

**Beat The Rush**

Please give us your copy on Mondays or at least by noon on Tuesdays. We are trying not to get swamped Tuesday nights.

## Dr. Bergemann's Death Stuns City; Practice Began in 1961

Greenbelters were stunned to learn that long-time physician Till Bergemann died on June 4 of complications following cardiac arrest. He had been working out on an exercise machine in the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center the previous Tuesday afternoon when he was stricken. He was given immediate CPR by pool staff and medical attention locally and transported to the Washington Hospital Center, but did not recover.

Dr. Bergemann opened a medical practice in Greenbelt in 1961 following an association



Till Bergemann, M.D.

with Dr. Aaron Dietz of Hyattsville. Born in Leipzig, Germany, where he attended medical school, he received his M.D. degree at the University of Basel, Switzerland. He later interned at Fordham Hospital in New York City and at Prince George's Hospital, Cheverly.

After practicing in Greenbelt for some time, he later joined a medical partnership with the late Dr. Hans Wodak and Dr. William Weintraub. In recent years he was joined in his practice by Dr. David Granite, who was called to administer aid to his stricken colleague.

Over the years hundreds of Greenbelters came to depend on Dr. Bergemann as their family doctor and to know him as an active participant in community affairs. Many have recounted how he made house calls when they were too sick to reach his office, a practice he still continued as recently as last week. He touched many lives and was a well-loved member of the community.

An avid sportsman, Dr. Bergemann was a skier, tennis player, bicyclist and fitness enthusiast. He was seen four or five times a week at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center, swimming laps in the pool and working out on the exercise equipment. He also loved to travel. He had an ongoing zest for knowledge and main-

tained a continuing interest in ancient and modern history. He loved living in Greenbelt and enjoyed all it has to offer.

He was a member of the American Medical Association, the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland, and the Prince George's County Medical Society. He was a 50-year member of the Swiss Alpine Club.

The third generation of medical doctors in his family, he was the son of the late Doctors Eva and Fritz Bergemann, formerly of Leipzig, Germany, and Bern, Switzerland and the grandson of the late Dr. Karl Rothe, formerly of Leipzig.

Dr. Bergemann is survived by his wife of 48 years, Marjorie Stamler Bergemann; three daughters, Jill (Phillippe) Montagnon, Carol (Ronald) Croft, and Eve (Steven) Creamer; seven grandchildren: Celine, Steven, Patrick, Daniel, Rachel, Ariel, and Jordan; and by a sister, Jorinde Molinari, of Zernez, Switzerland.

Funeral services were held at Mishkan Torah Congregation, Ridge Road at Westway, on Wednesday, June 7. Memorial week will be observed at the family residence.

The family requests that memorial contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to the Till Bergemann, M.D. Fund, PGHC Foundation, Prince George's Hospital, 3001 Hospital Drive, Cheverly, MD 20785.

## Dispute among Neighbors Ends with Couple Slain

by Barbara Bonham Young

Asha Rice, 26, of 6156 Springhill Terrace, died Friday, June 2, at Prince George's Hospital Center of gunshot wounds she received on June 1 during an apparent dispute among two married couples who were neighbors. Her husband, Sean Alonzo Rice, 29, was fatally shot in the chest during the incident. The couple is survived by three children.

Police said Rice's neighbor, Eric Julian Todd, 26, was in a parking lot in the 6100 block of Springhill Terrace when a vehicle containing three people pulled up. Asha Rice got out of the vehicle and had words with Todd concerning some sort of dispute, whereupon she and Todd's wife began punching each other. Sean Rice, then arriving, attempted to break up the fight between the two women. An unidentified woman resident of Silver Spring then got out of the vehicle, apparently also attempting to break up the fight. Todd then went to his nearby vehicle, got a handgun and shot Asha Rice and her husband. Sean Rice died soon after. Asha Rice was taken to Prince George's Hospital Center, where she died

the next day.

According to Greenbelt Police Officer George Matthews, Eric Todd of the 6100 block of Springhill Terrace was arrested at the scene and charged with the murder of Sean Rice, two counts of attempted murder, possession of a handgun, transporting a handgun in a vehicle and the use of a handgun to commit a felony. He is being held without bail in Prince George's County Detention Center in Upper Marlboro.

According to Greenbelt Police Detective Bob Keller, additional charges against him may be filed since the subsequent death of Asha Rice.

A 55-year-old Silver Spring man got out of the vehicle in which Asha Rice had arrived and was also shot. He was taken to Prince George's Hospital Center. His name was not released by police and his condition was unknown at press time.

Services for Sean Rice were held on Thursday, June 8; services for Asha Rice will be held June 10. Springhill Lake Apartments Community Relations Director Peggy Kane had no comment in response to News Review questions.

## Santos Running For Commander

by Miriam Pinheiro

Richard Santos, a resident of Greenbelt for 31 years, is running uncontested for national commander of the American Legion. Santos, whose election will take place at the national convention on August 31, 2001, is a 33-year member of the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136.

Santos, 54, said that the task of the national commander is to act as a spokesperson for the American Legion by promoting its mandates, but not setting policy. He earned his eligibility for membership in the American Legion through honorable, wartime military service in the United States Navy. He served as post commander from 1979 to 1980, Prince George's County commander from 1981 to 1982, and Southern Maryland district commander from 1985 to 1986. He was elected commander of the Legion's Department of Maryland, Inc. in 1990 during its 72nd annual convention in Ocean City. Santos served the department as its alternate national executive committeeman from 1992 to 1994 and as its national executive committeeman from 1994 to 1996. His memberships include the Fraternal Order of the

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The Lenore Thomas statue

- photo by Beverly Palau

## Flagpole, Meditation Garden Dedicated amid Showers

by Barbara Bonham Young

Cheerful citizen and dignitary celebrants under umbrellas attended two June 2 City of Greenbelt dedication events which went ahead as scheduled, but between bouts of thunder and rain. The first was the dedication of the renovated flagpole, on the Community Center's high hill above the outdoor swimming pool; the second was a dedication of the small meditation garden at the southeast corner of the Community Center.

