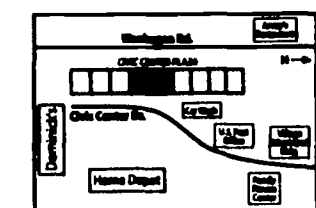
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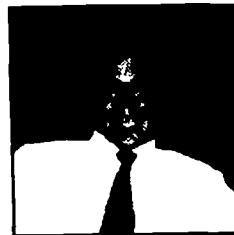
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Niles North Senior carries Olympic Torch

Mary Sievert didn't know what to think when she opened a letter saying her son, Shawn (pictured right), was nominated to carry the Olympic Torch as it passed through Illinois in early January. The letter asked Shawn's parents not to mention his nomination to anyone. Well, after weeks of waiting, the Sieverts finally got word that not only was Shawn's nomination accepted from more than 210,000 entries, but he would be one of only 300 out of 7,200 torchbearers to be highlighted during the broadcast of the Olympic Games.

Shawn, a senior at Niles North, was born with neurological and other health problems, requiring him to undergo over 75 surgeries in the past eighteen years. He has spent nearly as much time in the hospital as he has at home and in school. Shawn is part of "Anchor," a program initially developed by Niles North for him that would later grow to benefit many other medically fragile students. "We wanted our son to go to a regular high school, not some small special school," said Mary Sievert. "It has turned out to be the very best place for him."

So the question remained: who nominated Shawn for this incredible honor? The answer came in the form of two very special people at Niles North: Shawn's friend and classmate Stacy Albano (pictured left) and teacher Ellen Pierce. Albano approached



Pierce for help in the nomination process and she was more than happy to help. "Shawn has taught us all that if you are determined and have the needed support, you can overcome anything," said Pierce. When asked why he nominated his friend Shawn, Stacy said simply "Because he's a great friend." And you only need to meet Shawn once to see what Stacy means - his smiling face and enthusiastic spirit define a young man who has been through so

much, and yet decides to live every day with a positive attitude. Shawn openly shares the fact that he treasures his life and the people in it. "We are all very excited for Shawn because he has really come a long way," said Mary Sievert. "We are very proud of him." Shawn carried the Olympic Torch the first week in January as it journeyed to Salt Lake City for the opening ceremony of the 2002 Winter Olympic Games.

What artists call posterity is the posterity of the work of art.

—Marcel Proust

Oakton Runners on Winning Track for 2002

On January 5, the Oakton Community College Track Team won its first meet of the year at the Snow-Fun Run in Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. Five-time All American Mike Szasz and his teammate Jim Milner led the Oakton Running Raiders with first and third place overall finishes, respectively.

Running in cold and windy conditions, Szasz won with a time of 25:14 for the five-mile course, improving on his 2001 time by 40 seconds, while Milner ran 26:05. Szasz's younger brother, Attila, completed Oakton's team scoring a 22nd place finish with a time of 29:17. Oakton easily outdistanced the 2nd place team by almost 18 minutes. Stephanie Maisel placed 200th overall and won her age division with a time of 37:01.

The Oakton Track Team will compete in the University of Wisconsin, Whitewater Invitational on January 26.

Register for Online Classes at Oakton

Learn at your own pace in the comfort of your home by enrolling in an online class offered by Oakton's Alliance for Lifelong Learning (ALL) program.

Students must have an e-mail address, Internet access and either Netscape or Microsoft Internet Explorer Web browsers to participate. Online classes are six weeks in length, with two class sessions posted each week. Three sections of each course are scheduled this semester, with starting dates of Feb. 13, March 13 and April 10.

ALL has expanded this popular program to more than 50 classes in subject areas such as accounting, business and finance, communication, project management, supervision and computers. A sample of courses offered include *Marketing Your Business* or *organization on the Internet* (BUB A32), *Personal Financial Planning* (FIN E01), *A To Z Grant Writing* (BUB E10), *Introduction to Visual Basic* (DPR A29), *PhotoShop Basics* (DPR A34), *Getting Organized Using Microsoft Outlook* (DPR A45), *Creating Web Pages* (DPR A78), *Digital Photography* (ART C04), *Trace Your Family History - Genealogy* (HIS E70) and *Conflict Resolution* (BUB A35). A complete list of courses can be found in the ALL Spring 2002 Non-Credit Class Schedule.

