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HIGH SCHOOL HEARING

The public hearing concerning the senior high school site in the City of Greenbelt will be held on Tuesday, September 29, at 8 p.m., in the new air-conditioned cafeteria of the Greenbelt Junior High School.

22 Contestants Compete For "Miss Greenbelt"

Climaxing the 16th Annual Labor Day Festival a new "Miss Greenbelt" will be crowned on Sunday night, September 6 at 8 p.m. "Miss Greenbelt of 1970" will be chosen from among 22 contestants who will be judged on their poise, beauty, personality and appearance.

Contestants and the names of their sponsors in the order of their appearance on stage are as follows: Pam Elliott, Boxwood Civic Assn.; Lynette Brafford, Greenbelt Sports Center; Mary Ann Eisler, Greenbelt Lions Club; Maureen Fitzgerald, Kash Realtor; Patricia Sue Rhodes, Springhill Lake Community Center; Heidi Barron, Woody's Mobil Service; Mary Beth McNally, Greenbelt Democratic Club; Terry Rousseau, Greenbelt Vol. Fire Dept. and Rescue Squad; Sherry Kennedy, Greenbelt Little League; Dorsette Ahmay, Metropolitan Claim Service; Janet Lee Whittington, Springhill Lake Democratic Club; Terry Corbin, Greenbelt Homes, Inc.; Martha Siehl, Greenbelt Carry-Out; Patty Shaughnessy, Ben Franklin; Glennis Beaird, Greenbelt Variety; Beth Wilkinson, Greenbelt Boys & Girls Club; Sherry Snyder, Greenbelt Teen Club "Miss Kava"; Patty Clute, Tanners Cleaners; Donna Snoddy, Greenbelt Convalescent Center; Elaine Parker, Co-op; Kay Helms, Greenbelt Theatre. A fashion show will be held during the Friday and Saturday appearance of the contestants. Fashions worn by the girls will be furnished by Ina Marie's Dress Shoppe of Seabrook, and the fashion commentator and coordinator will be Mrs. Rosemary Jung. All contestants receive a trophy, flowers and a gift. Scholarships will be presented to the winners, a gift from the Patricia Stevens Modeling Agency.

The girls have their pictures taken to be placed on posters and in windows of their sponsors. On August 28, the contestants will be guests at the Fireside Beef House on Greenbelt Road for lunch.

The new Miss Greenbelt will be crowned by Miss Debby Freeman, Miss Greenbelt of 1969. Presenting the trophies to the winners and participants will be Vic Caruso, Chairman Emeritus of the Queen Contest and Labor Day Festival Committee. Emcee for the 1970 presentations of the contestants will be Mrs. Shirley Meredith, Chairman.

Children's Art Show

Children may bring their art work to the Labor Day Festival Sunday, Sept. 6 at 1 p.m. The show will begin at 2 p.m. and you may pick your entries up at 6 p.m. If you are an elementary junior or senior high student, you will be eligible to compete for the three \$25 savings bonds.

Prizes and ribbons will be awarded in six categories according to age and media. There will be no entry fees, and any medium is welcome. Please label each entry with name, address, phone number, and bring to the lower level behind the statue.

LABOR DAY PET SHOW

The registration of pets for Greenbelt's Pet Show on Labor Day is now in progress at Twin Pines Office and Springhill Lake Drug Store, or call Mr. Opperman - 474-8598.

Press Escrow Fund Available For Refunds

The Greenbelt Freedom of the Press Committee disbanded officially last week with the announcement that the \$20,000 collected in the Freedom of the Press Escrow Fund in connection with the News Review libel case is now available for refund to contributors with interest. Contact should be made directly with Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association, custodian of the funds.

Charles F. Schwan and Albert K. Herling, co-chairman of the Freedom of the Press Committee, joined the News Review staff in expressing their deep appreciation to the community for the support given the principle of freedom of the press.

They also wished to acknowledge the debt owed the newspaper's attorney, Roger A. Clark of the firm of Royall, Koegel, and Wells, who successfully carried the case from the trial court to the U.S. Supreme Court on a volunteer basis.