### Flagpole Dedication

The ceremony for the flagpole dedication opened with entertainment by Greenbelt Concert Band's Skylark Quintet, which was led by Tom Cherrix. In addition to council members and other dignitaries, Mayor Judith Davis introduced American Legion Post 136 Commander Joe Beam. She commended and thanked him and other members of the post for generously raising

and donating \$2,500 to cover the entire cost of renovating and supplying the historic flagpole. She added that in the process the pole had to be divested of years of lead paint.

Her comments followed the presentation of the colors by Color Guard Captain Jerry DuShane, Eddie Byrd and Tony Sanchez. Mayor Davis also introduced dignitaries and current Miss Greenbelt, Junior Miss Greenbelt and Little Miss Greenbelt titleholders Pamela Brewster, Stephanie Holland and Shaune Siegel.

### Meditation Garden

In remarks opening the ceremony dedicating the Meditation Garden, Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts director Barbara Simon, stressed the contributions made by many people to achieve the placement of the Lenore Thomas "Meditation" sculpture and creation of the small garden

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### What Goes On

Mon., June 12, 2 - 8 p.m. Recreation Department Blood Drive, Municipal Building, Council Room  
 Tue., June 13, 7 p.m. Youth Advisory Committee, Youth Center  
 7 p.m. Public Safety Advisory Committee, Community Center  
 Thur., June 15, 7:30 p.m. GDC Stockholders Meeting, followed by GHI Board of Directors Meeting, Hamilton Place  
 Fri., June 16, 7 - 8 p.m. Jazz at Attick Park



**Festival Notes**

by Patti Brothers  
Miss Greenbelt Pageant

The first rehearsal for the 2000 Miss Greenbelt Pageant will be held on Sunday, June 11 at 3 p.m. at the Youth Center. All current and potential contestants for Little Miss, Junior Miss and Miss Greenbelt should plan on attending. Call Natasha Jewell to register or for more information at 301-352-8665. Come out to this important first rehearsal. Note: In last week's article it was reported that all contestants would receive a savings bond. This is incorrect. Only the winners in the different categories — Miss, Junior Miss, Little Miss, the first, second and third runners up in each age group, Miss Congeniality, Most Photogenic, and Most Spirited - will receive bonds.

**Talent Show**

Dennis and Marthea Lewis will once again be chairing this event. Call 301-552-9078 to sign up to be part of the show.

**Photo Show**

The Photo Show will go on and will be chaired by Ann Zevallos and her son Keith. Call 301-345-9696 to find out more information about entering the show and also about helping out over Labor Day weekend.

**Art Show**

Barbara Simon will again be chairing the Art Show. Call 301-474-2192 to be a part of the show or to help out.

**Parade**

To register a group to participate in the parade, call Linda Ivy at 301-441-9414.

**Entertainment**

A few spots on stage are still available. Call Patti Brothers at 301-982-2312 for more information.

These are just a few of the different activities planned for this year's Labor Day Festival. Stay tuned for more information. Telephone numbers for committee members to contact to register for a booth or for an Information Day table will appear in a future article.

The Committee is still looking for interested and energetic individuals who would like to help out. The next meeting of the Committee will be on Thursday, July 13 at 7:30 in the Community Center.

**OLD GREENBELT THEATRE**  
Week of June 9  
**Gladiator - R**

Fri. (5:00 @\$4.00) 8:00  
Sat. (2:15, 5:00 @\$4.00) 8:00  
Sun. (2:15, 5:00 @\$4.00) 8:00

Mon. - Thurs. 7:30  
301-474-9744  
301-474-9745  
129 Centerway  
www.pgtheatres.com

**Letters**

**Fine Training Shown**

The very fine training and professional skills of the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center staff were called forth during an extreme medical emergency last Tuesday afternoon at that facility.

Less than 30 seconds after Dr. Till Bergemann's heart attack, George Rogala, Kenny Gray, and Di Quynn were administering CPR. The front desk staff had notified 911. Dr. David Granite was also notified and attended the victim with George, Kenny, and Di until the medical unit arrived.

We can feel very proud and heartened that the Aquatic Center is staffed by these fine professionals.

Larry and Marsha Voigt

**Not an Opinion**

The article I presented to the City Council about D.A.R.E., that you characterized as an "opinion piece" ("Council Vigorously Debates," June 1) appeared on the Federal Page of the Washington Post the day of the council meeting May 22. The article reported the Department of Education promulgated new rules two years ago "Requiring school districts to spend funds... for 'research-based' programs and to evaluate the programs periodically." Seems like a reasonable and appropriate requirement. A University of North Carolina researcher found those programs most popular with the public including D.A.R.E., have not proven to be effective. His survey included Maryland. The end of the article states the National Institute on Drug Abuse has cited some that work, but D.A.R.E. is not among them.

Of course I hope our son never uses illegal drugs (unless he has an illness, God forbid, that would be alleviated by a drug). Isn't it time to rethink putting lots of people in jail and branding them for life? Do you know the U.S.A. is only led in the world by Russia in incarceration rates? Do you know that if the current trend continues, more African-American children will go to prison than college? According to the U.S. Justice Department Bureau of Prisons statistics, 60% of federal prisoners are drug offenders, 3% violent offenders.

The Republican governor of New Mexico, Gary Johnson, who proposed the decriminalization of marijuana, can admit to illegal drug use, and still get elected twice by the citizens of New Mexico, but we can't hire him as a policeman in Greenbelt.

Instead of attacking those who raise questions about the status quo, couldn't we Greenbelters be more thoughtful, willing to seek out creative solutions to issues of hiring enough law enforcement officers and the detrimental effects of drug use?

Elizabeth Gaines

**Girl Scout Council Seeks Volunteers**

The Girl Scout Council of the Nation's Capital is seeking volunteers who are interested in the development of young girls as caring, competent, confident women and leaders for tomorrow's world. Volunteer opportunities exist on many different levels and all are welcome. Call 301-893-1819 for more information.



"I better send some dough to the kids ... next week is Father's Day!"

