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## Editor's Ink

November, 2000

Dear Reader,

The holidays are fast approaching and soon we'll be shopping, decorating our homes and preparing for this special season. To help you decorate and help a great cause, why not attend the Fabulous Festival of Trees, Wreaths and Ornaments to be held this year at the Barrington Ice House Mall. The live auction takes place the evening of December 2 only. The silent auction will begin November 24 and closes December 2. Local organizations have generously donated their times and talent to benefit the Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC).

The BYDE will be holding auditions for the full-length ballet *Coppelia* on Sunday, November 12. Auditions this year are one day only. For more information, call Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble at 382-6333. *Coppelia* will be performed in June at the Barrington High School.

"Czech It Out." Yes, check out the Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera's November program. Offered will be dramatic insights on two of this season's operas, *Jenufa* and *The Great Gatsby*, by the very qualified Dr. Kurt Westerburg.

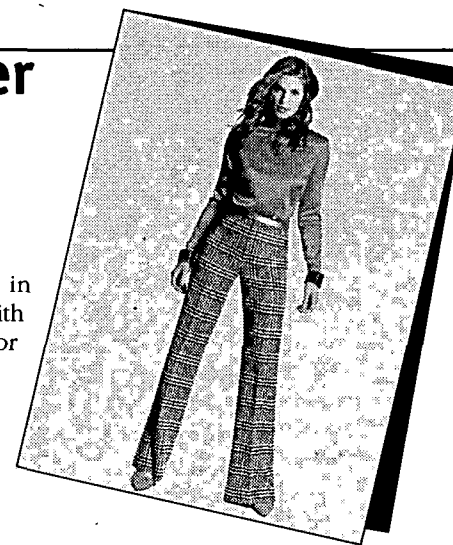
Until next time, may all your thoughts be sunny.

With warm regards,  
Glenn McMonigal  
Editor, *Lifestyles Magazines*



## About Our Cover

The blouse shines for Fall; here in shimmering charmeuse, it's worn with graphic glen plaid. Linda Allard for Ellen Tracy—Fall 2000.



## "Czech It Out"

The Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago will present "Czech It Out" at 4 PM on Sunday, November 12, in a private residence in Deer Park. With musical excerpts, Dr. Kurt Westerberg will offer dramatic insights on two of this season's 20th century operas—Czechoslovakian Leos Janacek's *Jenufa* and John Harbison's *The Great Gatsby*. Following the program, a hors d'oeuvre and dessert buffet will be offered by Marilyn Hayden, Barrington Hills, assisted by Nancy Hozian and Jean Watson, Kildeer. Cost is \$25 per person. Reservations are very limited and will be filled in the order that checks are received. Please respond by November 5 to Susanne Wells, 225 Timber Ridge, Lake Barrington, IL, 60010, or call 847-382-2613.

Since 1987, Kurt Westerberg has been an associate professor at De Paul's musicianship studies department where he also teaches composition. His solo and ensemble compositions have received performances throughout the country in a variety of venues as well as on radio and recordings. He is a member of the Chicago Composers' Consortium and a director



**Dr. Kurt Westerberg will offer dramatic insights.**

of music at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Evanston.

For inquiries on the Barrington Chapter, phone Howard Robins at 847-437-2158.

## Only One Audition for BYDE's Full-Length Ballet *Coppelia*



**Performing the "Friends Dance" from *Coppelia* during the Autumn Ela Festival 2000 in Lake Zurich are Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble full company members: (from left) Kate Schoell of Arlington Heights; Whitney Schwartz of Barrington; Meredith Sislow of Barrington (back); and Niccole Pattee of Palatine.**

Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's (BYDE) auditions for the full-length ballet *Coppelia*, to be presented in June 2001, are on Sunday, November 12, 2000, at the Barrington Dance Academy located at 117 E. Northwest Highway (just east of Kurt Sapphire Pianos, Inc.) in Barrington.

There is only one audition, so mark your calendars now! Boys and girls at least 6 years of age by September 1, 2000, are invited to audition. The schedule is: children 6 to 8 years, from 12:00 to 12:30 PM; children 9 through 10 years from 1:00 to 1:30 PM; children 11 through 12 years from 2:00 to 2:30 PM; and teenagers 12 years and older from 3:00 to 3:30 PM.

Please wear ballet slippers and tights and have hair secured. Bring pointe shoes if applicable. Arrive 10 minutes prior to

your scheduled audition time to register. Dancers will be notified of audition results by phone or mail within the following week. Specific rehearsal dates will be posted at auditions. For additional information, call 847-382-6333.

*Coppelia*, a funny and romantic story of a mystical doll maker and his creations, will delight all ages. The enchanting, light-hearted three-act performance will be presented at Barrington High School's Richard C. Johnson Auditorium located at 616 West Main Street in Barrington. The dates are Friday, June 15, 2001, at 7:30 PM and Saturday, June 16, 2001, at 2:00 PM.

For information on BYDE, whose mission is to promote artistic excellence and appreciation through quality dance training and performances, call 847-382-6333.

## Garden Club of Inverness Christmas Luncheon



**Garden Club of Inverness Christmas Luncheon Co-Chairs Jill O'Connell and Barbara Hidding pictured with one of their table centerpieces.**

Catch the spirit of the holidays as the Garden Club of Inverness ushers in the season on Friday, December 1, 2000, at its gala Christmas Luncheon. Majestic Medinah Country Club, aglow for the holidays, will provide a lavish showcase for this club's annual fundraiser event. The day will begin with a splendid array of theme gift baskets, generously donated by members as prizes for the event, overseen by Co-Chairs Jill O'Connell and Barbara Hidding. This talented twosome's style and expertise promise a memorable time for all attendees. Tickets are currently available at \$40. Please call Jill at 934-6113 or Barbara at 359-2142.

Luncheon proceeds fund Garden Club of Inverness community involvement projects. Charitable endeavors have included beautification projects with park and school districts, Harper College Scholarship Award and garden therapy for seniors. The Garden Club of Inverness is a member of District IX, Central Region of Garden Clubs of Illinois and National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc. and the Chicago Horticultural Society.

The afternoon will be completed by guest presenter and talented floral designer Glen Egeland. Owner of Barrington

ton flower Shop since 1988, Glen will share his 33 years of floral experience and artistry with us. His love of floral design was inspired by his mother as well as several aunts and uncles already tied to the floral business. Glen is a member of the prestigious and environmentally responsible Society of American Florists. He is active in local Kiwanis and enjoys working for the benefit of children.

The next general meeting of the Garden Club of Inverness is November 16, 2000. It will feature Penny Horne, award winning floral designer and recipient of the Garden Club of America Certificate of Excellence in flower arranging. This past year, Penny represented the Garden Club of America Flower Arranging Study Group in England at the WFA Symposium. She also represented the United States in Ireland at Floral Design 2000. Penny will talk about new design thinking, focusing on new elements and principals of design.

Join us at Holy Family Church, 2515 W. Palatine Road, Inverness. The meeting begins at 9:30 AM. Tickets for the holiday luncheon will be for sale. Call membership chairman Phyllis Ewert at 842-1695 for more information.

## Daughters of the British Empire Art Auction

The Daughters of the British Empire, Barrington Court Chapter, invite you to attend an Art Auction at The Watercress Banquets, 1200 W. Northwest Highway, Palatine, IL, 60067, on Friday Evening, November 10, 2000. Preview is at 7 PM with hors d'oeuvres, cake, coffee and cash bar. Auction is at 8 PM. The grand prize are Virgin Airlines round-trip tickets for two to London. Net proceeds will go to The British Home for the elderly of all nationalities and Hospice of Northwestern Illinois. For tickets, contact Barbara Bond at 847-381-6117 or Helen Pollock at 847-526-5820. Donation is \$14 per person.



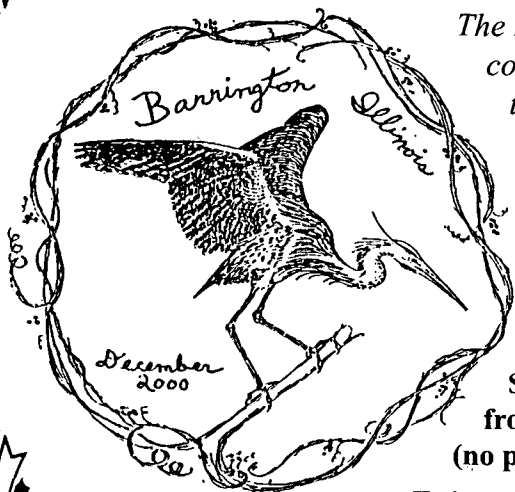
**Artwork by Robert Lui.**





# Barrington's Holiday Beginnings

**Saturday, November 18, 10am - 5pm**  
**Sunday, November 19, 11am - 4pm**



*The retailers of Barrington cordially invite you to start your holiday shopping with us.*

- Begin to collect purchase receipts for the 2000 limited edition Barrington collector's ornament
- Register to win over \$500 in gift certificates from Barrington stores (no purchase necessary)

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## Barrington Holiday Beginnings November 18 and 19

Barrington's retailers invite you to start your holiday shopping at their special **Retail Holiday Open House** on Saturday, November 18, 10 AM to 5 PM, and Sunday, November 19, 11 AM to 4 PM. The event is sponsored by the Retail Committee of the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce; 90 stores and restaurants are participating.

Shoppers may begin saving receipts from participating merchants for the 2000 Barrington collector's ornament: \$200 in receipts dated from November 18 through December 24 entitle shoppers to a lovely limited edition ornament featuring *The Blue Heron*, Barrington's official bird.

This year's ornament was designed by artist Laura Arndt, a director of Citizens for Conservation in Barrington. Receipts may be brought to the lobby of the Harris Bank Grove Avenue or the Chamber of Commerce office, 325 N. Hough St. Shoppers may also register to win \$500 in gift certificates from Barrington stores during the November open house celebration. No purchase necessary.

This year's Chamber of Commerce Retail Chairs are Beth Johanson (Peter Daniel Apparel for Men & Women), Jan Cunningham (G.Whiz), Gary Hines (Chuck Hines) and Rosemary Doherty (Savvy Spirit).

## First Exposure: The Sketchbooks And Photographs Of Theodore Robinson

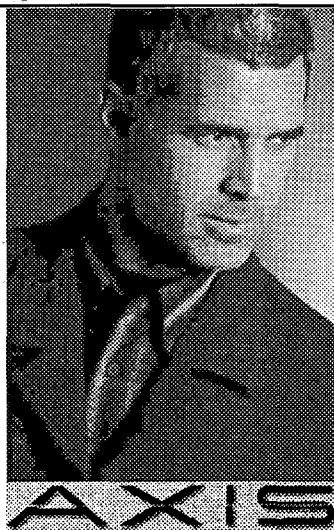
Impressionist painter Theodore Robinson (1852-1896), who was strongly influenced by his close friend, noted French artist Claude Monet, captured chance occurrences in everyday life, many of which will be featured in *First Exposure: The Sketchbooks And Photographs Of Theodore Robinson* at Terra Museum of American Art, 664 N. Michigan Avenue in Chicago. The exhibition, which overlaps with the ongoing *Indivisible: Stories of American Community*, will be on view through Sunday, December 31, 2000.

This major exhibition features three sketchbooks and 25 black-and-white photographs by the artist which conjure up a sketch of Robinson's social environs. Although he tended to paint landscapes on

site *en plein air*, Robinson often used these photographic and sketched studies as a resource. *First Exposure* brings to the foreground works which have typically been considered background.

Organized by Terra's sister museum, the Musée d'Art Américain in Giverny, France, the exhibition demonstrates the internal struggle Robinson faced to meet his own high artistic standards. Though shy, he achieved a degree of celebrity as he moved through several transitions in style, from academic to impressionism to the streamlined aesthetic of his artistic maturity.

For more information, call Terra Museum of American Art at 312-664-3939.

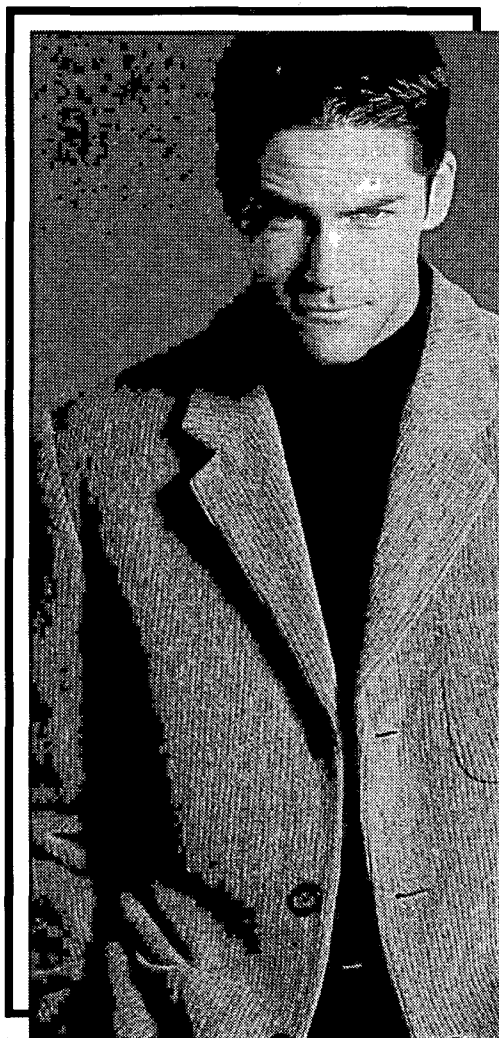


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## Limited Edition Prints Bring Home The Warmth of the Season

'Tis the season to cozy up to the warmth that perfectly framed limited edition art can add to your home for the holidays. Whether it's a highly collectable wildlife print or a whimsical work for the young at heart, you'll find the art that's just right for you and for your gift-giving at **Woodland Art Gallery and Frame Shoppe**. Here's a peek at what artful pleasures await you at the area's most respected art gallery:

*June Trout* by Chet Reneson—An incredibly low edition size makes this print from an original watercolor an extremely cherished gift idea.

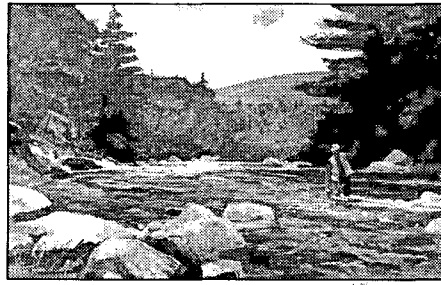
*Still Summer* by Pino—Hand-embellished by the artist makes each limited edition giclée an original. It's a beautiful work.

*Shhh!* by Bradley J. Parrish—A limited quantity of artist's proofs of this sold out classic features and old world Santa on one of his holiday visits. Perfect for any good girl or boy.

*Prothonotary Warbler* by Robert Bateman—Renowned the world over as the most collected wildlife artist of today, a collection of Bateman's songbirds is featured this month along with the gallery's traditional holiday bonus of a free autographed copy of your choice of one of Bateman's art books with the purchase of any framed limited edition print from our extensive Robert Bateman collection.



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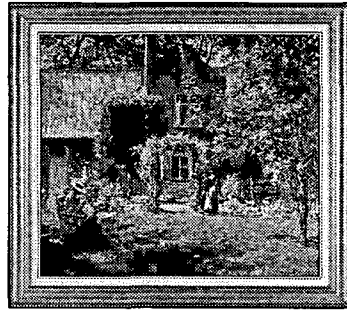


*June Trout* by Chet Reneson

*Wild River Moose* by Nita Engle—The first giclée by this watercolor master artist is an outstanding work.

*Illuminated* by Morgan Weistling—A beautiful limited edition print that features a young Colonial girl with a candle.

*Unpretentious Garden* by Gari Melcher—This canvas transfer repligraph is hand-embellished. One of many in our collection



*Unpretentious Garden* by Gari Melchers

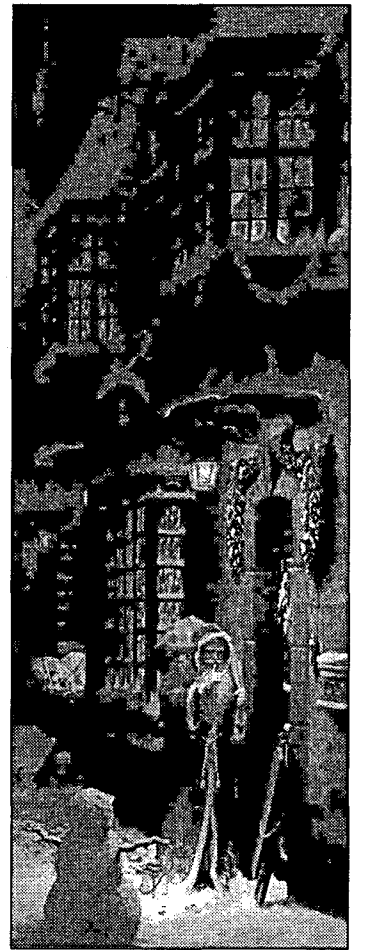
of repligraphs by master artists including Claude Monet, Vincent Van Gogh, Paul Cezanne, Leonardo DaVinci and Fredrick Remington.

Two special additions to the gallery have been added for the holidays as well. Just arrived, hand-made Father Christmas dolls by Michael McAfee feature hand-painted bisque faces and dressed in velvet, damask and tapestry lined in luxurious mink or edged in fur. And exceptional hand-blown glass ornaments by award-winning craftsmen are available in a variety of colors and shapes. These rare, one-of-a-kind ornaments are very collectable and make wonderful gifts.

**Woodland Art Gallery** invites you to visit soon and discover the artful tradition of gift-giving this holiday season with works from today's most respected artists including Don Hatfield, Carl Brenders, Jim Daly, Michael Young, Terry Redlin, David Armstrong, Peter Ellenshaw, David Maass, Greg Olsen, John Seerey-Lester, Bev Doolittle, Terry Isaac, Owen Gromme and many others. And there's no one more trusted than master framer and owner Scott Teasdale when it comes to fine framing. Specializing in museum mounting to protect the value of your art, the gallery takes great pride in their remarkable talent for custom matting and framing.

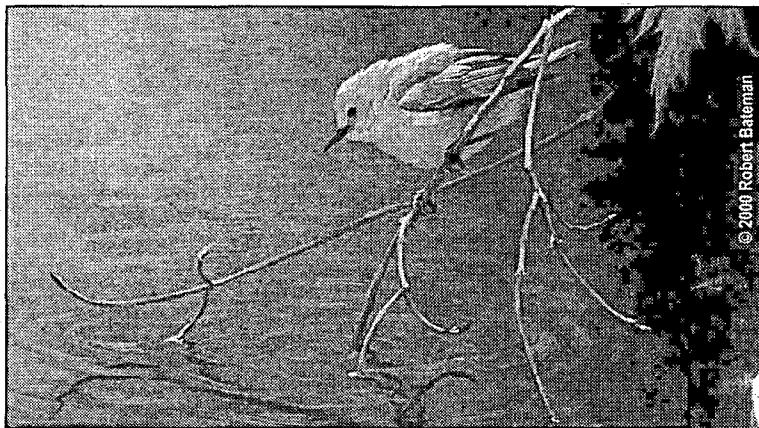
Christmas layaway service is available and the gallery can ship your art anywhere. The gallery is also the area's most respected and knowledgeable source for locating sold out works on the secondary market. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

A visit to the gallery is always in season. Located at 71-B East Woodstock Street in downtown Crystal Lake, **Woodland Art Gallery** is open Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 5 PM and Saturday from 9 AM to 3 PM. Call **815-459-0460**.

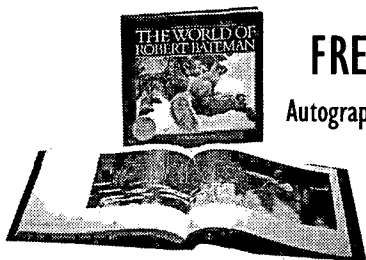


*Shhh!* by Bradley J. Parrish

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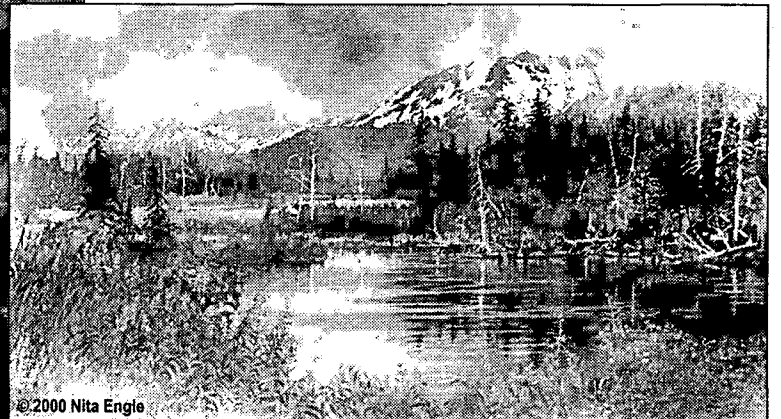
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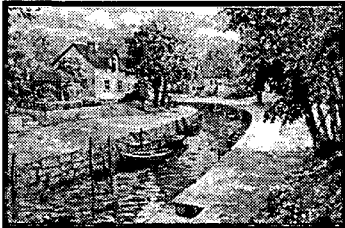
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## Fabulous Festival of Trees, Wreaths and Ornaments

Friends of BAAC are inviting everyone to come to their annual Festival of Trees, Wreaths and Ornaments—a holiday tradition for children and adults of all ages. For the first time this year, the event will be held in the Ice House Mall and on view to the public from November 24 through December 2, 2000. The festival is an event of the Barrington Area Arts Council and sponsored by Harris Bank Barrington.

The Ice House Mall at 200 Applebee in Barrington will be ever so festive during this time as it becomes the showcase for a myriad of unique and creative wreaths and trees. The one-of-a-kind ornaments

will be on display at the BAAC Gallery and are available for purchase on December 1, 2000. Trees and wreaths will be offered for sale on live and silent auction. The silent auction will begin on November 24 and close December 2 at 8:00 PM. The live auction will be held on the evening of December 2 only. Winning bidders will take their items home at the close of the auctions. All proceeds benefit the Barrington Area Arts Council's program in the visual, literary and performing arts as well as other nonprofits. In an instant, you not only have something new for your holiday decor but you help the arts and other wonderful groups who serve

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## Art That Warms the Heart

By Cyndy Sue Walters

The friendly atmosphere at **Tina Han Gallery** attracts patrons who enjoy browsing amongst fine art. Tina's exquisite collection of originals, limited editions and serigraphs is tastefully displayed and beckons the most discriminating art enthusiast.

Custom framing is an art in itself and is one of the gallery's specialties. Quality materials are available as well as design consultation. What customers most appreciate is Tina's quick turn around time for custom work.

**Tina Han Gallery** is Barrington's finest art gallery, centrally located in the Ice House Mall at 200 Applebee Street. Designers are welcome. Call **847-382-1030**.



*Geraniums by John Powell*

## Holiday Wear and Gift Giving at Tommy-Terri

It won't be long before the snow is falling and everyone is singing Christmas carols. **Tommy-Terri** would love to help you make this season a memorable one.

For your special holiday pictures, we have the traditional holiday ensembles plus a selection of more casual clothing. If it's a holiday gift you are looking for, we have a selection of wonderful clothing (through size 16) and some special

toys for your children that even Santa may not think of!

Be sure to remember the holiday open house, November 18 and 19. We will be here to assist you with your selection and gift wrapping—complimentary of course! And even UPS shipping is available.

We at **Tommy-Terri** look forward to seeing you this season!

our community.

Save the date and spend a festive evening with the Friends of BAAC on Saturday, December 2, from 5:30 to 8:30 PM at the beautiful Ice House Mall—the perfect place to be for holiday esprit! The company will be lively, music will fill the air and delicious appetizers and holiday spirits (fine wines and beverages) will be offered to all. The Ice House Mall will be bedecked with lighted trees and colorful wreaths.

Garden clubs, school booster groups, conservation organizations, businesses and creative friends of BAAC have generously decorated and donated a holiday tree, wreath or ornament to BAAC's Festival. All are artistically designed from artificial and dried materials. Fifty percent of the item's sale price will be returned to nonprofit group donors, while those from businesses and individuals are considered a donation to BAAC. All creations, however, are eligible for the cash awards given at the discretion of the Friends of BAAC Festival Committee chaired by Bar-



bara Tomasello.

The Barrington Area Arts Council especially thanks Harris Bank Barrington for its sponsorship of this event and the merchants and management of the Ice House Mall for their support and help. BAAC is partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency. For more information, please call the BAAC Gallery at 847-382-5626.



## Barrington ICE HOUSE MALL



### Capture the Spirit of the Season at the Barrington Ice House Mall!

Looking to keep the joy of the holidays throughout your shopping season? Come to the **Barrington Ice House Mall** where personal service, complimentary gift wrap and scrumptious food can be found inside our downtown historic location. Discover the **Barrington Ice House Mall** where you'll find 16 one-of-a-kind specialty stores, including fine apparel for men and women, children's clothing, artisan jewelry, art galleries and holiday and home stores. And, while you're waiting for your gifts to be wrapped, you can pamper yourself with a fabulous manicure or salon service at She & "I" Salon or sit back and grab a scrumptious meal at Chessie's Restaurant and catch up with a friend!

The **Barrington Ice House Mall** is honored to be hosting the Barrington Area Arts Council **Festival of Trees 2000**. Starting Thanksgiving week, our halls will be showcasing gorgeous themed Christmas Trees representing our community organizations, schools and businesses! Better yet, many of these trees will be available for purchase. This **Festival of Trees** celebration continues through the evening of December 2, where these fabulous trees will be auctioned to benefit the BAAC and our many community nonprofit organizations that work tirelessly to make our world a better place! For more information, please call the Barrington Area Arts at **847-382-5626**. Cheers!

### Chesterfield Glass Galleries— The Finest in Art Glass

**Chesterfield Glass Galleries** exhibits the works of over 130 glass artists; however, during the holidays, we have many unique and unusual items also. Back by popular demand are the oatmeal and gold snowmen that wiggle. New this year in that collection are the teddy bears. Shop early for these adorable pieces, as quantities are limited.

Cardew teapots, Fabergé eggs, cameos made from seashells, angels, musical bags, candle tapers, stuffed Santas and snowmen, hinged box Christmas trees, trinket boxes and hors d'oeuvre picks are just a few items from our "non-glass" collection.

Karg glass, Ed Branson, Spun Earth Pottery, Betsy Ray, Dahl Glass, Daniel Read and Bernard Katz are just a few of the new artists we have added to our collection. If you have not experienced visiting our gallery, we think you will be pleasantly surprised. Stop in to say hello and



browse.

Congratulations to Mrs. Louise Heyse, the winner of the *Anastasia* Fabergé egg. Our Fabergé exhibit was a huge success and enjoyed by all.

Remember **Chesterfield Glass Galleries** for your entire gift-giving occasions and home decorating needs. Located in the historic Ice House Mall, **Chesterfield** is open seven days a week. Gift wrapping and UPS available. Call **847-382-6677**.

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We've heard your complaints about the high prices of greeting cards and gift-wrap, so we decided to do something about it. **Village Hallmark Shops** in Palatine (downtown) and in Barrington (Ice House Mall) have changed their marketing position and are now part of the **CARD\$MART** organization. This national organization is user friendly to you, the consumer, and here is what it will mean.

Now all individual greeting cards and all giftwrap are going to be half price. That's right... from now on all greeting cards are **50% off** and all giftwrap will also be **50% off**. This applies to everything including all the everyday cards and giftwrap, all Thanksgiving cards and giftwrap, all Christmas individual cards and giftwrap and we will keep this going everyday

from now on!

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For fall and Christmas, be sure to see all of our great offerings from Department 56 Snow Village and accessories as well as the beautiful new Vera Bradley collection featuring designs for all the phases of your life, with fabrics that reflect the richness of the season.

So if you are tired of paying too much for cards and giftwrap, come in and visit us today to see for yourself what a huge savings it is at **50% off** every card every day!

## Discover the Magic of Christmas!

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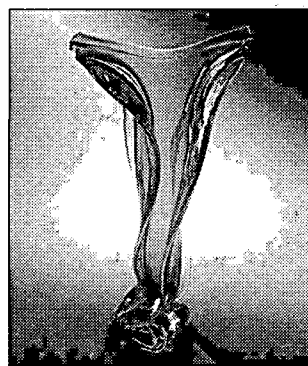
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## Celebrate Judaica!

This beautiful Shalom Roundel celebrates the season with vibrant colors and a message of peace. Visit **The Canterbury Shoppe's Judaica Collection** to find unique Artisan pieces that honor and reflect beautiful traditions!

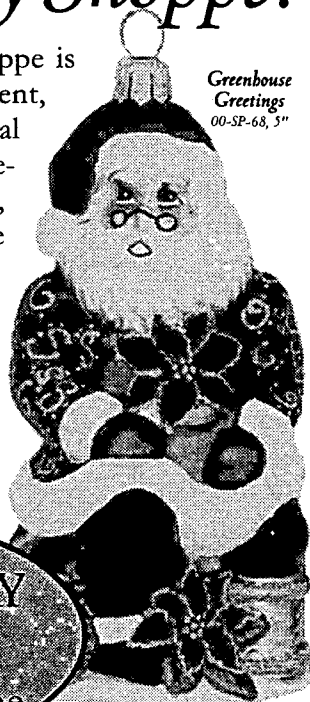
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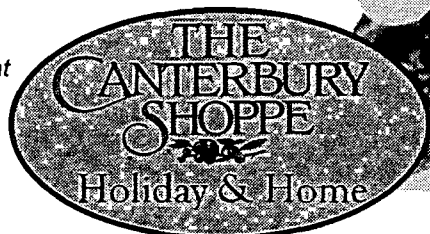
## Christopher Radko In-Store Event at The Canterbury Shoppe!

Calling all Collectors! The Canterbury Shoppe is hosting an in-store Christopher Radko Event, **Sunday, November 26th!** This is your ideal opportunity to meet Christopher Radko's representative Kevin Fenton, see the latest designs, and your only opportunity to purchase the limited edition Santa "Greenhouse Greetings," available exclusively during this event at The Canterbury Shoppe. There will be a special snowman ornament giveaway with each purchase over \$100 (while quantities last, a \$25 dollar value!). These magical collections are not just decorations, but works of the heart!

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## "Ah Men 2000"—An Exhibit of Awesome Art!

The Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) announces the opening of the BAAC Gallery November Exhibit, "Ah Men 2000," on November 3, 2000. The exhibit is a juried show featuring 33 pieces of original two- and three-dimensional art by 31 male artists from 14 states. The competition was open to all male artists 18 years and older. The selected artwork had no media or theme restrictions and ranges from realistic oil on canvas to abstract sculpture in stainless steel.

The selected works were juried and judged by Peter Gordon, Director of the Evanston Art Center. Gordon is the former

Chief Curator of the San Jose Museum of Art in San Jose, CA. He curated major exhibitions such as "Breath of Earth," featuring works by Andy Goldsworthy, and "Diamonds are Forever," an exhibit of visual and literary art about baseball.

Prizes are awarded in the following categories: Best of Show; Award of Excellence; Award of Merit; and two Honorable Mentions.

Exhibiting artists include:

- California—Allan Friedlander, San Francisco; John Hodgson II, Escondido; John Jenkins, San Francisco.
- Illinois—Paul Clark, Arlington Heights;



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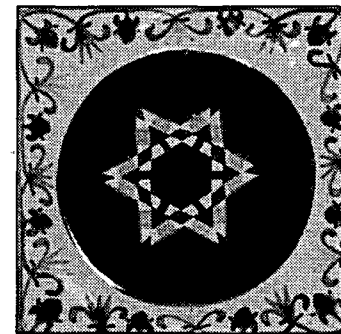


## The Canterbury Shoppe Showcases Judaica Collections

The Canterbury Shoppe is proud to present this seasons beautiful Judaica collections. Created to honor and reflect the rich traditions of Judaica, Laurie Gates Judaica collection includes serving pieces that are hand-painted with rich blue tones and 24K gold. Made in California, these stunning pieces are durable and dishwasher safe. Our beautiful roundels from Peggy Karr Glass, paired with our gourmet Kosher treats, make the perfect hostess gift!

