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Manager Details Community Center Financing Issues

by James Giese

As city council and staff proceed with the development of plans for the new community center to be located at Center School, they must resolve a number of issues relating both to the cost of renovating and remodeling the old building and the cost of operating the facility. These issues were raised by staff at a work session held in December. Although the issues are not yet resolved, council has agreed to proceed with plans for the full renovation of the building with the understanding that, if necessary, some of the work could be deferred to a future date, at which time the city would have its plans ready to go.

Tax Rate Impact

In a business plan outlining finances, City Manager Dan Hobbs advised council that the impact upon property taxes for renovating and operating the center will be a rate increase of 10 cents. He noted that at the time of the bond issue referendum the city had estimated a tax rate impact of 10 to 12 cents. Half of this increase will be needed to pay for debt service on the \$3 million bond issue authorized by the favorable vote at the referendum. The other five cents will be needed for the city's subsidy of operating costs, as it is anticipated that revenues received from rentals and user fees will not be sufficient to meet all expenses. For a \$100,000 home, the cost implication would be \$36.68 per year.

Construction Costs

The total cost for doing all work required, including an addition for a theater shell, is \$5.8 million. However, the construction funds available are estimated to be only \$3.75—a shortfall of over \$2 million. Two possible grants, for which applications have been made, could reduce that shortfall. They are a \$500,000 grant for a Senior Center and Adult Day Care Center and a Community Development Block Grant of \$200,000. Another \$456,700 could be saved by deferring the replacement of roofs and windows. The theater shell, if not built, would save another \$473,000. Even with all those revisions, the city still needs to find another \$470,000.

Hobbs also provided a list of items which could be deferred from which council could choose. He advised that for a minimum cost of \$3.6 million, an amount less than the amount of funds available to the city, the entire building could be fixed up to comply with building, handicap access and safety codes although it would otherwise be left in its existing condition. Another alternative listed would be either to close or tear down the 1967 addition to the building, which would reduce the building operating costs as well, but would eliminate some of the uses currently planned for the building, such as either the nursery school or adult day care. City staff still does not have figures for the savings in cost if this alternative were to be considered.

Operating Costs

Hobbs estimates an annual operating cost for the center of

\$375,000. Rental fees are estimated to amount to \$132,000. A breakdown of these costs is: facilities staff, \$117,000; cleaning custodians, \$104,500; utility costs (water, sewer, electric, etc.), \$150,000; other costs \$3,500.

Not all of the building is to be rented. Almost half of it will be used for the conduct of city recreational programming, such as the senior activities center and the multi-purpose gym, or for other city uses. To be rented are spaces for the adult day care facility, the nursery school and artist studios. Artists are proposed to be charged at the annual rate of \$6 a square foot, while the other two users will be charged \$7 a square foot. These charges are based upon those made at similar facilities. A small amount of space (about 800 s.f.) is proposed to be leased to the News Review for \$1,200 a year, based upon the paper's indication of the amount it would be able to pay.

Other Issues

Another operating cost implication. See FINANCING, page 12

Hit and Run Claims Long Time Resident

Mishkan Torah congregants leaving the synagogue on Friday, February 5 about 8:55 p.m. watched in horror as longtime resident Tillie Wetter was struck by a car and dragged nearly 100 feet as she was crossing Ridge Road. Mrs. Wetter, who lived in the 9 Court of Ridge Road, was taken to Doctors Community Hospital in Lanham where she was later pronounced dead, police said.

The driver of the brown Toyota, a Greenbelt resident, left the accident scene without stopping, police noted. The car was traveling from Southway toward Westway on Ridge Road, where the speed limit is 25 miles per hour.

After an eye witness gave the license number of the fleeing car to police, the driver was located a few hours later, identified and interviewed. Greenbelt Officer George Mathews told the News Review on Tuesday that "no charges had been filed at this time."

Mathews said, "No further information will be disclosed until the investigation is completed and a review conducted by the State's Attorney's office."

News Review Office Closed Monday Eves.

The office of the News Review will be closed the next four Monday evenings. The office will be open on Monday from 2 to 4 p.m. and on Tuesday from 8 to 10 p.m.

Arts Center Play Wins Best, Best, Best, Best

by Sandy Smith

Greenbelt Arts Center's entry in the Maryland One Oct Tournament is a winner. The play, "Among My Souvenirs," by Daniel Ray Young won for best new play, best director, best performance, and best costuming in the competition held at Montgomery College throughout the weekend of January 30-31. The Arts Center's entry was selected to move up to the next level of competition, the regionals, where other entries will come from Philadelphia, New Jersey, Delaware, New York, and Washington, D.C. The regional tournament will be held in Annapolis the first weekend in April.

"Among My Souvenirs" received its premier performance at the play tournament supported by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council for the Greenbelt Arts Center's New Playwright Program. As playwright and director, Daniel Ray Young received two awards. Best performance award went to Lou Swerda and the entire ensemble was credited with the costuming award. Two other performers associated with the Arts Center won awards. Natalie Zanin, a veteran of several Arts Center shows, won a best performance award in "Ghost Stories," performed by the Cedar Lane Stage. A young actor, Jordan Wigda, who performed in the Arts Center's 1992 Young Players' production of "Goldilocks" won a best performance award for "Christmas Carol," by the Burtonsville players.

The Greenbelt Arts Center has participated in the competition for the past five years and this is the first year the group has won. Greenbelt Arts Center President Marie Tournant said, "This is a real accomplishment and a recognition of the contribution the Center makes to the performing arts throughout the area."