**Vehicle Donation Program Needs Help**

The Family Service Foundation is looking for volunteers with good administrative and organizational skills to help coordinate the Vehicle Donation Program at its Lanham office. Duties include answering phone inquiries from the public, typing, filing and assisting with promotional activities. For details, contact Leslie Hill at 301-459-2121, ext. 328.

**PRELIMINARY AGENDA**  
**MEETING OF GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
Thursday, June 15, 2000  
(Immediately Following GDC Annual Stockholders Meeting)  
GHI Board Room

**Key Agenda Items**  
**GDC Annual Stockholders Meeting**

- a) Election of the Board of Directors and Election of Officers Action

**GHI Meeting**

- a) Mowatt Methodist Church Request for Sub-Lease at 2A Northway Action
- b) Contract for Oil Tanks - 2nd Reading Action
- c) Contract for Underground Sewers - 2nd Reading Action
- d) Board Meeting Procedures Discussion
- e) Annual Inspections of Non-Standard Heating Systems Discussion

Regular Board meetings are open to members.

The Friends of the Greenbelt Museum Present  
**An Evening of Swing Dancing**  
Saturday, June 10, 2000  
8:00 p.m. - Midnight  
Greenbelt Community Center • 15 Crescent Road

8 - 9 p.m. Swing Lessons  
9 to Midnight Swing Dancing with live band

\$10 for lessons & admission

**Bring your family and friends for an evening of fun, dancing, and nostalgia!**

**ATTENTION GHI MEMBERS**

**SPRING GUTTER CLEANING PROGRAM**

The spring gutter cleaning program is underway. The following buildings will be cleaned during the week of June 12 through June 16:

- 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 61 & 62 Courts Ridge
- 13, 14 & 15 Courts Laurel Hill
- 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 Courts Hillside
- 1, 135-A & 135-B Northway

All buildings in the community will be cleaned this spring. We hope to complete the program by July 17th, weather permitting. Notices will be published each week in the News Review weekly until all units are complete. Please be aware that workers will be placing ladders in your yard and appearing outside your windows at times. It is our intention to complete this project in an orderly and professional manner. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Bob Tucker at (301) 474-4161 ext. 122.

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**DEADLINES:** Letters, articles and 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.

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

**Donate Blood**

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is sponsoring a blood drive on Monday, June 12 from 2-8 p.m. in the City Council Room in the Municipal Building. To make an appointment or for more information call Janet Goldberg, 301-397-2212 after 2:30 p.m.

**Swing to the Oldies**

On Saturday, June 10, 8 p.m. to midnight, the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum will host a swing dance in the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. From 8 to 9 p.m., swing collegiate champion Erick Newton will offer dance lessons. The live band "Rockin Bones" will play swing and lindy music from 9 p.m. to midnight. There is an admission fee. For additional information call 301-577-3686 or contact swingandhustle@capu.net. Swing was popular during Greenbelt's early days in the 1930s and is enjoying a lively revival.

**The Gray Panthers Hold a Potluck Picnic**

On Saturday June 17 from 5 - 7 p.m. the Gray Panthers will sponsor a free potluck picnic at Schrom Hills Park. Everyone is invited. Bring a dish to share. For information call 301-474-6668 (Parker) or 301-474-7890 (Webb).

**Moonlight Dip**

Greenbriar/Glen Oaks residents are invited to a family moonlight swim on Saturday, June 17 from 8 p.m. to midnight. Enjoy a night of swimming, dancing with music by a favorite D.J., snacks, games and door prizes. For more information, call Tina at 301-441-1096.

**Democratic Club Annual Picnic**

Greenbelt's Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will bring its year's activities to a close with a picnic at Schrom Hills Park on Saturday, June 10, from 4 to 7 p.m. Families and friends, as well as the general public, are invited.

Members are expected to bring a salad or dessert to share. Other picnic foods will be provided from the grill, with the meal to be served around 5 p.m.

Local Democratic Central Committee members, Tom White, Pat Unger, and Ben Barnes, will report on fund raising and Get-Out-the-Vote efforts for the Coordinated Campaign of Gore, Sarbanes, Hoyer for the November 7 election. Unger will give a preview of the Democratic National convention to be held in Los Angeles August 14 to 17 at which Vice President Al Gore is expected to be nominated as the party's presidential candidate. She will be attending the convention as a member of the Maryland Democratic Party's Arrangements Committee.

The club's Ways and Means chair, Kurt Walter, will outline plans for the annual Funnel Cake Booth during the city's Labor Day Festival, September 1 through 4. Volunteers will also be needed for a voters' information booth during that weekend.

Transportation to the picnic can be arranged by calling Jim Inzeo at 301-441-2426.

**Community Events**

**Café Annual Meeting**

The New Deal Café will hold its annual meeting on Sunday, June 11 at 7 p.m. at the Café in Roosevelt Center. Members will nominate and elect four board members.

Those interested in getting involved are welcome to come as well. Committees forming include marketing, operations, menu, public relations, and entertainment.

**Ice Cream Social**

Greenbriar/Glen Oaks residents are invited to join their neighbors at the picnic area on the hill for an old-fashioned ice cream social on Saturday, June 10 from 1-3 p.m. This is a free event but people must call to register and will need to pick up their tickets. Call Tina at 301-441-1096.

**Greenbelt CARES**

The anger management groups, funded through a Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) grant, which were conducted at Eleanor Roosevelt High School have now been completed. In all, four groups were run: two mid winter and two springtime. The groups were co-led by four former or current Greenbelt CARES Family Clinic volunteer counselors. All group participants demonstrated acquisition of anger management skills, as indicated by pre- and post-testing.

During the month of May, CARES saw a weekly average of 22 families, 49 individuals and 17 youths under age 18. Fifty-seven students participated in the CARES tutoring program.

The last session of the seventh grade discussion group at Greenbelt Middle School was held on June 2. Group topics included anger management, violence prevention, personal goal setting and drug awareness. Teresa Smithson, group leader, co-lead the sessions with seventh grade counselor Wayne Davis.