GHI Financial Report

Greenbelt Homes, Inc., financial experience for the first six months of 1970 was a little better than budgeted expectations, although both income and disbursements were higher than anticipated.

According to the operating statement prepared by GHI comptroller Don McGinn, disbursements equaled \$800,800 and receipts \$785,000, leaving a net deficit of \$15,700 for the six months ending June 30, 1970. Because of seasonal heating costs, a deficit of \$17,900 had been anticipated.

The main item contributing to higher disbursements was \$13,200 in higher frame heating costs, primarily due to conversion of fuel oil plants from #6 to #2 oil. Contributing also to higher expenditures were a few miscellaneous items of unexpected nature — uninsured losses, interest payments due on Hillside Road construction, cost of obtaining appraisals for tax hearing, and school site legal services.

Offsetting these items to some extent was a lower rate of expenditures for repairs and maintenance of frame homes. A major factor in the \$14,200 drop below budgeted amounts was the late start in the trim paint program. Most other expenditure items showed very slight deviations from the adopted budget.

The 6-month operating statement does not include \$63,200 in capital improvement expenditures which have been capitalized. The capital improvement program is being financed through bank borrowings. For the frame homes, capital improvements included \$30,200 for the boiler and hot water renovation program, \$10,600 for the replacement of water lines, \$3,600 for sidewalks, and \$1,800 for porches. For the brick homes, \$5,600 was expended for electric heavy-up, \$8,900 for masonry roofs, and \$2,400 for sidewalks.

CANDIDATES' DAY AND CRAB FEAST

Prince Georges Citizens for Charter, the nonpartisan civic coalition urging the adoption of the proposed County Charter, will sponsor a crab feast and old-fashioned political rally as part of Greenbelt's Labor Day Festival on Monday, September 7, from 12 noon - 5 p.m.

For further information call Mrs. Hedda Sachs at 262-2733 or Mrs. Rhea Cohen at 345-1052.

WHAT GOES ON

Thurs., Aug. 27, 7:45 p.m. GHI Board Meeting, Hamilton Pl.
Fri., Aug. 28, 8:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge, Co-op Hospitality Rm.
Mon., Aug. 31 - Public Schools Open.
Tues., Sept. 1 Kindergartens Open
Wed., Sept. 2 - St. Hugh's School Opens

City Notes

City officials are hopeful that a problem concerning the height of a water main valve under Southway Rd. may turn out to be less serious than it seemed and that it can soon be resolved in preparation for paving the street. They note, however, that utility poles belonging to the telephone company have not been relocated — also necessary before paving can begin.

Grading of Gentry Drive will probably not require closing of the street to traffic. City officials note, however, that there may be delays and inconvenience for drivers because traffic must be restricted to one lane. Pouring of curbs and gutters for Gentry Drive is now complete.

Construction is on schedule for the new addition to the Youth Center. Walls for the basement level are almost complete.

The city's Public Works crew installed a sidewalk from the lake parking lot to the Municipal Service Bldg. They also installed "no dumping" signs at various locations throughout the city. These signs indicate the extent of the penalty for violation of the ordinance, and police have been notified to enforce the regulation strictly.

The line painting crew worked in the Center parking lots and on Centerway. School crosswalks have also been brightened up before school begins.

The Parks crew spruced up Lakeview Circle, removed dead trees throughout the city, and limed and fertilized newly graded soil at the bay end of the lake. They also created a path behind residences at the foot of Olivewood Ct., using wood chip mulch, which had been recommended by consulting landscape architects.

DIAPER DERBY

MOTHERS — Plan now to enter your baby (crawling babies only—no walkers) in one of Greenbelt's biggest Labor Day attractions. The Derby will be held at 4 p.m. on Labor Day on the grassy area behind the statue in the Center. To win a prize, baby must crawl from the center of a 40-foot circle to the outer ring. Come down and join in the fun. For information on other contests contact Mike Burchick, 474-6587. Special contests start at 2 p.m., every half hour, through 6 p.m.

Boxwood Bowling League

The Boxwood Mixed Bowling League resumes action at the College Park Fairlanes on September 12 at 6 p.m.