Those who have registered for ALL classes within the last five years, or for a credit course in the last three years, may register by using the Touch-Tone system at (847) 635-1616, or by fax at (847) 635-1448. Both methods require payment using a major credit card (Visa, MasterCard or Discover).

Church concert scheduled

On Friday, February 22, at 7:30 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church will present one of the most famous Classical Organists of this century in concert. Mr. Frederick Swann of Los Angeles, California, will present an evening of organ favorites and orchestral transcriptions on our newly rebuilt pipe/digitally expanded Kilgen/Rodgers organ.

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Trinity Lutheran Church is located one block west of Cicero avenue between Elston and Foster Avenues, in Chicago, two blocks west of the Edens Expressway.

Tickets can be requested by mailing a self-addressed envelope with your check or money order payable to Trinity Lutheran Church, 5106 N. LaCrosse Avenue, Chicago, IL 60630. Please state how many tickets, adult or student, are being requested. Requests received after February 17 will be held at the church in will call. A reception will follow the concert giving the public chance to greet Mr. Swann.

Married woman sought for 2002 Mrs. Illinois title

The tradition continues...Marcie Aceto, the Illinois Director for the Mrs. America Pageant system is announcing that the search is still on for Mrs. Illinois. Once selected, the community representative will then advance on to compete in the Mrs. Illinois/America Pageant held this year in the beautiful Hemmens Theater, on March 23. Contestants will compete to win thousands in prizes, one of which includes an all expense paid trip

for 13 days to Hawaii to compete for Mrs. America, at the magnificent Hilton Hawaiian Village.

Interested applicants must live or work in the Illinois area, must be married during the time of competition, a resident of the state for at least six months, a U.S. citizen and be at least 18 years old. There is no age limit or performing talent.

In its 26th year, the Mrs. America Pageant is the major beauty competition dedicated to recog-

nizing the one person who contributes so much to modern family life...America's Married Woman. While beauty is a key element in the competition, Mrs. Illinois contestants are also urged to voice their opinions on marriage and important issues of the day.

Prospective contestants can request and receive free entry information by contacting Karen at (630) 325-5509.

Grapes of Wrath Takes Show on the Road

The Niles West Theater Department is proud to announce that the cast of "The Grapes of Wrath" was invited to perform their entire production as an example of an exceptional high school play at the 27th Annual Illinois High School Theatre Festival which was held in Normal, IL, January 10-12, 2002. The play, held in October of 2001, was watched and graded by officials from the Illinois Theatre Association who gave the play its highest grade possible. Kevin Wall, director of the Niles West theater program was later contacted and

asked if his cast from "The Grapes of Wrath" might be willing to perform the entire play for audiences at the festival. The entire theater department was quick to accept the invitation and went back to rehearsing a play they thought was finished.

More than 35 students and teachers from Niles West traveled to Normal, IL for the festival, co-sponsored by the Illinois State Board of Education, the Illinois Theatre Association, the University of Illinois and Illinois State University.

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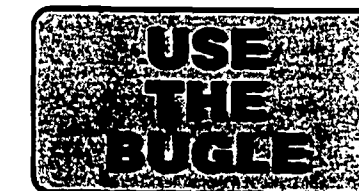
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Valentine Concert with the Valenzuelas at M.G. Library

Morton Grove residents Ana Maria and Ernesto Valenzuela with sing duets and love songs from popular musical productions in a pre-Valentine's Day concert on Sunday, Feb. 10, at 2 p.m. Enjoy the melodies and lyrics of favorite love songs from such hits as: *Rose Marie*, *Came-*

lot, *Phantom of the Opera* and others. The Valenzuelas will be accompanied by pianist Sandy Stoltz. Reservations are required. Call 965-4220 or stop by the Reference Services Desk at the library to make your reservation.

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Niles youth council hosts 'Youth Rally'

On Friday, Feb. 8, the Niles Youth Council will host the first Niles Youth Rally. The rally will be held at the Niles Family Fitness Center, 987 Civic Center Drive and will run from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. There will be open gym, swimming, and live bands followed by refreshments and an opportunity to socialize with other Niles youth. Any 6th, 7th, or 8th grader residing in Niles or

attending a school in Niles is invited to attend. To make your reservation or for further information, please call Rosalyn Nicpon, at the Village of Niles (847) 588-8460 or Darcy Strack, at the Niles Family Fitness Center (847) 588-8400. The Niles Youth Council is co-sponsored by the Village of Niles and the Niles Park District.

