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Editor's Ink

September, 2000

Dear Reader,

Welcome to Autumn. This issue of *Lifestyles* seems to say, good bye summer, and get ready for an exciting new season!

Some dates you may want to mark down on your calendars are as follows:

Sunday, September 17 is BACOA's "Vintage Voila." Held at the Biltmore Country Club, this wine-tasting benefit will support the programs and services provided to the Barrington area's senior citizens and their caregivers.

Not until November 17, but a date to remember is Shelter's 13th Annual Charity Ball, "The Glow of the Future." To be held at Hyatt Regency Woodfield, the special guest speaker will be Kathy Brock, ABC Channel 7 news anchor. Funds raised will assist Shelter in offering community-based emergency and temporary care and housing for abused and neglected children and adolescents in the Northwest Suburbs.

On Sunday afternoon, September 17, at the beautiful new Metropolis Centre in Arlington Heights, the Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera, along with the Northwest and Skokie Valley Chapters of Lyric Opera of Chicago, will kickoff the opera season with a tri-chapter celebration. The program titled "An afternoon with Mark S. Doss," an internationally-renowned bass-baritone, will include concert arias, art songs and operatic arias from *Carmen*. Not to be missed!

Until next time, may all your thoughts be sunny.

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

About Our Cover

Evening sportswear. The skirt is encrusted with tweed illusion beading and paired with a stretch silk charmeuse crushneck. Linda Allard for Ellen Tracy—Fall 2000.



The Service Club of Chicago's "Day in the Country" Ends With a Splash at Hill 'N Dale Farm!

They came in limos, buses and cars—all 280 ladies and a smattering of men—to the glorious Duchossois estate in Barrington. A few of the non-believers came with umbrellas, but it never rains on Service Club's parade!

The Service Club of Chicago's annual "Day in the Country" marking their 110th year is the event of the summer for this illustrious group of women representing the oldest woman's organization in Chicago. Unique in that every dollar raised goes directly to aid area organizations for projects not covered by an agency's current operating budget, Service Club helps recipients to expand facilities, improve equipment and initiate new programs and over the years has given millions of dollars to help hundreds of area organizations. All areas of need are considered: welfare, health, educational and cultural. This year, allocations were made to 27 organizations throughout the Chicago metropolitan area. Northwest area allocations included: NICASA (Northern Illinois Council on Alcoholism and Substance Abuse) in Round Lake; TAG (The Advantage Group Foundation) in Crystal Lake; Boys and Girls Club of Elgin; and Camp Algonquin (Metropolitan Family Services). Other allocations includ-



Judi Duchossois, hostess of the day, models an original couture ball gown and matching opera coat by Italian designer Antonio Garcia exclusive to Starr Couture.

ed supporting a new clinic at La Rabida Children's Hospital; providing classroom equipment for Garfield Park Conservatory Alliance; a "Things That Go" exhibit for Kohl's Children's Museum; Illinois Spina Bifida Association Camp Ability Scholarships; Tuesday's Child; and Ballet Chicago.

The fashion show of shows presented by chairman Hazel Barr featured clothes

by Burberry, St. John, The 28 Shop from Field's Water Tower, Starr Couture of Barrington and York Furrier! The highlights of the show included the outstanding modeling of Scott Dahlin (manager of RL Restaurant); Skip Grisham on the runway instead of directing it backstage; Bunky Cushing escorting sable-clad Mamie Walton and Sheryl Dyer down the runway; and the surprise entrance of "Carol Channing" (Barbara Rinella).

Barrington's own Starr Couture, known for exclusive European collections not available anywhere else, first featured Buonomo—an exquisite day into evening, exclusive Italian collection of luxurious cashmere and fur creations—in a breathtaking array of luscious jewel tone colors. Then came glamorous evening gowns with German designer Heidi Beck, flown in by Starr for this show. One of her creations was modeled by President Jean Antoniou, a black evening gown with hand attached Swarovski crystals. The grand finale featured lovely new bride Judi Duchossois dancing down the runway in a show stopping original couture design ball gown and matching opera coat by Starr Couture's exclusive Italian designer Antonio Garcia!

York Furrier then filled the runway with fur after fabulous fur ending with Burberry bikinis worn under mink coats, which

were tossed aside by Eileen McDevitt and model Jim for a dive into the Duchossois pool!

Guests enjoyed the delicious luncheon beautifully presented by Froggies Catering (Terry Mace) featuring warm puree of Atlantic salmon on exotic greens with orange cayenne dressing and, for dessert, a caramel cup of peppermint mousse with fresh berries and white chocolate sauce.

Barrington Service Club members in attendance included: Ruth Race and her daughter Ann Heller; Peggy Scoville and her daughters Laura Ekstrom and Cindy Seibert; Mary Gallagher and Marilyn Hayden who worked hard on the Philanthropic Committee this year as a cochair; Marguerite DeLany Hark; Lee Nelsen; and new member Susan Gohl.

Barrington guests included: Mary Galvin, Sandy Denny, Betsey Wine, Evelyn Dawson, Bubs La Reno, Sammie Dowling, Penny Bennett and Karen Chambers.

The "Day" is a prelude for The Service Club of Chicago's 110th Annual Benefit Ball "Riviera Lights" to be held Friday, November 3, at the Four Seasons Hotel. Chaired by Sheryl Dyer and Hazel Barr, the Ball will feature auction, dinner and dancing to the Gentlemen of Leisure—an evening of chance and dance not to be missed!



Modeling sumptuous Buonomo cashmere and fur creations are Service Club Members (from left to right): Susan Gohl and Laura Ekstrom of Barrington; Eileen McKivett of Chicago; and Pat Pelzer of St. Charles.



Barrington Service Club members Peggy Scoville, Laura Ekstrom, Marilyn Hayden, Mary Gallagher and Cindy Seibert of Crystal Lake enjoy the beautiful grounds at Hill 'n Dale.

"William Merritt Chase—American Impressionist: An Art Institute Special Preview"

The Barrington Area Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will sponsor a program entitled "William Merritt Chase—American Impressionist: An Art Institute Special Preview" on Monday, September 18, 7 PM, at the North Barrington Village Hall, 111 Old Barrington Road in North Barrington. The program is free of charge and open to the public. This interactive slide lecture will introduce the fall blockbuster exhibition of the best-known American Impressionist that will be on display at the Art Institute of Chicago from September 9 through November 26, 2000.

Michelle Paluch-Mishur, an art historian and professor at Lewis University as well as owner of Art Excursions, will present the program. Ms. Paluch-Mishur has led

many programs at libraries and other venues in the Chicago area on a variety of art-related topics. Several libraries nominated Ms. Paluch-Mishur and her husband for *The Best of the Best III*, a guide for libraries interested in excellent presenters.

The program will preview the special exhibit at the Art Institute of Chicago of 35 paintings by William Merritt Chase. The focus of the exhibit will be on Chase's unique American approach to a favorite Impressionist subject matter—images of people at leisure in contemporary outdoor settings. Chase's paintings in the exhibit utilize the public park as a setting for informal activity. To supplement the theme of the exhibit, one gallery display will feature information on the design of various public spaces in Chicago and

A Visit with Lyle, the Crocodile

Barnes & Noble welcomes the lovable Lyle, the Crocodile.

On Saturday, September 30, and Sunday, October 1, at 1 PM, Lyle, the Crocodile will be visiting the children's department. Lyle, the Crocodile was created by Bernard Weber. 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.

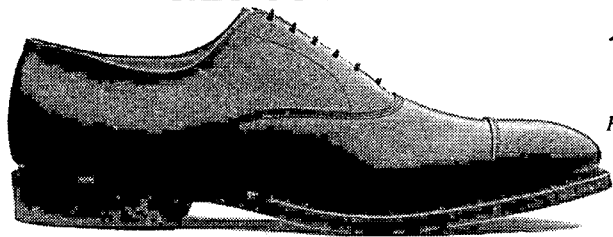
other cities. This program will discuss a selection of paintings from the exhibition and provide a cultural and historic context for Chase's position within the history of American art.

"Chase's work gives us a window into a very exciting time period. In the late 19th century, city parks were important gathering places, giving city-dwellers a site for relaxation; a place where they could get back to nature in a hectic world," explains Ms. Paluch-Mishur. "My lecture will address artistic goals that were unique to Chase as an American Impressionist as

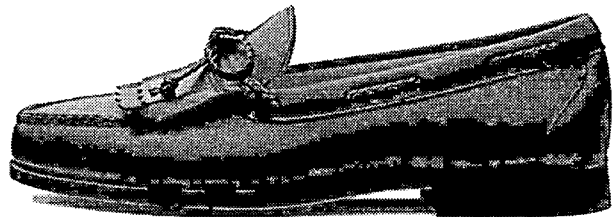
well as goals that he shared with his contemporaries."

AAUW is a national organization committed to educational equity for women and girls, life-long education and positive societal change. The Barrington Area Branch sponsors monthly programs, hosts social activities and is active in the Barrington community. Membership is open to anyone with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. For further information, call 847-842-0456.

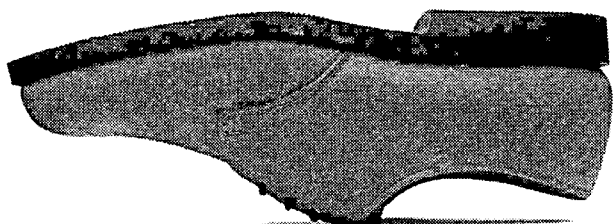
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Lyric Opera's First Tri-Chapter Concert Celebration



Pictured are chapter program chairmen, from left: Bob Plagemann, Chicago, representing the Barrington Chapter; Marion Goldberg, Skokie, Skokie Valley Chapter; Jeanette Urbain, Arlington Heights, Northwest Chapter; and Alan Salzenstein, Skokie, who serves as the executive director for the Metropolis Performing Arts Centre. J. Gerard's bistro will provide a lite supper buffet following the program. Pictured with the opera group is Sym"pony" #5, a musically decorated pony sponsored by the Metropolis Youth Symphony Orchestra.

The boards of directors of the Barrington, Northwest and Skokie Valley Chapters of Lyric Opera of Chicago will host an opening night celebration at 2 PM on Sunday, September 17, in the beautiful new Metropolis Centre, 111 West Campbell St., Arlington Heights. The centre's entrance is on Campbell; parking is on Vail. Valet

parking available.

Members of the three chapters and their guests will enjoy "An Afternoon with Mark S. Doss." Internationally renowned bass-baritone, Mr. Doss will entertain with concert arias and art songs as well as operatic arias from last season's *Carmen* where he portrayed Escamillo the bull-

Citizens for Conservation Launches Season of Seed Collecting

Bob Roth and son invite volunteers of all ages to join CFC in a fall restoration activity—collecting seeds of native plants. The seeds are later sown in Barrington area nature preserves.