Municipal Pool Hours

The Greenbelt Municipal Pool will open at 1:00 pm and close at 8:15 pm August 31, 1970 through September 4th. The pool will close September 7th, Labor Day.

Schools Announce Schedules

by Elaine Skolnik

No rise in enrollment in public schools attended by Greenbelt students is anticipated this school year, according to school officials. County-wide, an enrollment of 162,500 is estimated, an increase of some 7,200 over the 1969-70 enrollment.

Public schools will open on Monday, August 31, for pupils in grades 1 through 12 and on Tuesday, September 1, for kindergartners. First grade students will attend half-day classes from August 31 through September 11. Effective September 14, all first graders will attend full-day sessions. The readiness period for first graders has been reduced from four weeks to two weeks because of the fact that the kindergarten program has been almost fully implemented.

The average class size in county elementary schools is expected to remain below 30 pupils per teacher and in secondary schools below 28 pupils per teacher.

Cafeterias will serve lunches on the first day of school. The cost of a full lunch in elementary schools is 40c and in secondary schools 45c. Milk will be sold for 3c.

The Prince Georges County School System has announced that all students who plan to ride County buses to and from school this year should report to last year's designated bus stands, unless otherwise informed by school authorities.

North End

Principal Helene Poland announced that hours for the school year will remain the same - 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. For the first two weeks, first graders are scheduled to attend from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Two morning kindergarten classes are slated from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m., and kindergartners assigned to the two afternoon classes will attend from 12:30 to 3 p.m. This year there will be no special education classes, but two helping teachers assigned to the area in and around Greenbelt will be based at the school.

Center School

Hours for the school year will be 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. For two weeks first graders will attend from 9 to 11:45 a.m. Two morning kindergarten classes are scheduled from 9 to 11:45 a.m. and the two afternoon sessions from 12:45 to 3:30 p.m. There will also be two special education classes and a pre-school program for partially deaf students who, for the most part, were affected by the rubella epidemic of 1961-62. The program, which is in its second year, will include approximately 30 children in first through sixth grades. Five teachers and five aides will supervise the program, which principal Robert Ellis says, "has met with a lot of success." He looks forward to the continuation of the PTA-sponsored Helping Parent program, which involves parents in the education of their children. A guidance counselor is also associated with the school on a full-time basis.

Springhill Lake

The regular school day will run from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Principal of the school is Mrs. Ethel Golden, and assistant principal is Mrs. Shirlee Marks. During the first two weeks of September first graders will attend from 9 a.m. to 12 Three morning kindergarten ses-

Look Out For "Happy"

Kids, be on the look out for "Happy," the lovable Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Clown! From now till Labor Day he may be seen driving through Greenbelt and the neighboring communities, giving out free balloons and chance tickets on prizes galore. The big drawing will be held on stage at the Grand Opening, Friday, September 4, at 7 p.m.

TV Special to Feature Local Labor Day Festival

A two hour TV show will feature the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival on Wed., Sept. 2, 8-10 p.m. The show, entitled "A Preview of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival," will be shown live on WFAN TV, channel 14 and will feature music and interviews.

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St. Hugh's

St. Hugh's (first through eighth grades) will open on Wednesday, Sept. 2. The hours for Sept. 2, 3 and 4 are from 8:30 to 11:45 a.m. Starting on Tuesday, September 8, the school will operate on a full-day schedule - 8:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Sister Anne Frederick is the principal.

JR. HIGH BUS SCHEDULE

Buses will pick up passengers at approximately 8 a.m. on Mon., Aug. 31. New school hours are 8:25 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Bus numbers and pick-up points are as follows:
160 Crescent & Ridge
189 Crescent & Greenhill Rds.
148 Hillside & Crescent
413 Ridge & Plateau
411 Ridge & Research
Ivy Lane
150 Ivy Lane a
600 Charlestowne Village
147 Behind Co-op Store

Greenbelt Junior High

Principal Francis Furgang has announced new school hours - 8:25 a.m. to 3 p.m. Last year some 1,159 students enjoyed school facilities big enough to accommodate 1,275. All finishing touches to the new \$1,000,000 addition, which houses 15 new classrooms, a new cafeteria, general purpose room, a new library, and administrative offices have been completed. The building now consists of four levels, with a sub-basement level. Vice-principals are Thomas Ullrich and Edward Wallace.