Niles North dancers to present Eclectic Dance Show

Aurora Dance Company will hold performances of "Coming and Going" at 7 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, February 1 and 2 in the Niles North auditorium at 9800 North Lawler, Skokie. People of all ages will enjoy this evening of quality dance entertainment. Tickets are \$7 and can be purchased by calling the Box Office at (847) 568-3424. A free

community performance will be at 10 a.m. on Thursday, January 31.

"Coming and Going" will feature a wide variety of dance artists ranging from works in the jazz and hip-hop realm to pieces in the modern dance style. For more information, please contact sponsor Ariel Hurwitz at (847) 568-3335.

Low Vision Book Discussion Group at MG Public Library

Adults with low-vision are invited to attend the discussion of Barbara Kingsolver's book, *Prodigal Summer* on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 1 p.m., in the Library's Board Room. *Prodigal*

Summer is set in the mountain forests and farms of southern Appalachia. In the book, Kingsolver tells three love stories: *Predators*, *Moth Love*, and *Old Chestnuts*.

Niles West Dance Company to present "Rhythm Nation"

Orchestrated Dance Company will attempt to unite a wide variety of dance styles when it presents "Rhythm Nation" at 7:30 p.m. February 7-9 in the auditorium at 5701 W. Oakton, Skokie. Lyric, ballet, jazz, hip-hop, and

modern dance styles will coexist peacefully under the "Rhythm Nation" dance sequences. The Orchestrated student officers are Boyoung Kim, Melanie Curesma, Tiffany Clarito and Kristina Govostis. All citizens and lovers

of dance will enjoy a fun evening of quality entertainment.

Tickets for the event are \$7 and can be purchased at the door. For more information, please contact sponsor Mindy Slutsky at (847) 568-3813.

OCC to offer Ballroom Dance Classes

Oakton Community College (Alliance for Lifelong Learning) is offering Ballroom Dance Classes at Glenbrook North High School for ten weeks beginning on Tuesday, February 5, 2002 and ending Tuesday, April 10,

2002. The dances covered will be the Cha Cha, Fox Trot, Waltz, Rhumba and Tango and will be taught by Dan and Alice Lowy. Seniors receive 50% off the registration fee.

Beginners (Ballroom I): 7:30-

8:45 p.m. and Intermediate (Ballroom II): 8:45 p.m.-10 p.m. For further information and registration call (847) 982-9888 (Alliance for Lifelong Learning) or Alice Lowy at (847) 825-6637 or (847) 825-2901.

Introduction to Computers class at MG Public Library

Jennifer Didier of Knowledge Alliance presents an Introduction to Computers on two Saturday mornings, Feb. 16 and 23, at 10 a.m. The first session will include: discussion of different types of personal computers on the market today; the information flow process; components of a personal computer; categories of hardware and software. The second session will cover:

monitors, printers, scanners and modems as well as an overview of the Internet and the many uses of a PC in a business environment.

Seating is limited and registration is required for this free class. Priority is given to Morton Grove residents. Non-residents may sign up on a waiting list and will be notified by phone if there is space available at least

one day before the program. Please register at the Reference Services Desk or by calling (847) 965-4220. Have your library card ready. The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information or for mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220.

Life as a House to be shown at MG Public Library

Monday, Feb. 11, the Morton Grove Public Library will be showing *Life as a House* (rated R, 124 minutes) at 11 a.m., 2:30 p.m., and 7 p.m. Free. Kevin Kline stars as George Monroe, a bitter, unemployed architect who, after being confronted with a diagnosis of cancer, sets about reconstructing his lifestyle by building his dream house on a cliff in Malibu.

The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information, or mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220, TDD 965-4236, www.webrary.org.

Raymond Brod exhibits paintings at MG Library

During the month of January, Raymond Brod, a Mt. Prospect cartographer and artist, exhibits oil paintings in the Baxter Room at the Morton Grove Public Library. Brod, a cartographer with the Anthropology/Geography Department at the University of Illinois at Chicago, has been painting for about twenty years. On exhibit are still-lives and nostalgic paintings of Chicago neighborhoods that synthesize time and emotions. The Morton Grove Public Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Ave. For more information, or mobility and communication access assistance, please call (847) 965-4220, TDD: (847) 965-4236, www.webrary.org.

