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Candidates On the Ballot

This is a listing of the Democratic, Republican, Libertarian and non-partisan candidates for each office up for election at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 5 as they will appear on the voting machines in all Greenbelt precincts. Also shown for each office is the maximum number of candidates for which votes can be cast.

Governor/Lt. Governor (vote for one)

D—Kathleen Kennedy Townsend/Charles R. Larson
R—Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr./Michael S. Steele
L—Spear Lancaster/ Lorenzo Gaztanaga (by petition)
Write In—Ralph Jaffe (D), James T. Lynch, Jr. (D)

Comptroller (vote for one)

D—William Donald Schaefer
R—Gene Zarwell
Write In—Lih Young (D), Beth Hufnagle (G)

Attorney General (vote for one)

D—J. Joseph Curran, Jr.
R—Edwin MacVaugh

Representative in Congress, District 5 (vote for one)

D—Steny H. Hoyer
R—Joseph T. Crawford
Write In—Robert Auerbach (G)

State Senator, District 22 (vote for one)

D—Paul G. Pinsky (unopposed)
House of Delegates, District 22 (vote for no more than three)

D—Tawanna P. Gaines, Anne Healey, Justin D. Ross
R—Dominique J. Brown

County Executive (vote for one)

D—Jack Johnson
R—Audrey E. Scott

County Council, District 4 (vote for one)

D—Douglas J. J. Peters
R—Melvin Bernard Johnson

Judge of the Circuit Court, Circuit 7 (vote for no more than four)

Melanie Shaw Geter (unopposed), Dwight Jackson (unopposed), Sean D. Wallace (unopposed), Julia B. Weatherly (unopposed)
State's Attorney (vote for one)

D—Glenn Ivey (unopposed)
Clerk of the Circuit Court (vote for one)

D—Rosalyn E. Pugh
R—Elizabeth J. Pawlak

Register of Wills (vote for one)

D—Lynn Loughlin Skerpon (unopposed)

Judge of the Orphans' Court (vote for no more than three)

D—Wendy Alise Cartwright, Angelo I. Castelli, Albert W. Northrop

R—Richard J. Landon

Sheriff (vote for one)

D—Michael Jackson (unopposed)

Party Affiliation Key:

D—Democrat; **G**—Green; **L**—Libertarian; **R**—Republican

12 Ballot Questions Give Voters Choices to Ponder

by James Giese

At the November 5 general election there will be fewer choices for voters to make among the candidates seeking office than was the case at the September primary election. However, the reduction of candidates will be offset by 12 ballot questions for voters to either approve or disapprove. Three questions are state-wide constitutional amendments (although one issue only relates to Montgomery County), four others are proposed amendments to the Prince George's County Charter and the remaining five questions relate to issuing bonds in Prince George's County. None of the questions has engendered any significant controversy or stirred voter interest so far.

State Questions

The first question asks voters to vote for or against an amendment that would enable District Court commissioners to issue Civil Interim Peace and Protective Orders at such times when the District Court is not open. If approved, the orders made by commissioners must be reviewed by a District Court judge at a hearing within two business days of being issued. Peace and protective orders are issued on behalf of

persons seeking relief from abuse under the current domestic violence law or protection from another individual. Such orders may direct a respondent to: refrain from committing or threatening abuse or committing a prohibited act; end all contact with the victim or petitioner; stay away from the victim's or petitioner's home, place of employment or school; or award temporary use and possession of a home or custody of children.

Currently, commissioners are limited by the constitution to issuing arrest warrants and setting terms for pre-trial release pending hearing in criminal cases. One or more commissioners must be available in each county at all times.

Question 2, if approved, will permit the Maryland General Assembly to pass emergency laws creating or abolishing any public office or changing the terms and duties of any officer. Presently, the legislature is prohibited from passing emergency legislation for any measure that would create or abolish any office, change the salary, term, or duties of any of-

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Show at Community Center Will Have Korean Flavor

There's a new exhibition at the Greenbelt Community Center Art Gallery beginning on November 1. "Crossing the Road: Contemporary Korean American Art" features the work of five young artists from the greater Washington metropolitan area. An opening reception and artists' gallery talk will be held on Sunday, November 3 from 2 to 4 p.m.

"Crossing the Road" was curated by Shin Yeon Jeon, an artist in residence at the Greenbelt Community Center. In selecting artists to participate in the exhibit, Jeon sought to introduce diverse media and aesthetic perspectives. The show includes ceramics, relief sculpture, painting and artist's books. Jeon also sought to emphasize the originality and contemporary feel of artwork produced by artists who nonetheless share strong connections with Korean culture and tradition.

Artist Tai Hwa Goh will present portfolios of prints and drawings. In 2001, Goh was the recipient of an individual artist's award from the Prince George's Arts Council. She holds a B.A. and an M.F.A. degree from Seoul National University and is currently pursuing a second M.F.A.



Examples of ceramic sculpture works of University Park elementary teacher and Korean artist Shin Yeon Jeon among items on display at Community Center Art Gallery through December 15.

at the University of Maryland, College Park.

Painter Novel Yi will present a luminous abstract triptych that contains suggestions of a dark mountainside. Yi received his M.F.A. degree from the University of Maryland, where he was awarded the prestigious David Driskell prize for excellence in the fine arts. He is currently teaching at the Art Institute in Rosslyn, Virginia.

Jean Rah's contribution to the exhibit is unique grids of shallow relief sculpture. Her wall-mounted works are composed of individually carved wooden tiles combined to create an undulating, topographical effect. The

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Greenbelt Provides a Safe Halloween Haven at C.C.

Halloween Haven, at the Community Center, will offer Greenbelt's children a magic show, costume contest, in-the-building trick or treating, crafts, games and movies.

This free Halloween extravaganza, from 6 to 10 p.m. on Thursday, October 31 was suggested by the recreation staff to provide a safe alternative to the usual outdoor Halloween trick or treating and was supported by the city council at a work session last week. The city is combining several events they normally sponsor, including Schrom Fest which has been cancelled. The funds from those events will provide a vast array of family activities.

The Program

Children with a parent will want to arrive at 6 p.m. for a magic show. Judges will circulate through the room to find the best costumes in many categories.

Prizes will be awarded. Families will then learn of the many activities available in the building. Plans are not yet set in stone according to the recreation staff. Thus what's presented in this article could change by next Thursday.

From 7 to 9 p.m. children with a parent may trick or treat throughout the building. Candy will be provided by the city.

Special Activities

Beginning also at 7 p.m. in special activity rooms, families may play games, see movies, make-and-take arts and crafts and visit a caricaturist.

