GREENBELT

News Review

Closed Monday

The News Review will be closed on Monday, May 25, for the Memorial Day holiday. For this reason, advertising and editorial copy may be brought in only on Tuesday next week. The office will be staffed on Tuesday, May 26, from 2 - 5 and 8 - 10 p.m.

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Thursday, May 21, 1998

Planning Forum Is The Next Step For Citizens To Help Form Plan

by Elaine Skolnik and Virginia Beauchamp

The Prince George's Planning Board will host a public forum on Thursday, May 28 to invite citizen comment on ideas for future development of the land area around the Greenbelt station of the Metro Green Line and the adjoining A. H. Smith property.

The meeting, concerning "A Sector Plan (Master Plan Amendment) and a Concurrent Sectional Map Amendment for the Greenbelt Metro Area," will take place in the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission's (M-NCPPC) Department of Parks and Recreation Building, 6600 Kenilworth Ave., Riverdale, from 7 to 9 p.m. The building is a short south of distance Kenilworth-Paint Branch Parkway intersection.

The forum will offer residents from Berwyn Heights, College Park and Greenbelt (the municipalities adjacent to the site in question) an opportunity to comment on recommendations made in the January 1998 Greenbelt Metro Area Study (GMAS) report. They will also be able to view exhibits, including maps of existing zoning, land uses, and environmental features.

The meeting will include presentations on the goals, concepts and guidelines governing the January 1998 study. A staff presentation, brief remarks by public officials, and an overview of a program allowing for further public participation will be included in the evening's agenda.

History of the Study
The study itself was developed

between April and December

carrying out the visions and planning strategies developed by the GMAS for development and redevelopment of the Metro station area. The focus group decided on this approach since it would "comprehensively address community-wide issues and offer effective community involvement."

Citizens Commended

Prince George's County Councilwoman Audrey Scott, who rep-

ACE Awards Bestowed On Local Students

by Mary Moien

The Advisory Committee on Education (ACE) presented their fourth annual student awards program at the beginning of the Greenbelt City Council meeting on April 27. Leta Mach, chair of ACE, introduced the awardees two from each of seven schools attended by Greenbelt students as their neighborhood school. Mach commented: "The young people we will meet tonight have all made special contributions to their community whether it be the individual school or the community at large." A reception preceded the meeting, which was standing room only, with large numbers of students, family, and school fac-

Each award winner at the elementary and middle-school level received a book certificate from Bookland in Beltway Plaza. Bookland also participates in the ACE Buy-a-Book Program that gives citizens an opportunity to purchase books that local school libraries need and want. The Greenbelt Lions also donated The Greenbelt Game to each winner.

This year, for the first time, two recipients from Eleanor Roosevelt High School are receiving ACE scholarships, made possible by donations from County Council Member Audrey Scott, the Prince George's Gazette, and the City of Greenbelt.

Although longer citations were read, a brief statement is included for each student.

Student Winners

Mary Fominaya - Greenbelt Elementary. Mary deals successfully with the problems of young children and has an outstanding sense of responsibility and a delightful sense of humor.

Gary Stewart - Greenbelt Elementary. Gary has become a strong student leader, has been elected class representative on the Greenbelt Advisory Board (student council), and is on the school honor roll.

Rigoberto Guerrero Springhill Lake Elementary.
Rigoberto exerts energy and quality time to his classwork and homework. He is a safety patrol, a peer mediator and participates in the band program.

Maya Steward - Springhill Lake Elementary. Maya is involved in community work, is a peer tutor and always exudes pride and dedication to all her activities.

Usman Mohammed - Magnolia Elementary, Usman participates fully in all activities and is a joy to teach. He works cooperatively with others and was recently named class Student of the Month.

Lynette Smith - Magnolia Elementary. Lynette, with her ready smile, sunny disposition and cheerful demeanor, is liked by everyone. She is helpful to her peers as well as adults.

Marcus Terry - Greenbelt Middle. Marcus is an honest and conscientious student who has demonstrated a high degree of See ACE, page 13

Public Comments

Public comments for the Planning Board's May 28 public forum on the Sector Plan/SMA may be sent to Elizabeth M. Hewlett, chair, Prince George's County Planning Board, 14741 Governor Oden Bowie Dr., Upper Marlboro, MD 20772-3050. To sign up to speak at the forum call 301-952-4584.

Brochures may be obtained from the City of Greenbelt.

1997 by a study focus group, including representatives of community organizations, property owners, and the municipalities of Berwyn Heights, College Park, and Greenbelt. It was led by an M-NCPPC planning team. Councilmember Thomas White and Community Planning Director Terri Hruby represented Greenbelt.

As a result of their work, the group concluded that the Sector Plan with a concurrent Sectional Map Amendment would be the most effective planning tool for resents the district encompassing Greenbelt and Bowie, urged community attendance at the May 28 forum. "It is important," she said, "for residents to attend the forum and to learn as much as they can about this complex issue. Then they will have all the information needed to help in the decision-making process." Scott described previous participation by citizen volunteer members of the focus group as "extraordinary." She observed that their commitment and intense research, See PLANNING, page 10

Recreation Coordinator Funding Sought for Community Center

by Betsy Likowski

"Recreation should not be looked at as a frill," as the benefits are numerous to the health of individuals and the economy, said the Director of the Recreation Department Hank Irving. An upbeat picture of a thriving department was presented by Irving and other recreation staff members at the review of the Fiscal Year 1999 (FY99) recreation department budget on Thursday, May 14. The biggest challenge is the department's continued growth and the biggest need is for a recreation coordinator at the department's biggest facility, the Community Center, Irving said. The picture presented was of a department tuned to the fiscal realities and making efforts to be self-supporting where possible. The two biggest facilities earn enough revenues to offset the costs at a much larger percentage than was ever predicted when they were opened. The Aquatic and Fitness Center brings in enough revenue to offset 92% of its operating costs and, at the Community Center, 68%. It has been conservatively estimated that volunteers provide over \$2 million in services, said Irving. And \$1.3 million are generated in users fees to offset city expenditures, he continued. In FY99 the proposed budget for recreation and parks is \$3,232,100 which is up from \$3,181,600 last year.

Community Center

The usage of the Community Center has been strong and is growing, said Community Center Supervisor Joseph McNeal. We have "more use than we know what to deal with," he continued. The proposed budget for FY99 is \$552,400, virtually the same as last year.

The heavy usage means urgent needs to keep up with the work load. McNeal said he could use both a maintenance person and a recreation coordinator. And if you had to choose? queried Mayor Judith Davis. The coordinator would be his choice, he answered, so as to provide seven day a week coverage. By way of illustration he cited the example of Harmony Hall which is of similar size and is run by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission. It has five full time staffers (excluding office support staff) as compared to the Community Center's one recreation coordinator. "The work load for us is tremendous..." said McNeal, "I'm putting out fires all day."

Other needs unmet in the bud-

get as it currently stands are for curtains for the gym stage, a photo copier, and new printer. The latter two are desperately needed, said McNeal, for not only does the recreation staff use them, but as a courtesy so do city advisory boards and other groups like Greenbelt Intergenerational Volunteer Exchange Service (GIVES).

In the budget are funds for more security cameras and to re-

See RECREATION page 5

What Goes On

Tues., May 26, 7 p.m. A.C.E. Meeting, Municipal Building

8 p.m. City Council Meeting and Budget Adoption, Municipal Building

Wed., May 27, 8 p.m.
Public Information Meeting
on Beavers. Community
Center

Thurs., May 28, 7-9 p.m. Public Forum for Greenbelt Metro area: 6600 Kenilworth Ave. Riverdale, Md. 20737

Sat., May 30, 10 a.m. American Legion Memorial Day Observance. Veterans' War Memorial, Centerway

Greenbelt to Celebrate Pedestrian Safety Month

In response to citizen requests and concerns, the City of Greenbelt has proclaimed the month of June as Pedestrian Safety Month. "Greenbelt Celebrates Pedestrian Safety -Walk Smart/Drive Smart" banners will hang at different locations throughout the month. The banners are intended to make both pedestrians and drivers more aware of their responsibilities to assure pedestrian safety. They have been funded by the State Highway Administration.

In addition to the banners, the city will hold several pedestrian safety activities on Saturday, June 6 as part of its Greenbelt Day Weekend celebration. With the assistance of the Greenbelt Walking Club, the city will hold a "Fun Walk" that will incorporate many of the city's underpasses and overpasses to encourage their use. The walk is open to all and will begin at the front lawn of the Greenbelt Community Center at 8:30 a.m. Walkers can register at the site. At the conclusion of the walk, there

will be light refreshments. Greenbelt Police officers will be available to talk to children about pedestrian and bicycle safety on the front lawn of the Community Center. A "Not for Seniors Only" forum entitled "Survival Skills for the Pedestrian" will be held at the Community Center Multi-Purpose room from 1 -3 p.m. Informational brochures and reflective armbands will be available at this event.

Other activities throughout the month will include a rhyming slogan contest to capture the attention of both drivers and pedestrians. An entry form appears in this issue of the News Review and is also online at www.ci.greenbelt.md.us. Dropboxes for entries will be placed at several locations throughout the city. Winning slogans will be placed on boards throughout the city. The Greenbelt Police Department will also hold pedestrian safety assemblies in Greenbelt's elementary schools. These assemblies will be videotaped and shown on Greenbelt's Municipal Access Channel.