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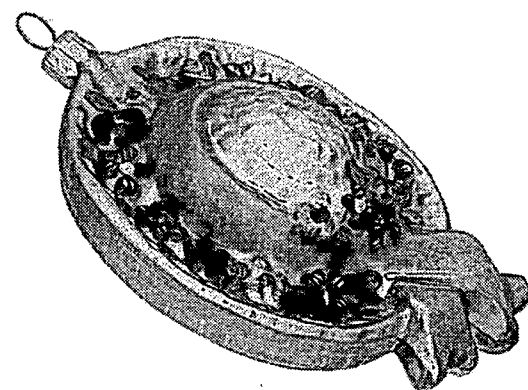
Holiday platters from  
**Laurie Gates Designs. Available  
at The Canterbury Shoppe.**

The Canterbury Shoppe is here to help you celebrate the season! Just give us a call at **304-9627! Happy Holidays!**

## The Canterbury Shoppe Hosts In-Store Radko Event

Calling all Christopher Radko collectors! The Canterbury Shoppe is hosting an in-store **Christopher Radko Open House**, Sunday, November 26! This is your ideal opportunity to meet Christopher Radko's representative Kevin Fenton, see the latest designs, and it is your only opportunity to purchase the limited edition Santa *Greenhouse Greetings*—available exclusively during this celebration at **The Canterbury Shoppe** (while quantities last). There will be a special snowman ornament giveaway (a \$25 dollar value) with each purchase over \$100.

Made entirely by hand by master European glass blowers, each ornament takes seven days to create. In the spirit of giving, the 2000 Radko collection includes charity ornaments whose entire profit supports Pediatric Cancer Research, Breast Cancer Research, AIDS Research and Pet



**Bonnie Spring—Radko's 2000 ornament  
supporting Breast Cancer Research.  
Available at The Canterbury Shoppe.**

Rescue & Care. These and hundreds of other ornaments will be on display in our new Christopher Radko Home for the Holidays Showcase. This magical collection are not just decorations, but works of the heart! For more information please call **847-304-9627**.



Daniel Godsel, Chicago; Robert Koch, Naperville; Roland Kulla; Chicago; Clayton Miller, Barrington; William Peck, Mount Prospect; Jack Perry, Elk Grove Village; Tom Teorpe, Cary; George Voegel and Andrew Weeks, Chicago; and John Yapelli, Palatine.

Iowa—Tom Aprile, Iowa City; J.R. Campbell, Ames.

• Kansas—Joshua Cross and Matt Lyczak, Manhattan.

• Louisiana—Ross Jahnke, Baton Rouge.

• Mississippi—Alexander Stelios-Wills, Mississippi State.

• Missouri—Benjamin Shambach.

• New York—Myron Brenton, New York; Leon Frankston, Setauket.

• North Carolina—Sean McDaniel, Greensboro.

• Ohio—James Oliver, Granville.

• Texas—Kyle Olson, Wichita Falls; Harold Porterfield, Kingwood; Roy Drasites, Chapin.

• Washington—Mark Abrahamson, Stanwood.

• Wisconsin—Fran Hoeffler, Germantown; Jeffrey Morin, Stevens Point.

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites the public to attend the Opening Reception on Friday evening, November 3, from 7 to 9 PM at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Avenue, Barrington, IL.

The exhibit will be on view from November 3 through November 22, 2000. BAAC Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 10 AM to 4 PM, and Saturday, 10 AM to 2 PM. The gallery is closed Mondays. For more information, please call **847-382-5626**.

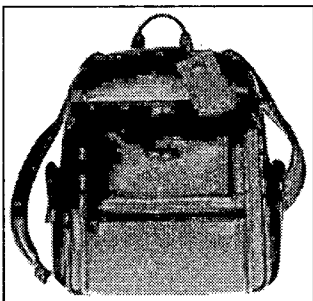
## Holiday 2000 Sparkles with the Stars of the Season at Peter Daniel

There's the undeniable satisfaction in giving the person who thought they had everything a gift they'll cherish forever. At **Peter Daniel** we've solved the age-old conundrum of gift giving cul-de-sacs with a splendid group of items appropriate for all tastes, all seasons and all occasions. From the weekend warrior to the veteran globetrotter, our selection is certain to delight everyone on your gift list. And if you're stumped, **Peter Daniel Gift Certificates** give even the most fastidious person on your list something everyone appreciates—the freedom to choose!

There's something for everyone this holiday at **Peter Daniel**. Feeling wild? We have great animal prints that are "purr"fect for a night on the town. Feeling glamorous? We have gorgeous dresses detailed in beadwork, sequins, and exquisite embroidery. Want to hibernate? Stay home and get cozy with our wool and Angora sweaters. **Peter Daniel** solves all your holiday gift giving dilemmas.

### Holiday Dilemma #104

*What can I give the person who has everything?* This is the season of luxury fibers, sumptuous leathers, fur trims, and exotic animal prints. Treat that special person to the best—cashmere—available in sweaters, sport coats, and outer jackets. Wonderful leather items include jackets, pants, and outerwear for women; sport coats, and outerwear for men. Everyone will love the look and feel of these luxurious items.



The new Safecase Deluxe Computer Briefpack from Tumi. In Napa Leather or Ballistic Nylon.

### Holiday Dilemma #231

*I'm still stumped! What am I going to do?* (Usually heard December 24.) The possibilities are endless. A few suggestions: **Tumi Luggage**—widely regarded as among the best in the world. Who would not love a new piece or set of this terrific travel and business luggage? For the man who has everything, **Swiss Army** offers a great variety of gift items—the Swiss Tool, the Auto Tool, an alarm clock travel set, and many useful pocket knives. Stop in and we'll find the perfect gift.

*How can I get everything done for the holidays?* Everyone feels overwhelmed around the holidays with entertaining, shopping, decorating and still maintaining a busy everyday schedule. We can't help you get everything done, however we do offer some time saving options. We will gift wrap all your purchases in festive holiday paper. We will ship all your gifts UPS from our store. And if you still don't have time to shop, call us with your list and we'll shop for you. **Peter Daniel** will outfit you from head to toe this winter season or can we get practical?

Put a lid on winter with toasty headgear from **Tilley**. This winter hat is a marvel of comfort and ingenuity—making it an ideal

gift for anyone seeking to defy winter's chill. Smart details like sueded earflaps and a tuckaway forehead warmer help to keep you cozy in the most Arctic conditions.



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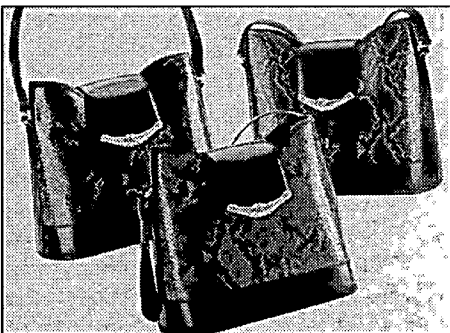
Mephisto—"the world's finest walking shoe." These sporty shoes efficiently absorb shocks from walking. Try on a pair to know how comfortable a shoe can really feel! Available for men and women.

Well, that certainly covers the sparkle, but November and December also promise to be busy with exciting events? We are pleased to announce our **Dedicated Donations Program**. Shop at **Peter Daniel** and **The Canterbury Shoppe** during the month of November and mention Wellness Place. We will donate 10 percent of your purchases to this wonderful organization. As you select your holiday gifts and attire this season, it gives us great joy to be able to support worthwhile causes through our Dedicated Donations Program.

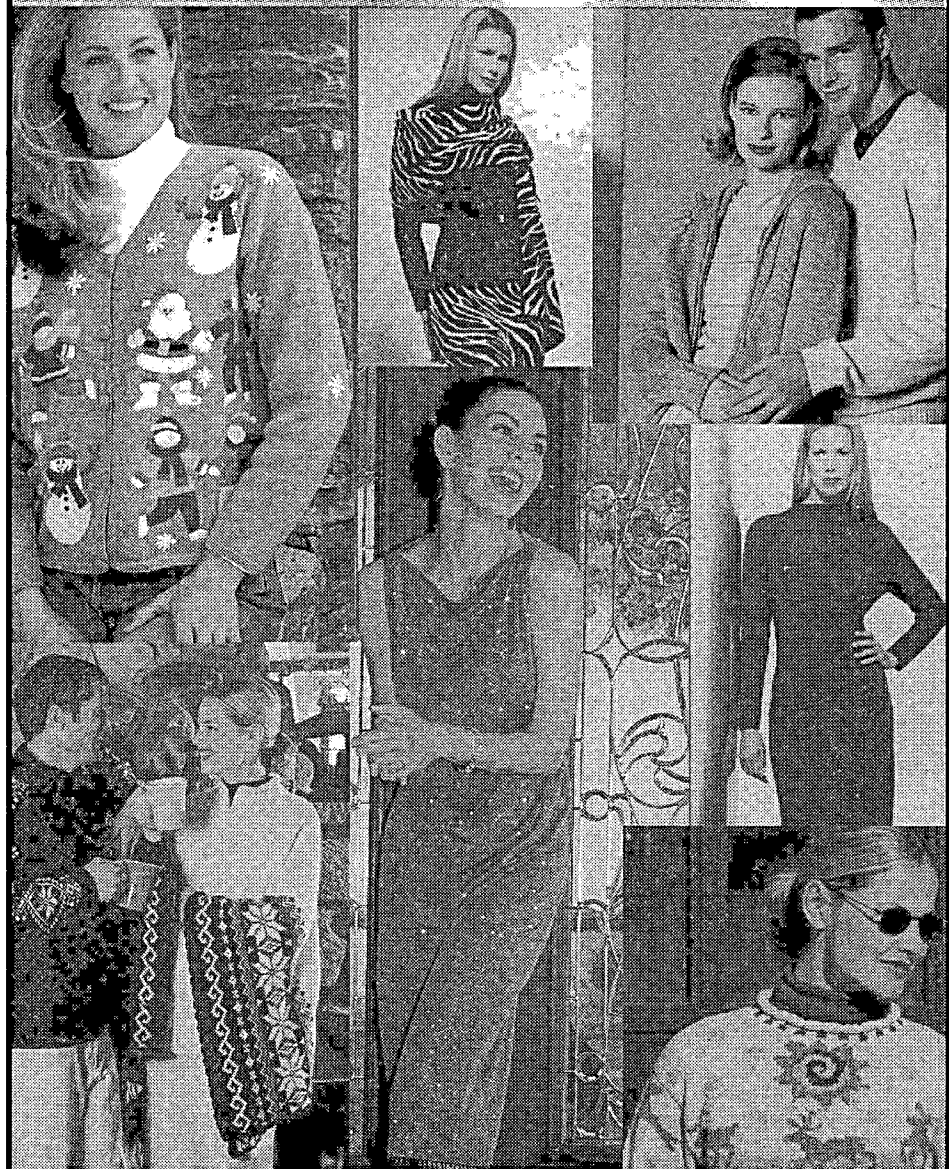
As they deck the halls of the Ice House Mall with boughs of holly, **Peter Daniel** invites you to our **Open House**—Saturday, November 18 and Sunday, November 19. We will have a dazzling array of special gifts for everyone on your list and stunning apparel for your holiday parties. In keeping with the spirit of the season, we will also offer special sales throughout our store. It's the perfect time to holiday shop.

The Barrington Area Arts Council **Festival of Trees, Wreaths and Ornaments** will be held at the Ice House Mall this year. Please join us on Saturday, December 2 from 5:30 to 8:30 PM for the tree auction and a special holiday evening. **Peter Daniel** and **The Canterbury Shoppe** are thrilled to be decorating a tree for Wellness Place and The BAAC. Don't miss this spectacular community event.

Holiday 2000 promises to shine with all the glitter and glow of the stars above! Stop in at **Peter Daniel** to celebrate this season of love and giving. We are open seven days a week for your shopping convenience and are located on the first level of the Ice House Mall in Barrington.



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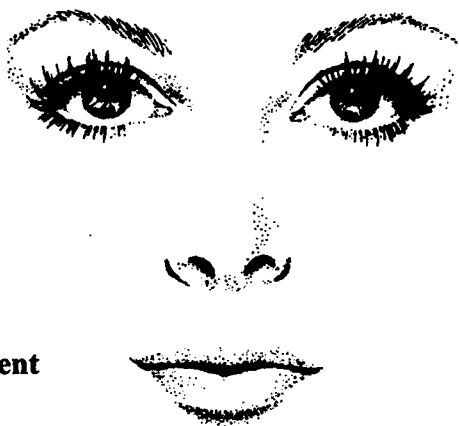
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## Experience the Excellence

It seems like yesterday that we were celebrating a new millennium... and here it is, November. Winter is coming, unfortunately. We must think of the changes in our skin.

Now is the time to make an appointment with your licensed esthetician at **Syd Simmons** to evaluate your skin. There are always changes in the skin with each new season.

We have a lot of exciting things happening at **Syd Simmons**, including two new treatments in facials. The wonderful Warm Mineral Mask makes the skin firmer, detoxifies and hydrates. There is also a separate treatment for problem skin, skin that is dry or aging. It makes the skin feel smooth as glass; people love this one!

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- Uneven and granular skin
- Fine lines and wrinkles
- Enlarged pores
- Blackheads and whiteheads
- Superficial scars
- Some stretch marks

Imagine all the compliments you will receive when your family gets together for the holidays after completing the series!

We are pleased to announce our new nail technician—Vane Tobin. She is excellent!

I love Thanksgiving. It is a good time to say thanks for all the good things in our lives: health, happiness, family, friends and all the good things that surround us. *Have a happy, healthy Thanksgiving and, most of all, have fun.*

Sincerely,  
Cathy Ramstadt, Owner  
**Syd Simons Cosmetics**

## Four Seasons Garden Club

The Four Seasons Garden Club will next meet on November 7, 9:30 AM, at the Barrington Area Library.

There will be a hands-on floral workshop to create Thanksgiving floral ar-

rangements. Club member Louise Waas, a biologist skilled in landscape and floral design, will conduct this session. A list of supplies to bring will be provided prior to this meeting.

## U.S. Weather Forecasters Predict Coldest Winter in Over 20 Years!



**Shari's Furs & More** is ready for you. Shari's carries the fur that fits your lifestyle, your mood and most important, your pocketbook. Their superb new collection of furs covers the full spectrum of minks, beavers (sheared and unsheared) and patented knit fur developed by Paula Lishman and available in the newest designs. Coats are available in all sizes for the petite or full size woman. They also have added a fabulous variety of shearlings and leathers.

You will also find the finest variety of gloves, hats, earmuffs, headbands and designer scarves. But this is just the tip of **Shari's** idea of what a store of the millennium should be. She has increased the variety of our men's garments to include lightweight shearlings and leather jackets—both barn and bomber styles.

In this day and age of movement, **Shari's** realizes people's needs are changing. Lifestyles change. Thus, wonderful resale racks have been added and are

now bulging with luxurious furs. This allows people the opportunity to obtain a garment that fits their budget or sell a fur they no longer need.

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within the family are able to come out. Our process is not forced or contrived because our goal is to preserve feelings and relationships, not just record what you look like.

Let **Portraits by Thomas** create images for you that will grow in value and are guaranteed to last a lifetime. Call our studio today while your family is all in one place and set up an appointment for a holiday portrait.

## Anti-Aging Wrap at Barrington Bodywrap

Victoria Morton's Suddenly Slender Body Wrap has an exciting new product. The new anti-aging wrap, conceived several years ago, has been tested and is now available in our shop. A host of ingredients included in the new formula enhances inch loss, reduces the signs of aging and tightens loose skin. This new product will also be used on all our face taping clients, the nonsurgical face tightening procedure. Both the original and new anti-aging wrap produce great re-

sults, with inch loss from 10 to 20 inches with the first wrap. If you are fighting cellulite, an expanding waistline or just want to feel better, we can help by removing the wastes and toxins from your system.

**Barrington Bodywrap** is located at 557 North Hough Street in Barrington at the intersection of Routes 59 and 14 (Northwest Highway) next to the Jiffy Lube. Call **847-277-0742** for more information and an appointment.

## The European Art of Nail Care

Are you looking for a way to relieve stress and make yourself beautiful?

If so, you need to treat yourself to a manicure and pedicure. **Nails Design**, located at 557 N. Hough Street in Barrington, has been in business four years. The four licensed technicians, trained in Europe, offer the European art of nail care. The friendly and impeccably clean atmosphere make the experience so enjoyable.

Complete nail services, featuring hand-

filed acrylic, gel and sculptured nails, are available. European pedicures, at a custom design station, offer total relaxation.

Besides up-to-date colors and products being used, complete waxing services are also available.

So, look beautiful and feel wonderful by experiencing all **Nails Design** has to offer.

Call **847-304-9205** for an appointment and additional information.

## Art in the Barn 2000 a Success



Volunteer cooks at the brat grill during Art in the Barn include Russ Feurer (left) and Fritz Gensing. Photo by Advocate Media Center.

While the sun didn't shine quite as brightly as usual, cooler temperatures played into the sales of several fiber artists, and those who braved the elements to enjoy Art in the Barn 2000 did so with gusto and a usual appreciation for fine art and Good Shepherd Hospital.

At earliest accounting, the committee celebrates the raising of approximately \$100,000 at this 26th annual fine arts show

and sale sponsored by the Auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital and held September 23 and 24 on the hospital grounds. Applause and gratitude go out to the many volunteers, generous sponsors, donors and thousands of attendees who made this event possible.

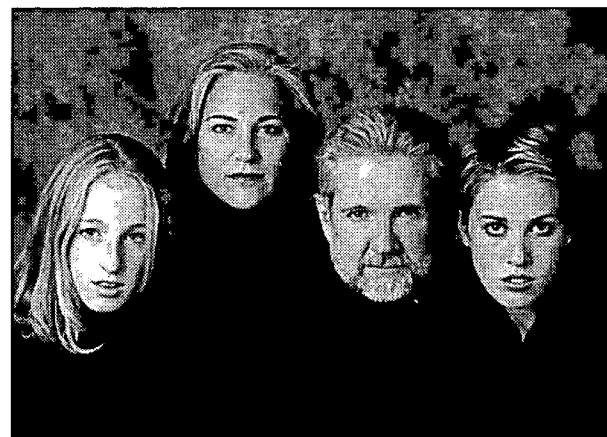
### Art Awards

Yale Factor, professor of art at Northern Illinois University, judged.

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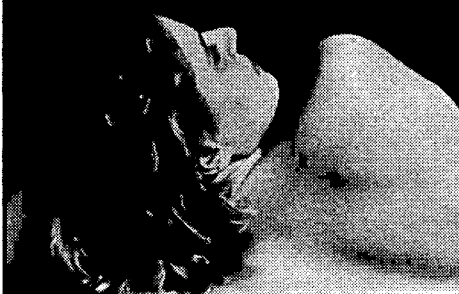
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Watercolorist Donna Jill Witty of Woodstock received the Best of Show award. This was her seventh year in Art in the Barn and she also received the Best of Medium award for watercolor.

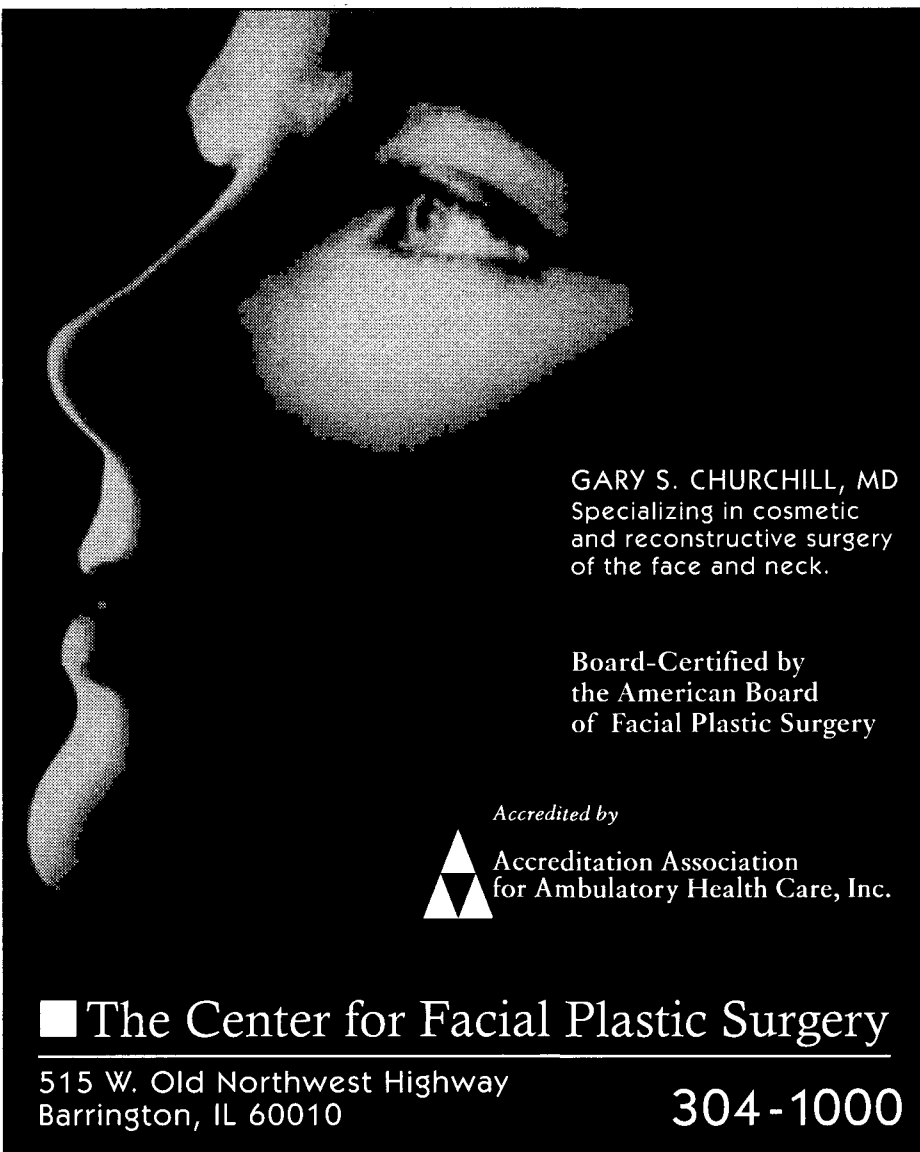
Others receiving Best of Medium awards include: James Krauss, Naperville, acrylic; Steve Johnson, Hanover Park, ceramics; Gail Collier, Barrington, drawing; Margie Erlandson, Grand Rapids, MI, fiber; Joseph Becker, Cedar, MN, glass; Karyn Kozak, Chicago, jewelry; Jo Nelson, Hastings, NE, mixed media; Marge Hall, Winfield, oil; Shirley Antes, Lake Forest, photography; Scott Westgard, Buffalo Grove, printmaking; Robert Winship, St. Paul, MN, sculpture; Donna Jill Witty, Woodstock, watercolor; and Carole Floate,

Lake Bluff, wood.

Top seller for Art in the Barn 2000, as in last year's event, is John Galbo of Saginaw, MI, photography.


Others in the top 10 include: Kevin Miles and Wendy Schaefer-Miles, Whitehall, WI, oil; Russ Erickson, Naperville, mixed media; Michael Bond, River Falls, WI, printmaking; Kim Novak, Florence, KY, fiber; Robert Koch, Naperville, watercolor; Nancy Krahn, Algonquin, jewelry; Margie Erlandson, Grand Rapids, MI, fiber; Sean Burgess, Palatine, sculpture; and Alison Fox, glass.

For information about the hospital auxiliary or to serve on next year's Art in the Barn committee, please call the Volunteer Office at 847-381-0123, ext. 5093.



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## How to Choose a Facial Plastic Surgeon

by Gary S. Churchill, MD



Gary Churchill, MD

Cosmetic surgery is increasingly becoming a part of mainstream American society. More and more of us are considering cosmetic surgery to improve our looks as well as our self-esteem. In fact, a recent survey conducted by the American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (AAFPRS) found that 85% of adult Americans would undergo a facial plastic surgery procedure if given the chance.

If cosmetic surgery is an option you are considering, there are a number of things you should know. With the vast numbers of surgeons in practice today, it is more important than ever for you to make informed decisions when considering an elective procedure such as cosmetic surgery. You want to make sure that your surgeon has not only extensive training in a credible residency and fellowship program, but has extensive experience performing the surgery you are considering. One of the most confusing issues today for individuals seeking a cosmetic surgeon is that of board certification. It is important for you to recognize and seek out a surgeon who is "board certified" in the correct area of expertise. If you are considering a cosmetic procedure of the face, head or neck, that area of expertise is facial plastic surgery.

Board certified facial plastic surgeons limit their practice to cosmetic and reconstructive surgery of the face, head and neck. They are certified by the American Board of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (ABFPRS), and they are sub-spe-

cialists with extensive training and expertise in the anatomy and physiology of the complicated area. In fact, the ABFPRS requires prior board certification by one of the two American Board of Medical Specialties, boards that examine for expertise in facial plastic surgery (the American Board of Otolaryngology or the American Board of Plastic Surgery) or by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons in Canada.

The following are criteria to assist you in making informed decisions when choosing the best surgeon for your specific needs:

Your prospective surgeon should spend as much time as you need discussing your desires and options. You should be able to see realistic "before and after" examples of their work. You should never feel pressured to sign up for surgery or undergo procedures you do not want. The surgeon and office staff should be open to any and all questions. If surgery is performed

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## New Artists' Works Available from Dunton Gallery

Things are always changing at **Dunton Gallery**, and, we keep hearing, it's for the better. We are proud to announce that several new artists will now be represented in the gallery having come here as a result of the recent Oil Painters of America show. From our inception, the mission of the gallery has been to offer distinctive, high-quality original work to both new and established collectors of fine art and the tradition continues and grows.

The new artists who are joining our family are: Richard Dziak, David Hettinger, Robert Heuel II, M. Kathryn Massey, Kara Lee Merrell, Cindy Nixon, Bonnie Paruch and Patricia Rohrbacher. Each of these distinguished artists share their unique expressions of talent and passion in their work in ways that cannot help but delight those who appreciate classic representational art. While their subject matter is relatively balanced between landscapes, still-life and

people studies, their techniques range from very tight (almost photo-realistic) to loosely impressionistic.

If you are unable to visit the gallery in person to see these wonderful new works (and those of artists already established in the gallery), feel free to visit us on our web site, [www.duntongallery.com](http://www.duntongallery.com) for a virtual visit and purchase if you're so disposed. In anticipation of the upcoming holidays, the gallery will be open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 11 AM to 6 PM, Friday 11 AM to 8 PM and Saturday 10 AM to 5 PM while appointments at other times will still be gladly accommodated.

The gallery is on the Dunton Avenue end of the Evergreen Shopping Center—two blocks south of Northwest Highway and two blocks west of Arlington Heights Road. Our phone number is **847-818-0694** and we look forward to seeing or hearing from you soon.



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## What's Happening at Starr Couture

October was a very exciting month for us as we introduced many new international designers including Lecoanet Hemant. He flew in from Paris for a personal appearance as he presented his exquisite collection at the 21st Century Express Gala 2000 for the Cancer Treatment Research Foundation.

As we approach the holiday season, we encourage you to shop early for best selection for all of your special events. Or we can discuss your needs for one-of-a-kind original designs.

I would like to welcome my daughter, Tina, as a new member to our staff. Looking forward to seeing you soon.



Starr Kondos, Owner

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## Wellness Place Upcoming Programs

The following lectures, stress management programs and support groups are among those being offered in November and December by the staff and guest speakers at Wellness Place to empower people living with cancer. All programs are offered without charge and are held at Wellness Place, 1619 W. Colonial Parkway, Palatine.

### Expert Advice Lectures

Designed to offer opportunities to hear current, cancer-related information:

• Tuesday, December 5, 7:00 to 8:30 PM, **Healthier Eating: Take it One Step at a Time** by Carol Drengenberg, RN, MA, LCPC

• Tuesday, December 12, 7:00 to 8:30 PM, **Understanding Your CBC** (Complete Blood Count) by Mary Szyska, RN, MSN, AOCN

### Stress Management

Programs developed to educate participants in stress-management skills:

• Tuesday, November 14, 7:00 to 8:30 PM, and Thursday, December 12, 12:30 to 2:00 PM, **Address the Stress: Coping with Stress During the Holidays** by Lara Krawchuk, LCSW, and Susan Ash Lee, LSW

• Wednesdays (four-week series), November 8, 29, and December 6 and 13, 10:30 to 11:45 AM, **Tai Chi Chih** with Sally McLaughlin (advance sign up sheet required)

• Mondays (two-week series), November 6 and 13, 12:30 to 2:00 PM, **Writing for Healing** (no writing experience necessary), Lara Krawchuk and Susan Ash Lee

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• **Family and Friends**, Wednesdays, November 8, 22, and December 6, 12:30 to 2:00 PM, Thursdays, November 2, 16, and December 7, 21, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

• **Networking Groups: Breast Cancer**, Tuesday, November 7 and December 5, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

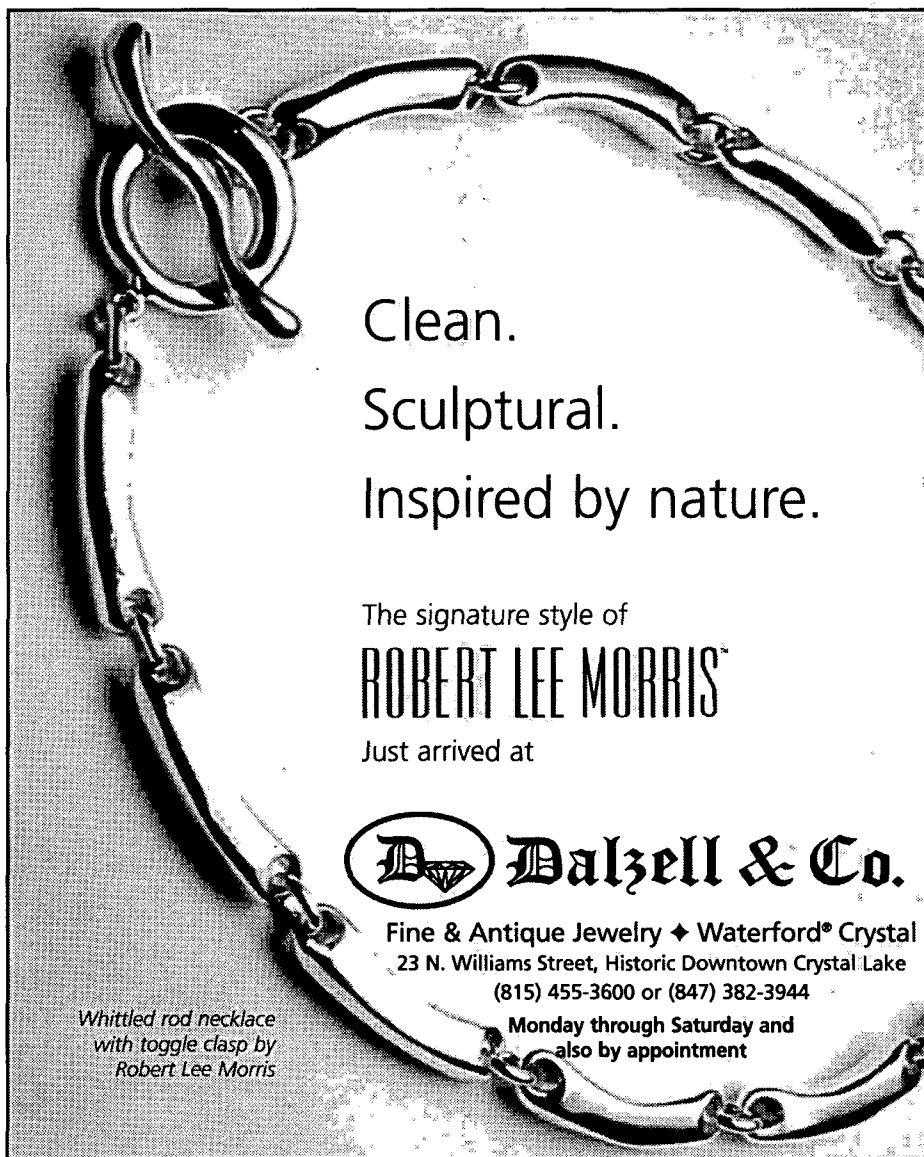
• **Networking Groups: Prostate Cancer**, Tuesday, November 28 and December 19, 7:00 and 8:30 PM

### Time for Fun

A part to celebrate the season is planned for 5:30 to 7:00 PM on Thursday, December 7, as a time to build community and mingle with Wellness Place staff, volunteers and participants. Simple meal provided. Bring a dessert to share and celebrate! Please RSVP by November 27.