Volunteer workdays are Thursdays and Saturdays from 9:00 to 11:00 AM and Sundays at 3:30 PM. Volunteers meet promptly at The Foundry Shopping Center, Route 14 and Hart Road, northwest of Barrington. The group meets in the center of the parking lot, north of the construction fence. Bring work gloves. Individuals, families, youth and corporate groups are welcome.

For further information, call CFC at 847-382-SAVE (7283).



fighter. In the upcoming season at Lyric Opera of Chicago, he will appear in *Attila* and *Barber of Seville*.

Piano accompanist for the afternoon will be Donna Brunsma who has served as Lyric Opera of Chicago's Assistant Conductor, Children's Chorus Master and musical coach with the Lyric Opera Center for American Artists. Currently, she coaches with Opera Theatre Lucca, the University of Cincinnati summer program in Italy.

A "Meet the Artist" reception will follow. J. Gerard's Bistro will provide a delectable lite supper buffet including a Mediterranean antipasto table, a beef carv-

ing station, a pasta and a dessert station with hot beverages. The cost is \$40 per person. Cash bar. Seating is limited. Reservations will be filled in the order that checks are received. Please indicate all names of persons and send checks payable to: BCLOC (Barrington Chapter) c/o Susanne Wells, 225 Timber Ridge, Barrington, IL, 60010 or c/o NWLOC (Northwest Chapter), 203 Stafford Dr., Wheeling, IL, 60090.

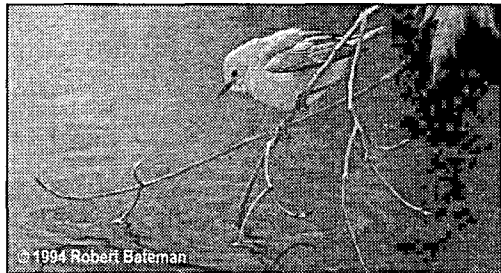
For inquiries on the Barrington Chapter, phone membership chair Howard Robins at 847-437-2158. For inquiries on the Northwest Chapter, phone Jeanette Urbain at 847-392-4416.

Gallery Unveils New Releases from Two Great Artists

Pino, the artist whose giclées are the benchmark to which all others are compared, is back in the spotlight with an exciting new release. Just unveiled at **Woodland Art Gallery** is Pino's latest masterpiece, *My Little Girl*. Masterfully and painstakingly executed, tiny sprayed paint droplets, almost invisible to the eye, shape the human forms in the touching moment between mother and daughter. Highly collectable, Pino giclées are signed and numbered limited editions. Additional works by Pino are also available at the gallery.

Woodland Art Gallery, much acclaimed for its outstanding collection of limited edition prints by Robert Bateman, the world's most collected and sought-after wildlife artist, is also pleased to announce the arrival of Bateman's newest release, *Prothonotary Warbler*. Always a tale behind his art, Bateman explained that it came during the peak of the spring migration, with the trees heavily laden with blossoms and "dripping with birds." The warbler of Bateman's focus must have been the one taking roll call that day. The limited edition print is now on display at the gallery for your viewing pleasure.

Whether you find enjoyment in the natural beauty of wildlife art or delight in the whimsy of an enchanting scene, **Woodland Art Gallery** features wall-to-wall pleasures including serigraphs,



Prothonotary Warbler
by Robert Bateman, 7" x 12".

limited edition prints, giclées and original works by today's most celebrated artists. The gallery also features oil repligraphs on canvas of some of the most memorable and famous works by legends such as Claude Monet, Vincent Van Gogh, Frank W. Benson, Paul Cezanne, William Bouguereau, Leonardo DaVinci, Michaelangelo and Frederick Remington.

Established in 1980, the gallery is also the area's most respected and knowledgeable source for locating sold out works on the secondary market. They also offer museum mounting, custom matting and framing to assure the value of your artwork.

Visit **Woodland Art Gallery** at 71-B East Woodstock Street in downtown Crystal Lake. Open Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 5 PM; Saturday from 9 AM to 3 PM. Phone **815-459-0460**. Visa and MasterCard accepted. Shipping is available anywhere.

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Musical Performances

In September, Barnes & Noble welcomes Michael Strening Jr. and Jazz Trio Sessions.

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tion.

On Saturday, September 30, at 8 PM, Barnes & Noble welcomes back Jazz Trio Sessions. You will be captivated as you listen to this popular local trio as they perform well-known hits by George Gershwin and much more.

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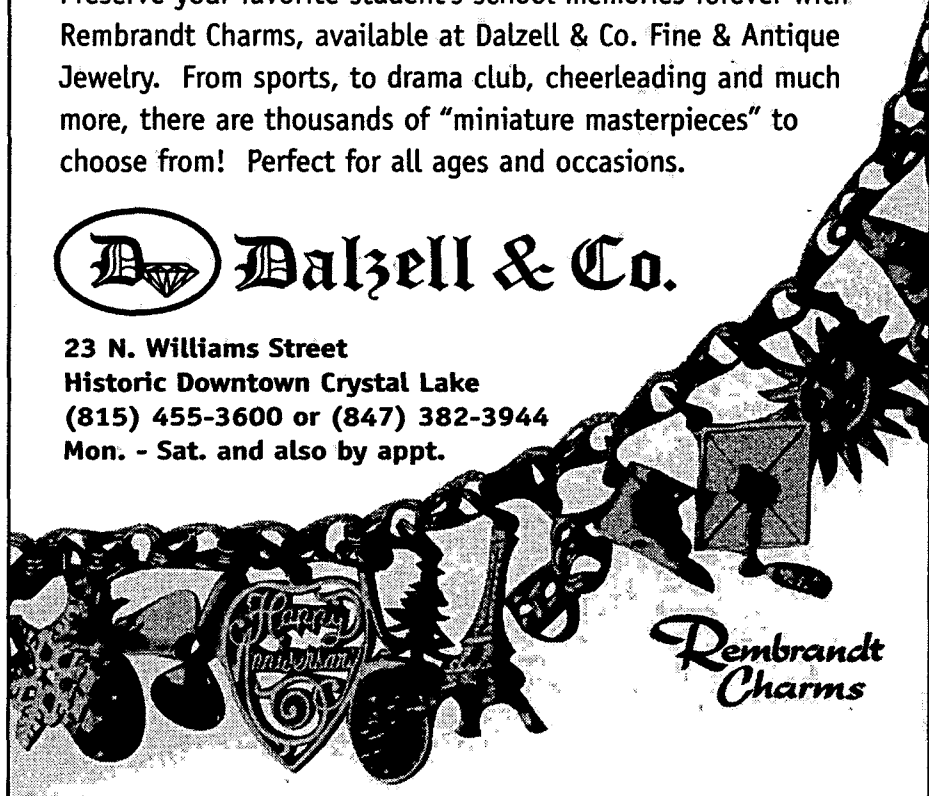
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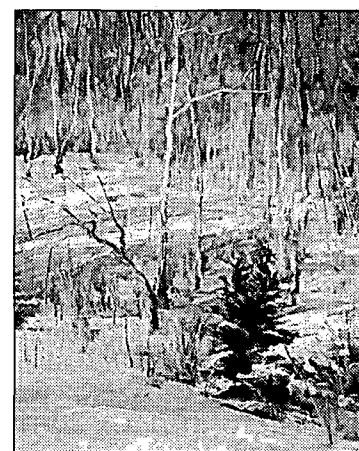
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Regional OPA Show Opens September 15

Dunton Gallery will be hosting an Oil Painters of America (OPA) Midwest Regional show which will open Friday, September 15, at 6:30 PM with a reception for artists, collectors, the public and the press. The show will continue through October 14 at the gallery which is located at 18 S. Evergreen Ave., Arlington Heights.

The Midwest Region of OPA consists of 17 states from the Canadian border to Texas, from Nebraska to Ohio and is the



February Sun by Richard M. Dziak, 20" x 16".

home for some truly incredible contemporary masters of representational art. The paintings in this show have been selected using strict criteria for quality in composition, technique and overall expression of talent.

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Running Through the Willows by Richard S. Johnson, 24" x 30".



Yellow Roses by Bonnie Paruch, 22" x 28".



Giverny Pastoral by Rachel Berlinger, 30" x 40".

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Radio Talk Show Host to Speak at Barrington Hills Country Club

On September 12, the Welcome Wagon Club of Barrington will have their season opening luncheon at Barrington Hills Country Club. The members welcome all women (space permitting) from Barrington and surrounding communities to join them for what will be an interesting and informative program.

The luncheon speaker will be Dean Richards who oversees the production of commercials and public affairs for WGN radio. Since taking over for the legendary Roy Leonard, Richards covers entertainment, arts, food and dining on his own show, "Dean Richards Sunday Morning,"

(Sundays from 9 AM to 1 PM), and also on Chicago's top rated morning show, "The Spike O'Dell Show." Richards also contributes to the *Chicago Tribune* Friday Section, writing dining reviews from his "Dean's List of Chicago Dining." He plans to speak to members about food and restaurants in the Chicagoland area.

Please mark your calendars now and join us for a social hour at 11 AM with a delicious luncheon and speaker to follow. The cost will be \$28. Make your reservation by calling Carol at 277-1316 or Ann at 277-7700.



Making plans for the September 12th luncheon are: (left to right) Carolyn Walton, Marie Carfagno and Ann Evanson.



Barrington ICE HOUSE MALL



Peter Daniel Presents Two Fall Trunk Shows for Men—September 23

Visit our Men's Department on Saturday, September 23, to order custom made suits, sport coats and dress slacks from Matteo Maas. Your order will be delivered back to our store in 2½ weeks! Choose from a large selection of swatches and models. Bruce Brandt from Matteo Maas will be here to assist your selection of off-the-rack or custom made garments.

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Look for fringe, feathers and furs on everything this fall. These dramatic trims are everywhere from fur collared sweaters to fringe trim on skirts and jackets. You'll



"Fetching" sweaters add fun to fall outings. Available at Peter Daniel.

want to add at least one of these unique items to your wardrobe. Exotic skins are also making a fashion statement from jackets in leather and suede to python jeans.

Dressing this fall is definitely fun and definitely wild. What could be more fun than a sweater with your favorite pooch? Our favorite is from Sweater Sweater. We have other fabulous sweaters for every occasion.

Peter Daniel will have an informal modeling of fall and holiday fashions on September 16 from Noon to 2 PM in our Ladies' Department.