PARKDALE BUS SCHEDULE

The following is the Parkdale bus schedule for Greenbelt:

No. Time	Pick-Up Points
50 7:50	Charlestowne Apts.
133 7:50	Hillside & Crescent
133 8:15	Springhill Lane
194 7:55	Ivy & Lastner Lane
200 8:15	Rear of Shopping Cent.
306 8:20	Rear of Shopping Cent.
480 7:45	Crescent & Greenhill
480 8:10	6200 Breezewood Dr. 5900 Cherrywood Lane; Springhill & Lakeside
1340 8:05	Rear of Shopping Cent.

Parkdale Senior High

There will be no modified extended shifts at Parkdale this year according to principal, Dr. G. Allen Sager. (Approximately 350 of the 2664 students reported to and left the school earlier last year.) However, since two chemistry classrooms are insufficient to insure a full program of chemistry for all students desiring the course, two classes will be operating on an early schedule. The regular school day will operate from 8:50 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Vice-principals are Michael Nemchick, Gerald Boisvert, Mrs. S. Jane Lake, and Morris Samuel.

At the start, eight temporary red school houses will be in use - six classrooms and a classroom and office for the driver education program. Dr. Sager said all the classrooms in the new addition are expected to be completed by late October. This would leave two temporaries in operation for driver education.

The new \$1,100,000 addition contains 16 multi-purpose classrooms, two home economics labs, two industrial arts shops, a biology classroom, an art room, a new library, and a girls' gymnasium.

Parking facilities are still inadequate at the school, according to Dr. Sager. Students driving cars will still have to find parking spaces along Good Luck Road and other side streets in the vicinity of the school. Two access roads lead to the school, one serving as an entrance, the other as an exit.

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School Site Traffic

Now that the Prince Georges Board of Education has scheduled a public hearing for September 29 on the desirability of a 3-school complex on parcel 2 (land between Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Greenbelt Homes, Inc. property), it may be worthwhile, for the benefit of Greenbelt's many new residents, to review the projected traffic impact of the complex.

The 3-school complex would consist of a senior high school (capacity 2,400 students), a junior high school (capacity 1,200 students), and an elementary school (capacity 600 students).

Consider first the senior high school: It is estimated that a little more than a fifth of the students will be within walking distance of the school when Greenbelt is fully developed, leaving about 1,800 to 1,900 students to be transported. An estimated 20 percent of the students will be driving to school — about 400 to 500 trips each way. The remainder of the students will be bused, estimated to require 35-40 bus trips each way. In addition, the senior high school will generate about 185 vehicle trips each way for staff and services. As an indication of the magnitude of this traffic flow, the architect's plans for the senior high school call for a parking lot of 900 spaces.

The junior high school, while not having teen-age drivers, will require at least 10 bus trips each way to accommodate its 600 to 700 students not within walking distance of the school. Staff and services will generate over 100 vehicle trips each way.

The elementary school, while not requiring busing, will generate more than 35 vehicle trips each way for staff and services.

All told, the traffic generated by the 3-school complex will consist of a concentrated flow of about 50 buses and about 800 vehicle trips each way. These figures do not take into account traffic created by visitors, special education buses, and special events at the stadium and auditorium.

The long-range plans of the city call for a perimeter road to help channel this concentrated traffic away from the narrow, residential roads of Greenbelt's core. Despite prodigious efforts of the city to secure State and county help in the project, there are few observers who are ready to predict that the perimeter road will be an actuality in less than 10 years.

In the meantime, what will happen to traffic?

GHI, Woodland Hills, and Boxwood Most Affected

For illustrative purposes, let's take the traffic departing from the school. Under current plans, the concentrated traffic of 50 buses and 800 vehicles will emerge from the school site on Northway Rd. (sanitary land fill road). The first intersection the traffic will encounter is Northway and Ridge Rd.