Wellness Place also provides drop-in hours and welcome sessions for those interested in learning more about services and programs. Please call 221-2400 for specific information.






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The designs of Robert Lee Morris have earned many prestigious accolades, including Best Design in Pearls—Couture Collection and Conference 2000, DeBeers

"Right Hand Ring" Award 1999 and Grand Prize for Design—Platinum Guild International 1999. In 1995-96, the Fashion Institute of Technology honored Mr. Morris with a 25-year retrospective; most recently, his creations were on exhibit at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York.

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## Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club

The Arlington Heights Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club meets monthly, usually the second Wednesday of the month, at various members' homes in the Northwest Suburbs. All Pi Phis are welcome at the next

meeting on Wednesday, November 8, at 7:30 PM, which will feature a program on interior design. For more information, call Angie at 847-478-5140.

## Season's Schedule for Chicago Master Singers Choral

Not only will Chicago Master Singers (formerly The New Oratorio Singers) be performing with its new name this year, but its Choral (previously the Ensemble) has also changed its name for the 2000-2001 season.

The Choral is the fundraising arm of CMS and all fees earned go toward the general operating budget. Its repertoire ranges from standard choral literature to seasonal music and folk song settings. Recent Choral performances included the Barrington Chapter of the Lyric Opera, the Morton Arboretum Concert Series, the inaugural concert of the Ars Viva! orchestra in the Midwest premiere of John Polifrone's *Requiem*, the Lake Forest College Artists Series and the First Presbyterian Church of Lake Forest. The Choral also performs annually at senior citizens' facilities

in Chicago as part of an outreach program and has performed at Motorola and Kemper Insurance.

Music Director Alan Heatherington will conduct the Choral, 35 select vocalists chosen from the Chicago Master Singers chorus, to perform traditional and new Christmas carols arranged by John Rutter and David Willcocks, December 10 at St. Francis Church in Lake Zurich.

As part of the Ars Viva! concert series, Maestro Heatherington will conduct the Choral, orchestra and professional vocal soloists in Bruckner's *Mass in E Minor*, March 11, at the North Shore Center for the Arts in Skokie.

The Choral has recorded a CD of British, Irish and Scottish folk songs. Please call 847-604-1067 for tickets and information about the CD.

## The Warmth and Elegance of Fur

Fur played a major role in the Fall 2000 Designer Runway Collections from names such as Oscar de la Renta, Michael Kors, Ralph Lauren and Richard Tyler.

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A'L'Amour has exciting plans for November. Along with the usual fabulous selections of holiday dresses and accessories for parties and galas, A'L'Amour will also feature two exciting trunk shows.

The Givenchy Bridal Collection will premier on November 2, 3 and 4.

Jasmine Bridal and the B<sub>2</sub> and Belsoie Bridesmaids Trunk Show will be showcased November 24 and 25.

These designers have just completed showing their lines in New York and A'L'Amour is excited to premier them locally. These dresses are from the 2001 collections—so be the first to see the newest fashion for bridal.

December will feature Alfred Sung Bridals and Exclusive Bridals. Call for more information at 847-381-5858.



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And before we forget, it's #5... anniversary, that is. And we're going to celebrate with our **one-day-only-15%-off-everything (including Christmas stuff) sale** on Saturday, November 11. Don't miss it.

## New Elgin Enrichment Series

"Vera-cruz and the Coastal Cuisine of Mexico" with Chef Rick Bayless... "Unusual, Exotic and Dream Vacations" with Arthur Frommer... "How to Prevent 'Hardening of the Attitude'" with Loretta LaRoche...

These are the timely topics and dynamic presenters for the **Elgin Enrichment Series (EES)**, which now offers both evening and morning series ticket options, at the Elgin Community College/Visual Performing Arts Center.


Rick Bayless, Chicago's star chef, restaurateur, cookbook author and TV host, presents "Veracruz and the Coastal Cuisine of Mexico" on Wednesday, November 8, at 10:00 AM. Chef Bayless will demonstrate a typical Veracruz dish and talk about the food specialties from Mexico's Gulf coast, one of the exciting "undiscovered cuisines" of our southern neighbor. He has traveled the Mexican seashore—almost all 3,000 miles of it—and will share what those fertile waters offer. Like the rest of the developing world, Mexico has taken full advantage of its nutritive resources, especially those of the water.

Arthur Frommer, America's Travel Czar, presents "Unusual, Exotic & Dream Vacations" on Wednesday, April 11, 2001, at 10:00 AM. Frommer is famous for his novel vacation ideas, which bring high romance and adventure to the most standard destinations. In a colorful and fast-paced presentation, he'll roam the world, from the Florida Keys to the island of

Bali, describing resorts that are both full of value and fun as well as attractions that are full of learning and growth for the viewer.


Loretta LaRoche presents "How to Prevent Hardening of the Attitude" on Tuesday, May 1, 2001 at 7:30 PM and Wednesday, May 2, 2001, at 10:00 AM. LaRoche is a bundle of dynamite who's got audiences of usually sane people rolling in the aisles with uncontrollable laughter. Chances are, she's unlike anything you've ever seen! We are fast becoming a nation of crazed and humorless individuals. The message we constantly receive is to do as much as we can in one day, do it perfectly and then feel guilty for not doing more. LaRoche says it is possible to create excellence, play along the way and enjoy life! She was featured on PBS providing her wacky sense of humor to promote a happier, healthier society.

The **Elgin Enrichment Series** offers four different series packages with a combination of: morning only; evening only; two evening/two morning presentations; or one evening/three morning presentations, at the Visual Performing Arts Center, Elgin Community College. Luncheon tickets may be purchased individually or for the Complete Series, at \$18 for each luncheon, by Series Ticket holders only. All luncheons are held at the Elgin Country Club in Elgin immediately following the presentation. Call 847-622-0300 for information.



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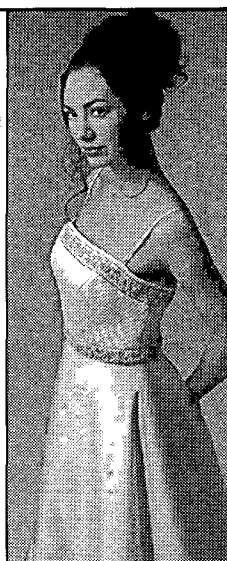
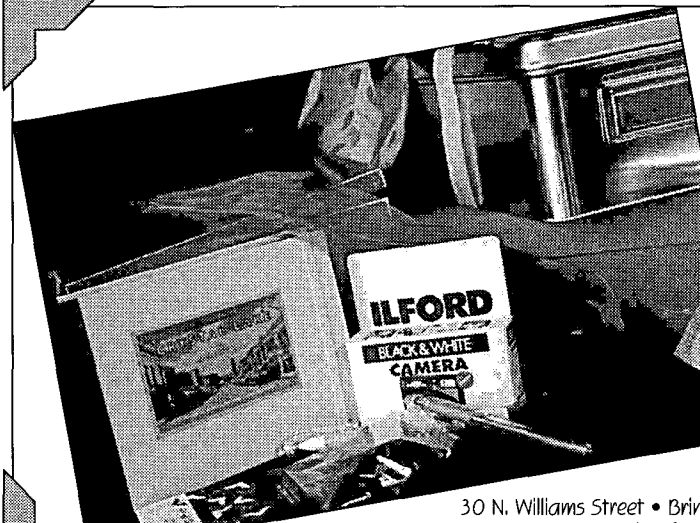
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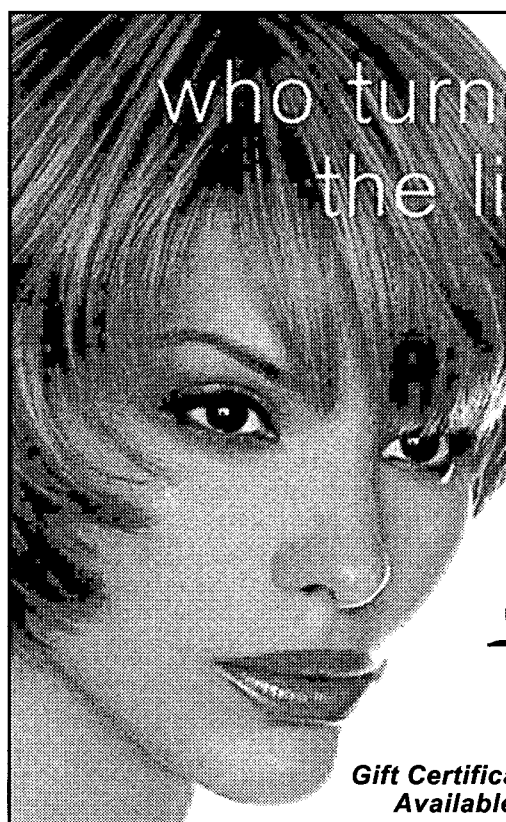


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The Barrington High School Fine Arts Department will present *Spoon River Anthology* by Edgar Lee Masters, conceived, adapted and arranged by Charles Aidman, on November 2, 3 and 4 at 7:30 PM in the BHS Wrestling Gym on the northwest end of the building. Tickets are \$5 for adults or \$4 for 18 and under, senior citizens 65 and over are free. (Please be advised that the Wrestling Gym is one flight up.) Tickets will be on sale near the Guidance Office now through November 3 between 11:00 AM and 1:00 PM. Call Nancy Vonau at 842-6500 for more information.

*Spoon River Anthology* offers something for everyone and will touch your heart! This unique script is made up of nearly

70 character monologues delivered from the citizens of the mythical Spoon River, IL. The setting is their small town cemetery where these characters feel compelled to step from their graves to tell their tales to us, the living. Death has given them a unique perspective as they look back on their lives, and their stories run the entire spectrum of human experience: happiness, sorrow, gratitude, bitterness, envy, wonder, confusion. The play is also unified with many folk songs, including the hilarious *Three Night's Drunk*, the uplifting *The Water is Wide* and the hauntingly beautiful *Spoon River*. This presentation is possible through arrangements with Samuel French Company.

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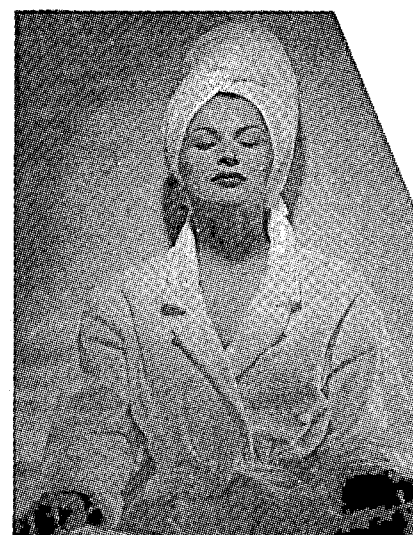
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Classical saxophonist Thomas Liley, a Yamaha Performing Artist/Clinician who has appeared across the nation, will perform in concert at Harper College on Thursday, November 2, at 12:15 PM in the Music Instruction Center, Room P205, 1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine.

Liley, who has recorded for Delta Music and Education Music Service, and for whom saxophone works have been specifically written by several composers, has performed with such conductors as Karel Husa, Sir Vivian Dunn and Robert Foster.

On the music faculty of Joliet Junior

College, Liley, who is accompanied by his wife Nancy on the piano, will perform works by Roger Boutry, Karel Husa, Bernard Heiden, Domenico Cimarosa, Jindrich Feld and George Gershwin.

Liley's résumé includes being a member of the U.S. Navy Band in Washington, D.C., and also faculty positions at the University of Florida, the University of Kansas and guest professor of saxophone at Indiana University. His Harper concert is free and the public is welcome. For more information, call the college's Music Department at 847-925-6568.



## Home of the Sparrow Holiday Cards

Friends of the Home of the Sparrow Holiday Cards 2000 are now available for purchase! All proceeds will benefit Home of the Sparrow shelters which are located in McHenry, Crystal Lake and Palatine.

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## Look Your Best! Feel Great!— The Goal of Plastic Surgery

An old song once said, "You must have been a beautiful baby. 'Coz, Baby, look at you now." Each of us is born with characteristics and traits that make us uniquely beautiful. However, the passage of time and environmental stresses such as sun, pollution and even gravity tend to distort or mask the beauty that defines us. And the worst part of the aging process involves much more than our appearance. It robs us of our self confidence and gnaws at the way we perceive and feel about ourselves.

At **Valley Plastic Surgery Center**, we understand that consideration of cosmetic surgery involves much more than mere appearance. It touches the very quality of your life. Our board certified plastic surgeons, Dr. Jay Rosenberg, Dr. Philip Lambruschi and Dr. Dean Manus, bring 46 years of combined experience to helping people look better and feel better through the art of cosmetic and reconstructive surgery. From your initial consultation through your post-surgical visits, the understanding and compassion with which they have been treating clients for 24 years will be evident.

Choosing the right surgeon to meet your needs is, of course, of utmost importance. An initial question might be as to whether the doctor performing your surgery is a plastic surgeon. Today, many doctors specializing in other areas of medicine are performing plastic surgical procedures when, in fact, they are not plastic surgeons. At **Valley Plastic Surgery Center**, all three surgeons are certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery which assures you that a rigorous assessment has been made regarding the expertise, training and qualifications of your surgeon in meeting your personal cosmetic goals. The outpatient surgical facility at **VPSC** is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, the same organization that accredits hospitals. Most procedures can be done on site in the state-of-the-art surgical suites, and you can return home the same day to recover in familiar, comfortable surroundings. The experience and knowledge of the physicians and the accredited, comfortable facility combine to assure you of the safest and most enjoyable cosmetic surgical experience available.

For many, the thought of finding the

right surgeon, asking the right questions and overcoming fears and anxieties associated with surgery can be overwhelming. So reluctantly, we put it off until "next year." Can we reasonably afford the time and expense to do this for ourselves is a question we may ask. But what could be more important than looking our best if it means feeling our best also? Whether you are considering cosmetic surgery for professional or personal reasons, the entire staff at **Valley Plastic Surgery Center** understands the natural "inertia" that many people face and are focused on answering your questions and guiding you at every step of the cosmetic surgical experience.

In addition to the more major procedures which come to mind when we think of cosmetic surgery, today there are available a number of minor procedures which can bring about dramatic results in aiding us to look and feel younger. For example, in the area of facial rejuvenation, there are a number of materials, such as Collagen, Dermalogen, Cymetra and Botox, which can be injected to reduce or eliminate the wrinkles and lines on the forehead and around the eyes, lips and mouth. Alloderm graft augmentation can restore the lips that have become thinner with age. At **Valley Plastic Surgery Center**, you can also schedule an appointment to see our skin care esthetician who will show you a multitude of techniques and give you suggestions for keeping your skin looking and feeling its best. Of course, our surgeons are experienced and skilled to provide full facelifts, anterior facelifts, endoscopic forehead lifts, eyelid surgery, submental liposuction, laser facial rejuvenation and cheek or chin implants if that is needed or desired.

At **Valley Plastic Surgery Center**, we understand that cosmetic surgery is not simply about appearance. It's about how you feel—your quality of life. We invite you to consider yourself... for a change. With personalized care and attention, we are dedicated to aiding you in achieving your aesthetic goals. We invite you to visit us at [www.valleyplasticsurgery.com](http://www.valleyplasticsurgery.com) to learn more about us. Or give us a call today at **847-836-3200** to arrange your consultation. Put yourself on the road to looking your best and feeling great!

## LDA College/Career Night

LDA College/Career Night will be held for students with learning disabilities on two consecutive nights. On November 15, College/Career Night will be held at Elgin Community College, 1700 Spartan Dr., Elgin, IL, between 7 and 9 PM in the SRC. On November 16, College/Career Night will be at College of DuPage, 22nd St. and Lambert Rd., Glen Ellyn, IL, also between 7 and 9 PM in room 2800 of the SRC.

Sponsoring this event are the United Learning Disabilities Association, Unit District 220, Community High School District 155, Elgin District U-46, Community Unit District 300, Summit School, Community High School District 94, Unit District 202, Unit District 200, High School District

88, Lake Park High School District 108, Unit School District 205, District 87, High School District 100 and School District 203.

Representatives from colleges, universities and vocational schools have been invited to meet with interested students, parents and professionals. Materials will be available from colleges, universities and vocational schools that are unable to attend. College staff members will discuss financial aid and career opportunities during the two breakout sessions.

This event is open to everyone interested in pursuing post secondary opportunities.

Any questions, please call Amy Lyons at 630-769-0236.

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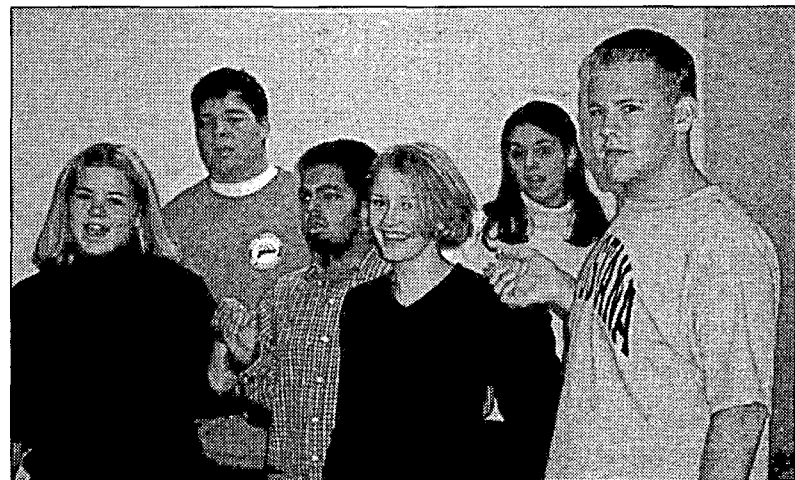
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## Newcomers to Hear Award-Winning Madrigal Singers



**Members of Barrington High School's Madrigal Singers rehearse for the busy holiday season, including a performance at the November 28 evening gathering of Barrington Newcomers Club.**

Barrington Newcomers will ring in the holiday season on November 28 with an evening coffee at a member's home featuring music by Barrington High School's Madrigal Singers. Current members and anyone new to the area are welcome to attend. The Madrigal Singers, directed by Nancie Kozel Tobison, is an award-winning choral group of young men and women. They have performed at the Kennedy Center, Wrigley Field, the Chicago

Symphony Society, Navy Pier and numerous festivals in the U.S. and abroad. Also in November, Newcomers will team up with Barrington Junior Women's Club for an afternoon of "Feeling at Home," featuring interior designer Alexandra Stoddard. This "Ladies Afternoon Out" will take place on November 18 at the Hyatt Regency in Woodfield. For membership information or details on ongoing Newcomers activities, please call 847-842-0733.

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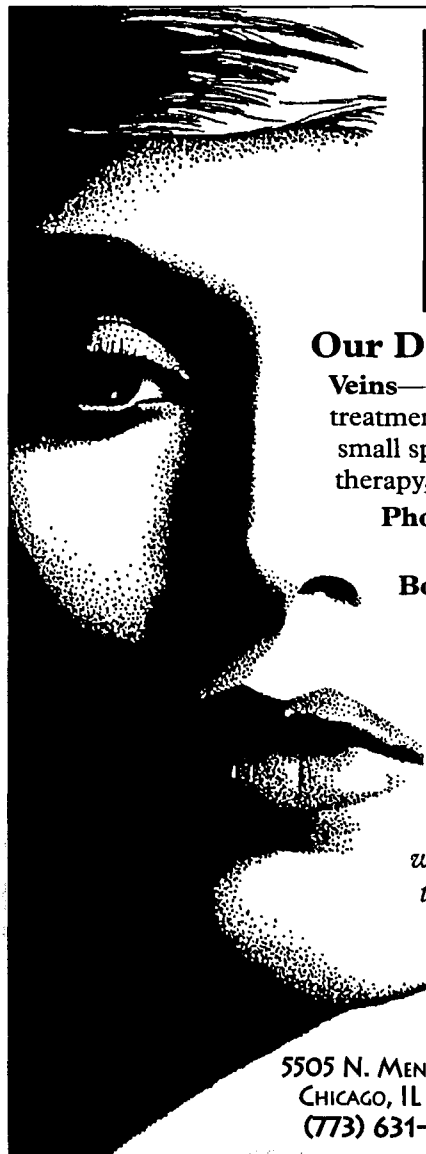
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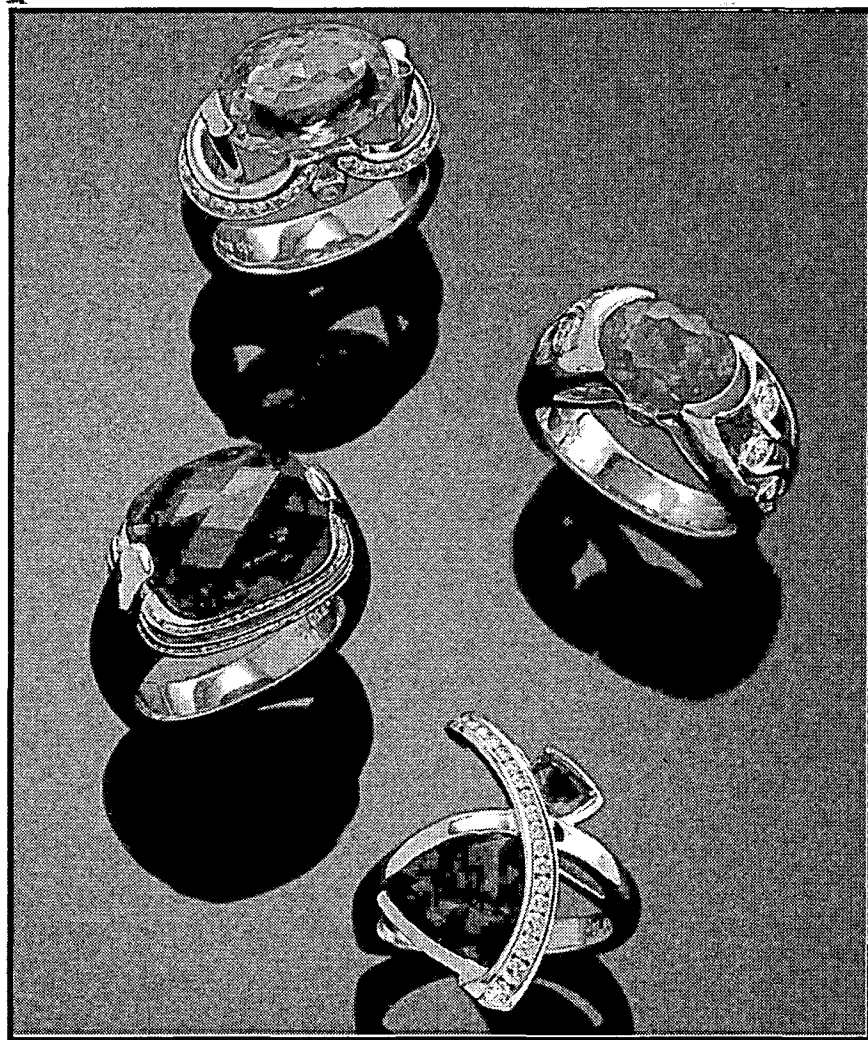
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## Coping with Grief and Loss

For anyone grieving the loss of a loved one or supporting someone who is experiencing grief, the holiday time of year can be difficult. In conjunction with McHenry County College, the Bereavement Department of Hospice of Northeastern Illinois is offering a one-night program called "Coping with Grief and Loss" to help individuals during their time of bereavement.

The program will be offered on Thursday, November 9, from 6 to 8 PM in Room A102 at the college. The class will be taught by professional grief counselors from Hospice of Northeastern Illinois and will explore normal grieving reactions, coping skills, honoring the memory of a loved one, family and society expectations of grief and how these impact individuals,

especially during the emotional time of the holiday.

"Each individual experiences grief in their own way and it is always helpful for individuals to understand that there is no right way to grieve. Developing new rituals and traditions are just one of the ways that can help people who are grieving," said Dee Lattanzio, Hospice Bereavement Manager.

There is a \$10 fee for the evening program. For more information and to register, please call McHenry County College at 815-455-8588. Visa, MasterCard or Discover are required for phone registrations. For additional information about hospice programs and services, please call Hospice of Northeastern Illinois at 847-381-5599.

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## Art Associates to View "Taoism and the Arts of China"

"Taoism and the Arts of China" is the first major exhibition ever held on artworks related to Taoism, a philosophy and religion that stands at the core of Chinese civilization. Of the three ancient philosophies of China—Confucianism, Taoism and Buddhism—Taoism is the least understood in the Western World. Unlike Buddhism, it is indigenous to China and has a history spanning more than two millennia. The influence of Taoism is clear in such diverse realms of Chinese culture as political theory, medicine, religion, culture and art history.

The Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will view this exhibit on Thursday, November 16. Members are invited for coffee in the Woman's Board Room at the Art Institute. Miranda Hofelt will highlight this exhibit of approximately 130 works of art including scroll paintings, sculpture, calligraphy, textiles, ritual objects and rare books borrowed from nearly 70 lenders in more than 10 countries. Thirty-three pieces come from institutions in the People's Republic of China, only two of which have been previously exhibited in the west.

The cost of this members-only event on November 16 is \$30. Buses depart from Langendorf Park in Barrington at 9 AM. To register, contact Pat Fein at 847-382-5953.

Men and women throughout the Northwest Suburbs who are interested in the visual fine arts are welcome to join the Barrington Community Associates. Dues



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of \$60 include family membership to the Art Institute of Chicago which includes tickets to special exhibitions, use of the Ryerson and Burnham Libraries and a 10% discount at the museum shops, Restaurant on the Park and non-credit classes. For membership information, call Pat Fein or Genny Ellefson at 847-381-5228.

## CoolTouch™ Laser Treats Wrinkles and Acne Scars

The latest medical breakthrough in facial skin enhancement is the CoolTouch™ laser. CoolTouch™ is available at **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons, Ltd.**, one of only three centers in the Chicago area that provide this remarkable treatment. The CoolTouch™ treatment takes scar reduction and anti-aging technology to a new level with its uniquely gentle and effective approach. It is specifically designed to be safe for every skin type.

The CoolTouch™ process eliminates the weeks of intense recovery following laser resurfacing and lets patients enjoy the benefits of a laser facial treatment that restores skin quality from the inside out. No injections. No lingering redness. No tenderness. Just smoother, younger looking skin.

The treatment utilizes a protective cryogen spray that cools the skin surface so that the pulses of laser light pass harmlessly through it into the underlying dermis. The laser disrupts the dermis to the point that new collagen is produced in a matter of weeks. While some patients may experience some mild redness or swelling, this lasts only a few days at most.

Treatments take only 15 to 30 minutes, and patients are able to continue their normal activities immediately. In clinical studies, after two treatments, patients saw a 25% resolution of fine lines and wrinkles in as few as six to eight weeks.

For wrinkles, the areas around the mouth and eyes respond best, but acne scars on other areas of the face respond extremely well to CoolTouch™ treatment also.

CoolTouch™ treatment sessions may be supplemented by the application of skin rejuvenating creams and serums including Renova, Alpha Hydroxy Acid creams and Vitamin C products. Additional anti-aging effects can be achieved by concurrent microdermabrasion treatments (also available at **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons**).

In summary, the CoolTouch™ laser treatment is the most current, state-of-the-art, non-exfoliating laser rejuvenation system now available. As the natural aging process continues, patients can repeat the treatment as often as they wish at a cost that is a fraction of the price of complete laser skin resurfacing.

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## Is the Holiday Season Beginning to Overwhelm You?

by Judy Kaplan, MS

If the holiday season is starting to cause you stress and anxiety—you are not alone! This time frame from now through New Year's is traditionally a time of great expectation, increased spending, more family togetherness, heightened emotions (including sadness) and often more to do than can reasonably fit in one's schedule. It is a time of great contradiction for many, many people.

We have grown up and been taught over the course of our lives to be thankful for all that we have and to appreciate the people that are close to us. Yet, this poignant time of year is frequently marred by the tensions that life presents or, perhaps, that we create for ourselves. None of us live "perfect" lives, for there is no perfection. So, with most of us, there are difficulties that we face, challenges to overcome, dilemmas to be solved and decisions to be made. Because people are inherently good and want to do the right thing, the conflict that occurs is that we feel bad during a time that is "supposed" to feel good, positive and inspiring. Our efforts to reconnect with family and friends, do charitable things, fulfill the expectations that we have and that our families have for us and to make the holidays positive and memorable become a time that many people want to just get "through" rather than really enjoy. "Too much on our plate" can refer to our over consumption of food or the over scheduling of activities. Especially difficult to

deal with are those emotions that are evoked due to the "losses" that we may have had over the years. Ironically, this time of joy and giving, caring and sharing produce incredible sadness or depression for those of us who have experienced losses like death of a loved one, divorce, career upset, financial reversals, moving or conflict causing loss of love or friendship. So, for some people, the best time of year becomes the worst time of year.

How can we deal with the broad range of emotions during this time of year? First, we can become realistic about how this time generally affects us. We can review past years and identify what feels good and what doesn't; make choices to avoid the things that produce negative outcomes, like over planning or over spending. Second, make sure that in your schedule you plan time for yourself to "unwind" and to appreciate some of the little events in your daily schedule. Third, begin a "gratitude" journal listing five things each day that you are thankful for during that day. Finally, if you are prone to sadness, depression or overwhelming feelings especially at this time—don't underestimate these tendencies. Arm yourself with books or tapes that can help you deal better with these times, talk to friends and family about these feelings or call me and I will help you develop some strategies to overcome the problem. I can be reached at **847-842-9365**.

*Good luck and good holiday to you all.*

## Manage Your Stress by Exercising

Stress can manifest itself in many different ways within our bodies. When we are stressed, our muscles tighten, our posture suffers and many of the problems we have become aggravated. Low back pain, heart disease, diabetes and high blood pressure are a few examples of conditions that can be caused by or aggravated by stress. So what does this have to do with exercise?

Exercise can help you handle stress. Exercise does the following:

- Improves your mood
- Improves sleep
- Enhances your self-esteem
- Aids your circulation
- Helps you maintain a healthy weight
- Improves your posture

Exercise also stimulates the release of brain chemicals that brighten mood, re-

lieve anxiety and prompt feelings of euphoria.

You don't have to spend huge chunks of time to gain benefits from exercise. All you need to do is accumulate 30 minutes of movement a day. Some suggestions are: take the stairs as often as possible, park your car further from the door or walk whenever you can. Try to incorporate activity into your life.

Stretching also helps to relieve tension and control stress. Watch your dog or cat; they always stretch before they move. Get in the habit of stretching especially when you are sitting or standing for a long period of time.

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Catchpenny resale shop sponsored by the auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital will hold its annual Holiday Open House on Tuesday, November 14, from 10 AM to 4 PM. Holiday outfits and winter coats are to be featured. Other available items include: men's, women's and children's clothing; books; games; jewelry; and

housewares.

A major ongoing project of the Auxiliary, the shop is staffed by volunteer members of the Good Shepherd Hospital Auxiliary and is located at 118 East Main Street, Barrington. New volunteers are always welcome. Call Linda in the hospital volunteer office at 381-0123, ext. 5093.