Now It's Our Turn!

Now it's our turn - the turn for every resident of Greenbelt, and nearby communites, and representative of every civic group and organization within these environs. We now have an opportunity to voice our concerns about the future of almost the last remaining piece of undeveloped land in our neighborhood -the Greenbelt Metro Station area and adjacent A.H. Smith property west of the Beltway Plaza.

During the past 13 months, two processes have been occurring to deal with development of this land. One is a planning procedure involving professional land-use experts and representatives of citizen organizations, local businesses and municipalities - the Greenbelt station area focus study group. The other has been a semi-secret series of meetings involving county and state politicians and representatives of the owners of the properties to accelerate, and perhaps find a way to circumvent, the usual rezoning process (CB-35). Because of the hard work of the Greenbelt City Council and staff — the zoning committee of the Prince George's County Council, in a fast-track legislative thrust, was persuaded to amend the original rezoning proposal. However, the direction of future legislation may depend on the strength and quality of citizen responses to both these initiatives.

A good turn-out of citizens for the May 28 public forum on the WMATA/Smith property is vital. Changes affecting the quality of life of every citizen of Greenbelt is in the offing, depending upon decisions soon to be made. For example, traffic along Greenbelt Rd., Kenilworth Ave., Cherrywood Lane, and the nearby Beltway - already congested - could become intolerable. The delicate watershed of nearby streams and the Anacostia River could deteriorate further. Whether an upscale department store, highrise office buildings, a motel, or residences will occupy the site, and whether greenspace will be part of the mix, can have consequences regarding noise and pollution.

This is why the types of development proposed for the subject sites and proposed access to the property itself must be carefully contemplated. Careless development for quick financial return could result in an environmental disaster for those who live nearby. Thus, the May 28 meeting may offer the best chance to learn about these important issues, to speak about them, and to affect outcomes. It is said that those who do not vote in elections get the kind of government they deserve. It can also be stated that those who do not voice their concerns when the opportunity comes, get the kind of urban environment they deserve! Here is our opportunity. We urge your attendance at the meeting.

Greenbelt Students Receive Awards

The following Greenbelt students received awards at Eleanor Roosevelt's Awards Assembly on May 11: Joanne Alpano, 2nd Place Grand Prize, ERHS Science & Technology Fair; Kimberly Brown, Academic Achievement Award, National Achievement Award; Brian Dubose, Excellence in Technology Award; Pam Griffiths, Rotary Club of Greenbelt Award; Matt Hamlin, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Education Award; Charles Hom, Outstanding Artist -Service Award, Yearbook Award; Seung Kim, Rensselaer Award; Chris Lippincott, Prince George's County Board of Realtors Poster Award; Lafayette Melton, Outstanding Physical Education Award; Christina Mortenson, Rhode Island School of Design Book Award; Amy Putens, Peer Mediation Award; Elizabeth Reed, Academic Achievement Award, National Merit Finalist, English Award, Outstanding Science Award, Tandy Scholar, Sons of the American Revolution Award; Lisa Song, PTSA Scholarship; Lena Troncoso, National Hispanic Scholar; Jenna Williams, PTSA. Scholarship, Skolnik Award; Chanea Wilson, Outstanding WorkStudy Student; Meadow Wirick, Advisory Committee on Education Award, Social Studies Department Award; and Estelle Yoo, Academic Achievement Award.

Correction

The picture accompanying the article "GHI Employees' Kids Amazed by Work Day" published on page 5 in the May 14 issue was taken by GHI employee Betty Cookson.

City Notes

The voting booths for the GHI election were moved to the Community Center. Potholes on Northway were repaired. Flags were lowered in memory of fallen police officers. Trees which had been donated to the city by GHI through the Adopt-a-Tree program were planted along Hamilton Place. Picnic tables and a grill were delivered to several city locations for Memorial Day weekend.

Letters to the Editor

A Delightful Tribute

The "A.J." letter was delightful: it was stimulating; it was even inspiring. I don't know much about the family or the author. I wish I did!

When so much we read, see and hear is about drugs, shootings, knifings, murder, illegitimacy, uncontrolled teen behavior, theft, hold-up, highjacking, and on, and on, this tribute is an unique and welcome look at the other side which we so seldom hear or read about.

How I wish such a tribute could always overshadow the noxious news we are being forcefed by much of the "news me-

Lorraine Kirker Hiatt

Say No to Parkside

One of the first concepts taught to political science majors in college is that exclaves are a bad idea.

At a minimum, they are not cost effective (Alaska), and at worst they are perilous (Danzig).

If Parkside at Greenbelt is annexed, eventually pipes and roads thru Greenbelt Park will be built and the park will be developed.

Michael J. Boone

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Fri., 5:15 (All seats \$3.00)

7:30, 9:40

Sat., Sun., 5:15 (All seats \$3.00)

7:30, 9:40

Mon. - 5:15, 7:30

(All seats \$3.00)

Tues.-Thurs.-7:30

http://www.pgtheatres.com/

Pedestrian Safety Month Rhyming Slogan Contest

"Life is Great, Life is Sweet, Just be Careful, When you Cross the Street"

Now it's your turn! As part of Pedestrian Safety Month, the City of Greenbelt is holding a safety slogan contest. Winning pedestrian safety slogans will be placed on boards throughout the city during this month. Submit your rhyming slogan on the lines below and drop it off at the Youth Center, the Community Center or the

City Offices by June 1st. You may also mail it to Beverly Palau, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770 or e-mail it to bpalau@ci.greenbelt.md.us.

Name

Slogan:

GREENBELT CELEBRATES PEDESTRIAN SAFETY WALK SHART AND SHART

Phone #

David Craig Memorial Scholarship Awarded

The David Craig Memorial Scholarship Fund, Ltd. is proud to announce the awarding of its 12th annual scholarship to a college-bound senior from Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

This scholarship fund was established in the memory of David R.S. Craig, a 1979 Eleanor Roosevelt graduate from Greenbelt.

The scholarship committee sincerely thanks all organizations and citizens who contributed to allow a dream to become a reality, as well as participating in the molding of a "role model" for tomorrow.

We wish this year's scholarship recipient, Shaunte Hines, success in developing fully his own potential as an individual and as a responsible member of our commu-

> The 1998 David Craig Memorial Scholarship Fund, Ltd.

Nominate Outstanding Senior Citizen Now

Know a senior citizen who is actively involved in the community, respected, and considered an asset? If so, the Evelyn Cole Senior Center is providing the opportunity to acknowledge and honor that special person.

Nominate a favorite senior for Outstanding Senior Citizen (selfnominations are acceptable). Nominator must call for an application packet and be prepared to submit a 100 word (or less) es-

For further information or to obtain a packet, call 301-386-5525; TTY 301-249-9223.

This program is sponsored by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Department of Parks and Recreation, Prince George's County.

Discover Herb Color Dyes

Discover how plants deliver amazing color dyes at an informal, free, drop-in session for all ages on May 30 and 31, 1-3 p.m. in the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum.



City of Greenbelt City Council **Public Information Meeting** on Beaver Management

Wednesday, May 27, 1998 Greenbelt Community Center Multi-Purpose Room

This meeting is for the purpose of presenting information and soliciting public input on the presence of beavers at Buddy Attick Park. This session will aid the City Council in establishing a policy on the presence of beavers in the park.

The meeting will begin with a presentation by William Bridgeland followed by questions and answers . Mr. Bridgeland is a Wildlife Biologist with 14 years experience who has been hired by the city to observe the beavers at the lake and advise it in this matter. He has advised numerous other communities on similar matters.

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DEADLINES: Display Ads—10 p.m. Monday; Letters, articles and other ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community-Center 15 Crescent Road during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$32/year.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., 8 - 10 p.m.; Tuesday 8-10 p.m. Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.

Community Events

GIVES Annual Meeting Scheduled for June 6

The next Annual Meeting of GIVES will be on Saturday, June 6, at 10 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Road. (The Golden Age Club Flea Market is on the same day at Roosevelt Center, but it starts at 8 a.m., giving time to do both.) To request a ride to the meeting from GIVES volunteers, call 301-507-6580 any weekday morning.

Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

There will be two speakers at the Golden Age Club meeting on Wednesday, May 27, at 11 a.m. in the Multi-purpose Room of the Greenbelt Community Center. Brian Marabito and L.J. Alefantis will address the relevant topics of long-term health care, and senior retirement and asset protection.

The Club thanks Lt. Greg Gigliotti and his assistants from the Greenbelt Fire Department for presenting the program "Getting Out Alive" at the Wednesday, May 13, meeting. The four points stressed about a house fire are: 1. Its black smoke makes it impossible to see; 2. Smoke - it can kill you; 3. Heat - can kill in 2 - 5 minutes; 4. Time there's no time to worry about anything except getting out and alerting others to do the same. Detailing these points and giving examples, the firemen advised on being prepared: Have a fire drill in your home; keep your smoke alarms in working order, plus in certain cases more than one smoke alarm is advised; and having other helpful items such as fire extinguishers and flashlights kept in strategic places.