**Pre-Solstice Walk**

A Ranger-led pre-solstice walk will be held on Saturday June 17 at 10 a.m. at Greenbelt Park. There will be a short discussion on the astronomical features creating the coming of the seasons. End the spring and begin the summer season with this 90-minute walk through the park. Meet at the Ranger Station near the campground on Saturday, June 17 at 10 a.m.

For more directions or information, call 301-344-3944.

**Golden Age Club**

by Ruth Huggins

At the May 31 meeting of the Golden Age Club, President Bill Souser and Vice-President Joe Wilkinson urged members to attend the many festivities June 3 and 4 during Greenbelt Day weekend. Betty Petroff, Sunshine chair, sent get well wishes to Ernie Varda, recovering from a virus.

Travel Chair John Taylor urged members to sign up for the June 19 trip to see the Bowie Baysox. The group will leave Greenbelt at 5 p.m. The game starts at 7:05 p.m.

Ellie Rimar, membership chair, welcomed guest Margaret Swope and new member Roger Brown. Solange Hess, hospitality chair, announced a birthday party June 21; Sylvia Kender will be in charge.

Guest speaker David Moran, assistant to the city manager, grew up in Greenbelt and has worked for the city for the last five years. He is a member of the Maryland Municipal League Legislative Committee and maintains close contact with our legislators and their staffs in Annapolis. He answered the many questions Golden Agers asked regarding city affairs. In the audience were David's proud parents, Golden Agers Tom and Lori Moran.

We were saddened to hear of the death of Dr. Bergemann.

**Donation Drop-Off**

The June Donation Drop-Off, co-sponsored with the American Rescue Workers, will be held this Saturday, June 10, behind the Municipal Building from 9 a.m. until noon. Bring clean, useable clothing, small household items, curtains, towels, bedding, sheets, toys, puzzles and books. Donations will be used by needy people in Prince George's County and are tax-deductible. Remember, Donation Drop-Off is the second Saturday of every month.

**At the Library**

Tuesday, June 13, 7 p.m., P.J. Storytime, ages 4-6.

Thursday, June 15, 10:15 a.m., Drop-In Storytime, ages 3-5.

In the display case for June is an exhibit on mosquito control by the Prince George's County Department of Environmental Resources.

**Nicolo Whimsey Show At SHL Rec. Center**

The City of Greenbelt Recreation Department will present the Nicolo Whimsey Show on Sunday, June 11 at 4 p.m. at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center, 6101 Cherrywood Lane.

Part of the City Stages Performance Series, this free show is a Renaissance style performance of juggling, music, poetry, comedy, character acting and more. It is geared for young audiences.

For more information call 301-397-2203.

**Clean Up the Woods**

The Woodlands Committee, a standing committee of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) and a cooperative committee, is charged with the responsibility of caring for the urban forest in historic Greenbelt. It periodically does projects in the wooded areas to promote the safety and beauty of the GHI common lands. To that end, they will be doing a clean up of the wooded area behind and beside Greenbelt Homes apartments on Parkway on Sunday, June 11 at 2 p.m. The committee wishes to extend an invitation to all who are willing to lend a hand. Bring work gloves.

**Greens to Meet**

The Greenbelt Greens will meet Monday June 12 in the Greenbelt Police Station at the corner of Ridge and Crescent Roads at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting will plan the signature gathering to get the Green Party and its presidential candidate Ralph Nader on the Maryland state ballot.

For further information phone Bob Auerbach, 301-474-1998. Refreshments will be served.

**Greenbelt Lake Village Circulation**

Pat McCoy, News Review staffer and resident of Greenbelt Lake Village, has been delivering this newspaper in her building each week and leaving extra papers in the Manor House. She would like volunteers from other buildings to help with the delivery. McCoy can be reached during the day at her office: 202-651-5781.

**PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION**



SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2000  
10AM-4PM  
HOWARD DUCKETT RECREATION CENTER  
16501 Supplee Lane, Laurel, MD



Oil-based paints, pesticides, lawn chemicals and other hazardous wastes may be disposed of by taking them to

this location. For questions, call Prince George's County, Office of Waste Management at 301-883-5045.

**Channel B-10 Schedule Greenbelt Municipal/Public Access TV**

MUNICIPAL ACCESS-301-474-8000

Tuesday & Thursday June 13<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>

- 6:00 p.m. - "Earth Café # 14"
- 6:30 p.m. - "Perils for Pedestrians"
- 7:30 p.m. - "Jazz with Norman Evans"

PUBLIC ACCESS-GATE-301-507-6581

Wednesday & Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 p.m. - "Kids Film Festival"

**REGISTER NOW**

**2000 MISS GREENBELT SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT**

\$2000 Savings Bond Awarded 2000 Miss Greenbelt!!

Miss Greenbelt Pageant, Ages 14-19

Junior Miss Greenbelt, Ages 11-13

Little Miss Greenbelt, Ages 7-10

Make New Friends - Learn New Skills

Scholarship, Prizes, Awards, Professional Photo Session, Television Appearances, Make-up and Modeling Sessions

1st Rehearsal - June 11 - 3:00 pm - Youth Center

Call Natasha Jewell at (301) 352-8665 or Christine Patsas at (301) 513-7759 to register or for more information.



**Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center**

**OUTDOOR POOL HOURS**

Monday-Friday  
11 am - 8 pm  
Saturday - Sunday  
10am - 8pm

Call 301-397-2204 for more information

## OBITUARIES

### Tara Mary Merritt

Tara Mary Merritt, age 45, of Mechanicsville, died on May 28, 2000 of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (Lou Gehrig's Disease).

Mrs. Merritt grew up in Greenbelt and attended St. Hugh's school, Greenbelt Junior High School and Parkdale High School. After graduating from the University of Maryland, she was a registered dietician at Southern Maryland Hospital, Mechanicsville and a clinical specialist at St. Mary's Hospital.

