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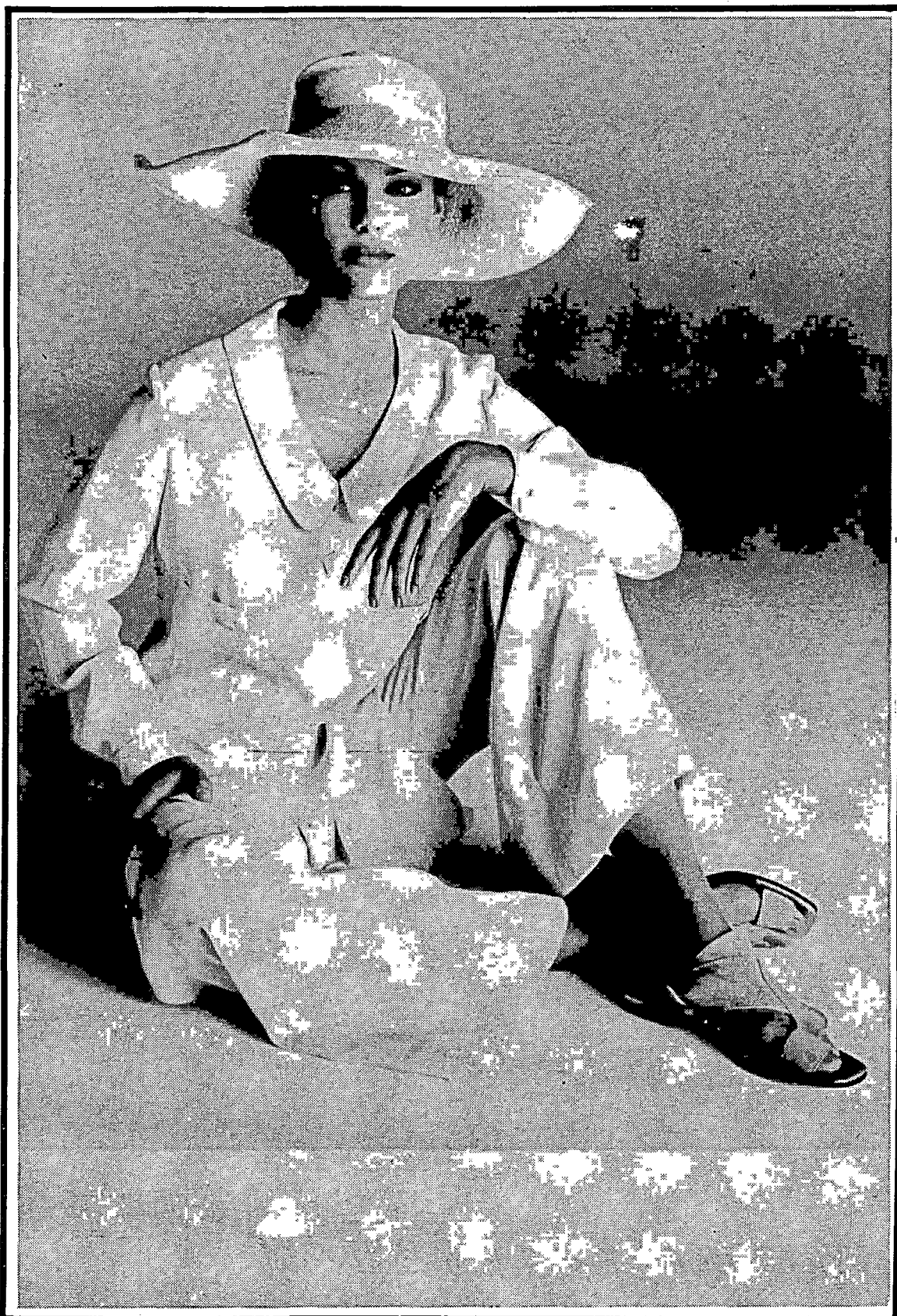
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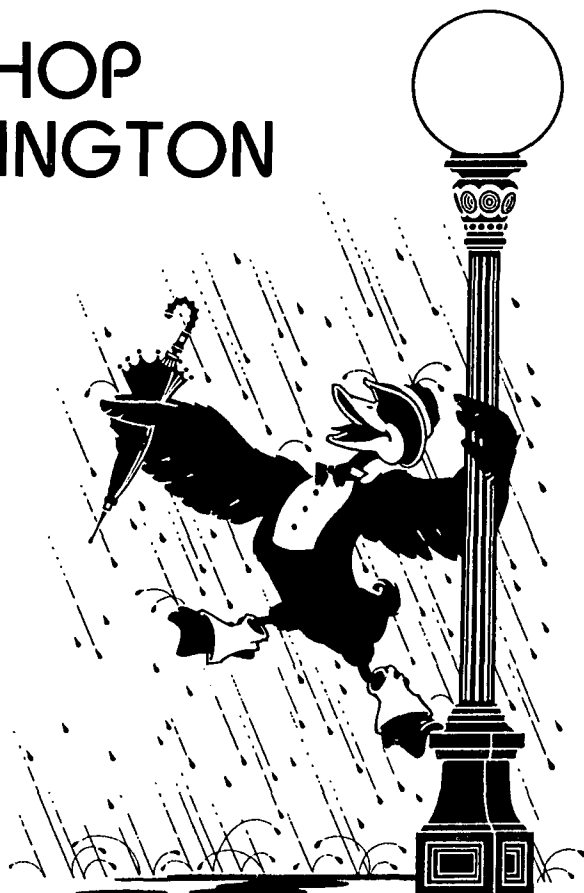
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April, 1994

Dear Reader,

Spring has arrived and with it a myriad of delightful activities to brighten the season. Many beautiful fashion shows, luncheons, outings into the city, plus charitable galas all make for a festive time, indeed.

Speaking of galas, if you were one of the lucky ones to attend the 7th Annual MHAI Gold Bell Gala at Navy Pier recently you know how special it was. Over 825 party goers attended the "big top" super surrealistic event and, in spite of pelting rain and wind outside, the climate was exhilarating on the inside. Richard and Alicia Stephenson and their hard working committee are to be congratulated for such an outstanding event. Proceeds will benefit MHAI, a non-profit, non-governmental organization providing public education and advocacy surrounding pertinent health issues. Interested in learning more? Call Executive Director Jan Holcomb at (312) 368-9070.

Enjoy the season! Until next time may all your thoughts be sunny!

With warm regards,

Glenn M. McMonigal
Glenn McMonigal
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From the Jean-Louis Scherrer Boutique in Paris. Designed by Emmanuel Chaussade from the Spring-Summer Collection 1994. Honey color crepe trousers and tunic.



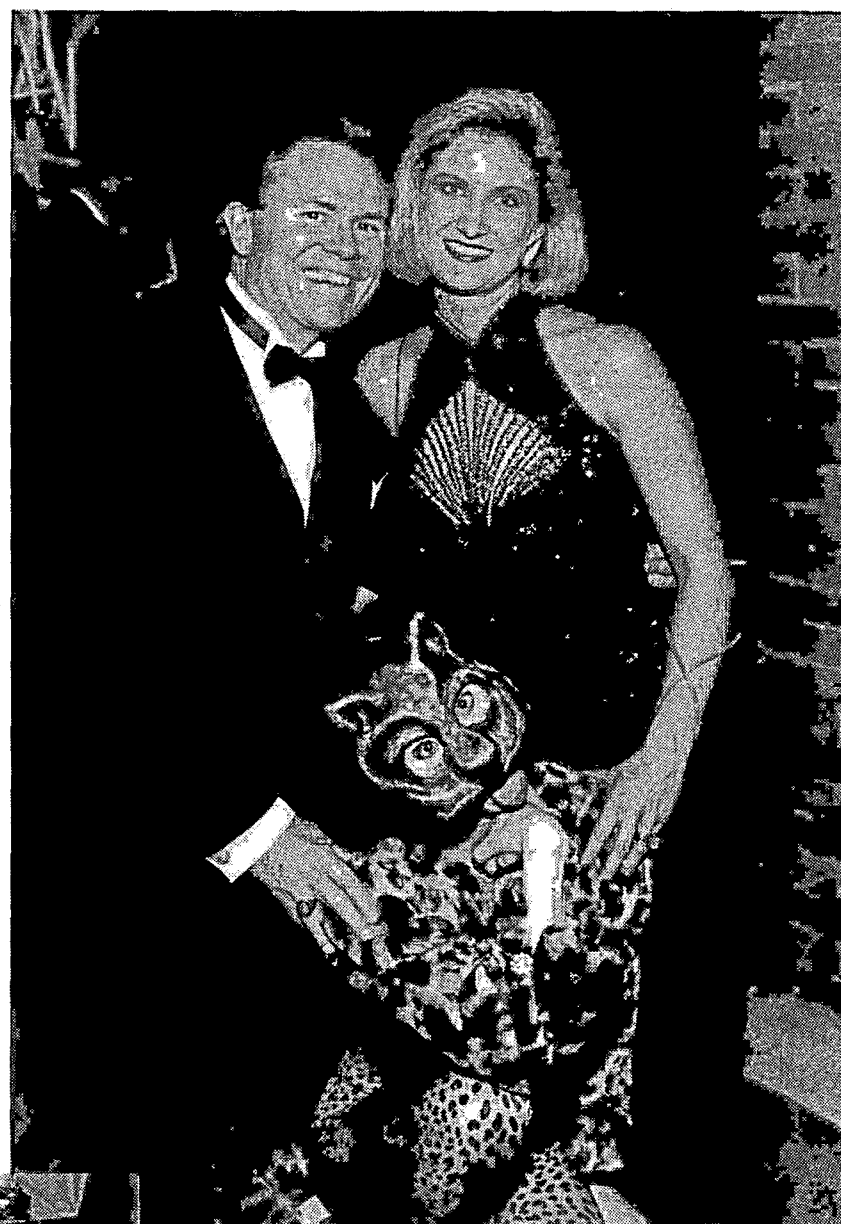
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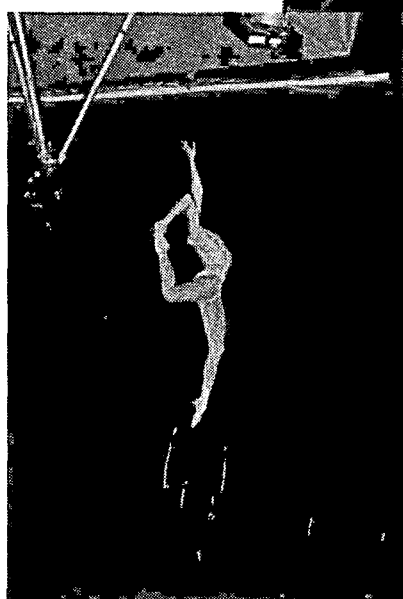
Sharing some "high fives" in celebration of the roaring success of the gala held at Navy Pier last February are gala chairman Alicia Stephenson, Barrington Hills; MHAI Executive Director Jan Holcomb, Inverness; and MHAI President Steve Sinclair, Winnetka.



On the right, gala chairmen Richard and Alicia Stephenson, Barrington Hills, with a lovable "leopard." Over 825 party goers attended the "big top" event, raising over \$185,000 for The Mental Health Association in Illinois. Guests dined on filet mignon, red snapper and chocolate hazelnut torte. Dancing was vigorous to the fantastic music of the Michael Lerich Orchestra. The high energy and contagious merriment carried through the entire evening. The Stephensons and their outstanding committee did a superb job!



Enjoying the scintillating evening are Paul Lenczuk and Jessica Swoyer, Barrington Hills. There may have been pelting wind and rain outside, but inside winter doldrums were whisked away.



On the right, Gorgie Geittmann, Inverness, bids on one of the many outstanding silent auction items. The Gold Bell Gala is the single largest fund-raising event for MHAI. Gala proceeds benefit the programs of the MHAI, a non-profit, non-governmental volunteer organization providing public education and advocacy surrounding pertinent health issues. For more information on MHAI, please contact Executive Director Jan Holcomb, Inverness (312) 368-9070. The Mental Health Association in Illinois is located at 150 North Wacker Drive, Suite 900, Chicago 60606.



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The Benchmark in Business Attire

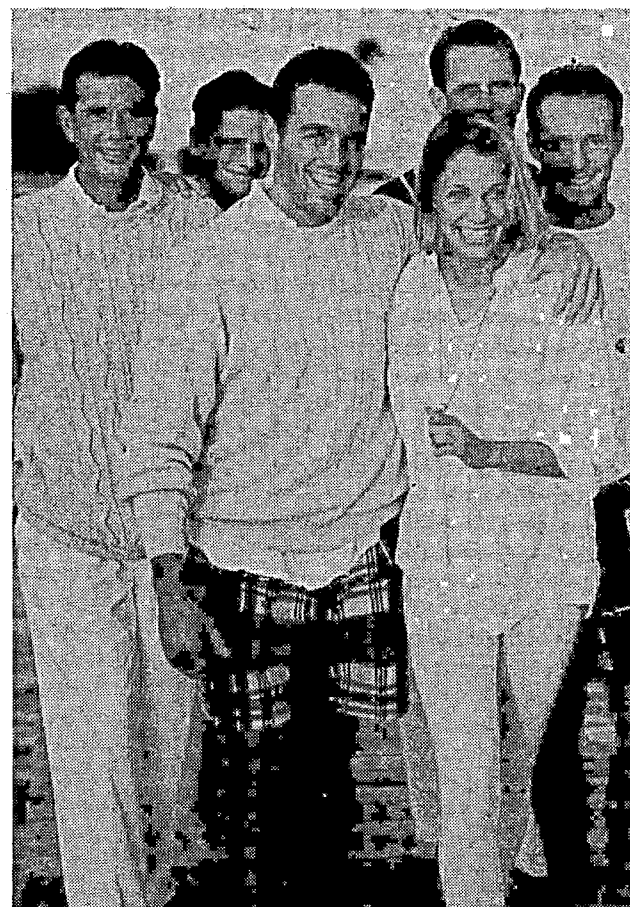
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The weather has broken and it's time to think about lighter clothing for those children who have been growing all year. **Zoo's Children's Shop** in Hoffman Estates, in Huntington Plaza can save you money with their sale on clothes and toys. They stock clothing for boys thru size 20 and girls thru size 14.

If you're shopping for more than one child, you will be delighted with the con-

venient way the store is sectioned off. All with wonderful animal figures. They can complete the job with socks and a great selection of bows.

If you're shopping for birthday gifts you'll be impressed with the quality of the selection and the competitive prices. Their newborn and baby gifts, christening outfits for boys and girls offer a variety of choices from simple to simply elegant.

They have a selection of first communion dresses or confirmation in sizes 6 to 14, lovely styles, some in eyelet, trimmed in lace, some with beaded accents, veils with delicate detailing. Even white purses to complete the outfit.

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If you're planning a trip this summer stop in at **Zoo's Children's Shop** and see the many games made for distractions on those long car trips.

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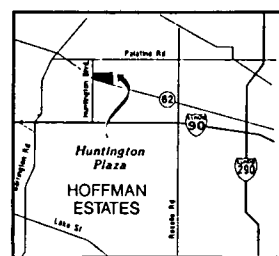
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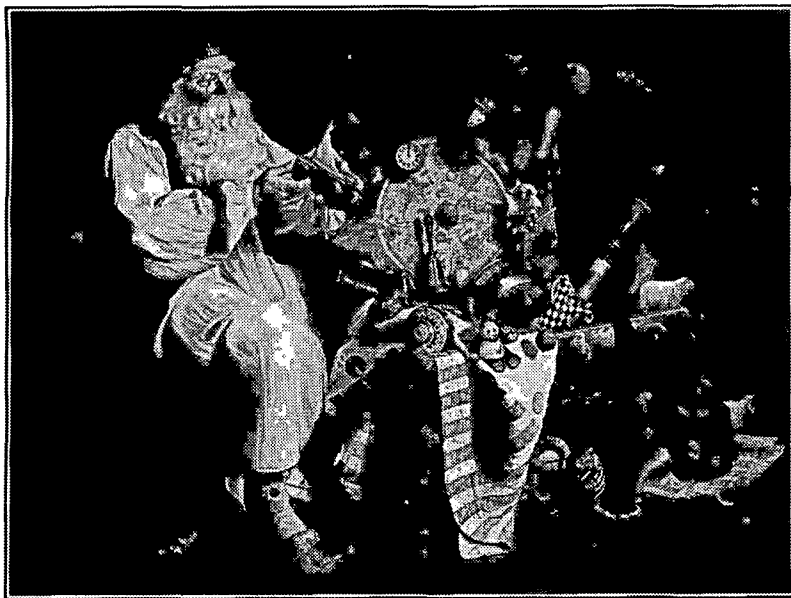
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A blue-spotted walrus, a one-armed pocket watch, checkerboard ponies and tiny counting sheep, flying angels and floating bells—these are just a few of the fantastic images of Dean Morrissey's *The Dreamer's Trunk*, where the sandman sets the stage of dreams with nocturnal clutter from his magic trunk.

The Dreamer's Trunk, destined to become a classic for children of all ages, is published from an oil painting. The sign and numbered limited edition print is now available at **Woodland Art Gallery and Frame Shop**, the area's most respected art gallery.

This month, **Woodland Art Gallery** is proud also to announce the fifth annual Mill Pond Press Earth Day print, *Tundra Summit—Arctic Wolves* by Carl Brenders.

In 1994, animals like the wolf need our protection more than ever. A portion of the proceeds from Brenders' *Tundra Summit—Arctic Wolves* limited edition will contribute to international conservation or-

ganizations guarding our planet's natural wild heritage. Order deadline is April 26.

To request a full color brochure of either print or any of the outstanding art available at **Woodland Art Gallery**, call or visit today. A gallery tour is also encouraged as **Woodland Art Gallery** is Northern Illinois' most respected source for collectible prints by today's most popular artists. All are available masterfully matted and framed as well.

Woodland Art Gallery and Frame Shoppe is located at 71-B East Woodstock Street in downtown Crystal Lake. Phone (815) 459-0460.

Visit our gallery collection also at **Prairie Wings Art Gallery**, 344 Old McHenry Road in Long Grove. Phone (708) 913-0581.

Museum mounting custom matting and fine framing by **Woodland Art Gallery** is available at either location. Shipping is also available anywhere. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

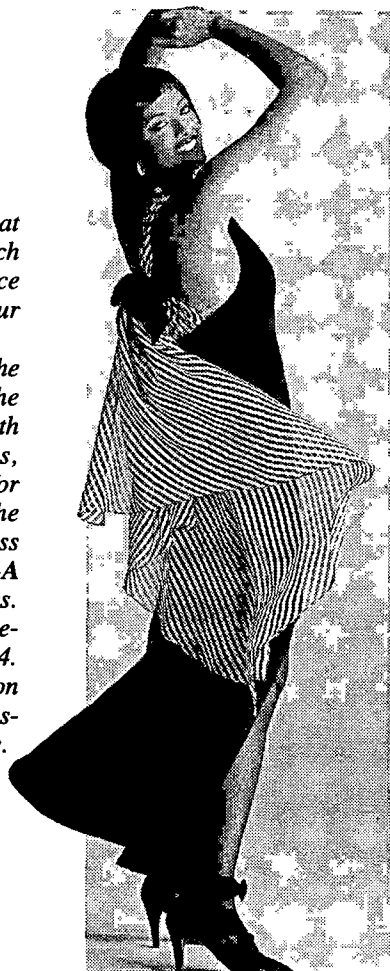
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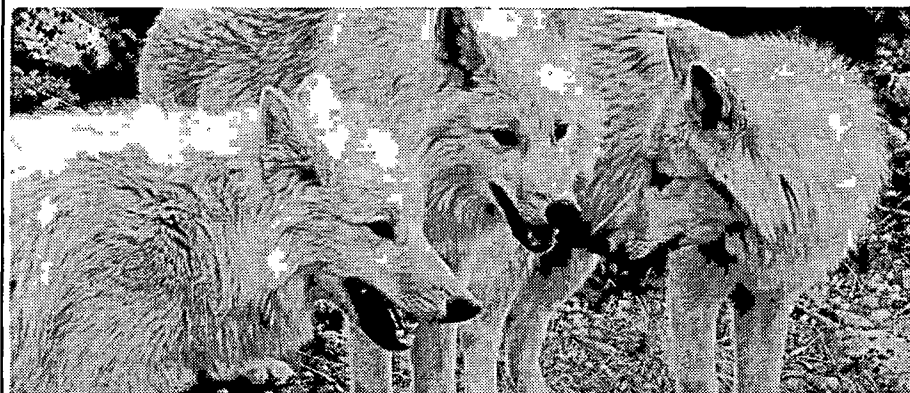
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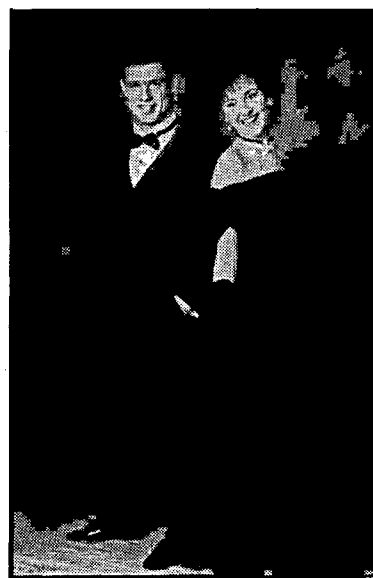
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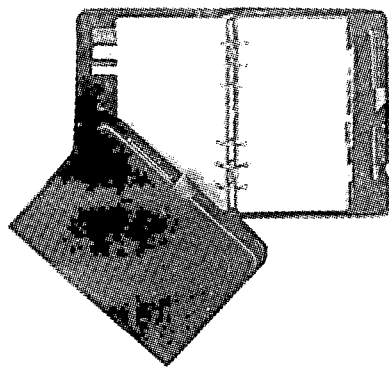
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Spruce up your desk for spring. A riot of flowers bloom on many desk accessories—blotters, pencil cups, memo holders and frames. Whether doing homework or paying bills, these colorful designs will add cheer to your day.