PRESIDENTS' HOLIDAY REFUSE SCHEDULE

The City of Greenbelt offices will be CLOSED on Monday, February 15, 1993. There will be no city refuse collection service that day. The schedule for the remainder of that week will be as follows: Monday's route will be collected on Tuesday and Tuesday's route will be collected on Wednesday. Thursday and Friday's route will be on their regular schedule. Special Trash requests will be collected on Thursday and Friday.

Recyclables will be collected on their regular schedule that week.

McCawley Resigns as GHI President, Freas Succeeds

by Sandy Smith

GHI Board of Directors President Ray McCawley resigned at the January 14 Greenbelt Homes Inc. Board meeting. He was replaced as president by former Vice President Al Freas. Long-time GHI Board officer Wayne Williams was then elected Vice President. McCawley is moving to Richmond in the spring, but will continue to serve on the board until that time.

Senior Concerns

Betty Timer a member of Greenbelt Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, informed the Board at its January 14 meeting of concerns of Greenbelt's senior citizens. The primary concern was safety, particularly concerning lack of lighting in old Greenbelt. She said it was difficult for seniors to see on many of the walkways at night and recommended that standard exterior lighting be approved for the homes that would fit in with Greenbelt's architectural style. The board referred the issue to the Architecture and Environment Committee for review.

Woodlands Improvement

At an earlier meeting the Woodlands Committee had submitted recommendations for the wooded area bounded by Hillside, Research, Ridge and Laurel Hill Roads. The staff reviewed and supported this plan and the

Board then authorized staff to prepare cost estimates and obtain city approval for the proposed erosion control structure. Among components of the plan were installation of a footbridge over the seasonal creek bed, covering the existing trail system with wood mulch, and the addition of numerous plantings.

Computer Issues

The Board authorized GHI Manager Ron Colton to report to the Audit Committee regarding several specific aspects on the security of the corporation's computer system. This will be a verbal report to avoid circulating written documents. Virginia Moryadas, member of the Audit Committee, accepted this, stating that the committee wants only to review rather than maintain a copy of the security system policy manual. Colton then provided an update on the computer system.

See GHI, page 12

Metro Excavation Provides Bonanza for Area Gardeners

by Betsy Likowski

Free top soil and wood chips are available to Greenbelt residents from the piles at Northway ballfields. Once again the city has piled mounds of materials for use in city projects, which is also being made available to the public. Residents can take some of the square-cut hardwood chips and good quality top soil. The latter was farm soil and has a pH of 6.9.

The piles are located near the east end of Northway not far from the ballfields. The chips are north of the ballfields (straight ahead as one enters the area). The top soil is mounded west of the ballfields (to one's right as one enters the ballfields area).

There are 10,000 cubic yards of soil already in place and more is expected.

Both top soil and chips come from the construction site of the Greenbelt Metro station. The city has agreed to take whatever materials the construction contractor did not want. Since the contractor has delivered the materials, the city did not pay for either the materials or their transport.

According to Carl Hirsch, Director of Public Works, at least \$160,000 has already been saved for the city by getting the soil for free. In the past the city has paid at least \$16 to \$24 a cubic yard for soil. The value of the wood chip pile is estimated at \$2000.

All those dump trucks that

went up and down Crescent Road, Hillside Road, and Northway in mid-January were delivering the top soil and wood chips. The steady stream of dump trucks may again return if the city gets a permit to place the soil north of the ballfields, but such a second delivery would last only for a couple of weeks at most.

The city can really use the top soil and wood chips, said Hirsch. Square-cut wood chips can be used in the many city playgrounds. Rehabilitation work can also be done on ballfields and on eroded areas in "Buddy" Attick Lake Park.

Other anticipated projects possible with this soil include work on eroded slopes near underpasses, creation of new islands in the renovation of the Roosevelt Center parking lot, and work on the Community Center. Another possible use for the top soil is a berm to block the view of the Public Works compound from the Attick Park.

Erosion control devices surround the soil mounds. These will be seeded with wildflowers, said Hirsch.

Please Help

On February 4, George Daffan, 42, was stricken with a brain aneurysm. Surgery was performed at Prince Georges General Hospital on February 5. The final diagnosis is still undetermined as to whether there will be permanent damage or therapy will be required. George has been a lifelong resident of Greenbelt, is married with two small children. The family is without any form of hospitalization and with George unable to work there will not be a paycheck coming in.

Several Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department/Auxiliary members, of which George is a former member, have organized a "GEORGE DAFFAN FUND."

The wonderful residents of Greenbelt have always given a helping hand to those less fortunate. We ask now for your generous support for George and his family.

President Henry Wynkoop has requested that any donation, in check form, be made out to the "GEORGE DAFFAN FUND" and mailed to: Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 35, Greenbelt, MD 20770. Donation containers will be placed in several different locations within the city of Greenbelt for the residents' convenience.

One may contact the following persons for any additional info:
 Kathy Reynolds, 474-4372
 Theresa Wynkoop, 441-8651
 Chris Fleshman, 513-5969

Protect the Fish

Update on "Petition to Stop Killing Fish at Greenbelt Lake".

Three petitions were placed at High's, the post office, and at Greenbelt Cleaners last summer. Two petitions were taken from High's, and one was taken from the post office. One petition at High's had several signatures, as my friends had signed it. The petition at the post office probably had 75-100 signatures, as I had checked it several times before it was taken. The petition at the cleaners had four signatures, and it had been moved from the counter to the window-sill where no one could see it. These four signatures, along with those collected at the Labor Day Festival, give us 73 signatures. These will be presented to the Park and Recreation Advisory Board, whose Buddy Attick Park Plan (6/92) calls for the "protection of wildlife habitats" at the lake. All of you have expressed your determination to see that the board includes fish as Life.