And don't miss **Peter Daniel's 27th Anniversary Sale**. It's the perfect time to buy clothes that fit your lifestyle and all at great prices.

Peter Daniel is located on the first level of the Ice House in Barrington and is open seven days a week for your shopping convenience.



Gran Sasso sweaters for autumn available at Peter Daniel.

Fabergé Eggs, Chicago Cows and "Quilt for a Cure"; Fashion Show with Madeline and Katie K. Bluegrass Band...

...will highlight events planned in September at the **Ice House Mall**.

On September 8, the Barrington Area Arts Council Gallery Walk begins with the Fabergé Collection at **Chesterfield Glass Galleries**. Sisters Too, creators of four "Chicago Cows on Parade," will be in the **Tina Han Gallery** with four special "Treasured Bovines." The Mercury Chicago's Skyline Cruiseline Cow *The Accidental Tourist* will be on display from the 7th to the 12th. A reception with refreshments will be Friday the 8th from 6 to 9 PM. Win a \$750 Fabergé *Anastasia Egg*. No purchase necessary. The Gallery Walk will also have a Gourmet Tasting with **The Canterbury Shoppe**. And **Lea Image Studio** will present "The Artists of Face Painting" with Suzie the Ballerina Clown along with facial and makeover specials.

On September 16, **Tommy-Terri** will showcase children's fashions with a performance by the Barrington Suzuki Strings at 11 AM and a Fashion Show with Madeline and guest Lester the Professional Fool at 11:30 AM. **Peter Daniel** will feature an informal modeling and the Jacobs High School Chamber Orchestra in

the afternoon.

"Quilt for a Cure" from **A Touch of Amish** will offer an array of hand-crafted quilts from September 12 to 18. And one double queen size quilt is to be given away to benefit the Breast Cancer Research Foundation. Barrington's own Lynn Rice will be here demonstrating the "Art of Quilt Making" on the 17th from Noon to 3 PM. Starting also at Noon will be a special appearance of Katie K., "The Brittany Spears of Bluegrass Music," a 15-year-old violin prodigy. She will be accompanied by her Rockwood Junction Band.

Men's Trunk Shows at **Peter Daniel** featuring Matteo Maas & Mephisto Shoes will be on the 23rd. Enjoy a Fall Fashion Preview presented by **Savvy Spirit** and **Lauren's Lingerie** on Thursday, September 28, from 5 to 8 PM. Refreshments will be served.

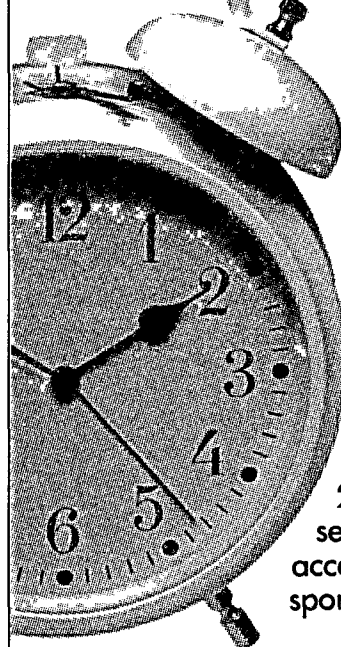
For the month of September, **Stay Tooned Gallery** will be showing "The Art of Cinderella" and original art from *Lady and the Tramp*. And **Peter Daniel** will hold their 27th Anniversary Sale.

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Savvy Spirit features
Valo Smycken from Finland

SEPTEMBER 12TH-18TH

"Quilt for a Cure" Exhibit
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SEPTEMBER 16TH

Barrington Suzuki Strings, 11 AM
Children's Fashion Show, 11:30 AM

Tommy-Terri Fashions with
Madeline & Lester the Clown
Peter Daniel Informal Modeling,
12 to 2 PM

Jacobs Chamber Orchestra, 2 to 4 PM

SEPTEMBER 17TH

Touch of Amish's Lynn Rice,
12 to 3 PM, "Quilt for a Cure"
Katie K. & Rockwood Junction
Bluegrass, 12 to 2 PM

SEPTEMBER 23RD

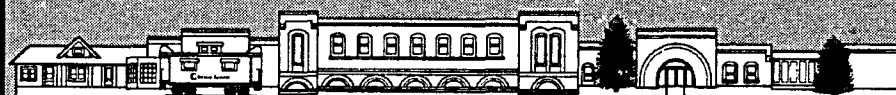
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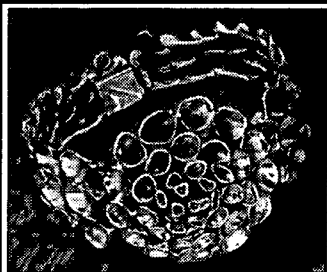
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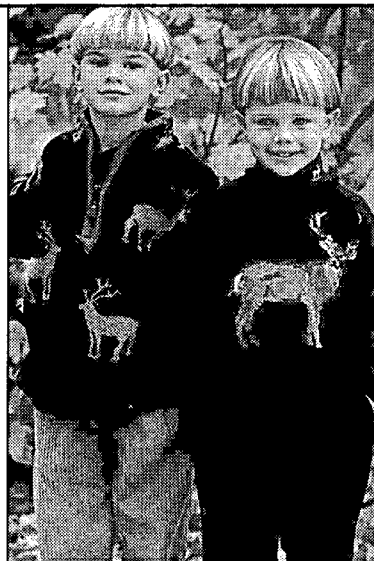
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Our Fall 2000 Collections promise to tempt you with wonderful textures and alluring colors. There is a sophisticated look to clothes with a little bit of "attitude" that makes fashion this fall so much fun. Beautiful leathers, suedes and colorful animal prints add to the charm of the season. Shawls and ponchos will be sweeping the market as will the Asian and Indian influence on clothing and accessories. Designers have kept that extra stretch in many of their collections, adding to the comfort and travel ease.

Gold and bold is back in jewelry as are belts of all sizes and shapes—wide, narrow, animal prints and chains. The small handbag continues to be the accessory of the year.

As always, we will be carrying your favorite lines with lots of new and exciting ones as well. Our staff has a natural talent for helping you achieve the look you want and are always willing to give you special attention if needed.

We look forward to seeing you soon and to help you with your fall choices.

—The Gals at **Savvy Spirit**: Rosemary, Linda, Raye, Alice, Carol, Donna, Marlene



Tommy-Terri Fashion Show—Come Look and See What We Have to Offer!

Mark your calendars for September 16 at 11:30 AM and come see the newest fashions for school and special occasions at **Tommy-Terri** at the Ice House Mall.

For back to school, **Tommy-Terri** will be showing **Tractor** jeans with the swirl dye tops from **Rosie Girl** and don't forget the up-to-date styles of **At-E-Tudes**. This season, **Tommy-Terri** is introducing several new lines, so be on the look out for **Rubbies**, **Regatta** and **Louphoque**.

The boys will really enjoy seeing the casual looks from **Jeep** with rip stop pants to oversized tops. Casual dress is

always great for the weekends and special occasions, so be sure to come and see our selections from **Calvin** and **Imp**.

We will also be featuring our outerwear from **Cherry Tree**, **Hartstrings** and **Up and Away**. The new shelled fabric is great for both girls and boys.

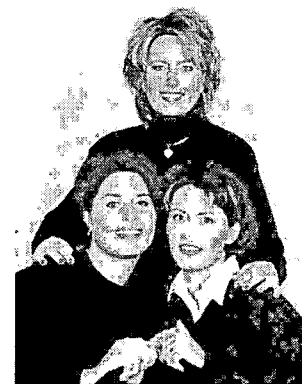
Along with a special guest, these are just a few of the highlights we will be featuring. As always, our staff is eager to help you in making the right choice and to answer any questions. So please put aside Saturday, September 16, to stop in and see **Tommy-Terri** fashions.

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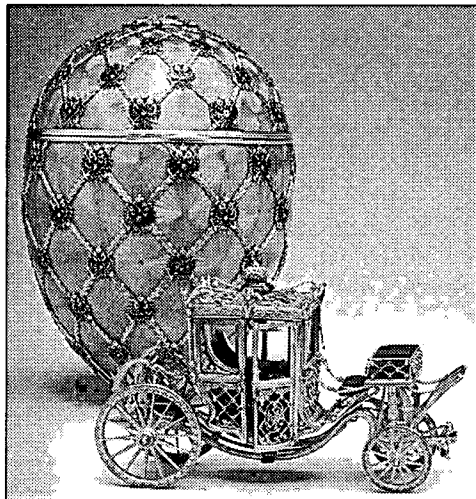
Fabergé—St. Petersburg, Moscow, London and Chesterfield's

Chesterfield Glass Galleries will be celebrating their 5th Anniversary and the Barrington Area Arts Council Gallery Walk. The opening reception will be Friday, September 8, from 6 to 9 PM.

Stop by **Chesterfield** and enjoy the largest collection of Fabergé on display including magnificent caviar servers. Robert Ganshorn will present the entire collection. Join us for hors d'oeuvres and refreshments on Friday evening. The Fabergé collection will remain in the gallery on Saturday, September 9, and Sunday, September 10. Enter our drawing for an Anastasia (limited edition) Fabergé egg—value \$750. Entry forms begin Friday at 6 PM through Sunday, September 10. The drawing will be held on Monday, September 11. No purchase is necessary.

The historical background of the Easter egg is well known. Since early Christian times it was a symbol of the Resurrection of Christ and later a symbol of life itself. Easter, the most important of the Orthodox Church feasts, has given rise to the deepest feelings and most joyous celebrations in Russia, where the Easter coincides with the beginning of spring, a release from a long icebound winter.

What makes Fabergé eggs so special? It was Fabergé's genius to take an existing tradition and develop it to the highest quality. The concept of creating a series of Easter eggs for the Imperial Family over



Coronation Egg by Fabergé

a period of more than 30 years makes him, without parallel in history, one of the great jeweler-artists.

We hope you can join us on Friday evening or over the weekend to view this magnificent and surprisingly affordable collection. Remember **Chesterfield Glass Galleries** for your entire gift giving occasions and home decorating needs. We represent over 130 glass artists and have a collection of over 450 unique works of art glass.

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Cows to Capture the Hearts of Gallery Patrons; Gallery Walk to Include Tina Han Gallery By Cyndy Sue Walters

Moo... ving right along into September, participants of the BAAC Gallery Walk will have a chance to meet the dynamic duo of Sisters Too, Inc. and enjoy some of their bovine beauties at **Tina Han Gallery** in the Ice House Mall. Sisters Maryanne Warton and Ginny Sweeney (artist and promoter, respectively) will be guest artists for the gallery opening on September 8, which kicks off the annual event sponsored by the Barrington Area Arts Council.