Flea market workers are needed now to help with the sorting and pricing. Help is also needed on June 6, the day of the Golden Age Flea Market, which is scheduled from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Roosevelt Center. Donations are still in order; take them to the Senior Lounge at the Community Center.

See a member of the Travel Committee at the meeting for information on future trips. They are working hard to please the membership.

The Prince George's County Senior Picnic will be held at Watkins Glen Park on Wednesday, May 27.

Have fun!

New Deal Café Closed Saturday, May 23

The New Deal Café will be closed on Saturday, May 23, due to lack of staffing. It will be open on Friday, May 22.

New Deal Cafe

Open Fri & Sat



Music 8:30 pm No cover

May 22 - Open Mike May 23 - Closed (No Staff) May 29 - TBA

May 30 - Brothers McMullin

Donations for Musicians Encouraged Greenbelt Community Center (301) 474-5642

Recreation Review

Summer Basketball Sign-Ups for Youth

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is currently accepting team registration for its Summer Youth Basketball League. League competition begins on June 6 and will feature games on Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. For additional information, please contact Austin Gibbs at 301-397-2200.

Here's Camelot!

by Penny Martin

Hear ye! Hear ye! The Mistress of the Revels (Penny Martin) calls on gentles and ladies of all degrees to come to a Faire on the grounds of Camelot (sometimes known as the Greenbelt Arts Center). If you come to see "Connecticut Yankee at King Arthur's Court" early you may join a medieval faire with gypsies, fortunetellers, magicians, and diverse entertainments. You may also meet a fair lady and a page or two. The Faire will be held on May 29 & 30, June 5, 6 & 7, June 12, 13 & 14, and June 19 & 20. Call the Greenbelt Arts Center at 301-441-8770 for additional information. The merriment will begin 45 minutes before show time, until ..

Thanks to the creative talents of (in alphabetical order): Barchan (knight), Marika Ets (lady), Trina Fisher (puppeteer), Stacie Hering (story teller), Diana Hugue (juggler), Jennifer Kersey (minstrel), Heather Martin (page), Penny Martin (ribbon seller), Heather Norden (lady), Alex Segarro (page), Jenny Simmons (fortuneteller), Kendra Simmons (gypsy), Cara Snyder (storyteller), Julia Snyder (magician), Debbie Taylor (thespian), and Terry Unger (fortuneteller). Every performance will be a new and colorful event. So come one, come all, and let the Revels begin!

Come Walk a Dog In Greenbelt Park

Enjoy the sights and sounds of spring with a dog. Greenbelt Park, a unit of the National Park Service, is conducting a two mile pet walk on Sunday, May 31, at 1 p.m. This walk is limited to seven people, one dog per person. Dogs must be leashed. Please bring a bag or scoop to pick up after the dog. Meet at the Rangers Station.

For reservations or information, please call Greenbelt Park at 301-344-3944.

At the Library

Children's Programs: Wednesday, May 27, 7 p.m., P.J. Storytime, ages 4 - 6. Thursday, May 28, 10:15 a.m., Teddy Bears' Picnic, ages 2 - 5 and families. Bring a favorite teddy bear or other stuffed animal.

Take a Fitness Walk In Greenbelt Park

Discover the tranquility of Greenbelt Park. Join a Park Ranger on a two-mile walk through Greenbelt Park on Saturday, May 23 at 2 p.m. Meet at the Sweetgum picnic area.

For information please call Greenbelt Park at 301-344-3944.

Greenbelt Little League Standings

as of 5/19/98

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	Tigers	3-2	Lions	2-1
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	Thurs. May	28 6 p.r	m. Lions	@ A's
	Fri. May 29			@ Indians
		8 p.r	n.Coaches Al	Star Game
	Sat. May 30	10 a.r	m. AL Pro	actice

1 p.m.

Sat. May 31 2 p.m.

NL Practice

All Star Game

SPRING FAIR The Greenbelt Elementary PTA

Greenbelt Elementary PTA
Spring Fair is Coming on May 30,
from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Games, Finger Nail Painting, Food and a Silent Auction to mention a few events. If there are any questions, please call Kathy Kerdock 301-345-6387 Thank You!



City of Greenbelt Memorial Day Holiday Service Schedule

CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 25, 1998 FOR THE MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY

The Greenbelt Connection will not operate that day.

There will be no refuse and recycling collection.

Monday collections will be made on Tuesday.
Tuesday collections will be made on Wednesday.
Wednesday collections will be made on Thursday.
Thursday collections will be made on Friday.
No yard debris or appliance pickup on Friday.

For more information call the Department of Public Works at 301-474-8000, the Greenbelt Connection at 301-474-8100 or visit Greenbelt CityLink at http://www.ci.greenbelt.md.us



EXECUTIVE SESSION MUNICIPAL BUILDING LIBRARY May 26, 1998 - 7:30 P.M.

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL MUNICIPAL BUILDING COUNCIL ROOM MAY 26, 1998 - 8:00 P.M.

- I. ORGANIZATION
 - 1. Call to Order
 - 2. Roll Call
 - Meditation and
 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
 - Consent Agenda Approval of Staff
 Recommendations

(The consent agenda consists of those items which have asterisks (*) placed beside them, subject to such revisions as may be made by the Council prior to approval)

- 5. Approval of Agenda and Additions
- II. COMMUNICATIONS
 - 6. Presentations
 - Proclamation "Pedestrian Safety Month"
 - Proclamation "Memorial Day"
 - 7. Petitions and Requests

(Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless the standing rules are waived by the Council)

- 8. Minutes of Meetings
 - 9. Administrative Reports
- * 10. Committee Reports
 - Arts Advisory Board Report #98-1
 - Youth Advisory Committee Report
- III. LEGISLATION
 - 11. Adoption of the Budget
 - 12. An Ordinance to Adopt the General Fund, Debt Service Fund,
 Replacement Fund, Temporary Disability Reserve Fund,
 Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund, Green Ridge
 House Fund, Capital Projects Fund, and Community Development Block Grant Fund Budgets for the City of Greenbelt,
 Maryland, to Appropriate Funds and Establish Real Estate
 and Personal Property Tax Rates for the Fiscal Year
 1999, Beginning July 1, 1998 and Including June 30, 1999
 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
 - 2nd Reading, Final Passage
 - A Resolution Extending the Terms of the Cable Franchise
 Granted to Jones Communications of Maryland, Inc.
 Authorizing the Construction, Operation and Maintenance
 of a Cable Television System in the City of Greenbell.

 2nd Reading
 - A Resolution to Repeal Resolution 863 and Establish New Service Charges for Garbage, Trash and Recycling Collection in the City of Greenbelt, Maryland Effective July 1, 1998.
 1st Reading
- IV. OTHER BUSINESS
 - 15. Selection of Tree for Roosevelt Center Renovation
 - 16. FY 1999 Program Open Space Annual Program
 - 17. Parking Management Study
- * 18. Amendment to 457 Deferred Compensation Plan
- * 19. Review of Hanover Parkway Bollards
- 20. Resignation from Advisory Committee on Education
- V. MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend. For information, please call 301-474-3870. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) to request such accommodation before 10:00 am on the day of the meeting.

Check out the Greenbelt CityLink website at www.ci.greenbelt.md.us

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David E. Moran, City Clerk

A Letter for Davy

Dear Davy,

You were my first grandson and oh what a happy day it was on the day you were born. There were complications at birth that sent you to Children's Hospital. You struggled for ten days to stay in this world. God gave you something special then. He gave you compassion and the exceptional ability to forgive. Oh my darling, I wish I had half of that ability to forgive. I miss you so much. I miss your smiles, your visits, and most of all I miss your hugs and kisses, and hearing you say "I love you Mom Ma," No one can take those memories from me.

I'm sure you accepted death as you did your life. You never blamed anyone for the unfortunate things that happened to you. I wish I could be as forgiving as you. I am not. I am angry at the unfounded, malicious gossip since your death. It seems everyone has a story of your death, and claims it as fact. Even your obituary was taken from an article in the Washington Post by someone who did not know you, and obviously made little effort to get any information about you. It seems that many people want to appear as if they know how you spent your last moments. They can no longer hurt you. I'm not sure of their motivation. Perhaps the one thing you had that maybe they don't, is a family that loved you very much. I can only hope that they never have the experience of losing a loved one the way we lost you. Rest in peace my precious, Davy.

Floy (Mom Ma) Boswell

Editor's Note: Floy Boswell's grandson, Davy Boswell, died in March. The obituary mentioned was in the April 30 issue of the News Review.

Discover Herbs At Arboretum

Discover an array of herbs used for fragrance at an informal, free, drop-in session for all ages. The session will be held in the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum on May 23 and 24 from 1-3 p.m.

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

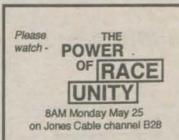
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OBITUARIES

Francis E. Furgang

Former Greenbelt Junior High School principal Francis Ellsworth Furgang, 87, of Bowie died of congestive heart failure on May 10 at Doctors Community Hospital.