Survivors include her husband of 23 years, Robert Jay Merritt; children Kathryn D. and Daniel W. Merritt, parents Dolores F. and William F. McCloskey, Waldorf; sister Sue Anne Evans, brothers William R., Joseph P., Raymond G., Dennis F. and Matthew J. McCloskey; nine nieces and 11 nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Friday, June 2 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Mechanicsville. Interment was in Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Foundation or Hospice of St. Mary's County.

### Wayne Roberts

Former Greenbelter Wayne Atwood Roberts of Manchester, Maryland died on May 28, 2000.

He was a member of Greenbelt American Legion Post 136. Legion members held a service at Gasch's Funeral Home on Monday, June 5.

Mr. Roberts is survived by a son Paul Atwood Roberts and his wife Joan Bernice Roberts of Chesterfield, MD; grandchildren Nelson Atwood Roberts of Parker Ford, PA and Michelle Renee Roberts Swain of St. Charles, MD; and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Betty Roberts and his son Nelson Oliver Roberts.

A graveside service was held on June 6 at Arlington National Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made in his name to the American Cancer Society.

### Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

3215 Powder Mill Road,  
Beltsville/Adelphi (301-937-3666)  
Welcomes you to our open,  
nurturing community

June 11, 2000 - 10:30 a.m.

"The Transitions of Our Lives."



by Barbara Wells and  
Jaco B. ten Hove  
Co-Ministers

You're  
Welcome  
Here

### St. George's Episcopal Church

Episcopal/Anglican  
Corner of Lanham-Severn Road  
(MD 564) and Glenn Dale  
Road, just south of  
Greenbelt Rd (MD 193), Glenn Dale

301-262-3285

#### Sunday Services

9 am Folk Service (Interpreted for the  
Deaf/Hard of Hearing)  
10 am Education for all ages  
11 am Sung Service

### Sean A. Rice

Sean A. Rice died on June 1, 2000. He is survived by his children DaLonte, Diontre and Tyriq; parents Etta Washington and George Rice, step-father, Samuel Washington; grandparents, Alberta Washington, Betsy and Vernon Jones and George Rice, Sr.; brothers George Rice and Lawrence Parrott; and sister Queenesther Fowler. His wife Asha Jeannine Rice died the next day.

Services were held June 8 at the New Commandment Baptist Church, Washington, D.C. Interment was in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

### Asha Jeannine Rice

Asha Jeannine Rice died on June 2, 2000. Her husband, the late Sean Alonzo Rice, preceded her in death by one day.

She is survived by sons DaLonte, Diontre and Tyriq; parents Phillip and Bernice Martin, brothers Calvin Martin (Suzanne) and Tshaka Curtis (Gail); grandparents Phyllis Martin and Ervan Peterson, and a host of relatives and friends.

Friends may call at St. James Baptist Church, 4024 Minnesota Ave., N.E., Washington, D.C. on Saturday, June 10 from 10 a.m. until the time of services at 11 a.m. Interment will be at Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

### Social Services Is Seeking Volunteers

The Prince George's County Department of Social Services is seeking volunteer telephone receptionists, playroom supervisors, transportation providers, data entry personnel, accountants, mentors, front desk receptionists, fund raisers and grant writers. Volunteer orientations will be held on June 13. For additional information call Mary Lou Klemm at 301-209-5208.

### Greek Food Festival Is this Weekend

St. Theodore's Greek Orthodox Church will hold its annual Spring Greek Festival on Friday, June 9 through Sunday, June 11. Admission is free and the festival is open all three days from noon to 9 p.m. Greek food specialties will be served including gyro and souvlaki sandwiches, grilled lamb, chicken rotisserie, baklava, other Greek pastries, and Greek beer and wines.

The festival also features a live band with traditional Greek folk dancing starting at 5 p.m. There will be a moon bounce, face painting, clowns, and other arts and crafts for children. A Greek grocery store will be there and music, books and jewelry are available for sale. The church is located at 7101 Cipriano Road just behind the K-Mart store.

### Rev. Renée MacKey To Be Installed

Berwyn Presbyterian Church and National Capital Presbytery invite the community to the installation service of the Reverend Renée L. MacKey on Sunday, June 11 at 6 p.m. A reception will follow the service. Rev. MacKey began her ministry as Berwyn's new pastor on Easter Sunday.

Pastor MacKey comes to Berwyn Presbyterian Church from the First Presbyterian Church of Missouri Valley, Iowa where she served as pastor for seven years. She is currently working on her Doctor of Divinity degree at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. She received her Master of Divinity degree from the Denver Seminary. Renée also has a master's degree in education from the University of Colorado at Denver.

Berwyn Presbyterian Church is at 6301 Greenbelt Road, Berwyn Heights. For further information call 301-474-7573.

### Kids' Video Showcase Impresses Viewers

by Barbara Simon

"Vids by Kids," a festival showcasing videos made by young people, played at the Old Greenbelt Theatre Saturday morning, June 3, to an audience that was impressed by the variety of films. The entries included live action narratives, news shows, documentaries, and animated works, and were often satirical and sometimes serious. Greenbelt was well represented, but works were submitted by young people from other communities of Maryland and Virginia as well.

In the 15 years and under age group, the following young people received awards: Dacia Bell, from Mitchellville, won the award for best narrative for "Double Trouble at Sunshine High"; Ryan McMullin, from Greenbelt, won the award for best satire for the "Not So Great or Politically Correct News Show"; and the GAVA/GATE Summer 1999 Animation Class won the award for best animation for "When Wetlands Strike Back!" In the 16 to 18 year-old age group Nathaniel Brunson and Rebecca Dupas from Friendly High School in Fort Washington won the award for best documentary for "In The Minds of a Poet"; the Blake Video Crew from James Hubert Blake High School in Sil-

ver Spring won the award for best news show with a sequence from "The Morning Howl"; and Danny Smith, Chris Holland and Sean Casey from T.C. Williams High School in Alexandria, Virginia, won the award for best satire for "Smash Can."

"Vids by Kids" was produced by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts (GAVA), Greenbelt Access Television (GATE), and the Friends of the Old Greenbelt Theatre. Prizes were donated by Blockbuster Entertainment and the Greenbelt Video Store. The Arts and Cultural Heritage Division of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission gave advice and assistance. All GAVA/GATE programs are supported by the City of Greenbelt, Department of Recreation.