After 7 p.m. the gym will be the site for active play with a moon bounce, ball-crawl and a third activity yet to be decided.

Also under consideration is food for the kids - possibly pizza or hot dogs. Parents with questions may call Julie McHale at the Youth Center, 301-937-2200.

Access Television Programs Grow, So Does Membership

by Judy Bell

"We continue to produce approximately one new production every week," said Greenbelt Access Television's (GATE) Administrator Malia Murray during a stakeholder's meeting with Greenbelt City Council on October 16. President Bob Zugby also attended the meeting along with several other GATE members.

"We are working with the Boy Scouts and the Lions Club . . . increasing contact" in the community. "Our membership is growing very fast," Zugby said. Murray added that 23 new members have joined this year. Educational programs are being maintained with Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) and Greenbelt Audio Visual Arts (GAVA) and "Springhill Lake is coming on board," said Zugby.

Murray mentioned that GATE works with the city's Public Information and Communications Coordinator Beverly Palau for the mutual benefit of both organizations. GATE produces a newsletter, a bi-monthly guest speaker series and works as well with interns from ERHS. Murray announced that Nick Dobson is the new

production manager.

New equipment is included in GATE's FY 2003 budget, with total expenses projected at \$66,690. GATE is interested in showing more films at Greenbelt Theatre, but would need a 5000 lumen projector which has the capability of showing videos on a large screen. It comes with a price tag of \$15,000.

Discussion ensued regarding the possibilities of INET. City Manager Michael McLaughlin explained, "I think the capabilities are really organizational, as opposed to citizen or consumer. It's a pipeline for us to share information, data, possibly phone systems, security signals . . . not a channel to disseminate information." However, there is capability for GATE to have its own channel, independent of INET, according to Murray.

White asked, "What is needed to accomplish that?" McLaughlin replied, "Making a request and throwing the switch, if that's where GATE wants to go. But there's always the philo-

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What Goes On

Saturday, October 26

11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Fire Prevention Open House, Fire Department

Monday, October 28

8 p.m., City Council worksession, Public Works Expansion, Municipal Building

Wednesday, October 30

8 p.m., City Council worksession, Skate Facility, Community Center

Thursday, October 31

6 to 10 p.m., Halloween Haven, City Halloween Program, Community Center

Sunday, November 3

1 to 5 p.m., Artful Afternoon, Community Center



PHOTO BY TREVOR SIEGEL

Girls' Recorder Blow-out perform at the Labor Day Festival Talent Show. The girls on stage are, from left, Elyssa Davis, Suzana Cooper, Emily Riehl and Dina Goldberg-Strassler.

Simon to Speak At Annual Meeting

by Mary Moien

The annual meeting of the New Deal Café will be held this Sunday, October 27 at 4 p.m. at the Café in Roosevelt Center. All are invited to attend and participate, whether or not they are members of the Café cooperative. One major topic will be the formation of the Friends of New Deal Café Arts (FONDCA) group, headed by local artist Barbara Simon.

The new FONDCA group is a non-profit group founded to support arts and entertainment at the New Deal Café. The group has filed for non-profit status and expects to be approved within the next few months. Non-profit status will allow the group to apply for local and state grants that support the arts. Potential grant sources include the Maryland State Arts Council and the Prince George's Arts Council.

The non-profit status will also allow them to accept tax-deductible donations from interested persons. Donations and grants can provide funds for activities at the Café and in Roosevelt Center, such as music series, literature readings and individual musicians.

At the meeting Simon plans to describe the FONDCA program and the activities where volunteers can assist. These activities include publicity and helping to mount both fund raising and arts events. "I look forward to working with the other community arts groups and want to keep arts a vital part of Roosevelt Center," she commented.

Artful Afternoon: Crafts, Talk, Dance

Korean-American art, stained glass workshop and improvisational dance are the featured activities for November's Artful Afternoon at the Community Center on Sunday, November 3 from 1 to 5 p.m. This free program, sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department, is open to the public and provides activities for all ages.

There will be a stained glass workshop for people without prior glass arts experience from 1 to 4 p.m. Create a suncatcher or a holiday ornament. The workshop will be led by artists-in-residence Betty Broderick and Jean Newcomb for those 16 years of age and up. Enrollment is limited.

For young children ages one to three there will be crafts from 1 to 3 p.m.

At 2 p.m. there will be a gallery talk and reception. The subject of the talk given by Novel Yi will be Crossing the Road: Contemporary Korean American Art. All ages are welcome.

Quicksilver senior dance ensemble will perform improvisational dance at 3 p.m. Watch, then join in. All ages and abilities welcome.

Also from 1 to 5 p.m. there will be an Artists-in-residence Studio Open House, Greenbelt Pottery ceramics sale and the Greenbelt Museum exhibit of historic photos "Picturing Victims and Patriots." The Greenbelt Museum Historic House will be open for tours at 10-B Crescent Road, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Letters

THANKS!

The Greenbelt Mamas and Papas want to thank the community for making our Halloween party on Saturday, October 19 such a big success. We'd like to thank especially Generous Joe's, Dominos Pizza, Giant Supermarket and the Greenbelt Co-op Supermarket for contributing food and refreshments.

Thank you to our members who worked so hard to make the event a success and to the Community Center staff for providing a space for us and helping us with the setup. We hope all those who attended had as much fun as we did.

Have a happy and safe Halloween!

Melissa Sites
Greenbelt Mamas and Papas

Annual Meeting At Greenbelt Co-op

The Greenbelt Consumer Co-operative will hold its annual meeting on October 26 at 10:15 a.m. in the meeting room of the Greenbelt Library.

At the meeting, reports on the Co-op's past year will be presented by store manager Bob Davis and treasurer Joe Timer. In addition, elections will be held for three positions on the board of directors. Seats held by incumbent board members Jill Stevenson and Leta Mach and Co-op member Tom Moran will be up for election.

This year the board will also present proposed changes to the Co-op's bylaws aimed at clarifying certain procedures and terms. Voting members have been notified of the upcoming meeting by a mailing, which included the by-law changes.

All members and others interested in the workings of the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative are encouraged to attend the annual meeting. Light refreshments will be served and door prizes will be awarded.

Help Translate

The Prince George's Volunteer Center needs a Spanish translator to translate their new brochure. The person may work from home. Call 301-699-2800.

The Old Curmudgeon



I. J. PARKER ©2002

"Why is this night scarier than any other night . . . ?"

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sophical argument of do we want to go if a lot of the hours are going to be dark." Discussion continued regarding a public access channel for GATE. No decision was reached at this time.