When Sisters Too, Inc. began in 1996, Ginny Sweeney's hope was to encourage her sister, Maryanne, to use her artistic talent to substantiate a business that would bring them together professionally. They have *milked* each other's abilities to the fullest, developing a business which combines art, advertising and packaging. A business which has quickly reached notoriety by developing three Chicago-Cows-On-Parade.

As Ginny's visions *graze* through the endless (as she sees it) business possibilities, Maryanne has an incredible ability to develop unique and whimsical concepts. Her creativity is evident in her designs found on such improbable surfaces as walls, boxes, ornaments, furniture, shoes,



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cars and fiberglass cows. Much of Warton's style of art might be called double-dimensional because of her ability to build two-dimensional art on three-dimensional objects such as cows and boxes.

It should be said that Maryanne Warton tells a story through her painting. Behind each cow character is a delightful *tales* of intrigue, adventure and romance. The artist's wildlife designs on keepsake boxes, detail precious faces of jungle animals that exude a type of sentimentality one usually expects from the face of an angel.

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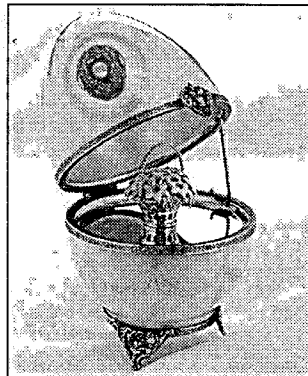
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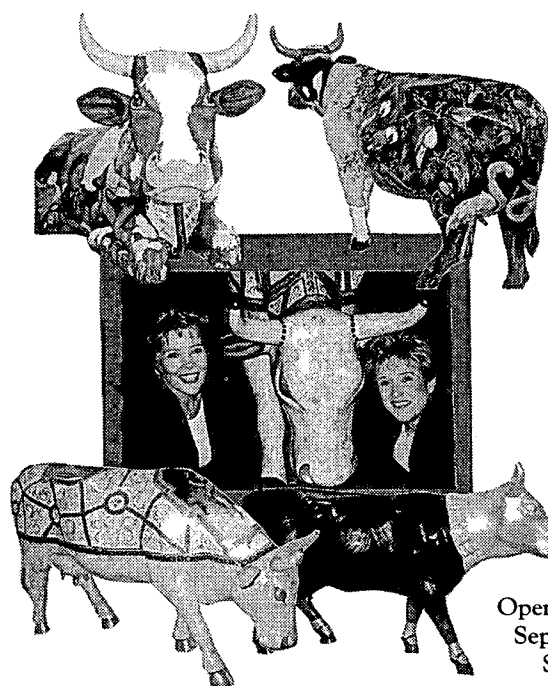


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Maryanne Warton, the artist, and her sister/promoter, Virginia Sweeney, a.k.a. "The Cowgirls" will be on hand for an evening of fun and cow talk. Their beautiful Boxes and Bovines are available and the intriguing stories behind them will be shared at Friday evening's Gallery Walk reception.

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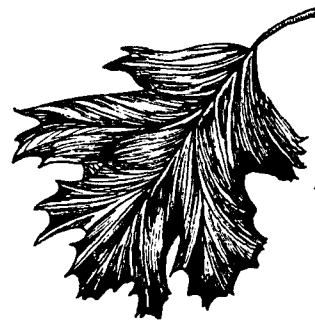
It's not too early to select your holiday cards, especially when **Little Shop of Papers** is offering a **15% savings** if your order is placed by September 30.

There are over 40 Christmas albums to choose from and the variety is endless—religious, traditional, and more! Many albums are devoted entirely to photo cards for that special personal touch!

So mark your calendars—Wednesday, August 30 through September 30 to enjoy **big savings** (free return address with many companies to double your savings)!

Little Shop of Papers is conveniently located in the Barrington Foundry, corner of Hart Rd. and Northwest Hwy. Hours are Monday through Saturday 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM; Thursday 9:30 AM to 7:00 PM.

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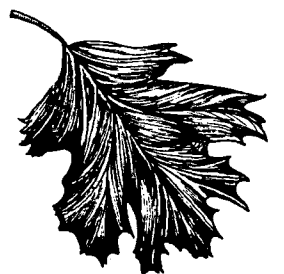


As summer slips away for another year, our thoughts turn to cool days and a warm home. Soon, nature's autumnal palate will grace our landscape in all its jewel-tone richness. **Trianon Fine Furnishings and Accessories** invites you to celebrate the season by strolling our aisles brimming with all the cozy, colorful comforts of fall.

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Tri Delta Sorority Meeting


The Chicago Northwest Suburban Chapter of Delta, Delta, Delta Sorority meets the second Tuesday of each month.

The September 12, 2000, meeting will be a catered dinner at 7 PM. For further details, call Genny Ellefson at 381-5228.

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A Housewalk through the Inverness Countryside to Benefit Children's Center

In September, the Northwest Suburban Guild of Children's Memorial Medical Center will sponsor the guild's main fundraiser Celebrations VIII, a housewalk through the lovely Inverness countryside with its sweeping lawns and traditional homes. Four lovely homes will be presented along with a boutique. The theme of the event is children's celebrations, with each home showcasing a setting for a child's birthday party. Advance sale tickets will receive a complimentary luncheon hosted by Richard Honquest Fine Furnishings. Housewalk tickets are \$50 each.

Celebrations VIII promises to be an ex-

citing event. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Janice and Kimberly Brown Family Life Center. The center provides a home away from home where patients can play and interact with their families.

The mission of the Children's Memorial Medical Center is to provide the highest standard of health care to its immediate neighbors and surrounding regions, to teach in the fields of dentistry, medicine, surgery, nursing and the allied health professions, and to advance medical knowledge through research.

This event is by invitation only. Contact Sandy at 847-843-1826 for details.

Changing Seasons!

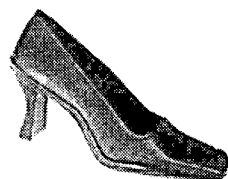
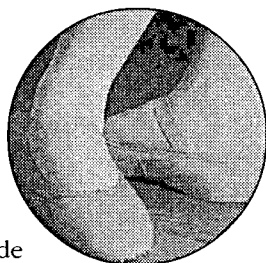
There are many changes that happen this time of year. **Back-to-School** leads the way with styles from Skechers, Dr. Marten, Adidas, Nina Doll, Jumping Jacks, Stride Rite, Harley Davidson and Elefanten.

For **Ballet Season**, **Tootsies** now offers Capezio ballet shoes, tights and leotards.

Soccer Season calls for Adidas and Stride Rite for indoor and outdoor play.

Social Season for September and October calls for open the open sexy styles from Adrienne Vittadini and Donald Pliner. Sheer to the waste control top panty hose from Calvin Klein, Pashmina shawls and beautiful costume jewelry are all found at **Tootsies**.

Autumn calls for lifestyle footwear such as clogs and loafers from Cole Haan, Ariat and Dansko. Boots are more important again. They range from high and pointed to Western to Euro and trendy. Autumn also means suits and modern pumps from Donald Pliner, Prevata, Sesto Meucci and Adrienne Vittadini.



And lastly, the change of season even happens in **Tootsies' Back Room Bargains**. A fresh selection of discontinued styles from our own inventory has been made available. Styles range from casual to dress and even some boots, all at great values of up to **60% OFF**.

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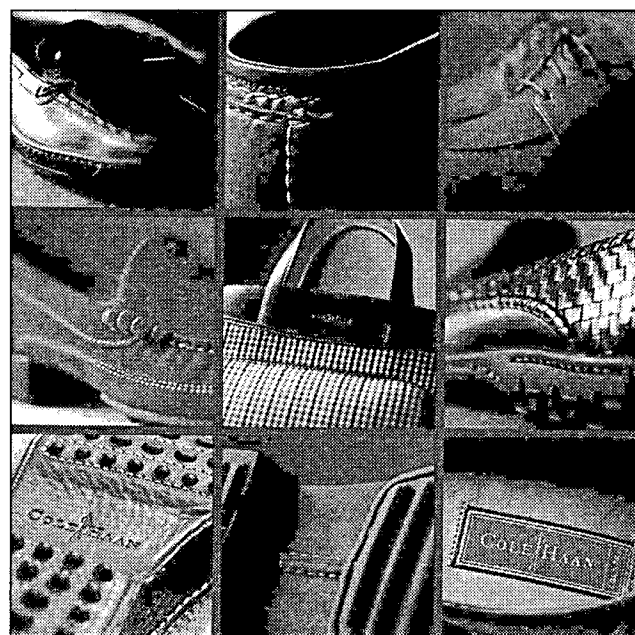
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September 21, 22 & 23 • Tacori and Bergio
 October 13 & 14 • Cornelis Hollander
 October 19, 20 & 21 • Frank Mastoloni Sons, Inc.
 October 26, 27 & 28 • Mark Patterson
 November 3 & 4 • Krementz
 November 16, 17 & 18 • Epsilon
 November 30, December 1 & 2 • Gregg Ruth

This fall M.J. Miller & Company will be hosting a variety of **Designer Trunk Shows**. Designer jewelry trunk shows enable you, the consumer, to experience jewelry at it's finest. The designers whom we will be representing over the next few months will bring to you their very best. Exotic gems, extraordinary craftsmanship and unique design elements are only a few of the exciting details.



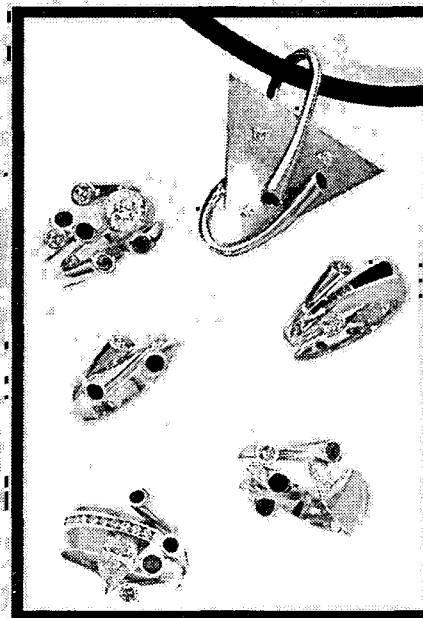
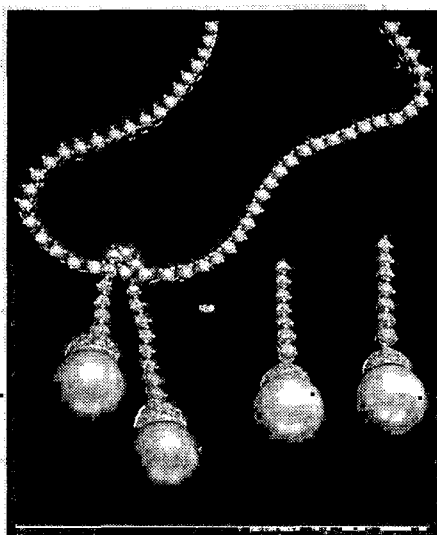
On *Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 21, 22 and 23*, the designs of **Tacori and Bergio** will be featured. For over 20 years, Tacori has been regarded as an innovator in design and creation of fine jewelry. Attention to detail in their engagement ring mountings is a focal point. The antique style engraved shanks, scroll work and unique design are the strongest elements for these platinum and eighteen karat gold rings. Tacori

makes more than a fashion statement, it underscores your discriminating taste and sense of style. Beyond style, Tacori stands for uncompromising quality and lasting value. Others may duplicate the original designs, but no one can equal the attention to detail.

