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USPS Agrees to Delay Decision on Post Office

by Elaine Skolnik

Congresswoman Gladys Spellman announced last week that the United States Postal Service (USPS) has agreed to delay its plans to build a post office at the intersection of Parkway and Crescent while it explores with Greenbelt officials the possibility of establishing a "contract station" in the Greenbelt Center.

"If this proves feasible," Spellman said, "USPS has agreed to look for an alternative location to the Crescent and Parkway site to house the mail sorting and other functions of the Greenbelt Post Office. In accordance with the city's wishes, the site would not be in 'downtown' Greenbelt."

This latest development in the post office saga was heard by the Greenbelt City Council on December 3. However, council members felt they would not have enough information for constructive discussion until postal officials contacted the city. The city, it was pointed out, had not yet received a response to its November 8 letter. In that letter the city had requested the complete analysis supporting USPS's decision to build a new post office on Parkway and Crescent because of their position that the cost of split facilities would be prohibitive. Council complained that it had received little more than the conclusion without supporting data. Council favors maintaining split facilities for the Greenbelt postal district (full customer services in the center and a distribution facility elsewhere but not on Parkway.

"We need that data to see if USPS's conclusions are supportable or not," said City Councilman Charles F. Schwan.

Post Office officials have been "patently irresponsible" in responding to the city's requests, charged Councilman Thomas White.

Council directed the city manager to (1) ask again that USPS furnish the requested study and (2) contact the appropriate postal officials for detailed information on the contract station, its scope, permanence, etc., either directly or through Congresswoman Spellman's office. The idea of a contract station had been discussed in a council work session last month. Council was not enthusiastic.

Contract Station

Used extensively in rural and small towns, contract stations operate out of business establishments, which are reimbursed for services such as selling stamps and money orders and accepting packages to be mailed. Residents would have to go to the main postal facility to pick up packages and mail that could not be delivered because the resident was not home.

Councilman Richard Pilski saw the introduction of a contract station as a bad omen—"one way of losing our post office."

He noted that businesses in the center already have space problems. It would be difficult to find a store to give the required space. He cautioned that the contract station might not prove permanent, leaving Greenbelt "with no postal facilities in the middle of

the city. I don't think my colleagues are facing reality", he summed up. Pilski prefers the establishment of a full postal facility at Parkway and Crescent over a combination of a contract station in the Center and other services located in a facility away from the middle of the city.

Schwan, White and Mayor Gil Weidenfeld did not rule out moving in the direction Pilski suggested but felt that to come to Pilski's conclusion now was premature. They thought they were operating in a vacuum without having sufficient information to reach any conclusion.

The council has opposed the Parkway and Crescent site because it is located in a residential area. Construction of a large postal facility could be construed as a change in the character of land and could eventually lead to the replacement of nearby apartments with commercial enterprises. Additionally, council feels the facility would have an adverse effect on traffic, nearby residents and the economic viability of the commercial center.

Pilski challenged the last assertion, noting that the proposed expansion of Twin Pines, the Greenbelt Credit Union and Suburban Trust would maintain the center's viability.

Budget Increase Approval Asked of GHI Members

Greenbelt Homes members will be asked to approve an average increase of 21.66 percent in member's operating payments for 1980. The special membership meeting will be held Wednesday, December 12, 8 p.m., Center School auditorium.

The overall increase in operating charges is \$796,397 over last year's budget. The total budget calls for \$4.9 million; fuel/heating costs will be in excess of \$2 million.

The major factor causing the increase is the rising cost of fuel oil. The 1980 budget for fuel and electricity for the heating plants is figured just over \$1,490,000. The same item for 1978 was \$760,000. A slightly higher amount, \$770,000, was budgeted for 1979, but that turned out to be way below what was actually needed—now estimated to be \$947,000.

The second major factor in the budget increase is taxes—expected to go up by about 5% next year as GHI has been informed that its property will be reassessed in 1980 and increase the budget by \$81,738.

Although the entire budget, minus the above increases, reflects a 4% decrease in charges, when fuel oil, taxes, and water and sewage rates plus trash rates are factored in, the overall increase amounts of 21.6%. Each of these increased budget items are ones over which GHI has no control.