After business was concluded a video was shown demonstrating the talents of Greenbelt's young

amateur producers, including two original animated shorts by Joel Mason-Gaines, a 12-year-old student in the GAVA/GATE Animation Program. The shorts will be screened at the Chicago International Children's Film Festival this month.

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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
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Community Events

New Skate Facility On Council Agenda

The proposed skate park will be discussed at a special city council worksession on Wednesday, October 30 at 8 p.m. in the Community Center's multi-purpose room.

Various sites and designs for the skate facility will be explored. All city council worksessions are open to the public.

At the Library

Tuesday, October 29, 7 p.m. Cliffhangers for ages 5 to 8.

Wednesday, October 30, 10:15 a.m. Cuddletime for ages 12 to 24 months with caregiver.

Thursday, October 31, 10:15 a.m. Trick 'em and Treat 'em for ages 3 to 5. Children are invited to wear a costume.

11:15 a.m. Toddler Time for two year olds with caregiver.

Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald
President Ima Davis opened the October 16 meeting which was a birthday pot luck lunch.

The birthday poem by Joe Rimar was read by Ellie Rimar. October birthday members present were: Phyllis Budin, Geneva Halsey, Pearl Keeney, Margaret Kivlin, Nick Pergola, John Taylor, Robert Terrell and Gil Weidenfeld.

The birthday drawing was won by Robert Terrell. The 50/50 winners were Venkata Kowtha and Dorothy Wilhelm.

Cards were sent to Irene Hensel, Janet Brown and Arlene Harbaugh by the sunshine committee co-chairs Pearl and Ken Keeney.

The travel committee chair, John Taylor, spoke of the trip to the National Geographic on November 14 to hear Sam Abell, a photographer who has been with National Geographic since 1970. There is a fee for this trip. The deadline for the December 10, 11 and 12 trip to Williamsburg is November 4.

The Golden Age Club trips are always well planned and very interesting so let's all go and enjoy.

Cadillac Antique Car Show Oct 27

Antique and classic Cadillacs will be on display at the Annual Fall Cadillac LaSalle Show being held at Capitol Cadillac Company, 6500 Capitol Drive on Sunday, October 27. The show begins at 10 a.m. and awards will be presented at 3 p.m. Approximately 60 cars will be on display both inside and out, rain or shine. Admission is free. For additional information and details, call Bill Brown 301-424-0059 or Nick Wilson of the Potomac Region Cadillac-LaSalle Club at 301-774-5154.

New Deal Has Fall Festival in Center

The New Deal Café will host a Fall Festival this Saturday, October 26 in Roosevelt Center starting at 1:30. There will be continuous live music beginning with Richard McMullin and the Northern Lights and continuing past 8 p.m. with Gina DeSimone. All are invited to share the music at the Center.

Beginning Friday, October 25 the Café will begin to sell beer and wine.

GIAC Free Class On File Handling

Using a computer causes files to be created on that computer. But can the user find, view, delete and organize all those files? On Friday, November 1 Mary Camp will show how in a Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative (GIAC) free class, "How to Manage Your Computer Files." The lecture will be at the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, in Dining Room #2 from 7 to 8 p.m. For further information call GIAC's voice mail at 301-419-8044. Registration is unnecessary, but to reserve a copy of the handouts call GIAC by Wednesday, October 30. The class is open to all.

L. M. Montgomery: Explore Her World

On Friday, November 1 explore the magical world created by the author Lucy Maud Montgomery. Maggie Auville will be the presenter at Explorations Unlimited. Learn about "kindred souls," "The Lake of Shining Waters," "The Dryad's Bubble" and all the other Anne-isms which have delighted readers ever since the publication of the first "Anne of Green Gables" book. The scene of the books, Prince Edward Island (P.E.I.), will be discussed; learn what it was like to live there. Many people consider P.E.I. one of the most beautiful spots on earth and attendees may too after they have seen some pictures. They will also hear some theories about why Montgomery created this world and what her life was like.

Why do so many people find Montgomery's stories about a rural community so fascinating? Maybe it's a way to re-live childhood, maybe it's a way to forget the tensions of adulthood, maybe it's a hearty bowl of chicken soup for disheartened souls. Whatever it is, her homespun tales have an appeal which goes far beyond what even the author had expected.

Explorations Unlimited is a speaker series held every Friday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. This presentation will be held in the Senior Classroom. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. Call 301-397-2208 for more information.

FOGL Meets October 28

Friends of the Greenbelt Library (FOGL) will meet on Monday, October 28 at 7:30 p.m. on the library's lower level.

Members will discuss the annual used book sale (now scheduled for late January 2003), the Novel Endings bookstore upstairs (managed by FOGL) and other projects funded by the library support group.

All interested library supporters are welcome. To learn more call 301-441-8249.

News Review Staff To Meet Sunday

The annual meeting of the Greenbelt News Review will be held Sunday, October 27 at 4 p.m. in the newspaper's office. All News Review staffers are invited. A buffet meal will follow the business meeting.

Animation Festival Stars Local Talent

On Sunday, November 3 at 11:30 a.m. there will be an animation festival of student films at the Old Greenbelt Theatre in Roosevelt Center. This is a free event and the program is suitable for all ages. It will be hosted by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts (GAVA) and Greenbelt Access Television (GATE), which co-produce animation classes at GATE's studios at the Greenbelt Community Center. ASIFA Washington, the local chapter of the international animation organization ASIFA, will assist with the program.

The festival will include works by student winners of the ASIFA East 2002 Animation Festival, as well as animation shorts created by students in GAVA/GATE animation classes. Two of these shorts are by Greenbelt student Joel Mason-Gaines and were included in the Chicago Children's International Film Festival this month. Also included is the premiere of the long-awaited summer 2001 GAVA/GATE production, "The Big Egg," a spoof on detective stories. For more information call Barbara Simon at 301-474-2192.

Fire Dept. Holds Open House Sat.

A fire prevention Open House will be held this Saturday, October 26 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department, Rescue Squad and Ladies Auxiliary at 125 Crescent Road.

Free food and drink as well as a bake sale will be offered in addition to games, displays, fire truck rides, live fire exercises, fire and EMS demonstrations and more.

March to Stop War on Iraq

The Prince George's Peace and Justice Coalition will have a delegation from Greenbelt to participate in the National March to Stop the War in Iraq, on Saturday, October 26. The march will start at 11 a.m. at the Mall at 21st Street and Constitution Avenue N.W. (Constitution Gardens adjacent to the Vietnam Veterans War Memorial) and proceed to the White House. This march is sponsored by the ANSWER Coalition and dozens of peace organizations and church leaders. A map is available at www.internationalANSWER.org. There will be a carpool to Metro from Greenbelt. For information or a ride call 301-474-6890 or 301-474-1353.