Knights of Columbus

Free-Throw Contest Announced. Past Grand Knight Bob Bianchi reminds everyone that the annual Free-Throw Contest for Knights of Columbus Council 4338, is scheduled for Saturday, January 26, 2002. Competition will be held in St. John Brebeuf Gymnasium, 8301 N. Harlem Ave., Niles.

Bob Bianchi, Chairman for his 20th consecutive year, invites members to assist him as this tradition for youth continues for the Council's 42nd year.

All boys & girls from 10 to 14 invited to compete. Gym opens 8:30 a.m., competition starts: 10 yrs old-9 a.m., 11 yrs old-9:30 a.m., 12 yrs old-10 a.m., 13 yrs old-10:30 a.m. and 14 yrs old-10:30 a.m.

The Brothers of North American Martyrs Council proudly support many youth events throughout the year. Every Brother offers their congratulations to all the participants. By competing, you have proven you are a winner!

Past Presidents' Night. Knights of Columbus, North American Martyrs' Formatters Club President Joe Tatkowski announces this year's Past Presidents' Night, will be held on Friday, February 1, 2002, at Lone Tree Inn 7330 N. Milwaukee,

Niles.

All Past Presidents will be honored, with a special program for this year's guest of honor - Immediate Past President Rich Zaprzalka. Social hour starts at 6 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m. and program starts at 8 p.m. Your ticket will include a great dinner with 4 meats and all the trimmings for only \$10/per person. Cash bar will be available.

All members of the club, guests and members of Council Family are welcome to join us. More info and reservations - call Joe Tatkowski @ (847) 966-6000. **KOC 2001-2002 Holiday Tournament.** Everyone is invited to attend any of the many games that will be held each weekend throughout January, at St. John Brebeuf School's gym, 8301 N. Harlem Ave., Niles. Enjoy some of the best basketball you've ever experienced!

To witness great basketball championship games, attend on the following date: Sunday, January 27, 2002, 1 p.m. game.

Family Awards Night. Mark your calendar for Family Awards Night, February 27, in Flanagan Hall. All youth awards will be presented, along with special recognition given to the outstanding educator(s) of our community.

Everyone is asked to nominate candidates. For questions contact Bob Galassi @ (847) 965-0920.

Please pray for our sick and distressed members of our family and for all those fighting illnesses. Please pray for the souls of all faithfully departed members of our family and keep the health of all members in your intentions.

Have you asked a Catholic gentleman to consider joining the Knights? We all know some good men in our community that could join us. Ask him to join! For more information on membership - call Scott Sergot @ (847) 966-8187.

Remember to consult the Council Web Page = www.northstarnet.org/prkhome/kotc4338/



The town of Tarzana, Calif., was named for the fictional character, Tarzan. Tarzan's creator, Edgar Rice Burroughs, lived there for many years.

Oakton to Host Stress Workshop

As part of its Continuing Education for Health professionals program, Oakton Community College is hosting a *Traumatic Stress Workshop: The Short and Long Term Effects of Treatment*.

The workshop runs from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 29, at Oakton's DesPlaines Cam-

pus, 1600 E. Golf Rd.

Presenters will focus on understanding traumatic stress and providing an overview of individual and group treatment. Crisis intervention will be highlighted.

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Magosky and King conclude with an epilogue discussing the results and repercussions of the assassination, giving new angles on old theories. This program is co-sponsored by the Morton Grove Historical Society and the Morton Grove Public Library. Seating is limited; reservations are required. Beginning January 17, call (847) 965-4220 or stop by the Reference Services Desk at the Library to make your reservations. The Library is located at 6140 Lincoln Avenue.

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Who Says Home Sales Are Slowing Down

Many newspapers and other media have reported that real estate sales have slowed in the fourth quarter of 2001 in Chicagoland.

This has simply not been true in the Bugle's circulation area, stated Bill Alston, president of ERA Callero & Catino Realty. We had a busy October, and set all time real estate sales records in both November and December. The mild weather and low interest rates have helped, but our market is very steady, and not as subject to the effects of the recession, as some other areas of Chic-

agoland are.

The busy fourth quarter of 2001 helped ERA Callero & Catino to report an all time record year of real estate sales, their second one in a row. There remains a shortage of houses and condominiums for sale with their office because the market has been so good. This has helped their home sellers to get some of the highest sales prices on record for area properties. They are also expecting an excellent real estate market for home sellers in 2002.