Designed to capture the radiant beauty of nature, Bergio's rare combinations of finely cut natural colored diamonds and South Seas pearls are the signature of this collection. Fine gemstones are hand set in sculptured eighteen karat gold and platinum designs. The unique hand-crafted Italian designs are based on fine craftsmanship as well as beauty.

Nowhere else will you find such an exquisite collection of natural canary, pink and black diamonds. Experience an extraordinary **Bergio** original for yourself on *Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 21, 22 and 23*.

Cornelis Hollander is known to be a master of innovation and style, using precious metals and quality gemstones to create finely crafted pieces of jewelry. Born and raised in the Netherlands, Hollander embarked on



his career as a master jeweler at an early age. Pursuing a passion for design and sculpture, he studied art and jewelry design at the Vrije Academie in Den Haag, Holland. He honed his jewelry-making skills in Hattan Garden, England, and further refined his talents as a designer in South Africa. Upon settling in the United States, Cornelis Hollander founded his company in Scottsdale, Arizona in 1984.

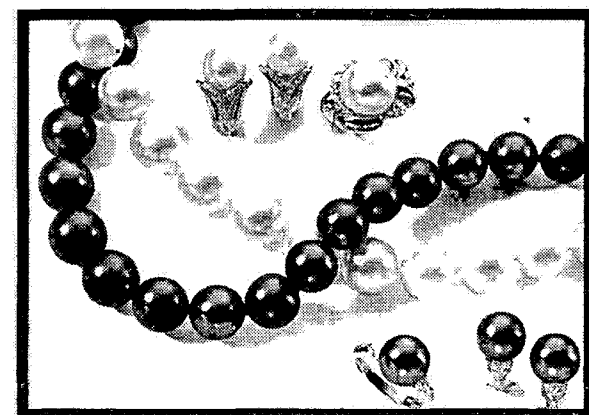
His designs combine old world precision and charm with today's continually changing fashion, inspiring Hollander to create new and unique trends for his stunning collection. Hollander has been the recipient of many prestigious awards to include: Eight-time winner of ACTA's "Spectrum Award," three-time consecutive

winner of the "International Pearl Design Contest" in Japan and three-time winner of the DeBeers "Diamond of Distinction" Award.

Cornelis Hollander has captured the imagination of the national and international jewelry community with his superior craftsmanship and trend-setting styles. Look for his award-winning designs on display *Friday and Saturday, October 13 and 14*.

For over 80 years, the **Frank Mastoloni** family has worked to become a leading American importer of fine quality cultured pearls. Artists in the selection of only the highest quality cultured pearls, the Mastolonis' alone completely fashion and style their cultured pearls. Their name now, recognized as one of America's finest exclusive producers of pearl creations, has become synonymous with the sheer elegance of exquisite pearls.

Mastoloni selects their pearls primarily for their quality. Just as brilliance shows off diamonds, so lustre shows off pearls. Lustre is more than a surface gloss. It is the light and life of the pearl that permeates the gem through and through. It is the concentric layers of pearl nacre which produce an iridescence that reveals true beauty to the beholder's eye.



Each cultured pearl possesses an importance all its own. When matched together, the total quality reflects a glowing value that cannot be compared to any other type of gem. When combined with gold and platinum, a fashion statement is created which radiates a lifetime of charm and elegance to be cherished forever. On *Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 19, 20 and 21*, **M.J. Miller & Company** will bring to you the artistry of Frank Mastoloni Sons, Inc.

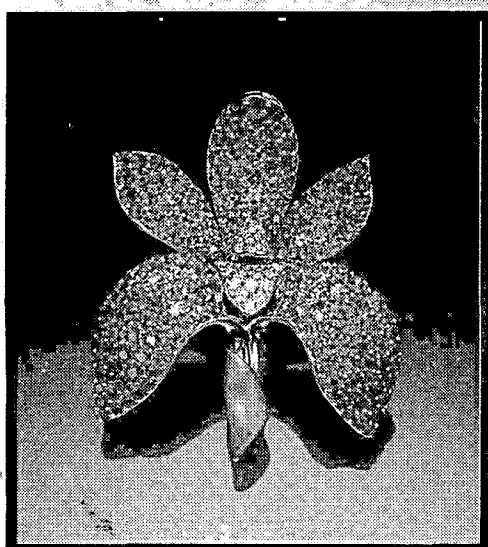
Mark Patterson has been creating an exquisite collection of unique jewelry designs since 1983. Together with his wife, Josette, who conceives and renders much of the designs which Mark produces, they have achieved a

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unique cooperation between designer and craftsman. Josette studied art at the Academia del'Arte in Rome. Mark developed his goldsmithing skills under the guidance of this European mentor, Mr. Kurt Gaum. Employing classic Swiss technique of working in metal rather than wax, Mark achieves a more exact result which gives his work more definition, detail, and modulation.



Originally working with eighteen karat gold and platinum, Mark used diamonds and precious stones in nearly all his pieces. Increasingly, one of his identifying elements is his use of twenty-four karat gold. Usually it is found as an ornament of the main eighteen karat body requiring a different texture and color.

Currently Mark Patterson's jewelry is sold and appreciated in Japan, Saudi Arabia and, of course, at **M.J. Miller & Company** in the United States. Exclusive, luxurious designs and the highest standard of manufacturing are yours to view and purchase on *Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 26, 27 and 28.*

The **Richard Krementz** collection is like no other. Nowhere else are precious platinum and 18 karat masterpieces embellished with such a diverse palette of dazzling gemstones. Each piece is a work of art... a perfectly planned marriage of luminous color and impossibly detailed craftsmanship.

For over 130 years, the Krementz family has been foremost among America's fine jewelry manufacturers. Today, Richard Krementz Jr. and Richard Krementz III, the founder's grandson and great grandson, continue their family's fine art of jewelry making. From Asia to Africa to South America, they travel the world with only one goal in mind: to find the finest exotic colored gemstones.

Dozens of exotic gemstones adorn the jewelry of the Richard Krementz Gemstone Collection, offering a color for every passion. Rare collector gemstones are available loose as well.



the Krementzes demand for their collection are not easily found. Though designs may be similar, the exact gemstones never will... and never can be... duplicated. Indeed, no two pieces are ever alike.

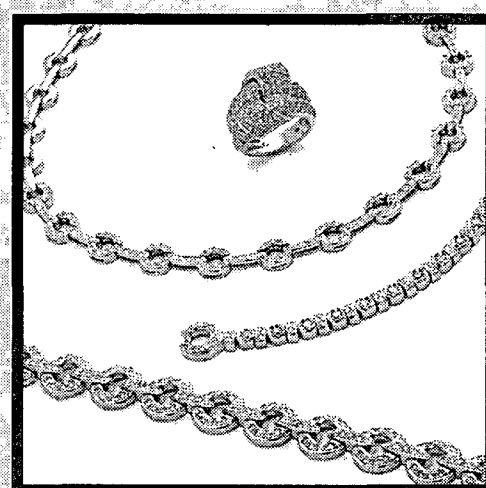
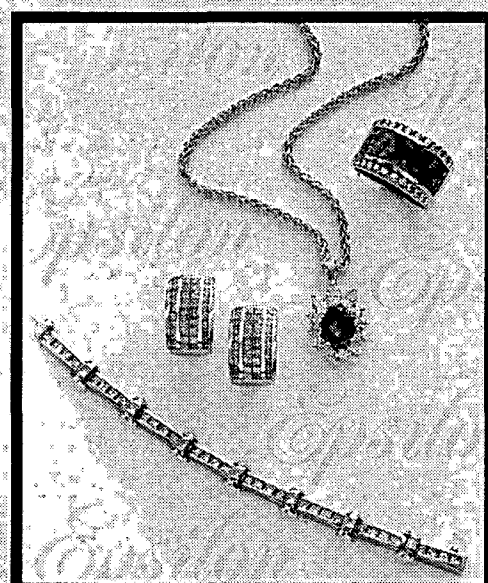
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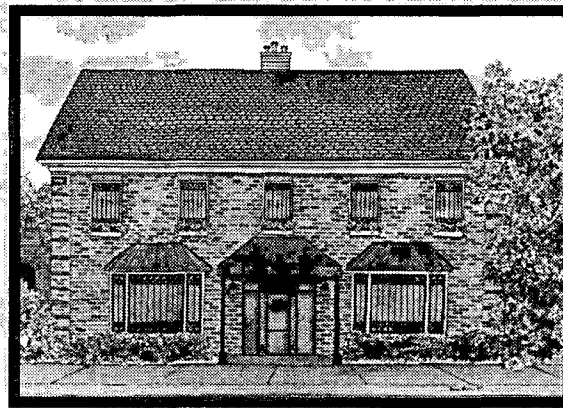


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BAAC Gallery Exhibit Season Opens with "Fascinating Flora"

The Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) announces the opening of the BAAC Gallery's 2000-2001 exhibit year with "Fascinating Flora" on September 8 featuring paintings by Ric Benda, Lisa Nesbitt and Peggy Flora Zalucha.

The public is invited to attend the gala opening reception on Friday evening, September 8, from 6 to 9 PM at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Ave., Barrington.

Born in Chicago, Ric Benda attended the Art Institute of Chicago and the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts. He was awarded "The Best in Painting" from the Chicago Botanic Gardens First Art Festival, July 2000, Glencoe, IL. It is interesting to note that the Archbishop of Canterbury has "Benda" hanging in Lambeth Palace, London. In describing his work, Benda states, "Passion for florals... and then some!" He says the "same goes for the medium, watercolor, always a challenge. Each painting approach must be as fresh as the subject matter."