### Medicinal Herbs Discovery Station

What do plants contain that help humans cope with pain and disease? Find out from knowledgeable docents at this free informal, drop-in station for all ages in the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum on Saturday, June 10 and Sunday, June 11 from 1 - 3 p.m. For information call 202-245-2726.



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### Greenbelt Baptist Church



**Teddy Bear Parade**

Fifty children brought Teddy Bears to a library-sponsored 6th annual picnic and parade in front of the library building. Children ages mostly 2 to 5 listened to stories, sang songs, paraded around the green and washed down Teddy Grahams with lemonade. Someone went home with the "Millennium Bear."

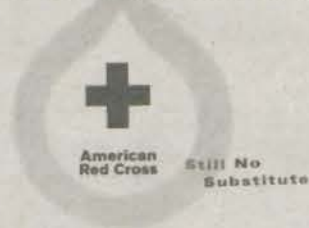
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**Naturalist Trail Walk At Greenbelt Park**

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For more directions or information, call Greenbelt Park at 301-344-3944.

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**Free Class Aids Cancer Patients**

Recovering cancer patients can learn new grooming techniques to minimize treatment side effects. The free class will be held on Monday, June 12, at 9 a.m. at Washington Adventist Hospital (7600 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park). For more information call 1-800-542-5096. Registration is required.

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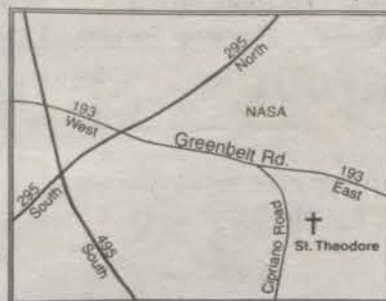
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**The Recycling Bin**



Dear Lorax, I've recently been diagnosed with Diabetes and need insulin shots. My problem is I don't know how to dispose of the needles. Can you help? *A Sick Friend.*

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Dear Lorax, I recently painted my house and I have some paint left over. How do I dispose of the paint? *Painter on Plateau*

Dear Painter, You should let your left over latex paint air dry away from children and pets. One method is to pour the latex paint into a paper box or bag, and add an absorbent material such as shredded newspaper and cat box filler to speed drying. Recycle the empty paint can, and then throw the dried paint away with your normal trash!

Mail your recycling questions, comments etc. to The Lorax, c/o William Smith, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770 or visit [www.ci.greenbelt.md.us](http://www.ci.greenbelt.md.us).

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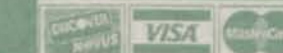


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# SANTOS

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Police, Lodge #32, and the Loyal Order of the Moose, Lodge #453.

Santos has received numerous honors and recognitions. In 1973, the city's recreation department awarded him with the certificate of meritorious service. Fourteen years later, Governor William Donald Schaefer appointed him as a commissioner on the Maryland Veterans Commission, an independent state agency serving the veterans of Maryland. He continues to serve on the Maryland Military Monuments Commission and received the American Legion Gold Brigade Membership Award in 1987 and 1988. Santos has 31 years of experience as an independent and staff insurance claims representative, specializing in the adjustment of property claims.

Those interested in contributing to Santos' campaign, whose goal is to raise \$125,000, should make checks payable to the American Legion, Department of Maryland and mail them to Richard Santos at 62-E Ridge Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770-0740.

## Parenting Teens Seminar Offered

A seminar on "Parenting the Adolescent" will be given on Wednesday, June 14 at 7 p.m. at Washington Adventist Hospital. Parents, guardians and anyone who has a special interest in adolescents may attend this free program to learn skills and strategies for coping with challenges.

For more information call 1-800-542-5096. Registration is required.



Greenbelt resident Richard Santos is running for national commander of the American Legion.

## Discover the Park

Join a naturalist and a park ranger in a special opportunity for a walk to discover Greenbelt Park.

Meet at the Ranger Station near the campground on Sunday, June 11, at 10 a.m.

For more directions or information, call Greenbelt Park at 301-344-3944.

## A Greenbelt Gardener

by Rosie Rhubarb

The weather has been a bit cooler and rainier than it usually is this time of year and that makes the gardener's job easier. I've seldom had to water. New plants need to be watered very frequently so with rain every few days watering has been one job less to do.

The weeds seem to be growing slower than usual, too, another reduction in the work load. The heat loving weed plants usually have jumped up by now. Keep ahead, get rid of weeds now by hand weeding or hoeing the garden patch. Then lay down a layer of mulch which prevents all but the occasional weed from growing in your garden patch.

Grass clippings, autumn leaves, pine needles, bark nuggets, and small stones are just some of the materials that can be used as mulch. By laying

down the same material in the garden bed a neat, uniform appearance is achieved.

On the GHI house and garden tour this weekend I saw several yards where bark nugget mulch was used on the ground among the flower plants. The yards appeared neat, tidy and weed free. The perfect solution for a shady yard where grass won't easily grow and for the gardener who wants to cut back on time spent in the garden doing chores, mulch also keeps the ground from drying out in the hot summer sun. This means the garden bed has to be watered less frequently.

Using plant material as mulch feeds the garden plants. Leaves, grass, and bark nuggets will decay and add nutrients to the soil. But bear in mind that leaves are not the most attractive of mulchs and probably should be used in spots that are not in the view of passersby.

## Special Education Workshops Offered

A free workshop, "Working through the Special Education System," will be held by the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill (NAMI) on Thursday, June 15, 7-9 p.m. The speaker will be Dr. Carol Amoia, administrator for special education for the Prince George's Board of Education.

The workshop will be held at the NAMI - Prince George's County office (PG County Police Community Resource Center - Landover Mall). For information call 301-322-1900.

A further labor saving step is to put down a soaker hose and then lay the mulch right over the ground and hose. A soaker hose under mulch is a very efficient way to water a garden bed. Just turn on the hose rather than hand water the bed.