There, traffic will have three choices.

(1) The traffic could turn left, proceed along Ridge Road and Southway to Greenbelt Rd., struggling over a mile of narrow residential roads that were intended primarily to service GHI homes.

(2) The traffic could proceed straight ahead down Northway Rd. (or through Hillside Rd.) to Crescent Rd. and then to Kenilworth Ave., affecting mostly Woodland Hills.

(3) The traffic could turn right on Ridge Road, go past the North End Elementary school (creating another safety hazard) and then proceed through Boxwood Village via Lastner Lane. Or alternatively, the traffic could swing south, connect with Greenhill Rd. and proceed through the Lakewood subdivision.

It is our understanding that the buses would be limited to the first two routes. In order to avoid the bus congestion, it is likely that most of the teen-age car traffic will choose the Boxwood Village route, especially since most of the student body will be living in that direction — College Park, Berwyn Heights, Hollywood, and Springhill Lake.

It is the consequence of this traffic flow — the congestion, the necessity for traffic controls (signal lights, etc.), the increased hazards to safety, and the costs, both esthetically and monetarily, of possible widening of streets — that has caused the city council worry and concern.

Is it any wonder that many civic bodies such as GHI and Woodland Hills Association have joined with the city council in expressing their adamant opposition to the senior high school on parcel 2?

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Misinformation on Charter

I wish to thank Mr. Edward Freeman, president of the South Prince Georges County Board of Trade. See the Washington Daily News, August 19, 1970, page 15. This group, of course, is against Charter.

I am very grateful that he names the reason for the fight against Charter for PG County so that all of the citizens of the county can finally see a) the motivation of the opposing forces to Charter and b) the reason there is always a great deal of money available for such things as flyovers on the "high cost of taxes if Charter becomes a fact," to the tune of millions of dollars.

Mr. Freeman said according to the Washington Daily News, "We'll raise what we can and spend what we have to." And, "Our primary concern is the preservation of business . . .". He also added, according to the Daily News, the misinformation that the voluntary fire department would be eliminated. It would not. The Volunteers are needed because of their very fine contributions to our welfare. This fact is very well recognized.

So it is very evident that the reason for all this opposition by so many groups is misinformation and the fact that Charter sets up controls on zoning that will provide for orderly growth and consideration of all citizens and not merely realtors, developers and profiteers. There, of course, may be other reasons, and they may be legitimate. This one, however, is one that all of us should be both aware of and beware of.

I am for Charter and have been since moving into the county. I believe it is less than a perfect document, but it is workable and can and will be improved and grow for a more perfect one. It is a beginning to hold back a runaway county going wild and perhaps bankrupt, and certainly badly planned.

If for no other reason than the zoning aspects of this document, I would urge you to vote for it and in this way tell Mr. Freeman and his friends that while they may believe only in profit by the millions, we believe first in planned and orderly growth, a good tax base, government with checks and balances, consideration of human problems such as pollution, a well balanced school system and other meaningful considerations. We could then have well planned communities, and such bitter altercations as are now going on in Greenbelt, College Park, and other places, could be avoided.

It was really astonishing that any intelligent being could admit publicly that their motive was personal profit in the campaign against Charter, but Mr. Freeman, thank you. This should clear the muddy waters and convince the uncertain.

Mildred R. Murrow

Thanks

Congratulations to Janie and Carolyn for their successful work in helping the children present the two plays at Center School last night. All parents received a pleasant surprise to see how well things turned out. The plays were a delight.

G. Garren

POLITICAL RALLY

The Greenbelt Democratic Club is sponsoring a Candidates' Day for all Democratic candidates who will be on the ballot in the First Legislative District of Prince Georges County. This event is provided as a public service to permit interested Democrats the opportunity to meet and hear the candidates from among whom they will choose in the September 15 Primary.

The event is scheduled for Sunday, August 30, from 4 p.m. until dark at the Greenbelt Lake Park. In the event of rain, the program will be cancelled. For any further information, call Simon Pristoop, 474-6362.