How to Preserve Family Heirlooms

Safely storing your valuable family heirlooms such as documents and photos is important so that future generations can enjoy them. Scrapbooking is more popular than ever, and stores carry numerous albums, plastic pages, and storage boxes for photos and other documents. How can you be sure these materials are safe for your treasured memorabilia?

The Wheaton History Center is offering an informative "Conservation Advice" session on Saturday, January 26, 2002 at 10 a.m. at the Research Annex, 330 S. Naperville Road, Suite 308. Wendy Miller, Associate Director of Collections, will present in-

formation about which supplies are safe to use, optimal storage conditions, and handling techniques for documents, photos, textiles, and other family heirlooms. Miller's tips will help you preserve your own family treasures. Simple precautions like protecting objects from ultraviolet light and avoiding petroleum-based plastics can help preserve your valuables. Program attendees may drop in at the Wheaton History Center's Research Annex between 10-11:30 a.m.

A wide variety of storage materials, protective sleeves, albums, and photo corners, all made of acid-free papers and safe

plastics are available at the Wheaton History Center Research Annex. An assortment of acid-free boxes for storage of photos, documents, fragile books, and quilts or other textiles are also available.

Regular admission applies to the program: \$1 for students and seniors, \$2 for adults and \$5 for families. The Wheaton History Center's Research Annex is located in the Tabor Building at 330 S. Naperville Road, Suite 308. The Research Annex is open on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, please call (630) 871-6601.

Oakton to Host "FAFSA Completion Day"

College-bound students applying for federal student aid for the 2002-2003 school year are encouraged to attend the Free Application for Federal Student Aid Completion Day on Monday, Feb. 11, in the TenHoeve Center (Room 1600) at Oakton Community College, 1600 L. Golt Rd., Des Plaines.

Financial aid professionals will assist students and their families with filling out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which is required for any federal or state financial assistance.

Registration begins at 6:30 p.m., followed at 7 p.m. by concurrent sessions in English, Polish and Spanish. Students and their parents should bring information and records needed to complete the form, including copies of their 2001 income tax forms, Social Security cards, driver's license and immigration cards if applicable, and copies of bank statements.

This program is free and open to the public. For additional information, call (847) 635-1708, between 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Learn More About the World of E-Business

Oakton Community College offers several courses designed to help students learn about doing business in the future.

e-Business (MKT 165) offers students an introduction to the world of business in the Web. Students can learn how to develop a marketing and promotional plan for their own e-business. This course meets on from 6:30-9:30 p.m. on 12 Tuesdays, beginning Feb. 12.

Advanced Internet Marketing Strategies (MKT 266) focuses on how marketers can integrate new digital technology into their marketing plans. Students can develop a Web site as part of a media and promotional campaign for a business-to-business or a business-to-consumer model. This course meets from 6:30-9:30 p.m. on twelve Thursdays, beginning Feb. 14.

"Operation Enduring Freedom" send-off ceremony



Governor George H. Ryan (center) held a send-off ceremony for the Illinois Army National Guard being deployed in support of "Operation Enduring Freedom" at O'Hare International Airport. The members of the 66th Infantry Brigade were called to duty by President Bush to provide force protection and security at installations throughout Europe.

Oakton College to offer course on Sea Battles of WWII

Oakton Community College's Emeritus Program offers a brand new seminar for its winter 2002 session.

Major Sea Battles of World War II (HIS E75-71) Touch-Tone (07975) offers an in-depth look at many of the critical naval engagements that helped the Allies achieve victory. Battles from Pearl Harbor to the Leyte Gulf in the Pacific will be discussed.

The class meets from 2-3 p.m. on six Fridays, beginning Feb. 15. The course fee is \$70. Emeritus classes meet at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 North Lincoln Ave., Skokie. In-district students age 60 and older pay half the listed fee. Persons who have registered for classes at Oakton within the last five years may use the Touch-Tone phone registration system.