Flowers are also blooming on spring party invitations, rehearsal dinners, bridal showers, baby showers, weddings and more. There are many beautiful choices for your parties from **Little Shop of Papers** in the Barrington Ice House.

Spring Excitement at the European Gift Express

The warmth and excitement of spring has arrived at the **European Gift Express** in Barrington. As part of the ongoing commitment to bring the finest in European style shopping to Barrington, you will find the addition of many new items. Gifts and collectibles are now available from twenty-two European countries.

Of special interest is the "Wild Flowers of Wales" jewelry, now being introduced to the United States. There are many new and unique pieces of Venetian jewelry, Bohemian glass beads, Austrian crystal and Russian amber.

Do take a moment to review the many Old World German glass ornaments for 1994, the beautiful Russian nesting dolls, and the very latest in Polish contemporary glass works (be sure to see the cognac

shaded candle holders!)

To add to the excitement, the **European Gift Express** has brought to Barrington an exclusive dealership representing the art of Thomas Kinkade, the "Painter of Light." His masterful use of soft edges and luminous colors give his highly detailed oil paintings a glow of their own as they bring beauty and warmth to your home. Investment grade limited edition canvases that are signed and numbered are featured. Stop in and enjoy the paintings of this master artist at the gallery of the **European Gift Express**.

The **European Gift Express** is located in an authentic railway car inside the Ice House Mall, at 200 Applebee Street in Barrington.

A Message From Sundance



Pictured on the left are our new Silverado jackets—They have exclusives on their fabrics and the designs and colors are wonderful.

On my last trip to New Mexico and Arizona, I found two new designers. Come in and take a peek at their work!

We have found many new jewelry artists who each have a unique quality and complement our clothes so well.

Design is bursting with new, exciting accessories for your home. New furniture has also arrived.

Stop in and sit in our chair and a half by Berne. It is all hand crafted and is so cozy. A perfect addition to a family room. It is specially priced thru June 30.

See you soon,
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Sundance

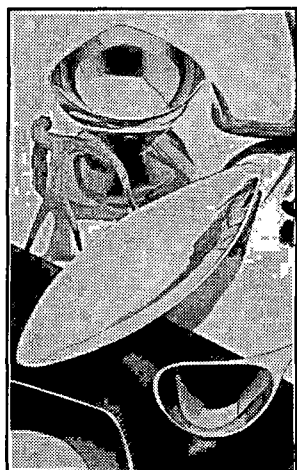


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Barrington Photographer Fairs Well at Illinois Professional Photography Convention

Al Buschauer of Buschauer Designer Photography in Barrington scored well in the print competition at this year's photographic competition held in Springfield, Illinois March 11th-15th. The APPI uses strict judging rules as approved by the Professional Photographers of America.

Under the rules, each member is permitted to submit no more than four photographs. Several hundred photographs are submitted to the annual APPI judging but only 20-25% are selected for hanging and only about 5% receive merits. Having a

photograph accepted for hanging demonstrates a high level of competence. Al Buschauer had the following photographs accepted: "Ali", "Tea for Two", and "Country Bumpkin."

Al Buschauer owns and operates Buschauer Designer Photography in Barrington with partner Savannah Walters. Their work can be seen in the foyer at Chessie's Restaurant in Barrington and at Richard Honquest Fine Furnishings in South Barrington.

AT THE BARRINGTON ICE HOUSE



In 1810, Scottish women played on the links at Musselburg in the first women's tournament. The prizes were a fish basket and two dainty Barcelona handkerchiefs. Times have changed, but the passion for women's golf remains as strong as ever. Barrington women will be hitting the greens this season wearing a variety of smashing new golf outfits from **Peter Daniel**.

The 100% cotton Belle Point "At the Club" collection of appliqued shirts is most whimsical and appealing. The Line up for Sport line features the freshest new crop of colorful print and plaid co-ordinated shorts, shirts, vests and jackets seen in many a year. Regardless of the final score, you're sure to be a winner in a new outfit from **Peter Daniel**.

Stop by soon to see the new golfwear and other weekend activewear collections arriving weekly. **Peter Daniel**, upper level, The Ice House, Barrington.

Spring Events at The Ice House

The Barrington High School Actors Workshop will present a free play for children on Saturday, April 30th at 2:00 p.m. at the **Barrington Ice House Village Shop and Restaurant**. Twice a year these District 220 students spend several weeks in preparation of their presentation. These plays are always entertaining and well received by the community. So, mark your calendar, bring the kids and enjoy what promises to be another great presentation.

Another annual spring highlight at the **Ice House** is the Young Artists Exhibit, sponsored by the Barrington Area Arts Council, which is scheduled for view April 22 - May 8. Approximately eighty selected pieces of children's art work from each of the Barrington grammar and mid-

dle schools will be on display throughout the mall. We invite you to come and see what our talented students have accomplished this year. In addition, there will be a reception for those exhibiting artists on Saturday, April 23 from 2:00-4:00.

The **Barrington Ice House** is home to nearly twenty specialty shops and Chessie's Restaurant. Mall hours are Monday - Saturday 9:30-5:30, Thursdays 9:30-8:30 and Sundays noon to 4:00. The **Ice House** is located at 200 Applebee Street in downtown Barrington off Harrison which is two blocks west of the intersection of Route 59 and Lake Cook. For further information please call (708) 381-6661.

An Evening of Jewish Music

An Evening of Jewish Music on April 10th at 7:00 p.m. at the Masthouse located at 528 East Calhoun Street in Woodstock. It will be featuring a variety of music styles including Edward and Alice Wilcox violin or cello and piano, playing Nigun and Simchas Torah on violin and Rhapsody from the Suite Hebraique on violin with piano accompanist. These selections were composed by Ernest Bloch.

The next selection will be performed by Lori Sucher of Chicago who will be singing gems from "The Great Yiddish

Theatre of Second Avenue" in Yiddish with English Adaptations. To complete our line up we will have performing Joshua Rabbinitz to sing a selection of Israeli folk songs and Jewish songs and also the opportunity to sing along with him.

There is a donation of \$12.00 per person for the performances and refreshments for the evening. The event is sponsored by the McHenry County Jewish Congregation Sisterhood. For information or to purchase a ticket you can contact Karen Hammer at (815) 338-8592.

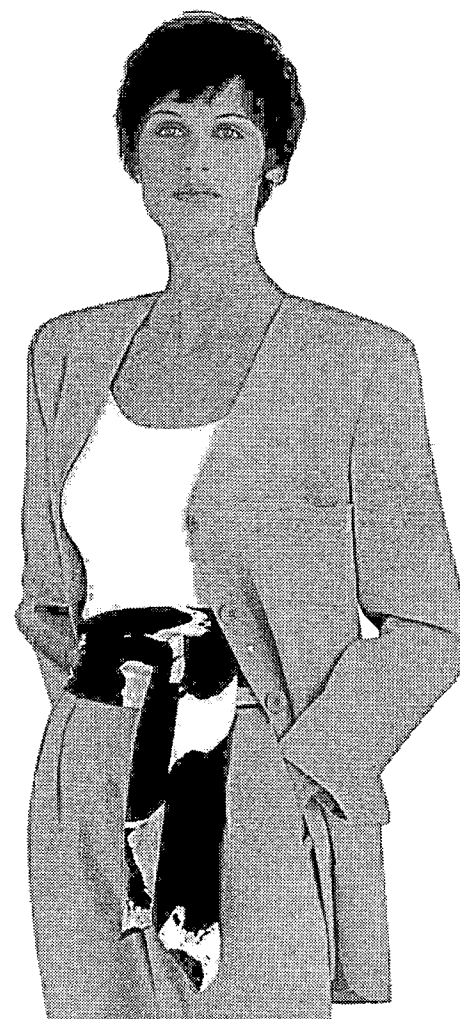
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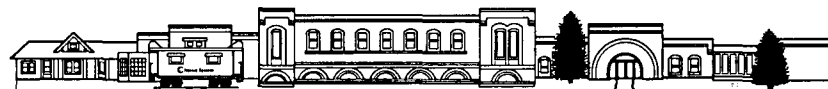


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American Girl Colonial Tea Party

The Barrington Area Historical Society will host a Colonial Tea party with Felicity, An American Girl, on Saturday, April 16 with two seatings, 10:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. at Chessie's Restaurant in the Ice House Mall. Guests will enjoy a Colonial fashion show and an authentic tea lesson. Children can also view an exhibit of everyday objects familiar to Felicity, while enjoying refreshments. A drawing to win a Felicity Doll will take place at the end of the second seating. Tickets are \$10 each, and children must be at least seven years old to attend. (No purchase is necessary to enter the Doll Drawing, and winner need not be present at the time of the drawing.)

Reservations are extremely limited. To make reservations, send your check, made payable to the Barrington Area Historical Society, 212 West Main Street, Barrington, along with your name, address and telephone number, and the names and ages of children attending. Checks must be received before reservations can be confirmed.

The Museum Store of the Barrington Area Historical Society carries all the historical fiction books and related print products in The American Girls Collection, including the American Girl magazine.

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We will have a Bali Bra Fit clinic on April 13, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in our **Barrington** store.

On April 12, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. we will have a Bali Bra Fit clinic in our **Palatine** store.

All Bali Bras will be on sale during these clinics.

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Vintage & Nouveau Is Aging Beautifully!

"This place is paradise," to quote a customer in **Vintage & Nouveau** recently. Aha! My dream realized. When I started **Vintage & Nouveau** five months ago, I wanted to create my vision of resale heaven—that is, a cozy, friendly boutique, jammed with current styles, classic pieces and some very fun, funky stuff. Then merchandise it as total "looks" so customers would have endless ideas about putting it all together.

Wait! There's more! All this supports three ideas that **Vintage & Nouveau** is built on. First, wear what *you* want. Workplace boundaries aside, **Vintage &**

Nouveau encourages the freedom to wear clothes you feel great in. Second, don't pay a lot of money. Period. Third, there's a lot of "stuff" on our earth already—so it's smart and fun to re-use the really great stuff that's already here.

Last word! Where is **Vintage & Nouveau**? Enter 2 doors west of the Bread Basket Restaurant. (Look for the shingle). There's also plenty of parking in the municipal lot in back—cut through the gangway. You're there!

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This year, **Tibor Furs** introduced



Shearlings—luxurious, lightweight, beautiful and in many colors from which to choose—hunter, ruby, onyx, taupe and ebony.

When buying a new fur coat at **Tibor Furs**, alterations, monogramming and first-year storage are included free.

Music and Poetry Readings at BAAC

The Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) will present "Poems, Pints and Paulson" on Friday, April 29 at 8:00 p.m. at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Avenue, Barrington. The John Paulson jazz duo will perform new and exciting jazz-influenced compositions using a variety of instruments, including a wind synthesizer. In addition to music, poetry readings will be interspersed throughout the evening.

The John Paulson duo is based in Winona, Minnesota. Mr. Paulson is both a teacher and artist, having performed with the Seattle Seahawks band, Ice Capades, Andy Williams, Melissa Manchester and the Mills Brothers.

Refreshments will be served. For more information, contact the BAAC Gallery at 382-5626.

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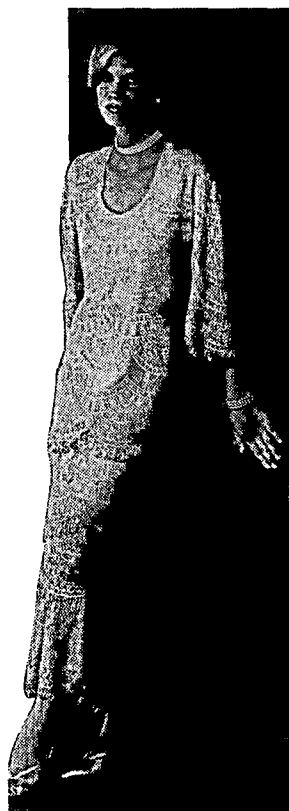
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or romantic spring evenings comes this irresistible antique design by Damianou. The two-piece dress in cinnamon metallic is a tunic style over skirt. Fully lined.

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Associates Slate Coffee And Annual Dinner Meeting

The Barrington Community Associates of The Art Institute of Chicago are sponsoring an open membership coffee on Thursday, April 7, at 1:00 p.m., at the Presbyterian Church of Barrington, 6 Brinker Road, in Barrington. Jeffrey Nigro, art historian, will present a slide/lecture program entitled, "You Are What You Wear: Fashion Statements in Western Art." Mr. Nigro will examine how fashions have reflected ideas of beauty, taste, eroticism and politics. Members, guests and those interested in joining the Barrington Community Associates are invited to attend. The program is free of charge.

The Barrington Community Associates of The Art Institute of Chicago will hold their annual dinner meeting at Wynstone Golf Club in North Barrington on Sunday, April 17, starting at 5 p.m. Dennis Loy,

curator of the extensive art collection of the Union League Club in Chicago, will lecture on "Collecting Affordable Art." He will discuss the various methods of print making and the opportunities offered by prints as an affordable means of collecting fine art. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m., following Mr. Loy's 6 p.m. lecture. The fee for the dinner/lecture is \$39 per person. For reservations, which are due by April 8, please call Evelyn Richer at 381-5349.

Membership in the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute is open to all residents of the Northwest suburbs, men and women. Dues are \$50, which includes a family membership in the Art Institute of Chicago. For more information, please call Mary Lou Iverson, 359-0941, or Pat Fein, 382-5953.

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Wendy Stebbins will present "Productive Change!" at the April 18th dinner meeting of the National Network of Sales Professionals (NNSP). A mini-business expo will also be held during the session.

Ms. Stebbins is a well-known speaker on the subject of productivity through better people relations. She is author of numerous articles on reducing stress, negotiating effectively, communications, dealing with difficult people, and programming yourself for success, as well as co-author of *Here is Genius*. Her background includes being a former Miss Virginia in the Miss America pageant and TV talk show hostess.

The meeting will be held on Monday,

April 18, 1994, at 6:00 p.m. at the Wellington of Arlington, 2121 South Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights, Illinois. Reservations can be made by calling (708) 253-2661 and must be made by 3:00 p.m. of Friday, April 15. The cost of the dinner is: \$26.00 for non-members, \$20.00 for NNSP members and \$28.00 for walk-ins.

In addition to monthly dinner meetings, the NNSP sponsors business referral groups which provide additional support and networking opportunities for its members. For more information about NNSP and its referral groups, please call (708) 705-2362.

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4. Color or black and white sessions are available.
5. Prizes will be awarded to the first place winner in each category.
6. Winners will be notified by mail by August 1, 1994. Entries will be judged by Shirley Hamilton Modeling Agency in Chicago.
7. One charge of \$85 includes sitting, entry fee and one 5 x 7 portrait.
8. Sittings are limited. We will

schedule people on a first come, first served basis.

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BAAC Caribbean Splash Makes Waves

More than 225 castaways clad in beach attire joined the Barrington Area Arts Council at the seventh annual fundraiser "Caribbean Splash" held at the Barn of Barrington. Co-chairs, Cynthia Erb, Barrington Hills, and Gail Stein, North Barrington, said that more than \$30,000 washed up on shore from the event!

Beachcombers were swept to balmy breezes the moment they passed through the doors where the entry way was transformed into a beach complete with palm trees, sea shells, tropical birds and sand crabs. After ascending the sweeping staircase to the Paradise Beach Club, com-

plete with netting and paper mache tropical fish, partygoers enjoyed an island punch served in fresh coconuts as Stainless Steel played island favorites on metal drums. Nibbling on island appetizers beach bums began bidding on more than 150 silent auction items.

Tropical tastes were the bill-of-faire for the evening, including grilled West Indies spiced rubbed chicken with tangerine tamarindo sauce, lime marinated kingfish with red onion and mango relish, curried chicken, fried plantain, black beans, Spanish rice, cool island salads and an assortment of island pastries, rumcake and fresh fruit.

Following a flurry of dancing with festive music provided by Chicago's Impulse, Trader Nick, Nick Capaccio of North Barrington, created more of a flurry with a live auction where high bidders took home such items as: a 1994/95 Bulls Season game skybox for 12; a week-long vacation in a Steamboat Springs Condominium; a tapestry crush anorak from York Furrier of Elmhurst; an 18-karat gold ring from M.J. Miller & Company; a powder room remodel by Insignia, Professional Plumbing and Lighting Unlimited; paint pistol warfare for twelve; and a party with panache for 50 guests at the BAAC Gallery, compliments of 3 Chefs Catering, Armanetti's Barrington Cellars, Anheuser Busch, Barrington Flower Shop, Linvitation Station, Sally Marsh and Michael



Gail de Freitas, Mary Louise Blaney and Linda Fisher of Barrington Hills, enjoyed beating the winter blahs at the "Caribbean Splash."



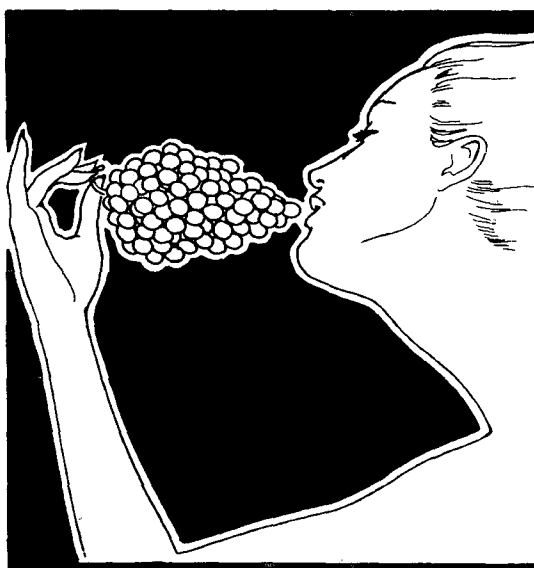
"Trader Nick," Nick Capaccio of North Barrington was the evening's auctioneer.

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Castaways tossed aside their reading materials and opened the tropical treasure chest to find the winning ticket holders. Rhonda Johnson of Buffalo Grove was the lucky winner of the round trip airline tickets for two to the Caribbean, generously donated by American Airlines; Mary Lou Kuhlman of Barrington Hills won the fur trimmed anorak from O'Brien and Son Furs; and Jon Asplund of Chicago won the weekend at the Abbey Resort in Fontana, Wisconsin.

Before leaving the warmth of the islands, castaways stopped into Pirates Cove and had their caricatures drawn by Arlington Heights resident artist, Bob Bowman.

The evening's proceeds will be incorporated into the annual operating budget. The Barrington Area Arts Council is a not-for-profit organization which seeks to promote, encourage and sponsor the presentation of programs and activities in the visual, literary, and performing arts. For more information about the gallery and its programs, please call 382-5626.



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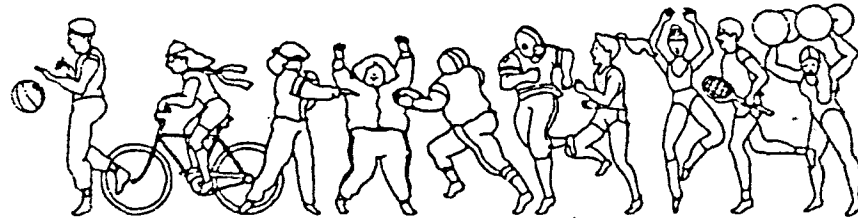
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I've been doing massages at **Tranquility, the Total Salon**, for eight years. Over these years I have been continuing in the American Massage Association; and in November of last year I received National Certification in massage. My repertoire of body work is extensive: I can use Swedish massage to relax your body; or ortho-bionomy, reflexology, Tragger, and acupressure to achieve the softening of tight, sore muscles and the release of tension and blocked energy.

completed training in Jin Shin Do Facial Massage which is fantastic for facial tension, headache, TMJ, and sinus conditions. This treatment is a full hour on the face, neck, and upper back; no oils are needed and you don't even get undressed. I also offer Manual Lymphatic Drainage massage which very gently helps the lymph system work harder at removing toxins and excess fluids from the body. This type of massage is great for people who can't take deep work because of infirmities, muscle soreness, or edema.

Contrary to popular belief, massage isn't just a luxury. Massage is beneficial to your health. Take the time to get a massage once each month and notice how much better you feel and how much more easily you cope with everyday stresses.

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Facial Plastic Surgery, Looking Your Best

Dr. Churchill specializes in plastic and reconstructive surgery of the face and neck. He has an office and private surgical suite in Barrington, and is one of a handful of physicians in the country to complete extensive subspecialty training through a fellowship with the prestigious American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. Dr. Churchill is board certified and on staff at a number of local hospitals and surgery centers. The following is an excerpt from an upcoming newsletter.



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What is Minimal Incision Surgery?