Letters to the Editor

Citizens vs. Citizens

It is impossible to refrain from answering ex-City Manager Charles T. McDonald's "Citizens vs. Industry."

The tenants of Springhill Lake and citizens of old Greenbelt will always benefit from any industrial or commercial development within the city limits. You don't have to be a city manager to understand this. Furthermore, the tax assessable base provided by the tenants of Springhill Lake makes possible many of the things going on in Old Greenbelt, especially youth buildings, tennis courts, land purchase and non-specific tax assessable street improvements.

If Springhill Lake's industrial ground ought to be parks, where are the offers? Should it be part of a transit station; who has informed the transit people? Why can't Mr. McDonald at least infer that he is willing to pay the extra tax cost for his suggestions?

It is ridiculous for anyone to say that this project is going to cost the city because of staff time. Mr. McDonald, look at your trash collection department, deficit operation without staff time \$15,000 plus the city didn't raise the rate to cover this real loss. Look at your swimming pool fees. Do they include administrative and staff costs?

It would be a pleasure to entertain giving Springhill Lake back to the county so that the industrial ground can be under county influence for development assistance. Springhill Lake was never contiguous to old Greenbelt; it was merely part of U. S. property that was passed along with old Greenbelt. The Beltway and Kenilworth Avenue have forever split any continuity between these two areas.

If undesirable industry exists in our area, what have the citizens done about it? Why should old Greenbelters be concerned about Springhill Lake tenants all of a sudden? Why do you want the additional headache? This dirty industry that now exists is probably as old as the City. What did the city do about stopping the spread? The Springhill Lake industrial is not going to have asphalt or concrete yards nor junk yards or auto reconditioning but the garden type of industry like Johnson and Johnson or IBM or maybe Prentice-Hall.

Remember, Mr. McDonald, the bigger the non-residential tax base, the lower your real estate taxes. See the new Master Plan which indicates two new roads.

Springhill Lake Apartments
Harold H. Kramer

End the War Amendment

When the kids are out on U.S. No. 1 this fall and you're asking why they won't work within the system, think back on the recent antics of our City Council. With the single exception of Mr. Katz, the Council refused to even consider a resolution dealing with the war because, so they say, that's none of their business. But just a few months earlier this same council voted on a resolution dealing with highway I-95, which won't even pass through Greenbelt. I-95 was, in fact, a fit subject for consideration by the Council because extension of this road will affect automotive traffic through Greenbelt. Similarly, the McGovern-Hatfield Amendment to End the War is worthy of consideration by the City Council because the war affects every citizen of this community. The lives of our young men ought to matter as much to the Council as cars.

Allen M. Lenchek

Corrective Action

This is in response to Parkdale High Principal, Mr. Sager's letter in regard to the construction of a high school in Greenbelt. Contrary to the opinion of Mr. Sager, a large number of us who objected to the School Board's intent of locating a three school complex in the middle of the residential area of Greenbelt, have children of high school age. In fact, I have a daughter who will be entering Mr. Sager's school this fall.

It was because of the fact that our families would be directly affected by our actions, that there was much thought and discussion before we decided to act. We felt that the short-term problem of overcrowding would be less serious than the long-term detrimental effects to the community if the schools were built on the proposed site. Greenbelt, being the type of community that it is, will have as its future residents many who are in high school today.

Mr. Sager, moreover, was pointing the accusing finger in the wrong direction when he blamed Greenbelters for the delay in building these much needed school buildings. It should have been pointing at his own superiors, the past School Board and its staff, who continually ignored the voice of the citizens. Instead it gave in to the wishes of a real estate developer who was concerned with his own financial gain regardless of its effect on the community.

If the School Board had carried out its first decision on the school site, if the staff had not employed delaying tactics, if the School Board had considered the recommendations of the planners, if the School Board had considered the wishes of the community, the senior high school would have been completed about the same time as Parkdale High. For Greenbelters to have accepted the School Board's decision without a protest would have been a demonstration of civic irresponsibility.