Obituaries

ADAM P. KOLODZIEJ

Adam P. Kolodziej, 85, of Chicago, died Thursday, December 13 at Lutheran General Hospital. He was born January 24, 1916 in Chicago. Beloved son of the late Peter and the late Mary Kolodziej. Brother of the late John Kolodziej, Stanley Kolodziej, the late Helen Skowron, and the late Marie Zbalski. Uncle of Paula Filas. Services were held December 17 at St. John Brebeuf Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

JEANT. BUGALSKI

Jean T. Bugalski, 82, of Chicago, died Sunday, December 16. She was born March 13, 1919 in Chicago. Beloved wife of Edwin Bugalski. Beloved daughter of the late Walter and the late Sophia Kanski. Beloved mother of Larry (late Kathleen) Bugalski, Gloria (Jerry) Gryzik, and Bob (Stephanie) Bugalski. Grandmother of Jim, Sherry, Jeanine, Lori, and Debbie. Brother of the late Mitchell and the late Marie Kanski, the late Joseph Kanski and the late Walter Kanski. Sister-in-law of Frank (Mary) Bugalski, the late Ted and the late Christine Bugalski and Virginia (the late Andrew) Kunsler. Services were held December 19 at St. Priscilla Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery.

IRENE SIELSKI

Irene Sielski, 81, of Niles, died Friday, December 14. She was born April 19, 1920 in Elkhart, IN. Beloved wife of the late Theodore Sielski. Beloved daughter of the late Bruno and the late Stephanie Zajacka. Aunt of Greg Dembek. Many relatives. Services were held December 17 at Our Lady of Ransom Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

STANLEY J. DROZDZ

Stanley J. Drozd, 82, died Friday, December 14 at Holy Family Health Care Center. He was born February 13, 1919 in Chicago.

Beloved husband of Cecelia Drozd. Beloved son of the late John Drozd and Sophie Drozd. Beloved father of Carol Cygnar and Janice (Robert) Geisheker. Grandmother of Jennifer Cygnar and Elizabeth (Kurt) Schwager. John (Ann) Cygnar, Adam Geisheker and Ashley Geisheker. Brother of the late Joe (Agnes) Drozd, the late Julie Krzos and the late Mary (the late Fred) Sexauer. Services were held December 17 at St. John Berchman Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

VINCENT G. MATRANZA

Vincent G. Matranza, 85, of Morton Grove, died Saturday, December 15. He was born November 13 in Chicago. Beloved husband of the late Jean Matranza. Beloved son of the late John and the late Rose Matranza. Beloved father of Judy Arrington, Jill (Mike) Magnussen and Joy (Mike) Donatucci. Grandfather of Jeff (Jen) Anderson, Jennifer Anderson, John Anderson, Julie Anderson, Chris Arrington and Samantha Magnussen. Grandchildren Fawn, Tim and Beth Donatucci. Services were held December 18 at Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Acacia Park Cemetery.

FRED STOESEL

Fred Stoessel, 80, of Schaumburg, died Sunday, December 16. He was born August 18, 1921 in Schaumburg. Beloved husband of the late Suzanne Stoessel. Beloved father of John (Judy) Stoessel and Karen Stoessel. Grandfather of John Peter Stoessel. Uncle of Nicholas Stoessel, Jack (Mary) Wagner, the late Jim Wagner and

Chris (Al) Kiefer. Great Uncle of Max and Ali Kiefer. Brother of Nicholas (the late Laila) Stoessel. Brother-in-law of John (Pat) Wagner. Services were held December 19 at St. Eugene Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

the late Albert and the late Josephine Bieniek. Beloved father of Robert (Carol) Bieniek, Henry Bieniek, Thaddeus (Donna) J. Bieniek, Jr. and the late Linda Bieniek. Grandfather of Emily, Robert, and Megan. Brother of Ladislav (Celia) Bieniek, the late John Bieniek and Frank Bieniek. Services were held December 21 at St. John Brebeuf Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery.

ARTHUR J. KRUEGER, SR.

Arthur J. Krueger, Sr., 59, of River Grove, died Saturday, December 8 at Gottlieb Hospital. He was born August 16, 1942 in Chicago. Beloved husband of Diane Krueger. Beloved father of Debbie (Mark) Rogers, Arthur J., Jr. (Denice) Krueger, Joseph Krueger and Jude (Jackie) Colosimo. Grandfather of Nathan and Nicholas. Brother of Corrine Parker. Son-in-law of Mary Thonn. Services were held December 11 at St. John Lutheran Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Joseph Cemetery, River Grove.