Perhaps the most exciting advance in surgery to come along in years is minimal incision surgery. This has revolutionized many areas of surgery. Now for the first

time, minimal incision surgery can be done for certain plastic surgery procedures. Minimal incision surgery involves using fiberoptic scopes through tiny incisions to see and perform the operation. Almost everyone has heard of arthroscopic surgery of the knee and laparoscopic surgery of the abdomen. These are examples of minimal incision surgeries that use fiberoptic technology to avoid larger incisions. We are now performing forehead lifting, brow

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New Hormone-Free Milk Comes to Lake Zurich

Due to the rising concern over the recent widespread practice of administering bovine growth hormones (BGH) to our nation's dairy cattle, **All Ways Healthy**, Natural Foods Center of Lake Zurich, is now carrying a hormone-free milk from Oberweis Dairy.

Like all of the merchandise at **All Ways Healthy**, this new dairy product is all natural and fresher than most milk you'll find at the grocery store. The Oberweis Dairy milk is available in 1/2 gallon glass bottles in whole, 2% and skimmed. They also carry hormone-free cottage cheese.

All Ways Healthy can help you design a program to improve your health and

fitness. What are your concerns? Are you concerned about the fat in your diet?

You can stop in at **All Ways Healthy** or make an appointment with Carole Childers, owner. Carole is ready to provide personal assistance to customers, including suggestions and information to help with special diets or health programs.

At **All Ways Healthy**, we are dedicated to a common sense approach to health improvement. There is a special section devoted to books offering information on women's health concerns, healthy cooking, special dieting, improving nutrition and body image and allergies and stress management.

Happy Easter!

Our experienced staff would love to be of service to you at any time. Specifically if you have any problems or questions regarding your hair, cosmetics or nails please come in and see us. Or you may write to us, **Hairs to You**, 759 West Main Street in Lake Zurich, and we'll respond in next month's issue.

One of our most frequently asked question is, "How can I get my hair to grow

extremely long and still have it in good condition? We highly recommend Matrix Biolage or P.M. conditioning treatments and having just the very ends trimmed every 2 to 3 months without fail.

Seniors (62 or older) receive 10% off any nail services or pedicure on Thursday.

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Hand Pain: Is It Carpal Tunnel Syndrome?

Dr. Reffell is a graduate of the National College of Chiropractic. As a chiropractor and full primary care physician, he is uniquely qualified to diagnose and treat the aches and pains that arise from daily living. He has an office in Barrington and welcomes the opportunity to meet with you concerning your health.

"My Hands Are On Fire!"

That's how one patient described the feeling of pain she experienced in her hands while working at her computer terminal. Have you ever suffered from hand pain while doing a routine activity? Chances are that if you have a job or hobby that requires performing tasks using your hands in a repetitive fashion, you could be suffering from a condition known as Carpal Tunnel Syndrome or CTS. This painful and common disorder interferes with the use of one or both hands and is due to the entrapment of the median nerve within the carpal tunnel (a narrow tunnel of bone and ligament in the wrist). The disorder is most commonly due to wear and tear, bone dislocation and fracture, and fluid retention.

But Is It Really CTS?

In recent years, CTS has been used as a catch-phrase to describe pain that occurs in the hand. The result: improper diagnosis and needless surgery. True Carpal Tunnel Syndrome represents a diagnostic challenge and must be differentiated from other related disorders by a competent and qualified physician accustomed to handling this condition. In short—all hand pain is not necessarily CTS. So the most important step is proper diagnosis. "As a chiropractic physician, I have the training required to pinpoint the problem and suggest the most appropriate therapeutic approach," said Dr. Reffell.

Surgery—LAST OPTION

What is the best course of action to follow if you or someone you know suffer from CTS? First and most importantly, realize that surgery is *not* the first option. In the typical medical setting, the CTS patient tries a splint for a short period of time, and failing that, is sent for surgery. "Proper conservative management of Carpal Tunnel Syndrome involves more than mere immobilization of the affected area. At my office patients are assessed and put through aggressive therapy which includes mobilization of that region," said Dr. Reffell. Surgery should be used only as a last resort, especially since surgery is not guaranteed to relieve the problem. The first option should always be a conservative course of treatment. Once the pain is relieved, appropriate strengthening exercises must be prescribed and are essential for proper recovery.

Studies reveal that more than eighty-five percent of Americans will suffer some sort of incapacitating pain at some point in their lifetime. Many of these individuals will look toward chiropractic for relief. And they're in good company. Many well-known celebrities and sports stars benefit from chiropractic care: David Letterman, Elizabeth Taylor, Mel Gibson, and Joe Montana, to name a few.

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Happenings In The Area

DAR To Study America's Lighthouses

Signal Hill Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its regular April 12 meeting at the home of Anita Heron, 244 Woodland Drive, Biltmore, in Barrington at 12:30 p.m.

The historical program entitled, "Let All the Lights Shine" will be presented by Fourth Division Director, Helen Mitchler. This program covers the interesting background and location of America's lighthouses.

Refreshments will be served by hostesses: Anita Heron, Mary Pettise, Anne McNight and Helen Mellin.

This meeting will provide members with an opportunity to donate to the American Indian Scholarship Fund. Tax deductible checks should be made out to Signal Hill Chapter, NSDAR, designated for the Indian fund, and given to Treasurer, Meg Kachelreiss.

Any woman is eligible for membership



Hostess for the April 12 meeting will be Anita Heron.

who is not less than eighteen years of age and who is descended from a man or woman who served, or gave material aid, to the cause of American Independence.

Registrar Anne Fiedler may be contacted, 381-5531, for further information on membership.

"The Many Moods Of Spring"



Members from the Women's Club of Inverness met recently to put the finishing touches on the centerpieces for the annual spring fashion show and luncheon to be held Monday, April 11th at the Hyatt Regency Woodfield. This year's theme is "The Many Moods of Spring". From left to right: Janette Tepas, Marge Meyers, Geri Campbell, Judy Rode, Jennifer Ewers, Joan Dotoli and Mickie Polk. For ticket information call 705-0378 or 991-3136.

The Women's Club of Inverness will hold its annual spring luncheon and fashion show beginning at 11:00 a.m., on Monday, April 11 at the Hyatt Regency Woodfield, 1800 East Golf Road in Schaumburg.

"The Many Moods of Spring," is the theme for this year's show, with fashions provided by Saks Fifth Avenue, Oak Brook.

A cocktail hour and gift and accessory boutique begins at 11:00 a.m., with ticket sales. The luncheon begins at 12:30 and the fashion show at 1:30 p.m. Prizes include two airline tickets from The Total Traveler, jewelry by M.J. Miller, dinner for two at Le TiTi and a family portrait

by Kramer Photographers.

This year's committee chair is Joan Dotoli, with Leslie Luther-Jeschke assisting. Other chairmen include the following: Financial Advisor, Karen Victor; Decorations, Mickie Polk and Angie Fridono; Publicity, Denise Curry; Prizes, Nancy Zimmerman; Ticket Sales, Debbie Pohl; Drink Ticket Sales, Lynette Mills; Boutique, Diane Steichen; Program Book, Nancy Rogers; Reservations, Raisa Bratkiv.

Tickets are \$35 per person and are available by calling 991-3136. Proceeds from the event will directly benefit many local philanthropies which the Women's Club of Inverness helps to support.

Infant Welfare Fashion Show

The Barrington Chapter of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago will hold its annual Luncheon-Fashion show, "Bridal Parade: From Engagement to Honeymoon," Wednesday, April 27th, at the Barrington Hills Country Club. The Silent Auction and Social Hour begin at 11:00 a.m., followed by the luncheon and fashion show at 12:00 p.m.

Tickets for the year's event may be purchased for \$35.00 each from this year's chairman, Mrs. Mary Cate Hanson, (708) 382-8785. Reservations are limited, so make your reservations early.

Fashions for this event will be provided by Peter Daniel Men and Women's Apparel and A'L'Amour Bridal Shop. Three of the Barrington Chapters own members will be included in the modeling: Mrs. Penny Knopik, Mrs. David Goodfellow and Mrs.

Diane Zelcs.

Assisting Mrs. Hanson as her committee are: Mrs. Krista Debeuckelaer for the Silent Auction; and Mrs. Penny Knopik for the prize baskets. Mrs. Maggie Powell will be doing the table decorations and the table favors are being done by Ms. Lori Rutherford, Mrs. Judy Alexander and Mrs. Sandy Harden.

All proceeds from this charity event will go to help support the Infant Welfare clinic on North Halsted Street, which provides medical, dental and prenatal services, along with Social Services to indigent women and children in the Chicago area. The Infant Welfare Society was established in 1911 and during the last year, provided approximately 48,000 health service visits to over 7,000 poor minority children and their mothers.

Welcome Wagon April Luncheon

The Barrington Welcome Wagon Luncheon will be Tuesday, April 12th, at the Covered Bridge Cafe, 445 Robert Parker Coffin Road, in historic Long Grove. Barbara Turner, a life-long resident of Long Grove and local school librarian, will offer her slide presentation on the legend and lore and preservation process of this village. She is well known for her continuous effort to preserve the community's structures and woodlands and is an expert photographer and researcher who has captured this history on film. Please note that the program will be first at 10:15 a.m., and the luncheon promptly at 11:30 a.m..

The menu consists of a choice of Italian quiche and soup or chicken salad supreme,

coffee, tea, or soft drinks, lemon bar or seven-layer bar for dessert for \$9.50. Please RSVP by April 5th, to Sharon Wade, at 836-6210, for reservations and child care.

The Barrington Welcome Wagon Coffee will be held on Thursday, April 28th at a member's home. Entitled, "Perennial Surprises," learn which perennials attract butterflies and which ones thrive in shade or sun. Color throughout the growing season is a gardener's delight. A landscape professional from James Martin Associates will show slides of perennials in the garden, and tell us about their characteristics. Please call Joann at 540-6416 if you wish to attend.

Four Seasons Meets May 3

The Four Seasons Garden Club of Barrington will meet on Tuesday, May 3. A tour of Chuck Klehm's private peony collection in Woodstock is planned. Mr.

Klehm, owner of Klehm Nurseries, South Barrington will speak about peonies in general. Guests are welcome. Phone 382-2890 for car pooling information.

Barrington Lyric Spotlights "The Stars of Tomorrow"

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Cressey will again share their beautiful Barrington Hills home and welcome members and guests for an evening with "The Stars of Tomorrow." Beginning at 8:00 p.m., the program will feature students of Northwestern University under the direction of, and accompanied by, Fred Ockwell. They will sing Act 1 of Engelbert Humperdinck's "Hansel and Gretel" and selected arias. Hansel will be portrayed by Anne Lee from Dayton, Ohio; Gretel by Alexis Duncan, Sr., from Chevy Chase, Maryland; the mother by Cynthia Mallard, South Carolina; and the father by Paul Radulescu from Romania.

The installation of officers will be presented. Following the program, another luscious sweet table with beverages will be provided by the Board of Directors.

Guests will be welcomed at no charge. Members, \$5.00. Reservations are limited and will close by April 4. Please respond to Linelle Delk-Jacobs, 382-4994. Make

checks payable to Barrington Lyric and mail to Linelle, 276A Old Barn Road, Lake Barrington, Illinois 60010.

The Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago, with a membership of 214 members, announces its 1994-1995 Board of Directors: President, Jan Semerad, Inverness; Immediate past president, Wanda Hollensteiner, North Barrington; First Vice President, Lynne Grimshaw, Barrington; Second Vice President, Jim Steed, Schaumburg; Treasurer, Roger Dickinson, Lake Barrington; Recording Secretary, Judith Meils, Barrington Hills; Corresponding Secretary, Penelope Knopik, Barrington; Community relations and publicity chairman, Catherine Mura, Lake Barrington; Advisors, Helen Berndtson, Barrington Hills, Tressa Borkon, Lake Barrington, and Laurel Gibson, Crystal Lake.

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Ben E. Salon Celebrates Earth Month

Earth Month is being celebrated this April and we would like you to join us in making every day Earth Day. Throughout April the entire staff of **Ben E. Salon** will be donating \$1.00 of every professional beauty service. This money will be going directly to Give to the Earth Foundation, a non-profit foundation that supports grass roots environmental action. The following organizations will be receiving 100% of all funds raised:

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Auxiliary Plans Spring Card Party

Members and friends of Countryside Auxiliary are invited to our Spring Card Party to be held at the "Hob Nob" Restaurant in Crystal Lake, on Highway 14, 10:00 a.m., on April 20th. Luncheon will be served, with a delicious menu. The cost of tickets is \$15.00.

Please send your reservation checks to

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Pinochle, Bridge, Michigan Rummy, or Scrabble or any type of game that pleases you will be played. Just plan to come and have a good time.

Reservations, no later than April 14th please.

Craft Show Applications Available

The Barrington Ice House Village Shops and Restaurant will be hosting its 6th Annual Fall Craft Show on Saturday, October 1, 1994 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Any artist interested in participating in the Craft Show must submit an applica-

tion form and two photos that are representative of the crafts he/she will be exhibiting at this show. The entry fee is \$50.00. Application deadline is July 1, 1994. Anyone interested in receiving an application should call (708) 381-6661.

BHS Sponsors String Concert

The Barrington High School Fine Arts Boosters is sponsoring a concert for all School District 220 string students and their parents by the Chicago Arts String Quartet in the B.H.S. Johnson Auditorium at 1:00 p.m., on Thursday, April 14.

This ensemble, comprised of members

of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, has performed here for our students many times over the past two decades. They will perform, "The String Quartet" by Maurice Ravel, and "Five Novelettes" by Alexander Glazounov. The public is invited to attend this free concert.

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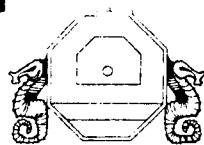
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Local Auxilian Recognized For Leadership



Russell E. Feurer, right, President of EHS Good Shepherd Hospital, congratulates hospital auxiliary member and volunteer Shirley Paulk at the 70th annual meeting of the Illinois Hospital Association. Paulk, a Barrington resident, received

a Leadership Award II during the event. Barrington resident Barbara Bond, also a volunteer and auxiliary member at EHS Good Shepherd Hospital, was given a Leadership Award at the IHA meeting.

Barrington Band Going to Disney World

The Barrington High School Marching Band, Symphonic Band and Rhythm Machine Jazz band have been selected to perform at the prestigious Disney World Complex in Orlando, Florida on April

21-24, 1994. The groups were selected after extensive review by audio and video tapes, as well as photos and written applications. The B.H.S. bands are directed by Mr. Randy Karon.

BHS Fine Arts Department Presents Orchesis '94

Barrington High School's Orchesis Dance Company will present its spring dance concert, "Orchesis '94" on Friday and Saturday evenings, April 8 and 9 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, April 10 at 2:30 p.m. in the Richard C. Johnson Auditorium. The program will include works choreographed by BHA students and Orchesis sponsor Julie Salk. A variety of dance styles will be performed including jazz, ballet, modern and social dance.

This year's company members include Pooja Amin, Ann Baumgart, Nadia Bliebel, Nicole Brash, Tracy Brenner, Rachel Brooks, Becky Bruzek, Sara Coleman, June Choi, Carrie Cinefro, Tiffany Claudio, Tori Evans, Beth Flanagan, Laura Francis, Tasha Franklin Rachel and Christine Gulbranson, Lisa

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Tickets are \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children. Senior Citizens 65 and over are free. Student activity cards will be accepted. For more information call Julie Salk at Barrington High School, 381-1400, extension 214.

Marilyn Mitchell to Speak at Harper Health Week

Dr. Marilyn Mitchell, an Obstetrician and Gynecologist in private practice at **WomanCare**, of Mount Prospect and Palatine, will be a guest speaker at Harper College during their popular Wellness Week, April 11-15, 1994. Dr. Mitchell will be presenting a program on Managing Your Midlife Health. She will discuss the latest theories that address the changing seasons of a woman's life and how that impacts her wellness and her attitude about healthcare. Specific concerns about hormone replacement therapy, osteoporosis, heart disease and breast cancer will be addressed.

Dr. Mitchell's presentation is scheduled for Tuesday, April 12th at 3 p.m. in Building A, Room 315, Harper Junior College, Algonquin and Roselle Roads in Palatine.

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The next dinner meeting is Thursday, April 14 at Mr. Peter's Banquets, Mount Prospect (next to Walgreens in Mount Prospect Plaza, northeast corner of Rand and Central). Networking begins at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Cost of dinner is \$14 for members and their guests, \$16 for others. Reservations are required; call Betty, (708) 529-2970.

Students in the Harper College Fashion Design Program will model their creations. BPW members will select winners to receive scholarships to continue in the program. There will also be a Business Expo featuring displays of the businesses, services, or products offered by members.

BPW Northwest regularly meets the third Thursday of the month and is open to all working women: managers, professionals, sales persons, office workers, women in non-traditional jobs, women entering or re-entering the work force. If you're interested in networking, learning new skills, or becoming a leader in a state or national organization—BPW speaks for you and works with you. Since 1919, BPW has promoted full participation, equity, and economic self-sufficiency through legislative advocacy, member training, and support programs.


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Interesting Spring Events for the Barrington Historical Society



Father Hayes and Bette-Jane Austin admire the staircase at Bellarmine Hall.

The Barrington Area Historical Society has initiated an outreach program in the Barrington Area to take the history of each village to that village. The first program was in South Barrington and the residents of that village were so cooperative and enthusiastic about the program that a South Barrington History Committee has been formed.

The BAHS under the direction of Dean

Maiben will present its second village history program in Lake Barrington on Wednesday, April 13, at 7:00. Through the use of a visual presentation the BAHS will discuss the four main historical periods of Lake Barrington: original settlement, civil war settlement, estate formation, and village formation. Flint Creek, the main water course in the area, gets its name from Amos Flint who was the original settler of Cuba Township in what is now the Village of Lake Barrington. And the Kelsey family, which was prominent in the early settlement period, gave its name to the first one room school which was located in the area which is now the Pepper Industrial area of Lake Barrington.

There are many exciting facts about the Village of Lake Barrington that the BAHS would like to share with the community. All residents of Lake Barrington and other interested individuals are invited to attend the program at the new Lake Barrington Village Hall. And since the BAHS would like to know even more about the village it encourages everyone to bring any family and village history in the form of documents or oral history to the meeting to share with the BAHS.

With spring just around the corner, what could be more exciting than a Town and Country Home Tour. And that's what Bette-Jane Austin and her committee have in store for the community. This year the BAHS housewalk committee has expanded the housewalk to include a tour of four lovely homes in and around Barrington.

BARNO To Meet April 12

The Barrington Area Registered Nurses Organization (B.A.R.N.O.) will meet Tuesday, April 12, 1994 at 7 p.m. in the Meadow Room at Good Shepherd Hospital, 450 West Highway 22 in Barrington.

Social hour is 7:00-7:30, business meeting 7:30-8:00 and program at 8:00 p.m.

Speaker for the evening is Beth Nielsen, R.N. Her topic is "Operation Smile". Nielsen, a surgical nurse, was part of a team of Operation Smile International, a

not for profit organization that provides plastic and reconstructive surgery to needy children and young adults with facial deformities. She traveled to Nicaragua and Kenya and will tell of her experiences.

Any Registered Nurse, active or inactive, residing or working in the Barrington area and surrounding communities is invited to attend this meeting.

For further information please call Cheryl Jellovitz at (708) 382-7038.

This tour includes a rare visit to Bellarmine Hall, which was originally built in the early 1900's as a country estate for the Robert Hammond family. It has been the home of the Jesuit Retreat House since the late 1940's. Although there have been several alterations to the original home, much of the original architectural features have been maintained and are representative of the wealthy estate period in the area's history. Also included on the tour is a house which began as the dormitory for farmworkers on the Hammond Estate. Through the years this structure has evolved into a lovely home that has been featured in the magazine, Victorian Sampler.

A Georgian style home built in 1927 is also open for viewing. This delightful home with its large entrance and magnifi-

cent staircase is also representative of the estate period of home building in the area.

A third house is in Jewel Park and is one of the first homes built in that area. This charming Dutch Colonial depicts the skill and sensitivity the homeowners have displayed in enlarging the home and maintaining its historical integrity.

The last home on the tour is the youngest home, built after the Second World War. Although it began as a modest brick ranch it has been transformed into a French country estate. The home tour entitled, "Doorways Through the Decades" will also feature a boutique of local artisans wares, an optional luncheon at the Barrington Hills Country Club, and minibuss transportation on the day of the tour, May 26th. For registration and ticket sale information call the BAHS at (708) 381-1730.

The Chicago Lighthouse Hosts Black Tie Gala

The Chicago Lighthouse is announcing plans for its first black-tie gala in more than two decades. The much anticipated 1994 Benefit, "The Lighthouse on The Pier," will be staged at the unique and refurbished Navy Pier Ballroom on Friday, April 29.

This exciting benefit will be an elegant, black-tie dinner dance with an anticipated audience of more than 600 people enjoying fine cuisine, outstanding entertainment, and thrilling luxury-class prizes.

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Biondi, the evening's entertainment highlight will be an unforgettable 90-minute performance by THE TEMP-TATIONS . . . a near guarantee that every guest will be out on the dance floor! Pre-shows by The Chicago Lighthouse's very own blues and jazz band, *VisionQuest*, and the popular, classic rockers, *JP & The Cats*, will kick off the evening.