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## Bikers Raise Money for Kids with Disabilities



**Jim Schroeder of Lake Zurich, winner of a new Harley-Davidson motorcycle, pictured with his family.**

The Top Cats of Illinois, a motorcycle enthusiasts club in Barrington, held their 4th Annual Charity Ride to raise money for the Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association (NISRA) on Sunday, October 1. Hundreds of motorcycle riders from all over the Chicagoland area turned out at O'Train's Lakeside Eatery in Wauconda to register for the scenic ride throughout northern Illinois and Wisconsin. The ride ended in the afternoon back at the starting point, where the crowd was treated to a lunch donated by O'Train's and music donated by the Bart Alonzo Band. Dozens of prizes were awarded and auctioned off to the large and enthusiastic crowd in attendance.

The highlight of the after-ride festivities was the announcement of the Grand Prize winner. Jim Schroeder of Lake Zurich won a brand new 2001 Harley-Davidson motorcycle.

When asked about the large turnout, Ric Case, Co-coordinator of the Charity Ride for the Top Cats, said, "We had so many people from our club working hard for months to get the word out about this event. And the weather cooperated with a magnificent warm, sunny fall day. It was just a perfect day to have a ride and raise some money for a good cause."

Ray Caprio, the other Top Cat Co-coordinator for the ride, added, "This is what the sport of motorcycling is all about.

Hundreds of people donated at least \$25 to be here, and many even paid over retail value for some of the donated items we auctioned off today to help the kids of NISRA. Motorcyclists are some of the most charitable people you will ever meet, raising millions of dollars for worthy causes throughout the year. And the support of so many local businesses, from the various motorcycle dealers to Walgreens to O'Train's and dozens of others, is what made this day so successful."

While the final tally isn't complete, the Top Cats expect to be able to hand over a check to NISRA for over \$22,000. Brian Shahinian, the Executive Director of NISRA, said, "This is absolutely outstanding. This money will allow us to provide dozens of scholarships to our summer camp programs for kids with disabilities who wouldn't otherwise have the chance to attend. And attending one of our camp programs ensures that these special kids don't regress over the long summer from the physical and academic programs that they attend during the school year. We are so proud and grateful to be associated with such a generous and enthusiastic organization like the Top Cats. Every year, they make this event bigger and better. I can't even explain how much joy these people bring to the lives of so many of our kids. They're just the best."

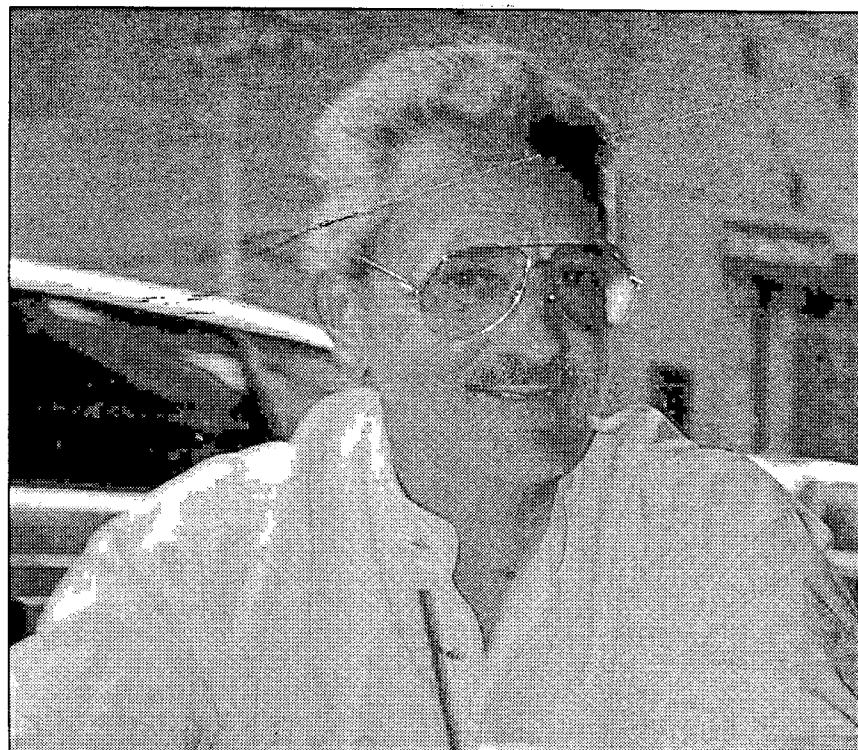
## Late Night Blues

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites you to attend a can't miss performance by one of the area's most talented vocal jazz ensembles, Elmhurst College's *Late Night Blues*. The group has been the recipient of numerous honors and awards for outstanding group, soloist and combo at the collegiate Showcase Festival, Kansas University Jazz Festival, the Western Michigan University Jazz Festival and the University of Colorado-Jazz Festival. The students'

nonstop energy, talent and professional standards have brought them elite status as one of the most exciting collegiate vocal jazz ensembles in the United States.

Enjoy, *Late Night Blues* on Saturday, November 18, 8:00 PM, at the intimate and acoustically superb Park Avenue Club at 207 Park Ave., Barrington. Tickets are \$15 for members, \$18 for nonmembers or \$13 for students or seniors. For reservations, call the BAAC at 847-382-5626.

## Nate Casement of Michal's Jewelry



It is really a lot of fun growing in this great community. Thirty years has passed since I first moved into the area. The growth and development of the businesses, the golf courses, schools and housing developments have been phenomenal. Still Barrington itself has maintained its yesterday character. While change is inevitable, the import of maintaining history looms very large! Driving through Inverness, where my family resides, still, in so many ways, keeps history alive through its winding roads and old traditional homes. While Barrington needs a new major traffic artery, most of us would not be thrilled with a four-lane highway slashing through the center of history. We know that our village leaders are doing their best to find the right solution. I, for one, would like to encourage them to work for the alternatives. How about you?

Through the years, as a local merchant, I have had so many good times visiting with our shoppers here at **Michal's**. From renowned celebrities to ordinary neighbors, there is never a dull moment. I feel so fortunate to have been in this great corner location and to have had the pleasure of serving the many members of the community with their selection of the finest jewelry. There has, after all, been a store like ours here in this spot for over 50 years. That is some history!

Yes, I admit that Gail Wickstrom's friendly columns have inspired me to share a little on the personal side too. We in this community do not feel like ordinary merchants because this community is so special and unique. This little spot has given this boy a chance to play a few rounds of golf with "His Airness" Michael

Jordan, visit with Tiger Woods and mostly have fun and coffee with all the great "local neighbors!" Our activity with local and national charity events is fun as well. This year, we are focusing our efforts on The Wellness Place. This worthy organization is assisting local recovering cancer patients with a new lease on life. I really am proud to be associated with this great group. My small part this year is collecting items for our Live and Silent Charity Auction in conjunction with our 2001 Golf Outing coming next July. Customers and friends have been dropping off items like a signed Willie Mays bat, an autographed "Last Shot Photo" of Michael Jordan, an autographed Tiger Woods British Open Flag, antiques and really neat collectibles. Dad was stricken with prostate cancer before the cures were around and hardly a family is out there that cannot tell a similar story. This cause is more than a worthy one for our community!

Can I believe that I am now in my sixties? No, the 30 years plus have flown by so quickly. Heck, I was just a kid when I came to town and now I have four daughters and eight grandchildren. Its time to have some fun too! So, this year I went to Cuba with the Barrington Choir and took all of my kids and grandkids to Italy in May. And, hopefully, the choir will be singing in the store again on Christmas Eve—a proud five year tradition too!

Oh, yeah, about jewelry. We have expanded our selection this year and there is more of it than we can ever sell over the next 30 years! So please come in and we'll give you a great price on our finest selections and have a cup of coffee together!

## Caregiver Education and Support Programs

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) invites you to join us at the following Caregiver Education and Support program being held the first Tuesday of the month at the Barrington Library, 505 North Northwest Highway, from 7 to 9 PM.

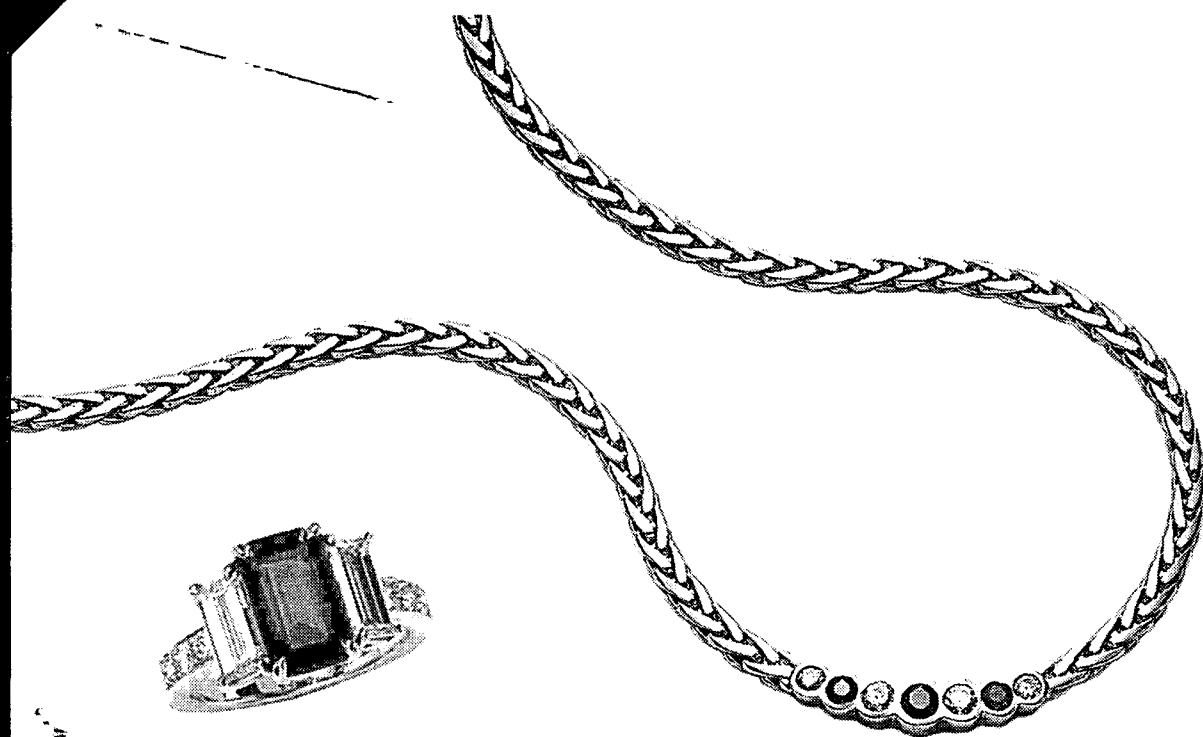
On Tuesday, November 7, "Communi-

cation Between Parents & Adult Children" will be presented by Debbie Hege of Family Service of Barrington who will detail how relationships change between parents and adult children over the years.

For more information or to register, call BACOA at 847-381-5030. Registration is not required.



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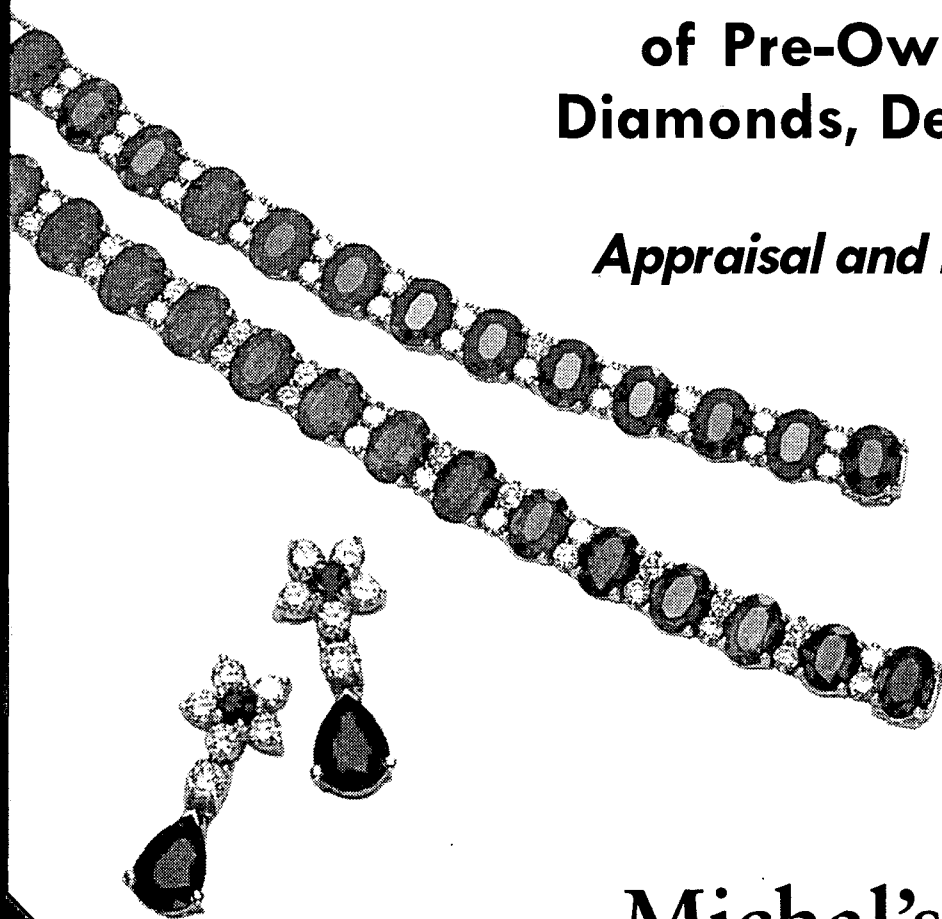


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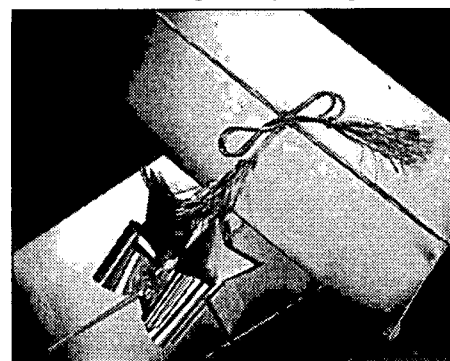
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## Oral Habits—How Do They Affect Our Teeth?

There are many oral habits that both children and adults may have that can either affect how their teeth develop or how they fit together. One of the most common oral habits in children is thumb or finger sucking; this habit can be very destructive. If a thumb or finger sucking habit is present past the age of five, it can constrict the width of the palate and move the front teeth out of position. The palate may even take the shape of the finger that is in the mouth, thus making it too narrow to be able to accommodate all the permanent teeth without crowding. If a child cannot break this habit on their own, an orthodontist can place an appliance that will block their ability to get their finger in the palate.

Another oral habit that may be present in children as well as adults is tongue thrusting. This is a habit in which the tongue thrusts forward and pushes against the front teeth instead of resting on the palate behind the front teeth when a person swallows. Tongue thrusting not only pushes the front teeth out, but it may also force the teeth apart creating an

open-bite and excess overjet. The correction of this habit can be addressed by an orthodontist through the use of a functional orthopedic appliance. Some patient's treatment may be completed in conjunction with a myofunctional therapist. These therapists can help patients re-train their tongue to position itself correctly when swallowing.

The earlier these oral habits are recognized and stopped, the better it is for normal development of the face, eruption of the teeth and stability of the dentition following orthodontic therapy. An orthodontic evaluation for a child by age seven is strongly recommended by the American Association of Orthodontists to help screen for these oral habits.

If you have questions regarding oral habits or orthodontics, please contact us at our Barrington, **847-382-5588**, or Palatine, **847-359-7980**, offices or visit our website at [www.haywardorthodontics.com](http://www.haywardorthodontics.com).



**Dr. Michael  
Hayward**

## All Ways Healthy Celebrates Customer Appreciation Days!

by Carole Childers, C.N., L.N.C., All Ways Healthy

As a way to show appreciation for our customers, **All Ways Healthy** will be celebrating **Customer Appreciation Days** on November 3 and 4. Fun and food are on the agenda as the two-day event features lots of great food to sample, in-store demonstrations and **10% off** all merchandise!

The two-day event will focus on "Meals in Minutes," providing tips, recipes and menu planning ideas for food that is healthy, delicious and convenient to prepare. Many foods will be available for sampling, so bring your appetite!

As a special treat, Chef Donna Hart will

be on hand to demonstrate easy ways to prepare quick and nutritious meals. Ms. Hart is the owner of "Personal Chef," a local in-home chef service. In addition, representatives from many of our supplement companies will be available to answer questions you may have.

Please join the celebration as we thank you, our customers, for our 11th year of business. We hope to see you! The event will run during regular store hours from 9:30 AM to 8:00 PM on Friday, November 3, and from 9:30 AM to 6:00 PM on Saturday, November 4.

lines and languages. This will be of immense value to our current international clients," says Bill Bloink, President of August Associates.

Chin's most recent marketing position was with Copernicus in Miami, where she advised clients on development of effective, efficient business and marketing plans.

She has a Master of Science in Integrated Marketing from Northwestern University and a Bachelor of Arts in Advertising from Michigan State University. Chin currently resides in Barrington, IL.



**Christina Chin**

"Christina has coordinated multinational teams across multiple cultures, time-

## Barrington Resident Offers International Savvy to Marketing Firm

Christina Chin of Barrington has joined August Associates as Account Director. Chin brings a unique perspective to the marketing and communications firm just outside Chicago in west suburban Wheaton.

Her work experience, which includes positions in London and Beijing, has focused on integrated marketing as well as strategic marketing and research and consulting initiatives throughout Latin America. Chin's domestic and international clients have come from a variety of industries including telecommunications, transportation, business-to-business and high-technology.

## Lake Barrington Woods— A New Retirement Lifestyle

**Lake Barrington Woods**, a rental retirement community in Lake Barrington, opened its doors on August 15. The upscale community is located at 22320 Classic Court, just north of Kelsey Road and south of Route 22 off of Northwest Highway.

Developed by Parkside Senior Services, LLC, on a beautifully wooded site, the community features 150 independent apartments and 42 assisted living apartments in a variety of floor plans including studio, one- and two-bedroom layouts. "Parkside incorporates its standard design elements in the plans for **Lake Barrington Woods**," comments Michael S. McCarthy, Chairman and CEO, Parkside Senior Services, L.L.C. "A well equipped fitness center, computer workshop and state-of-the-art emergency response system are among the elements we include in all Parkside communities. Creating and operating exceptional retirement communities for older adults is the mission of Parkside."

Each of the independent living residences at **Lake Barrington Woods** features a complete kitchen, individually controlled heating and air conditioning, bath(s) with safety features, generous closet space, an emergency response system and large windows. Included in the monthly service fee is: all utilities except telephone; basic cable television service; weekly housekeeping and linen services; scheduled transportation; complimentary continental breakfast; and a choice of lunch or dinner served each day in the dining room; fitness programming; social, educational, recreational and cultural

events; building and grounds maintenance; and complimentary use of washers and dryers.

Assisted living services and amenities are similar to independent living. The primary distinction in the apartments is that there are kitchenettes in assisted living. Additional services included in the monthly fee are: three meals daily, 24-hour staffing, weekly personal laundry service and personalized assistance with activities of daily living. This assistance may include help with bathing, dressing, grooming or medication monitoring.

Community amenities at **Lake Barrington Woods** include: a fitness center; indoor swimming pool; convenience market; woodworking shop; library; computer center; card room; arts studio; beauty/barber shop; and underground parking. The building also has a club lounge, a private dining room and a grille for casual dining.

In addition to **Lake Barrington Woods**, Parkside Senior Services recently opened The Seasons at Glenview Place, a rental retirement community in Northbrook, IL, formerly part of Lutheran General HealthSystem.

Parkside Senior Services is a leading senior housing company with more than 20 years of experience in the industry. With a broad base of experience in all aspects of the senior housing industry, including assisted living, independent living, continuing care and life care communities, the company currently manages and is developing more than 2,000 units in seven states.

For more information or to schedule a personal tour, call **847-842-8900**.

## "After Years of Make Up and Cover Up... I Received the First *True* Compliment on My Skin!" Comments from Client Cathy K. by J. Silver

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Catherine is emphatic about continuous education in the field of skin care. She's always well informed on the very latest products and techniques. With this extensive knowledge, she knows what *is* and what *is not* appropriate for each of her patients.

### That First Compliment

I arrived at work last Tuesday not feeling particularly good. Definitely, not feeling attractive. Plus, I hadn't slept very well the night before.

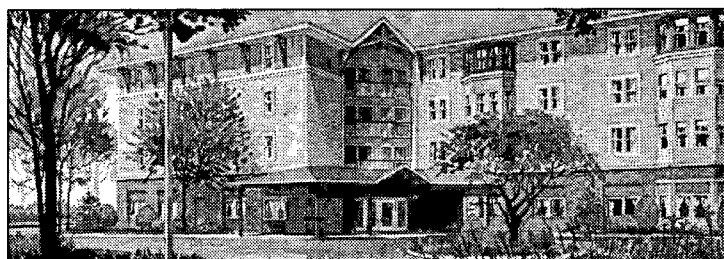
My manager, and a girl from my department were both present as I entered the room, "Well look at you, Cathy! You're so beautiful today. You have such nice skin."

I was stunned. And very pleased. That day, of all days! One thing is certain, **Estetica** has made all the difference... with my skin... and in my life. I'm thrilled with the results!

I still wear some make up, but now I can also go out without. I really do have beautiful skin!

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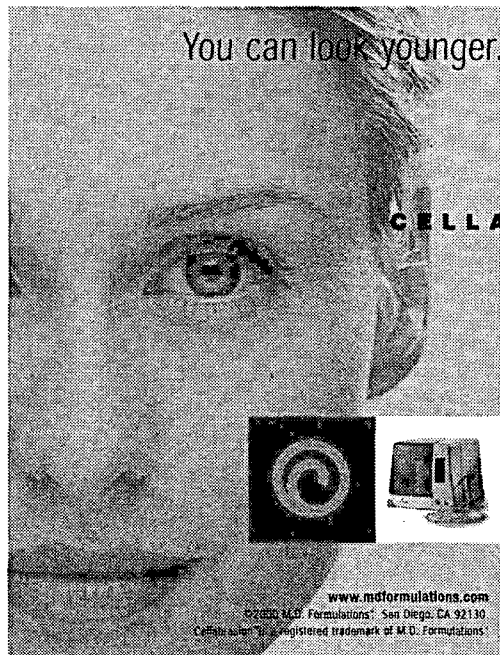
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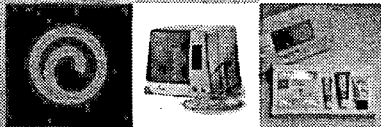
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If you have any questions, Michelle Arnold will be happy to assist you.

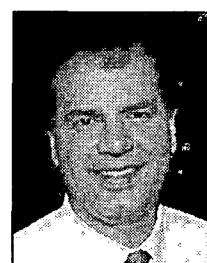
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## A New Dentist, A New Patient

by **Raymond P. Kotz, DDS**, and **James T. Gavrilos, DDS**

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## Humongous Used Book Sale

The Friends of the Barrington Area Library will hold its "Humongous Used Book Sale" on November 4 and 5. The sale will offer a wide assortment of books covering topics from nature and travel, diet and beauty, science and math, classics and art. There are books for children from pre-school through high school and a section on parenting skills and teacher resources. Autographed copies, first editions and old books will be available at special prices.

Friends of the Barrington Area Library uses the proceeds from the sale to purchase materials for the Barrington Area Library which are not covered in the library's operating budget. The "Humongous Used Book Sale" will be from 9 AM to 5 PM on Saturday, November 4, and from 1 to 5 PM on Sunday, November 5, at the Barrington Area Library, 505 N. Northwest Highway in Barrington. For more information about the sale or membership in the Friends, call 847-381-5358.

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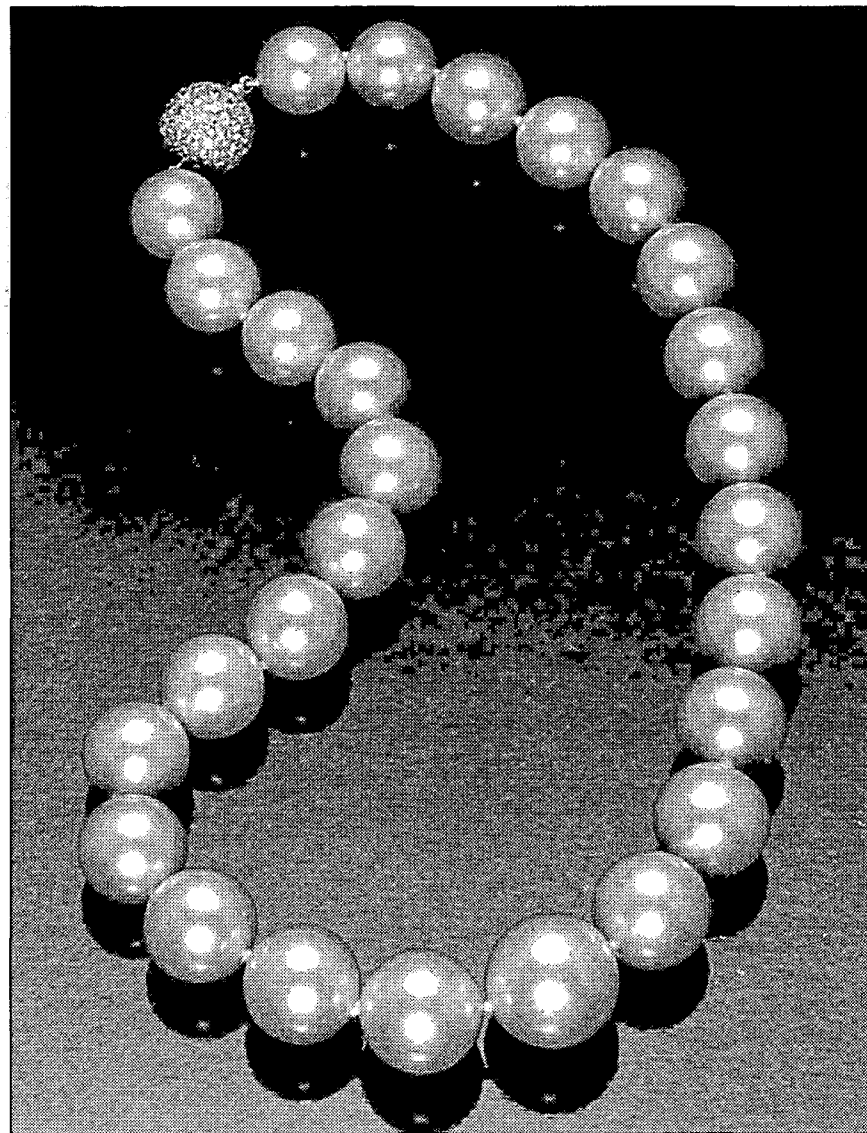
# Fascinating Designs for The Holiday Season

At **Celine Fine Jewelry**, you will not see our designs at other stores or on other people—they are special and one-of-a-kind like each individual who enters our store. Our designs reflect the uniqueness of the individual—after all, who wants to see their jewelry on someone else. Our passion is to provide you with state-of-the-art design, high quality and fair prices.

In September, we expanded the size of our store. We have moved up the street from where we were to the center of the Historic Long Grove shopping district. We are located at the northeast corner of Old McHenry Road and Robert Parker Coffin Road. Increasing the size of our showroom has enabled us to double our showcases. This allows us to bring you many more unique designs, a larger selection of bridal jewelry, and, of course, our continued consummate customer service, custom design work and on-site repair services.

As part of our commitment to insure that you are thoroughly delighted, we believe the more you know about jewelry, the more you will enjoy selecting and wearing your jewelry. That is why every quarter we produce a new newsletter (the second issue will be out November 3). Please stop in the store to receive your free copy and sign our guestbook to receive every issue. This newsletter has been created to further expand your knowledge of jewelry, helping you select what is best for you. It is designed to inform you of the latest trends in the jewelry industry, helpful maintenance hints, as well as the myths and mysteries about gemstones.

Our head designer recently returned in October from one of her many overseas trips where she individually selects stones. Now is the perfect time



to choose a stone and design a distinctive piece just for you. We purchase our stones directly from the source, which means you are purchasing exceptional quality stones at a price that is much lower than another store that purchases their stones from a "middleman." In addition to gorgeous stones, she also picked up beautiful strands of South Sea Pearls.

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## Senior Pen-Pals Needed

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) is partnering with Roslyn Road School in a new pen-pal program and needs senior volunteers. If you would

like to exchange 4 to 5 letters over the course of the year with a student in Kindergarten through the 5th grade, call BACOA at 381-5030.

## Church Sponsors Holiday Open House

The staff of And All the Angels Christian Book and Gift Shop, a ministry of St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Barrington, invites the public to a special holiday open house on Thursday, November 30, and Friday, December 1, from 9 AM to 9 PM, and Saturday, December 2, from 9 AM to 5 PM. This annual event features a large selection of traditional and religious holiday ornaments, decorations, music and gift items and will be held in

the lower level of the church, 647 Dundee Avenue.

Come enjoy this opportunity to shop amid the aroma of complimentary cookies, cider and coffee and extend holiday cheer through your purchases to those who may be less fortunate. All proceeds from And All the Angels shop go to organizations and charities serving the elderly, women and children in the Chicago and greater Barrington area.

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## Chers Amis...

As the weather gets colder, we all are faced with going beyond the outdoor parties for entertainment. Restaurants offer a good alternative for the most part, so it is important that you should retain the date of Thursday, November 16, the official release of the famous Beaujolais Nouveau. This is an annual event—the first wine of the year's harvest—and we offer a special menu prix-fixe reflecting the season and the wine that will be served that night. There will be live entertainment, games and prizes. This will be **D & J Bistro's** 14th celebration of Beaujolais Nouveau and it gets better each year. Here is the menu for that night:

- Boudin Noir Aux Pommes  
Strudel of Wild Seasonal Mushroom  
Moules Marinieres
  - Salade
  - Cassoulet de Carcassone  
Oregon Salmon au Beaujolais  
Beef Tenderloin au Poivre
  - Dessert
- Cost is \$36.50, including a glass of Nouveau.

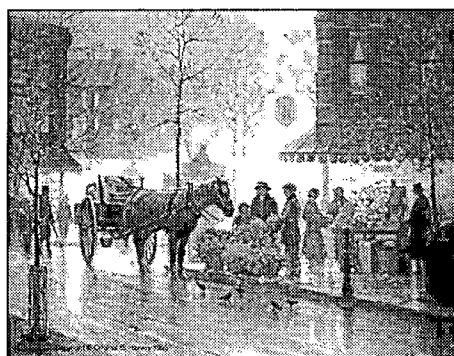
Be aware that this is a very popular evening. Therefore, I highly recommend that you reserve soon at **847-438-8001**.

—Merci for your patronage,  
Dominique

## Frame Your Art for the Holidays!

Now that winter is approaching and we are driven back inside our homes by Mother Nature, the pictures on your walls (or lack of them) become your daily friends. **Art and Frame Galerie** is the place to upgrade your decor either by re-framing or re-matting your favorite piece, or replacing it with an exquisite professionally framed picture.

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## Letter from The Infant Welfare Society of Chicago

Dear *Barrington Lifestyles*,

There is no greater satisfaction than watching a child's face glow with happiness when he or she receives an unexpected gift at Christmas. More than 5,000 underprivileged children who receive care at the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago do not expect to receive presents where they receive their immunizations. But giving these children gifts is the primary ob-


jective of the Agency's Auxiliary "Christmas Stockings" program.

For many children, these are the only gifts they will receive.