Mr. Furgang was principal at Greenbelt Junior High School for 19 years until his retirement in 1973. Before that he was vice principal of Hyattsville Junior High School and Northwestern High School. Earlier he was a science teacher and baseball coach at Mt. Rainier Junior High

Born in Washington, he grew up in Cheltenham. He was graduated from Brandywine High School, Blue Ridge Junior College in New Windsor, Md., and the University of Maryland. He also received a Master's degree in education from the University of Maryland.

Mr. Furgang started out as a laboratory assistant at the Cheltenham Magnetic Observatory for the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey in the mid-1930s. He entered the Naval Reserve and later served in Pearl Harbor and Midway Island during World War

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Lamphier Furgang of Bowie; daughters Bette Beryl McKown Dedrick and husband Andrew Dedrick of Columbia and Linda Kay Kelly and husband Bruce Kelly of Bowie; sister Katharine Gardner; sister-in-law, Mary Furgang; grandchildren Sean and Tim Kelly, Andrew J., Amy and Maggie Dedrick. Two brothers, John and Leonard Furgang, preceded him in death.

A homegoing was celebrated

American Legion **Honors War Dead**

The Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 invites all citizens to honor the memory of all patriotic Americans who gave their lives in the military service of this nation, as well as other loyal citizens who served our country. The Memorial Day service will be held Saturday, May 30 at the War Memorial on Centerway at 10 a.m. After the service, all are invited to the traditional Post buffet. If the weather is inclement, meet at the Post Home. For further information call 301-345-

Nature Programs Offered at Refuge

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Patuxent Research Refuge -North Tract offers a number of education programs for the first half of June.

All programs are free but require advance registration. Please call 410-674-3304 for information. Patuxent Research Refuge's North Tract is located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32.

Wednesday, June 3, 2-3 pm ages 5-12. Explore the different ways insects are adapted to their

Beavers: Makers of the Marsh

Thursday, June 4, 2-3;30 pm ages 5-12. Discover how beavers create marshes and how they are adapted to their environment.

on Sunday, May 17 at Trinity Assembly of God Church, 7800 Good Luck Rd., Lanham, Md. 20706. Memorial contributions may be made to the Francis Furgang Memorial Fund, in care of the church. Arrangements were made by Gasch's Funeral

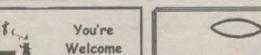
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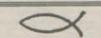
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Sunday, May 31 (meet at St. Hugh's School parking lot, 6:00 a.m.)

Cancer Survivors Honored in County

On May 30 at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, the American Cancer Society's Prince George's County Unit will honor area survivors among the approximately eight million Americans with a history of cancer who are alive today.

1998 marks the third year Prince George's County has honored cancer survivors and the first time the special program will be a part of the American Cancer Society's 24-hour national signature celebration of survivorship, "Relay for Life." Events will include an inaugural survivors lap and a special dusk luminary ceremony honoring all those who have battled successfully and unsuccessfully against this disease.

"Relay" raised more than half

Strawberry Festival At Berwyn Church

An old fashioned strawberry festival will be held June 6, at 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - rain or shine - at the Berwyn Presbyterian Church, 6301 Greenbelt Road, College Park. In addition to strawberry shortcake, there will be strawberry sundaes, children's games, a bake sale, white elephant and plant sale and an auction. For more information call 301-577-2119 or 301-262-7654.

a million dollars in 1997 for Washington area communities, which was spent at area research institutions to improve cancer treatments, education programs empowering Washingtonians to lower their cancer risk, and service programs helping neighbors

Berwyn Presbyterian Church 6301 Greenbelt Road

Sunday School Worship Service

9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

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RECREATION

(Continued from page 1)

locate existing ones. McNeal shared the good news that funding has been obtained for work on the windows.

Aquatic and Fitness Center

It is estimated that revenues from admissions and classes will be \$679,000 in FY99 and that would offset 92% of the estimated expenses of \$734,300. Assistant Director Harry James explained the department's philosophy is to have a user supported facility and, in comparison, pools overall are 55% self-supporting.

Shutting down the facility completely for a week right after Labor Day is proposed. "The small things need to be fixed up, but you can't get to them except after hours," explained Aquatic and Fitness Center Supervisor George Rogala. In comparison he said, Fairland pool closes down for two to three weeks a year.

Other maintenance projects are: replace the men's lockers with stainless steel lockers, replace carpet in the hallway and lobby with non-skid tile (\$12,000), and more lights for the perimeter (\$10,000). The latter two items are not in the budget and would have to be added by council.

Use of the pool this fiscal year is expected to be almost the same as last year with 45,000 residents, 40,000 nonresidents, 10,000 senior residents and 10,000 senior nonresidents. Nonresidents are charged more than Greenbelt citizens and council members made it clear they want it that way.

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Schrom Hills Park

Schrom Hills Park has become more popular than the Lake Park for picnicking, said Irving, because of the restrooms and the ease of parking. All the Saturdays are booked up for the next 14 weeks, added James. Last fiscal year 91 permits were taken for use of the park and in FY99 it is estimated 100 permits will be taken out. The expense at Schrom Hills Park is the upkeep of the two buildings, for which \$10,100 is allocated in FY99.

The two ball fields there are well used. Building the two fields has not added to the overall number of ball fields in the city, said Irving, since the city has lost the use of one at Greenbelt Elementary School and at Springhill Lake.

Recreation Centers

The Youth Center and the Springhill Lake Recreation Center are the department's two other large buildings. It is estimated that 68,900 people will participate in activities in FY99 at the Youth Center and 58,000 at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center; for FY99 \$192,800 is proposed for the former and \$169,300 for the latter. A computer lab will be created in the Youth Center using surplus equipment. At Springhill Lake the focus is to include area residents in everything that goes on in the city. A big problem for the recreation department is getting out the word about the programs the department offers.

Miscellaneous

The recreation department offers classes and programs for people with special needs, such

Pre-Need Counseling

By Appointment

Cremation

Service

as the disabled and elderly and \$87,800 is proposed in the FY99 budget for these programs. Children who had attended Camp Horizon and Camp Sunshine will now attend other summer camps with assistance from inclusion counselors.

The department offers a large number of classes, recreational and cultural activities that are self-supporting. The programs are offered only if there are enough participants to pay the cost of the instructors. For the upcoming fiscal year it is estimated that the expenses of \$213,300 will be more than covered by revenues of an estimated \$265,000. This is in line with actual costs and revenues of previous fiscal years.

Other programs in which the department participates include holiday events, permits for use of parks, ball leagues, and monies contributed to local recreational and arts groups. The amount budgeted for FY99, \$138,700, is in line with previous years. The biggest portion of this is \$54,900 to groups. The biggest beneficiaries are Boys and Girls Club

(\$13,000) and Greenbelt Arts Center (\$15,800). Chris White, representing the Greenbelt Dog Park Association, was present at the budget worksession to ask for assistance.

Administration of the recreation programs and other operating expenses are proposed to be \$395,400 in FY99. Computer problems have beset the department. The computers in the different facilities work at a slow

Our Neighbors

Our sympathy to Joyce Beck, kindergarten teacher at Greenbelt Elementary School, on the death of her husband, Earl Beck.

speed when they are dealing with the Youth Center computers. A big storm at the end of April knocked out the line between the Youth Center and Community Center for a week.

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The Adventures Continue!

by Ryan Otero

With the Wizard of Oz, they traveled from Kansas to Oz; in Peter Pan, from London to Never-Never Land; and now, from England to Narnia, in this year's Greenbelt Arts Center Youth Players production, C.S. Lewis' The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe. This magical story of four children's adventure into a beautiful and mysterious land called Namia, is sure to capture the hearts of young and old alike. The children have found a secret passage through an old wardrobe, into a land where animals speak,

Crowley & Jessica Baker) and Tummus the fawn (Mike Matthews). Will the White Witch keep control of Narnia? Will the children be taken under her control? Will this fairy tale have a happy ending? To find out, come and see The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe. This year the children (ages 8-18) have taken on the immense responsibility not only of acting in the show, but of producing (Terry Unger), directing (Laura Fisher) and constructing the set (Dianna Hugue). There is so much joy in their eyes when they get to see

the show progressing so quickly.

Come and see what kids can re-

ally do! The show plays for one

weekend only, Saturday, June 6 at

2 p.m. and Sunday, June 7 at 7

p.m. Parents bring your kids and

kids bring your parents-this

show promises fun for everyone.

For information and tickets call

the Greenbelt Arts Center at 301-



The children have encountered the Evil White Witch.....will they survive and return home? From left to right Heather Norden, Dave Tibudoux, Marika Ets, Emily Finkelstein, and Max Alvision.

Christmas is forbidden, and an evil witch abuses her power, evoking fear in all. The Evil White Witch (Heather Norden) does not want any humans in Narnia, and has the perfect opportunity to get rid of them when she tricks young Edmund (Max Alvision) into bringing his brother Peter (Dave Tibudoux) and his two sisters, Susan (Marika Ets) and Lucy (Emily Finkelstein) to her castle. Meanwhile, the old King of Narnia, Aslan, is planning to take back the throne. There even are many animals to help along the way, Mr. and Mrs. Beaver (Jesse

Tap Ensemble Seeks Volunteers

The National Tap Ensemble is seeking experienced ushers, stage hands and box office volunteers for the Maryland on Tap! festival in Beltsville. Featuring the National Tap Dance Company and co-sponsored by the Prince George's Arts Council, this festival will be held from May 25-31. To receive an application, call 301-864-TAPS, fax 301-864-2862 or visit the company's web site at www.usatap.org.