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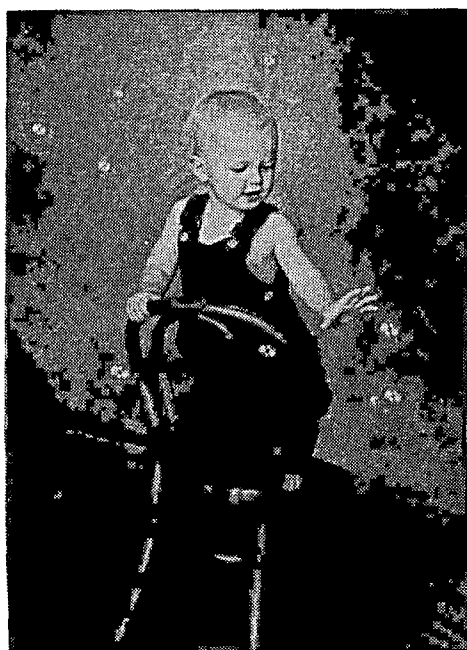
The soil benefits greatly from the organic growing methods by reawakening and encouraging the complex biological life of the soil's minerals, bacteria, and insects. "The dynamic interplay between

the soil, plants, and sun produces a health environment which creates vigorous plant growth and superior quality vegetables," says Randal.

Eileen applies the same principles of a healthy growing environment to the flock of laying hens and freezer chickens. "All of the chickens eat locally grown organic feed and get plenty of outdoor exercise," says Eileen.

Brown Brick Farm was recently honored by the Board of Directors of the McHenry County Defenders because of its significant contributions to the health of our environment. Randal summed it up by saying, "First you feed the soil, which then feeds the plants, which then feeds the people . . . that is the cycle."

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Traveling ... with Carlson Travel Network

A new worldwide mega-agency is in the creation process! Minneapolis-based Carlson Travel Group and Paris-based Wagonlit Travel have agreed to form **Carlson Wagonlit Travel**, a travel management venture backed by a \$10.8 billion travel network with more than 4,000 locations in 125 countries.

In announcing the new venture, both companies' presidents remarked about the "perfect fit" of the two operations. The two groups complement each other perfectly, each holding the distinction of being among the oldest travel companies in our parts of the world, and both are "100 percent customer-driven," said Travis Tanner, president, Carlson Travel Group. The new venture is anticipated to be in place by summer, 1994, subject to regulatory approvals. It will take the form of merged resources and a 50/50 joint venture company to be based in London. In Europe, all Wagonlit Travel offices and **Carlson Travel Network** offices are targeted to convert to the new names by December, 1995.

Carlson Travel Network is the descendant of the United States' oldest travel agency chain, Ask Mr. Foster, which was founded in 1888 by Ward G. Foster in St. Augustine, Florida. In 1979, Ask Mr.

Foster was acquired by Minneapolis entrepreneur, Curt Carlson. Today, Carlson travel agencies include Carlson Travel Network brand in the U.S., U.K., and Pacific Rim; P. Lawson Travel, Harvey's Travel and Voyages Bel-Air in Canada; and A.T. Mays, The Travel Agents in the U.K.

Wagonlit Travel's roots lie in train lore — in 1872, its Belgian founder, Georges Nagelmackers, was the first to put beds in European train cars for the comfort of the passengers. The company's original name, "Wagon-Lits," literally means "sleeping car." The company was the originator and operator of the legendary Orient Express. The company expanded its services to all forms of travel, becoming a full-service travel management company with annual worldwide revenues exceeding \$5.2 billion.

When you see the new sign go up in Barrington, it will say "Carlson Wagonlit Travel," please remember that some of the same staff who have been in this Barrington location for 20 years will be here to serve you. The 8 persons on staff have a total of 77 years of travel industry expertise and experience. We love what we do and it shows! Give us a call for your travel needs . . . **381-6400**.

Barrington Women's Club Celebrates 80th Birthday

The Barrington Women's Club will celebrate its 80th birthday this month. Established in 1914 by a small group of women wanting to begin a cultural organization, the Club has been of service to the Barrington Community ever since. One of the first contributions was the establishment of the first library in Barrington in 1914. The Barrington Women's Club, since that time, has continued to support the Barrington Library. In 1931, the Scholarship Committee was formed to give cash awards to Barrington High School Seniors, to be used toward their college educations. Since 1987, the Barrington Women's Club has contributed over \$40,000 in Scholarships and donations toward social services for the Barrington area.

On Wednesday, April 20, 1994, the Barrington Women's Club will hold a gala celebration at the Watercress of Palatine. A special afternoon has been planned for

the Birthday Party and a special tribute will be made to the outstanding individuals who have been members for over 40 years. After a social hour and luncheon, Mary McBride will present a program that promises to entertain everyone. Ms. McBride is a humorist, as well as an author. She has done ghost writing for such notable celebrities as Phyllis Diller and Joan Rivers. For information, contact Ellen McCauley, 854-0032.

At the March General Meeting of the Barrington Women's Club, the new slate of Officers was presented and voted on for the 1994-1995 year. The following is the newly elected Board of Directors of the Barrington Women's Club: President, Carole Lynam; President Elect, Helen Gleason; 1st Vice President, Junes Dienes; 2nd Vice President, Mary Therese Stephens; Recording Secretary, Ginny Schomberg; Corresponding Secretary, Ruth Kurtz; Treasurer, Pat Pierce.

Barrington Women's Club Announces Spring Events

The Barrington Women's Club President Janet Henning announced some of the upcoming events for April.

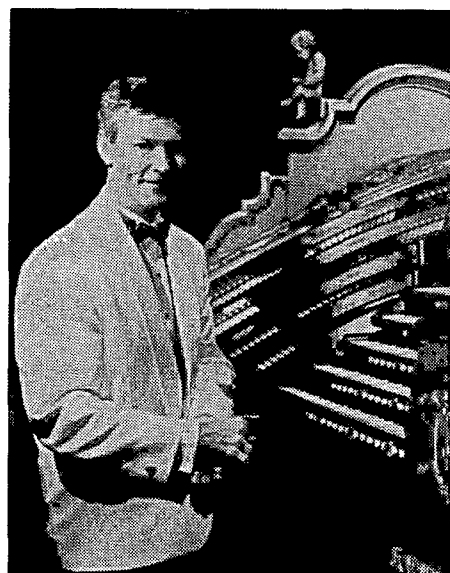
The Literature Group will meet on Monday, April 18, 1994, where a review by Pat Walsdorf entitled, "What's It All About?" Information for members can be gotten from Anne Zimmer, 382-6861.

The Little Theater Group, headed by Evelyn Richer, 381-5349, will travel by bus to enjoy a delicious luncheon and then a matinee performance of "The Unsink-

able Molly Brown" at the Fireside Theater, Ft. Atkinson, Wisconsin. The cost is \$48.00 and all members of the Barrington Women's Club and their guests are invited to join the group.

A special welcome was extended to our new members: Suzanne Hanifl from Barrington Hills; Jane Lussow from Deer Lake; and Helen Schwab from Fox River Grove. For membership information, call Raye Kerr, 382-2381.

Barrington's "Phantom Of The Opera" Will Feature Lyn Larsen



"The master of the organ" Lyn Larsen will be featured at BCLO's special event.

The Board of Directors of the Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago requests the pleasure of your company for Barrington's own "Phantom of the Opera," the theme of this year's annual special event, which will take place in a lovely Barrington Hills residence on Saturday, May 14. The social hour and viewing of the Music Machine Collection will begin at 6:00 p.m., followed by a gourmet

dinner and an outstanding program by Lyn Larsen, "the master of the organ," on the largest theater pipe organ in the world — which he can transform in to the sounds of an 80 piece orchestra.

\$85 per person (\$40 tax deductible). Tables of ten, \$850. Cash bar. Valet parking. Seating is limited and will be assigned in the order that reservations are received. Please respond by May 7 to Raynette Seger, 381-1589, or Anne Gross, 358-4067. Make checks payable to Barrington Lyric and send to Judith Meils, 164 Buckley Road, Barrington Hills, Illinois 60010.

Chairing the special event are Judith Meils and Raynette Seger, Barrington Hills. Their committee members include: Jena Barnett, Lake Zurich; Tressa Borkon, Roger Dickinson, Jeanette Muench, Catherine Mura, Shirley Richards, Lake Barrington; Ruth Kern, Bob Plagemann, Wanda Hollensteiner, North Barrington; Judith Coll, Wanda Haines, Penelope Knopik, Barrington; Donna Hannay, Louise Sullivan, Barrington Hills; Anne Gross, Jan Semerad, Inverness; Bryher Sears, Bartlett; Glenne McMonigal, Crystal Lake; Lore Zolan, Cary; and Fern Grauer, Highland Park.

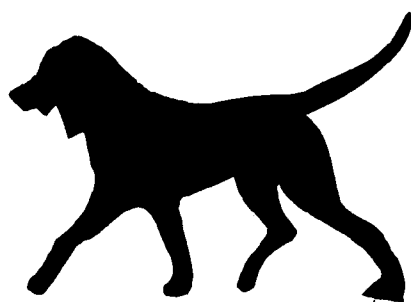
For information on the Barrington Chapter, please phone Sheila Nolan, 358-9080.

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But did you know that Fritzl's also serves a Plate Style Brunch on Sunday from noon to 4:00 p.m. Possibilities include Baked Chicken Breast filled with

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The expert staff at Concorde Banquets can assist you in planning every detail in order to make your reception, banquet, or catered event both affordable and memorable. For more information, and a personal meeting, please call 438-0025.

Concorde Banquets is located one mile north of Lake-Cook Road on Rand Road just west of Quentin Road in Kildeer.

April Events For Green Thumbs

Wonderful and unusual garden tips used in her own garden, our Green Thumbs Garden Club of Barrington member, Sharon Rooney, will share with her fellow gardeners at the club's meeting on Monday, April 18, 1994 at Langendorf Park Fieldhouse at 12:30 p.m. All new members are welcome.

During April, club members will participate in several community projects such

as Arbor Day—presenting each 4th grader in School District #220 with a young plant in his or her yard as part of conservation and beautification of the District. Also, various members will help to plant petunias, marigolds, and other annuals in the Planter Boxes that most downtown Barrington business owners place at their entrance ways.



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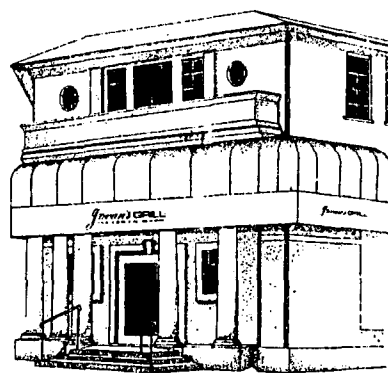
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Save Sunday, May 15th, For The 26th Annual Fair Diddley

Fair Diddley, an old-fashioned country craft show on the picturesque Woodstock Square, has been a May event for 25 years! The first craft fair hosted artists showing their hand-crafted wares in the park and has grown to over 350 booth spaces in and around the park on the quaint bricked streets. Over the years, the lovely Victorian Gazebo featured local entertainment and the adjoining Springhouse featured homemade bakery goods donated by the sponsors. A prize quilt has been part of the tradition.

The 26th Annual Fair Diddley will be Sunday, May 15th, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free. There will be a free shuttle bus from the parking lot at Marian Central High School, located one mile East of Route 47 on Route 120.

Sponsor of Fair Diddley is **The Mental Health Resource League for McHenry County**. Founded in 1967 as an auxiliary to the McHenry County Mental Health Center, MHRL broadened its scope in 1976 to support and give financial aid to mental health-related agencies in McHenry County.



Quality handcrafted country bunnies and bears will be featured at Fair Diddley by **Diane Krachtus**, of **Diane's Country Crafts**, Oswego, Illinois.

MHRL is an all-volunteer league. The membership has grown to over 100 women and men from throughout McHenry County. New members are always welcome. The League's largest fundraisers are **Fair Diddley** and **Fall Diddley**. Fall Diddley, which was born on the success of the May fair, has been an October event at the McHenry County Fairgrounds since 1986.

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The performance is sponsored in part by **WABT-FM**.

Performing on the harmonica and piano, Siegel will be joined by the West End String Quartet and percussionist **Frank Donaldson**.

The program, which features Siegel's unique and innovative blending of classical chamber music and contemporary blues, will consist primarily of his own compositions including Opus 6, 7, 8 and 9 from his famous "Chamber Blues Suite," and other

selections such as "No One's Got Them Like I Do" and "My Mind Has A Mind Of Its Own."

Siegel's latest symphonic piece, "Blues For A Green Planet, Opus 1" was commissioned and performed this summer with the Grant Park Symphony in Chicago.

Tickets to **Corky Siegel's "Chamber Blues"** are \$19.50 for adults, \$18.50 for students and seniors, and are available at the ECC Ticket Office in VPAC between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday and noon to 4 p.m., Saturday.

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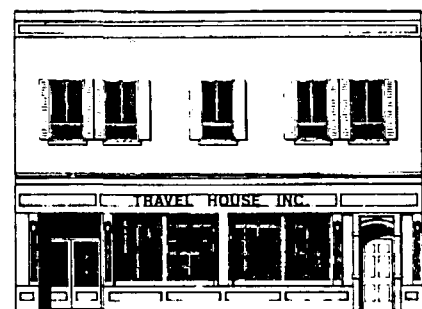
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Friends of the Sparrow recently announced the recipient of the first annual outstanding volunteer award. Wind Beneath Our Wings: Anne Emery of Barrington who oversees all donations for the resale shop, Sparrow's Nest in McHenry.

Board members for 1994-95 include Bonnie Cowhey and Marilyn Patrick, co-chairman; Norma Behrend, membership; Connie Blomquist, secretary; Nancy Hickman, treasurer; Michele Gillett, Home of the Sparrow liaison and newsletter editor; and Sandra Barker, advisor.

These announcements were made at the recent annual meeting held at the Village church in Barrington.

Friends of the Sparrow, the support organization for The Home of the Sparrow, a transitional home for homeless women, is located in McHenry and serves women throughout the northern Illinois area: Friends of the Sparrow, founded in July, 1992, currently has 358 members and has donated over \$50,000 to the shelter since 1992.

Dist. 220 Discussion "Sexual Responsibility ... What Does It Really Mean?"

District 220 Networking invites the community at large to attend a frank and knowledgeable discussion on a critically important matter to you and your teen. "Sexual Responsibility ... What Does it Really Mean?"

It isn't easy being a teen today confronted with the issue of sexual responsibility. It's almost just as difficult being a parent trying to guide and support that teen in making wise choices with lifetime implications.

Noted lecturer and author, Molly Kelly, will address this issue and lead a discussion with concerned adults on April 12th, 7:00-9:00 p.m., in the Barrington High School Auditorium. She will address the students of Barrington High School earlier

that day in optional assemblies at 12:33 and 1:40 p.m. Adults are welcome at these presentations also.

As a knowledgeable and expressive spokesperson, Molly Kelly is sought out by educators, broadcasters and government officials to articulate the rationale for chastity as the only 100% effective solution to the consequences of sexually transmitted diseases and unwanted pregnancies. She appears before more than 100,000 young people each year to deliver her message in a positive, powerful, and esteem-building manner.

We would encourage all concerned to attend this informative evening. It will be helpful to you and your teen in discussing this vital issue. We hope to see you there!

Northwest Cultural Council Presents "Dialogue" Poetry

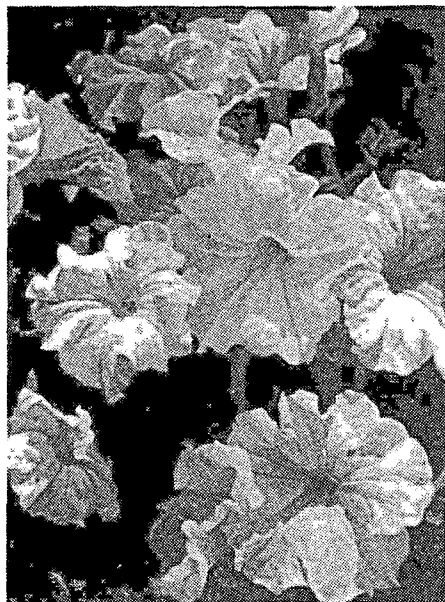
New and published writers, adults and high school students, are invited to participate in the fourth Writers Workshop of the Northwest Cultural Council's Saturday Series on April 9. Kevin Brewner will lead participants in creating poetry using the "dialogue" formula. He has found this method stimulates creativity and results in poetry that is unique to the individual. Mr. Brewner customizes his presentation to the talents of the writers in the workshops he leads.

Kevin Brewner writes personally. He

received his B.A. in English from Northern Illinois University and a Masters in Creative Writing from Columbia College in Chicago.

A reception preceding the workshop will begin at 8:30 a.m. The workshop will be held from 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. at the NWCC Gallery, 5999 New Wilke Road, Suite 107, Rolling Meadows, Illinois 60008. Your cancelled check serves as your confirmation. For more information, please call (708) 956-7966.

Studio Publishing & Michael Gerry Take The Spotlight at New York Art Expo . . .



"Playful Pleasures" by Michael Gerry.

As anticipated, Studio Publishing Inc. presented master floral artist Michael Gerry to the world art market in early March at New York Art Expo with tremendous success. Studio Publishing Inc., an independent company, employs your favorite neighborhood gallery, The Studio of Long Grove, to market Michael Gerry's original art and produce from them limited edition enhanced canvas prints. Michael has proven to be one of the best selling artists at The Studio, and at New York Art Expo, he demonstrated his appeal to art buyers, galleries and dealers from around the world.

New York Art Expo is one of the most important trade conventions for galleries. Hundreds of new artists are presented to the art world each spring, all with hopes

and dreams of national success. This year success went to Illinois artist Michael Gerry. This is not only an accomplishment for Michael Gerry, The Studio of Long Grove and Studio Publishing, but also an accomplishment for those of you who have collected and supported Michael and The Studio through the years. In New York, Studio Publishing Inc. not only sold many of Michael's breathtaking originals, but they also took a high volume of orders for the enhanced canvas prints, and they anticipate hundreds more.

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Michael's dynamic, light sensitive floral paintings are the perfect match for this unique new format . . . especially with the wrapped canvas painted edges, an exact duplicate of Michael's originals. Each canvas transfer print is hand painted to deepen and enrich the dark and strong color areas, and to highlight those areas that capture the light. A master's edition of 85 is enhanced by Michael himself. An edition of 750 is enhanced by his assistant and fiancée Kim Thompson. Each piece is then signed and numbered by Michael.

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This was the booth at New York Art Expo which contributed to the success of Michael Gerry.



Michael Gerry with Studio Publishing . . .

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because we want you to have the best framing possible to enhance your art and complement your home. We also frame items not purchased at The Studio and will offer you these same designs and estimating services free of charge. We have framed anything and everything from cards and diplomas to silk scarves and original art. We invite you to come in to see one of the largest selections of quality frames in the midwest and become acquainted with The Studio staff of trained art professionals. **Mention this article and receive 10% off your next custom framing order.**

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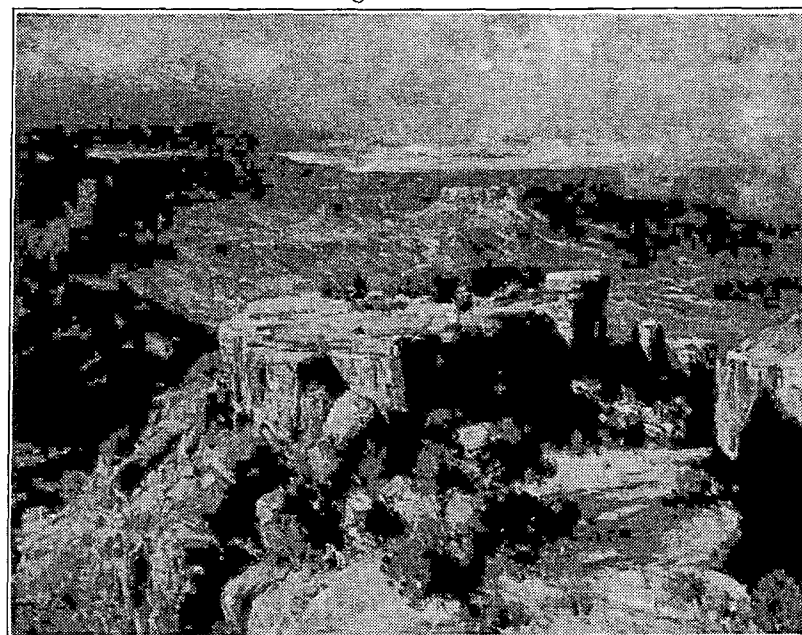


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There will be a Special Dinner with Mr. Fairchild on May 19 at 7:00 p.m. There is also an evening reception on May 20 from 6 until 9 p.m.

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Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Kicks Off Spring Festival of Dance



Sandi J. Cooksey and Matt Rivera in "Nine Sinatra Songs" by Twyla Tharp.

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago (HSDC) opens the 1994 Spring Festival of Dance with a world premiere and a festival premiere at the Shubert Theatre April 6 through April 24. HSDC's three-week engagement features 13 distinct works and five different programs.

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago is proud to announce Lexus as principal sponsor of the Shubert Theatre engagement and Opening Night Gala. HSDC is also proud to announce Coopers & Lybrand and Credit Agricole as the co-sponsors for the Shubert Theatre engagement.