I urge you to write to the board if yours was one of the signatures taken, and to call the city periodically to see what is being done to follow the letter of the Park Plan. Don't be discouraged by those whose disrespect toward people, also, was shown by taking the petitions, and by writing defensive remarks on the petitions and to the News Review

Again, thank you so much for caring. We will await the Park and Recreation Advisory Board's response while we continue to proclaim with George Bernard Shaw that "The idler who has nothing better to do than kill is past our patience."

Nancy Robinson

Paths Not Safe

I am writing in response to an editorial published on January 28 urging the city and GHI to construct trails to the new elementary school in Parcel Z, and a small parcel of land bordered by Laurel Hill, Hillside, Research and Ridge Roads. You have advocated "all-weather" surface for these trails in the interest of providing "safe off-street routes to the school."

I oppose any further construction of such trails, which presumably would be made of black-top or concrete, through a wooded area that is so small. Now that the trees are without leaves, the small size of this area is painfully obvious. We must protect our precious woodlands from unnecessary development. Since there are other sidewalks to the school, I think that paved paths through the woods constitute unnecessary development.

Further, while I appreciate the original Greenbelt premise of off-street paths to the elementary school, I believe that a perpetuation of this historical concept in our modern era of kidnappings and other threats is unreasonable. I want my children walking in areas that are clearly visible to neighbors and others. I do not want them regularly walking in isolated areas, with little protection from threatening strangers. Safety is my concern, and I want my children where I can easily see them, not on paths through woods.

Cathleen M. Barnes

Sidewalk There

I agree with your (January 28) editorial that children need a safe, off-road, permanent path to the new school—it's called a sidewalk. And it's already there, even if it needs repair.

Children walking the path to school need only cross under the Hillside tunnel and walk up a paved ramp to a sidewalk. They're not only in open view there, but they also will reach a crosswalk whether they go left to Ridge and Research or right to Ridge and Laurel Hill Road.

The path you wish paved leads straight to the middle of Ridge, where it will encourage jaywalking.

No one is suggesting children cross one more street than is necessary. Whether they cut through our backyards or walk the sidewalks, all the children will have to cross Ridge to get to school, unless you're suggesting burrowing a tunnel under Ridge?

When I spoke about this at a city council meeting a parent who was there for another purpose stood up to agree with me that our sidewalk is the place we should encourage children to be. No one is suggesting we do a thing to discourage children from using the wood chip path we are constructing. It's just not wise for anyone to encourage them to use a less safe route.

How about an editorial calling for repairs on our sidewalk before school opens, such as curb ramps wherever a sidewalk is interrupted by parking courts and a new staircase with hand-rail near 1 Court Laurel Hill?

Donald L. Comis

Letters

Book Bashed

I used to wonder why 20% of the freshmen (at my university, U. Md.) are retaking (high-school) Algebra 2 and another 15% are even retaking Algebra 1 even though "earning" a passing grade in Algebra 2 (in high school) is required for admission. Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) uses the textbook Algebra 2 and Trig by Dolciani, Graham, Swanson and Sharron. (It is not used at all the high schools in PG County). I have analyzed this book from my two perspectives as a parent and as a college teacher of mathematics. I discovered that this textbook is horrendous and it is a major contributory cause for many a child's low level of achievement and self-confidence to do algebra. I am writing this letter to inform Greenbelt children and their parents that Dolciani, et al. deserves much of the blame for many children's difficulty with algebra and to warn parents of teenagers at ERHS that this book is dangerous to your child's self-confidence and mathematics education.

Dolciani was the chief author of a set of high school mathematics textbooks — the "new math" of the 1960s. Unfortunately for our children, D's specialty is to take difficult concepts from

college texts, remove the explanations and the diagrams and then inflict these concepts on unsuspecting high school pupils.

These books have generated math anxiety, math phobia and loss of self-confidence in thousands of Greenbelt pupils.

This has resulted in many of our children unnecessarily avoiding careers in science and engineering.

In 1987, in reaction to the ineffectiveness of math instruction, the Maryland State Dept. of Education was wise enough to issue official goals for math instruction which say that the students will develop an appreciation of and a positive attitude toward mathematics, will develop the mathematical reasoning ability required in problem solving and decision-making situations and will develop the ability to apply mathematics in personal, societal, technological scientific and career settings. Using D's text at ERHS is incompatible with these official goals.

If, back in the 1960's, an "evil empire" had smuggled a "mole" into the U.S. with the task of sabotaging the mathematics education of our children, there are very few things that he/she might have done that would have been more damaging than Dolciani's set of mathematics books.

Jerome Dancis

SHL Crime Watch

There will be a Springhill Lake Crime Watch Training Program on Thursday, February 18 at 7 p.m. at the Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge. Greenbelt Police Officer George Mathews will conduct an orientation and crime prevention session. All are invited to attend.

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Homemakers to Meet

The Greenbelt Homemakers will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 17, at the home of Helen Ludwig. Homemakers is a chapter of the Maryland Association for Family and Community Education and is open to all regardless of race, sex, handicap, age or religion. For more information call Solange Hess at 474-9306.

Fun at Goddard

There will be a star watch at the Goddard Space Flight Center Visitor Center on Saturday, February 13 from 7 to 9 p.m. The search will be for galaxies, planets, nebulae, and stars. Bring a telescope or binoculars or use the Visitor Center telescope. The Visitor Center is located on Soil Conservation Road. For information call 286-8981.