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halloween activities

Carve Pumpkins, Take Ghostly Tour

The Committee to Save the Green Belt will hold its Jack O'Lantern



Night on Friday, October 25 outside the New Deal Café from 6 to 9 p.m. Bring a pumpkin and carving tools or a pre-carved Jack O'Lantern.

The Halloween tour will be held on Saturday, October 26 shortly before dusk at Northway extended. Park by the fields. Ghost stories will be provided by Doug Love. There will be a pre-dark walk for very little children. The events are free. For information, call Paul at 301-474-6708.

Ensemble Plays For Halloween

The Philharmonia Ensemble, the independent student chamber orchestra at the University of Maryland, opens its third season on Thursday, October 31 at 8 p.m. in the DeKelboun Concert Hall of the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center. This free program, entitled "Hints of Halloween," will include Chadwick's "Hobgoblin," Weill's "The Seven Deadly Sins" featuring university faculty artist Carmen Balthrop, soprano; and Schubert's Symphony No. 4 in C minor, "Tragic."

Completely student run, The Philharmonia Ensemble is known for its creative programming and an enthusiastic following of students, faculty and community members.

No tickets are required for this free concert and free parking is available. Call 301-405-ARTS (2787) for information.

Haunted Woods Event Cancelled

Clearwater Nature Center has cancelled Haunted Woodlands originally scheduled for October 25 and 26 from 7 to 9:45 p.m.

Call 301-297-4575 or TTY 301-699-2544 for information on ticket refunds.

Aviation Museum Hosts Event

"Flight Night" will be a celebration of Halloween from 7 to 9 p.m. this Saturday night, October 26, at the College Park Aviation Museum, 1985 Frank Scott Drive.

Events will include Halloween crafts, a haunted hayride, face painting, a costume contest and more. There is a fee. For more information, call 301-864-6029; TTY 301-864-4765.

Youth Group Hosts A Fall Celebration

Join Greenbelt Baptist's youth group as they host a "Fall Celebration" on October 30 (an alternative to trick or treating). On Wednesday, October 30 from 7 to 9 p.m., Greenbelt Baptist Church's Living Proof Youth Group will host its annual Fall Celebration. The invitation is open to all children up to age 12. Parents are welcome and those with younger children are requested to stay with their child. There will be games, prizes, candy and snacks. Adults and children are encouraged to come dressed in a "good guy" costume (please, no "scary" costumes such as witches and skeletons). The celebration will be held at Greenbelt Baptist Church, 101 Greenhill Drive, at the intersection of Greenhill and Crescent Roads. For information, call the church office at 301-474-4212 x3.

"Monster" Band On Scary Jazz

The School of Music at the University of Maryland will present free the Monster Jazz Lab Band and the Jazz Ensemble on Wednesday, October 30 at 7:30 p.m.

It's mischief night! Two powerful University of Maryland bands possess the unsuspecting Kay Theatre in the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center with jazz so good it's scary. The program will be led by one of the country's most feared woodwind artists, Chris Vadala, director of the university's Jazz Studies. Come have a howling good time. Costumes are welcomed.

City Notes

During the week of October 14 the horticulture crew mulched and weeded Schrom Hills Park and began replacing trees in Greenbelt East.

The parks crews continued spreading chips on the path at Schrom Hills Park, continued re-

construction of the playground at 4-6-8 Plateau, formed the climber and swing set and began construction of the wooden border.

The streets crew continued asphalt repair on Lakeside Drive and repaired potholes around the city.

Please Join the Fun at Greenbelt Baptist's
"Fall Celebration" October 30
An alternative to trick or treating!



Wed. October 30 7:00 - 9:00 p.m

Open to All Children up to age 12 - Parents are welcome!
(Parents with younger children are requested to stay for the Celebration)

Games ~ Prizes ~ Candy ~ Snacks

Wear "good guy" costumes!

(please no "scary" costumes)



Greenbelt Baptist Church
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Morris' Celebrate 60 Years Together



Ruth and Anthony Morris, longtime Ridge Road residents, pose at Rocky Mountain National Park in Colorado in March 2002. The couple plans a November 1 celebration for their 60th wedding anniversary.

"Flutar," Chang in Concert

by Konrad Herling

The second Albert K. Herling Memorial Benefit Concert will be held November 22 at 8 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. Tickets have arrived, the Arts Center has found a sponsor in Oren Music and the Greenbelt Lions Club will help the Arts Center by selling tickets which will benefit both organizations.

When the audience arrives, it will be treated to a very talented young pianist, 13-year old Zenas Chang, a third-year student at the University of Maryland. Those who heard him play at the Arts Center as part of the 2002 Greenbelt New Year's program were impressed. His selections were challenging, his technique solid and his approach belied his age. Chang will play at the beginning of each set followed by "Flutar" in each half of the program.

When I heard "Flutar" play the first time, I knew I had to ask them to come to Greenbelt. It was in Annapolis, at my sister Erica's wedding reception in 1998. Most of the time, reception music is background for schmoozing, talking with a relative you haven't seen in 10 years or getting to meet someone who may have caught your eye. However, the music of Joseph Cunliffe, flutist, and Giorgia Cavallaro, guitarist, drew me closer to the artists. Their combination of Latin American, baroque, folk, Gaelic, jazz and classical music could not be ignored. It was as if I were at the East Wing and being taken in by a Klee or a Van Gogh despite being surrounded by other masterpieces. While being with friends and relatives was rewarding in itself, I knew that I had a challenge before me: could I bring "Flutar" to Greenbelt?

The November concert will be the fourth time this warm and gifted couple will play before a Greenbelt audience. They have performed at the Phillips Gallery, the Art Club of Washington, the

Kennedy Center and the Corcoran Gallery of Art. Cavallaro's compositions have been featured on National Public Radio. She has worked with the McLean Youth Symphony, the Capitol Composers Alliance of Washington, D.C., and the National Chamber Singers of Harrisburg. Cunliffe has performed for world renowned flutist James Galway and has recorded with notable jazz artists.

"Flutar" has also performed in a Central American tour and has performed for Vice President and Mrs. Gore and Oprah Winfrey.

Cunliffe and Cavallaro have become active members of the Greenbelt Arts Center's Music Committee and are committed to the ongoing effort to sustain and upgrade the quality of arts in Greenbelt. They were awarded with the outstanding Musical Production of the 2001 season of the Greenbelt Arts Center.

Tickets can be reserved by calling the Arts Center at 301-441-8770.