We now have a new School Board. We now have a new superintendent of education. Neither of these was involved in the original decision, and therefore do not have to justify their previous actions. I agree with Mr. Sager that the parents should make their voices heard, but I would go a step further and hope that the School Board will listen. They should move with dispatch, and pick a new site that is acceptable to all parties and which would be an asset to the educational system. The time for dispute is over. The time for positive corrective action is now.

Harvey Geller

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Quick action by lifeguard Curtis Frambes was credited with saving the life of a Greenbelt swimmer recently at the municipal pool. The victim, an accomplished swimmer, was on his third under-water crossing of the pool when he became hyperventilated and blacked out. Frambe administered mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Selke, 15-J Laurel Hill, have a new daughter. Juanita Dawn was born July 19, weight 4 lbs. 11 1/2 ozs., length 17 1/2 inches. She joins an older sister, Karen Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Schmidt, 8150 Lakecrest Drive, are sponsoring Robert Tom, a 15-year-old American Indian Boy of the Navajo Tribe, through the Save Our Children Federation.

Navy Lieutenant (junior grade) Robert J. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Miller of 116 Northway, was presented the Navy Unit Commendation during ceremonies at the Naval Air Station in Atsugi, Japan.

Lena Struglia, 8150 Lakecrest Dr., was among 38 secondary school mathematics and science teachers from across the nation who attended the 1970 Summer Institute in Computer Science and Related Mathematics, June 14 - Aug. 15, at the University of Oklahoma. Congratulations to Mrs. Louise Hendrix who received an award from the Department of Agriculture for "outstanding performance" on the job. Mrs. Hendrix, who is with the Budget Department, lives at 12 Greenway with her husband, Rex Lee, and children Greg, Doug, Patricia and Ann Marie.

Walter Wight of Boxwood is off again on a vacation - this time to Lake Louise in Alberta, Canada.

Swim Team News

Awards given at the Swim Team splash party were: Highest points scored - Kevin Shaughnessy and Laine Oertel; runners-up - Bob Mongelli and Lynn Labukas. Highest points in individual age groups: Jim Vanderzon and Terry Gillen (8 and under), David Mongelli and Mariette Vanderzon (9-10), Mark Hanlon and Margaret Brinsko (11-12), Jerry Petrillo and Edith Beauchamp (13-14), and Rickv Smith and Carol Brimberry (15-17).

The achievement award went to Bob Mongelli; Annette Vanderzon received the cooperation award, and Olga Penney was awarded the sportsmanship trophy. George Jones received an "I hate to give you this but you earned it anyway" award, and Mike Jones won a "Mike Jones" award. A special award was also given to Nancy Douglas.

Mrs. Dorallen Davis received a plaque as coach of the team; Mrs. Mikell Mongelli received a plaque as assistant coach, and Burt Sansom was awarded a plaque for his assistance to the team.

Last Saturday, in the all star meet, Laine Oertel took first place in 11 and 12 girls breaststroke, and Kevin Shaughnessy took third in 11-12 boys butterfly. Also swimming in the meet for Greenbelt were Margaret Brinsko, Jeff Casels, Cindy Davis, and Bob Mongelli.

Recreation News

Pool Splash Party
On Friday, August 28, the Greenbelt Municipal Pool will sponsor a Splash Party for teenagers, from 8:30 to 11 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the band, "Edge." An admission will be charged.

Attention: Bowling Fans
There will be a Bowling Registration on Saturday, August 29, at Fairlanes in College Park, between 1 and 4 p.m. This registration is for ten pin bowlers.

CHILD CARE NEEDED FOR KINDERGARTNER, North End Area. Call after 6 PM, 345-5110.

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Wednesday, Sept. 2 - 8-10 p.m. W.F.A.N. T.V. Channel #14 (2 Hour T.V. Special - Music & Variety) Preview of Greenbelt Labor Day Festival.
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Park and Recreation Move Under One Roof

For the first time in Prince Georges County the Park Department of The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission and the Recreation Department, two formerly separate agencies, will physically move under one roof to the fifth floor of the Calvert Building at 6811 Kenilworth Ave.