Arts Center Holds New Play Auditions

The Greenbelt Arts Center will hold auditions for the premier production of Bruce McDade's "Small of My Mind." The auditions are scheduled for February 16 and 17 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt Youth Center. This fun-filled new play calls for a cast of seven women from their 20s to 70s and one man, aged 20 to 50. The play will be directed by Jim Roberson and produced by Steve Blais. For more information call the Arts Line at 441-8770.

Golden Age Club

by Adeline Hinson
On Thursday, February 25, there will be a one-day trip to Washington, D.C. where there will be a guided tour to the back stage of the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. From the Kennedy Center we will go on to the Library of Congress and see "Rome Reborn." Lunch is on your own. There is a fee for this trip. The bus will leave the Municipal Bldg. at 9:30 a.m. and return at 6 p.m. For further details call Florence Holly at 474-6646.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

GREENBELT ACCESS TV EXPANDS COVERAGE

by Konrad Herling
Greenbelt Access Television is working to expand coverage of Greenbelt activities in the next several weeks. This coming week, on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30 on Channel B-10, Konrad Herling's interview with the city's Recycling Coordinator Tracy Vincent will be aired. This will be part of an ongoing series on the city's efforts in dealing with waste.

In promoting recreational and educational programs, GATE is now working with youth organizations and area schools to enhance its existing program, "Greenbelt 20770," which is co-produced by youngsters ages 8-15. Additionally, GATE has invited members of the Greenbelt City Council to be interviewed so that they may express their viewpoints on important issues of the day as part of its "Greenbelt in Focus" program.

Finally, GATE is currently editing the Arts Center's "Colonial America" concert program of January 30 to be aired sometime in the next few weeks.

If you have an idea for a program to be covered, or if you'd like to pitch in, call Bob Zugby at 345-2065 or Konrad Herling at 345-9369.

GHI Notes

The GHI offices will be closed on Monday, February 15 in honor of Presidents' Day.

The Woodlands Committee will meet on Wednesday, February 17 at 8 p.m. at GHI.

Members are reminded to fill out and return the GHI Needs Survey questionnaire which was recently delivered to them.

GHI is sponsoring another Red Cross Blood Drive on February 22. Call 474-4161 to sign up to give.

Lecture Explores Elder Hostels

Ever wonder what an "Elder Hostel" is? Ever thought about trying one out but were not sure how to go about it? On Friday, February 19, "Explorations Unlimited" participants will "explore" Elder Hostels. Martha Patton, a Greenbelt resident and frequent elder hosteler, will be the presenter. She will talk about what an elder hostel is, how to register, what the advantages are and she will describe the ones she's been on.

"Explorations Unlimited" is a speaker series held every Friday from 1-3 p.m. at the Youth Center. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. For more information call 474-6878.

Basic Boating Course Offered at Roosevelt

Flotilla 24, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, is offering its basic boating safety course to the public, for only the cost of the materials, as a service to promote boating safety.

Classes will be held weekly beginning Thursday, February 18 for a total of eight weeks. The classes will run from 7 to 9 each Thursday evening at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

"Boating Skills and Seamanship" is essential for anyone new to boating while providing information on recent changes to the buoy system and navigation rules for the experienced boater. Topics to be presented include Rules of the Road, Legal Requirements, Boat Handling, Aids to Navigation, and Seamanship.

The "Boating Skills and Seamanship" Course is an approved course for certification under the Maryland Boating Safety Education Law which requires persons born after July 1, 1972 to complete an approved boating safety education course prior to operation of a powerboat.

Anyone desiring further information may contact Bob Wilson at 301-345-4724.

Jim Hubbard Speaks

Jim Hubbard, newly appointed delegate from this district to the Maryland State Assembly, will speak at a public meeting Saturday, February 20, at 2 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station.

Hubbard, now a member of the Environmental Matters Committee, will talk on Health and Environmental Legislation currently being considered.

This meeting is being sponsored by the Gray Panthers, who will have a brief business meeting prior to the program at 1:30 p.m.

There will be ample time allowed for audience questions on all issues of concern. Refreshments will be served. For information or rides call 474-6890 (Webb).

Registration & Open House Scheduled

St. Hugh's School, 145 Crescent Road is holding an open house for all prospective parents on Friday, February 19 from 9-11:15 a.m.

The school's registration will be held on Saturday, February 27 from 10 a.m.-12 noon in the school gym. Parents coming to register should bring a Baptismal or birth certificate, recent report cards and a registration fee. The registration fee is refundable if a child is not accepted.

Parents are asked to bring their children if they are registering them for grades 2-8 so that their children can be tested.

For more information and amount of fee please call the school at (301) 474-4071.

Roosevelt High Holds Annual Science Fair

More than 600 students are expected to participate in the 17th Annual Eleanor Roosevelt High School Science Fair scheduled for Wednesday, February 17, one of the largest science fairs in the Washington area.

Judging will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the school gym and winners will be announced at an awards assembly scheduled for 2:30 p.m. The fair will be open to the public from 4-9 p.m.

More than 200 judges will be present to evaluate projects in 13 categories including behavioral science, botany, biochemistry, chemistry, engineering, environmental science, mathematics, computer science, medicine & health, earth & space science, microbiology, physics, and zoology.

Judges represent some of the area's largest businesses, universities, and government agencies, including NAsSA, Harry Diamond Lab, USDA, NIH, University of Maryland, Prince Georges Community College, Beltsville Agricultural Research Center, Naval Research Laboratory and many local physicians.

GREENBELT CONNECTION

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

The city's dial-a-ride service, the Greenbelt Connection, will not operate on President's Day, Monday, February 15, 1993. The service will be resumed on Tuesday, February 16, 1993.