Thinking about Christmas in October is difficult, but the enormity of the program requires it. We invite you to join us as a sponsor and volunteer of our project. We will certainly be enormously grateful for your help—but perhaps more impor-



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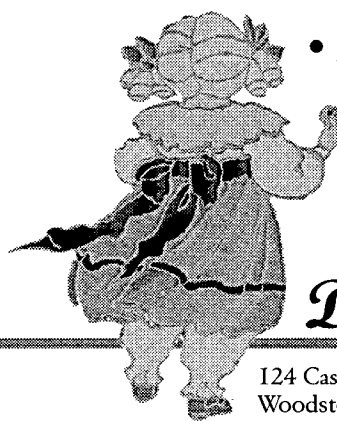
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tantly, the children will always remember the joy of receiving gifts on Christmas. We hope that we can count on you.

The Infant Welfare Society of Chicago is a private, nonprofit organization which provides medical, dental, educational and psychological services to more than 10,000 underprivileged children and women annually. Over 200 volunteers from our 28 Chicago-area Auxiliary chapters participated in last year's project. We anticipate that there will be a greater need than ever this year.

Please help us by donating some new items such as toys, winter clothing, books or a monetary contribution for children

from birth to age 14. Your generosity will be "Christmas" to so many boys and girls. We also encourage you to volunteer and help give children their gifts. Their smiles are our Christmas gift to you.

We will be collecting items from now until Saturday, November 11. We will be at the Barrington Jewel from 9 AM to 5 PM on November 11 to collect items. We hope to see you there.

Thank you for caring,

Jerilyn Ugaste, 556-5333, Holiday Stocking Co-Chairman, Elia Martinez, 487-8471, Lisa Schor, 382-3002, and Lynn Topping, 381-2505

# PINE CONE CHRISTMAS SHOP

## Upcoming Events!

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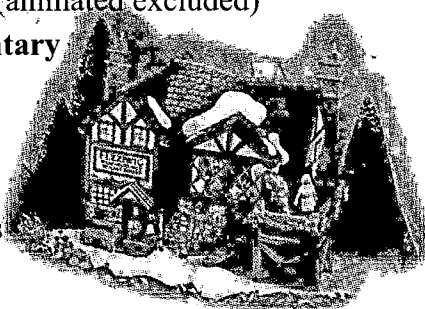
### DEPARTMENT 56 Retirement Party

- **First Chance** to purchase Gift Sets  
"Fezziwig's Ballroom" (animated)  
"Silver Bells Christmas Shop"  
"Sweet Rock Candy Co."

- **20% off** all in stock non-porcelain accessories (animated excluded)

- **Complimentary** coffee and apple cider donuts

- **Hourly Door Prizes**  
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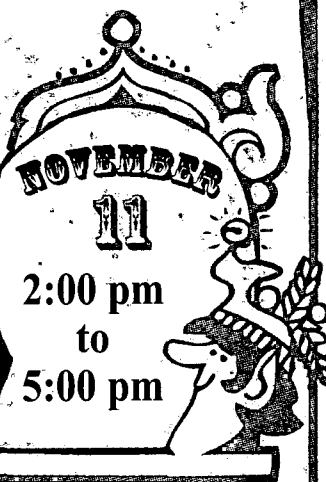
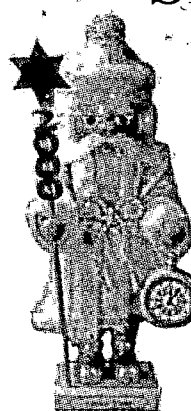


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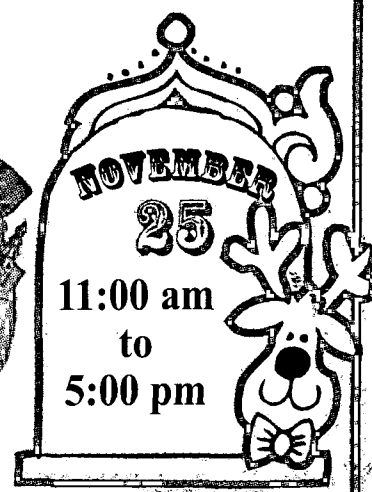
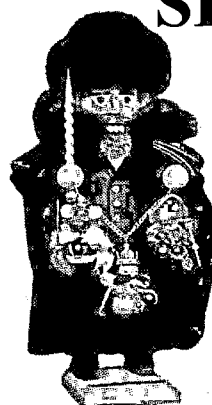


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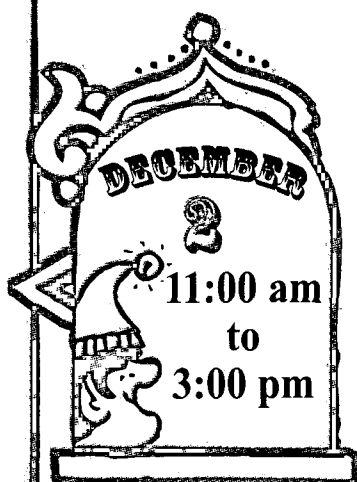
### SNOWBABY Retirement Party

- **First Chance** to purchase Event Pieces  
"Under the Midnight Moon with Barbie"  
"Ride the Wave" and "Frosty Frolic"
- **Hourly Door Prizes**  
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- **30% off** 1999 Retired Snowbabies



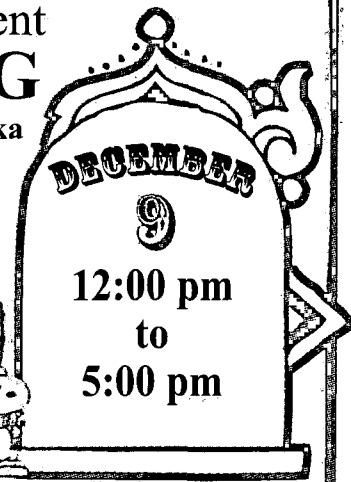
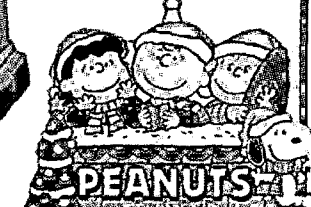
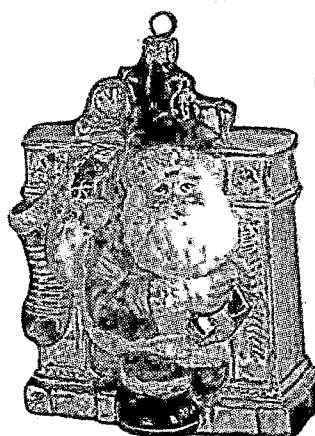
### POSSIBLE DREAMS Santa Signing

- Santa Trivia and Prizes
- Dick Upson Autographing



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# Happenings!

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## Women's Club of Inverness 15th Annual Holiday Boutique

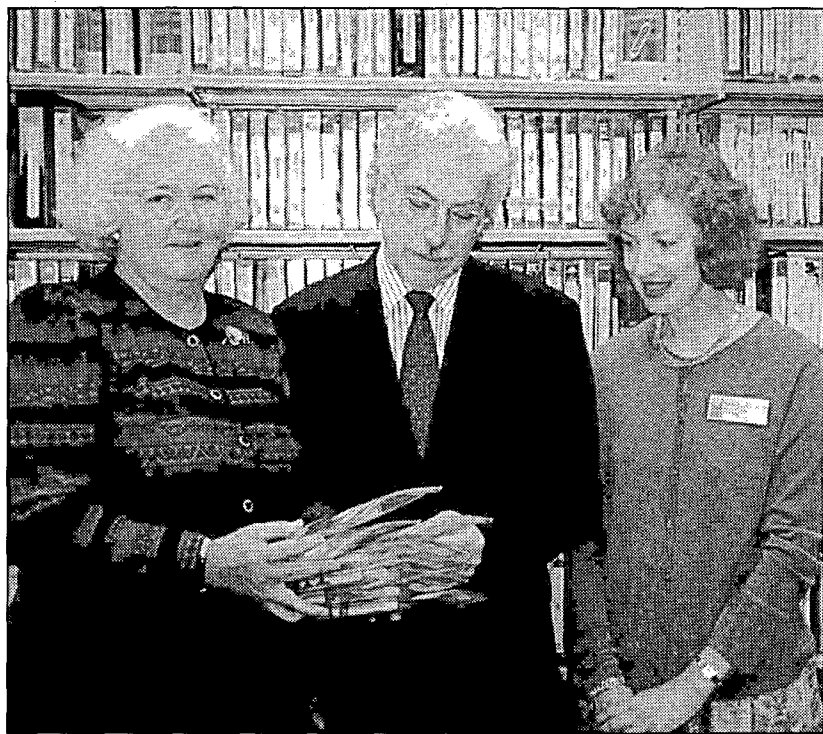


Last year's President Trina Toms and Denise Long give out prize baskets at the Women's Club of Inverness Holiday Boutique.

Every year about this time, several craft boutiques pop up for holiday shopping. One of the most popular is the Women's Club of Inverness Annual Boutique. In this, its 15th year, you will find a superb selection of gifts and things you'll find you just can't live without. The boutique is free of charge and will encompass over 50 crafters in one convenient shopping venue. Held again at the Concorde Banquet facility at 20922 N. Rand Road near Lake Zurich, this boutique is easy to find, easy to attend and an easy way to get many of your holiday purchases done in

one stop. Hostess gifts, teacher gifts, things for the family or for yourself—the variety is a delight. The boutique runs from 10 AM to 3 PM. There will be themed baskets as prizes, the very popular annual Women's Club ornaments and a wish tree for needy families. The Women's Club hosts a luncheon for members and their guests in an adjoining room from 12:30 to 1:30 PM. For information on the boutique, please feel free to contact Georgia at 304-9671 or co-chairs Lisa at 304-6544 or Liz at 991-2670. It's your first, best stop for holiday shopping.

## Gift of Music Donated to Local Library



Jeanette Muench (left) of Lake Barrington, Adult Education Chair for Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago, presents *Commentaries on Cassette Tapes* for the 1988-2001 seasons to Rose Faber, Head of Adult Services at the Barrington

Area Public Library. They are pictured with Lyric lecturer Dennis Ryan from Madison, Wisconsin.

For inquiries on the Barrington Chapter, please phone Howard Robins at 847-437-2158.

## Barrington Junior Women's Club Hosting Alexandra Stoddard at Fall Luncheon

Fall has arrived and the Barrington Junior Women's Club is hard at work preparing for a spectacular luncheon featuring speaker Alexandra Stoddard on Saturday, November 18, 2000, from 10 AM to 3 PM at the Hyatt Woodfield in Schaumburg. This day of fun offers something for everyone: award winning interior designer Alexandra Stoddard, book signing, craft show, live auction and prizes.

The live auction will provide great opportunities for guests to bid on some phenomenal items. These include a beautiful 18k white gold ring donated by Dalzell & Company Fine Jewelry in Crystal Lake, airline tickets to San Diego or the Caribbean donated by American Airlines, original oil painting by Sheri Meketa, guest chef for a day from Charlie Trotter's, three-night stay at Four Season's Resort in California and much more.

BJWC will also be offering fantastic prizes including sports tickets and signed memorabilia, afternoon tea at Four Seasons in Chicago and more.

In addition, guests will have an opportunity to start Christmas shopping with over 25 juried crafters and artisans to choose from. Available crafts will include holiday decorations, handmade jewelry, doll clothing and furniture, hand-painted furniture, glassware, floral creations, artwork and pottery.

At only \$45 per ticket, guests are guaranteed a full afternoon of enjoyment. All proceeds from the luncheon, as well as all BJWC fundraisers, go to local nonprofit



Alexandra Stoddard, author of *Feeling at Home*. Published by William Morrow in October, 1999. Photograph by Jennifer Lévy.

organizations such as Safety Town, Barrington High School scholarships, Barrington Area Arts Council, the WINGS Program, Good Shepherd Hospital and many other deserving charities.

On the evening prior to the event, BJWC will host a cocktail hour with Alexandra. This exclusive event will be limited to a small number of guests. For more information about the cocktail party, about the event or to join BJWC, call 847-622-3838. Reservations for the luncheon are requested by November 1.

## "Moo-Comers" Welcomes You to Barrington



Barrington Newcomers Christine Province, Susan Slapke, Martina Swarbrick, Cinda Pittman and Adrienne Carson greeted new Barrington residents, including the Barrington Area Arts Council's Swiss cow, at an open house recently at

the Barrington Area Library. Newcomers Club offers monthly activities, special interest groups and fun opportunities to make new friends from around the world. For membership information and a schedule of upcoming events, call 847-842-0733.

## Great Steak, No Debate!

Discover the downtown atmosphere in Lake Zurich's unique Italian steakhouse. Recently, **Taylor Street Steakhouse** has added even more items to their menu, now at an even better value!

Enjoy the World Famous Pepperloin, a 48-hour marinated beef tenderloin rolled in cracked peppercorns served with the house mustard sauce or the mouth watering Supa De Pesce. Those are just a few selections off the extensive menu. If you have room, try any one of the made from scratch desserts: Carrot or German Chocolate Cake, Key Lime Pie or Cheesecake, to name a few.

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vate dining rooms for all of your special occasions. Now is the perfect time to book your holiday parties! Contact their catering specialist and they'll customize a menu to suit your needs and impress all your guests!

Lunch is served Monday through Friday and dinner begins at 5 PM every night. **Taylor Street Steakhouse** is located in the North Lake Commons at 235 S. Rand Road in Lake Zurich. For reservations and inquiries, call **847-438-4499**. Visit our website @ **Porterssteakhouse.com** for a listing of our locations and a preview of "Special Incentives" you can use on your next visit.

## Enjoy Thanksgiving at Fritzl's

Reservations are now being taken for Thanksgiving Dinner at **Fritzl's** also. Enjoy a traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Only \$14.95 per person. **Fritzl's** will be open at noon.

For a special evening out enjoy Fritzl's traditional European menu—hearty schnitzels, potato pancakes and Hungarian goulash, veal Geshnetzeltes from Switzerland, Kassler ribs from Germany, incomparable sauerbraten, pork shanks, steak tartare, roast duck, prime rib and Viennese pastries.

**Fritzl's** also has elegant banquet facilities that can accommodate from 20 to 150 people. The facilities are also perfect for rehearsal dinners, wedding showers and anniversaries.

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**Porter's Steakhouse** is located in the Town Center at 100 McHenry Road in Buffalo Grove. For reservations and inquiries, call **847-808-9200**. Visit our website at **www.porterssteakhouse.com** for a listing of locations and a preview of "Special Incentives" you can use on your next visit!

## BWC Presents "All That Glitters"

The Barrington Woman's Club proudly presents their annual holiday fashion show, "All That Glitters," on Wednesday, November 15, 2000. The festivities, being held at the Concorde Banquet Hall on Rand Road in Kildeer, will begin at 11 AM when the silent auction and prizes will be unveiled. Following the luncheon, our members will model clothing from Chuck Hines, Coldwater Creek, Country Classics, Peter Daniel, Satin Filly, Savvy Spirit, Trinkets and concluding with furs from The Mink Barn.

The cost for this sparkling day of fun and fashion is \$45, with the proceeds go-

ing directly to The Barrington Woman's Club Scholarship Fund. We welcome all the women in the Barrington area to join us in our fundraising efforts. Your check, which will be your reservation, should be mailed to Ginny Schomberg, 986 Hampton Court, Barrington, IL, 60010 or call 381-1495. The deadline for reservations is November 10.

Membership in The Barrington Woman's Club is open to all women in the Barrington area. Please call Membership Chairman Luisa Bremer at 382-1251 for further information.



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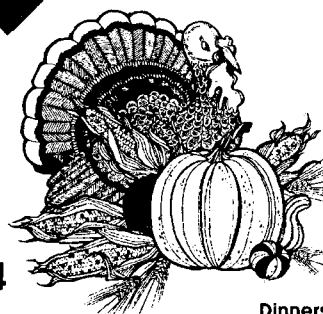
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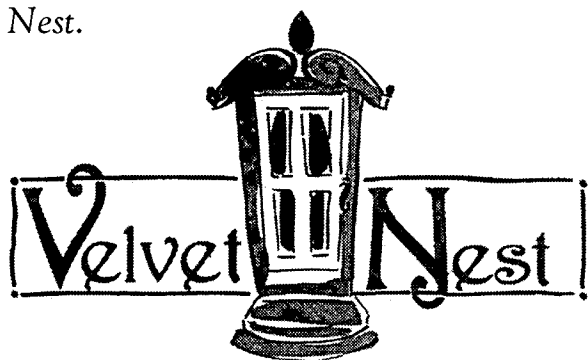
Please join us for a morning with Edna C. Groves, a beautifully "seasoned woman" who continues to create new mean-

ing in her life. She is a woman of spirit and soul, who values her age and life experiences. She promises to offer presence and support to all who are learning with her.

Please join St. Anne's A.M. Awakenings on Thursday, November 2, 2000, from 9 to 11 AM in the Hospitality Room in the new church building. St. Anne Church is located at 120 N. Ela Street in Barrington, IL. A \$10 fee (\$8 for 65 and older) includes continental breakfast. Child Care is available in the Parish Center located across from the church.

## Home Sweet Nest

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Velvet Nest is hosting a Holiday Open House on Sunday, November 18, 10 AM to 4 PM. Velvet Nest will begin Holiday Hours on Sunday, November 19 through December 24, noon to 4 PM.

Velvet Nest offers Gift Certificates, complimentary gift wrap and will ship anywhere in the U.S.

## LWV to Meet November 14

In 1996, the Illinois Legislature created, in Article 27A of the School Code, a provision for Charter Schools. By law, 45 charter schools could be created in Illinois: 15 in Chicago, 15 in the collar counties and 15 downstate. Only three have been established in the collar counties. The purpose for their creation was to establish "an avenue for parents, teachers and community members to take responsible risks and create new, innovative and more flexible ways of educating children within the public school system."

The League of Women Voters of the Barrington Area will preview a video taping of a panel discussion of eight prominent Illinois educators debating the

challenges and opportunities that charter schools bring to the public education system in Illinois. An informal discussion after the video will be led by the league and will include such topics as how charter schools are funded, how their performance is measured, how they are permitted and the advantages and disadvantages of having a charter school within the local public school system.

The public is invited to attend the meeting and participate in the discussion. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 14, at 7:30 PM at the Barrington Area Library, 505 Northwest Highway in Barrington. For more information, call 847-381-5358.

## Celebrate a Gala New Year's Eve at Concorde Banquets

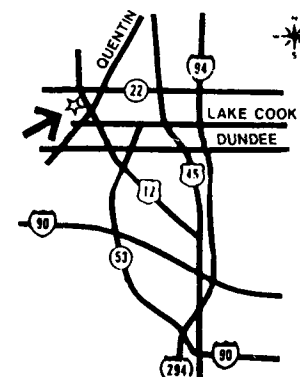


Celebrate New Year's Eve 2000 at the beautiful Concorde Banquets.

The festivities will run from 7 PM until 2 AM.

There will be continuous entertainment, a seven-course dinner and European pastry table. During the entertainment, there will be a five-hour open bar with top-shelf liquor. Champagne and party favors are planned for midnight revelry—along with a balloon drop!

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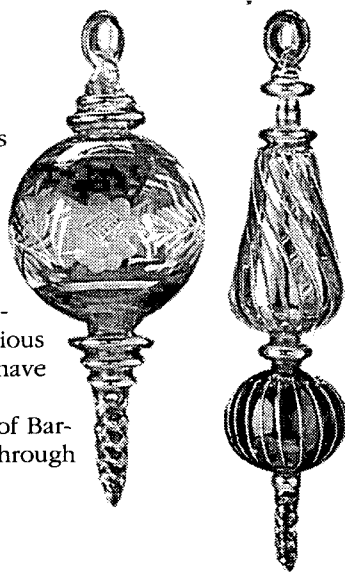


## We've Decked Our Halls for the Holiday Season!

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**Little Shop of Papers** is located in The Foundry of Barrington. Hours are: 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM, Monday through Saturday, Thursday until 7:00 PM.



## Eminent Domain is New Destination for World-Class Home Accessories

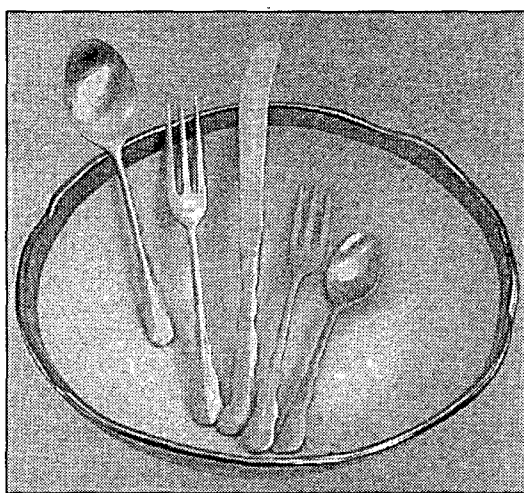
Looking for Annieglass, Richard Fischer silk table linens or Don Drumm horse sculptures?

**Eminent Domain**, a new store in downtown Barrington, is the ultimate destination for home furnishings and table accessories from world-class designers and artisans. Located at 124 Barrington Commons Court, the store offers a bridal and gift registry service for their unique collections.

"We've opened our doors to an incredible response from Barrington area residents," said owner Normand Neal, a fashion industry executive who opened **Eminent Domain** with his wife Melanie Benitone Neal, an artist.

"Our goal is to help our clientele make a uniquely personal statement in their homes by offering elegant accessories that enrich their lives," said Melanie Benitone Neal.

**Eminent Domain** offers a vast selection of signature home furnishings including table accessories such as Diana Carmichael flatware, Stephen Smyers glassware, Michael Aram metal tableware,



Terraforma pottery, Creative Copper tableware and more. In addition to their bridal and gift registry service, **Eminent Domain** offers in-home consultation, furniture painting and decorative home murals.

**Eminent Domain** is open Tuesday through Friday, 10 AM to 6 PM; Saturday, 10 AM to 4 PM; and other times by appointment. For more information, call **847-304-1445**.

## Help FISH of Barrington

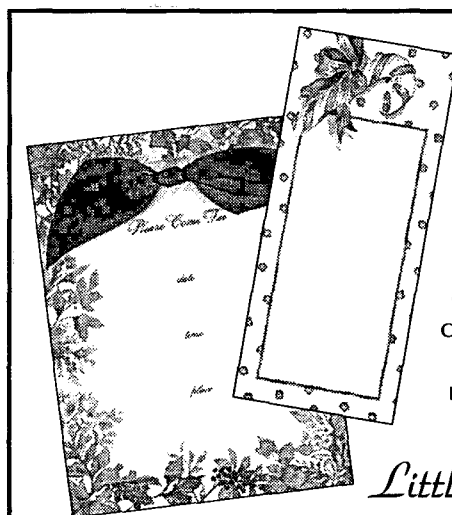
FISH is a volunteer organization providing a very personal, door-to-door service for people in our community in need of transportation to medical, dental, hospital and clinical visits as well as emergency shopping for food or pharmacy items.

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through 15, 2000. Keep the identification slip with your Preferred Card as a reminder when you shop on these days. If you do forget, just take your register receipt and your Shop & Share Slip to the Service Desk at Jewel during that week for credit. Any items purchased at Osco, including prescriptions filled at the pharmacy, will be included.

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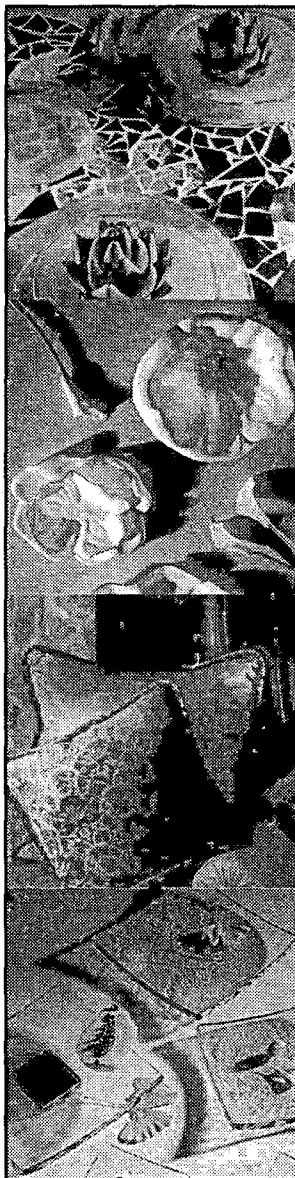


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## Senior Activity and Lunch Program

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, (BACOA) invites you to join us for lunch on Mondays and participate in the following special programs scheduled for November. Programs are held at Langendorf Park at 12:30 PM and are no charge (unless otherwise indicated). Suggested donation for lunch is \$2.50 per person and requires advance registration.

• **Monday, November 6**—Blood pressures will be taken by Advocate/Good Shepherd Hospital staff from 10:30 to 11:30 AM.

At 12:30 PM, "Top 10 Consumer Myths and Facts of Consumerism" will be presented. Katie Tennant, Senior Community

Relations Liaison for Cook County with Attorney General Jim Ryan's office, will provide information on consumerism, some warning signs of fraud and how you can avoid being taken in by a scam.

• **Monday, November 20**—No lunch today.

• **Tuesday, November 21**—A "Thanksgiving Celebration" will be held. Enjoy the traditional turkey and dressing dinner at noon sponsored by the Barrington Noon Rotary with entertainment sponsored by Advocate/Good Shepherd Hospital following lunch.

• **Monday, November 27**—"November Birthdays" will be celebrated.

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# Country Collections Folk Art Faire Cures "Terminal" Holiday Shopping Lists

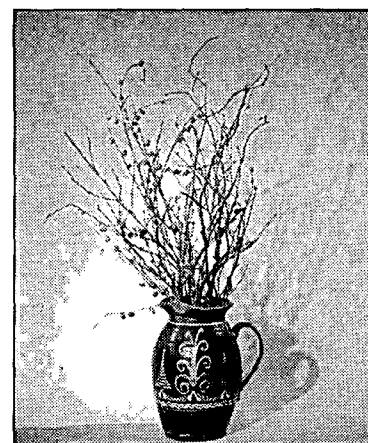
**The Country Collections Traditional Craft and Folk Art Faire** on November 10 through 12 at Harper College has the cure for "terminal" holiday shopping lists.

One hundred traditional folk artists and country crafters from the Chicago area, as well as 10 other states, will display and sell thousands of unusual hand-crafted items suitable for everyone on your list, from uncle Joe and Cousin Sue to the classroom teacher and Scout Leader.

This is the **16th Annual Fall Country Collections Show and Sale** and it will showcase a variety of traditional American folk arts such as quilting, doll making, wood carving, dried floral arranging, pressed flower artwork, appliqueing designs on clothing and rag rug weaving. All the artists will be available to answer questions and talk about their work.

Better yet, the gifts you buy reflect the individual styles and talents of the artists. They can't be found on every shelf at the mall. Bill and Debby Walters of Mundelein will display their pressed flower and pressed leaf pictures and picture frames. Lori Klemm of Naperville will bring her family of quirky, holiday-themed cloth dolls, from snowmen and Santas to angels and scarecrows. Mary Ann Johnson of Crystal Lake will bring her popular painted glassware and stoneware in holiday themes, each-piece suitable for personalizing. For gourmet food gifts, Tom Carney of Lake Forest will be serving samples of his top-of-the-line cranberry products, and Arlene Schmidt of Lockport will bring English toffee, cashew brittle and other handmade candies.

Many artists are from out of state. From Wisconsin, Greg Young, a talented wood carver/whittler, will display his intricately detailed, brightly painted holiday characters such as Santas, Uncle Sams and pumpkin people, many wearing Young's signature "scrunchy" hat. From Indiana, Mary



and Mark Clark will bring painted reproduction furniture and home decor; from Michigan, Dave and Iva Stevens will bring their kinetic, hand-carved wooden figures; and from Minnesota, Jackie Rhein will show her heirloom stitchery.

"Because many of our artists come from out of state, we can offer a great variety of beautifully handmade items that can't be found anywhere else," said Nancy Patek of Lombard, who organizes the twice annual **Country Collections** show with her husband, Mike.

Traditional folk music will be performed by Joe Rubak on dulcimer and mandolin, and David Fox on fiddle, guitar and washboard. Food and beverages will be available.

The show will be presented in the Wellness and Sports Center at Harper College, 1200 W. Algonquin Rd., (Algonquin and Roselle Roads), Palatine, IL. Show hours are: Friday, November 10, 3 to 9 PM; Saturday, November 11, 10 AM to 5 PM; and Sunday, November 12, 11 AM to 4 PM. Tickets are \$5 or \$4 for seniors and are good for all three days. Children 12 and under enter free. Extensive, free parking is available. The building is handicapped accessible.

# A Visit with Arthur

Barnes & Noble welcomes storybook character Arthur for an in-store visit. On Saturday, November 25, and Sunday, November 26, at 2 PM, Arthur will be visiting the children's department. Arthur the Aardvark was created by Marc Brown. Several stories from this wonderful series

of books will be read. Parents are encouraged to bring cameras to remember this delightful event.

Barnes & Noble is located at 5380 Northwest Highway in Crystal Lake. For further information, call 815-444-0824.

# CMS Begins New Tradition

Chicago Master Singers (CMS), formerly The New Oratorio Singers, will perform its first season using its new name. Music Director Alan Heatherington will conduct the 130-voice auditioned chorus, professional vocal soloists and orchestra in performances of Haydn's *Lord Nelson Mass* on November 10 and 12 at Divine Word Chapel, Techny, Illinois. Also on the program are Schubert's *Mass in G* and Holst's *Psalm 86* and *Psalm 148*.

Fresh from a summer tour of France, Switzerland and Austria where capacity audiences cheered every performance, Maestro Heatherington and CMS anticipate an outstanding season using the new organizational name.

Christmas will be brought in with three concerts, also at Techny, on December 15, 16 and 17, with traditional and new carols arranged by John Rutter and David Willcocks, accompanied by orchestra.

To conclude its inaugural CMS season, Maestro Heatherington, the chorus, professional vocal soloists and orchestra will perform Liszt's *Coronation Mass* and Bruckner's *Te Deum* on April 20 and 22, also at Techny.

There is still time to save 20% off individual tickets by purchasing season subscription tickets. Please call 847-604-1067 for tickets and information about the three CDs recorded by CMS.

## Dear Friends,

Fall is back and so is our famous Pumpkin Soup with Duck Confit, Lamb Shanks, Venison and Quail.

Beaujolais Nouveau arrives on November 16 and we will be serving a 4-course dinner to compliment the wine.

It's not too early to plan your Christmas parties now. We can provide private rooms from 20 to 50 people. Also, if you have your party at home, let us help with the food.

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Bernard



## Celebrate the Holidays—Julio's Style

**Julio's Latin Cafe** in Lake Zurich is the perfect place for a holiday lunch or dinner party. Whether you're celebrating a special occasion or looking for a new restaurant to try, you will enjoy their excellently prepared dishes from countries throughout South America including Mexico, Cuba, Brazil, Argentina, Chile and the Caribbean.

It's not too early to reserve a table for New Year's Eve. Owners Julio and Cindy Ramirez invite you to join them in a gala **New Year's Eve Celebration** as they mark the restaurant's 10th anniversary! The New Year's Eve package includes a special five-course dinner with party favors. A DJ will provide dance music throughout the evening and a champagne toast will be offered at midnight. The New Year's Eve package price is just \$70 each.

**Julio's** offers live entertainment on the weekends. During the month of November, **Julio's** proudly presents The Dan McIntyre Jazz Duo on November 3 and 10 and Jose Penner on the piano, November 4. Paulinho Garcia, a Brazilian guitarist, will perform on November 11 and 18 and Jim Edmunds will be playing the piano on November 25. Call **Julio's** for further information and reservations at **847-438-3484**. Dinner is served Monday through Saturday beginning at 5:00 PM. Lunch is served Monday through Friday. The restaurant is closed on Sundays, but is available for private parties. Reservations are always recommended on the weekends. **Julio's Latin Cafe** is located at 99 South Rand Road in Lake Zurich. Take a moment to check out their new website at [julioslatincafe.com](http://julioslatincafe.com).