The administrative merger of the two agencies in Prince Georges County took place this year on July 1. Since then the Commission has planned a move that would bring the services of the two staffs into closer coordination by having all the employees work together under the same roof.

The Recreation Department moved to their new headquarters on Kenilworth Ave. from the Center Building in Prince Georges Plaza. The Park Department was previously housed in the Calvert Mansion on Riverdale Rd. and The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission's Regional Office at 6600 Kenilworth Avenue.

The Executive Offices of the Prince Georges County Boys Club will also be in the new office.

The new number for the Park and Recreation Department in Prince Georges County is 277-2200.

Day Care Center

On Sunday, August 30, at 12 noon, Governor Marvin Mandel will dedicate a new Psychiatric Day Care Center, at 4112 Hamilton Street, Hyattsville. The building was donated by the Prince Georges Jaycees, who purchased the building and renovated it for use by the County Board of Health. The Day Care Center will open Sept. 1, for children six to eleven years old.

The Jaycees have extended an invitation to the general public to join them and Governor Mandel at the dedication.

Labor Day Contest

Horseshoe Tournament

Registration is now open for the Men's Doubles Horseshoe Contest. This double elimination event will be held on Saturday, Sept. 5 starting at 10 a.m.

Golf Chipping

This annual event will be conducted in two age divisions: Junior (8 - 15 age) and Senior. Duffers should be on Braden Field No. 1 at 2:45 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 5.

Tennis Tournament

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is currently registering entrants for its Labor Day Tennis Championship Tournament. The dates of play are from August 28 through September 7. For more information call 474-6878, daily from 9 to 5.

Fishing Contest

For Boys and Girls, in divisions 10 and under, 12 and under, 14 and under, and 16 and under on Sunday, September 6, from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. All fish must be caught that day. Maryland State Fishing Laws will apply. Catfish and bass must be over 9 inches long, all others must be 6 inches or over. Check fish in at the Youth Center from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Use any tackle, fish from the shore or boat. Prizes for largest and most fish caught in each division. Sign up at Youth Center before 5 p.m., Friday, September 4.

TALENT CONTEST

The annual Labor Day talent contest will be held Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 5 and 6 at 7 p.m. First and second prize cash awards will be awarded each night. Elizabeth Maffey will be Chairman of the event for the fourth consecutive year. Anyone interested in entering the contest should call Mrs. Maffey at 474-6666.

Adoptive Parents Meeting

An Adoptive Parents' Club meeting will be held Tuesday, September 10, at 8 p.m. at the Seabrook Library, 9301 Sheridan St., Seabrook. Judge Ernest Loveless of the Prince Georges County Circuit Court will be the guest speaker. Prospective adoptive parents are welcome to attend. For additional information, please call Mrs. Sloan, 577-2035, or Mrs. Waller, 577-3670.

GOP LAWN PARTY

Gladye Goodenough, president of the Greenbelt Republican Club, reports that the lawn party held for Prince Georges County Republican candidates at the residence of William Hoff, 71-E Ridge Rd., was attended by approximately 100 voters. Candidates for State Senate, House of Delegates, County Commissioners, Sheriff, etc., presented their views.

GUIDANCE COUNSELORS FOR P.G. CO. SCHOOLS

Starting August 24, guidance counselors will be available for consultation with students and parents to discuss schedule changes prior to the opening of schools on August 31.

Counselors will be on hand Monday through Friday at all secondary schools in the County.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Miss Debbie Freeman of 9 Lakeview Circle, Greenbelt, Maryland, was entered in competition by the Greenbelt Lions Club for the title of Miss Greenbelt, 1969, and

WHEREAS, Miss Freeman impressed an independent panel of judges with her poise, personality, appearance and beauty, and

WHEREAS, after four days of competition Miss Debbie Freeman was selected from among nineteen lovely young ladies to represent the City of Greenbelt for the coming year and was chosen

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AND WHEREAS, Miss Freeman has carried this title with poise and distinction and has been a representative of young womanhood and the City of Greenbelt in such a manner as to bring credit upon her community, now therefore,

I, FRANCIS W. WHITE, Mayor of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, do hereby issue this proclamation in honor of

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