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Plumbing Seminar On February 18

The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission will hold a plumbing seminar on Thursday, February 18 from 7-9 p.m. at Weinbach Park in Westbrook Parkway in New Carrollton. There is a fee.

The seminar will cover basic plumbing maintenance and repairs, providing the homeowner with useful tips on care and safety plus instruction in minor household plumbing repairs.

For further information call 249-9220; TDD 249-9223.

Orchid Forum

A forum, sponsored by The National Capital Orchid Society and Friends of the National Arboretum, will feature a series of nationally recognized experts. It is slanted to advanced growers of paphiopedalum and phragmipedium orchids. Plants will be available for sale. For free information and registration, contact: Mr. Richard Grundy at (703) 360-6920. Reservations required. It will be held on Saturday, February 20, 8-5 p.m. in the Administration Building Auditorium of the Arboretum.

Concert to Celebrate Black History Month


On Friday, February 19 at 4 p.m. guest artists Michael Dash (baritone) and composer/pianist Lee Hoiby will be at the Tawes Recital Hall on the College Park campus at the University of Maryland for a free

concert in honor of Black History Month.

They will perform "I Have A Dream" by Hoiby. This 10-minute piece to the words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. strongly

ly affected President Clinton when he heard it at a fundraiser in New York last June.

For further information please call the concert office at (301) 405-5548.



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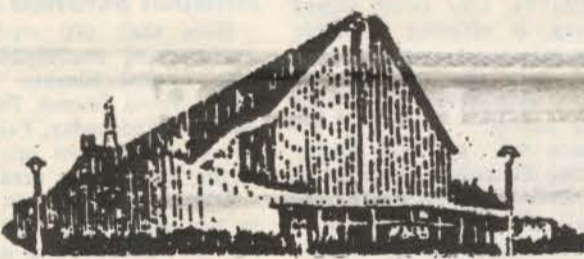
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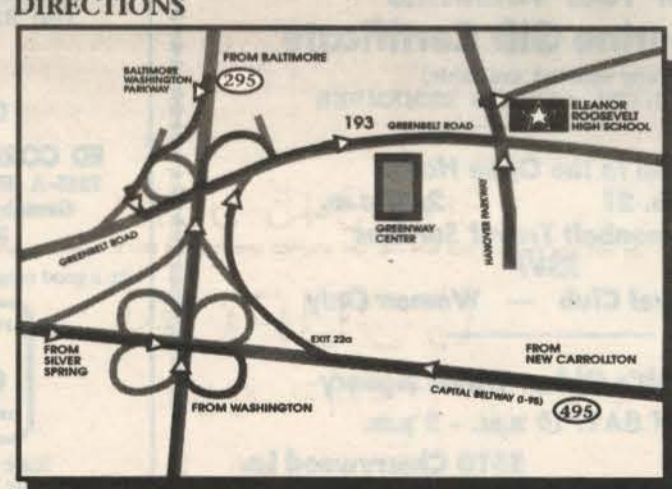
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DIRECTIONS



Tillie Goldfarb Wetter Dies

by Eileen Peterson

Tillie Wetter, 82, died Friday, Feb. 5, after being hit by a car near the Mishkan Torah Synagogue where she had just attended evening services.

Born on August 22, 1910 in the Bronx area of New York City, she was the fifth (and only girl) in a family of eight. Her mother died young, and Tillie developed a self-reliance that carried her through Hunter College to a B.A. in Education (majoring in Political Science). In her later years, she received a Master's Degree in Guidance.

Tillie and her husband Arthur moved to Greenbelt in 1943, where they raised sons Bob and Steve. She concentrated most of her time on her family until 1951, when she began teaching elementary school. For a time, they lived away from Greenbelt (in University Park and in Mar-

gate, New Jersey), but they returned here in the 1960s and she taught in the County School System; she was at Greenbelt Center School when she retired in the early 1970s. By that time, her husband had died.

A little known part of her life was the time and energy she spent helping her son Steve in his battle with schizophrenia.

Activities

After her retirement, she concentrated much of her time and talents with the Mishkan Torah congregation. Her special interest was the Hebrew School where, recounts Rabbi Saul Grife, "she was the grandmother to every little kid." Always an avid



Tillie Wetter

reader (she took stacks out of the Greenbelt Library regularly), she immersed herself in Jewish studies and, recalls the Rabbi, "soaked up knowledge like a sponge." She gave generously of

her time. Linda Spivak, President of the Synagogue, comments that Tillie was a member of the Religious Committee and the Education Committee for probably well over two decades.

She has been a member of the Synagogue Board of the Jewish Council for the Aged, a Life member of Hadassah and of the National Council of Jewish Women. She was fluent in Yiddish and Hebrew and understood German and French. She enjoyed traveling, and a highlight was a 1972 trip to Israel. She was a member of the Hunter College Alumni Association.

Independent

Fiercely independent and with strong belief, her friends Evelyn Kaplan and Pearl Tubiash recall her as "a doer, rather than just a talker." Tillie became active in many causes: the Civil Rights movement, women's issues, activities of the Grey Panthers. She exhorted her friends to "call the White House—I have the number."

In the community, she was active in political campaigns and causes and was on many lists of probable volunteers. She supported the Greenbelt Museum and even donated a child's Erector set and a vintage electric mixer. She was an occasional proofreader for this newspaper during the last several years.

In her years alone, Tillie never thought of herself as old, reflects a friend. She once remarked that she was on her way to "drive the senior citizens to Bowie." She opened her house to strangers visiting the synagogue when it was necessary for them to be able to walk to the services.