## Art Associates Head for Terra Museum Exhibit

On December 14, The Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will visit the Terra Museum of American Art and its new exhibit, "Art and Nature: The Hudson River School." This exhibition from the Albany Institute of History and Art features 27 paintings depicting American views by Thomas Cole, Asher B. Durand, Frederic E. Church, Jasper Cropsey, Sanford R. Gifford, James Hart, William Hart, John Kensett, Homer D. Martin, David Johnson, John Casilear and George Inness.

The Albany Institute's Collection of Hudson River School material includes drawings and sketchbooks, letters, paint boxes and photographs related to the lives and careers of the artists. The interpretive theme for this exhibition focuses on the changing meaning of Hudson River School paintings over time.

Beginning with Thomas Cole in 1825 and ending by the late 1870s, the Hudson River School artists were known for their dramatic depictions of nature. At the height of the movement in the 1840s, the paintings celebrated the presence of God in nature. The artists attempted to record what they saw as accurately as possible. The Hudson River School Paintings changed



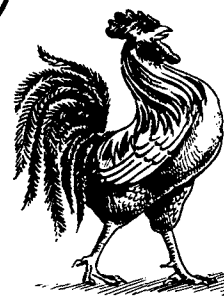
**Thomas Cole, Lake Winnepesaukee,**  
Oil on Canvas, 34 1/4 x 44 1/4 x 4 1/2 Inches.  
The Albany Institute of History and Art.  
Gift of Mrs. Ledyard Cogswell, Jr.

ed the way Americans viewed the nature around them. The artists were hailed as early environmental activists, calling for Americans to protect natural resources.

After the docent led gallery walk at the Terra Museum, participants will enjoy the Dickens Christmas Buffet at the Drake Hotel.

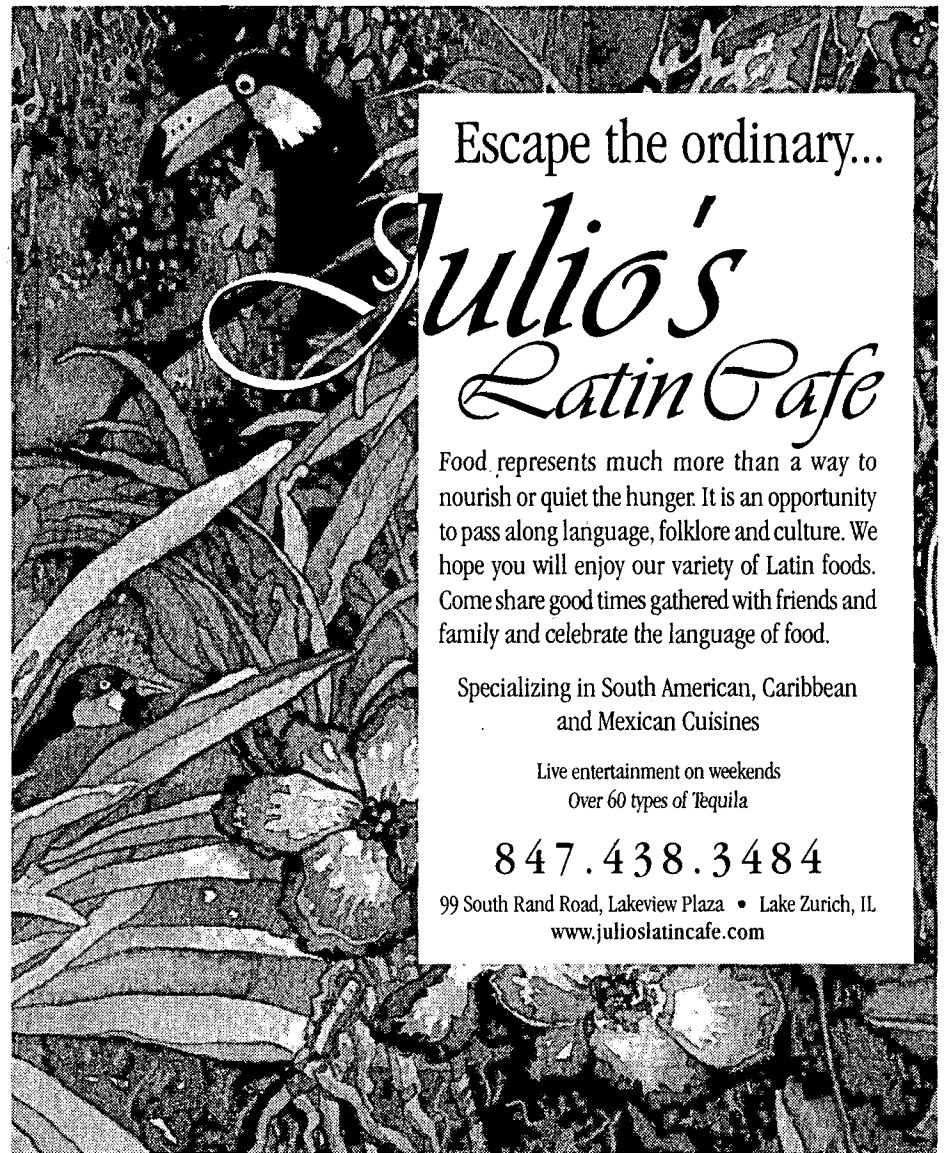
The cost of the trip is \$60 for members, \$70 for guests. The bus leaves Langendorf Park at 9 AM and departs from Chicago at 3 PM. Reservations are limited. The deadline is November 10. Contact Pat Valentine at 847-516-3470.

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## Sparrow's Nest Thrift Store Volunteers Needed

At this time, there is an immediate need for volunteer help at all three Sparrow's Nest Thrift Stores.

Sparrow's Nest Thrift Store volunteers know they make a difference each time they volunteer. Their efforts, no matter how great or small, play a meaningful role in the continuum of care offered to homeless women and children seeking assistance from Home of the Sparrow. Volunteers at the Sparrow's Nest Thrift Store have the task of operating the store successfully and handling in-kind dona-

tions made to Home of the Sparrow. It takes many volunteers to sort, price, move, display and sell the donated items. Directly supporting women and children in the program, volunteers at the Sparrow's Nest Thrift Stores assist clients and consumers, helping them furnish their homes and care for clothing needs.

For more information about volunteering at the Sparrow's Nest Thrift Stores or other volunteer opportunities with Home of the Sparrow, call 815-344-5171.



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sories that complement your existing furniture. Many manufacturers' catalogs are available for ordering that 'just right' item.

**Callalily Fine Home Accessories** is located at 10 S. Dryden in Arlington Hts. in the Arlington Market. From Rte. 14, approximately 1/2 mile east of Arlington Heights Rd., turn north on Dryden St. and go one block. Call 847-255-2500.

## Tri-Chapter Concert Reception



Pictured during a reception following Lyric Opera of Chicago's September Tri-Chapter Concert at the Metropolis Centre in Arlington Heights are: from left, Jeanette Urbain of Arlington Heights, Program Chairman for Northwest Chapter; Bob Plagemann of Chicago, Concert Coordinator and Program Chairman for the Bar-

ington Chapter; Donna Brunsma, former musical coach with Lyric Opera of Chicago; vocalist Mark S. Doss, bass-baritone from Lyric Opera; and Marion Goldberg of Skokie, Program Chair for the Skokie Valley Chapter.

For inquiries on the Barrington Chapter, call Howard Robins at 847-437-2158.

## Woman's Board of Children's Home & Aid Society Celebrates 80th Anniversary Italian Style



**Kathleen Amatangelo (left) of Barrington Hills, a member of the Woman's Board of the Children's Home & Aid Society, with Ruth Kern of Barrington, at the September Ball "Serata Italiana" given by the Woman's Board at the Fairmont Hotel. They are pictured in front of the Etiquette Basket donated by Ruth L. Kern, International Etiquette Consultant.**

Over 500 guests attended the "Serata Italiana" September Ball hosted by the Woman's Board of Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois (CHASI) at the Fairmont Hotel. The Woman's Board chose an Italian theme to celebrate their 80th anniversary as a CHASI fundraising group. Special guests in attendance were the Italian Consul General Emiglio Granara and his wife, Federica; Woman's Board President Judith Lee and her husband, Tom, and CHASI Board Chairman Cecil Coleman.

The event was beautifully organized by Ball Co-Chairs Mrs. John F. Cuneo and Mrs. E. Barry Mansur, and proceeds benefited children and families served by CHASI. Evening festivities included a lovely serenade by the talented soprano Terese Cullen, and music by Michael Lerich and his Orchestra. The Grand Prize was a highlight of the evening. Chair Mrs. James N. Bay, Jr. announced the top prize winners Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus F. Freidheim, Jr., who won a trip to Rome, the "Eternal



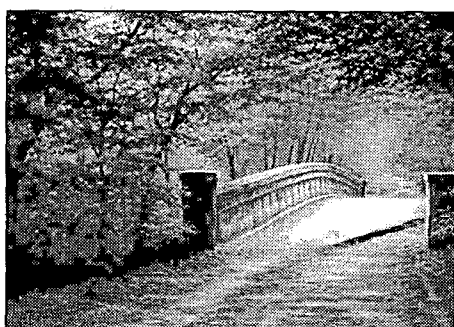
City," with Business Class accommodations on American Airlines.

"I hope everyone enjoyed Terese Cullen's performance as much as I did. I am so grateful for the hard work of all of our ball committee members that created such an elegant Italian evening for all to enjoy," said Woman's Board President Judith Lee.

Guests received Italian candy bouquets, miniature bottles of Sambucca and Fontana Candida Frascati and Pinot Grigio wines as parting gifts. "The Ball was a spectacular event. It's heartwarming when the community reaches out to support children and families," said CHASI President Fran Hume.

## Create a New LOOK

Now is the season we start to think about redecorating for the upcoming holidays. Now is the time to plan for adding artwork to our walls or reframe our existing pieces. Many times, we like the image of our artwork we have but find that the frame and matting does not work in our new decor. Updating the frames and the mats is the solution. This can change the entire look of the piece by bringing it up to date and blending it with the new color scheme.



*Autumn Bridge by Charles H. White*

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## Holiday Housewalk at Wynstone

The Women's Board of Catholic Charities of Lake County-West will be presenting the 5th annual "Holiday Housewalk at Wynstone" on Thursday, November 16, and Friday, November 17. There will be two tours daily. The first from 9:00 to 11:30 AM and the second from 1:30 to 4:00 PM. Featured will be four homes decorated for the holidays by different florists. Following each tour, you are invited to High Tea at the Wynstone Golf Club and to browse the boutiques presented by the featured florists. The cost of the tour, including High Tea, is \$55 payable to Catholic Charities of Lake County. Friday evening, the homes will be open

for viewing beginning at 6:00 PM, followed by dinner at the Clubhouse at 8:00 PM. The price for the evening event is \$200 per couple. During the dinner, the winners of the grand prize will be announced. For an invitation or to purchase tickets, please contact Mary Huggins at 847-610-1095 or Diane Severns at 847-382-0548. Since reservations are limited, please respond early for the tour of your choice. As in previous years, the goal of the housewalk is to financially support the work of Catholic Charities of Lake County. Last year's event raised \$95,000. Chairing this year's event are Diane Severns, Mary Huggins and Carolyn Casey.

## Painting With Light

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on the website. They are located closer than you think in the sleepy little town of Spring Grove on Main Street USA in the 100-year-old remodeled barn. Take the short, lovely country drive to the studio, located between the towns of Fox Lake and the antique town of Richmond. Spur on the creativity of those dear to you by becoming part of the artful beauty of life. Quite simply, their objective is to restore the dignity of art within the modern home while eliminating the monotony of present day photography with the artful portrayal of precious personal experience. **Sudio Inc. Photography** offers a no-obligation consultation to chat and explore your personal vision. Call to set up a time to stop by or see them on the web at [www.renchphoto.com](http://www.renchphoto.com). For more information, call **815-675-1640**.

## Fourth Annual St. Francis PTO Holiday Housewalk

The St. Francis de Sales School Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) announced that the fourth annual holiday housewalk, "Trimmings and Treasures," is scheduled for Thursday, December 7, 2000.

"Although we are now shuffling through the crisp autumn leaves, it won't be long until the rush of the holidays is here," said Peggy Dudek, co-chairman of this year's holiday housewalk committee. "Since our calendars tend to fill up quickly, it's a good idea to reserve December

7 now for this holiday tradition. Tickets to see these beautifully decorated homes go on sale November 1 and must be purchased in advance. No tickets will be sold the day of the tour."

This year's holiday housewalk again features five homes in the North Barrington, Barrington, Hawthorn Woods and Lake Zurich areas. Hours to see the homes run during the daytime from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM and twilight hours have been expanded from 5:00 to 8:30 PM. Ticket

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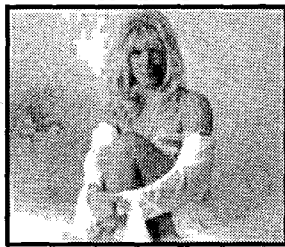
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prices are \$20 per guest or \$12 per senior citizen when purchased by November 23, and then the prices increase to \$25 per ticket. Reservations will be accepted after all masses at St. Francis de Sales parish in Lake Zurich the last two weekends in November and the first weekend in December. Tickets may also be purchased by calling Debbie at 847-540-0511 or Lil at 847-540-1234.

"Besides seeing the festive homes, it has also become a tradition to shop at the holiday boutique set up at St. Francis. This is a social time to visit and sip a complimentary tea and enjoy the silent auction,"

said Denise Trippichio, co-chair of the event. "This year, we are also offering a box dinner and a box lunch to enjoy while you are driving between homes."

All proceeds from the "Trimmings and Treasures" holiday housewalk go directly to the school to improve the building and provide additional educational materials for the children. "We look forward to this annual event as the kickoff to the holiday season," said Dudek.

Please contact Peggy Dudek at 847-438-4838 or Denise Trippichio at 847-438-5475 for more information about this St. Francis PTO holiday tradition.

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I really get so excited this time of year. The colors have entertained us for a good month now and they usher in a lovely holiday season.

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## Employment Agreements—Establishing the Employment Relationship

by Joette S. Doran, J.D.



Typically, a written employment agreement specifies the terms and conditions of employment, such as responsibilities, pay and duration, and is signed by the employee and employer. The agreement should also set forth under what circumstances an individual may be terminated by the company. As you may recall from a previous article, employment in Illinois is regarded as "at will." This means an employee may be terminated for a good reason, bad reason or no reason at all. An exception to the "at will" doctrine is an enforceable contractual relationship with the employer.

The best means of protection from "at will" termination is entering in a written agreement which specifies under what conditions the employment relationship may be terminated. For instance, the agreement may specify that the employer may only terminate the employment relationship upon mutual agreement, advance notice or for specified reasons of "cause." The term "cause" will be defined in the agreement and may include failure to satisfactorily perform the job duties or for theft or dishonesty.

The agreement may also call for the parties to give a specific period of notice prior to the termination. Many of the individuals with whom I consult mistakenly believe that the law provides for two weeks notice of termination or for resignation. Rather, due to the general presumption of "at will" employment, an individual may be terminated without notice and an employee may resign without notice. However, for reasons of professional courtesy, the parties often do and should provide advance notice of their intention to terminate the employment relationship.

Employers will usually offer a written employment agreement when they want to protect their clientele after the employment relationship ends. In that situation, the employer may offer to terminate the employee only for cause, with prior notification or severance pay in exchange for a restrictive covenant or non-compete agreement which extends after the end of the employment relationship. If such pro-

vision is proposed, review the language carefully as such provisions are enforceable when properly drafted.

Both employers and employees should avoid relying on verbal promises since they are difficult to enforce, if at all. This is especially true where the written agreement between the parties contains a provision known as a "merger" or "integration" clause. A merger or integration clause is a contractual provision which states that the contract contains all the agreements between the parties. Therefore, if the verbal promise is not contained in the written agreement, it is contractually presumed to not to have been made.

Another source of potential contractual rights is a company policy and/or handbook. Even though an employee does not have a written agreement, a policy or handbook may provide the basis of a contractual employment claim. For instance, a written policy which states there will be no termination without just cause or progressive discipline may be enforceable as a contract.

In any employment relationship, the best time to determine the legal effect of an agreement is before the contract is signed. As such, it is highly advisable to consult with an attorney to review the proposed employment agreement to determine the legal ramifications should you need to take legal action to enforce it in the future.

Next month, I will continue to discuss the importance of employment laws to employees and employers. Until then, best wishes for a happy Thanksgiving.

*(Please continue on page 59)*

## When "This is the Way We Always Do It" Doesn't Work Anymore

Bring your family closer with meaningful family traditions. At the PACES (Parent and Child Education Society) meeting on Wednesday, November 15, at 9:30 AM at St. Simon's Episcopal Church, 717 Kirchoff Road in Arlington Heights, L'Tishia Suk, freelance writer and parent educator, will discuss why we need family traditions. She will explain the three components of a good tradition, give us creative ideas for new traditions and show us how to know when to let go of a tradition. You will leave with ideas and tools for shaping your family's identity through traditions.

Baby-sitting is available by calling Kelly Madsen one week before the meeting at 847-854-8149.

PACES is an organization dedicated to providing education and support to parents of newborn through preschool age children. We offer expert parenting information, peer support, social activities and volunteer opportunities. Meet us for a stroller walk on the second Monday of every month by the glass elevators at the center court of Woodfield Mall. Nonmembers are always welcome!

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The curriculum for the **Barrington Community Child Care Center** offers age appropriate and challenging activities. Our many activities promote self-esteem, independence and cognitive growth. Individual needs and the child's unique ways of learning are key in the type of planning and structure that is presented in the environment. Program enrichments are also offered, such as "Computer Tots." And, as a convenience, haircuts by a stylist from

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**Barrington Community Child Care Center** is a private center serving children 6 weeks to 6 years. Our facility offers over-sized classrooms with a homey feel and an environment to meet the needs of young children. As well, our large outdoor playground is enjoyed by all.

**Barrington Community Child Care Center** offers year around structured activities and care. Registration is now being accepted! We are happily celebrating our 7th year in the community. *Come join the fun!*

## The Rotary Club of Long Grove Sponsors a Dental Mission to Honduras

A dental mission staffed by Long Grove Rotary members Robert Mintz, Marianna Zeidler and Dental Hygienist Shirley Berk of Stephens Dental Practice left on October 8th for Honduras to join a group of dentists mostly from Colorado and Texas.

The Dental Team arrived in Tegucigalpa and transferred by the local Rotary Club District to the city of Danli, which is

about a two-hour drive east of the capital.

Why Danli? Two years ago, the Rotary Club of Long Grove organized and conducted a fundraising event for the benefit of children that needed medical treatment which was not available in their own country. Many of the requests came for the aid of identified children from Danli.

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After hurricane Mitch, the quality of water in that area of Honduras worsened. Families boil water to make it potable. The process, however, is done under very unsafe conditions and children mostly fall victims to severe burns, the healing of which causes serious damage to their faces, limbs and body in general.

After last year's dental mission to Peru, the club decided to bring this year's project to Honduras and meet the families and children that are yet to come to Chicago for medical treatment. The goal is to raise the level of confidence in these children and their families by personal contact. They do not speak English, hardly ever left their town; and now they face the need of leaving their familiar surroundings to fly to a foreign country to be

treated by medical strangers.

The Rotary Club of Long Grove is also involved in a similar project that helps provide medical treatment to children from Eastern Europe, with problems such as cerebral palsy, spinal bifida and other abnormalities.

The dental team will be working in Honduras for a full week. Although, the need for medical services there is constant, volunteer dentists in the team unfortunately have a limited time available due to their own commitments.

Physicians, medical technicians and any other person interested in learning more about any of these international projects can call for additional information from Long Grove Rotarian Marianna Zeidler at 847-726-9371.

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## Barrington Chamber President Carol Beese to Retire

It was recently learned that Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce President Carol Beese will retire from her position effective January 1, 2001.

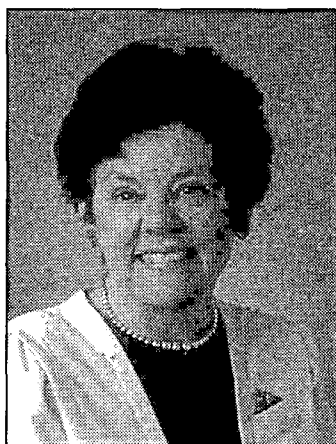
Her retirement will conclude a 32-year career as a pioneering woman in the chamber field in Illinois and nationally.

As president, Carol achieved much. Under her direction, the local chamber has grown from 50 businesses to 760 businesses and professional members which represents 70% of all the businesses in the 90-square-mile Barrington area.

Always a leader, Carol has been active in numerous organizations locally, including the Buehler YMCA, the Barrington Park Board of Commissioners, Family Service of South Lake County, the Council on Aging and the Barrington Area Arts Council.

Carol has received many awards during her career, among them the Lester W. Brann Jr. Distinguished Illinois Chamber of Commerce Executive Award.

Of special interest to Carol is the development of Ron Beese Park, an 85-acre park named after her late husband.



**Carol Beese, Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce President, to retire.**

Carol has two grown children: Dr. Lorena Beese, a professor at Duke University Medical School, and Mark Beese, Vice President of a Minneapolis securities firm.

Carol's retirement plans include staying involved in the Barrington community activities and enjoying her four grandchildren.

## BACOA Open House

BACOA has completed its move to its new office location at the Barrington Village Hall. Please join us at our Open House on Wednesday, November 8, from 11 AM to 2 PM to see our new home. Light refreshments will be served. Our new address is

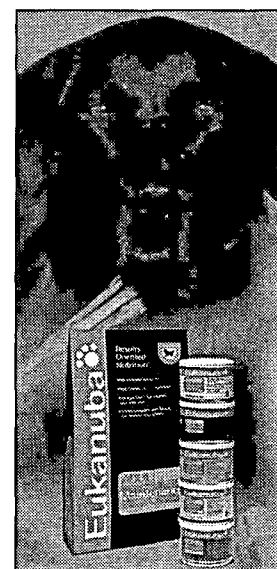
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## First Warning Notices of School Year Send Parents to Learning Centers

With the spotlight currently on state-mandated tests and stricter promotion policies, the first warning notices of the year seem almost reassuringly old-fashioned. For years, these warning notices have acted as a call to action spurring parents to seek help for a child with problems in school. That help usually begins with a parent-teacher conference, but today's parents are savvy education consumers and are looking to new sources, like learning centers, for help.

According to Dr. Raymond J. Huntington, co-founder and president of **Huntington Learning Center**, "Some students may not have truly grasped certain basic skills earlier in their schooling. This may have an immediate effect on grades and school performance, or it may be years before the problem surfaces and the student begins to struggle."

Dr. Huntington advises parents to, first, identify the underlying problem. "Once the problem is identified," he says, "parents can take steps to remedy the situation and get their child back on the right track to learning."

At **Huntington Learning Center**, getting on the right track begins with a thorough diagnostic test designed to pinpoint a student's strengths and weaknesses. Based on the test results, the edu-

cation professionals at Huntington develop a learning program tailored to an individual child's needs.

"When your child is struggling in school," Dr. Huntington tells parents, "one way to demonstrate your support is to seek the resources to help. If you receive a warning notice or are concerned about your child's grades, act on it. Also, show your child you believe he or she can succeed. If you demonstrate a belief in your child's ability, your child will be more likely to keep trying."

Building confidence and motivation along with study skills is the key to effecting an academic rebound following a warning notice. Huntington's teachers focus on all three to help a child make a solid comeback in school. That's good news for parents.

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Parents who would like additional information or who are concerned about a specific aspect of their child's academic performance, are encouraged to call the **Huntington Learning Center** in Barrington at **847-382-3655**.

## Annual Country Fair and Auction

The Northwest Suburban Christian Women's Club invites you and your friends to our "Annual Country Fair and Auction" Luncheon on November 9, 2000, from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM at Concorde Banquets in Kildeer. Cost is \$10 inclusive.

There will be a live auction, silent auc-

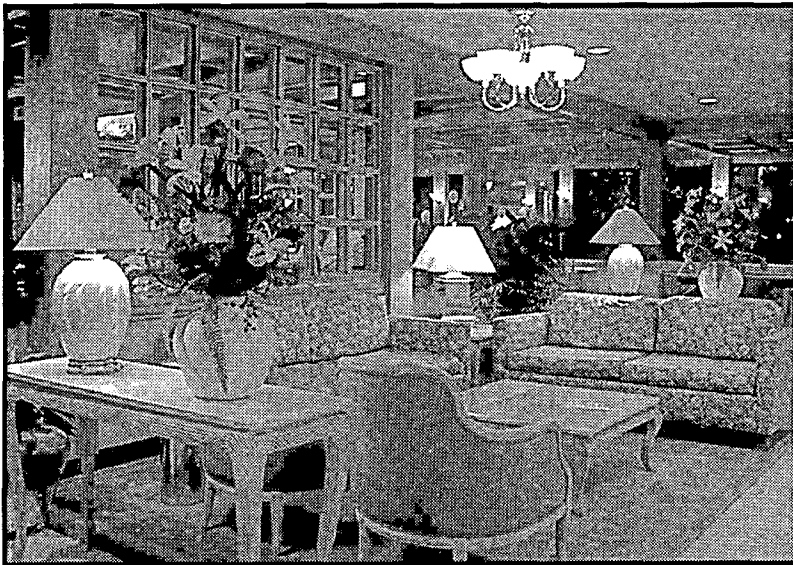
tions, crafts and baked goods. Come relax with special music by Kim Harrison and "Storybook Lives" from Jungle Birth to Priceless Worth by Star Paterson.

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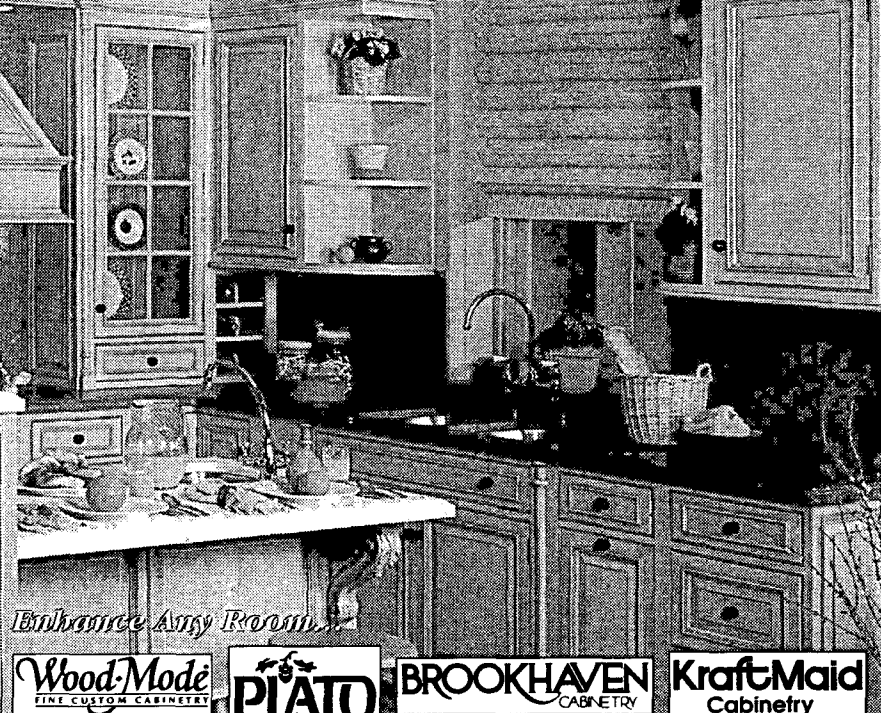
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## English-Speaking Union Junior Board Announces 2000 Beefeaters' Ball



Attending the Beefeaters' Ball press party are: (left to right) Steve Cortes, co-chairs Lauren Moore, Holly Legler-Cortes and Brian White.

The Junior Board of the English-Speaking Union held its press party for its upcoming Beefeaters' Ball at the ultra chic Ultimo Boutique on Oak Street on Monday, September 18. E-SU Junior Board President Brian White announced that the co-chairs for the event will be Lauren Moore and Holly Legler Cortes. The Beefeaters' Ball will be held on Saturday, November 4, 2000, at 9:30 PM at the Casino Club and will include cocktails, dinner and dancing to the popular band Fat Time. Tickets are \$85 in advance or \$100 at the door. Call Sophie DuBrul at 312-425-9609 for tickets or information.

Standouts at the Ultimo party included Neil and Pauline Sheehan, Floyd Fulkerson, Mary Niehaus, Ann Woodnorth,

Victoria Flanagan, Nancy Ford, Oscar Tatosian, Peter Mark, Michael Mark, Tom Ramsey, Peggy Papie, David Van der Velden, Joe Starshak, E-SU Board President Bill Haddad, Merle Gross, Ed Schimmelpennig, Mary Ellen Murphy, Jeff Darby and Dana Malinckrodt.

The Chicago Chapter of the E-SU, which is one of the oldest international non-profit educationally-based organizations in the country, has one of the oldest Junior Boards in the United States and will use proceeds from this year's ball to support the nationally acclaimed Shakespeare Competition hosted by the E-SU all over the country, sending the most talented to a program at Oxford University each year.

## An Exciting Home Addition

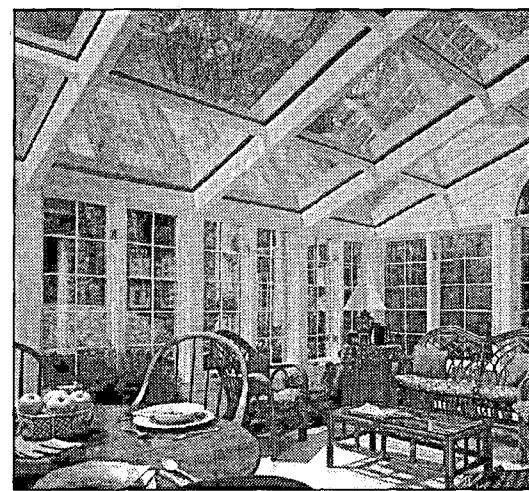
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The silent auction and various prizes include theme-oriented baskets and donated items on which guests will bid. Entertainment will be provided by The New Beginnings.

The silent auction and social hour will begin 10:30 AM and lunch at noon.

The cost is \$30. All women in the Barrington area and surrounding communities are welcome to attend.

For information about the luncheon, call Carol at 847-277-1316.

If you would like to donate any items to the auction, call Annette at 847-382-1947 or Carolyn at 847-277-0703. Pick up of items is available starting ASAP.

Our charities are Greater Barrington Volunteer Center, PADS and Hospice of Northern Illinois.



Annette Fitzgibbons (right) and Carolyn Walton get ready for the Silent Auction.

## Barrington Welcome Wagon Club Coffee

The Welcome Wagon Club of the Barrington Area is having a coffee morning on November 14.

There will be a talk on volunteerism and the hostess will show us her collectibles and tell us a little of their history.

All area women are invited to attend.

You do not need to be a current member. This is a wonderful and interesting way to spend a morning and meet new friends.

Reservations are required, as numbers may be limited. Call Joan at 847-382-0886 or Patricia at 847-462-9032.

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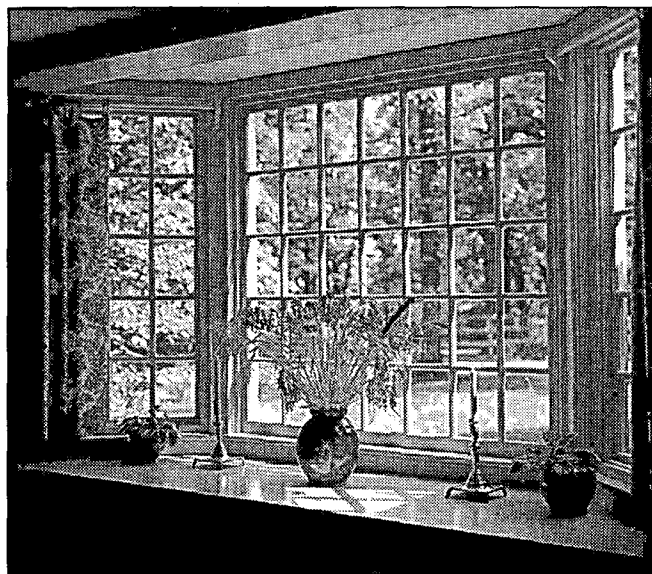
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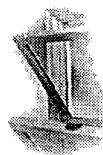
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## BYDE Workshop Featured Muntu Dance Theatre of Chicago, Ethnic Rhythms Programs



**BYDE Company member Ashley Watson, Deer Park, accompanied by an Illinois State University dance student, receives instruction in Pas de Deux during the recent BYDE Dance Workshop Series.**

The Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble recent summer Dance Workshop Series was enthusiastically received by dance students from throughout the northwest suburbs.