Volunteer Maryland Hosts Local Meeting

Find out how Volunteer Maryland (VM) can help nonprofits create or expand a volunteer program. An AmeriCorps program, VM has partnered with over 200 nonprofit and government organizations to develop successful volunteer programs in the areas of education, human needs, public safety and the environment. Attend one of these information sessions to learn how to become a VM site partner. The one nearest Greenbelt is at Beltsville on June 2, at 9 a.m. at High Point High School

For more information call 410-514-7270.

Pullen Presents World Premiere

Thomas Pullen Arts Magnet School, a Prince George's County public school, presents Tales of The Bay-Historical Sketches of the Chesapeake, by James L. Hosay, on Friday, May 29, at 8 p.m. in Queen Anne Auditorium, Prince George's Community College, Largo. The concert is free and open to the public. In addition to the world premiere of Hosay's work, the Thomas Pullen Arts Magnet Middle School bands will perform works by Anne McGinty and others, as well as an arrangement of popular tunes.

The bands commissioned Hosay's Tales of the Bay at the initiative of Katherine A. Rodeffer, music department chair and band director at Thomas Pullen Arts Magnet School. About this unusual commission, she comments, "I have always felt it is important to add works of quality to band literature and to encourage composers to write for bands at the middle school/junior high level."

For information or directions to the college call 301-808-8168 Monday through Friday.

Appreciate Ikebana At the Arboretum

Appreciate nature through Ikebana, the art of Japanese flower arranging, at the U.S. National Arboretum on Sat., May 30, noon -5 p.m. and Sun., May 31, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. in the Administration Building. More than 40 Japanese flower arrangements in traditional, modern, and avantgarde styles will be on display during this special free exhibit, sponsored by the Maryland Sogetsu Branch and the Washington Sogetsu Branch of the Sogetsu School of Tokyo, Japan.



The noble King Arthur (John Bird) and Queen Guenever (Stephanie Keenan) preside over the festivities held at the Greenbelt Arts Center in "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," opening May 29.

Eleanor Roosevelt Blue Ribbon School

Senators Paul S. Sarbanes and Barbara A. Mikulski on May 18 announced that Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) has been named a Blue Ribbon School Award winner from the United States Department of Education. Eleanor Roosevelt High School, the largest school in Maryland, joins only 166 secondary schools nationwide and four others throughout the State of Maryland to be honored with this award, the most prestigious national school recognition for public and private schools. This is the second time that ERHS has been named a Blue Ribbon School.

This award recognizes Eleanor Roosevelt High School's outstanding teaching performance and exemplary record of student achievement, which encourages 87% of its students to pursue further degrees. Simultaneously it supports numerous performing arts groups and one of the largest athletic programs in the state.

Sarbanes, who telephoned school officials to tell them the good news, said that this designation is "quite a testament to the successful efforts underway in providing a quality education to the young people of Eleanor Roosevelt High School. After personally visiting the 1997 Blue Ribbon Schools, I continue to be impressed with the vital and integral roles that parents, teachers, and the community play in the attainment of this prestigious award. I look forward to continuing my visits, and experiencing first-hand the award-winning atmosphere at Eleanor Roosevelt High School."



A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court Written by Mark Twain, Directed by Mary Lou Fisher

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Sundays June 7 and 14 at 2:00 PM
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Tickets: \$8.00 General Admission/ \$6.00 Student

& Senior Call (301) 441-8770 for reservations

Coming Soon

The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe
Written by: C.S. Lewis Directed by: Laura Ann Fisher

Join our Youth Players for their annual production featuring a classic tale produced entirely by children. Fun filled entertainment for the entire family.

June 6th at 2:00 PM and June 7th at 7:00 PM Tickets: \$5.00 Adults/\$3.00 Children (ages 5-18)

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Dance Lessons 7:30 p.m. · 8:15 p.m.
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Greenbelt Recreation Department

GENERAL CLASS & REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Mail-In Registration Begins June 1

Mail-In registration is now accepted at the Youth Center and Community Center. In-Person registration is required, at the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

Mail-In Registrations Accepted Beginning: Greenbelt Residents June 1 Non-Residents

Walk-In Registration Locations: Walk-In (for all) Greenbelt Youth Center

Greenbelt Community Center Monday - Saturday,

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. 9am to 9:30 pm

> Description Self-defense through the use of Karate Class on June 4. Lecture on repair, cleaning & adjustment. Class on June 9. Hands on, tune up, fix, modify and repair bike. Save a life! Learn basic first aid and CPR. Location TBA. Participants will enjoy meeting new people burning calories and learning basic country line dancing steps. Class begins June 3. Bike & helmet required. Cert. awarded.

> Class on June 17. Bring bike equipped with lights & reflectors. Prior completion of EC-Road I required for certificate. Bring mats & weights. High/low aerobics. Baby sitting available. 7-15 yr olds are FREE if with an adult. Class is ongoing. Basic fitness, classical dance, hatha yoga and much more. Bring mat. Basic fitness, classical dance, hatha yoga and much more. Bring mat. Self-defense through

the use of karate. Yellow belt level or higher. Variety of international

dances for all skill levels No class 7/3 & 8/31. Self-defense through the use of karate. Aerobic workout using basic karate movements. Modern dance with Horton and Graham technique for intermedi ate/advanced levels. This class suitable for beginners or those with experience. Bring a mat, towel or small blanket.

A 'DROP BOX' is located at the Community Center and the Youth Center, where registrations may be 'DROPPED' at any time during the registration period. For mail-in registration mail with payment to: Greenbelt Recreation Department; 25 Crescent Rd.; Greenbelt, Md. 20770. MasterCard/Visa and checks are accepted. If paying by credit card, please include the card type (MC/VS), the expiration date, and the credit card number. Checks should be made payable to the 'City of Greenbelt'.

Class Schedule:

Except where noted, all classes will begin the week of June 22, 1998. Saturday classes will begin June 27, 1998. Please see class description for specific dates and times. If class is canceled, make-ups will be held at the end of the regular class schedule. PLEASE NOTE: All classes have a limited enrollment. Early registration improves your chances of getting the class you want!!

Children/Teen/Adult Classes (R=Resident Rate, NR=Non-Resident Rate)

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Activity # 332202-1	Name/Age Beginning Karate (5-12 yrs)	Day/Time/Location/ Cost Th/5:30-6:30pm/CC-Dance R:\$40; NR: \$38; 10-weeks	Instructor Marcela Oliva
357301-1		Th/6:30-9:30pm/SHP	Allen
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	(16+)	N. 910, 1115. 920, 1-Day	Hideimiek
357302-1	Bike Mechanics	M/;6:30-9:30pm/SHP	Allen
331302-1	Workshop	R:\$16; NR: \$20; 1-Day	Muchnick
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357101-1	Community First	Section 1; 7/7,7/8,7/9; 7-10pm	Janet
	Air & Safety	Section 2; 8/4,8/5,8/6; 7-10pm	Goldberg
	(16+)	R: \$55; NR: \$60; 3-day	
344202-1	Country Line	W/7:30pm-8:30pm/CC-Dance	
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357304-1	Effective Cycling	W&F/6:30-9:30 pm/SHP	Allen
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352203-1	Fit N'Fun	M/W/F/9:30-10:45am/CC-Gym	
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	(16+)	2 days pr/wk; R: \$33; NR: \$40;	
. 37		Drop in fee: R: \$2; NR: \$3	
352202-1	Health Fitness	Tu/7-8pm/CC-Dance Studio	Amy Derin
	(16+)	R: \$24; NR: \$30; 10 weeks	
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352202-2	Health Fitness	Th/7-8pm/CC-Dance Studio	Amy Derin
	(16+)	R: \$24; NR: \$30; 10 weeks	
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332201-1	Intermediate/	Th/5:30-6:30pm/CC-Rehearsal	Arturo Oliva
	Advanced Karate	R: \$40; NR: \$48; 10 weeks.	
	(5-12 yrs)	Lawrence Towns Towns 1871	
354501-1	International Folk	F/8-10pm/YC-MPR	Roland Forbes
	Dancing	\$30/person; 8 weeks	
	(16+)		
342201-1	Karate Shotokan	Th/6:30-7:30pm/CC-Rehearsal	Arturo Oliva
	(13+)	R: \$40; NR: \$48; 10 weeks	
342202-1	Karate Workout	Th/8:15-9:15 pm/CC-Dance	Arturo Oliva
SLISH -	(13+)	R; \$40; NR: \$48; 10 weeks	
344201-1	Modern Dance	W/6-7pm/CC-Dance	Terri Carter
-	(14+)	R: \$48; NR: \$60; 8 weeks .	
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352201-1	Morning Yoga	M/Tu/Th/F 7-8:30am	Mary Wirick
	(16+)	CC-Dance	
-		R: \$50 for 10 classes	
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352206-1	Beginning	S/9:30-10:30am/CC-Rehearsal	Larry Fleming
1	T'ai Chi	R: \$24; NR: \$32	
	(16+)	8 weeks	
352206-2	Continuing	S/8:30-9:30am/CC-Rehearsal	Larry Fleming

R: \$24; NR: \$32 T/6-7pm/Dance R:\$40; NR: \$50 10 weeks

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Beginning T'ai Chi

Special Registration Classes - These classes have special instructions for registration. (Please see 'description' for details)

Activity/Age Day/Time/Location/ Cost Instructor Aerobics Workouts: \$3.50 per class T/TH/6-7pm/SHL-Gym Jacki Sorenson's S/9-10am/SHL/Gym

T'ai Chi

8 weeks

Yoga

(16+)

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Janet Anderson

Description This is an ongoing program. Register with the class instructor on 301/439-3866 any night the class is held.