Lisa Nesbitt is a Chicago artist. She creates oil paintings filled with color, movement and psychology. For the past three years, she has been developing a series that encompasses complex compositions of familiar and not so familiar images in nature. Trained as both an artist and clinical psychotherapist, her work reflects the aesthetic as well as the psychological. "Weathering the storms of life has been the basic concept from which all my work originates. I hope that my paintings convey



**Proud Iris, painting
by Peggy Flora Zalucha.**

vey my conviction that there can be regeneration after the maelstrom and rebirth of spirit after crisis."

A resident of Mount Horeb, WI, Peggy Flora Zalucha received a Bachelor in Fine

Garden Club Begins New Year

The Garden Club of Inverness begins its new club year on Thursday, September 21, at 9:30 AM. Whether gardening is your passion or a newly found interest, Garden Club offers a wide variety of activities. Informative monthly speakers and special hands-on workshops spark creativity, while community projects with area youth and seniors give everyone the chance to put their skills to work.

Program Chairman Donna Schuld worked throughout the summer lining up talented speakers to motivate and inspire us. Preview topics include: perennials and grasses, container gardening, "new" designs in floral arranging and a love affair

with herbs, just to name a few!

As always, we encourage and welcome new interest in our club. All general meetings are held the third Thursday of the month at Holy Family Church, 2515 W. Palatine Road, Inverness. A short business meeting begins our program followed by refreshments and our featured presentation. For information, please contact Membership Chairman Phyllis Ewert at 842-1695.

The Garden Club of Inverness is a member in: District IX, Central Region, of Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc.; National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc.; and the Chicago Horticultural Society.

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We do acquire a limited number of current production pieces and do accept the finest quality for consignment. As you shop, you'll always know the quality antique from the quality reproduction. So whatever your preference, visit often as the assortment changes weekly.

Visit on a Saturday and meet our resident Japanese Collector, specializing in Japanese Ancestral and WWII Samurai Swords and artifacts.

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Enjoy your visit to **Antique Gallery** and take the afternoon to enjoy Historic Woodstock Square. Bring your friends and enjoy the day. We, at **Antique Gallery**, look forward to meeting you.

AAUW Evening Book Club

The Barrington Area Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) Evening Book Discussion Group will discuss *Elanor of Acquitane* by Alison Weir on Tuesday, September 26, at a member's home at 7:30 PM.

AAUW is a national organization committed to educational equity for women

and girls, life-long education and positive societal change. The Barrington Area Branch sponsors monthly programs, hosts social activities and is active in the Barrington community. Membership is open to anyone with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. For information, call 847-381-4791.

Arts from Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, IL. Her paintings celebrate the familiar, dignifying the everyday objects which surround us. She paints with watermedia on paper, consisting mostly of transparent watercolor and, at times, acrylic washes and India ink. "Through the exploration of the medium, I have tried to create realistic images which are both pleasing and stimulating to the viewer, as well as reflect the vigor and excitement with which I approach my painting."

In conjunction with the exhibit opening, BAAC will host the Gallery & Studio Walk 2000 on Friday, September 8, and Saturday September 9. Participating galleries and studios include: BAAC Gallery; BAAC Gallery at the Library; Barrington Library Sculpture Garden; Chesterfield Glass Galleries; Fancy Art NFP; Finns Fabrics by Dyllis; Kaleidoscope Gallery and School of Art; Marcene's Gallery & Frame Shop; The Art Studio; the Tina Han Gal-

lery; The Workshop; and Yellow & Green.

The BAAC Gallery exhibit is on view from September 8 through 30. 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, call 847-382-5626.

The exhibit is sponsored by Barrington Bank Trust and partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, an agency of the state of Illinois.



Inner Glow, watercolor by Ric Benda.

World Treasures at Studio 2015

Discover another world at **Studio 2015 Jewelers** on the historic Woodstock Square. Inside the store, you will find treasures from all over the world. We travel throughout the world to bring you some of the finest gems and gifts, such as artifacts from native villages in Thailand; gemstones including rubies and sapphires from Burma; opals from Mexico; taguanut sculptures from the rainforest; and ammolite from Canada. These are just a few of the unique items you will find.

Local crafters and artists bring their wares to sell at **Studio 2015**. Local artists

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Newcomers Club of Long Grove and Kildeer Features Image Consultant

The Newcomers Club of Long Grove and Kildeer will have its first general meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 19, at 9:30 AM. The meeting will be held at the Reed-Turner Woodland Center, 3851 Old McHenry Road, Long Grove. We will have an informal continental breakfast and general meeting with representatives from all of the special interest groups presenting their calendar of activities.

Also included will be a presentation by Susan Fignar, Principal of Image Works Wonders. She will provide insight into

"Creating a Memorable First Impression". Susan is a nationally recognized personal and professional image consultant. She has been a frequent guest on television and radio. She regularly contributes to a wide variety of columns on image, communication and business etiquette, including *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Chicago Tribune* and *Cosmopolitan* magazine.

All residents of Long Grove or Kildeer are welcome. For more information, contact Heidi Locker-Scheer at 837-8165.

Mount Vernon Topic for DAR

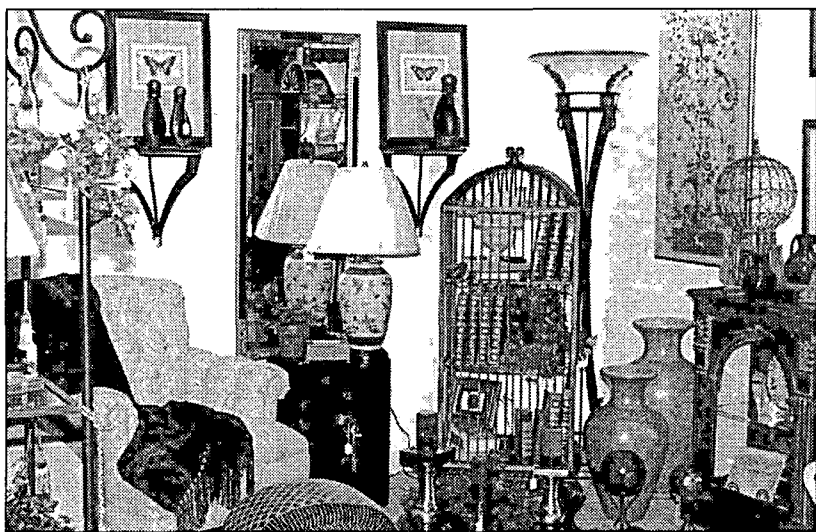
Signal Hill Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at the Barrington Area Library in Room A, first floor, on September 19 at 11:30 AM. Regent Linda Wichman welcomes all members for refreshments and a social period followed by a business meeting.

June Shultz will present a short program on the history of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association and the historic pres-

ervation of Mount Vernon.

Any woman who is at least 18 years of age and lineally descended from a man or woman who served in the United Colonies or States as a recognized patriot is eligible for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution. For further information, please call Registrar Iva Lea Van Buren at 847-382-4449 or Membership Chairman Becky Kartalia at 847-381-0133.

New Home Accessory Store Opens in Arlington Heights

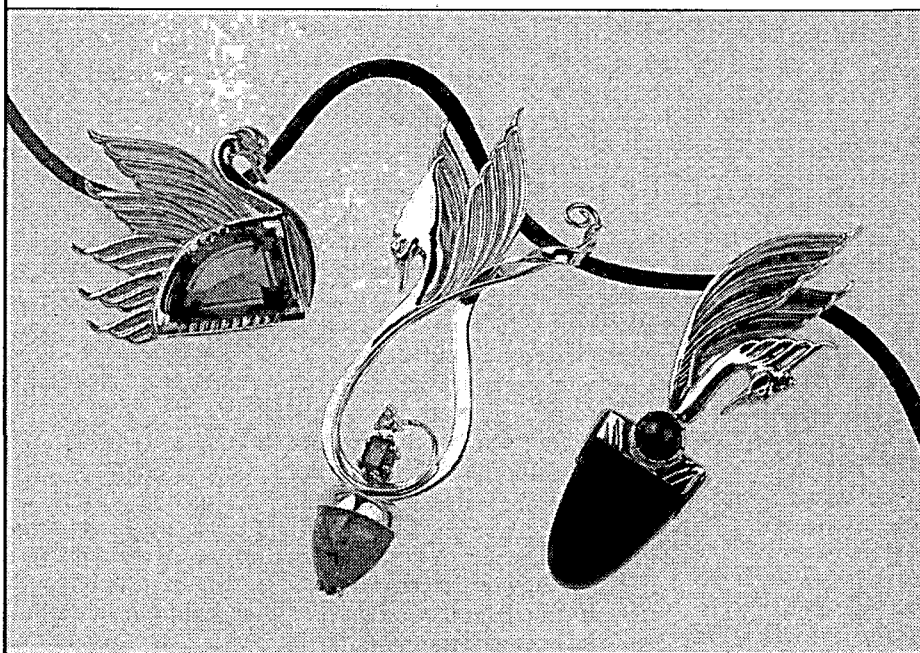


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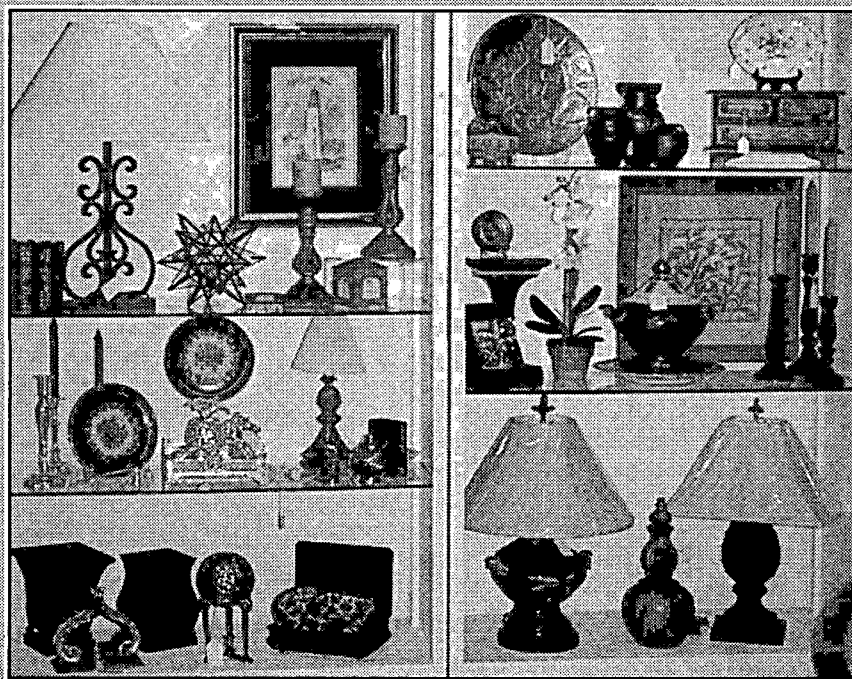