## JUNE IS PEDESTRIAN SAFETY MONTH IN GREENBELT!

Pedestrians, Bicyclists, Skaters and Skateboarders often have to share the same crosswalks, sidewalks and trails. Here are a few tips on how to do this safely!

- When a pedestrian sees cyclist and/or skaters approaching it is best to step aside and let them pass.
- When a cyclist or skater is approaching a pedestrian from behind, it is their responsibility to let the pedestrian know that they are coming by calling out, ringing a bell or a horn.
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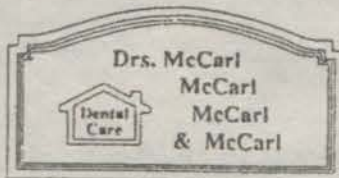
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# POLICE BLOTTER

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

## Armed Robberies

6000 Greenbelt Road, May 30, 4:22 p.m., a man entered Chevy Chase Bank and approached a teller. Claiming to have a bomb in the bag he was carrying, the man demanded money. The teller complied and the suspect left the bank on foot. He is described as a black male, about 27, 5' 6" to 5' 7", 180 - 200 lbs., with a beard. He was wearing a black ball cap and green jacket as well as round gold-tone glasses.

8000 block Mandan Road, May 29, 11:42 a.m., a woman was inside an apartment hallway/landing area when she was approached by a man who produced a silver handgun and held it to her neck. He pushed her to the ground and took her U.S. Census bag before fleeing on foot. The victim refused treatment for a laceration to her head. The suspect is described as a black male in his 30s, 5' 11", 180 lbs., wearing blue jeans and a light blue skull cap.

## Assaults

32 court of Ridge Road, May 27, 11 a.m., a warrant was obtained charging a resident with domestic assault. The warrant was given to the sheriff's department for service.

Beltway Plaza, May 26, 8:14 p.m., a 17-year-old female nonresident was arrested after punching another female in the face at the Lot store. She was released pending action by the juvenile justice system. The victim refused treatment for bruises.

9100 block Edmonston Road, May 30, 10:53, a 43-year-old female resident was arrested and charged with assault. She had argued with her female roommate and punched her several times. She was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a commissioner. The victim refused treatment for dizziness.

Hanover Parkway and Hanover Drive, June 2, 3:07 a.m., the victim reported he was walking home from a friend's house when he was approached from behind by four or five people. One of them punched him in the face. Falling to the ground, the victim was punched and kicked by the suspects, who fled on foot. A relative drove the victim to Doctors Hospital for treatment.

## Robberies

200 block Lakeside Drive, May 28, 8:53 a.m., a woman complained that when she and her former boyfriend were arguing, he forcibly took a diamond ring from her and threw her to the ground. Investigation continues.

## Drugs

6100 block Breezewood Court, May 30, 12:57 p.m., a 22-year-old male resident and a 21-year-old male non-resident were arrested and charged on citation with possession of paraphernalia in a parked vehicle. Marijuana paraphernalia was found in the vehicle.

Both men were released pending trial.

## Thefts

99 Centerway, May 26, 7:05 p.m., officers took a report on a stolen 28" Huffy brand mountain bike. The bicycle was not secured.

101 Centerway, May 31, 5:33 p.m., a wallet was taken from an unsecured locker at the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

North End Ballfield, May 31, 3:27 p.m., an unattended black 5-speed boy's mountain bike was reported stolen.

6000 block Springhill Drive, May 28, 1:08 a.m., a 22-year-old female nonresident was arrested and charged with theft after taking a cellular phone from a residence. She was released on citation pending trial.

6400 Ivy Lane, May 29, 9:30 p.m., a men's wrist watch was taken from a room at the Marriott Hotel.

Beltway Plaza, May 29, 9:30 p.m., a 29-year-old nonresident was arrested and charged with theft after using a stolen credit card to make purchases at the Radio Shack. He was apprehended after a brief foot chase and released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a commissioner.

Greenway Center, May 29, 12:18 p.m., an unattended gym bag was taken from the women's locker room at the Bally's Fitness Club.

7500 block Mandan Road, May 30, 2 p.m., a stolen bicycle report was taken for a black Huffy brand 21-speed

men's mountain bike, and a black Murray brand 12-speed ladies' mountain bike.

## Vandalism

100 block Westway, May 28, 8:14 p.m., four apartment windows were broken out.

9100 block Edmonston Court, May 31, 4:02 p.m., unknown persons broke out a patio window.

## Trespassing

7601 Hanover Parkway, May 30, 11:37 a.m., a 16-year-old male nonresident was arrested for trespassing after he was found on the grounds of Eleanor Roosevelt High School after he had been banned. He was released to Juvenile Services.

## Vehicle Crimes

Five stolen vehicles were recovered.

The following vehicles were reported stolen: a brown 1987 Mercedes four-door, Maryland tags DPX342 from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road, May 28; a burgundy 1987 Toyota Camry, Maryland tags HBC560 from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road, May 29; a white 1988 Toyota Camry four-door, Maryland tags HHS166 from the unit block of Parkway, May 29; a 2000 Dodge Intrepid four-door (no color or tags given) reported stolen to P.G. County Police on May 23; a burgundy 1987 Toyota Cressida four-door, Maryland tags GVG502, May 31.

The following stolen vehicles/tags were recovered: 6500 block Greenbelt Road, May 26, a 28-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with theft after he was stopped for a traffic violation. A computer check revealed that the tags had been reported stolen to Arlington County Police. He was released pending trial.

## Help Foreign Students To Speak English

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A 1991 Toyota Camry four-door was stolen and recovered May 28 in Hyattsville. No arrests were made.

A 1989 Toyota Camry four-door was recovered May 29 in the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road. No arrests were made.

A 1989 Toyota Camry four-door was recovered May 29 in the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane. No arrests were made.

A 1997 Mazda 626 four-door stolen earlier from Greenbelt Road was recovered May 29 by the Fredericksburg, VA sheriff's office.

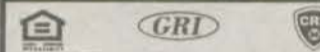
A 1996 Honda motorcycle reported stolen in 1996 was recovered May 30 by Prince George's County police in Clinton, MD. No arrests were made.