The world premiere of *Perpetuum Mobile* (Perpetual Motion) by Argentinean-born Canadian choreographer Mauricio Wainrot will highlight the engagement. With music by Britain's New Age ensemble, the Penguin Cafe Orchestra and costumes by Wainrot's long-time collaborator, Carlos Gallardo, the piece reflects the vitality of HSDC. Wainrot created this piece purely for the sake of movement to showcase the unparalleled technique of the HSDC dancers. *Perpetuum Mobile* is underwritten by The First National Bank of Chicago and a 1993 Choo-San Goh Award for Choreography from the Choo-San Goh & H. Robert Magee Foundation.

The festival premier of *In Praise of Shadows* by pre-eminent American choreographer Daniel Ezralow will undoubtedly be an HSDC audience favorite. Set to a commissioned score by Dutch composer Thom Willems, seven dancers explore the intricacies of love found and love lost. *Chicago Tribune* hailed the piece as, "a haunting work . . . a very sensuous, physical, athletic piece in which the dancers stretch their bodies to the limit."

Countryside's "Mini-Fundraiser"

The Countryside Auxiliary of Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois is having a "Mini-Fundraiser" to help raise money for The Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois.

We invite you to join us for a candle and accessory showing by "Partylite" (Colonial Candle).

The event will be held on April 17, 1994, at 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the home of Mattie Rusteberg. There will be goodies to eat and Partylite will donate 20% of the net proceeds to our auxiliary

Choreography for *In Praise of Shadows*, Ezralow's third work for HSDC, is underwritten by Kay and Jim Mabie.

Also featured will be world-renowned choreographer Twyla Tharp's *Nine Sinatra Songs* and *The Golden Section*. Set to eight of Sinatra's best known hits, *Nine Sinatra Songs* evokes romance American style. *The Golden Section*, with music by David Byrne of the Talking Heads, returns with its explosion of energy.

Ticket prices range from \$20-\$35, with specially priced \$10 balcony tickets for all performances. To order tickets, call Ticketmaster at (312) 902-1500 or visit the Shubert Theatre box office at 22 West Monroe in Chicago.

Groups of ten or more save 25 percent off the ticket price. Call Kelli Corkle at (312) 663-0853 for reservations.

HSDC's Shubert engagement includes several special events. On Wednesday, April 6, HSDC will hold an Opening Night Gala featuring a black-tie dinner dance at the Chicago Hilton and Towers following the performance. On April 15, HSDC's special events committee presents its second annual, "Dancin' the Night Away," including a pre-performance dinner at Excalibur and a post-show dance party at Shelter. For tickets for both events, call HSDC at (312) 663-0853.

HSDC also offers a unique behind-the-scenes glimpse of the company in a post-performance curtain talk by Artistic Director Lou Conte on Sunday, April 10.

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago is proud to participate in the 1994 Spring Festival of Dance, featuring seven internationally renowned dance companies performing from April 6 to May 22 on three Chicago stages: (in order of appearance) Hubbard Street Dance Chicago, Mordine & Company Dance Theatre, Ballet Chicago, Lar Lubovitch Dance Company, Joseph Holmes Chicago Dance Theatre, Garth Fagan Dance and Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater. The 8th annual Spring Festival of Dance is presented by Chicago Music and Dance Theater, Inc., a new organization formed by a consortium of philanthropic foundations and civic leaders to oversee the development and construction of a new mid-size theatre for musical and dance groups at Chicago's Cityfront Center.

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Hubbard Street Dance Chicago in Twyla Tharp's, "The Golden Section."

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Music Director's Demise To Lend A Merry, Mysterious Twist To Highjinks At New Oratorio Singers' Benefit

The New Oratorio Singers' Music Director, Alan Heatherington, knows that he is going to die. He even knows when and where. But he doesn't know who will do it or how the murderer will carry out the foul deed.

Maestro Heatherington is going to "die" on Sunday, May 1st, between 5 and 9 p.m., at The Meadow Club, 2850 Golf Road, Rolling Meadows, when The New Oratorio Singers adopt a mystery theme for their annual benefit. No blood but rather a bloody good time will be had by all. All who attend will participate in apprehending the killer during a performance of "Music Most Deadly," the name for the benefit and the murder's dramatic enactment.

Benefit chairpersons Gayle Lockheed of Skokie and Patti Lancaster of Barrington have been hard at work for months, assisted by 30 volunteer members of the choral troupe. They are anticipating the most successful fundraiser in the group's 15 year history.

A key to the merriment will be a star-studded silent auction, organized by Therese Messman and Susan Miller. It features many enviable prizes, from a Honda Accord and Buick LeSabre and both a Baldwin Grand and Upright Piano to lovely, more modest, prizes such as an in-home violin and piano recital, a getaway weekend at a Wisconsin guest house, handmade crafts, tickets to see the White Sox and gourmet dinners at fine Chicago-area restaurants.

Tickets to the evening have been pur-

posely kept at a reasonable \$40 per person. Guests will enjoy the ambiance of the private Meadow Club, a long buffet table with a carvery station, a pasta station, dessert station and delectable hors d'oeuvres, a mystery performance and games.

It's no mystery where the most fun is to be had on the evening of Sunday, May 1st. It's at the Meadow Club and The New Oratorio Singers' evening of murder and mayhem.

Ticket information is available by calling Charity Armstrong at (708) 705-6364. Don't come alone. Bring your friends and have fun playing sleuth, winning a prize, seeing friends and savoring delectable cuisine.

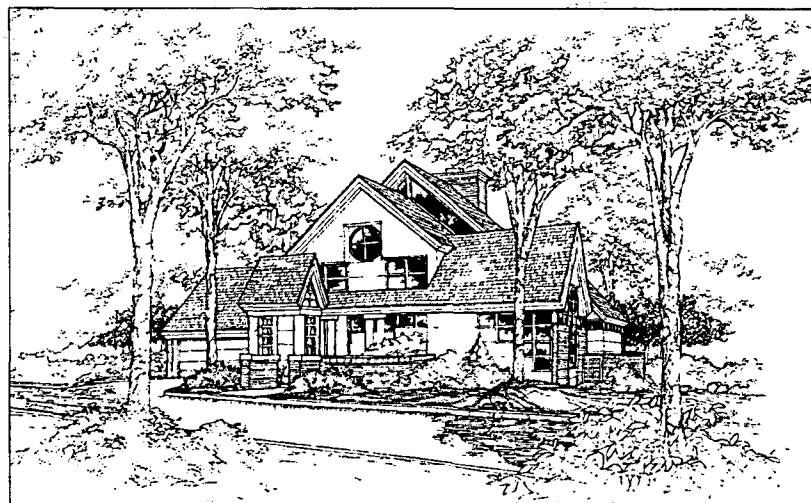
The New Oratorio Singers is an all-volunteer, auditioned chorus of nearly 100 voices dedicated to performing vocal masterworks in the Chicago area. The group's origins date from 1979 when several singers from the Elgin Choral Union decided to devote themselves to the oratorio repertoire. The group's first music director was Thomas Wikman, who served as artistic head for a decade.

Alan Heatherington has led the group since 1990. TNOS has earned much critical praise for their musical quality and gained many accolades on their 1993 European tour to Germany and Austria. They will perform Dvorak's moving "Stabat Mater" on April 15 at St. Luke's in Evanston and April 17 at Divine Word Chapel, in Techny.

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(this year's fall show is October 8th and 9th).

In their first year, \$500 was raised for the community. In February 1994, the League donated \$165,000 in grants and scholarships (to the McHenry County agencies listed) generated from the successful 1993 craft fairs.

Membership in MHRL is only five

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PLEASE COME TO FAIR DIDDLEY ON MAY 15th AND ENJOY A BEAUTIFUL SPRING DAY ON THE WOODSTOCK SQUARE!



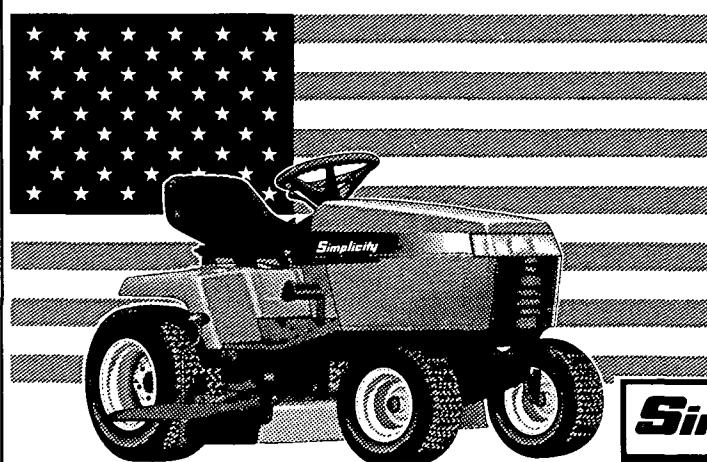
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"Hole In One" Golf Bonanza To Benefit American Legion Baseball

Hey Golfers! Win a 1994 Buick Park Avenue and other fabulous prizes in a "Hole In One" Bonanza at Barrington American Legion Post 158 Fifth Annual Golf Outing on May 23 at Cary Country Club. The automobile, valued at more than \$30,000, will be awarded for a hole-in-one on the 167-yard twelfth hole. A hole-in-one at other locations on the course will also win valuable awards. Two Continental Airlines tickets to any destination in the continental USA will be given for an ace on the 167-yard fourth hole. At the 138-yard sixth hole, a perfect tee shot will win a complete set of Voyager portable golf clubs. A 179-yard ace into the fourteenth hole earns a four-day and three-night golf vacation for two at Sandestin Beach Hilton Resort in Destin, Florida. Recently, these outstanding prize package arrangements were generously donated to Post 158 by Larry Marquardt, of Marquardt Buick, 1421 South Barrington Road, Barrington.

Each year, the popularity of the Post 158 Golf Outing has grown significantly and now, with the addition of these fabulous prizes, another sell-out crowd is anticipated. A few spaces remain and are available for a \$100 donation. Included are

green fees, golf cart, refreshments, evening banquet and entertainment. Best Ball Scramble Golf will begin with a shot gun start at 12:30 p.m. Non-golfers are invited to attend the afternoon activities and banquet for a \$50 donation. To avoid missing out on this challenging opportunity, place reservations as soon as possible with Ray Tourville at 381-4142 or Bob Traver at 382-3471.

Proceeds from the event will benefit Barrington's 1994 American Legion Baseball team under the direction of Coach Kirby Smith. The team, comprised of outstanding area high school and college players, will play a 55-game schedule during June, July and August. The public is invited to attend home games at Barrington High School Varsity Field.

Highlight of the season will be the Second Annual Barrington Classic on June 24, 25 and 26. Six of the finest American Legion Baseball teams in the United States, including three defending state champion teams, will compete in a 14-game round robin tournament. Support from Post 158 and its golfing friends insures the continuing success of the Barrington Legion Baseball Team.

BAAC April Gallery Exhibit

The Barrington Area Arts Council's (BAAC) April Gallery Exhibit will feature nationally and internationally known fiber artists in the show. "The Many Faces of Fiber." The public is invited to the Opening Reception on Saturday, April 9, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Avenue, Barrington.

Regional and Midwest artists featured will be Renie B. Adams, embroidery and knotless netting; Dean Auriemma, batik; Stephen Beal, narrative needlepoint; Mary Bero, embroidered wall pieces; Sherry Boemmel, three dimensional pieces; Ilse Boll, three dimensional forms; Nick Cave, three dimensional pieces; Janet Leszczyn-

ski, small embroideries; Lisa Mills Leahy, embroidery/mixed media; Lynda Lowe, feltmaker; Cheryl Marback, two and three dimensional narrative mixed media; Constance Miller, mixed media; Bird Ross, three dimensional pieces from vintage kimonos; Diane Sheehan, woven pieces; and Barbara Lee Smith, three dimensional pieces.

These artists have raised the consciousness of the public toward viewing fiber art as an art form as opposed to its previous relegation as a craft.

For more information, call the BAAC Gallery at 382-5626.

Augustana Jazz Festival

Barrington High School juniors, Nathan Mayland (trombone) and Kane Mathis (guitar) have earned outstanding soloist citations for their solo performances with the B.H.S. Rithum Machine jazz band at

the Augustana Jazz Festival at Augustana College on December 4, 1993. The Rithum Machine also earned 2nd place in their division at the festival this year.

basketball; a Chicago Cubs skybox; vacation packages to Buenos Aires, Paris, London and Hawaii; fabulous art work; numerous sports packages; a personal caricature on the wall at Chicago's famous Palm Restaurant and many other wonderful items.

Since 1911, the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago has been providing medical, dental and mental health care to Chicago's needy women and children. Proceeds from the benefit will help increase health care services for Chicago's working poor families.

Infant Welfare Society 1994 "Reach Out" Benefit Rocks Chicago!



Reach Out Chairman Susan Mortenson and Sylvia Kinney, IWS Executive Director Frances Ginter, Board President Lind Meierdierks (Wilmette), Auxiliary President Alison Deniston (Olympia Fields) and Board Co-Chairman Brenda Sollitt.

The Infant Welfare Society of Chicago hosted its 1994 biennial fund raiser "Reach Out" on Saturday, March 12th, at the Chicago Hyatt Regency. Evening celebrity emcee Steve Cochran, DJ for WPNT-FM 100, was on hand to make sure the party was hoppin' while headliners, the "Four Tops," lent their special brand of rock 'n roll soul to the evening's festivities.

The benefit was chaired by Auxiliary Members Susan Mortenson and Sylvia Kinney, and Board Member Brenda Sollitt. According to the chairwomen, "We were pleased that our guests were so generous during the live auction and that their enthusiasm escalated during the show, bring-

ing everyone to their feet dancing. Judging by the amount of toe tapping, a good time was had by all."

In addition to unrivaled entertainment, "Reach Out" featured a silent auction and a live auction conducted by renowned auctioneer Leslie Hindman, ably assisted by Steve Cochran.

No one could pass up the invitation to bid after seeing the array of fabulous auction prizes that included a week's stay in a luxurious Spanish Villa in Acapulco, Mexico including air transportation provided by American Airlines (the official airlines of the Infant Welfare Society); an autographed Michael Jordan jersey and

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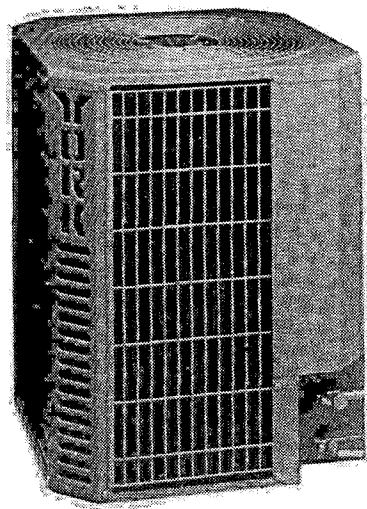
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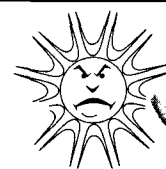
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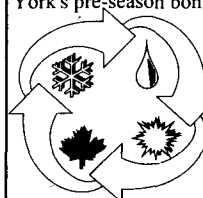
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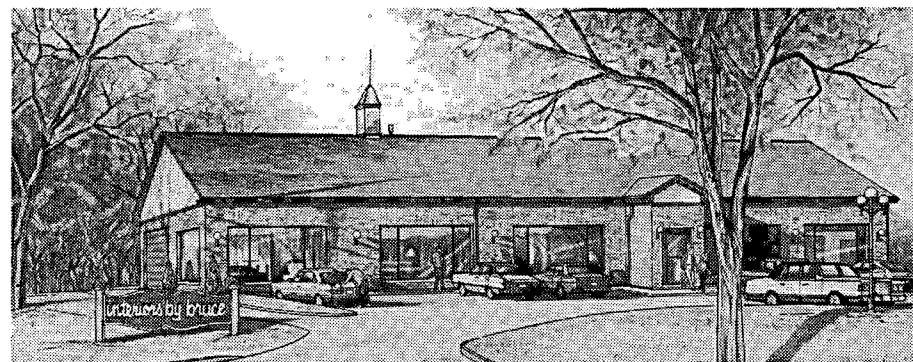
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Interiors by Bruce has built a reputation as a leader in the fine home furnishings and interior design industries. Earning the respect of thousands of Chicago area families, they have enjoyed much success and growth.

Interiors by Bruce does not believe that its success is due solely to the fact that they maintain a beautiful showroom which displays unique designs. Or, due to the fact that it features quality furnishings and accessories from the finest manufacturers.

They also do not believe their success is due to the fact that they employ some of the finest professional interior designers in the industry today.

Although **Interiors by Bruce** originally opened its doors to the public as a drapery shop, they do not believe their success is due to the fact that they operate their own drapery workroom on the premises, or that they employ the finest seamstresses and drapery installers in the business.

Their reupholstery and refinishing shops, also located on the premises, surely have added to the growth and success of **Interiors by Bruce** with the quality craftsmanship they produce. But, again, this is not the main reason they have been successful.

If you were to visit **Interiors by Bruce** and ask Bruce Waltermann, Jr., the president and owner, what the secret for the company's continued success has been, he would attribute it, in part, to the previously mentioned factors. But, would insist there are only two major reasons.

First, **Interiors by Bruce** has always prided itself on offering its clients genuine value. They deal with only the manufacturers which build quality into their products and offer them at reasonable prices. You can also be sure that the "hands-on" approach **Interior by Bruce** takes when producing its own products, such as draperies, reupholstery and finishing, have been meticulously crafted and are competitively priced to offer you this value.

Second, and perhaps even more importantly, **Interiors by Bruce** attributes success and growth largely to its employees. Teamwork, professionalism and complete dedication to the company, and its clients, has proven to be their winning combination and competitive edge.

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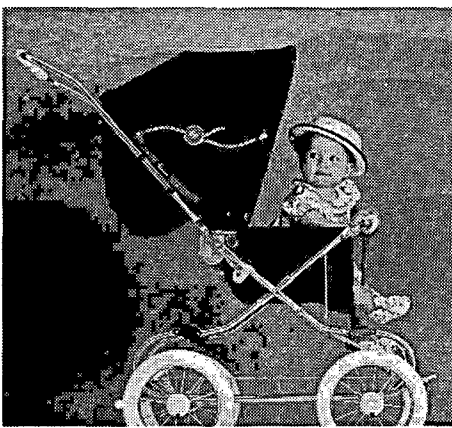
Now that spring is in the air, you'll want to take baby on wonderful walks. You'll need the perfect stroller and **Kids Country Furnishings** has the selection you'll enjoy choosing from.

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Looking For A New Look? You Can Find It In A Book!

Gardening and landscaping — it's fun, good exercise, creates pride, and increases the value of your home. Sounds like something we all should do more often!

No home has a perfect exterior. The challenge of landscaping is to develop a plan that highlights the beautiful areas and de-emphasizes the problem spots. The latest landscaping books at **Jordan Temple Book Center** have a step-by-step approach to exterior design. They break down an overwhelming project into smaller stages to accomplish at your own pace.

So many new homes have been built in our area. Driving through these new neighborhoods emphasizes how important landscape design is. "Customers with a completely empty yard have an exciting adventure ahead of them," says Elizabeth Jordan-Temple. "I suggest purchasing a book on design and one on plantings that flourish in our area." Nothing is more frustrating than creating a beautiful space and color scheme only to have the plantings die because they don't have enough light or water.

Those of us with older homes have another set of problems. Landscaping styles change as quickly as wallpaper patterns. The newer homes here further point out how tired and dated our older exteriors are. Adding shade-tolerant plants under a mature tree or layering some low flowering shrubs in front of older evergreens can update the exterior of an older home.

"My neighbors did two wonderful things to their 1960's home last year. They added a spindle railing to an old cement front porch and cut a few curves into their boring linear foundation beds. What a gorgeous and simple facelift... it took 20 years off their home," laughs Elizabeth.

Stop by **Jordan Temple Book Center** in Crystal Lake before you buy your first plant this year. They have over 250 books in stock on gardening and landscaping.

For more ambitious projects, there are hundreds of books on adding decks, patios, pools, paths or fountains. Find your new look in a book at **Jordan Temple Book Center** in Crystal Lake.

Building Childhood Memories



All parents remember back to when they were children. In so doing, memories come to the forefront of what they had in their backyards to play on - which was usually the old metal swing set and slide. These were routinely cemented in the ground to no avail and anyone weighing over 60 or 70 lbs. would rock the set up out of the ground. In the new era of the 90's, this scenario no longer holds true. The old "swing set" has been replaced with the "play system." **Rainbow Play Systems** specializes in this type of equipment.

Rainbow Play Systems of Illinois is located on Route 41, north of Route 22 in Highland Park. Joan Barrus and Molly

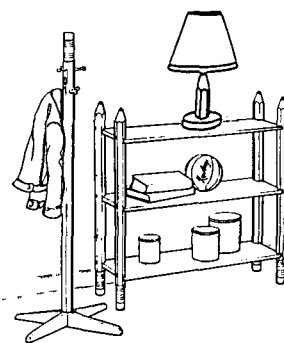


Zerbe are the exclusive distributors of **Rainbow Play System** for the state. This is the fourth year they have been carrying the equipment in their gigantic, indoor showroom.

Rainbow's Castle Climber series is built out of heart redwood. For a more enclosed fort they offer a clubhouse in pine or redwood. The systems are free standing and built with 4 x 4 and 4 x 6 construction, so there are no weight restrictions. The sets are modular in design so you can virtually plan your own play set. Equipment is structured for the two year old as well as the ten (or sixty) year old.