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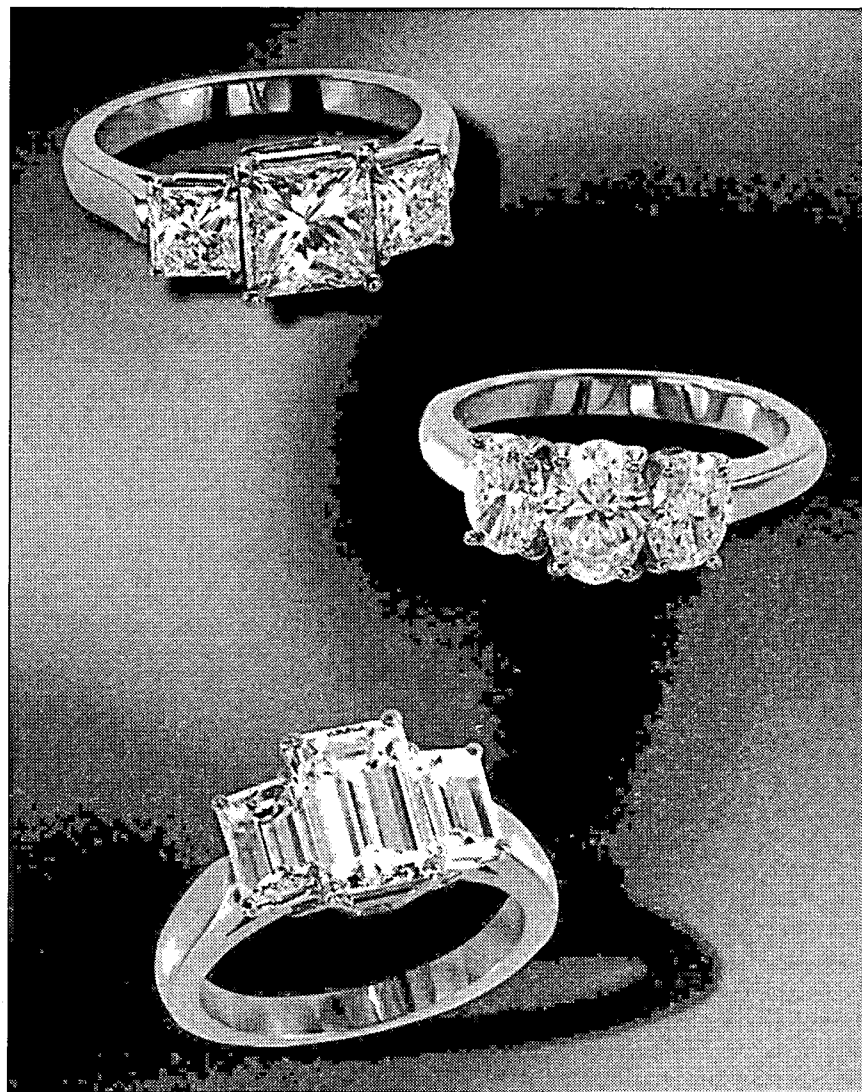
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Celine Fine Jewelry is delighted to announce that we have expanded the size of our store as of September 1, 2000. We have moved just up the street from where we were to the center of the Historic Long Grove shopping district. Our new location is at the northeast corner of Old McHenry Road and Robert Parker Coffin Road. We have increased the size of our showroom which will enable us to double our showcases. This allows us to bring you many more unique one-of-a-kind 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 we are producing a quarterly newsletter. 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.

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.


Our dedication to detail and workmanship is the driving force in our growth and the need for our new location. We don't want to be just any jeweler, we want to know you to personalize your jewelry. At **Celine's**, we know why our customers come back time and time again, we ask them. They tell us they know that we spend the time to listen and understand what they want and then provide them with a variety of ideas and recommendations for their consideration. They know that when they send a friend or family member to our store we will treat them like family.

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What is Botox and How Does it Work?

Botox is a highly purified form of the protein Botulinum toxin. When it is injected into a muscle, it blocks the nerve signals coming into that muscle resulting in complete or partial paralysis lasting from three to six months. Although it sounds scary, Botox is very safe and has been used effectively for years to treat spasms of the eye and face. We have used Botox for eight years with excellent results in reducing the frown lines and crow's feet at the outer corners of the eyes.

How is a Treatment Done?

The Botox is mixed from its freeze-dried state and diluted to the strength desired. Usually, two injections are done on each side of the eyebrows to reduce frowning

by Gary S. Churchill, MD



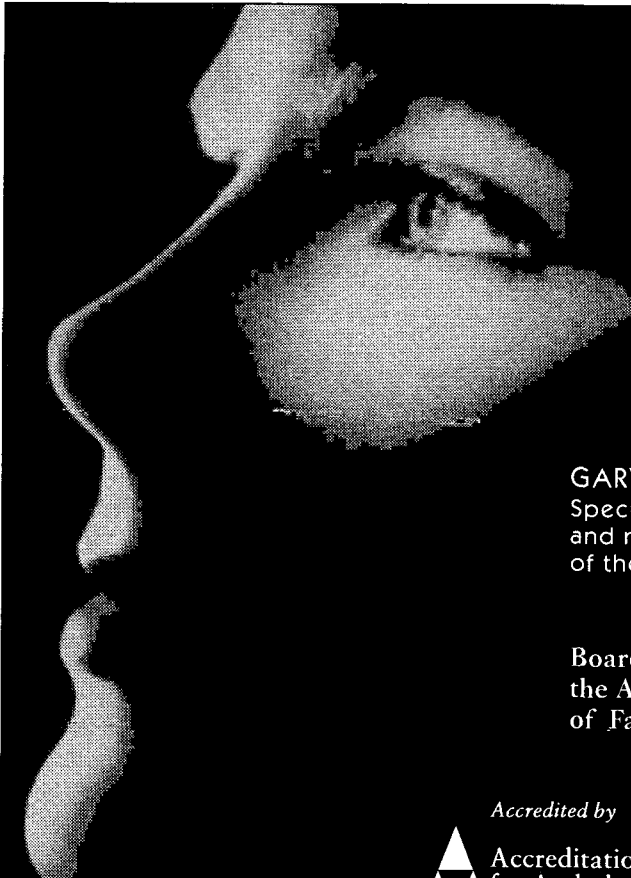
Gary Churchill, MD

or on the sides of the eyes to reduce the crow's feet. The effects are not seen immediately but take place over two to three days. Over that time, the muscles will gradually become weaker until there is almost no ability to frown. If the crow's feet area is injected, the crinkling of the skin in that area will be reduced as well. If further weakening is desired, a second injection can be done after one week. But this is rarely necessary.

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Area Business Makes Memorial Gift to Wellness Place Center

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According to Regional Sales Manager Jim Poull, who initiated NEC BNS's activity with Wellness Place as a way for the company to become more involved in

community well being, this donation to Wellness Place represents a gift of some \$40,000. It is given by the company in memory of Rhonda Holman, late wife of Bill Holman, vice president of sales. Mrs. Holman died recently at the age of 39 of breast cancer. While battling her own cancer, she was very active in providing support to others. So this donation is a fitting way to continue that support in her name.

Wellness Place, the vision of two northwest suburban women who met over their diagnosis of breast cancer, is newly established in Palatine in its permanent home in the Williamsburg complex off

Getting through the Tough Times

by Judy Kaplan, MS

Did you ever wonder how you would survive a difficult time? Or have you ever marveled at the strength some people have when dealing with a crisis? What makes the difference between someone who plows onward in the face of adversity and another who falls apart?

Everyone develops coping mechanisms, habits and strategies as they grow up. Some people have finely tuned coping skills and others have not developed effective skills with which to handle life's challenges. Simply put, the difference lies in coping skills that are developed and improved over time, from childhood through adulthood. Parents teach children how to cope by explanation, patience and the modeling of good coping skills. When children see and are guided toward enhancing coping skills, they will do so. Strength, endurance and repetition help reinforce this positive attribute. Encouragement to utilize these skills with both large and small issues helps with fine tuning those skills. Like everything else in life, practice improves ability. Unfortunately, a vast number of people didn't develop effective coping strategies or tools. Rather than face the issue squarely, some people will resort to escapism: drinking, drugging, shopping, working, etc. while others will become functionally disabled. Yet, others will behave in ways that are self destructive, destructive toward others or isolate themselves alto-

gether. Each of these ways of dealing with stressful circumstances actually makes the problem worse and changes the focus from the problem itself to the poor way of handling it. Energy is wasted on all counts.

Healthy, productive coping skills would include such behavior as taking time out when you are stressed, knowing yourself and what your limits are both physically and emotionally. It would include taking good care of yourself, so you are of benefit to yourself, others and the situation. It also would include breaking the large issue into smaller and more manageable parts. In addition, good self management and discipline are essential elements of coping successfully with any issue. For instance, knowing that if you become rageful, the outcome is going to be unproductive. Reminding yourself of that fact when necessary is part of the habit you must be willing to develop. It is essential to commit to yourself what you will or won't do in any given situation, and be willing to abide by your own rules established in well thought out circumstances. The rules must be enforced and carried out because you believe in them and have committed to them.

Coping skills can be improved and developed at any stage in life. If you feel that you need help in this area, please call **847-842-9365**. My specialty is helping people get through tough times.



Jim Poull, regional sales manager for NEC Business Network Solutions, accepts a plaque given in gratitude by Wellness Place cofounder Linda Murphy (center) and Executive Director Patti McDonald. The presentation was made at a celebratory barbecue picnic shared by NEC and Wellness Place representatives following installation.

Roselle Road at Euclid. It is a nonprofit community-based homelike facility that offers free-of-charge programs of support, education and encouragement to those coping with the stress and discomfort of a cancer diagnosis. Fully supported by area physicians, nurses and hospitals, these programs and services will be facilitated by a caring professional staff trained in working with those who endure chron-

ic illness. A strong corps of volunteers also supports the work of Wellness Place.

The Public is Invited

For information about program services, volunteer opportunities or a tour of the facility, the public is invited to attend a general meeting at 7 PM, Tuesday, September 12, at Wellness Place. Or call Patti McDonald, executive director, at 847-221-2400.

Novas & Associates Welcome Dympna Coll, M.D.

We are pleased to welcome Dympna Coll, M.D., to our practice. Dr. Coll received her medical degree from Rush Medical College in Chicago and trained at the University of Wisconsin, Madison Obstetrics and Gynecology residency program, one of the top programs in the country. She has special interest in vaginal and urinary incontinence surgery. She graduated Magna Cum Laude from Loyola University of Chicago. Dr. Coll resides in Barrington with her family and is on staff at Good Shepherd Hospital.