Along with sessions in modern dance, jazz and classical ballet, students explored the diversity of several ethnic dance styles. Instruction in African Dance, which included live accompaniment, was provided by the internationally acclaimed Muntu Dance Theatre of Chicago.

The Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble

(BYDE) is a nonprofit organization that was founded in 1989. BYDE's mission is to produce live dance events, with an emphasis on classical ballet, that are accessible to a suburban audience.

BYDE is home to a company of young dancers, ranging from intermediate to advanced, who audition for positions in and commit to train year 'round. There are currently 33 dancers in the BYDE company. Contact Mary Kamps, 382-7840, for more information about the BYDE organization.

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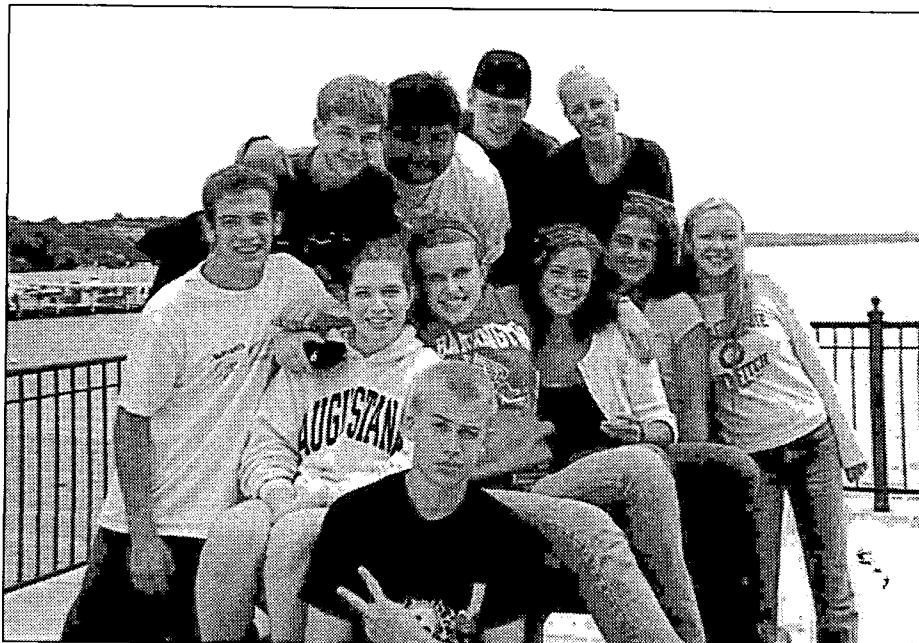
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## BHS Collage Available to Entertain



The members of Collage, Barrington High School's Swing Choir, take a break from their summer retreat at beautiful Lake Lawn Lodge. Pictured are Chuck Duke, Zach Watson, Adam Kong, John Moran, Kate Brownson, Emily Mackay, Stephanie

Peters, Lisa Mitchell, Stephanie Sekyra, Kasia Januszewski and Jack Edinger.

BHS Collage is available to perform. For performance information, please call 382-4145 or e-mail Pam Hanley at [www.collagebhs@hotmail.com](mailto:www.collagebhs@hotmail.com).

## World Community Day

Church Women United of the Barrington Area will celebrate World Community Day on Friday, November 3, at Saints Peter and Paul Roman Catholic Church, 410 First Street, Cary, beginning at 10:45 AM. World Community Day is an opportunity for diverse Christian women to gather together in prayer and action around the theme "Standing Up with Those in Need."

Focus of the worship is the need to support and care for families affected by AIDS, with emphasis on women and children. A social worker from the Lake County Department of Health will provide

vide information on the reality of the disease in our area—who needs help and what individuals and churches can do to support affected families.

An agape lunch will take place after the worship at 12:15 PM. Please bring a sandwich, cheese or fruit to share. Beverages and dessert will be provided.

To reserve child care, please call Joan at 847-639-5345. Bring a sack lunch for each child; beverages provided.

For further information, call Sandie Paxton at 847-304-4806 or Faith Semla at 847-381-2094.



## REMODELING 2000...

When Tim and Gale Hennelly decided to remodel, they had some specific goals in mind. Their home, built in the 1970's, was typical of its era. It had a compact kitchen with a small eating area. The family room was down the hall. Their dream was a "Country French" kitchen adjacent to the new family room so Gale could keep an eye on her small son while preparing meals. A major project like this is a big investment; so one of the first questions to be addressed was, could they get everything they wanted and still come in on budget? **Barrington Kitchen and Bath Studio's** Kaye Hathaway, a Certified Kitchen Designer, worked with Tim and Gale to design this stunning kitchen using Homecrest cabinetry in a beautiful pale maple finish called Caramel.

Gale, 5'2" tall, likes to bake, but was tired of digging through several small cabinets to get baking supplies. Kaye suggested using Homecrest's vanity height cabinets for the island to make food preparation more comfortable for Gale. She also designed a special cabinet with rollouts at the end of the island to hold baking supplies and equipment. The island now serves as a convenient baking center. The microwave presented another challenge—how to build it in without making it too high for Gale, and later her son, to reach safely. A unique solution was achieved by using "spice drawers" to create a niche for it in an otherwise useless corner. Kaye also gave the couple's existing refrigerator and dishwasher a custom look by designing front panels using standard available cabinet components. The couple's big splurge in this kitchen was the professional style stainless-steel range. To set it off, Kaye designed the beautiful rangehood, which was built on-site and "stuccoed." A striking 3-piece crown molding with contrasting rope detail in cherry completes the custom look.

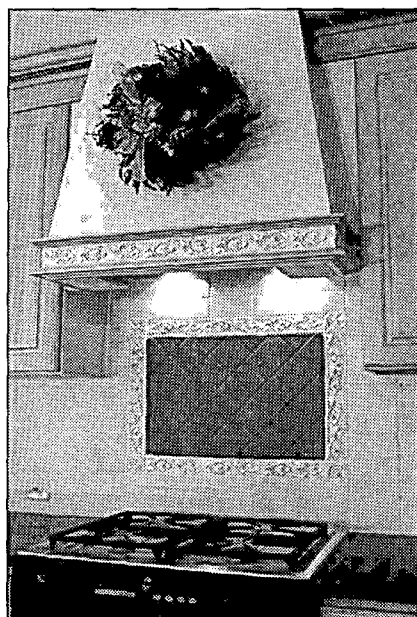
When asked to comment on the difficulties of designing a "custom



Shorter cabinets on island provide a perfect baking area for the 5'2" homeowner.

kitchen" using stock cabinets, Kaye said, "We are lucky to work with some of the best carpenters around, thanks to our sister company **Delta Renovations**. That close working relationship allows us to design special things for our clients and use stock cabinets in unique ways. We want our clients to challenge us, no matter what their budget. Years of experience and excellent craftsmanship make us equal to the challenge."

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This beautiful range hood was custom-built to set off the stainless-steel range.



Stock cabinets were modified to provide convenient storage. Note angled fluted detail and stone-look ceramic tile with carved border.



Spice drawers were used to create a convenient niche for the microwave.



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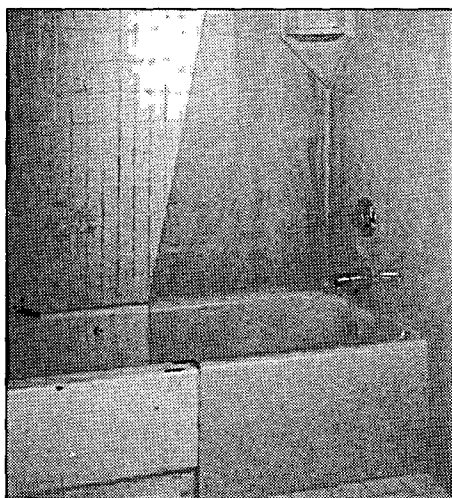
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Attention all would-be conductors and engineers! A miniature train and memorabilia show, coordinated by local members of the national Railroad Association, will be held at Midway Village & Museum Center on November 4 and 5 from noon to 5 PM.

Chug on over to see trains flying through miniature towns, winding through tunnels and whistling at crossings. The Seventh Annual Show celebrates National Model Railroad Month.

A variety of train sizes and types will be on display, including American Flyer and Lionel antique model train collections, operating layouts in G, HO, N, O, S and Z scales. There will be slide shows and videos. Members of the National Model

Railroad Association will be on hand, demonstrating various model building techniques and sharing advice on setting-up and maintaining model trains. Beaver Valley Lines' 1½" Scale will provide free train rides for all visitors.

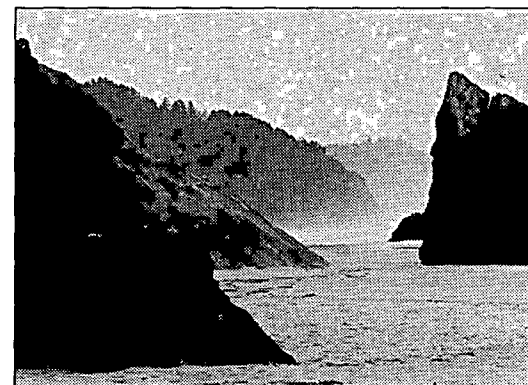
Food will be available. Admission is \$5 for adults or \$3 for children 3 to 15 years. Included in the admission is a visit to the museum and village.

Midway Village & Museum Center is located at 6799 Guilford Rd., Rockford, Illinois, one mile north of East State (Business 20) just off of I-90. Take Perryville Rd. north and take a left on Guilford Rd. Please call 815-397-9112 or visit [www.midwayvillage.com](http://www.midwayvillage.com) for further information.

## **Lecture on "The Oregon Coast"**

Sue Smith will present an illustrated lecture, "The Oregon Coast," on Tuesday, November 14, at 1 PM at the Barrington Area Library, 505 N. Northwest Highway. This is the second program in the Members Present Art Series, sponsored by the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago.

Traveling along the coast from Newport to Brookings, one sees magnificent ocean views, rugged cliffs, driftwood in rocky coves, picturesque lighthouses and shifting sand dunes. Sea lions are found at sea lion caves north of Florence. From Gold Beach, adventurers can take a jet boat ride on the Rogue River. Coastal rocks and fishing boats enhance beautiful sunsets. Portland is one of the busiest



**An Oregon Seascape taken by Sue Smith.**

ports on the West Coast and the gateway to the Columbia River Basin. Places of interest include Pittock Mansion and Bonneville Dam. There is no cost for this interesting program and the public is welcome.

## **William A. Schneider Wins Best of Show**

The jury for the 25th Annual Woodstock Fine Art Fair awarded William A. Schneider of Crystal Lake, IL, the Best of Show. The fair was held on Sunday, August 20, 2000. Mr. Schneider previously won the Best of

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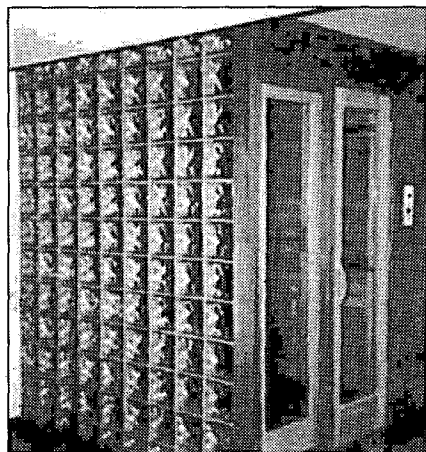
## The Many Benefits of Sauna

"Old Finnish proverbs consider sauna to be the 'medicine of the poor, the hospital and of Finland,'" according to *Spa and Sauna Magazine*.

"Saunas promote the perspiration of body toxins, stimulate circulation, increase body metabolism, keep skin glowing and youthful and alleviate sinus congestion due to colds, asthma and allergies.

In fact, many feel it's one of the most effective detoxifying treatments available.

Today, in many research laboratories around the world, saunas are being tested as therapy for chemical poisoning. Because of the mental relaxation saunas are able to induce, it's said to be the perfect environment for intimate conversations with spouses, friends and children," *Spa and Sauna Magazine* continues.



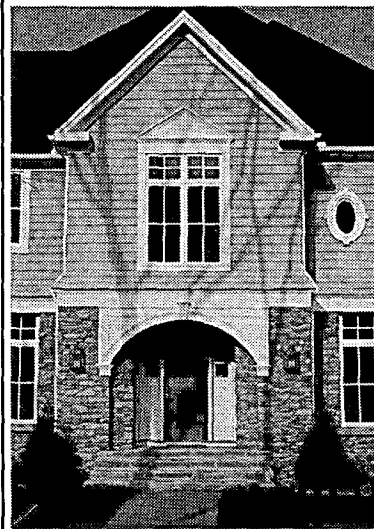
For more information about the benefits of sauna, see **Swanson's Spas & Saunas** on Rand Rd. in Lake Zurich.

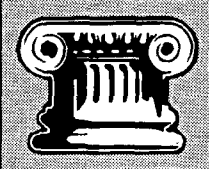
## Concert in the Park



Pictured during the Concert in the Park benefit are: back row from left, Dan Steelman, Tim Lardner (obscured), David

Schwartz and Kyle Shamberg; front row from left, Alissa Wolfel, Sunny Thornton and Trevor Gibbons, all of Barrington.





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## Good Shepherd Manor Luncheon

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The program is now being held on Mondays at Langendorf Park and on

Thursdays at Good Shepherd Manor. Lunch will be served at noon.

To make a reservation, call 847-381-5030. This program is a partnership between BACOA, Good Shepherd Manor and Catholic Charities.

## AARP Income Tax Assistance

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) is once again participating in the AARP Income Tax Assistance Program. Low-to-moderate income seniors will be assisted by a trained AARP volunteer on Wednesdays, by appointment only, beginning February 7 and continuing every Wednesday through April 11.

Appointments are from 9:00 to 11:40 AM at the BACOA office, 200 South Hough Street, Suite 001, Barrington. Appointments fill quickly so please try to call as early as possible.

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Young children will touch, try-on and have fun learning about shoes by exploring a fairy-tale inspired giant shoe house, taking charge of a miniature shoe store and investigating the shoes and other trappings of a variety of people and professions in our world.

The exhibit offers strong links to early literacy; two of the exhibit component themes are based on popular children's stories.

"An everyday item like shoes becomes an intriguing learning opportunity for children and parents alike when you step back to think about how shoes symbolize roles we find in our community and other cultures," said Sheridan Turner, KCM's president and CEO.

Highlights of the exhibit will include:

- "There Was an Old Woman Who Lived

in a Shoe" Shoe House—Ever wonder as a child what the Old Woman's house really looked like? This is the chance to enjoy the whimsical shoe house with its potbellied stove, sink, table, chairs and bed that will also serve as a reading area for some of the many books featuring shoes.

• *Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.*—A delightful book by Ann Morris will offer a look at photographs of people from all over the world accompanied by rhyming verse that talks about different kinds of shoes. Accompanying it are shoes children can step into including a firefighter's boots, a diver's fins, a cowboy's boots and more!

• Pretend Shoe Store—The child-size shoe store area is ready for little clerks to measure their "customers'" feet and help them pick a pair of shoes from the display shelves. Customers can see how their purchases look in angled floor mirrors, then ring them up on a cash register to complete the sale.

• All About Shoes—Families can discover the mechanics of shoe design in this interactive area where young visitors will be challenged to use spatial reasoning skills and fine motor skills.

The Kohl Children's Museum is open every day. Hours are 9 AM to 5 PM, Tuesday through Saturday; 9 AM to noon on Monday during the school year; and noon to 5 PM on Sunday. Admission is \$5 for adults and children over 1 and \$4 for senior citizens.

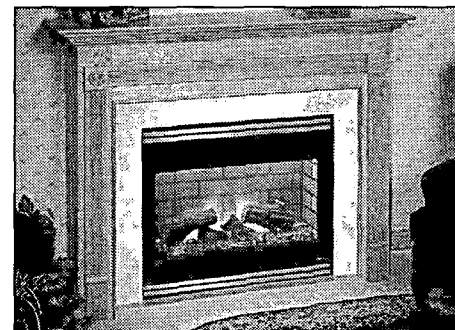
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## Decorating Den of Barrington

Decorating a home is a rewarding experience and not necessarily a costly one. However, few of us embark on a decorating project with total and absolute confidence. We may know in our mind's eye what we want our home to look like, but turning this vision into a reality is often easier said than done. The difficulty, usually, is simply not knowing where to begin. Sometimes, it's not being sure how to best express our tastes in a personal way. This is where a design professional can be a great asset to your project. With so many decorating options, it's easy to get confused. A designer can help you sort through the confusion.

The key ingredients to make your house into a custom decorated home are... *color, style and imagination.*

*Color* sets a mood. Much has been written about the psychology of color and its powers, but the most persuasive argument for any color remains personal preference. Remember, choose your color, don't let it choose you. Color is a matter of personal taste subject to everyday influences, and to be more accepting of certain colors is often a matter of acquired taste.

Memorable rooms, like memorable people, have distinct personalities. In decorating, personality is the overall statement a room makes, the feeling it evokes when you enter and what it says about the people who live there. *Style* is a reflection of you.

*European* influence is the predominant

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Often, it's the small touches that have the greatest effect on a decorating scheme. Accessories, art and treasures of all kinds are what gives a room its unique character. Use your *imagination*, choose your accessories carefully. Accent items should reflect your personality and give you pleasure too. As long as an item holds meaning for you, it's certainly worthy of attention. A good designer will help you properly display your treasures.

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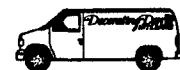
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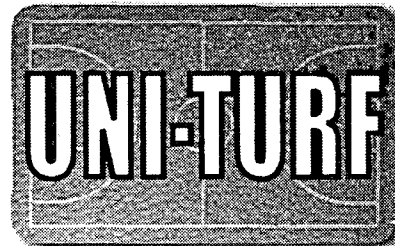
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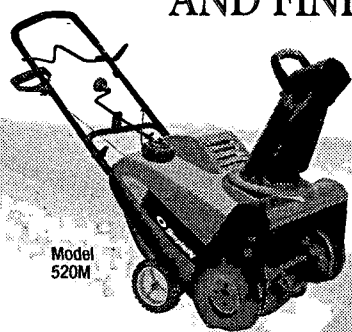
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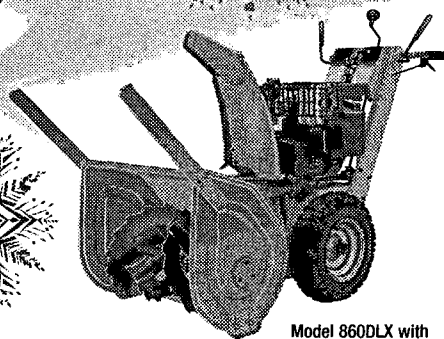


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**Danyale Sims, West Englewood Youth and Teen Center, 1999 by Dawoud Bey.**

Danyale Sims, West Englewood Youth and Teen Center, Chicago, Illinois, 1999, demonstrates the distinctive and sensitive style of portraiture captured by Dawoud Bey, a professor of photography at Columbia College-Chicago. Bey's works, which reveal a dichotomy of the struggles and the hopes of neighborhood residents, will be featured in the national museum exhibition *Indivisible: Stories of American Community*. The exhibition explores community life and grassroots action in America as viewed by some of the country's

most accomplished photographers, oral historians and folklorists. Dawoud Bey photographed members of the Chicago-based Southwest Youth Collaborative, one of the 12 documented communities of the Indivisible Project.

*Indivisible: Stories of American Community* exhibition at Terra Museum of American Art, 664 N. Michigan Avenue in Chicago, will continue through Sunday, November 26, 2000. For more information, call Terra Museum of American Art at 312-664-3939.

## Snowblower Sale— "Get 'em While It's Hot!"



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## Report Looks at Dog Breeds Involved in Fatal Human Attacks—Breed-Specific Legislation Not the Answer

Data contained within a report published in the September 15th issue of *The Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association* (JAVMA) indicates that although fatal human attacks appear to be a breed-related problem—pit-bull type dogs and Rottweilers—other breeds may bite and cause fatalities at higher rates. The report concludes that breed-specific legislation is not the solution to dog bite prevention.

The study was coauthored by investigators at the AVMA, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Humane Society of the United States, which maintains a registry of dog-bite related human fatalities. Data for dog bite related human fatalities that occurred between 1979 and 1996 was combined with data on newly identified fatalities for 1997 and 1998. During the past 20 years, at least 25 breeds of dog have been involved in 238 human fatalities. Pit bull-type dogs and Rottweilers were involved in more than half of these deaths. Twenty four percent of deaths involved dogs that were not restrained and were not on their owners' property; 58% of deaths involved dogs that were not restrained but were on their owners' property; 17% involved restrained dogs on their owners' property; and less than 1% involved a restrained dog off its owners' property.

"To decrease the risk of dog bites, several communities have enacted breed-specific restriction or bans," said Dr. Gail Golab, coauthor of the study and Assistant Director of the AVMA Education and Research Division. "However, the breeds responsible for human fatalities have varied over time. Since 1975, dogs belonging to more than 30 breeds have been responsible for fatal attacks on people including Dachshunds, Golden Retrievers, a Yorkshire Terrier and a Labrador Retriever," Dr. Golab explained.

She said that bans on a specific breed

might cause people who want a dangerous dog to turn to another breed for the same qualities they sought in the original dog such as large size and aggression easily fostered.

"A dog of any breed can become dangerous when bred or trained to be aggressive," Dr. Golab added.

Pediatrician and Medical Epidemiologist Dr. Julie Gilchrist from the CDC agrees. "Any dog can kill. Dog bite reduction strategies are more likely to be effective if they focus on reducing inappropriate dog and dog owner behaviors regardless of the dog's breed, instead of banning specific breeds," Dr. Gilchrist explained.

Dr. Randall Lockwood, Vice President, Research and Educational Outreach for the HSUS, points out that, "Because of difficulties inherent in determining breed with certainty, enforcement of breed-specific ordinances raises constitutional and practical issues."

"Fatal attacks represent only a very small proportion of dog bite injuries and shouldn't be the primary factor driving public policy regarding dangerous dogs," said Dr. Golab. Dr. Golab suggests that alternatives to breed-specific legislation should include: enforcement of generic, non-breed specific dangerous dog laws with an emphasis on chronically irresponsible owners; enforcement of animal control ordinances such as leash laws and fencing requirements; prohibition of dog fighting; encouraging neutering; and school-based and adult education programs that teach pet selection strategies, pet care and responsibility and bite prevention.

The coauthors of this study are available for individual comment: Gail C. Golab, PhD, DVM of the AVMA, at 847-925-8070, ext. 223; Julie Gilchrist, MD of the CDC, at 770-488-4652; and Randall Lockwood, PhD of the HSUS, at 301-258-3030.



## Stone Countertops and Floors Now at McCauley Design



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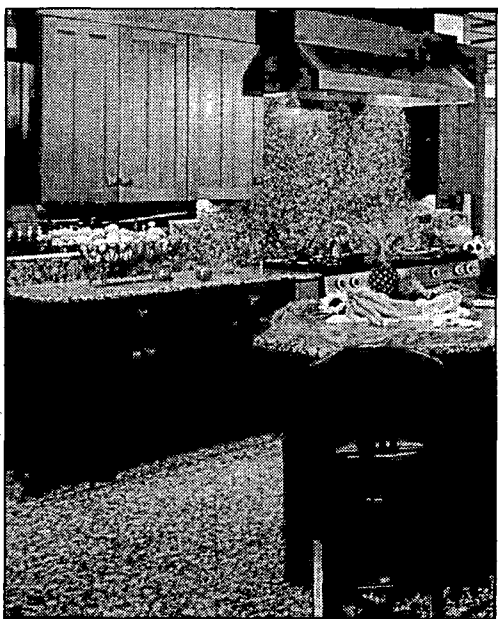
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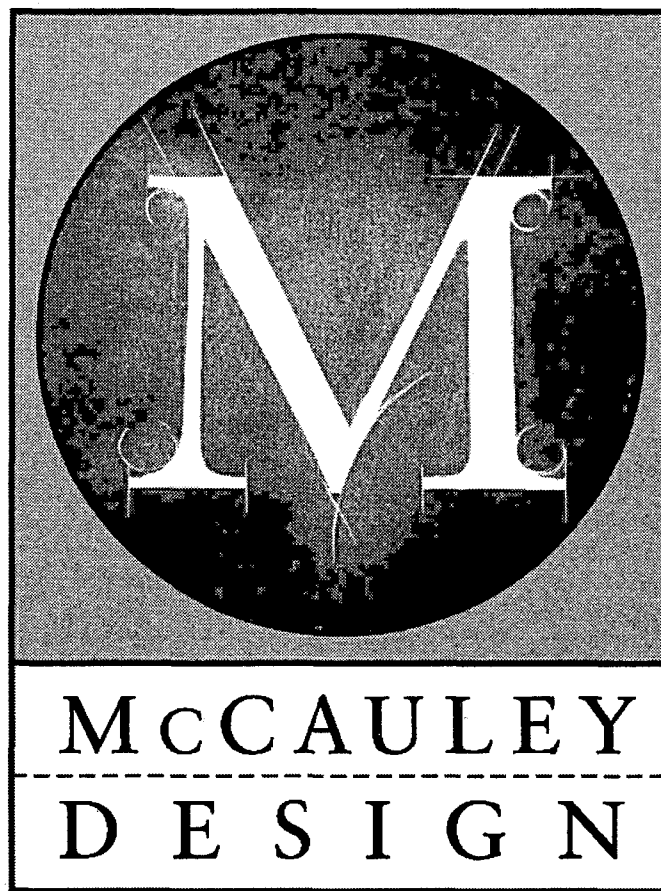


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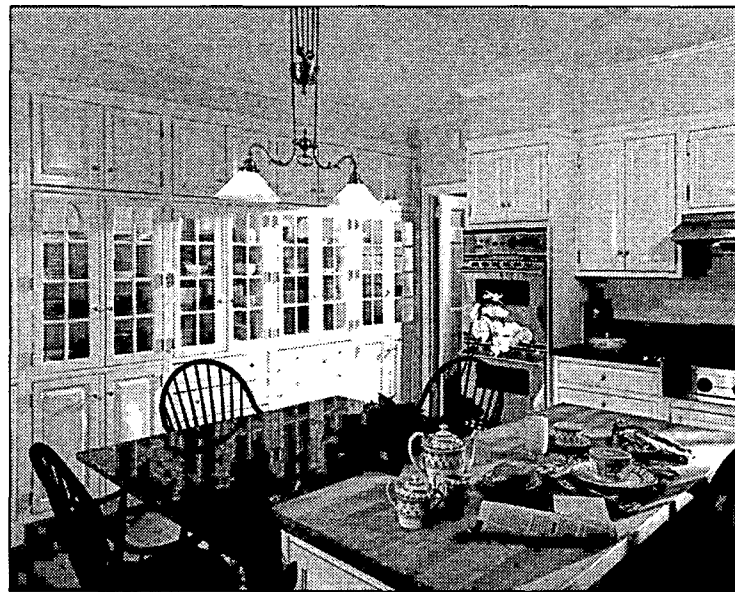


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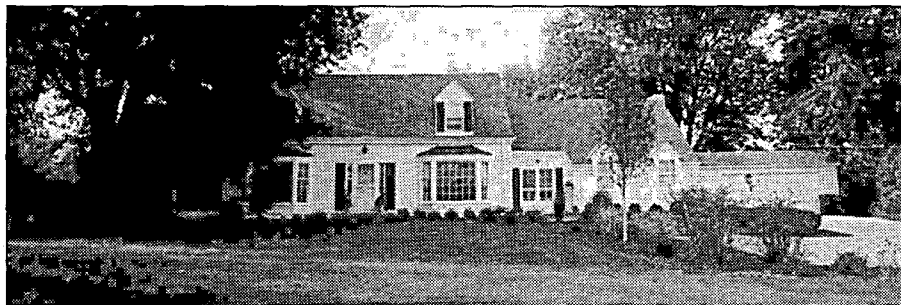
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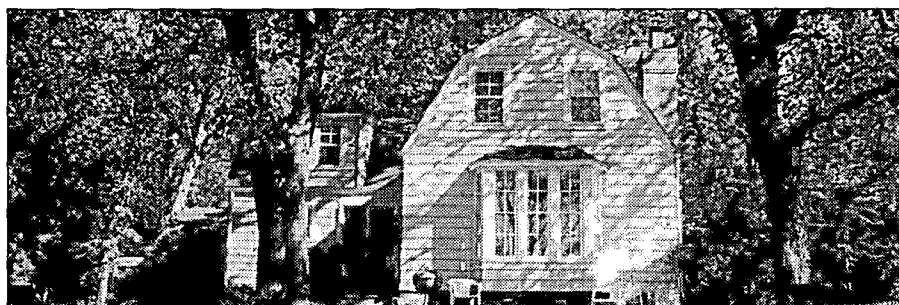
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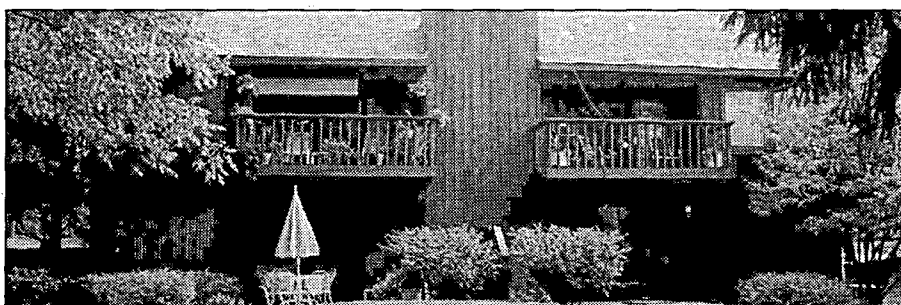
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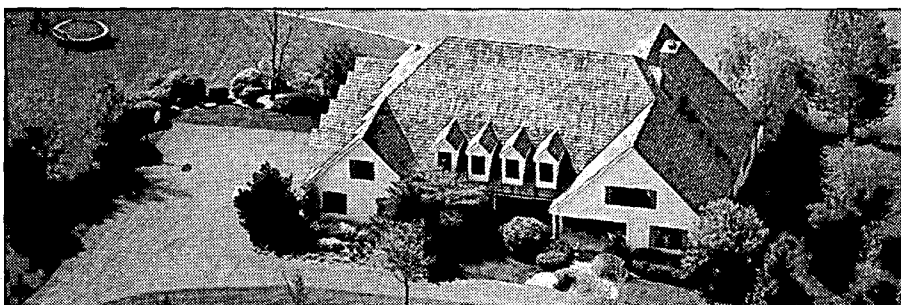
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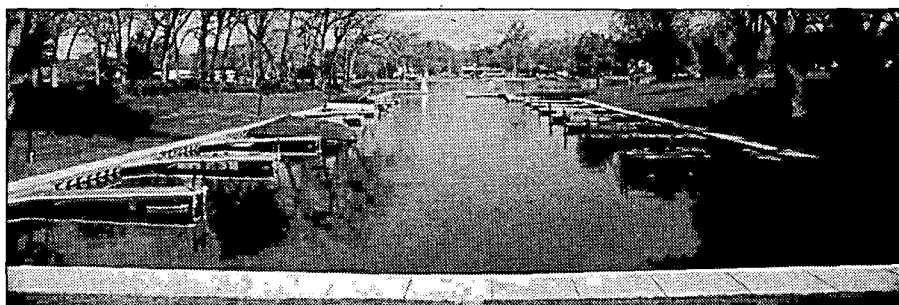
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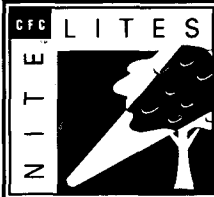
As soon as Mother Nature finishes with the colorful fall display of leaves, she quickly drops them into piles on the ground. Dry conditions have also started leaf drop earlier in some areas. As they drop, they can then be put to good use around the yard and garden. "Leaves can be used as mulch around trees and shrubs; as protection for winter sensitive plants; used for organic matter in gardens and flower beds; or placed in a compost pile for later use," says John Church,

Natural Resource Educator with University of Illinois Extension in Rockford.