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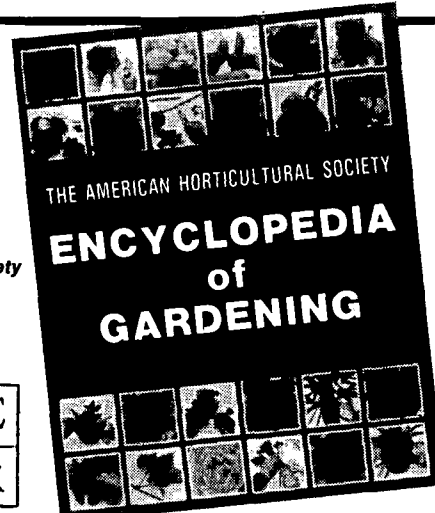
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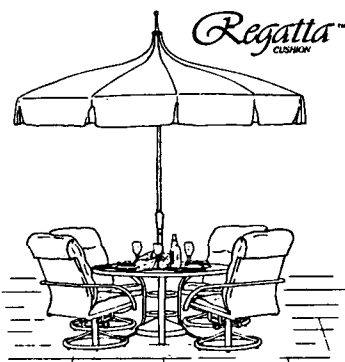
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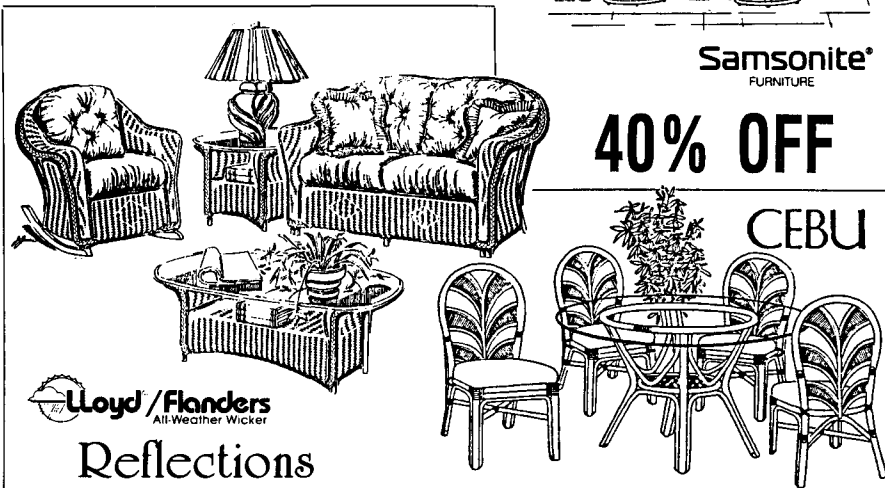
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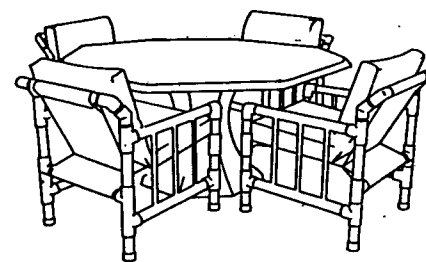
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Savings and Selection on Indoor-Outdoor Furniture

S & H Products has an elegant array of patio and sun-room furniture on display at their spacious showroom in Crystal Lake. Many pieces can be used either indoors or outdoors. For example wicker, PVC, and rattan are finding their way into not only sunrooms but also family, dining, and living rooms. And wicker is now available in all-weather models suitable for the patio or deck—and that's guaranteed in writing.

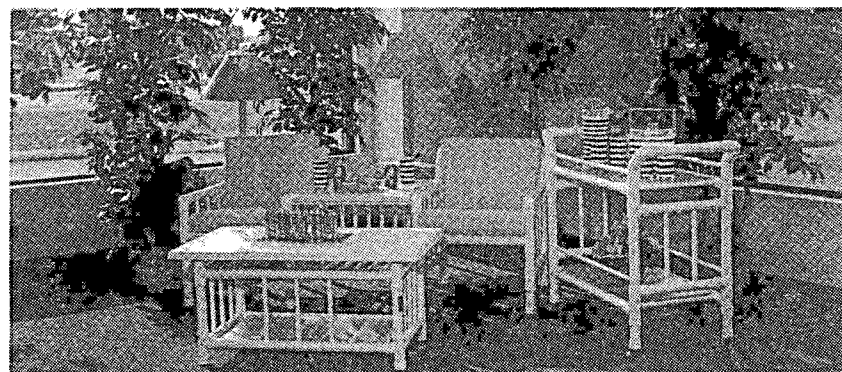
For the past 15 years, **S & H Products** has manufactured a complete line of lovely PVC furniture — in three colors. Plump cushions are available in many attractive colors and designs. **S & H Products** offers an exclusive unlimited warranty on these items.

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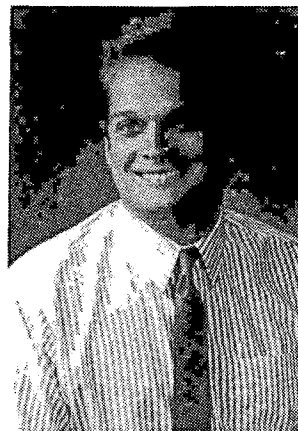


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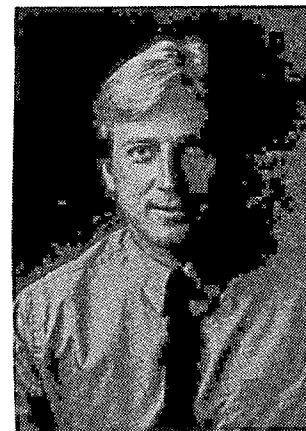
So if your pool area, patio, deck, porch or some room in your house needs dressing up, you are cordially invited to visit and are welcome to browse the **S & H Products** showroom located on Virginia Road in Crystal Lake.



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It's that time of year again: time to plan for exterior home painting. If your home is in need of painting this season, **Schafer Builders, Inc.** would like to help in giving you some important facts to look for when selecting a painter.

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Caulking is critical. Find out what type of caulk will be used. Siliconized acrylic latex caulk is a waterbase, flexible material that resists hardening, shrinking, or cracking.

Make sure the right primer is used. The wrong primer could prevent adhesion of the paint to your wood and create "Base Paint Release," a serious problem YOU WILL pay for long after your painter has completed the project.

And, the most critical question of all, find out if your painter carries workers

compensation insurance. Are you aware that you could be sued if a painter or his "sub" are injured while painting your home? Ask for and secure copies of workers compensation insurance before beginning any job.

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Fabulous February Fundraiser For Pediatric Cancer

They came from far and near for the Bear Necessities Pediatric Cancer Foundation 1st Annual "Thank Heaven For Little Bears" Dinner Dance. They dined, danced and donated to benefit pediatric cancer. The foundation was formed a little over a year ago by Algonquin resident Kathleen Casey, after the death of her eight year old son "Bear" Krupa who lost his struggle against Wilms Tumor, after six years of treatments, bone marrow transplant, and

several operations.

The festive event in the grand hall of the Field Museum was filled with laughter and music. Guests came from as far as Nashville, Pittsburgh and Denver to join donors from the Barrington, Park Ridge, Woodstock, Algonquin, Crystal Lake, Arlington Heights, Chicago, Schaumburg and a dozen other communities. The prizes, live auction and silent auction plus the attendance of Honorary Chairpersons, Kim and



To work miracles and to move mountains is the hope and dream of the volunteers for Bear Necessities Pediatric Cancer Foundation. Standing elegant and eager to greet guests are (left to right): Denise Scurto (South Barrington); Erin Maude (Barrington Hills); Tracy Scurto (South Barrington); Kathleen Casey, Founder and Executive Director (Algonquin); and Heidi Herman (Barrington). The five-some are pictured at the Field Museum where they sponsored the first annual "Thank Heaven for Little Bears" dinner dance, named after Casey's eight year old son "Bear" who recently succumbed to pediatric cancer.



Honorary Chairpersons Mike and Kim Singletary (second, third from left) greet guests arriving at the fund raiser dinner dance "Thank Heaven For Little Bears" held at the Field Museum in Chicago. Over 300 guests attended and responded with financial support for Pediatric Cancer. Pictured with the Singletary's is Kathleen Casey (left), Founder and Executive Director (Algonquin). Also pictured are Tracy and Russ Scurto (right), Committee members from South Barrington.

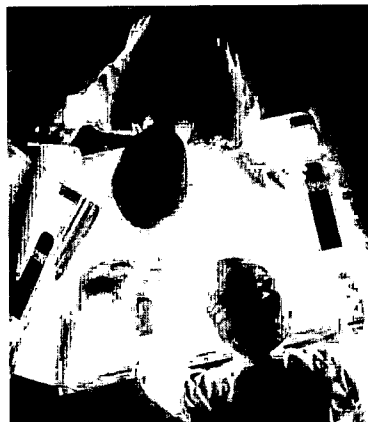
Mike Singletary, WSMV-TV anchorwoman Demetria Kaoldimos, WGN Radio start personality Ian Case Punnett and Chicagoland society and corporate leaders boosted charity proceeds up to the \$45,000 - \$50,000 range.

Kathleen Casey who is dedicated to furthering research in pediatric cancer, said, "It's no secret that without the support and exposure through Chicago media, like this, and financial support from major corporations like Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois and Schick Saving Pro-

ducts, we just wouldn't be able to respond to the needs of the children and of pediatric cancer. Few people know that pediatric cancer is the number one child killer of all birth diseases. We need to move mountains and create more miracles. I know now I have the support of some truly wonderful people."

Under the shadows of the dinosaurs and the greatness of the elephants, little teddy bears captured the hearts of over 300 generous guests.

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Why do so many homeowners find the process of remodeling or adding on to their homes so intimidating? "Too much information from conflicting sources," says Mark Zurek, president of Delta Renovations. "The whole process is by nature an emotional one because it involves entrusting others with not only money, but with the comfort and security of home and family."

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"A Family Affair" A Rousing Success

On Sunday, February 13, 1994 over 200 people enjoyed a delicious lunch at the Bull Valley Golf Club and were treated to a very special fashion show as the Pioneer Foundation hosted its first event of this kind in support of Pioneer Center of McHenry: a non-profit organization dedicated to providing services for people with disabilities. A silent auction and prizes added to the excitement of the afternoon.

More than 40 people (families, supporters and Pioneer Center clients) looked their very best in beautiful outfits supplied by several area businesses. Participating stores included: A' L'Amour of Barrington, Englehardt Bridal and Couture of Woodstock, Harrison House of Marengo, M'Lady Ltd. of McHenry, and Smith's Children's Shop of Woodstock. Jewelry and accessories were furnished by Old World Gem and Jewelry of McHenry with make-up and hair styling provided by the Beauty Box of McHenry and House of Hair. Connie Meschini, Assistant Director of Pioneer Center, and Barb Paulcheck added their special touches as commentators.

With beautiful "valentine" decorations created by Sherry Potempa, owner of "Burstin to Show You!" and the impressive Marine Escorts from the Glenview Naval Air Station, "A Family Affair" ex-



Marissa Draper models a fashion from A' L'Amour of Barrington.

ceeded the high expectations of all those in attendance. Event Coordinator, Lynnda Eldrege, hopes this fundraiser, now scheduled to become an annual event, will perhaps spearhead the creation of a Women's Auxiliary for Pioneer Center.

Mystery Writing Workshop

There's something mysterious going on at the Barrington Area Arts Council's (BAAC) Young Writer's Workshop!

Children's author Berniece Rabe will conduct three mystery writing workshops on Saturday, April 9 at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Avenue, Barrington. Grades 2 and 3 will meet from 9:00 a.m.- 10:00 a.m.; grades 4 and 5 will meet from 10:30 a.m.- 11:30 a.m.; and grades 6, 7 and 8 will meet from 12:00 noon- 1:00 p.m. There is a \$5.00 fee per student and a limit

of 30 students per session. After each session, Ms. Rabe will have books available for purchase and signing.

Ms. Rabe has written over a dozen books on a wide variety of topics and has won a Mark Twain Award and a National Children's Choice Award.

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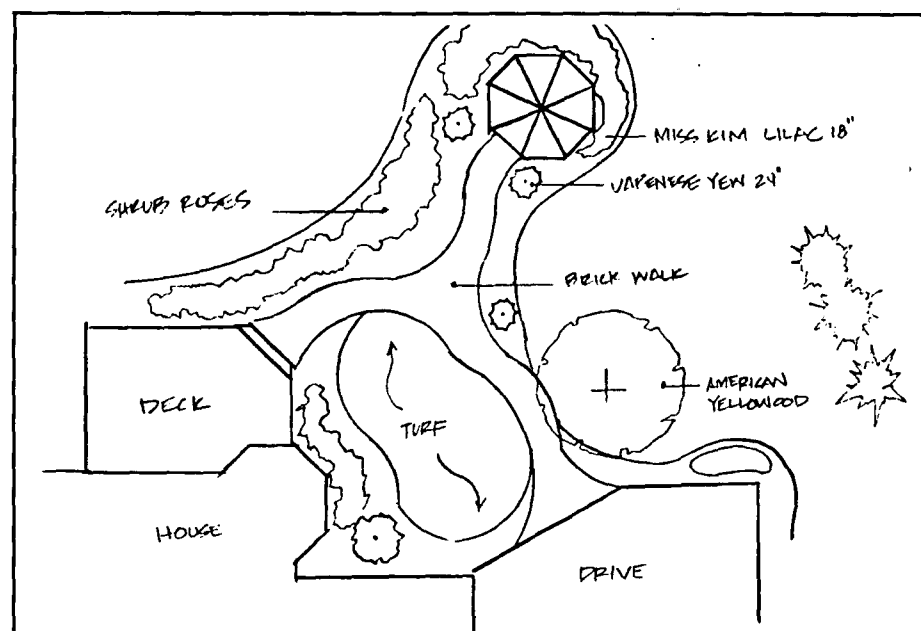
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NISRA Offers Art Program With Help From Barrington Area Arts Council/Arts Boost

Every Thursday night, six adults join instructor Michelle Blackburn at Barrington Park District's Langendorf Park for Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association's Introduction to Painting class. NISRA provides recreation programs for people with disabilities, and this successful program in introducing mentally handicapped adults to the world of art.

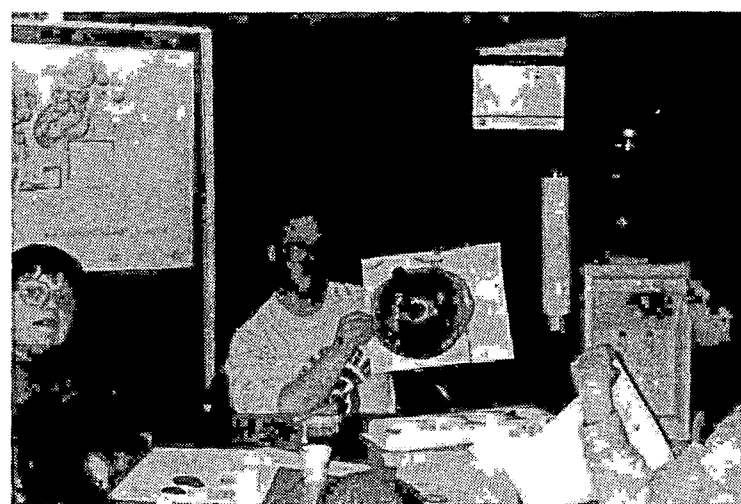
NISRA's 12 week painting program is made possible by a grant provided by the Barrington Area Arts Council/Arts Boost in partnership with the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency, and by the National

Endowment for the Arts. Instructor Michelle Blackburn states, "The program is giving the participants opportunities for self-expression and a new outlook on their own creativity." The group has worked on pencil, colored pencil, and pastel drawings. They are currently working on watercolors, and will then move on to acrylics.

As the class progresses, the participants are starting to discover their individual strengths. Kirk Murdock of Barrington did very well with colored pencil sketches and shading. He also made some beautiful pastel drawings. Brian Kaplan of Algon-



Angela Kiger of Barrington gets assistance from NISRA instructor Michelle Blackburn on a watercolor drawing.



Dan Hunn of Crystal Lake shows off his artwork completed in Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association's Introduction to Painting class.

quin has a good handle on the concept of perspective and has done well with pencil drawings. Jim Berke of Barrington was very proud of himself the first week he tried watercolors — he discovered how to blend colors to make a new color! Susie Schultz of Crystal Lake also likes mixing her own colors on her palette. Painting with watercolors is a new, enjoyable experience for Susie. After the program is completed, the participants' artwork will be displayed at Langendorf Park.

The Introduction to Painting class is just one of a wide variety of programs offered by NISRA. Country Line Dancing is another popular NISRA program being held in Barrington. For more information about these and other NISRA programs, call (815) 459-0737. NISRA serves the leisure needs of people with disabilities from the communities of Barrington, Cary, Crystal Lake, Dundee Township, Harvard, McHenry, Marengo, Wauconda, and Woodstock.

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Here are some suggestions Walker recommends that both buyers and sellers consider when analyzing a kitchen.

- **Adequate Counter Space**—The basic requirement is at least 24 inches of space on either side of the sink and 12 to 18 inches on each side of the range.

One common omission is an isolated refrigerator with no adjacent counter space. The need for landing space next to the handle side of the refrigerator is especially important, because we usually remove more than one item at a time, Walker said.

- **Ample Storage**—Cabinets should be positioned at point of first or last use. There should be storage for dishes near the table or dishwasher, drawers for utensils near the range, and shelves for canned food near the food preparation area.

- **Adequate Ventilation**—This is especially important in open-plan houses, where the barriers between kitchen and the rest of the home are minimal.

This "great room" concept demands adequate venting of smoke, grease and odors to the outside.

- **Safety Considerations**—This can be as basic as developing a traffic pattern that does not interfere with the work triangle. The fewer the number of people who enter the work triangle, the less chance there is

for an accident to occur.

Other safety considerations in the kitchen should include avoidance of sharp corners on islands, which are usually eye-level with children and hip-level with adults.

- **Adequate Clearance Spaces**—For safety, comfort and efficiency, it's imperative that clearance spaces be allowed for opening the oven, refrigerator, dishwasher and cabinet doors, using the appliances, passing behind seated diners and passing other family members in the kitchen.

- **Appliance Placement**—In most families, the refrigerator is the most-often-used appliance.

Regardless of the model chosen, good kitchen design places the refrigerator in a spot within the work triangle, but still accessible to the rest of the family without entering the work area.

Placement of the range is even more important. It should never be placed near a combustible wall, and should preferably be placed away from a window, where an open flame could ignite curtains.

- **Professional Design**—The rapid growth of the kitchen industry has spawned a whole area of specialization in design of this room. The National Kitchen & Bath Association has a certification program for kitchen designers (CKD).

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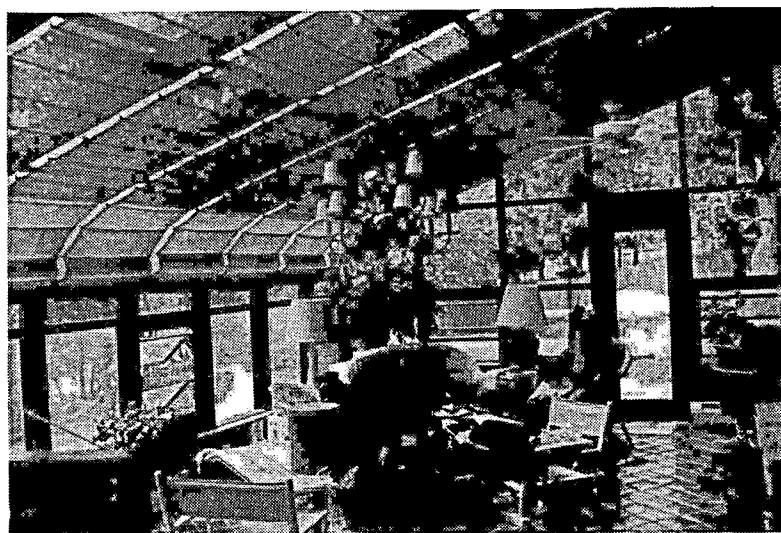
Over 400 people filled the Westin O'Hare to show their support at a dinner dance fundraiser held on February 26th for Clearbrook Center. The event entitled, "A Little Night Music" was sponsored by The Friends of Clearbrook, a 30-year-old volunteer support group made up of women from the Northwest suburban area who help to raise funds for Clearbrook Center.

Guests were treated to a gourmet meal and dancing to the melodies of the Ron Bedel Orchestra. The event also featured live and silent auctions with prizes such as trips to The Westin Mission Hills Resort in California; Steamboat Springs, Colorado; fine jewelry; weekend get-a-ways, and much more.

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Call or write for official forms: Secretary, The Henry B. Betts Award, 303 East Wacker Drive, Suite 1031, Chicago, Illinois 60601, (312) 616-1006. The nominations must be postmarked by June 15, 1994, to be eligible for consideration.