Contract Station Has Limited Services

by Leta Mach

A "contract station" in the Greenbelt shopping center is the latest proposed alternative to a new main post office on Parkway and Crescent Roads.

In a contract station patrons receive limited services, such as buying stamps and mailing packages. Greenbelt Postmaster Emory Harman felt such a station, which would be located in a business establishment, would not require much space. However, Harman also felt that a contract station was not what Greenbelt citizens really wanted.

For several years, a contract station was located in the Springhill Lake Pharmacy. Dr. Allen Berger told the News Review that the station was a "losing proposition. The government wants everything and gives you nothing," he said.

Berger explained that he had to pay wages and social security taxes for an employee to handle the station. He asked for more money to cover these expenses but the government did not pay more on the theory that his business would increase because of the contract station. It involved a lot of time and hassle, in Berger's opinion. In addition to regular postal inspections, there were also customer complaints, such as not being helped quickly enough. The station served many customers, some of them business people from College Park, who did not want to wait in long lines at their post office.

Eagle Scout Awards

On Fri., Dec. 7, Scout Troop 746 will hold a "double-eagle" Court of Honor, at which the highest award in scouting will be presented to Tom Hanyok and Clint Boushell. The ceremony will be held at the Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church on Ridge Road at 7:30 p.m. A special invitation is extended to all Eagle Scouts and members of the public to attend.

MEETING ON BUSING

The P.G. County Public Schools Citizens Advisory Committee on Busing will meet on Monday, December 10 at 7:30 p.m. at E. Roosevelt High School. The program will include a presentation on school desegregation nationwide and the county's case Vaughns et al vs. Board of Education and a speaker from the National Conference of Christians and Jews. The public is invited to observe.

Golden Age Club

by Blanche Lee

The Greenbelt Golden Age Club will celebrate Christmas with a covered dish dinner on Wednesday, December 19 at the Greenbelt Youth Center. Esther Miller, Hospitality Chairman, has charge of arrangements. Members are requested to call her for reservations and details of the dinner. Phone 345-3043.

December Is Do or Die Month For the Cultural Arts Center

by Konrad Herling

Citizens for a Greenbelt Cultural Arts Center met last Sunday at Greenbelt's vacant theatre to discuss a number of items, all of which focused on the January 1, 1980 deadline for signing the lease with the center's owner, George Christacos. The organization's target is to raise \$4,500 as indication of community support and, more important, as a potential downpayment. The need for a successful community fund-raising drive was aptly expressed when Dave Lange stated: "December is our do-or-die month."

Time and again, members related conversations with others indicating the misconception that the group had already realized its goal and would be moving into the theatre imminently. That impression, the group quickly concluded, would have to be replaced with a heightened awareness of the immediate need for contributions. "There has to be a sense of urgency" said Gus Weiland a psychiatrist from Greenbriar.

"Another element essential to a successful fund-raising drive will be the open-house," concluded Tom Schreiber, a member of the Grenoble Hall Theatre Guild. While that event will offer a sampling of potential activities, it will also give the group the opportunity to inform Greenbelters about programming, architecture as well as hand out the prospectus.

In order to most expeditiously carry out these many tasks, six committees were formed: (1) Programming-Chairing, Dave Benson, 441-2598; (2) Legal-Financial, Dave Lange, chairman, 345-8921; (3) Architectural, Bill Stratton, chairman; (4) Public-Fund Drive, Rose Mary Guenther, chairman; (5) Publicity, Konrad Herling, chairman; and (6) Internal Communications, Rose Murdock, chairman.

Santa to Answer Letters

Santa Claus will again stop at the Greenbelt Post Office during the holiday season to pick up letters which are sent to him. A letter drop stocking has been placed in the Post Office in which children can deposit their mail. All letters will be answered promptly.

Federal Help for Fuel Costs

by Sandra Barnes

The energy crisis has the most financial impact on those who can least afford the costs. Recognizing this fact, the Federal government has made funds available to those who are unable to pay their heating costs, the so-called "energy indigents".

Individual homeowners, apartment renters, and members of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., may qualify providing they meet the income criteria. Up to \$250 will be available to each household depending on their fuel costs.