Activity/Age **BioAerobics** Jazzercise Regular Jazzercise Circuit Training (16+)Jazzercise Cardio Quick (16+)

Day/Time/Location/ Cost T/Th/7-8:15pm/YC-Gym \$49.50/8 weeks; Drop-In: \$4 M/7-8pm/CC-Gym Drop-In \$6 16 classes: \$48 W/7-8pm/CC-Gym Drop-In \$6 16 classes: \$48 F/6:30-7:15 pm/CC-Dance Drop-in \$6 16 classes: \$48

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Instructor

Barb Forte

Class begins June 16, Call Barbara Forte to register at 301-262-5175.

Ongoing class, register any class night. Warm-up, aerobics, strengthen ing/toning, and cool down. Ongoing class, register any class night. Aerobics and strength training. Bring weights if desired. Ongoing class, register any class night. 45-min. quickie that includes aerobics, strength, floor and cool down.

Registration forms for GAVA classes are available at the Community Center main office. For more information on GAVA classes please call Jessica Gitlis at 301/441-3859.

Activity/Age Intermediate	Day/Fime/Location/ Cost S/9:30am-4pm/Children's Art Rm.	Instructor Teddy	Description A series of intermediate classes
Basketweaving (14+)	R: \$112; NR: /\$125. (3 classes) Material fee \$25; pay directly to instructor at 1st class R: \$45; NR: \$55/(1class) Material fee \$10; pay directly to	Primack	will be given on Saturday: 6/13 6/20, 6/27, 7/25, 8/8, or 8/15. Call the instructor for class details: 441-8462.
-	instructor at 1st class.	100	-
Children's Ceramics (5-8 yrs)	M/10-11 am/Children's Ceramic Studio/R:\$35; NR:\$40 6 weeks	Barbara Simon	Children will learn how to creat pottery and sculpture. Begins 6/22-7/27.
Children's	M/11:15am-12:15pm/Children's	Barbara	Children will learn how to creat
Ceramics (8-12 yrs)	Ceramic Studio/R: \$35; NR:\$40 6 weeks	Simon	pottery and sculpture. Begins 6/22-7/27.
Beginning Basketweaving (14+)	S/10am-4pm/Children's Art Rm R:\$45; NR:\$55 Materias fee: \$10; pay directly to instructor at 1st class	Teddy Primack	A one day class for beginners covering all the basics of traditional basketry. Dates are 6/6, 7/18 or 8/1.
Multi-Media Art Class (8-12yrs)	W/11:15am-12:15pm/Children's Art Rm/R: \$35: NR:\$40 6 weeks	Barbara Simon	Children will explore a variety of art materials and techniques including drawing, painting, basketry and beading. Begins 6/24-8/5.
Multi-Media Art	W/10-11am/Children's Art Rm	Barbara	Children will explore a variety
Class (5-8 yrs)	R: \$35; NR: \$40 6 weeks	Simon	of art materials and techniques including drawing, and painting Begins 6/24-8/5.
Painting (14+)	S/10am-12n/Adult Art Rm R: \$53; NR: \$60/ 6 weeks	Suzanne Koch	Explore painting through drawing, composition and color using a variety of mediums. Begins 6/20.
Pottery (12+)	W/2-4pm/Adult Ceramic Studio R: \$55; NR: \$65/ 6 weeks	Ann Potter	Students will learn how to use the potter's wheel. Begins 6/14-8/5.
Simple Animation (10+)	M-F/2-5pm/Adult Art Rm. R: \$225; NR: \$235/ 3 weeks many	George Kochell	Students will write & create all aspects of a community-theme film(s) combining flat paper and clay animation which will be shown on Community Access TV. Produced with the cooperation of GATE, Begins 7/20-8/7.
Stained Glass I (14+)	S/1-3pm/Ceramic Rm. #2 R: \$60; NR: \$70/ Marerial fee \$15; pay directly to instructor at 1st class/ 8 weeks.	Richard McMullin	Learn basic stained glass cutting, assembly and finishing skills. Begins 6/20.
Stained Glass II (14+)	R: \$60; NR: \$70/ Material fee \$15; pay directly to instructor at 1st classd/ 8 weeks	Richard McMullin	Learned basic stained glass design and techniques. For students with previous experi ence. Begins 6/20.
Sunday Ceramics	Sun/11 am-1pm/ Ceramic Rm. #1 R: \$56; NR: \$66/6 weeks	Ann Potter	Learn a variety of ceramic hand building and wheel techniques. Begins 6/14,

Children's Neighborhood Classes

Section 1	Section 2	Section 3	Section 4
Registration Deadline:	Registration	Registration	Registration
Friday, June 19	Deadline:	Deadline:	Deadline:
Meeting Days:	Thursday, July 2	Friday, July 17	Friday, July 31
June 22, 24, 25, 26 &	Meeting Days:	Meeting Days:	Meeting Dates:
June 29, July 1, 2	July 6, 8, 9, 10 &	July 20, 22, 23, 24 &	August 3, 5, 6, 7 &
No class July 3	July 13, 15, 16, 17	July 27, 29, 30, 31	August 10, 12, 13, 14

Children Classes (R=Resident Rate NR=Non-Resident Rate)

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Activity 337501	Name/Age Archers 8-12 yrs.	Sect. 1-4	Time/Location/ Cost M, W, Th, F/9:45-10:30am/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332509	Arts & Crafts 3-5 yrs.	1-4	M, W, Th, F/2-2:45pm/YC FREE; 2-weeks
332510	Arts & Crafts 6-12 yrs	1-4	M, W, Th, F/2:45-3:30pm/YC FREE: 2-weeks
332503	The state of the s	3&4	M, W, Th, F/10:30-11:15 am/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332506	Dance 3-5 yrs	2&4	M. W. Th, F/11:45-12:15pm/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332508	Dance 6-12 yrs	1&3	M, W, Th, F/11:45-12:15pm/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332505	Gymnastics 3-5 yrs	1&3	M, W, Th, F/11:15-11:45am/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332507	Gymnastics 6-12 yrs	2&4	M, W, Th, F;11:15-11:45 am/YC R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332502	& Drills 6-12 yrs.	1&2	M, W, Th, F/10:30-11:15 am/BF R: \$15; NR: \$20; 2-weeks
332501	Tennis Skills	1-4	M, W, Th, F/9-9:45am/BFTC

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PLANNING

(Continued from page 1) combined with that of the team of planners, had contributed greatly to the GMAS report.

Scott pointed out that a major transportation hub — the Greenbelt Metrorail and MARC stations—is located within the Sector Plan's boundaries. "We have to make sure the public investment results in maximizing ridership," she said. "But at the same time we don't want the development to compromise our standards and quality of life."

The Sector Plan covers a small concentrated area of a Master Plan; in this case, the area generally bounded by Sunnyside Avenue Edmonston Road on the north, Edmonston and Kenilworth Avenue on the east, Greenbelt Road on the south (including all commercially zoned property on the south side of Greenbelt Road from the CSX Railroad tracks to Kenilworth Avenue) and Rhode Island Avenue on the west. Some portions included in the plan and recommendations concerning them extend beyond these geographic boundaries to consider areawide issues, such as floodplain, wetlands, transportation and trails.

When work on the Sector Plan is complete, it will have carved out a detailed proposal covering future land use, transportation issues, environmental protection and bicycle path systems, "in recognition," as the report states, "of the unique potential of the Greenbelt Metro Area." Recommendations for rezoning within the plan would be implemented by a Sectional Map Amendment.

If adopted by the County Council sitting as the District Council (its zoning authority), this amendment would update the 1989 Langley Park-College Park-Greenbelt Master Plan.

Brochure

According to the information brochure prepared for the public forum, the A. H. Smith Limited Partnership and Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA)/ Greenbelt Metrorail properties are designated as the Sector Plan's Central Core Area (formerly called the focus area). The Smith land is unincorporated but the WMATA/Metrorail property lies within the boundaries of the City of Greenbelt. Surrounding the central core area are the incorporated municipalities of Berwyn Heights, College Park and Greenbelt. The GMAS sub-areas include Springhill Lake Apartments, Capital Office Park, the Federal Courthouse campus, the U.S. Department of Agriculture administration building site, and parts of the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center and the Greenbelt Metrorail Station.