Grouch Festival At Mowatt Church

Give a grouch a smile! If the day is going from bad to worse, then someone shows a bit of kindness, isn't it amazing how one small act can change the entire day? The disciples of Jesus of Nazareth didn't want children bothering Jesus and tried to shoo them away. But Jesus' kindness prevailed and children were welcomed. Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church invites parents and their children to National Grouch Day Festival from 1 to 3 p.m., Saturday, October 26. Games, crafts and refreshments will be served. Call Karen Smith for reservations at 301-474-8690.

(Bring in this article for one Good Humor Ice Cream.)

Holiday Bazaar At St. Gregory's

People are invited to attend the holiday bazaar at St. Gregory Byzantine Catholic Church, 12420 Old Gunpowder Road, Beltsville, on Saturday, November 2 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Featured will be Christmas and general crafts, treasures of the attic, new gifts, a raffle and bake sale.

Delicious homemade Eastern European foods - pirohi, halushki, holupki, kolbassi and kolach will be available for lunch and carryout. There is free admission and parking. Call 301-552-2434 for further information. The bazaar is not open to vendors.



Greenbelters were saddened to hear of the death of Annie W. Halley, a Greenbelt pioneer. Our sympathy to her son Edward M Halley, Jr., and family.

Alice Murphy, 13, of Greenbelt, won two medals, a third and a fourth place, in a Recreational Team Skating competition held last summer in Boston. She is a member of the Wells Ice Rink Figure Skating Team.

Congratulations to Nicole and Marcus Blackwell on the September 10, 2002, birth of a daughter, Noah Simone.

The stork dropped a package to Bob and Deb Tinsley. Rebekah Paige was delivered on October 7, 2002, at 10:18 a.m. She weighed 7.3 pounds. Daddy works for Barbera Imaging Technologies on Hanover Parkway and Mommie is the circulation supervisor at the Greenbelt Library. Other family include "brother" Tucker and "sister" Tessa, the family dogs.

Hensel-Heinlein Wedding

Monica E. Hensel and Eric S. Heinlein were married on October 19, 2002, in St. Louis Chapel, Clarksville, Md.

Monica is the daughter of Irene Hensel and the late Richard Hensel. The couple will reside in Ellicott City.



Obituaries

Annie W. Halley

Greenbelt pioneer Annie W. Halley, 90, of Crescent Rd. died at home on Tuesday, October 22, 2002.

She is survived by her son Edward M. Halley, Jr., grandchildren John E., Robert D., Edward M., III, and James P. Halley and eight great-grandchildren. Her husband Edward M. Halley, Sr., preceded her in death.

A viewing will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight (October 24) at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville.

A funeral service will be held there on Friday, October 25 at 11:30 a.m. Paster Dan Hamlin of Greenbelt Community Church will officiate. Interment will be at Fort Lincoln Cemetery, Brentwood.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimers Foundation or the American Heart Association.



Baha'i Faith

"O Son of Dust! Verily I say unto thee: Of all men the most negligent is he that disputeth idly and seeketh to advance himself over his brother. Say, O brethren! Let deeds, not words, be your adorning."

-Baha'i Sacred Writings

Greenbelt Baha'i Community
P.O. Box 245
Greenbelt, MD 20770

301-345-2918 301-220-3160

Information about the Baha'i Faith is on the World Wide Web at <http://www.bahai.org/>

Greenbelt Community Church

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Bible Study 9:30 am
Worship Service 11:00 am



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Tues. Lectionary Study 8:00 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 6:45 p.m.

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Rev. DaeHwa Park, Pastor

Oct. 27, 23rd Sunday after Pentecost
"Reformation Sunday" Title: Summing Up

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Wed. Living Proof for Youth 7 pm

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Saturday 5 p.m.

Daily Mass: As announced

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Rev. Thomas F. Crowley, Pastor

Rev. R. Scott Hurd, Pastoral Associate

Part Time Ministry

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135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Md.



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10:00 am

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Best Students Honor their Teachers

A select group of America's teachers is being honored by its toughest critics – its former students – in the seventh edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 2002.

All of the approximately 114,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students or The National Dean's List, publications that recognize five percent of the nation's high school and college students.

The students were asked to nominate the one teacher from their entire academic career who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject and/or challenging them to strive for excellence. One student said of her teacher, "she made education something pleasurable, instead of a dreadful ordeal by letting me spread my wings and showing me the best way to fly."

Local residents and teachers honored include:

Greenbelt Middle
Maria Nochera Bovich and Douglas D. Pruett

Eleanor Roosevelt
Monroe Norman Brett, Richard James Carrington, Catherine Flynn Duff, Barbara Ernest Frandsen, Cheryl Butler Gerring, Garland Hicks, Lana B. Krawczel, William Allen Kurtz, Robert Frederick Lesche, Barbara Luther, Joan Helman Magin, Joel L. Nelson, Richard R. Renyer, Carmen Iris Rios, Glenn William Roe, Elizabeth Saran Specter, Julie Fatiadi Steimel, Belle R. Thomas, Carole Lee Windham and Jane Overington Wright

St. Hugh's
Marjorie Ann Sparks
PGCC
Mary Halford and Charles William Hendrickson

Other Greenbelters
Deborah E.Y. Butler – Harmon Elementary School, Beverly Anne Crockett – Eliot Junior High School, Rick Wilton – Howard D. Woodson Sr. High School, Artie Lee Walker, Sr., – Duval High School and Douglas Mark Stanczak – Potomac High School.

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carvings incorporate natural images such as birds, spirals, shells and nests in addition to various symbols. Rah is a member of the Washington Sculptors Group. She holds undergraduate and graduate degrees from Ewha University in Seoul. She also holds an M.F.A. in sculpture from the Maryland Institute College of Art in Baltimore.

Sujin Ha's two-dimensional work emphasizes abstract compositions and highly energetic brushwork intended to express "formative languages." The artist received her undergraduate and graduate training at Kyunghee University in Seoul.

The curator of the exhibition is represented in the show by a selection of ceramic sculpture and vessels. Shin Yeon Jeon is currently a graduate student in ceramics at Hood College in Frederick. She received her un-

dergraduate training at Ewha Women's University in Seoul. She has been pursuing an interest in clay for three years, drawing heavily on her background in traditional Oriental painting. Jeon has exhibited her artwork both in Korea and in the United States. Earlier this year she received a third-place award in a national show sponsored by the Touchstone Gallery in Washington, D.C. Jeon shares her love of fine arts with young students as an art teacher at University Park Elementary School and a local Korean language school.