The income limits (for all adults over 18 in the household) are as follows:

Household Size	Annual Income
1	\$4,250
2	5,625
3	7,000
4	8,375
5	9,750
6	11,125

Proof of income must accompany the application. Such proof may be in the form of a 1978 Federal Income Tax statement or pay stubs. If no proof is available, the applicant may sign a certification of income.

Homeowners need to present copies of their fuel bills. Apartment dwellers would have to get a breakdown of their fuel costs from their landlord showing what portion of their rent is attributed to the rising fuel costs.

Members of GHI will need to take a letter from the corporation showing a breakdown of their monthly charges. Details on how members of GHI will apply for the program are currently being worked out with the Energy Crisis Assistance Program (ECAP). It is possible that arrangements can be made for a field worker to come to the GHI offices to certify those who qualify rather than have members going to the ECAP office in Hyattsville.

ECAP is located in Room 3, County Services Building, 5012 Rhode Island Avenue, and is open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Persons needing more information on the program should call 699-2662. Home visits can be arranged by appointment only.

Members of GHI will be receiving additional information on

how to apply within the next week. If further information is needed at this time, members may call Sandra Barnes, Coordinator of Member Services, 474-5566.

In the case of apartment dwellers and members of GHI, the fuel credit will go directly to the landlord or GHI, and the individuals rent or monthly charges will be adjusted according to the amount received. Up to a \$250 credit will be available to those who qualify.

Those people who are receiving Section 8 housing assistance will not qualify for the program. Those who have applied for Section 8—but are not yet receiving assistance—may apply if otherwise qualified.

The processing of applications should take about two weeks after a household is certified as eligible. Certification should take place at the time the application is made.

Two other types of assistance are available under the program. 1) Establishment of a line of credit for future fuel deliveries and 2) emergency payments (limited to \$50) for food, shelter, medication, etc., only in case where the household has paid its fuel/energy bills (or rent) and as a consequence is without funds for necessities of life.

WHAT GOES ON

Fri., Dec. 7, 6:45 p.m. Center School Pot-luck dinner
7:30 pm. Eagle Scout Awards. Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church
Sat., Dec. 8, 1-5 p.m. Cultural Arts Center Open House at the Greenbelt Theatre
Sun., Dec. 9, 3 p.m. Greenbelt Concert Band Christmas Performance, Youth Center
Mon., Dec. 10, 7:30 GHI Budget Information Meeting. Greenbelt Library
Wed., Dec. 12, 8 p.m. GHI Special Membership Meeting, Center School

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Facing Reality

December, which should be a time of happy family gatherings, merry parties with our friends, gaily decorated homes and a general feeling of warmth even as the fierce northern winds chill the air. This year seems to be also a time of stress. We want to make every wish come true—but the reality is that few of us can. At the supermarket, we gasp at the price of hamburger — \$1.59 a pound last week at a local chain store. Gas for our cars — can it really be over \$1.00 a gallon? What was it last year? 65¢. Clothes. If we spend \$25.00 on a shirt, can we afford to buy another gift? Events around the world — in Iran and elsewhere — seem to conspire against us.

The joyfulness of the season is mixed with stress. At this very time GHI members face one of the largest increases in monthly charges ever presented to them — 21.6% is being requested by the Board of Directors. Some will say "no" just on the face of it; it is too much.

But is it reasonable, then, to expect that prices in every major area will increase without housing costs also rising?

It is necessary to look at the facts. Rising fuel oil prices account for almost all of the requested increase. Rising service costs — taxes, trash, water and sewer — account for the remainder.

The record shows a concrete effort by GHI over the past five years to cut heating costs: conversion from steam to hot water in the frame homes, atomizing burners in the four large heating plants, variable temperature controls in the masonry homes. The rehabilitation program — long in the planning stage — is about to commence. The next program will likely be a change in GHI's heating system — probably from its largely inefficient 40-year old boilers to another system. All this will require both moral and material cooperation on the part of the members.

It is to the GHI board and management's credit that in a time of double-digit inflation, they have been able to reduce costs elsewhere in the budget. With this belt-tightening, GHI may be able to maintain the current level of maintenance and other services necessary to run the cooperative. To pare the budget much more than has been done, we fear, might result in the corporation's not being able to meet its financial obligations, or might mean that services would be decreased to the point that homes would suffer.