Leaves can make good mulch beneath trees, shrubs and other landscape plantings. Chopping the leaves can help reduce "matting" of larger, wet leaves. If leaves in the yard are collected in a mower bag, the leaf and grass clipping combination is excellent for composting. If the material in the compost is predominantly dry leaves, some moisture may be needed to start the process.

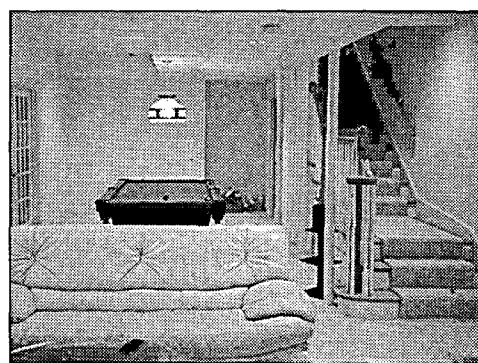
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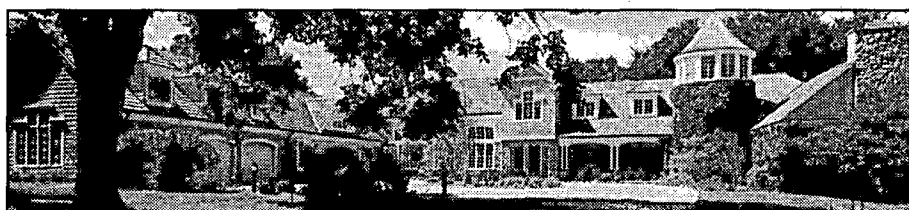
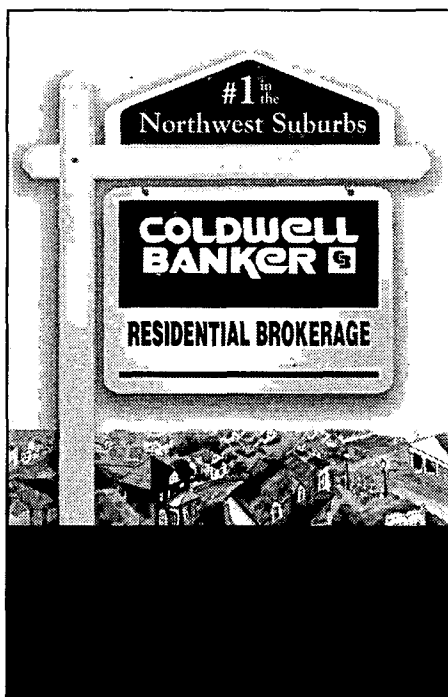
Most typical home applications of leaves to gardens or flower beds should not adversely affect the soil pH or nutrient content. Excessive applications in very small areas may have some impact.

If there is a concern about soil pH or other fertility, have the soil tested before and after applying large amounts of leaves. But time needs to be allowed for the material to break down. Fall is a good time to take soil samples for testing. Once every four to five years is often enough for most homeowners to test the soil, unless excessive amounts of material have been applied.

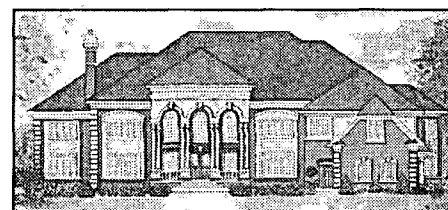
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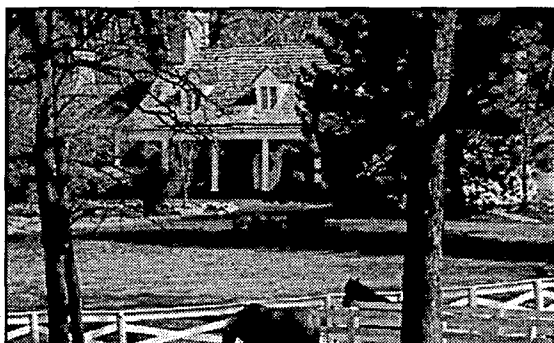
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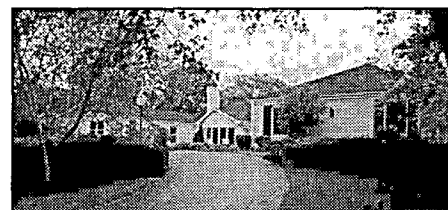
**Barrington Hills \$2,175,000**  
 5 BR, 5+ BA stone estate on 12+ acres w/ expansive views of Hawley Lake. Enormous room sizes. Full fin walkout LL. Quality finishes & superior construction.  
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**Barrington Hills \$3,995,000**  
 An Idyllic Country Retreat w/ every amenity. Set on 22 secluded wooded acres, this genteel estate of landmark status exudes charm. The main residence offers 6 bedrooms & 7 fireplaces plus a dramatic coach-house loft of generous proportions. A spring-fed lake, pool, tennis court, stable & pond complete this unique offering.  
**Donna Veller 847/465-2228**



**Barrington Hills \$1,999,000**  
 Stately 5-BR, 5.5-BA all-brick French provincial residence on wooded ridge. Beautiful millwork, moldings & architectural detail. 5 frpls & sparkling pool.  
**Meg Cleavenger 847/465-2259**



**Barrington Hills \$1,975,000**  
 Stunning 4-BR, 4.5-BA home. Kit w/ fire-lit hearth room, sunroom, fin walkout bsmnt, 4 frpls & 5-car gar. Priv w/ extensive patio areas, gardens & pool. Beautiful views.  
**Meg Cleavenger 847/465-2259**



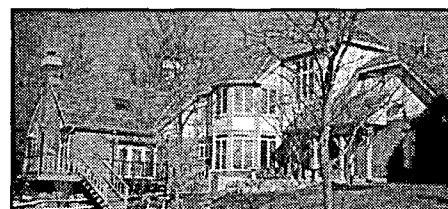
**South Barrington \$1,950,000**  
 Luxurious pondside residence offering 7 BR, 8.1 BA, 5 fireplaces, 3 kitchens, finished walkout LL & highest quality finishes. Parking for 5 cars & tennis court too.  
**Meg Cleavenger & D. Povrzenic 847/465-2259**



**Barrington Hills \$1,439,000**  
 Gated entry to home & grounds. Light & bright w/ vol ceil, gourmet kit & pantry. MS w/ sitting rm & frplc, lux BA w/ steam shower & whirlpool. Fin LL. Beaut ldsch.  
**Celeste Lockhart 847/465-2272**



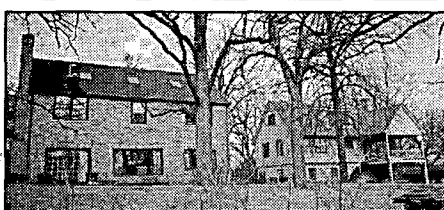
**Long Grove \$1,375,000**  
 Spectacular estate home is set on 3+ private wooded acres. Open floorplan w/ grand areas for entertaining. Indoor pool, 5 BR, 4.2 BA, 2 frpls, 4-car gar. Vol ceil.  
**Bonnie Paice & Shannon Paice 847/465-2223**



**Barrington Hills \$1,240,000**  
 Lakefront. English country estate home on wooded cul-de-sac w/ priv lake. 5 BR, 5.5 BA, marble & oak flrs, 2-story stone frplc in FR, fin walkout LL w/ frplc & full BA.  
**Tressa Borkon 847/465-2256**



**Lake Bluff \$1,195,000**  
 New construction. Brick 4-BR, 3.5-BA Georgian. 9' ceil, arches & columns, front & back stairs. Kit w/ granite island. Marble MBA w/ whrlpl. Fin bonus rm, prof ldsch.  
**Celeste Lockhart 847/465-2272**



**Barrington Hills \$1,050,000**  
 Opportunity to update this brick English country home w/ separate cottage apartment or build to suit your tastes on 6.9 wooded peninsular acres on Keene Lake.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



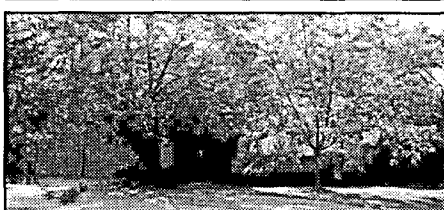
**Barrington Hills \$995,000**  
 Designated-historical Victorian home. Breathtaking 5+ acres in Barrington Hills. 5 bedrooms, 4 baths, fenced paddock. High ceilings & charming throughout.  
**Celeste Lockhart 847/465-2272**



**Long Grove \$924,900**  
 5 BR, 4+ BA home overlooking Melbourne golf course. Hrdwd flrs, columns, detailed architecture, dream gourmet kit, luxury master, 2-story family rm w/ pond views.  
**Celeste Lockhart 847/465-2272**



**South Barrington \$849,700**  
 Custom brick 5-BR, 4.2-BA w/ open floorplan, 3 frpls, 2-story GR, handsome master suite w/ sitting room, gourmet granite kitchen, fin walkout LL, tiered deck.  
**Barb Wessberg & Jack Sanderson 847/465-2298**



**Barrington Hills \$836,000**  
 Open 4-BR, 4.5-BA home in priv setting. 2 lofts & 2 frpls. Sunroom/sitting room, wet bar, inground pool, balcony, deck & patio. Fin LL w/ walkout. Balconies off BR.  
**Donna Lavin 847/465-2270**



**Barrington Hills \$799,000**  
 Historic 5-BR, 4-BA home on 3 wooded acres. Offers character & charm of 1875 classic, updated & expanded to suit today's needs. 3-stall barn, lovely gardens.  
**Meg Cleavenger & Greg Bradley 847/465-2259**

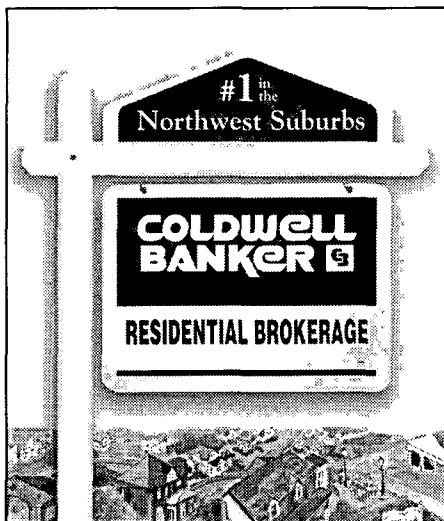


**Barrington \$699,900**  
 On 2+ acres, lushly landscaped w/ spring-fed pond. Georgian w/ superior crftsmshp. 4.1 BA, 5 BR or 1st flr study w/ full BA. Hrdwd flrs. Walkout LL; 3-car garage.  
**Mary Balistreri 847/465-2296**



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**Barrington Hills** **\$699,900**  
Lovely home on 5.9 acres. 4 BR, 4.5 BA, study, ult private master suite, kit w/ cherry cabinets. Magnificent grounds have pool, deck & patio. 4-stall barn w/ workshop, too.  
**Meg Cleavenger 847/465-2259**



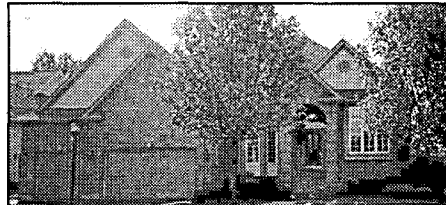
**Barrington** **\$689,000**  
Handsone stone hillside ranch set on 2 wooded acres w/ pond offers an open floorplan, soaring ceilings & great finished walkout lower level w/ 2nd kitchen.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



**Barrington** **\$689,000**  
Beautiful traditional 4-BR, 3.5-BA home. Gourmet kit w/ granite, gleaming hrdwds, 2 frplcs & fin ll w/ BA are just a few of many special features. Fielding Place.  
**Donna Veller 847/465-2228**



**Barrington** **\$669,999**  
Brick/cedar 4-BR, 3.5-BA 2-story w/ volume entry offers every amenity including: 9' ceilings, 3-car side-entry gar, English basement & 2-sty family room w/ stone fireplace.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



**Barrington** **\$659,900**  
4-BR, 3.1-BA brick 2-sty Colonial. Premier neighborhood. Walk to school, train & village. 3 yrs old. 2-sty foyer, spac kit, hrdwd flrs & security sys. 1 yr hm warranty.  
**Ron & Jeanine VanDeVelde 847/465-2282**



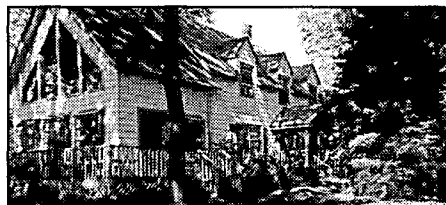
**Inverness** **\$624,500**  
4-bedroom, 3.5-bath Cape Cod on 2 acres in Macintosh Inverness is near schools, shops & trains. Updates include new carpet, a/c, furnace, roof & Pella windows.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



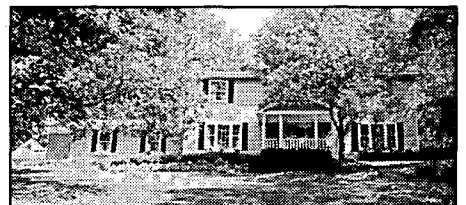
**Barrington** **\$619,900**  
4-BR, 2.5-BA all-brick Georgian on 1.3 lush acres. By Rino. Crown moldings & hrdwd flrs t/o. Kit w/ top-line appl. Sunrm w/ doors to deck w/ hot tub. FR w/ frplc & more.  
**Celeste Lockhart 847/465-2272**



**Barrington** **\$595,000**  
Sleek sophistication awaits you in this stunning contemporary w/ 4 bedrooms, 2.1 baths w/ fin basement & 3-car gar on a premium interior lot in Barrington schools.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



**Barrington** **\$555,000**  
This charming 4-BR, 2.5-BA updated farmhouse set on 6 acres is perfect for family & pets. Horses & rescued pets can call the 6-stall barn, paddocks & kennels home.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



**Barrington** **\$499,900**  
4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths. Remodeled by top builder. New cherry kitchen granite counters, maple floors, hearth room w/ fireplaces. Crown moldings.  
**Mary Balistreri 847/465-2296**



**Barrington Hills** **\$499,900**  
3-BR, 3.5-BA custom-built home. On 6+ heavily wooded acres. Comf flrpln, vlted ceilings & scrnd porch. Designed for entertaining & relaxation. Move in & enjoy.  
**Meg Cleavenger 847/465-2259**



**Lake Barrington** **\$479,000**  
3-BR, 3.5-BA Augusta. Neutral w/ new carpet. 1st floor master. 1st floor laundry w/ entrance from garage. Loft area. English basement. Great golf course location.  
**Sheri Wheeler 847/465-2290**



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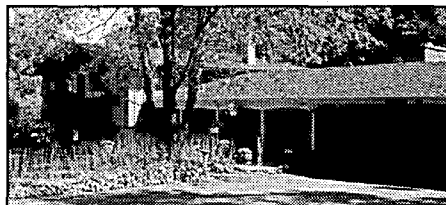
**Donna Veller**  
**847/465-2228**



**Barrington** **\$469,000**  
Enjoy new construction complete w/ modern amenities including 4 spacious BR, 2.5 BA, vaulted ceil & fireplace in FR, formal LR, DR & eat-in kit. Walk to shops & train.  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



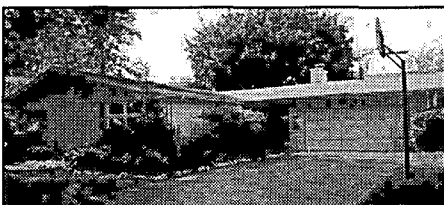
**Barrington** **\$366,000**  
This traditional New England Colonial offers a walk-to-everything location, 3 frplcs, gleaming hrdwd flring & updated kitchen. 4 BR, 2 BA & low Cook County taxes.  
**Donna Veller 847/465-2228**



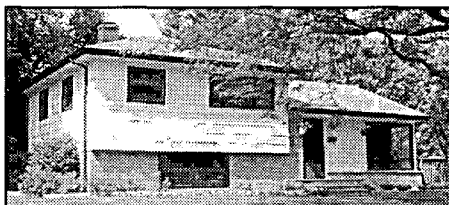
**Barrington Hills** **\$339,900**  
Charming 4-BR, 2.5-BA home on 1.75 priv acres. Newer BAs & white kit. Fin walkout ll w/ FR, study. Scrnd porch, oversized 2-car gar w/ large workshop, lovely yard.  
**Meg Cleavenger & Barb Wessberg 847/465-2259**



**Barrington** **\$259,900**  
Contemporary 3-BR, 2-BA ranch on landscaped lot. Den can be 4th BR. Open floorplan & vaulted ceilings. Patio w/ furniture & built-in buffet.  
**Mary Spinner 847/465-2284**



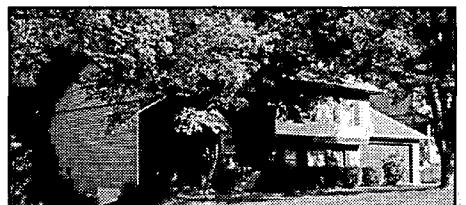
**Barrington** **\$269,700**  
Embracing 3-BR, 1.5-BA ranch in brick & stone. Walk to school, church & train. Fin basement w/ rec room. Huge screened porch. Island kit. Pro landscaping & much more.  
**Jack Sanderson 847/465-2278**



**Barrington** **\$259,900**  
Updated w/ new kitchen & granite counters. Refinished hardwood floors. Walk to train & schools. Low Cook County taxes.  
**Mary Balistreri 847/465-2296**



**Fox River Grove** **\$229,900**  
Wonderful 4-bedroom, 2.5-bath home. Pro landscaping, multi-level deck, vaulted ceilings, master suite w/ Jacuzzi tub, FR w/ fireplace. Plenty of storage in the basement.  
**Barbara Wessberg 847/465-2298**



**Cary** **\$216,600**  
Great condition & location, this 3-BR, 2-BA home has updated kit & BA, new roof & skylights. Walkout bsmt & sub-bsmt. In-town convenience w/ country charm!  
**Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211**



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# How to Buy A Village

When you look for a new place to live, you're not just buying a home—you're buying a whole community. One that will impact your life in subtle as well as obvious ways. Will your neighbors be close or distant? Will the schools challenge the bright mind as well as encourage each young person? Is there a richness of activities—sports, cultural and civic—to encompass your current interests and tempt you with new ones? At Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage, we help you find the lifestyle you want as well as the house. There are lots of choices. Let us help you make the right ones for you.

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## Lake Barrington Resident Co-Chairs American Cancer Society's 1st Annual Gala

Under the leadership of co-chairs Mary Gauwitz, Lake Barrington, and Eileen Conway, Des Plaines, over 20 communities in the Northwest Suburbs have come together to plan the American Cancer Society's 1st Annual Gala to be held on Saturday, November 18, at the Schaumburg Marriott.

Leading the sponsorship and underwriting efforts for the event are Barrington residents Tom and Cheri Sagehorn. Tom Sagehorn is a group president at Stewart Title Companies in Barrington and Cheri is a mortgage broker at Barrington Mortgage.

The gala includes a formal dinner, dance and silent auction and will celebrate the American Cancer Society's 25 years of service to communities in the Northwest Suburbs including the Barrington area. All proceeds will benefit the local American Cancer Society.

As part of the celebration, Prospect

Heights resident Alice Adkins will be presented with the Volunteer of the Year award. "Our office volunteers contribute their personal time to help out and don't always receive the recognition they should," said Gauwitz. "Alice spends hundreds of hours assembling 'Reach to Recovery' kits for breast cancer patients. Her contributions to our efforts are invaluable."

Many items have already been generously donated for the silent auction including: "A Day at the Races" Executive Box Seat Package for six at Arlington International Race Track, Four Seasons Indoor Golf passes, Second City tickets, an in-home massage for two, Bulls tickets and various weekend hotel stays.

Tickets for the gala are \$75 per person, \$700 for a table of ten or \$1,000 for corporate sponsored tables. For more information, call the American Cancer Society's Palatine office at 847-358-3965.

## Delta Zeta Alums Gather for a Holiday Bazaar

Delta Zeta Northwest Suburban Alumnae and guests will host a Holiday Bazaar at a member's home in the Northwest Suburbs on November 1, 2000, at 7 PM. The holiday bazaar will help raise money for philanthropies and the speech and hearing impaired.

Join us as we celebrate the holidays and shop with an array of selected vendors, including cutlery, Tupperware, baskets, decorative items and more! We hope to see our Delta Zeta sisters there!

Contact Michelle at 847-843-9052 or Laura at 847-358-0135.



## Tips from the Top

Margaret R. Semrad  
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Fairly often, I'm asked about Barrington's home prices and why I believe the value is here. At such times, I reflect on what we have in our community, what we are proud of and what we Barringtonians enjoy.

Thankfully, we have many choices of lifestyle. The Barrington Area has a mystique that encompasses tradition, quaintness, charm and sophistication! When Realtors work with potential buyers for Barrington, one of the first things we do is acquaint them with all the seven villages within The Barrington Area that fit the description of lifestyle they seek. Each village has a unique quality, a different ambience.

Even though the northwest corridor is exploding with growth and commercial activity, Barrington Area villages remain strongholds of the "country" lifestyle. A secure area for housing investment. Tried and true. Not chancy.

### What Features do Buyers Want from a Community?

- Convenient Transportation
- Good Schools
- Medical Facilities
- Cultural Activities
- Recreational Activities
- Low or No Crime

This is a normal list of community features. The Barrington Area offers all of these in depth and more. Barrington gives you:

**A Sense of Community**—A community built over many generations, Barrington exudes the small-town values of friendliness and kinship. Barrington has the indomitable hometown spirit of sharing. While many volunteer services are struggling to survive in other areas, Barrington has an abundance of volunteers for its hospital, library, fire and paramedic departments, schools and its many other special programs. It certainly has the hometown image, the appealing ideal of comfort, safety and belonging.

**Old and New**—The Barrington Area has many vintage homes. Many residents are restoring these historic structures. At the same time, new homes are springing up in every Barrington village.

**Space**—People come to Barrington for its wide open space. Adults and children need elbow room. Places to grow and

think. Barrington enjoys a "trucked away" atmosphere. Tranquillity and quietness... a place for walking along ravines or streams or lakes. A place to just "be".

**Products and Services**—Public schooling is the most important public service provided by Barrington when ranked in terms of expenditures. Barringtonians believe the amount spent on education reflects the high value that is placed on quality education. There is a definite correlation between quality education and grades that impact home prices.

A study done by Ohio State University on 134 school districts in Ohio determined that for each percentage increase in pass rates of 9th grade students on a statewide proficiency exam, house prices increased by one-half percent. Therefore, schools and housing values are linked.

Included in *Products and Services*, the Barrington Village has shops with up-to-the-minute merchandise for the entire family. In these days of E-Commerce, it's a delight to shop where merchants recognize you.

The ease of using a major tollway has certainly triggered the growth that Barrington has experienced, plus the number of employers located along the Northwest Tollway. The change in corporate demographics benefits lifestyle by decreased community and driving time.

For pleasure and pursuits, Barrington can excite any buyer recreationally. Each season promises something special. This autumn has been especially beautiful for hiking, biking or to ride on horseback over the 75 miles of trails in Barrington Hills.

Whatever anyone wants or needs, it's here in the Barrington Area. No other area we know of offers such variety, such depth of services and interests together with our special blessings of natural beauty and space.

If you're moving up to a larger home, if you're settling back to a smaller one, if you're in the mood for a change or have friends who are, we at **Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage** can help you here.

Because "here" is lots of places. The beautiful Barrington Area.

*Happy Thanksgiving* from all of us at the Dream House Headquarters.

## BHS Corral Wins 2nd Place Award

The 2000 Corral earned a Second Place award among yearbooks submitted this year to the American Scholastic Press Association in College Point, New York!

Congratulations to the staff: Selena Bavaro, Lauren Blanchette, Melanie Brew, Bridget Carroll, Deb Clarke, Jeff Garrette, Amanda Hein, Amber Karakosta, Tim Lardner, Jeff Majewski and Corynne Steindler.

Also to be included in acknowledgments are the following 2000 graduates: Katie Bauer, Katie Bastian, Mike Kaplan, Tina Karonias, Teri Knecht, Kim Rathmann, Megan Risko, Crystal Vasquez, Sarah Walker and Editors Hillary Saxon and Alison Wamberg. The cover was designed by Katie Claassen; faculty advisor is Jeffrey Dionesotes.



## From a Woman's Point of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

Being a phone operator at our dealership can be very trying at certain times of the day; we even have three separate consoles and rotate the job all day long to try to prevent burnout. We have over 20 lines that ring into the dealership.

When the Firestone tire issue broke, the telephones went insane. We have been in the tire business with Ford Motor Company for more than a year and a half. Pat Morgan, our parts manager, went immediately to all of our supplies to capture 500 tires even before Ford decided how to handle the situation.

Safety for our customers was our first and foremost concern. All the tires were checked in many, many vehicles and the tire pressure was put at 30. As a reassurance to our customers, in the over 1,000 tires that we have already replaced, we have not seen in this area faults other than normal wear and tear.

Hopefully some good will come out of this issue on both sides. The manufacturer will be more cognizant to seemingly



unrelated problems and we as consumers will do a better job in caring for our tires.

Having your pressure checked and your tires rotated regularly has always been recommended by both Ford Motor Company and the tire manufacturer but not always heeded by us, the consumer.

## Emkay Car Rental for Short Term Rent

**Emkay Car Rental** offers a great selection of specialty vehicles for short term rent. **Emkay** has the Jeep Grand Cherokee LTD, Cadillac Seville, Oldsmobile Aurora and the Ford Excursion. If something sporty appeals to you, the BMW convertible and BMW 5 Series are also available. If a van is needed for the family vacation, the Chrysler Town & Country

or the Oldsmobile Silhouette will fit your needs. Call us for other excellent selections, availability and price. In addition to **Emkay's** great rental selection, we also have an outstanding inventory for sale. (These are from **Emkay's** corporate lease returns.) **Emkay** also offers maintenance and body shop services for all your automotive needs.

## The Emperor and The Assassin at Harper

A sweeping historical Chinese epic, *The Emperor and the Assassin*, which will round out the Harper College Cultural Arts Film Series for Fall 2000, is showing on Wednesday, November 8, at 7:30 PM in the Theatre of the Business and Social Science Center, Room J143, 1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine.

Set during the Third Century B.C. when China was a collection of seven kingdoms, the film is about Ying Zheng (Li Xuejian), king of the most powerful territory, who wants to become emperor of all China by forcing all the kingdoms to band together. Ying doesn't know quite how to proceed until his concubine, Lady Zhao (Gong Li), devises a plan: stage a fake assassination attempt and blame it on the ruler of a nearby kingdom that has so far resisted Ying's attempts at unification.

The plan is for the assassination attempt to bring justification for an invasion on the kingdom of Yan by Ying, but the caper spins out of control when Ying's means start to obscure the ends. Slaughter and torture become common under his orders and his brutality alienates Lady Zhao. She falls in love with Jing Ke (Zhang Fengyi), the assassin she hires to pretend to attack Ying. A series of plot reversals, betrayals and surprises follow.

Directed by Chen Kaige (*Farewell My Concubine* and *Temptress Moon*), the film runs 161 minutes and is in Mandarin with English subtitles. Selected as one of the five Best Foreign Films of 1999 by the National Board of Review, *The Emperor and the Assassin* is rated "R" for violence.

The showing is free; call 847-925-6100 for more information.

## Master Dance Class Series Continues at BHS

Barrington High School's Fine Arts Department will present a series of Master Dance classes with professional dance teachers and performers. This year's series will offer technique classes in both modern and jazz dance disciplines. Developing technical skill and enhancing performance techniques will be the primary focus of these classes. Master teachers invited to conduct classes include Rhonda Hendrickson (formerly of the Hubbard Street Dance Company), Zineb Chraïbi (Melissa Thodos and Dancers)

and two artists to be announced at a later date. The series will consist of three Saturday morning classes from 10 AM to noon on: October 21, 2000; February 10, 2001; and April 7, 2001. Plus an afternoon workshop on December 9, 2000, from 1:30 to 3:30 PM will be offered. Single class fee is \$15. Class listings and instructors are subject to change due to guest artist scheduling.

For more information and registration, please contact Julie Salk at Barrington High School at 847-381-1400.

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## Facial Plastic Surgeon

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in the office, it should be an accredited facility with a licensed anesthetist or anesthesiologist on staff. You should feel at ease with your surgeon and able to relate well to him or her. You should be able to talk to previous patients if you desire.

At **The Center for Facial Plastic Surgery**, we make these criteria a priority. Dr. Churchill has been in practice since 1989 and is one of the few board certified facial plastic surgeons in the Chicago area. By limiting his practice to exclusively facial plastic surgery, Dr. Churchill has built a solid reputation for excellence. **The Center for Facial Plastic Surgery** was the first plastic surgery office in the Chi-

cago area to be accredited by the AAAHC.

Do your homework. Check to make sure that the surgeon's areas of expertise and corresponding board certification is in facial plastic surgery. The AAFPRS offers a physician referral hotline called the Facial Plastic Surgery Information Service (FPSIS). By calling 1-800-332-FACE, you can confirm a facial plastic surgeon's board certification. You should also check to make sure the doctor is in good standing with your local medical society and the hospital where he/she has privileges.

If you would like to schedule an appointment with Dr. Churchill, please contact our office at **847-304-1000**.

## Employment Agreements

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This article is not intended as legal advice. You should consult with an attorney for individual advice regarding your own situation.

Ms. Doran is licensed in Illinois and all

Illinois Federal Courts. She is the Chairperson of The Employment Law Committee for the Northwest Suburban Bar Association and is the President of Barrington Area Professional Women.

## BHS Fine Arts Department Presents Orchesis 2000

Barrington High School's Orchesis Dance Company will present its fall dance concert on Friday and Saturday evenings, November 10 and 11 at 7:30 PM, and Sunday afternoon, November 12 at 2:30 PM, at Barrington High School. Due to renovation concerns, performances will be held in the new BHS wrestling gym.

The program will feature works choreographed by Barrington High School

students and Orchesis sponsors Julie Salk and Carolyn Ernst. The program will include a variety of dance styles: jazz, ballet, modern, tap and social dance styles.

General admission tickets are \$3 for adults or \$2 for children. Senior Citizens 65 and older are free. For more information, contact Julie Salk at Barrington High School at 847-381-1400.

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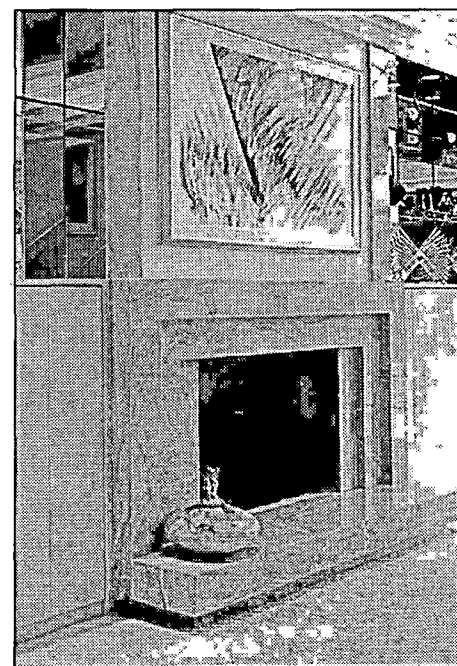
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