The exhibit will be on view from November 1 through December 15. The Greenbelt Community Center is located at 15 Crescent Road. The center is open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily. For additional information, call 301-397-2208.



City Information

MEETINGS FOR OCTOBER 28-NOVEMBER 1

Monday, October 28, 8:00pm, COUNCIL WORK SESSION, Public Works Expansion, Municipal Bldg., City Council Room.

Wednesday, October 30, 8:00pm, COUNCIL WORK SESSION, Skate Park, Community Center.



Due to the current situation, the City of Greenbelt encourages all residents to take advantage of "HALLOWEEN HAVEN" in lieu of Trick-or-Treating. This free indoor family event will take the place of the City's usual Halloween events, including Freaky Friday and the Costume Parade and will offer a great variety of free activities for the entire family.

OPENINGS ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES
Volunteer to serve on City Council advisory groups. Vacancies exist on the:
Arts Advisory Board
Public Safety Advisory Board
Recycling & Environment Advisory Committee

For more information, please call 301-474-8000.

The City of Greenbelt Proudly Presents...

Halloween Haven

Thursday, October 31 6:00pm - 10:00pm

Community Center 15 Crescent Road Greenbelt, MD 20770
(located between the Greenbelt Branch of the PG County Public Library system & The City Office Building)

We've got it all! The Community Center will open its doors to all children of Trick-Or-Treat age and their families, for an action packed Halloween - **INDOORS!** All are invited to attend in their Halloween finest, and prizes will be awarded for "Best Costume!"



Indoor Trick-Or-Treat

Costume Contest
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NOVEMBER 7TH
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Services provided by Doctor's Community Hospital, Costco and Alternacare
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Info: 301-345-7203

Greenbelt Community Center Hosts
"Crossing the Road: Contemporary Korean American Art"
November 1 – December 15, 2002
Opening reception and artists' gallery talk on Sunday, November 3 from 2-4pm
Greenbelt Community Center Art Gallery
15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland
301-397-2208
Featuring the work of five young artists from the greater Washington, DC metropolitan area.



GREENBELT ACCESS CHANNEL 71
Municipal Access: 301-474-8000: Monday, 10/28 at 8pm, "City Council Work Session-Public Works Expansion" live Tuesday & Thursday, 10/29 & 10/31: 6pm "Shakespeare on the Green-As You Like It"; 8:30pm "Wayne Brown & the 2nd Conspiracy"; 9:30pm Replay of City Council Work Session.
Public Access: 301-507-6581: Wednesday & Friday, 10/30 & 11/1: 7pm "Dr. Faustus"; 9:15pm "Marvin's Room"

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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.

Robbery

5800 block Cherrywood Lane, October 13, 12:41 a.m., a food delivery person had just tried to make a delivery and was returning to his vehicle when he was approached by approximately five suspects wearing masks. One of them forced the victim to the ground and demanded money. After obtaining cash, one of the suspects kicked the victim in the head. All suspects then fled on foot. The victim was not injured. The only description is of a suspect wearing a white T-shirt with stripes.

6900 block Hanover Parkway, October 14, 8:14 p.m., a woman was walking into a condominium building with a man following her. The man then walked in front of the woman and blocked her entrance into a residence. He displayed a silver handgun and announced a robbery. After obtaining the woman's purse and jewelry, the man ran out of the building. He is described as a black male, 17 to 19, 5'11", thin, large eyes, wearing a dark green sweatshirt with hood, and matching pants.

Assault

Beltway Plaza, October 12, 9:42 p.m., a 17-year-old Greenbelt girl was arrested and charged with assault after she became involved in a fight inside the mall, where she struck another juvenile in front of an officer. She was released to a parent pending action by the juvenile justice system.

Area of Greenbelt Road at Lakecrest Drive, October 13, 6:48 p.m., after a traffic stop, a 23-year-old resident of Forestville was arrested and charged with assault, resisting arrest, and additional charges including driving without a license. After the officer stopped the vehicle, the driver told the officer that he did not have a license and drove away. The officer followed the vehicle to the 6200 block of Springhill Court, where the suspect left the vehicle and tried to flee on foot. He was apprehended and resisted the officer's efforts to place him in handcuffs, according to police, repeatedly attempting to run away. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a District Court Commissioner.

Burglary

7100 block Mathew Street, October 13, 5:31 p.m., someone entered a residence by forcing a window. A VCR, cellular telephone and jewelry were taken.

7800 block Mandan Road, October 14, 9:42 a.m., someone tried to break into a residence by pulling a screen off a window. Entry was not gained.

7700 block Hanover Parkway, October 14, 1:43 p.m., someone broke into a storage bin and took magazines and books.

9100 block Springhill Court, October 14, 5:34 p.m., it was reported that someone entered a residence through an unlocked window and took a laptop computer, DVD player and DVD movies.

5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, October 14, 7:10 p.m., someone entered a residence by forcing open a window. Jewelry, videotapes and several purses were taken.

9300 block Edmonston Road, October 15, 1:58 p.m., someone

entered a residence by breaking a bedroom window and took a DVD player, DVD movies and a laptop computer.

5800 block Cherrywood Lane, October 17, 10:02 a.m., someone gained entry to a residence by unknown means and took cash and jewelry.

Drug Arrests

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, October 14, 10:25 a.m., a 16-year-old Cheverly resident was arrested after he was seen by a school administrator acting suspiciously in a stairwell. He was found to be in possession of marijuana paraphernalia and was released to the school pending action by the School Board and the juvenile justice system.

6000 block Cherrywood Lane, October 16, 1:09 a.m., a 16-year-old Greenbelt resident was arrested for possession of paraphernalia. An officer stopped three suspicious persons and found that the young man was in possession of paraphernalia commonly used to smoke marijuana. He was released to a parent pending action by the juvenile justice system.

Theft

Holiday Inn, Hanover Parkway, October 14, 8 a.m., someone attempted to pry open several soda machines.

Vehicle Crime

The following vehicles were reported stolen: a 1992 Plymouth Acclaim four-door, October 12, from Beltway Plaza, which was recovered October 16 by county police in Forestville; a 1993 Chrysler Le Baron two-door, October 12, from the 9100 block Edmonston Terrace, which was recovered October 16 by county police in Forestville; a blue 2003 Dodge Stratus four-door, Md. tags JWA278, October 15, from the 7700 block Hanover Parkway; a blue 1995 Honda Accord four-door, Md. temporary tags 09671C, October 15, from the 6900 block

Hanover Parkway; a dark green 2002 Dodge Neon four-door, Md. tags JVD692, October 16, from the 8100 block Lakecrest Drive; a burgundy 1999 Dodge conversion van, Md. tags M383533, October 16, from the 9100 block Springhill Lane; a white 1998 Volkswagen Passat four-door, Md. tags GVV592, October 17, from the 9000 block Breezewood Drive; a green 1995 Honda Accord four-door, Md. tags 430BCK, October 17, from the 7200 block Hanover Parkway, and a blue 1989 Toyota Camry four-door, Md. tags JXZ961, October 17, from Beltway Plaza.