We urge GHI members to study the budget information they received, to attend the information hearings in order to offer constructive input — and to attend the membership meeting, Wednesday, December 12, to vote in accordance with the realities of the time in which we live.

Concert Band Sunday tional holiday music under the direction of John DelHomme. Beginning at 3 p.m., the performance is open to the public, free of charge.

ART SHOW & AUCTION

Saturday, December 8

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A memorial mass for the late John J. Reilly was held on Saturday, December 1, at St. Hugh's Church. Mr. Reilly died on September 20 while on an extended visit with relatives in Ireland. He was buried at Calvary Cemetery, Long Island, N.Y., on September 27.

Mr. Reilly first came to Greenbelt in 1964 to take a position as shoe and leather specialist with the U.S. Department of Commerce. Earlier he had worked as editor of a trade publication, **Boot and Shoe Recorder**. A native of Yonkers, N.Y., he graduated with a degree in journalism from Columbia College, N.Y. An avid traveler, he had also published travel articles on Ireland, France and Guatemala in such publications as **Country Life**.

He and his family lived on Maplewood Ct. until July 1979, when the Reillys moved to 4-D Southway. Survivors, besides his wife, Margaret, include four sons—Kevin, John, Gerard, and Robert—and one grandson, Matthew. A sister, Agnes Allen of Yonkers, also survives.

At the memorial service Kevin Reilly read a statement of appreciation on behalf of the family in memory of his father. He noted in particular Mr. Reilly's pride in his work, his quiet confidence and patience, and his strong sense of community. "My father lived by the two words that appear on the Reilly coat of arms—Fortitude and Prudence," the statement read. "For this he will be remembered with due respect and fond memories."

Center School Pot-luck

Center School PTA is sponsoring a pot-luck dinner on Friday, Dec. 7 beginning at 6:45 p.m. A book fair will be featured, as well as community singing.

MOWATT MEMORIAL

United Methodist Church
 40 Ridge Rd. 474-9410

Church School 9:30-10:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Rev. Ira C. Keperling, Pastor
 474-1924

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Episcopal

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8:30 a.m. Holy Communion
 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

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Get Ready For Christmas

This Sunday

Morning Services: 8:30 and 11:15 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:50 a.m.

Adult Bible Class: 9:50 a.m.

Wednesday, December 12: Advent Services

7:00 p.m.: Advent Fellowship

7:15 p.m.: Sing the songs of Christmas

7:30 p.m.: Advent Worship

Message: Christmas - It's a Relief

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ERHS Concert Set

The Eleanor Roosevelt Music Department will present its second concert of the year on Thursday, Dec. 13 at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. Performing will be the orchestra under Dorothy Pickard, the concert and symphonic bands directed by John H. McLendon and the chorus under Dr. Barbara Baker. The program will include "Academic Festival" by Brahms, Concerto VIII by Corelli, and various joint performances of the chorus and the orchestra. Tickets are available at the door. For more information, call the school at 345-7500.

Green Ridge House Christmas Bazaar

The Green Ridge House, 22 Ridge Road, will host a Christmas bazaar and bake sale this Sat., December 8, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The bazaar is open to the public. In addition to hand-made crafts, baked goods and plants, tickets will be sold for a doll house raffle. The winning ticket will be drawn December 21. Tickets can also be obtained by calling 474-7595. All proceeds from the bazaar will be donated to the residents activities fund. Everyone is welcome.

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At the Library

Saturday, Dec. 8: Tree Trim 10:30-noon. Help the staff decorate the library tree! Everyone is welcome.

Two films will be shown both Wed., Dec. 12 and Thurs., Dec. 13. They are **City Lights** plus **Flatland** beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Exhibits during December: **Christmas Stamps**—Emory Harman, Greenbelt Postmaster; **Paintings** by Isadore Reuben, Greenbelt; and **Photography Display** by Gary Howard, Greenbelt.

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A film we all need to see: How do we keep a city green? 1:15 - 1:45 p.m.

A collection of Irish songs with guitar accompaniment. 2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Directed by Lorretta Capuano, this group demonstrates a graceful approach to the Holiday season. 2:30-3:30 p.m.

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Some Haydn and Bach just a week before Beethoven's birthday? 3:30 - 4 p.m.