Spivack also recalls that Tillie's independent spirit once led

Margaret Pogorelskin

Margaret Pogorelskin, 81, of Duluth, Minn., died last week. A resident of Greenbelt from 1944 to 1989, she was a first grade teacher in the Prince Georges County School System, including Springhill Lake Elementary, for more than 30 years.

Mrs. Pogorelskin is survived by two daughters, Alexis Pogorelskin of Duluth and Anne Iacangelo of Collingswood, New Jersey; one son Jonathon, of Pacifica, Calif. and 5 grandchildren.

her to wait 3 days until she had finished a trip before going to a doctor to discover that a fall had broken both her shoulder and hip.

She enjoyed swimming in the Greenbelt pools and visiting the library. Activity was the rule of her life, and at Monday's funeral Rabbi Grife told those crowded into the synagogue that this was a theme to emulate. "Think all good all the time," he quoted from Proverbs, adding that those present can learn of life's experiences and should "learn from her life."

Her son Bob summed up her life: "She came into the world, found it, and tinkered with it so that it would be better."

Besides her sons and granddaughter Jennie, she left brothers Harvey, Larry, Morris, Jack and Harry Goldfarb. Burial was at Mt. Lebanon Cemetery in Adelphi. Memorial gifts can be made in her name to the Mishkan Torah Scholarship Fund or to Hunter College.

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—Keep a bag of sand or kitty litter and a shovel in the trunk. It may come in handy if one gets stuck in a snow drift or has traction problems on ice.

—People who must travel should prepare to leave early and allow plenty of extra time to reach their destination.

—Drivers should allow a few minutes to remove all ice and snow from the windows and mirrors and make every effort to

keep it off. Good visibility is essential to a safe journey.

Once in the Car

—When a snow emergency is declared, every effort should be made to avoid driving. If it is necessary to be on the road, be sure the vehicle is equipped with chains, snow tires or radial tires. Even with the required equipment, when roadways are icy or snow covered, one should never expect to drive as if the weather is clear and the road surface is dry.

—At the beginning of the journey, start slowly and gradually. Test the brakes to determine how well the car can stop. Be sure to slow down and prepare to stop long before an intersection or stop sign.

—Drivers should keep a safe distance between their vehicle and others on the road. Packed snow and ice may create a

smooth, glass-like surface beneath tires making it difficult to stop or control the vehicle.

—Bridges and ramps may be especially difficult to navigate. This is because ice forms sooner and remains longer on bridges than on roadways which retain and absorb heat from the sun or frequent automobile traffic.

—Even good drivers can have problems with skidding in poor weather. To maintain control of the vehicle, avoid abrupt changes

in speed or direction.

—The most effective way to slow down or stop is to pump the brakes. Drivers should avoid the impulse of slamming on their brakes which can cause skidding and may cause the brakes to lock, becoming totally ineffective.

—If the car begins to skid, remember: don't panic and don't slam on the brakes. A driver should take his/her foot off the gas pedal and immediately steer in the direction of the skid. For

example, if the rear wheels go toward the right, the front wheels should be turned to the right.

—Motorists should never pass a snow or salt truck! The operator may not see the car or it may get caught on a snow covered edge of a plow. Plus, driving is much easier 20 feet behind the snow emergency vehicle.

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Police Blotter

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

Around 10:30 a.m. on January 30 a man entered the Star Beauty Supply Store, demanded the money in the cash register, and revealed a gun inside his coat. After getting the money, he left the store and then left the area in a car driven by another man. The man with the gun is described as white, 20-30 years old, 5'10", 170 lbs., with brown hair, wearing a beige knee-length coat and a beige round hat. The man driving the car is described as black, 20-30 years old. The car is described as gray, two-door, in bad shape, small, and possibly a Pontiac.

Responding to a complaint of noise at a residence in the 7500 block of Mandan Road around 8:30 p.m. on January 29, officers saw a woman in the apartment hallway crouching down next to a water pipe such as is commonly used to smoke marijuana. The woman, a 33-year-old resident, was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. She was released on citation pending trial.

A 51-year-old nonresident man was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana on January 31, after police stopped his car for a traffic violation in the 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy. Smelling marijuana coming from the car, they subsequently found some inside the car. Appearing before a District Court Commissioner, the man was released pending trial.

A breaking and entering of a residence in the 100 block of Westway was reported on January 22. Entry had been forced; a TV, VCR, and telephones were stolen.

A red, two-door, 1985 Ford

Volunteers Needed

The Visitor Contact Station on Patuxent Wildlife Research Center's North Tract (formerly Ft. Meade) needs more volunteers.

Volunteer staff inform the public about environmental and wildlife-oriented activities on the property. Volunteers must work at least four hours each month, though the average is approximately 10 hours per month. Call Patty Nagel at 498-0334 or (TDD) 410-674-4625 for more information and to register for the next volunteer orientation class.

Tempo, MD tags SZT077, was reported stolen from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road on January 30.

A green 1976 Chevrolet Nova 4S, MD tags ADT682, was reported stolen from the 6200 block of Springhill Drive on February 4.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the 100 block of Centerway, the 500 block of Crescent Road, the 9000 block of Edmonston Road, the 6000, 6100, and 7500 blocks of Greenbelt Road, the 7400 block of Greenway Center Drive, the 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy., the 6300 and 6400 blocks of Ivy Lane, and the 9100 block of Springhill Lane.

Last Week

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the 6000 block of Breezewood Drive, the area of Breezewood Drive and Cherrywood Lane, the 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, the 9200 block of Edmonston Road, the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road, the 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy., the 7800 block of Mandan Road, the 9100 block of Springhill Lane, and the 6100 block of Springhill Terrace.