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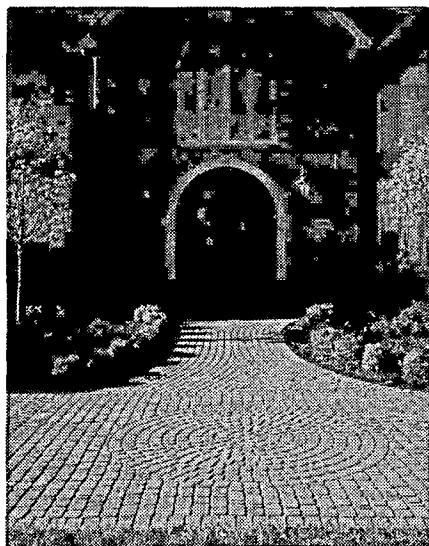
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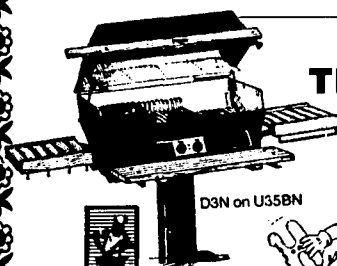
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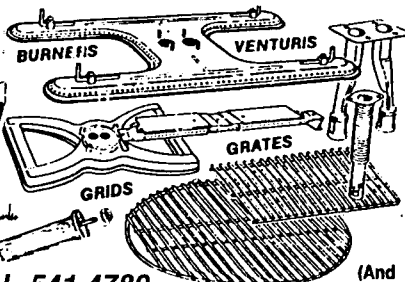


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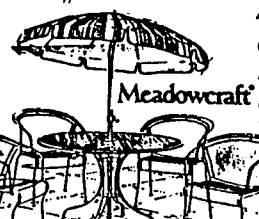
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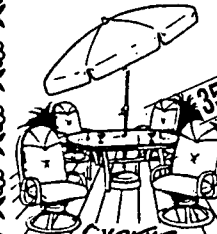
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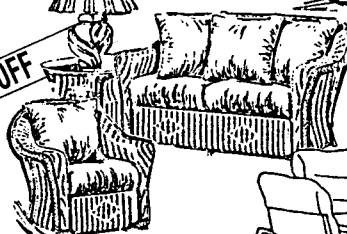


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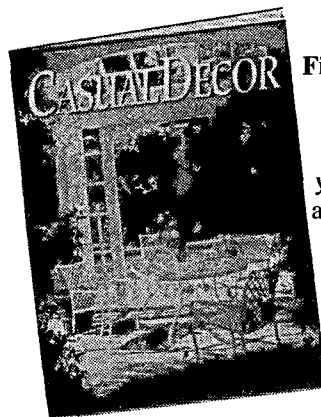
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The Hawthorn Woods Women's Club will be presenting "The Hats of Spring" Luncheon and Fashion Show, Saturday, April 16, 1994, at 11:00 a.m. The show will be held at Kemper Lakes, Old McHenry Road. Benefits from the luncheon will benefit the Hawthorn Woods Scholarship Fund. Featured merchants will

be from the Ice House in Barrington: Sundance, Peter Daniel, Benetton, Tommy-Terri, and A'L'Amour of Barrington. Tickets are \$27.00 for members, \$30.00 non-members. For information or tickets, call 726-7713, 540-9493, 726-0138, or (312) 202-6620.

What Is "Custom" Residential Architecture?

We see this word "custom" on everything lately. Some builders build the same five house plans every year and yet they call themselves "custom" builders! What does "semi-custom" mean? Why do some people think that anything made custom is only for the wealthy? "As residential architects, we are constantly asked to define and dispel the myths associated with this word," says John C. Cazzetta, of Kemper Parker Cazzetta, in Barrington.

The definition of the word "custom" as it relates to residential architecture is actually quite simple. A true custom design is something that is solely created by the architect from the specifications and desires of the client. In some cases, a very traditional colonial is actually a custom plan. A custom plan is never repeated or sold to other clients, and the architect and homeowner maintain the only originals.

Anything short of this definition is NOT a custom design. Plans that already exist which are revised by the architect per the owners or builder's program is a "customized plan." "Semi-custom" is when a

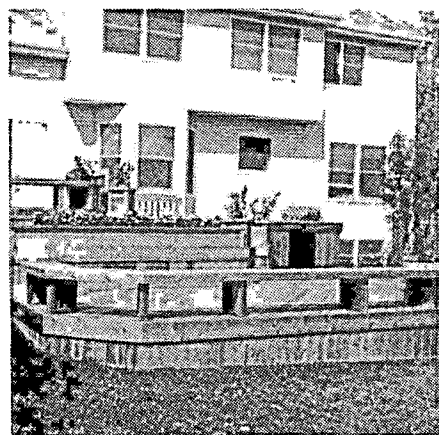


builder offers set model plans and the homeowner "a la cartes" upgrades to the plan.

The biggest myth of custom residential architecture is the expense. "We have many clients who want a simple plan and have a limited budget, but do not want to live in 'Plans A through F'." They want their housing dollars to be utilized to the fullest potential.

If you would like to discuss a custom design with us or customize an existing plan that you have, please contact John C. Cazzetta at Kemper Parker Cazzetta, Ltd., in Barrington. "We feel that you will enjoy the home that 'we' design."

Now Is The Time To Plan For That Deck



"It's not just a deck," says Larry Kirchner, chief designer and president of Deck-A-Roo Decks. "A deck is a pleasant addition to any home and a necessity."

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In addition to a proper design, the actual construction of the deck and the follow-through of the builder are very important. Questions you should ask: Who actually will perform the work? What quality of material will be used? What construction practices will be used? And, who will service the deck if needed? Larry's favorite phrase, "You get what you pay for, if you're lucky!"

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A special note from Larry: "Now is the time to plan for having your deck built if you would like it for spring. It's important to give yourself as much lead time as possible if you are planning a party or event that the deck will be used for. Spring is approaching and we have a tendency to fill our April and May schedules early. So please call now."

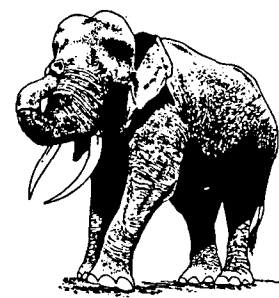
For more information or an in-home consultation, please call us at (708) 381-3325. Thank you.

African Safari Dates Set

Kenya and Tanzania will be the Safari hosts of the Assisi Animal Foundation's next African Eco-Tour Adventure.

Arriving in East Africa, July 16 for twenty-four days on that continent, travelers will experience a spectacular and highly diversified view of some of the world's most spectacular wildlife and habitat. A highlight will be witnessing the dramatic annual migrations of millions of animals to the fabled Masai Mara Reserve.

The not-for-profit, charitable organization has opened participation to travelers interested in this exceptional opportunity at considerable savings with a land portion of \$3312 (per person, based on double occupancy). This includes all meals, drivers, guides, safari vehicles, excellent



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Mortgage Notes: Selecting a Lender.

Frank R. Wolff, CPA and former vice-president of a major mortgage bank and savings and loan has founded **Hawthorn Mortgage Capital, Inc.**, a corporation focused on providing professional mortgage services. Frank holds an A.B. degree from Vassar College, and M.B.A. from Southern Illinois University, and has extensive experience in all facets of mortgage lending.

The growth of the mortgage secondary market has not only led to a dizzying array of mortgage products, but has also promoted the growth of origination sources. Gone are the days when your best bet would be to obtain your loan from the local savings and loan. Today, you can choose from mail-order loans, mortgage lenders, mortgage brokers, banks, savings banks, savings and loans, and alternative sources. How then, does one go about making this an informed decision? First, learn the difference and focus on the origination source.

Mortgage lenders in Illinois provide 'their own funds' to close the loan, typically provided by a warehouse lender (usually a bank) that provides the lender with a line-of-credit secured by your loan. The

loan is then typically sold to FNMA, FHLMC, or a private conduit, while the lender continues to collect your payments. Mortgage brokers in Illinois either 'table-fund' to close a loan by immediately selling the loan to a lender, or the loan closes in the lender's name. The loan is then sold to FNMA, FHLMC, . . .

Banks use their own funds to close the loan, then sell the loan to FNMA, FHLMC . . . banks and some mortgage lenders owned by banks or S&Ls may actually keep your loan if it is an adjustable rate or unusual product.

The common thread is that most mortgages end up in a mortgage backed security sold on Wall Street, regardless of the origination source. This is why you have probably heard that mortgages are becoming more and more 'generic' products. The difference, then, is not in the loan itself, but how well your particular loan is handled, and whether you are satisfied. Next month, I will discuss how the best advertised rate might not be your best deal. For professional mortgage service, please call **Hawthorn Mortgage Capital, Inc.** at **(708) 549-9671**.

Wickstrom Ford Gives Two Vans to St. Viator High School



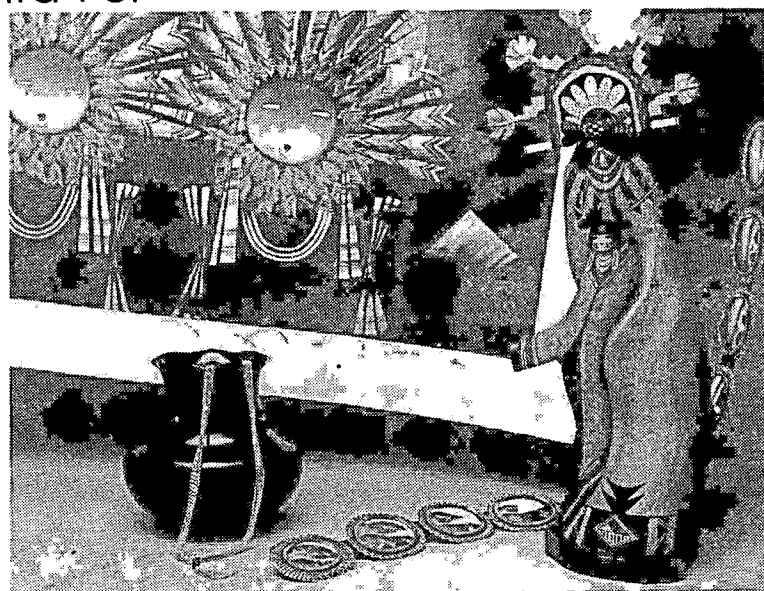
Above, Len Bertolini, Vice President for advancement at St. Viator; Tim Wickstrom, owner of Wickstrom Ford in Barrington, and Steve Doherty, Vice President for finance at St. Viator.

St. Viator High School became the proud recipient of two fully equipped 15 passenger Ford vans on Tuesday, March 8th, when Tim Wickstrom, owner of Wickstrom Ford in Barrington, presented keys to one of the vehicles to Steve Doherty and Len Bertolini, vice presidents for finance and advancement respectively for St. Viator. The second van will be delivered in the future. "As an alumnus of St. Viator, as well as a parent of an alum, Tim has always been responsive to helping in any way he can," said Bertolini. "This is evident not only through his generosity, but also through his willingness to give of his time as a member of our Board of Trustees. We are proud, fortunate, and very grateful that Tim has chosen to be a very active member of our community."

Wickstrom's generosity is well

documented at St. Viator. In May of 1992, he gave a first 15 passenger Ford van to the school. He and his family have also been loyal supporters of the school's development efforts in other ways, generously contributing time and resources to the Lion's Roar Auction and to the President's Ball. Sound reasons lie behind his support. Wickstrom was a member of the first class to attend St. Viator for four years, graduating in 1965, and his son, Richard, graduated in 1989. "We do this because we are grateful to the school for all it has meant to our family and for all it stands for in the community," Wickstrom said. "We treasure the education which both my son and I received there, not only in academic areas, but in the values which are a part of our lives today."

It's the Biggest Indian Art Sale East of Santa Fe!



Twenty-five of the Southwest's top artists will exhibit and sell their hand-made, one-of-a-kind works during Crow Canyon Archaeological Center's Seventh Annual Indian Art Exhibition and Sale. The only show of its kind in Chicago, the two-day event will be held from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday, May 7 and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sunday, May 8 at the Westin Hotel Chicago, 909 North Michigan Avenue. Admission is \$6 per person.

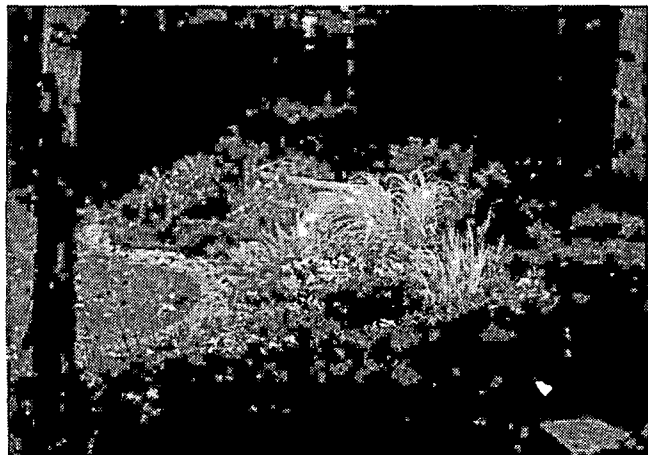
Featured in the exhibition will be some of the country's most innovative native American painters, potters, kachina carvers, jewelers, a top sandpainter, sculptor, weaver, trader and dress designer. Many of these outstanding artists have

never shown their works east of Santa Fe.

A benefit dinner, preview sale and silent auction will be held Friday, May 6. WBBM-TV's Bill Kurtis will serve as Master of Ceremonies. Benefit ticket cost is \$175 per person. Proceeds will benefit the programs at Crow Canyon Archaeological Center.

Crow Canyon Archaeological Center is located in the Four Corners region just outside Cortez, Colorado. Established in 1983, Crow Canyon is an independent, not-for-profit institution committed to excellence in archaeological research and education. For tickets and additional information on the benefit or sale, please call (312) 988-7237.

Adding Perennials To Your Landscape



Private garden tours are available this upcoming season (by appointment) of the Duensing Gardens located on two acres outside Cary near the Fox River.

Jo Anna Duensing is the owner of **Perennial Passions**, a landscape firm whose specialties include adding perennials to the landscape. Her collection of hundreds of varieties of perennials, shrubs and small ornamental trees are displayed in large beds beneath the tall Oaks and Hickory trees that surround her home. The color displays change weekly from April through November. Even through the long winter months one can look out and see golden ornamental grasses and burgundy sedums. "It's not static," says Jo Anna. "Something different is always blooming. That's what I find so exciting about adding perennials to your landscape. They can transform a yard into a garden!"

Jo Anna has a perfect "marriage" so to speak, of careers, with her husband David, whose own business, D.B. Duensing & Co., specializes in stonescaping. David

builds watergardens as well as walks, walls and patios out of natural stones such as boulders, antique bricks, flagstone and slate. He hand picks his stone for each project, selecting materials that will not only be beautiful in and of itself, but also integrate the home with its surrounding garden beds. David's talents are also displayed on their grounds. He's built a babbling brook which leads to a cascading waterfall and small garden pool, complete with schools of fish, water lilies and a family of frogs.

Although the Duensing's garden is a popular spot with visiting garden clubs, mostly David and Jo Anna's guests are their clients. They come to see the many different plants and stone materials available. Says David, "When someone has a chance to see our work, first hand, in a landscape setting, it really makes the decision making process a lot easier. It's literally a living portfolio!"

For further information regarding garden tours, please call (708) 516-8643.

Georgette Mosbacher to Speak to Women Business Owners

Noted entrepreneur and author Georgette Mosbacher will be the featured speaker at the annual April Achievement Luncheon sponsored by the National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO) in the Grand Ballroom of the Palmer House Hilton, 17 East Monroe, Chicago, on Thursday, April 28. A cocktail reception and book signing will be held at 11:30 a.m., followed by the luncheon at 12 noon, and a Chocolate Hour networking event from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Tickets are \$50 each or \$475 for a table of ten. For information or reservations, call NAWBO at (312) 541-1272.

In *Feminine Force*, Mosbacher tells her personal story from her humble beginnings in a single-parent, working-class home in Highland, Indiana, to her rise as one of the top businesswomen in the cosmetics industry.

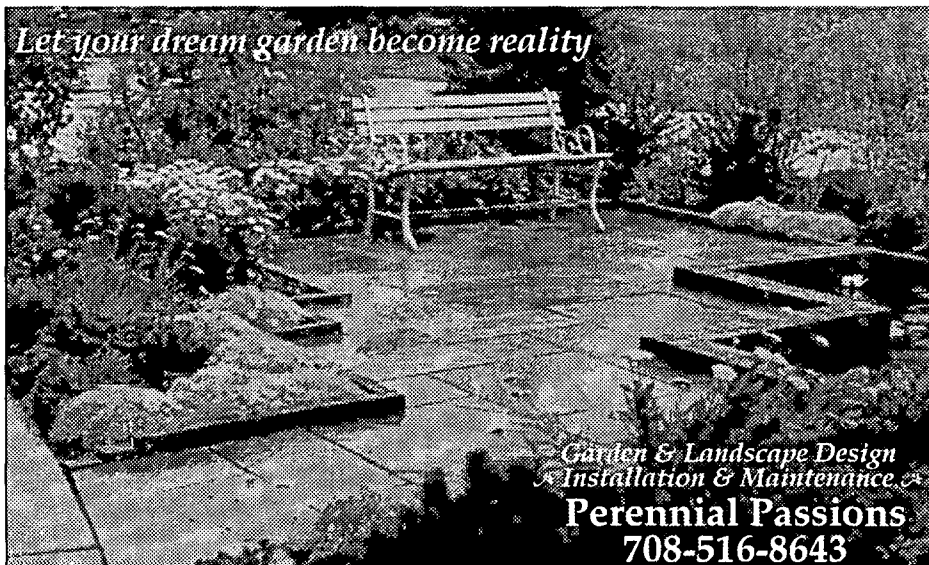
In 1985, Mosbacher married Texas businessman Robert A. Mosbacher, Sr., who became U.S. Secretary of Commerce in the George Bush administration.

Mosbacher's book, which was released

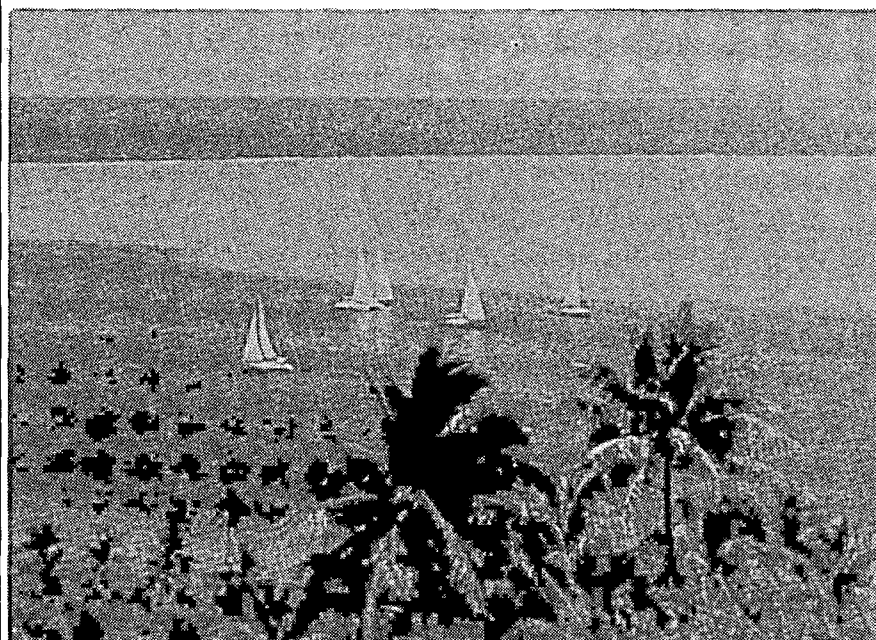


*Georgette Mosbacher, author of **Feminine Force: Release the Power Within to Create the Life You Deserve.** Published by Simon & Schuster.*

last September, includes the story of her dazzling life as well as a motivational guide to making dreams a reality.



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Barrington High School Band Honors

Barrington High School seniors, Debbie Hillstrom (clarinet), Heather Phillips (viola) and junior Nathan Mayland (trombone) were selected to play at the 1994 Illinois Music Educators Association All-State Music Festival held on January 28-30

in Peoria, Illinois. Debbie and Nathan each earned 2nd chair in the highly prestigious Honors Band. Heather and Debbie were both second year "All-Staters." This is a fantastic musical honor!

Dr. Churchill (Continued from Page 12)

lifts, and removal of frown lines easily and with minimal incisions using videoendoscopic technology in our Barrington office. As new techniques are developed certain aspects of facelifting will be enhanced as may other surgeries of the face and neck.

How Can Minimal Incisions Change The Brows and Forehead?

The skin and muscles of the brow and forehead move as one unit sliding loosely up and down. The muscles are attached high up on top of the scalp and low down at the level of the orbital rims. Through a tiny incision behind the hairline a 4mm scope is placed easily beneath the muscles and special instruments are used to detach the muscles from their attachments above and below. The muscles are shifted higher and reattached resulting in an elevation of the brows. Frown lines can also be lessened at the same time.

The corrugator and procerus muscles are located between the eyebrows and pull the brows strongly down and toward the midline. This results in creases and furrows of the overlying skin. During traditional forehead lifting corrugator and procerus resection is commonly performed to weaken these muscles and lessen their effect on the overlying skin. Over time, most of the lines smooth out. Traditional surgery, though, requires an incision across the scalp extending from ear to ear. Very few people are interested in such drastic surgery for frown lines. Minimal incision surgery for frown lines is much simpler. Only two tiny vertical incisions are made behind the hairline. These provide access for scope and instruments to reset the muscles from underneath. The incisions are closed with a few dissolving stitches and are virtually invisible the day following surgery.

What Is The Advantage of Minimal Incision Forehead Surgery Over Traditional Forehead Lifting?