ESTELLE T. MERLE

Estelle T. Merle, 81, of Chicago, died Wednesday, December 12 at Sunrise Assisted Living. She was born February 16, 1920 in Chicago. Beloved wife of the late Paul Merle. Beloved daughter

of the late Lawrence and the late Helen Ciebiel. Beloved mother of Paul (Susan) Merle. Grandmother of Alison and Jason Merle. Sister of Bruno, Elizabeth Ciebiel. Edward (the late Emily) Ciebiel and Agatha (the late Joseph Pinkos). Aunt of Lawrence Ciebiel, Jerome Pinkos and Martin (Kathleen) Ciebiel. Services were held December 15 at St. Juliana Church. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Montose Cemetery.

ROSE F. HILLSTROM

Rose F. Hillstrom, 71, of Niles,

died Friday, December 14, at Lutheran General Hospital. She was born February 25, 1930 in Chicago. Beloved wife of Stanley Hillstrom. Beloved mother of Karen Fazer and Stan Hillstrom. Grandmother of Bob and Jeff Godell and Denise Fazer. Great-grandmother. Sister of Ray (Elaine) Nolte and Mary (Bill) Cutter. Services were held December 18 at Colonial Funeral Home. Arrangements handled by Colonial Funeral Home. Interment was in Acacia Park Crematory, Chicago.

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the kids.

On the downside, the nine-period schedule does not include homeroom and will mean that students have longer Wednesday hours. With the present schedule, Wednesdays are shorter to give teachers after-class planning time. How a nine-period Wednesday will look is not yet determined.

With the new schedule, classes would begin at 7:54 a.m., whereas the present starting time is 8:00 a.m.

Dennis Wyatt, also a Maine East English teacher, points out that while a student can fit in an extra class with the proposed schedule, many studies show that teenagers don't learn well until 9 or 10 a.m.

The proposal for a nine-period schedule must be approved by the Maine Township District Board before it is applied.

Park Ridge shooting.....

from the same weapon. The bullets are similar to one another, but not positively from the same gun. They were too badly mutilated to be certain, according to Park Ridge Police Chief Jeffrey Caudill, who added, we'd have to inspect the gun to know for sure.

On Jan. 8, an officer heard what sounded to him like four to

Child endangerment..... continued from page 1

jeopardized by somebody stealing the car or by extreme weather conditions.

North suburban police have seen their share of such cases, resulting from the large number of malls and plazas throughout the area.

Vernon Hills police chief Mark Fleischhauer does not expect a big change in how his department handles such cases.

Previously, Vernon Hills officers reported cases to the Department of Children and Family Services, after calls were made.

With the new law, there is a mandate to report cases of possible child endangerment or neglect to DCFS.

Having defined parameters will make it easier to prosecute such cases.

Fleischhauer reports about six or seven such cases occur in his community every year.

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members of the 2002 Chicago Bears, one given as a raffle prize and the other sold for \$500.

The event organizer is Niles West senior Aaron Cohn, a member of extra-curricular DECA club, a business club for students interested in marketing, management and entrepreneurship.

The club has civic consciousness as an agenda category, and Cohn, with fellow students Ryan Goyal and Adam Hirsch, came up with the concept of high school students back in their lineups from Lincoln Junior High, Lincoln Hall, Parkview and Fairview Schools.

Instead of the \$500 they expected, they raised more than \$2,200 for the Wisconsin camp.

Senior Citizen Law Enforcement Academy

Cook County Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan & the DesPlaines Kiwanis Club invite you to attend the Senior Citizen Law Enforcement Academy.

- Learn how to protect yourself from crime
- Understand basic police department operations
- Learn how to communicate with law enforcement agencies
- Learn the difference between Civil and Criminal Law
- Understand Senior Safety Tips in Emergency Situations
- All participants honored at a Graduation Ceremony & Reception.

To register or receive more information, call the Cook County Sheriff's Office at (773) 869-7725.

Classes will meet on Tuesdays, January 29, February 5, 19, 26 & March 5, 12, 19, 26, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Hosted at the DesPlaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood - Room A.

DeVry offers alternative to college placement testing

Chicago Public School high school juniors and seniors can enroll in college courses at DeVry Institute of Technology in Chicago while receiving both college and high school credit through the College Excel program. College Excel is offered during the spring and fall terms, and the registration deadline for the upcoming term is Monday, Jan. 21, with classes beginning Monday, Feb. 4.