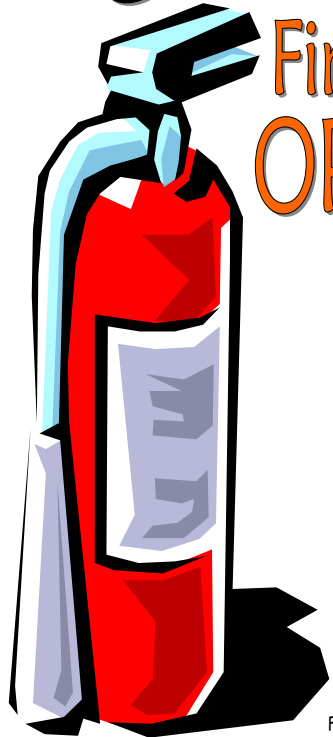
Concerning a stolen blue 2003 Dodge Stratus four-door, reported stolen October 3 from the 7800 block of Emily's Way, the tag on the vehicle at the time of theft was Virginia tag X688670.

Three previously stolen vehicles were recovered, involving no arrests.

Vandalism to, thefts from and attempted thefts of vehicles were reported in the following areas: 7900 block Mandan Road; 9100 block Edmonston Road; 6200 block Breezewood Court; 8000 block Mandan Road; 9100 block Edmonston Court, and 9100 block Springhill Lane.

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter. Citizens may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 301-507-6522. Victims of the theft of lawn ornaments, tools, lawn mowers, etc., should contact Criminal Investigations at 301-507-6530. Some items have been recovered and police would like to return them to owners.

Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department & Ladies Auxiliary Fire Prevention OPEN HOUSE



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UNDER CONTRACT

1-E Laurel Hill Road

This two bedroom frame **END** unit has been well maintained. Refinished hardwood floors, ceiling fans, extended storage area, built-in air conditioners, landscaped and fenced yards, storage shed and deck. Backs to woods. **\$84,900**

SOLD IN 12 DAYS

8-F Laurel Hill Rd.

NEW LISTING

This **one bedroom LOWER LEVEL** unit has refinished hardwood floors, new Bosch washer and dryer, remodeled kitchen, two new window air conditioners, landscaped fenced yard and backs to woods. **\$50,900**

UNDER CONTRACT

16-K Ridge Road

Three bedroom block **END** unit with vinyl siding, remodeled kitchen with solid oak cabinets, dishwasher, washer, dryer, ceiling fans, built-in air conditioner, wall-to-wall carpeting, custom drapes, large closets, remodeled bathroom, storage shed, patio, large corner landscaped yard, cedar rail fence. **\$117,900**

20-S Hillside Road

NEW LISTING

This **ONE** bedroom **UPPER LEVEL END** unit has been freshly painted and includes a window air conditioner, ceiling fan, extra storage closet, new wall-to-wall carpeting, large corner yard and storage shed. **\$49,900**

5-C Ridge Road

This three bedroom block unit has wall-to-wall carpeting, ceiling fans, built-in air conditioner, humidifier, washer, dryer, remodeled bathroom. You can relax because all the landscaping has been done for you! Library end of town. **\$106,900**

54-E Ridge Road

NEW LISTING

A **ONE** bedroom **UPPER LEVEL END** unit with a view of trees from a large picture window. The owner has done all the work for you, i.e., remodeled the kitchen and bathroom, installed two ceiling fans and two air conditioners. Included is a washer, dryer, microwave, pull down attic stairs, wall-to-wall carpeting and more. **\$52,900**

32-C Ridge Road

NEW LISTING

This two bedroom **WIDE FLOOR PLAN** is a short walk to the Center. A **full second bathroom** (handicap accessible) has been added on the first floor. The kitchen has been remodeled and includes a dishwasher. A built-in air conditioner, washer, dryer and self-cleaning oven are a few of the extras in this unit. **\$87,500**

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ficer. Currently, any such changes enacted by the legislature do not become law before June 1 following enactment. The proposed change removes this limitation.

While on the ballot statewide, the third question only relates to a constitutional provision affecting Montgomery County. If approved, that question will permit the Montgomery County Council to appoint a licensed and certified real estate appraiser to estimate the fair market value of property located in the county subject to immediate taking in a condemnation proceeding. Presently, only real estate brokers are authorized by the constitution to do quick-take condemnations in Montgomery County. Since 1991, an individual must be certified by the State Commission of Real Estate Appraisers to perform most types of real estate appraisals in Maryland. Most licensed real estate brokers are not certified appraisers. Montgomery County has had difficulty in finding qualified real estate brokers certified to do appraisal work.

County Charter

The four Prince George's County charter amendments are the result of the recommendations of a seven-member charter review commission established by the county council in January 2001. The commission undertook the second comprehensive charter review since the charter was enacted in 1970. While grouped under four ballot questions, the changes proposed affect numerous sections of the county charter.

Question A deals with budget, finance and purchasing. If the amendment is adopted the county auditor will conduct performance audits of any agency receiving county funds whenever it deems an audit to be necessary, instead of every four years. Also to be

eliminated is a required duty of the county purchasing agent to develop and operate a system of property inventory and stores control because the county has replaced the stockpiling of supplies with "just-in-time purchasing" and "system contracts" and inventory systems are no longer a primary function of the purchasing agent. The proposed amendment would delete language awarding contracts to the "lowest responsible bidder" and, instead, require that they be awarded to the "responsive and responsible bidder most favorable to the county with respect to technical requirements and costs." A security or performance bond may also be required according to the new language.

The fiscal year will be as established by county or state law instead of specifically July 1 to June 30 under the proposed amendment and the number of required public hearings on the budget would be changed from "two or more" to "one or more."

Under proposed language the council can make emergency appropriations totaling more than the present limit of five percent of the budget in a fiscal year, but all emergency appropriations would then have to be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the county council. Also the county executive will be empowered to reduce agency budgets if it is determined that there is a revenue shortfall during a fiscal year except that reduction in the appropriation for the legislative branch must be approved by the county council. Also, the council will, by two-thirds vote, be able to increase the total appropriation for a capital project after adoption of the budget if recommended by the executive and the county will have greater flexibility in the issuance of bonds and may borrow

for a maximum of 40 years instead of 30 years. This amendment also removes obsolete language and relocates sections of the charter to more appropriate places in the charter.