Community In-put

The brochure also describes a public participation program, of which the May 28 forum is a part, that is required during the sector plan process. Following the public meeting, a sector planning group will be formed, to be composed primarily of the 13-member study focus group and the M-NCPPC planning team that produced the metro area study, but with five to six new citizen volunteers added.

At the same time, the M-NCPPC staff team will summarize public comments and finalize the Sector Plan's Goals, Concepts and Guidelines and Public Participation Program. These reports will be submitted to the Planning Board in June and the District Council in July. Then, in August and September, the public planning group and staff will hold four charettes. (A charette is a freewheeling, brainstorming interchange among planners, professionals and citizens.) The first three will cover land use and zoning concepts, evaluate development concept plans and select a preferred concept plan. Elements of transportation, environment and public facilities will be reviewed.

The fourth charette, in October, will deal with the presentation and review of the first draft of the Preliminary Sector Plan/SMA proposal.

To Greenbelters, who contributed their ideas and enthusiasm to an earlier city-wide charette over how to redevelop the then-deteriorated Roosevelt Center, the creative possibilities of the charette process will be familiar, a way for the voices of individual citizens to be heard.

Throughout this period, the larger community which encompasses the core area will be kept informed by means of a newsletter revealing key issues and decisions as they develop, especially following each charette. The newsletter will include times and places of meetings, forums, and other opportunities for community involvement. (As always, the News Review will provide timely updates on all issues as they emerge.)

After the staff publishes and distributes the preliminary plan, a joint public hearing will be held by the Planning Board and District Council in March 1999. Worksessions will be held in April and May. Then, in June 1999, the District Council will either approve the Sector Plan and adopt the SMA or set a second hearing. If the latter occurs, final action by the District Council will take place in September 1999.

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CB-35 Enacted With Amendments

by Elaine Skolnik

The Prince George's County Council on Tuesday, May 19, voted eight to one to approve Council Bill 35, a Zoning Text Amendment. The legislation establishes a new land use category, Metro Planned Community, in the I-2 heavy industrial zone, that would permit the building of a mixed-use development at and adjacent to a metro station. Walter Maloney voted against the bill.

In accepting all the changes the Greenbelt City Council requested, the county council gained the support of the city council for the bill.

However, in the city's

statement to the county council, Mayor Judith Davis said, "... we continue to be critical of any zoning bill which is intended to streamline the development process without providing for proper planning and full public participation."

County Councilmember Audrey Scott told the News Review, "It is a major victory for the citizens of Greenbelt because it (CB-35) now includes all the changes that Greenbelt proposed, with special emphasis on the environment."

About 29 speakers spoke during the two hour public hearing which preceded the County Council's action.

Author Mark Twain to Visit Greenbelt

World renowned author Mark Twain has agreed to visit Greenbelt as part of his recent tour to promote his new work, A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court. This visit will be sponsored by the Greenbelt Arts Center located at 123 Centerway (beside the Post Office). As a special favor to the director, Mary Lou Fisher, Twain has been persuaded to appear May 29 - 30 and June 5 - 7, 12 - 14, and 19 - 20. Please remember that those shows on Fridays and Saturdays begin

at 8 p.m. and the Sunday performances begin at 2 p.m. Mr. Twain is very pleased to be working with the fine actors of Greenbelt who will be playing the medieval characters such as King Arthur, Guinevere, Queen Sir Lancelot, and Merlin. events promise to be filled with 6th century charm to delight the young at heart. For ticket information and to make a reservation for the medieval merriment, call 301-441-8770.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

At its regular meeting of May 26, 1998, the City Council will consider and adopt the Fiscal Year 1998/99 Budgets for the General Fund, Cemetery Fund, Debt Service Fund, Replacement Fund, Temporary Disability Reserve Fund, Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund, Green Ridge House Fund, Capital Projects Fund and Community Development Block Grant Fund; adopt an ordinance making appropriations in each of these funds; levy taxes against real and personal property for Fiscal Year 1998/99; and will consider other budget items as may be necessary.

If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) to request such accommodation before 10:00 a.m. on May 26, 1998.

Copies of the Proposed Budget may be examined at the City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, or at the County Library, 11 Crescent Road. For information please call 301-474-8000.

David E. Moran City Clerk

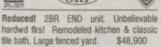
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Rape

9100 block of Edmonston Court, May 10, 4:28 p.m., a woman reported that she suspected that she was raped by an individual with whom she had been partying. Investigation is continuing.

Assault

6200 block of Greenbelt Road, May 11, 8:08 p.m., a loss prevention officer at a retail establishment was assaulted by a 15-yearold male nonresident after he and three other juveniles attempted to flee the store after shoplifting shoes. The assailant was arrested and later released to a parent.

5800 block of Cherrywood Terrace, May 12, 9:46 p.m., a man unloading his car was struck from behind several times by another man. The incident was unprovoked.

Strong-Armed Robbery

Spellman Overpass just off Gardenway, May 13, 4:25 p.m., a strong-armed robbery was attempted. The suspects are described as two black males, one approximately 6'0" with a goatee and wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt and the other wearing a black T-shirt with a white Tshirt underneath.

Burglary and Theft

6200 block of Breezewood Drive, May 9, 3:53 p.m., U.S. currency was stolen from a residence.

44 court of Ridge Road, May

11, 11:54 p.m., currency was taken from a residence. Entry was gained by prying open the back door.

Convalescent center in the 7000 block of Greenbelt Road, May 12, 5:46 a.m., currency and credit cards were stolen from a purse and currency and a money order were stolen from a jacket.

6000 block of Springhill Drive, May 12, 8 a.m., theft of a cable system line extender was reported. Also reported was damage to a cable transmitter

5900 block of Cherrywood Terrace, May 12, 5:38 p.m., a 12-year-old male resident was arrested for burglary. His family was notified.

6400 block of Ivy Lane, May 13, 2:39 p.m., two laptop computers were stolen from a storage

Drugs

5900 block of Greenbelt Road, May 12, 12:56 a.m., a 23year-old male nonresident was arrested for possession of crack cocaine with intent to distribute and possession of marijuana.

45 court of Ridge Road, May 12, 7:12 p.m., a 39-year-old male resident was arrested for possession of controlled dangerous substance paraphernalia.

7800 block of Mandan Road, May 13, 10:58 a.m., a 31-yearold male resident was arrested for possession of a controlled dangerous substance.

Vehicle Theft

May 11, a 1992 Jeep Wrangler reported stolen from the 200 block of Lakecrest Drive May 10 was recovered in the 400 block of West Lombard Street, Baltimore; no arrests were made.

May 11, a 1986 Chevrolet Corvette stolen from the 9100

block of Edmonston Court was recovered the same day in the 2900 block of Stanton Road, S.E. Washington, D.C., by the Metropolitan Police Department. A male Landover resident was arrested.

May 12, a 1987 Toyota Camry reported stolen from the 5900 block of Cherrywood Terrace was recovered in the 5600 block of 54th Avenue by the Riverdale Police; no arrests were



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GHI Sets New Antenna Policy, Discusses Finance At GHI Annual Meeting

by Dennis Jelalian

At the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) board meeting on May 14, the board adopted a new antenna policy, allocated excess revenue and a tax refund to reserves, and funded several projects.

Antennas

The board passed a new policy on antennas and related equipment. Satellite dishes may now be installed if all the criteria are met: GHI is to be notified of all antenna installations, permission is no longer required; the device is to be no more visible than other common outdoor devices and improvements currently permitted; a satellite dish must be one meter or less; penetrations through porch roofs shall be sealed with appropriate materials as approved by GHI to prevent leaks and if in putting up an antenna, a porch on which a dish is mounted needs any repairs, the member will be responsible.

According to Director of Technical Services Jay Freedman, for "bolt-on" antennas, only city and county electrical permits are required. For dish antennas, both city and county building and electrical permits are still required. Freedman also said that a homeowner may take a test on electrical knowledge. If homeowners pass such a test, they may obtain the necessary electrical permits directly and do the work themselves. It is the member's responsibility to ensure that the installation meets code requirements. After the installation, GHI will inspect the installation to ensure code compliance.

Revenue

GHI ended 1997 with excess revenue of \$595,000. The board allocated this money for contingency reserves (\$12,400 for frame homes, \$7,200 for masonry homes, and \$400 for larger homes) and for replacement reserves (\$356,263 for frame homes, \$206,863 for masonry homes, and \$11,492 for larger homes). The motion passed

Escrow Balance

Final tax bills for 1995 and 1996 have been paid, together with accountants' fees, leaving a balance of \$86,708.01. GHI lawyers and accountants have recommended putting this money into the replacement re-After talk of returning some of this money to members, the board consensus was that members would be best served by putting this money in replacement reserves, which they then voted to do.

Projects

Eldon Ralph, GHI physical plant manager, proposed that GHI approve \$38,000 from replacement reserves for four projects: replacement of meter pads at four sites, \$8000; drainage/swale improvement at 14 Hillside common area, \$10,000; drainage/swale engineering assessment at 20 E-H Ridge, 34 A-F Ridge, 47 A-F Ridge, 54 G-M Ridge, 7-H Southway, and 8 A-F Southway, \$12,000; and installation of washer drains at six upstairs apartments, \$8,000. The Board approved the request.