College Excel encourages high school students to pursue careers in technology while receiving college credit. It is a partnership program formed by DeVry/Chicago and the Chicago Public Schools Board of Education. The Chicago Board of Education funds the 15-week program, making the classes free of charge to the students.

"College Excel helped me determine my career path," said Niki Patel, a former student in the program. "I enrolled in several computer information systems (CIS) courses, and I found CIS to be so interesting I chose it as my college major. The program gave me the guidance I needed to succeed in college."

Since the College Excel program began in 1996, more than 800 students have participated and completed close to 1,300 courses. Eighty-two percent of the students who have returned to DeVry/Chicago to complete their college education have succeeded.

Woman's Club of Skokie/Lincolnwood

The Woman's Club of Skokie/Lincolnwood affiliated with the General Federation of Women's Clubs Illinois will hold their luncheon/program meeting on Wednesday, February 6, 2002 at the Holiday Inn, Skokie, Illinois. Social 11:30 a.m. and luncheon 12 noon. Price of the luncheon

ed within the programs they chose.

Students may take up to four college courses over a two-year period in the areas of business administration, computer information systems, electronics engineering technology and telecommunications management. Each of the courses includes hands-on laboratory experience, team projects and skill development workshops.

"The program provides a way for students to see what college is like while they are still in high school," said Romelia Mercado, manager of high school partnerships, DeVry/Chicago. "It opens their eyes to different career possibilities and puts them one step ahead of their peers."

Students interested in participating can contact Romelia Mercado at (773) 697-2251 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

DeVry Institutes offer degrees and programs in technology and technology-based business. The parent company, DeVry Inc. (NYSE: DV), owns and operates DeVry University, which is composed of DeVry Institutes and Keller Graduate School of Management. Its 23 undergraduate campuses enroll more than 47,000 students. DeVry Inc. also owns and operates Becker Adviser Professional Review. For more information about DeVry, visit www.dvry.edu.

\$11. During the business meeting the members will be apprised of donations made to the following Niles North and West for student scholarships: the Niles Food pantry; Evanston Child & Women Abuse Shelter; Children's Advocacy Center; Canine Companions; Prevent Child Abuse-Illinois; The Skokie Historical Society; Orchard Village; Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation; Skokie and Lincolnwood Libraries; Park Ridge Youth Campus and Skokie 4th of July Parade.

The program for the day will feature the "Kitchenaires" a kitchen band from Niles, Illinois.

Women interested in joining the club may phone Phyllis Cosarek, President at (847) 256-1177.



The first patent awarded in the North American colonies was awarded in 1641 by Massachusetts for a method of extracting oil.

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Persons 16 years of age or under must be accompanied by an adult.

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For More Information and to RSVP Contact Member Services at 847.588.8400

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NILES, ILLINOIS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Village of Niles will be accepting proposals for:

INTERIOR MODULAR SYSTEMS

New Public Services Administration Building
6849 W. Touhy Avenue
Niles, Illinois

General information, blueprints and proposal forms will be available in the Office of the Purchasing Agent, Village of Niles, 1000 Civic Center Drive, Niles, Illinois 60714 (847-588-8000).

There will be a Pre-Bid Conference Friday, February 15, 2002, at 10:30 A.M., in the Council Chambers of the Administration Building, 1000 Civic Center Drive, Niles, Illinois.

Sealed proposals will be accepted until 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, February 27, 2002, at Niles Administration Building, 1000 Civic Center Drive, Niles, Illinois, (southeast corner Oakton Street and Waukegan Road). Proposals will be opened at 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, February 27, 2002, in the Conference Room at the Administration Building.

Nothing herein is intended to exclude any responsible firm, or in any way restrain, or restrict competition. All responsible and eligible firms are encouraged to submit proposals. The Village reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, to waive informalities or technicalities in any proposal, and to accept the proposal which it deems to be in the best interests of the Village.

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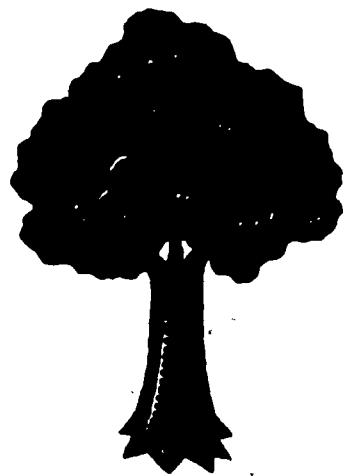
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