The most significant change of Question B is that if a vacancy occurs in a district seat on the council less than two years from the next election, a majority of the remaining council members shall appoint a qualified person to fill the vacancy. Now special elections are required to be held in most circumstances. Special elections would still be held for district seat vacancies for remaining terms greater than two years. This section also changes the gender specific term councilman to "council member" and modifies dates for redistricting to conform to the legislative process.

Question C proposes significant changes to the charter relating to compensation for the county council and executive and removes many employees from the classified service. A new provision would be added to permit a councilmember to be removed from office by a two-thirds majority vote of the full council after a public hearing and a finding that "he" is unable by reason of physical or mental disability to perform the duties of "his" office. Such a decision may be appealed to the courts. This amendment, if approved, will also remove the \$40,000 ceiling on council salaries. Council salaries can be changed by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the council or by the recommendation of a compensation review board appointed the last year of each term by the council and executive. The recommendation of the compensation review board will stand approved unless amended by a two-thirds council vote within 90 days. All changes in compensation shall not become effective until the start of the

next council term of office.

For the county executive, the compensation review board shall also determine the amount of compensation, which shall become approved unless amended by a two-thirds vote of the county council within 90 days.

Many more county employees will be removed from the classified service under this proposal. Added to the exempt service will be deputy directors of offices and departments; all county executive staff members, instead of five; all part-time hourly-rated employees working less than 1800 hours a year, instead of 700 hours; all council aides instead of just one per councilmember; up to three deputy police chiefs; and all other positions which may be recommended by the county executive and approved by the county council. Generally, exempt positions are not subject to the same standards for qualification as classified positions, nor are exempt employees as well protected from job actions and political pressures.

The last charter amendment question, Question D, removes obsolete charter provisions in various sections as determined by the charter review commission and provides for the establishment of a new charter review commission every four years beginning on or before July 1, 2005.

Bond Questions

Charter required bond referendums are necessary to permit the county to issue general obligation bonds pledging the full faith and credit of the county to the repayment of the bond obligations. Approval is sought for five bond issues.

Question E – County Buildings. To borrow up to \$7,500,000 to finance the design, construction, reconstruction, extension, acquisition, improvement, enlargement, alteration, renovation, relocation, rehabilitation or repair of

county buildings.

Question F – Library Facilities Bonds. To borrow \$1,750,000 for library facilities.

Question G – Community College Facilities Bonds. \$15,988,000.

Question H – Public Facilities Bonds. \$10,302,000.

Question I – Public Works and Transportation Facilities Bonds. \$76,072,000.

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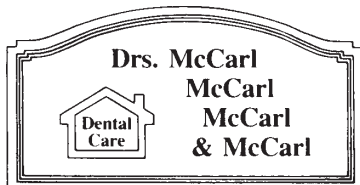
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Balzar in Carnegie Hall

by Judy Bell

Greenbelt pianist Muriel Balzar accompanied soprano Veronica Tyler in the Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall on Sunday, October 13, performing a program entitled Four Seasons of the Heart. My husband and I had planned to celebrate our anniversary in New York City on this particular weekend, which happily coincided with the date of the concert. We were fortunate to be treated to a delightful evening.

The program, designed as a celebration of American composers and arrangers, consisted of several pieces for each season of the year, such as Samuel Barber's "The Daisies", George Gershwin's "Summertime," William Harper's "Seasons of the Heart" (from El Greco) and Gustav Holst's "In the Bleak Midwinter."

Tyler's choice of material offered a full range of moods, showing off her considerable talent to full advantage. Balzar accompanied her flawlessly, then surprised the audience with a solo piece of her own, which she performed with alacrity and aplomb.

Veronica Tyler earned degrees at the Peabody Conservatory of Music with subsequent study at the Juilliard School of Music; she received from the College of

Notre Dame of Maryland the degree of doctor of humane letters (honoris causa). Her many performances have included singing with the Metropolitan Opera, the New York City Opera, the San Francisco Opera and the Teatro la Fenice in Venice.

Muriel Bennett Balzar received a master's degree in piano performance from the Peabody Conservatory of Music, Johns Hopkins University, where she studied with pianist Ann Schein. She has done extensive solo, ensemble and accompanying work throughout the United States, including performances in the Kennedy Center Concert Hall, the Kennedy Center Atrium Theatre, the Baltimore Lyric Opera House/Baltimore Symphony Orchestra and The Barns at Wolf Trap.

Balzar served as music director of the Maryland Opera Society and is a pianist for the Washington Opera Educational Outreach Program. She has published articles in the Journal of Music Theory and has taught music theory at the Johns Hopkins University, Peabody Conservatory of Music, Preparatory Department. She is music director for Music Amongst Friends.

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Tuesday, October 29 is the last day to apply for an absentee ballot from the Prince George's County Board of Elections for the November 5 general election. Registered voters who cannot appear to vote on election day may obtain an absentee ballot by filling out a brief application form. The quickest way to obtain an application is to go online to www.goprincegeorgescounty.com/Government/AgencyIndex/Elections or use a search engine to reach the Maryland Board of Elections which provides links to the county election board. An application can also be obtained by calling 301-952-3270 or sending a letter to the Board of Elections, 14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive, L-205, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772.

The fastest way to turn in an application for a ballot is to fax it to 301-952-4889. The application can also be mailed to the Board of Elections in Upper Marlboro.

Even after October 29 it is possible to cast an absentee ballot. Any person wishing to do so should call the Board of Elections to inquire about the requirements. Voters may authorize another person to assist them in casting the ballot. To obtain information on designating an authorized agent, call the Board of Elections.

Bipolar Seminar for Families

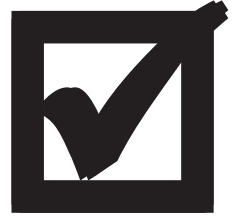
Laurel Regional Hospital is hosting its sixth semi-annual Education for Families with Bipolar Disorder seminar on Tuesday, October 29 from 7 to 9 p.m. The meeting will be held in Conference Rooms A and B. This free event is jointly sponsored by Laurel Regional Hospital, the Mental Health Association of Prince George's County and NAMI, Prince George's County.

Jeanne Scammon, M.Ed., president, Mental Health Association of Prince George's County, will speak on "Cognitive/Behavioral Changes in Bipolar Disorder;" Roscoe Swann, president, NAMI, Prince George's County, will discuss "The Impact of Bipolar Disorder on Families;" and Bonnie

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