Contemporary Folk - guitar. 4 - 4:30 p.m.

Beatles, Donovan, etc. - on the guitar 4:30-5 p.m.

Help make this program more than a one-day stand by contributing now! We have only 25 days to raise the necessary funds to meet lease deadline of January 1, 1980. Don't let this opportunity for your involvement slip away before it's too late for all of us. Let's move now to bring our community closer together by bringing life back into the Center!



GHI - SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The 1980 Budget anticipates an increase beyond the 10% permitted by the bylaws without membership approval. This increase is largely due to increased cost of fuel oil.

WEDNESDAY

December 12, 8 p.m.

Center School Auditorium

Information Hearing scheduled on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1979

7:30 p.m.

Greenbelt Library

Proxy Information

Proxies for this meeting may be obtained from the business office at GHI, Hamilton Place, or the Board's secretary, Margaret Hogensen, 53-F Ridge Road, and will be mailed to the member unless requested in person. *All requests for proxies must be received in writing* and the member must state the name of the person chosen to vote his/her proxy. Members may vote *only one* proxy. The completed proxy form must be returned to the business office or the Board's secretary by December 7.



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GHI NOTES

Members are urged to attend the Special Membership Meeting on Wednesday, December 12 at 8 p.m., at Greenbelt Center School to vote on the increases in monthly charges. A special budget hearing will be held on Monday, December 10, 7:30 p.m., in the Greenbelt Library. GHI is in the process of preparing a bulletin on energy saving tips detailing what members can do to help the corporation save on fuel costs. This should be available at the special membership meeting.

GHI General Manager Roy Breashears received a copy of a letter from Senator Charles McMathias urging employees to write to the Ayatollah Khomeini in Iran asking him to free the American hostages.

In the next week, GHI members will receive the first Rehabilitation Bulletin which will explain what the members' responsibilities will be in preparing their homes for rehabilitation work. What to do about attics, sheds, plants, air-conditioners, etc., will be covered.

Boys' Club Soccer

Pete Witten's 10-year and under soccer team finished the season with a 4-2-2 record with a 5-0 defeat of Lewisdale on Sunday, October 28.

Tony Ross, who played goalie for the team during most of its first 6 games, scored his second consecutive hat trick (3 goals) in this his second game as a forward. Scott Swahi boosted the score to 5 when he shot two well-directed goals into the Lewisdale net. The game was played at Braden field.

In another game, Greenbelt's 8-year and under team met and defeated a determined South Bowie team at Black Sox field, Bowie, on Sunday, October 28.

Art Auction Saturday

The Mishkan Torah Men's Club, in conjunction with the Fine Arts Gallery of Ardmore, Pa., is sponsoring an Art Auction at the synagogue on Sat., Dec. 8. Wine and cheese preview starts at 7 p.m., the auction at 8 p.m. There is a nominal donation, applicable toward the purchase of an article of art. Everyone is welcome.

Coffee House Drop-In

The Youth Center Conference Room will host adults, 18 years of age through Senior Citizen, each Sunday in an informal Coffee House Drop-in. Hours will be from 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Greenbelters interested in an opportunity to meet with old friends and neighbors, to cultivate new friendships, or who are simply looking for an outlet from the busy holiday preparations, are invited to drop by.

Orring to Sing on TV

Helen Orring, a Greenbelt resident for 38 years and a member of the Golden Age Players, will be performing two songs on the "Sunday" show which will be aired Dec. 23, on channel 4 from 11-11:30 a.m. A number of other Players will also be featured.

The Golden Age Players perform regularly at nursing homes in the area. They have also displayed their talents with the Publick Playhouse in Cheverly.