Queeg to Be Retried For Caine Mutiny

"I'm more concerned about the quality of the play than the size of the audience," Director John DiMeo proclaimed in describing the selection of the "The Caine Mutiny Court Martial," opening this weekend as the winter production of the Greenbelt Arts Center's 1992-93 Play Series. He said that an important advantage of a community-based arts group is its ability to pick good plays, dramatically-exciting plays without the first concern being whether the play will draw a crowd. Not that attracting a good audience is not of interest to the Arts Center which derives the money for its productions from ticket sales as well as memberships and donations, grants and government support.

Director DiMeo does believe the play will be a crowd pleaser. He describes it as a "stretch" and not a play normally performed in local theater. He is, however, pleased with the talented and experienced actors and says that the production is shaping up nicely for its February 12 opening. The play runs Friday and Saturday evenings through February 27, with a special matinee on February 21 (see ad in this week's News Review).

"The Caine Mutiny Court Martial" recreates the World War II drama by Herman Wouk which pitted Captain Queeg against Lt. Mayrk in the famous movie. In the play the drama shifts to the courtroom scenes and focuses on the defense and prosecuting attorneys. Jill Cheilik plays the defense attorney and Norman Grant is cast as the prosecutor. The play is performed in the Council Chambers of the Greenbelt Municipal Building. Seating is limited and reservations are recommended. Call 441-8770 for information and reservations.

Road Runners Marathon

by Larry Noel

Some Greenbelters are organizing the 32nd annual D.C. Road Runners Marathon, a 26.2-mile running race on Sunday, February 14 at 10:30 a.m. This race is one of the oldest races in the country and was started by Hugh Jascourt of Greenbelt. It is an opportunity to qualify for the Boston Marathon as it is on a certified course and Boston accepts our results. Long sleeved T-shirts and awards are given out and it is the D.C. Road Runners Marathon Championship. Even more popular than the marathon is a marathon relay which has been held for four years. The relay is run 9, 8 and 9.2 mile legs and runners may be male or female or COED teams. There is a fee. It's possible entries may be obtained at the Recreation Department or by contacting Bill Brogan at 4204 Breezewood Lane,, Annandale, Va. 22003, phone (703) 256-2327. Relay entries only from George Banker P.O. Box 44053, Ft. Washington, Md. 20749.

Governor's Greenbag Appointments Aired

In addition to their regular monthly meeting, the Prince Georges County Democratic Central Committee will hold a public hearing on the Governor's Greenbag Appointments.

The Committee will hear testimony and receive resumes from those persons interested in being appointed and reappointed to the various state boards and commissions known as the Governor's Greenbag Appointments.

The meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday evening, February 16 at 7:30 in the New Carrollton City Hall located at 6016 Princess Garden Parkway in New Carrollton.

The public is invited to attend.

Girl Scout Cookies On Sale in City

Girl Scouts in Greenbelt will begin their Girl Scout Cookie Booth sales on February 26 and continue sales through March 28 at locations throughout Greenbelt.

Following the area's 30-year tradition and inspired by this year's Cookie Sale program theme "Yes I Can," girls took door-to-door orders in January. Cookies will be delivered and booth sales will begin later this month at Co-op Supermarket, the Post Office, NationsBank, Safeway and Beltway Plaza.

Local troops receive 16 percent of the price. The money raised helps troops conduct their own activities and programs such as organizing community service projects, taking field trips, purchasing equipment and helps them realize that they can be successful through planning, positive attitudes, self confidence and determination.

For information on cookie sales in Greenbelt, call Karen Yoho at 982-9626.

George Welcomes All To Mt. Vernon Home

To celebrate George Washington's 261st birthday, all visitors to Mount Vernon will be admitted free on Monday, February 15, the federal holiday commemorating Washington's birthday. And George Washington himself will be on hand to welcome visitors to his home. The estate will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., with special activities taking place all day.

Throughout the day, "George Washington" will stroll the grounds of the estate to greet his guests. The former president enjoys chatting with visitors and is happy to engage in conversation with young and old. Washington is portrayed by William Sommerfield, who is internationally recognized as the foremost interpreter of George Washington and has performed the role across the country and in Europe.

At 10 a.m. that morning, a special wreathlaying ceremony will be held at George Washington's tomb.

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His comedy routine is entitled "Care for Our Parents... Care for Ourselves."

Everyone is welcome. The program will be held on Sunday, February 21, at 10 a.m.

Call for Nominations For Yearly Award

Prince Georges County Executive Parris Glendening and the Prince Georges County Public Relations Association are calling for nominations for the fifth annual Prince Georgian of the Year Awards.

"The Prince Georgian of the Year Awards are a public tribute to the citizens of Prince Georges County for their lasting contributions in community service, leadership and professional achievement," said Glendening. "The citizens of Prince Georges County continue to demonstrate their commitment to making our community one of the best in the nation."

The deadline for nominations is Monday, February 22. Nominees must be at least 21 years of age. Nominations must be submitted on an official nomination form. Nomination forms may be obtained at local libraries, community centers. For more information, please call the Public Relations Association Office at (301) 925-9592.

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You're the best and that's no lie!!
Love, Susie

To our darling Jo,
Just a note to let you know,
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You've only seen the tip.
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A lovely bloom
Here's to the son
With the messiest
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Our lives with love & joy.
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together & the next
Day comes, I thank God
For the day that has past,
Today, & the day to come.
Thank you for your love,
Your friendship, your
Compassion & understanding,
& for being here with me
& for me. I love you.
Love, your grateful wife,
& best friend, Debbie

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Happy birthday to Lucia!