Traditional forehead lifting involves making an incision from ear to ear across the scalp. This necessitates dividing the nerves that supply sensation to the scalp above the incision. The resulting numbness of the scalp usually resolves but not for months. The minimal incision technique laces the incisions between these nerves so there is no loss of sensation. Traditional

forehead lifting accomplishes the lift by removing a strip of the scalp. This results in tension on the incision that can spread and leave a visible line where hair can't grow. The minimal incision technique shifts the brows to a higher point without removing any scalp. The tiny vertical incisions are not under any tension so hair loss around the incision is extremely rare. These incisions are usually closed with only a few dissolving sutures.

What If A Patient Wants Only The Outer Brows Lifted and Not The Entire Forehead?

The beauty of minimal incision surgery is that individual components of the forehead and brows can be changed without affecting other areas. For instance, the frown lines can be improved without any other lifting; or just the outer brows can be elevated to eliminate hooding of the eyelids without changing the position of the central brows. Traditional forehead lifting is an all or nothing proposition. The type of anesthesia employed depends on what is being done and the patient's preference.

What is The Recovery Period Like?

A cotton padded dressing is placed over the forehead and removed the next morning. There is usually some swelling but because the incisions are so small the swelling quickly resolves. Occasionally some bruising of the upper eyelids can result that usually resolves in seven to ten days. Our office makes an effort to stay on the forefront of the field of facial plastic surgery and we are currently using the KTP laser in many of the minimal incision surgeries. This unique application has many advantages that could be discussed in consultation. If you would like further information on this exciting technique or other facial procedures call our office at (708) 304-1000.

Facial Surgery News is an informative quarterly newsletter written by Dr. Churchill and his office staff. It covers various procedures and the newest advances in facial surgery. The newsletter is available without obligation on a complimentary basis. If you would like to be added to the mailing list or obtain any further information, simply contact the office at (708) 304-1000.

Mount Sinai Hospital Mid-Winter Gala '94



Barrington resident, Ken Covington, a trustee of Mount Sinai Hospital Medical Center, co-chaired Mid-Winter Gala '94 with Barrington resident, Luther Brewster, to raise funds for the Parenting Institute. The event drew more than 500 guests and raised nearly \$100,000. Sponsored by the African-American community to acknowledge Mount Sinai's special role as provider of a wide range of health services to

the Lawndale area, the Gala featured jazz, blues, and gospel performances, and African cuisine, art, crafts and fashion. With Ken are actress, Ruby Dee, who co-hosted the Gala with husband Ossie Davis and Warner Saunders, news anchor of WMAQ-TV. Also pictured, Wilfred Lucas, hospital trustee and benefit co-chair.

Photographing Flowers On Program

As Spring advances, the members of the Garden Club of Inverness are not only planning what they will be planting, but also how to photograph the results. Mr. Paul S. Jaffe of Lyons, Illinois, will be the featured speaker on Thursday, April 21, 9:30 a.m., at the monthly meeting, located at Holy Family Church, 2515 West Palatine Road, Palatine.

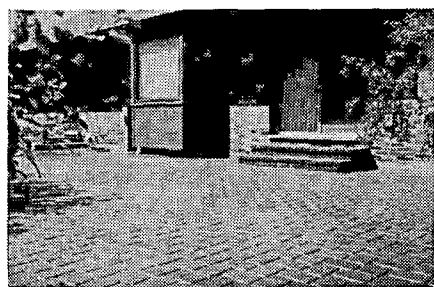
Mr. Jaffe's topic will be "How To Take Photographs of Flowers You Would Be Proud to Display." He will demonstrate the use of various kinds of equipment: screens, filters, etc., and will conclude with a showing of his award-winning slides

set to music. Mr. Jaffe is a member of the Morton Arboretum and the Downers Grove Camera Club, and is frequently called on to do lectures throughout the Midwest.

Prospective members and guests are cordially invited to attend this meeting. If additional information is desired, it may be obtained by calling 991-4861.

The Garden Club of Inverness is a member of the Garden Clubs of Illinois, and participates in a number of their sponsored projects and activities, as well as contributing to their scholarship funds.

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Krengel & Associates Names Distinctive Kitchen Designs # Dealer In Illinois/Indiana Territory

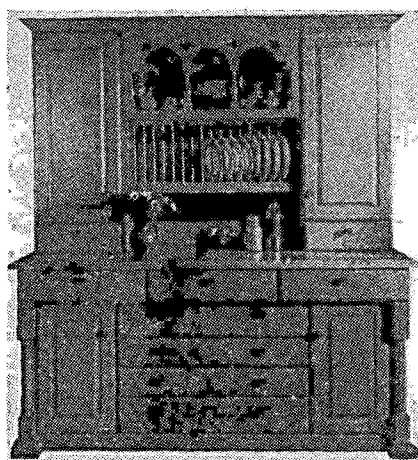
Krengel & Associates, Inc., Wood-Mode Custom Cabinetry Manufacturer's Representative, recently named **Distinctive Kitchen Designs** in Wauconda the number one Wood-Mode dealership in territory 03. The territory, which covers the entire Illinois and Indiana state areas, represents more than 60 dealerships.

Distinctive Kitchen Designs, established in 1989, has been a Wood-Mode dealer since 1991. In that three year period, **Distinctive Kitchen Designs** has been recognized for being the top Wood-Mode dealer in territory 03, as well as being invited into the Wood-Mode Master Club, three years running.

The Club, which is comprised of the top 25 Wood-Mode dealerships nationwide, ranked **Distinctive Kitchen Designs** third in the nation in 1993. "To achieve this honor in two and a half years is an accomplishment I am very proud of," says Star Norini, owner of **Distinctive Kitchen Designs** and a Certified Kitchen Designer. "Many dealers do not receive this recognition in twenty years."

Norini believes that **Distinctive Kitchen Designs'** success is the result of dedicated hard work and referrals from satisfied clients. "We specialize in custom kitchen design," said Norini. "We are a design firm, not just a retail business."

Distinctive Kitchen Designs works with top builders and remodeling contractors, which according to Norini, allows her and



Maple Hutch by Wood-Mode.

her staff of designers to concentrate on designing a custom kitchen which best fits the needs and tastes of their clients. "We do not do installations, plumbing hookup or electrical work," Norini emphasizes. "We leave that up to the contractors since that is what they do best. Designing is what we do best." Norini also emphasizes that each kitchen designed by her and her designers is completely custom. "We work with all ranges of budgets, tastes, styles and preferences."

Distinctive Kitchen Designs is located in Wauconda at 203 South Main Street. Star Norini and her staff of designing professionals are waiting to make your dreams of the perfect kitchen come true!

NISRA Seeking Local Fishermen

The Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association (NISRA) is looking for local anglers to assist with a unique and exciting fishing event on May 14 on Bangs Lake in Wauconda. The "Spring Fishing Classic" will be host to nearly 100 fishermen with disabilities of all ages. With the funding assistance of the Kellogg Foundation, NISRA plans to open the local waterways to people with disabilities through a series of events and clinics throughout the year.

If you own a boat, are an experienced angler or just like to fish, NISRA needs your assistance to make the "Spring Fishing Classic" a success. NISRA staff plan to get all participants matched up with local fishermen and boat owners on May

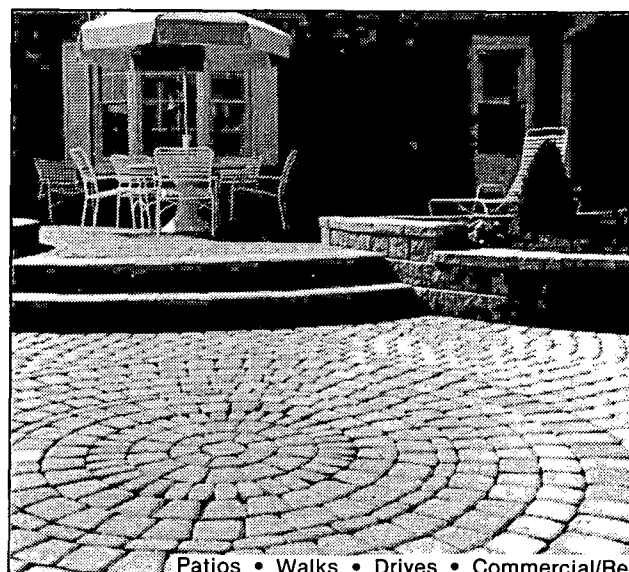
14 for an enjoyable day of fishing, awards, clinics, food and entertainment.

What exactly is NISRA looking for?

- Fishermen with boats to take participants out on the lake.
- Fishermen without boats to assist participants fishing.
- Volunteers to help with registration, awards, lunch, etc.

A meeting will be held the evening of Tuesday, May 10, to inform all volunteers of their responsibilities.

NISRA is also looking for businesses to sponsor boats at \$100. To volunteer, call Brian Shahinian at (815) 459-0737 or Dave Kranz at Dave's Bait, Tackle, and Taxidermy, (815) 455-2040 now!



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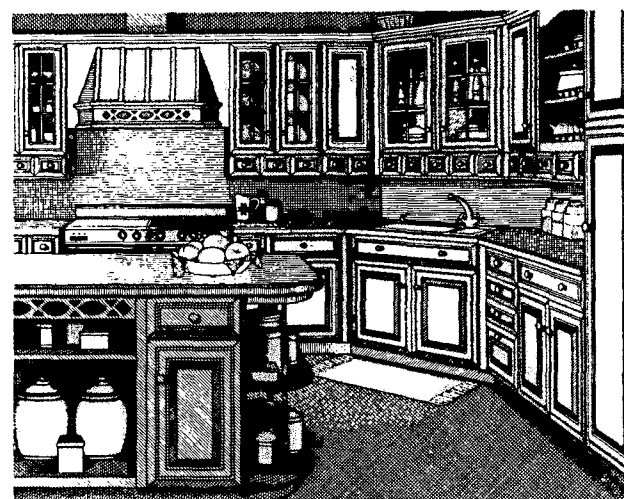
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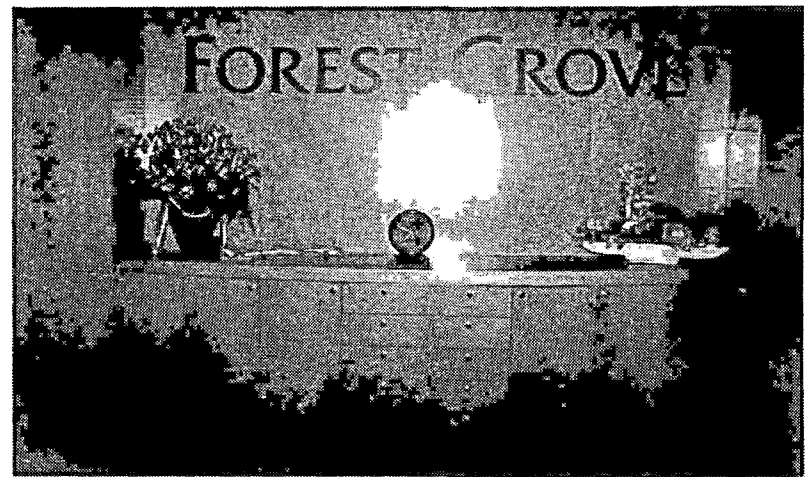
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Spring Fling For Seniors

The Barrington Junior Women's Club is sponsoring the annual Spring Fling for Seniors on Tuesday, May 10, at the Barrington Park District Building at Langendorf Park, 235 Lions Drive, Barrington. The doors will open at 11:00 a.m. for coffee and socializing. Luncheon will be at 12:00 followed by entertainment and

games. Prizes will then finish the day's activities. Don't miss this fabulous day of fun, friends and festivities. Sign up at the Good Shepherd Manor, or make your reservation through the Barrington Park District, 381-0687, or BACOA, 381-5030. Join us for some Spring Fling Fun by making your reservation by May 1st!



Tips from the Top of The Rock™

Margaret R. Semrad
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High Tech Trends In Real Estate – What Can They Do For You?

What does the future hold . . . excitement! High tech real estate is happening. In the most recent issue of the "Realtor News," an article on real estate finance indicated that with computer software, loan underwriting can be done "in minutes, not days." And, when hooked up to other systems, "closings can happen in hours." Gone will be the nerve-racking apprehension buyers frequently go through prior to loan approval. Wow . . . in minutes it's all done. And that's only one system in today's real estate transaction.

It's exciting to observe the linkage of major informational networks and how they impact real estate. We at **The Prudential Preferred Properties** have state-of-the-art high tech systems to service our buyers and sellers. A personalized buyers packet can be put together in minutes. With the two Multiple Listing Services **The Prudential Preferred Properties** has joined, we are instantly aware of new homes placed on the market. This is a major benefit to customers who are looking for distinctive homes in specific neighborhoods. And to our sellers who have over 8000 Realtors working to sell their homes.

Our sellers enjoy an effective and successful marketing campaign custom-designed to target buyers for their homes. We Realtors cannot control the market but we do control the marketing plan and the speed with which information on the home reaches the marketplace. At **The Pruden-**

tial Preferred Properties, we do this immediately after listing a property for sale. And Prudential sellers are not in the dark as to the work being done on their behalf. It is set out in our strategic marketing plan.

Another high tech marketing standout is our PruDirect Program. This is a customized software system capable of an immediate, personalized mass mailing about the listed home to targeted buyers in specific markets throughout Chicagoland. With the touch of a keystroke, the message and the mailing can be executed within 48 hours. The high-speed, direct mail ability of this exclusive program is astounding. This is powerful advertising that gives our sellers the competitive edge. In today's real estate environment, turning loose the excitement of a new home placed on the market, by marketing it within hours, can be crucial to propelling the sale.

This system is lots different than yesteryear's "Three P's of Marketing:"

- Put an ad in the paper
- Put a sign in the yard
- and Pray! (Of course, we still do pray.)

Our buyers and sellers deserve the best in marketing and in service. After assessing the buyers and sellers needs, our Realtors can use fresh, innovative systems to better help sellers sell homes and buyers buy homes. All we need is for you to call us so we can get to work for you. And, that's **382-3600!**

From A Woman's Point of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

Our Chairman's Award plaque came yesterday and we hung it in our showroom. Everyone here was excited and took great pride in the actualization of our quest to be number one with our customers.

I know I wrote about this last month and I try not to repeat myself (contrary to my husband's belief that I must do it on purpose just to drive him to distraction). but Tim is so thrilled about the Chairman's Award, he wanted me to write about it again. And to be truthful, after the last month of going through our computer software conversion, I need an uplifting topic to pursue.

Each year, customers determine the winners of the Ford Motor Company Chairman's Award. We're proud that our customers elected our dealership to that group in 1993. We appreciate this great honor and promise to keep striving to satisfy our customers in the coming years.



It's definitely something we like to repeat year after year!



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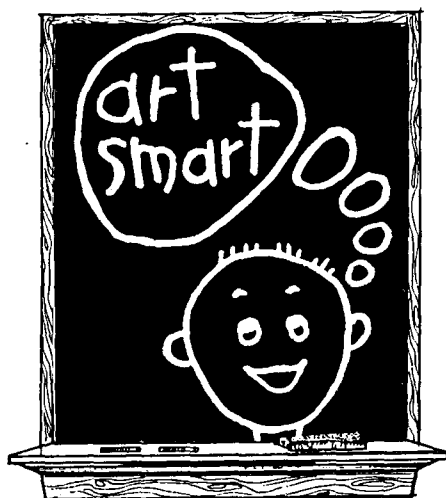
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Enjoy the Arts by taking art classes at **Kaleidoscope**. What experience could tap your potential more or invigorate the senses? It's fun, it's educational, it's stimulating!

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In Drawing I (Basics), you'll learn to draw what you see — utilizing measuring, proportioning, foreshortening and perspective. In Drawing II, these concepts are applied toward various shapes, composition, values and shading.

For beginning, or intermediate, photographers, learn to use 35mm equipment, film, lighting, composition and exposure in Photography.



The classes are numerous at **Kaleidoscope**. Why not call for their free brochure and get creative?

Kaleidoscope is located on Cook Street in downtown Barrington.

Sixth Annual Shining Star Ball to Benefit Clearbrook Center

On Friday, April 22 hundreds of celebrated Chicagoans will gather together as Clearbrook Center presents its sixth annual Shining Star Ball at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Chicago.

This "grand dame" of special events has provided over \$1.8 million for Clearbrook Center in its five-year existence. This elegant evening features a gourmet dinner, fabulous prizes and dancing to the sounds of the Mike Carney Orchestra from New York.

Co-chairs Linda Moscow and Pidgey Zitin, both of Chicago, expect this year to be a sell-out crowd as in the past. "The Shining Star Ball and Clearbrook Center have such a large following of supporters, that over two-thirds of the tables are sold before the invitations even go out," commented Zitin. Past guests have included popular professional athletes, business and community leaders and members of the media, all willing to show their support for the developmentally challenged clients of Clearbrook Center.

Prizes include an all-expense-paid trip to the 1995 Superbowl; trips around the

world to exciting locations such as Milan, Montreal, Berlin and Hawaii; fine jewelry and much more. Tickets for the Shining Star Ball are \$300 per person. For more information on the Shining Star Ball please call Kathy Kocian at (708) 251-0933.

The proceeds from the Shining Star Ball will benefit Clearbrook Center's Clinic. The Clinic is an innovative program which provides evaluation and therapy services, behavior intervention and psychological counseling to Clearbrook's clients as well as members of the general community in need of assistance. Through these therapies, Clearbrook provides more service to the developmentally challenged than any other organization in the area.

Clearbrook Center is a private not-for-profit agency serving the needs of over 650 children and adults with developmental challenges including mental retardation, cerebral palsy; autism and other neurological disorders. The Center provides therapies, vocational training, residential services, children's services and operates 23 facilities throughout northwest suburban Cook County.

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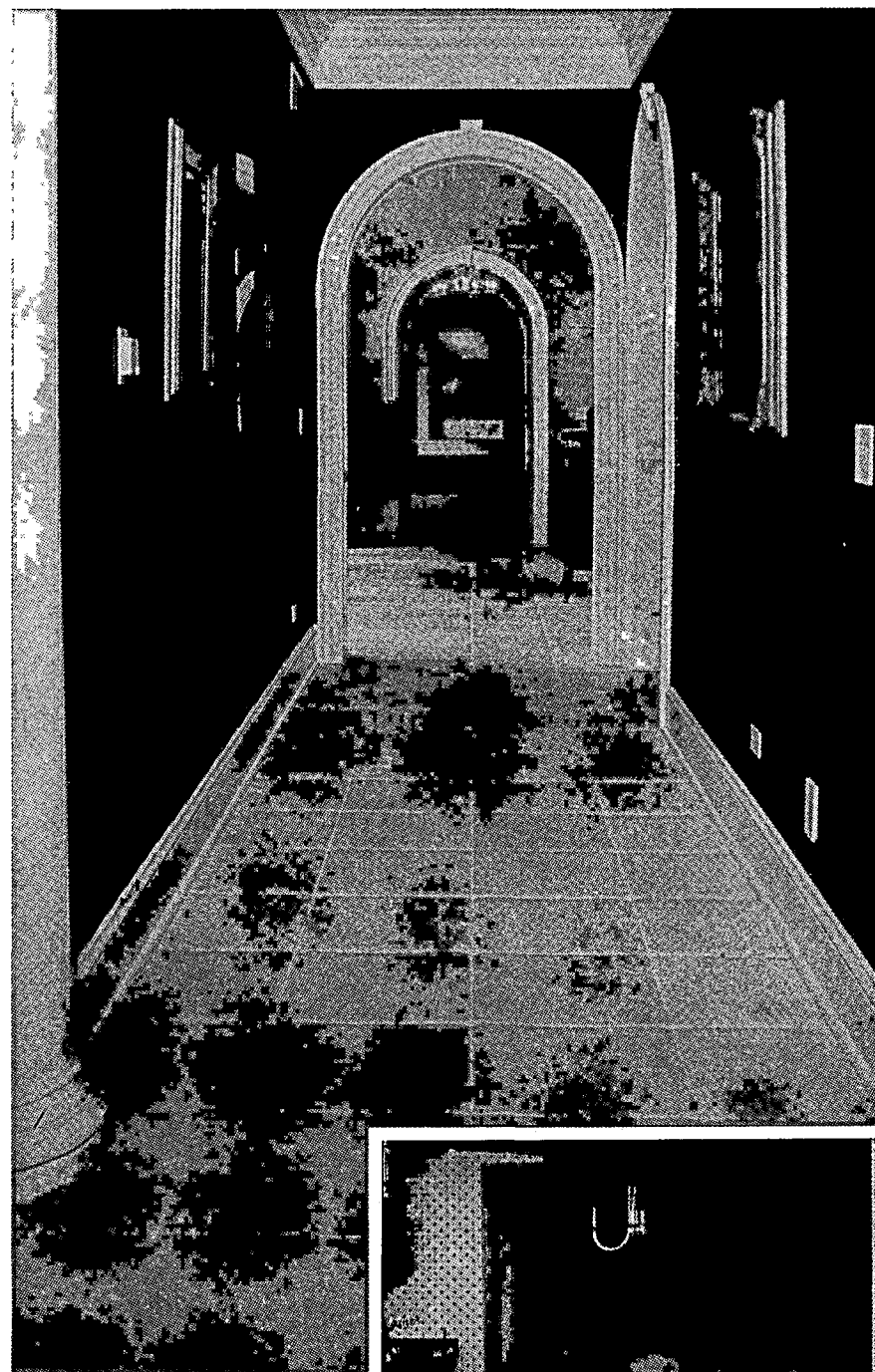
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