Vandalisms to and thefts and attempted thefts from vehicles occurred in the following areas: 6000 block Greenbelt Road, 9300 block Edmonston Road, 200 block Lakeside Drive, 7600 block Mandan Road, 6900 block Hanover Parkway (two incidents), 8200 block Canning Terrace, 7500 block Mandan Road, 7200 block Mathew Street, 100 block Centerway, 6300 block Golden Triangle Drive, and 5700 block Greenbelt Metro Drive.

## NARFE Will Hold Luncheon Meeting

The next meeting of National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) Chapter 2146 will be a luncheon meeting at the Sir Walter Raleigh Inn, 6323 Greenbelt Road, College Park at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 21. The menu is soup, salad and sandwich. Reservations go to NARFE Chapter 2146, 4417 Havelock Road, Lanham, MD 20706-1942, by June 13 please. For information and price call 301-577-1174.

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Conservator Sharon Koehler, who repaired the mother and child statue in Roosevelt Center, returned to Greenbelt several weeks ago to oversee the placement of the statue.

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## FLAGPOLE

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space around it. The statue itself, unveiled by Mayor Davis, was apparently sculpted some time in the '60s and rested in Lenore Thomas' garden until relatives - daughter Lenore Straus and her husband - decided to donate it to the city of Greenbelt. Mrs. Straus, who was unable to attend the dedication, said her mother "always felt close to the city of Greenbelt." Lenore Thomas was the 1930s creator of friezes on the Community Center and the Mother and Child statue in Roosevelt Center, which has become a Greenbelt landmark.

Greenbelt resident and Eagle Scout candidate Andrew Canter was introduced by the Mayor and thanked for his central role in creating the two benches for resting in the meditation gar-

## Our Neighbors

Our sympathy to Marge Bergemann and her family on the death of her husband, Dr. Till Bergemann.

Greenbelters were saddened to hear of the deaths of former residents Wayne Roberts and Tara McCloskey Merritt, as well as shocked and saddened for the children of Sean and Asha Rice.

Congratulations to Megan E. Zeleny, who graduated cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in physical education, from the University of Maryland, at College Park, on May 25.

den. As she introduced Andrew's parents and grandparents, she mentioned that Andrew has had a major role in creating four other benches as well.

The three Miss Greenbelt, Junior Miss and Little Miss Greenbelt titleholders were also introduced and participated in the statue unveiling.



Public works employees constructed the black cement cube that the Lenore Thomas Strauss statue sits on in the new Meditation Garden. A square of black marble covers the rough surface. Here the men prepare to drill two holes for steel pegs that will secure the statue to its base.

Megan, a member of Delta Gamma sorority, president of Phi Alpha Epsilon honorary society, and a member of Phi Kappa Phi honorary society, will begin her teaching and coaching career at Sidwell Friends School in Washington, D.C. this fall.

Congratulations to Lena Long of Greenbriar. She celebrated her 90th birthday on Saturday, June 3, at the Terrace Room in Greenbriar with her family and many friends.

Jason Peckenpaugh received the Ellen Rogers Steif Memorial Award at Carleton College at the

annual Honors Day Convocation on Friday, May 26. Peckenpaugh, a senior history major, is the son of Jon and Cheryl Peckenpaugh. He is a 1996 graduate of Saint Anselm's Abbey School, Washington, D.C.

Greenbelt's Paul Downs was featured on the front page of the spring edition of "Potomac Basin Reporter." Downs, shown hauling a big tire from Indian Creek, was one of more than 3,100 volunteers to spend April Fools Day cleaning the banks of streams and rivers throughout the Potomac Watershed.



**Greenbelt Arts Center**  
123 Centerway P.O. Box 293  
Greenbelt, MD 20768

**PRESENTS**

**I REMEMBER MAMA**  
by John van Druten

**JUNE 9-JULY 1**  
Fri & Sat 8:00 pm  
Sun 18 & 25 2:00 pm

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**AUDITIONS FOR**

**BIG O' MY HEART**  
an original play by  
Bruce McDade

5 men 30-60 5 women 30-80  
2+ children (no lines)

**MON & TUES June 12 & 13**  
RES/INFO 301-441-8770

## Safety Message

The Greenbelt Department of Planning and Community Development offers these safety tips regarding gas appliances. Pilot lights automatically light the main burner when a gas appliance is turned on. Should the pilot go out for some reason, use the following safety procedures to re-light it.

1. Read the instructions in the owner's manual or on the instruction plate attached to the appliance.
2. Do not strike a match until enough time for unburned gas to leave the room — approximately five minutes.
3. Use a match holder to light the pilot and be sure to light the match first, and then turn on the appliance.
4. If the pilot or main burner fails to stay lit, call the gas company.



## Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center ADMISSION POLICY CHANGE

Non-residents will not be able to purchase daily admissions to the pool and fitness center on weekends and holidays unless they are a guest of a passholder or a Greenbelt resident.

Guest fees are as follows:  
\$5.00/youth (1-13 years)  
\$7.00/adult (14-59 years)  
\$5.00/senior (60 years & older)

## WE NEED YOUR HELP!

In order to implement these changes, anyone wishing to pay a daily admission fee must present a valid I.D. proving Greenbelt residency. Also, passholders and residents will be responsible for their guest.



## NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF THE BUDGET 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

## FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001

At its regular meeting of June 5, 2000, the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, adopted the budget for Fiscal Year 2001, thereby approving expenditures as follows:

General Fund	\$15,279,500
Cemetery Fund	1,100
Debt Service Fund	1,488,500
Replacement Fund	506,800
Temporary Disability Reserve Fund	110,000
Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund	2,500
Green Ridge House	961,183
Capital Projects Fund	1,352,000
Community Development Block Grant Fund	200,000

Copies of the adopted budget document will be available for examination on about August 1, 2000, at the City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, and at the Greenbelt Branch of the Prince George's Memorial Library, 11 Crescent Road.

Kathleen Gallagher  
City Clerk