NOTICE NOTICE

In accordance with Federal Regulations, notice is hereby given that the City of Greenbelt has filed with the office of Revenue Sharing the 1979 Survey of Municipal or Township Finances (Form F-21A). A copy of this report is available for public inspection at the City Manager's Office, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

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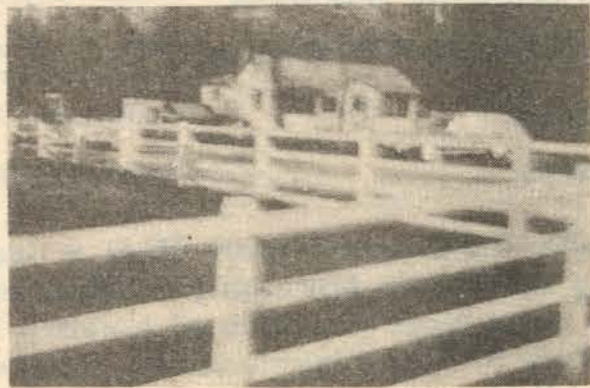
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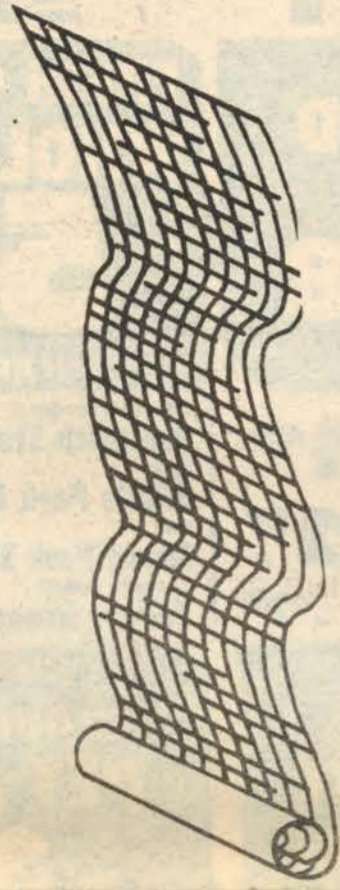
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Bidders Needed

Bidders needed for Contract Cleaner at Local Post Office. Contact Postmaster at 111 A Centerway or call 345-1335. Deadline date: December 20, 1979.

LOST - Gray cat with white on face, neck & paws, in Univ. Sq. Apts. area. Answers to Zany. If found, please call 474-3134.

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Greenbelt Theatre Open House Sunday

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There will be an information booth set up at the old candy counter, and a box for any ideas, suggestions, or services offered.

Here's a look at the program that has been set up: First there will be a film on Greenbelt called "The Green City. Next is a group called "Heather & Lace" . . . (Marcia and Mickey McGee), doing Irish and Country Folk. Then the Springhill Lake Dance Group will be doing some Christmas dances. The instructor is Loretta Capuano, and the two voice soloists are Jennifer Muller and Ann Schreckengost Manuscice. There is also a dance solo by Rosemary Kutchman. The Greenbelt Chamber Orchestra will play, followed by a guitarist, Rick La-Rocca, doing contemporary folk. Finishing up is Daryl Beard doing Folk-Rock.

Interested Greenbelters are invited to come and help us get another great thing going. Great like Greenbelt!

Police Blotter

As a result of a traffic stop on Crescent Road, Pfc Lann arrested the operator of a vehicle for having a concealed weapon in his possession, displaying stolen license plates and assault.

Four juveniles were apprehended by Officer Murray for breaking into a city storage shed on Braden Field.

The American Legion Post on Greenbelt Road was entered and some cash taken from a coin operated machine.

The Department is investigating a late report of a rape which took place in a Springhill Lake apartment involving a resident and a guest.

Two subjects were arrested for attempting to pass a stolen check at the Equitable Trust Bank, Beltway Plaza.

Scouts Sell Holiday Trees

On Thursday, Dec. 13, through Christmas Eve, the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will again be "doing their best" to bring the spirit of Christmas to Greenbelt. Scout Troop 1746, sponsored by St. Hugh's Church and Cub Pack 202, sponsored by Greenbelt Community Church, will be selling Christmas trees at Greenbelt Pool.

Hours of operation Mon.-Fri. are 6-9 p.m. and on Sat. and Sun. from 9-9. Proceeds are used to further the work of the scouts throughout the year.

Each customer is registered for a drawing on a ten-speed bicycle. The drawing will be held on the final weekend before Christmas.

Holiday Running County Youth Orchestra

The last Fun Run of the year will take place Saturday, Dec. 8, at 9 a.m. at Greenbelt Lake, and will feature a 1/2, 1, and 3 mile runs. All runners who finish will receive certificates.

The Prince Georges Senior Youth Orchestra will perform at the Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High Auditorium on Saturday, Dec. 8 at 8 p.m.

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