Concrete Work

The board unanimously approved a contract with NZ1 Construction to replace concrete steps, porches, and sidewalks at 25 locations in GHI at a cost not to exceed \$30,000. The motion passed unanimously.

Roofs

The board approved second reading and final passage of a contract with Capital Roofing to replace flat roofs on 24 homes at a cost not to exceed \$140,000. The motion passed unanimously.

Member Requests

Roger Stringer of 10 Court of Southway requested and received permission to build a privacy screen.

Joan and Donald Miller of 31 Court of Ridge Road requested the painting of some curbs yellow to eliminate a traffic hazard. Although the GHI board does not have the authority to paint curbs, after other issues were raised about traffic on Ridge, the board promised to investigate and check with the city.

Handbook

GHI personnel policies have not been revised since 1994. Avis King, special assistant to the GHI general manager, presented a revised employee handbook which had taken over a year to produce. The board approved the new handbook, effective immediately.

Efficiency

GHI management raised some issues about use of staff time and the efficiency of the GHI organization as a whole. They proposed that a clear understanding of the roles played by different parts of the organization would increase effi-

Management requested clear directives from the board, and suggested that the board streamline meetings.

The nature of work in some GHI departments varies with the season. Management requested the board's help in dealing with this problem so as not to overload anyone nor any department.

Goals

The board identified some areas that require board attention and action. These include investment policy, ongoing study of replacement reserve needs, the GHI computer system, staff time, curb appeal, siding cleaning, physical plant upgrades, heating options, mar- meeting on July 2 and board keting, and committee reorgani-

Bylaw Amendment Passes

by Dennis Jelalian

Greenbelt Homes Inc. (GHI) held its annual meeting May 16 at the Community Center. A quorum was present and the meeting continued.

After the opening preliminaries, Nat Shinderman made a motion to dispense with statements from the candidates. The motion was defeated, and board candidates Dorothy Lauber, Bill Phelan, John Taylor and Margaret

Greenbelt Homes Annual Elections

(unofficial results) **Board of Directors**

Dorothy Lauber*	145
Bill Phelan*	143
John Taylor*	134
Margaret Hogensen*	133
Charles Hess**	107
*elected for two year te	rms
**elected for a one year	

Audit Committee Sylvia Lewis* 140 Deborah Cooley* 136

Hopi Auerbach* 136 *elected for one year terms

Hogensen and Audit Committee candidates Sylvia Lewis, Deborah Cooley and Hopi Auerbach gave brief speeches. Board Candidate Chuck Hess, Sr. was unable to be present because of a conflict so Charles Braun, Nominations and Election Committee (N&E) chairman read a written statement that Hess prepared. Braun then read the N & E Committee's slate of candidates for next year's N & E Committee: Sheila Alpers, Roger Brown, Andrew Nitz, Donald Ridenaur, and Tom Simon. He asked for a vote of approval by acclamation. Mat Amberg rose to protest. He said the bylaws required that further nominations be asked from the floor. Amberg was nominated but refused the nomination since he planned to be out of town. The slate was then voted in by acclamation. Late in the evening, member Andy Levin rose to say that he had reread the bylaws and found that nominations need only be

Meetings

The board voted to hold a finance committee meeting June 4, a board meeting June 11, and a meeting June 18 to discuss Historic District status.

During the summer there Il be a finance committe meetings on July 9 and 23 and on August 13.

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Connie Arnold questioned why it was taking GHI so long to make investments. GHI president Keith Jahoda replied that the board has established investment policies and that it only remains for the board to appoint an investment oversight committee of five, three of whom will be board members. Jahoda stressed the need to preserve GHI purchasing power and capital. Board member John Taylor (who is also on the Finance Committee) added that GHI's first concern is safety. The board is committed to financial integrity. Since the board must have access to funds, they cannot always invest for high yield long term growth. For increased safety, much of GHI investments will be in government backed securities, and mutual funds which spread the risk over a number of stocks.

Bylaw Change Approved

A bylaw amendment was presented that would require a member of the N & E Committee to resign three months before the next annual meeting in order to run for the Audit Committee or the board.

Sylvia Lewis, Nancy Gannon, and Shinderman spoke against the motion. Andy Levin, Walter Morse, Amberg, and Braun spoke for the motion. The motion passed 96 to 17.

Jahoda recognized Jack Downs for his work on the Ad Hoc Committee on Historic District Status.

Sue Krofchik recognized all the members of the GHI newsletter staff for their hard work.

Amberg requested that the board not make so many rules.

Shinderman expressed concern over GHI replacement reserves.

Esther Yalowitz wondered if any preparations had been made for possible computer blackouts in the year 2000. Jahoda assured her that GHI computers were in good shape. She was glad to hear the GHI loans would be paid off by 2003.

Andy Levin assured members that GHI investments would be spread over several companies to minimize risks.

Nancy Gannon questioned how to get more members involved and out to vote.

Doug Love proposed to eliminate the 8" grass rule. "Put a curb on the yard Nazis,"

At the end of the meeting door prizes were awarded. Ten dollar certificates to the New Deal Cafe or the Co-op Supermarket were awarded to Robert Lewis, Judy Nelson, Solange Hess, Nick Pergola, Tom Sweeting, Dolores Capotosto, Ray Stallel, Bonnie Brant, Tom Morgan, and Jack Downs. Dale Fink won a \$50 credit on his GHI co-op fee. Don Comis won a \$100 credit on his GHI co-op fee. Catherine Francoeur won a \$200 credit on her co-op

The meeting was then recessed til Sunday, May 17. when those who did not vote that night could vote in the Community Center.

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GHI Board of Directors Thursday, May 28, 1998 • 7:30 P.M. **GHI Board Room**

Key Agenda Items:

GDC Meeting

- First Quarter Operating Statements
- Set Date for annual Stockholders Meeting

GHI Meeting Immediately following GDC Meeting

- Election of Officers
- Designation of GDC Stockholders
- Request to Sublease Mowatt Memorial Church
- Underground Oil Tanks Contract First Reading
- Underground Utilities First Reading
- Membership in National and Regional Cooperative Organizations
- Antennae Policy

Board meetings are open to members.



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Matt Hamlin - ERHS. Matt is a team player and a leader, outgoing, friendly, personable and helpful to others. He is a varsity swimmer and lifeguard. He volunteers at the Hyattsville Fire Department and the Aquatic Gardens.

Meadow Wirick - ERHS. Meadow is self-disciplined, motivated, and works well with others. She has always been on the honor roll and is a varsity swimmer and plays violin for the Prince George's Philharmonic Orchestra and volunteers with English as a second Language classes in adult evening school.

As each was called up to receive their award, they were congratulated by City Council members as well as by Delegates Joan Pitkin and Jim Hubbard, State Senator Leo Green, and School Board member Suzanne Plogman who were in attendance.



Delegate Jim Hubbard (left) and ERHS vice principal Gary King congratulate ERHS awardees Matt Hamlin and Meadow Wirick.

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The 23rd District Delegation and Leta Mach (center), ACE chair, greet Philip Neforos, Usman Mohammed, Lynette Smith, and Erin Thomas at ACE Award ceremony.

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ACE Award recipients Mary Fominaya, Gary Stewart, Maya Steward, Stephen Wade, and Erin Thomas.

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Front Row: Philip Neforos, Usman Mohammed, Maya Steward, Stephen Wade, Meadow Wirick, Lynette Smith, Mary Fominaya, vice principal John La Polla, Gary Stewart and Ace Chair Leta Mach.

Rear: Alla Lake, ACE Member, Matt Hamlin, Councilmember Ed Putens (holding unidentified child, Councilmember Alan Turnbull, State Senator Leo Green, School board member Suzanne Plogman, State Delegate Joan Pitkin, Mayor Judith Davis, Bart Byers, ACE member, Councilmember Rodney Roberts, State Delegate James Hubbard and Erin Thomas.

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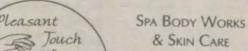
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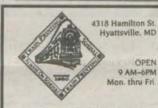
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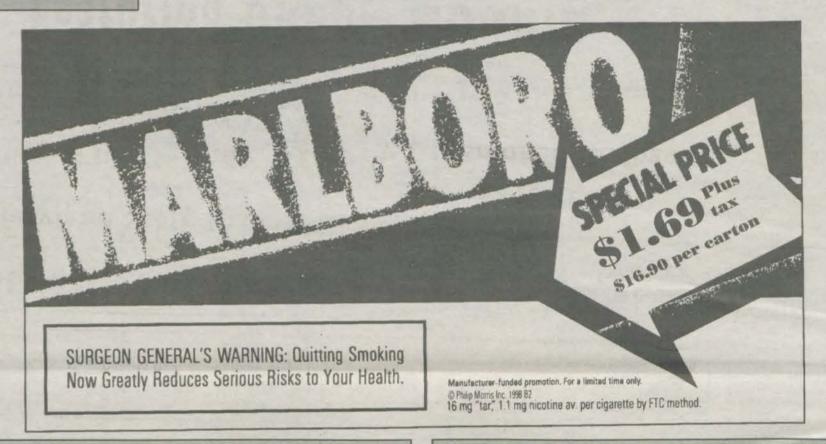
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