To my two favorite women,
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Happy Valentine's. Love, Matt
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You are one big guy
We love you. CF, JGMD/DF

To my mysterious window writer
Who leaves the hearts in all
the fog,
And to my love of 13 years
Who reads my thoughts without
dialogue,
And to my silly little peanut
Who leaves my cheeks with
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I give my heart, my soul, my
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For all that you have given me.
Happy Valentine's Day!
Talks and walks and trips and
such
Are times that we keep dear.
Yet no moment matters quite
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When it's Friday and you're
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puter system and said that GHI plans to upgrade the capabilities of its random access memory and hard drive storage. Agreement was not reached on another Audit Committee request to inspect the billing records related to legal services provided the Committee. The Committee had questioned the charges but rejected the proposal that members review the documents in the GHI Building as inconvenient.

Subleasing

The Board has been concerned about the number of units on the market and the percentage of those which are vacant. Despite those concerns, Board members spoke in favor of maintaining the current limitations on subleasing to maintain the "owner-occupied" quality of the community. The Board did agree to a proposal by Director Margaret Hogensens that homeowners be required to make necessary repairs before applying for subleasing authority, thus increasing the likelihood for rental.

At the Library

Monday, February 15—Library Closed—Presidents' Day.
Wednesday, February 17 — Adult book discussion, 2 p.m., Lorene Cary's Black Ice.
Thursday, February 18—Drop-In Storytime. Ages 3-5. 10:15 a.m.

Coop Essay Contest At ERHS Extended

The deadline for the Eleanor Roosevelt High School co-op essay contest has been extended. All entries must be postmarked by March 4. College-bound seniors should contact Ms. Gill at the guidance office immediately.

Students who write essays on co-ops as a form of business are eligible for a \$1,000 local scholarship award and up to \$5,000 in national scholarships.

Greenbelt Homes, Inc., sponsors ERHS and awards the local prize. The National Cooperative Bank of Washington, D.C., awards the national scholarships.

Children's Author To Read at Bookland

Dorothy Bogges, a native of Louisville, Kentucky will be reading her book, "Medley of Travels," at Bookland in Beltway Plaza, Saturday, February 13 at 2 p.m. in celebration of Black History Month.

In addition to reading her own work, Dorothy will read from selected children's short stories and will be available for autographs. All children who attend the story hour will receive a free book from Bookland in honor of African American History.

For additional information, call Henry Gershman at 301-474-0033.

Our Neighbors

by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285
Congratulations to the following students who made the dean's list for the fall semester at their respective colleges: Elizabeth Heaney, James Madison University, Va.; Chia-Ti Kuo, Marymount University, Va.; and Mariesa Hales, Nicholas Jones and Leerin Shields, St. Mary's College of Maryland.

Financing Plan

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cation not included in the cost analysis, Hobbs notes, is that of expanding the city's senior programming and arts programming in the new facility. At a minimum, \$91,000 will be needed to fund three staff persons.

The city has been seeking additional recreation funding assistance from the Maryland-National Capital Parks and Planning Commission (M-NCPPC). The city contends that only 10 percent of the tax funds paid to the M-NCPPC for recreational programs is returned to the city in direct payments/services.

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- DROP DEAD GORGEOUS** **\$79,400**
2 Story addition! Fireplace, skylights, stone creek, Japanese garden and deck. French doors lead to your balcony off the MBR. Private yard backs to woods. Pristine condition. Modern thru-out. You've never seen anything like this one!

- SKYLIGHTS** **\$65,900**
2 Story addition! Cathedral ceilings in sunny living room. Modern kitchen, bath, dishwasher, W/D & fenced yard. Sliding door to deck. Gleaming hardwood floors and extended BR's.
\$3,000 CLOSING HELP!
- BAMBOO FOREST** **\$59,900**
Huge, private corner yard. Updated kitchen extra cabinets, counters & dishwasher. Modern bath. Opened stairway, pretty bedrooms & great storage. Fresh paint and hardwood floors.
- BACKS TO WOODS** **\$63,900**
Florida rm addition overlooks the deck & quiet backyard. Modern kitchen, W/D, updated bath & attic w/stairs for storage.
\$2,000 CLOSING HELP!
- BRICK HOME** **\$85,000**
Loaded modern kitchen has dishwasher and garbage disposal. Separate DR w/built-in shelves, cabinets & plate rails. 3 Ceiling fans, built-in A/C, W/D, fenced backyard with shed and patio.
- IMPECCABLE** **\$69,900**
New thru-out includes: carpet, cabinets, flooring, counters, stove, vent hood, ceramic tile in bath, pedestal sink, tub, vanity and completely painted. Big yard w/fence & shed. Perfection!
- BLOCK END UNIT** **\$78,950**
Attached GARAGE w/heat, W/D and A/C. Big eat-in kitchen has dishwasher, disposal. Backyard is fenced and has a deck.
\$3,000 CLOSING HELP!
- BLOCK HOME & FREE GARAGE** **\$74,900**
New vinyl siding. Beautiful parquet floors! Laundry room addition. Separate dining rm & spacious kitchen. Pretty yard.
\$2,000 CLOSING HELP!
- BRICK UNIT** **\$84,999**
Mature trees in quiet fenced yard. Gorgeous new tile flooring. Sep dining rm. Modern kitchen has new sink/cabinet/counter. New carpet, hdwd flrs, ceiling fans & more. Move-in condition.
- 4 BEDROOMS** **\$69,500**
2 FULL BATHS! Block home has 1st floor addition! Perfect for one level living. Eat-in kitchen, freshly painted, 2 built-in A/C's, lighted fan, W/D, patio, covered deck. Walk to the Center.
\$1,000 CLOSING HELP!

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