Dympna Coll, M.D.

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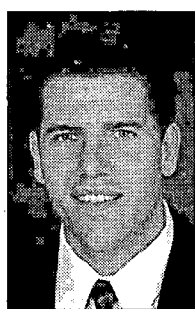
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Jeffrey J. Berti, MD

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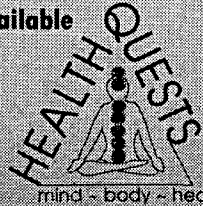
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Pamela Arwine is a highly dedicated Reiki Master Teacher, practitioner of the art of Rubinfeld Synergy, Gestalt Therapist, Thought Field Therapist and a Certified Clinical Hypnotherapist with an emphasis on metaphysical regression work to access and unplug the initial cause of subsequent pain or emotional discomfort. Pamela believes this to be a highly effective mix of modalities. Hypnotherapy assists one in accessing deep soul memories which need to be healed; Rubinfeld Synergy provides tools for resolution and release from body or cellular memory; Gestalt Therapy provides tools for deeper emotional understanding and

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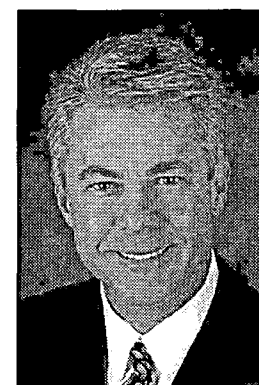
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The results of Tumescant Liposuction are permanent because not only is the fat removed, but the cells ("containers") that store the excess fat are also removed. Since no new fat cells grow to replace



David P. Van Dam, MD

those that were removed, the suctioned areas do not re-expand. Any weight gained after liposuction is distributed more evenly over the body rather than in the problem areas as before.

Most people are good candidates for Tumescant Liposuction. Although this is not a treatment for generalized obesity—people who are obese should lose weight prior to liposuction—patients of almost any age can safely undergo Tumescant Liposuction. Patients between 17 and 78 have benefited from this procedure in our office.

To find out how you may benefit from Tumescant Liposuction, call for a free consultation with David P. Van Dam, MD, at **815-455-4434** or **847-382-5111**. Dr. Van Dam is certified by the American Board of Dermatology and is a member of the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery, the American Academy of Dermatology, the American Society for Liposuction and is Director of **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons, Ltd.**

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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-

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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.

Thoughts On Your Child's Well-Being

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

Does your child suffer from recurring colds or is sick "all the time?" Is your child finding schoolwork difficult? Does your child struggle with fatigue and low energy levels? Has anyone ever described your child as "hyperactive?" Is your child on a constant course of antibiotics?

Do any of these questions sound like your child or someone you know? There's a very good chance that allergies and poor nutrition are the underlying causes.

Studies show that diets lacking in protein, vitamins and minerals can result in a host of health problems. In an age of fast food restaurants on every corner and supermarkets with aisles and aisles of prepared food, many of us, including our children, are poorly nourished. Keeping a record of what your child eats for several days may reveal some surprises that can hold the key to physical and behavioral problems. How much of any of the following are included in your child's diet?—convenience or "junk" food, sugar, preservatives, additives, food dyes and other colorings.

Any child who has had a number of courses of antibiotics, or who has allergies, as well as any other behavioral problems, might have a yeast sensitization. When a child becomes sensitive to yeast overgrowth in the body, it can in-

tensify any allergic problem, from asthma to hyperactivity.

With ADD (Attention Deficit Disorder) getting so much media attention, our means of treatment often turn to a quick "fix," usually involving drugs. Before resorting to this approach, why not explore the benefits of nutritional therapy? It is well established that allergies to food and food additives play a role in hyperactivity. I have seen children that have been diagnosed with ADD, hyperactivity and other behavioral difficulties improve tremendously, simply with a nutritional plan specifically designed for that individual.

If we feed our children right and provide them with proper amounts of nutrients, they'll not only experience a healthier body but a healthier immune system as well. And it is their immune system that is crucial in helping them cope with stress, viruses and all the other challenges of an active child's life.

With careful attention to overall nutrition and better eating habits, you can help manage your child's health and improve concentration. **Now, all Country Life products are 25% off.** No coupon needed. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me: Carole Childers, certified nutritionist and owner of **All Ways Healthy** at 847-438-9200.

Barrington Newcomers Heats Up with Summer Fun

Forget about the dog days of August. Barrington Newcomers is as busy as ever with a full range of activities and opportunities to make new friends. Just ask those Newcomers who recently learned to salsa, cha-cha and merengue during an evening of Latin dancing and refreshments.

Members and those new to the Barrington area are invited to join ongoing summer activities, including cards and bunko, ladies' golf, movies, bowling, garden club,

mom's and tots playgroups and more. Then, on Wednesday morning, September 20, be sure to stop by the Barrington Area Library for the Newcomers Open House. Find out about all special interest groups and scheduled programs and express your own interests as Newcomers kicks off the fall season.

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Barrington Area United Way Gears Up for Fall Campaign

Barrington Area United Way volunteers are working hard at laying the groundwork for their 2000 fundraising campaign.

Last year's campaign generated a record-breaking \$417,000 for our hometown United Way.

The upcoming campaign will kickoff on Saturday, September 9 with the 5th Annual Community Run/Walk at Miller Park. Once again, Harris Bank is the main corporate sponsor for this event. The event is USTAF Certified and a member of CARA, Chicago Area Runners Association.

The cost of the events before September 1 are: \$16, 5K Run; \$15, Cara; and \$9, 3K Walk. There will be free T-shirts for the first 400 entrants. Goodie bags are included too.

The support and involvement of this community is vital to the success of the 22 local health and human service organizations which receive funding from us. For further information or to volunteer for the race, please contact Jo Ann Endorf, Barrington Area United Way Executive Director, at 847-382-8778.

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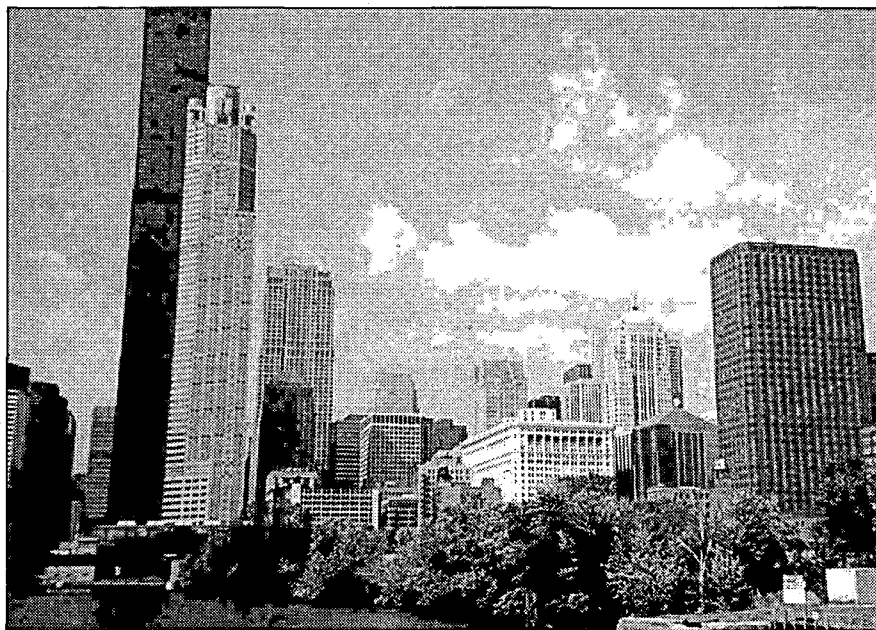
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Chicago Architects— Focus for Art Associates



Chicago skyline as viewed from the south branch of the Chicago River.

The September meetings of the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will feature Chicago Architecture.

On Thursday, September 7, Annemarie Van Roessel, Curatorial Researcher, will present an illustrated lecture of "Chicago Architects, Voices on Paper." This unique program will feature oral histories with Chicago architects including Alfred Caldwell, Mary Ann Crawford, Bertrand Goldberg, Mies Van Der Rohe, Harry Weese, George Fred Keck and William Keck. The

free membership tea will begin at 1:00 PM at the Presbyterian Church of Barrington on Brinker Road. This meeting is open to all interested men and women in the Northwest Suburbs.

On Thursday, September 21, a Chicago River Cruise will provide an opportunity to observe the works of noted Chicago architects. A professionally trained docent will showcase the work of those architects who helped revolutionize the building arts. Refreshments will be served during the cruise. After lunch at Perchy's Restau-

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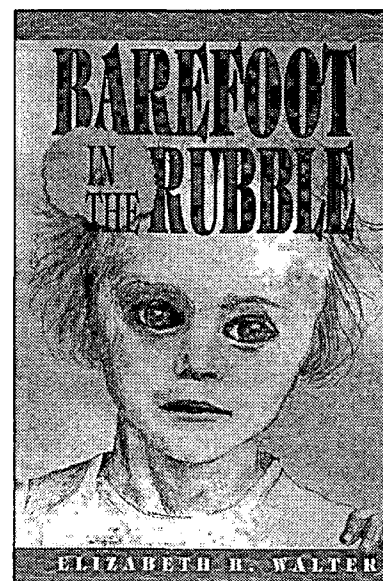
Not sure what style you want for autumn? Come in for the **computerized virtual make-over** for \$30.

Elizabeth Walters, Author of *Barefoot In The Rubble*— Discussion, Signing, Art Workshop

Barnes & Noble welcomes back author Elizabeth Walters.

She will be sharing history while telling her life experience as a Communist concentration camp survivor in post-World War II Yugoslavia. Elizabeth will be discussing and signing her book, *Barefoot In The Rubble*, which is now out in paperback. Mrs. Walters, a former art teacher at St. Anne Catholic School in Barrington, will also be displaying her artwork at this time. On Saturday, September 23, at 2 PM, come join us as Elizabeth teaches the art of "Scherenschnitt" (scissor-cut silhouettes). All ages are invited and materials will be provided.

Mark your calendars for an afternoon of history, culture and fun. For more information, call Alma Kennedy, Community Relations Manager, at 815-444-0833 in Crystal Lake.



rant at Navy Pier, participants may view one of the art exhibits at the pier. The Smith Museum of Stained Glass Windows is the first museum in the United States dedicated solely to stained glass. The collection of secular and religious windows includes Victorian, Prairie School, Modern and Contemporary. The Pier Walk 2000 features large scale sculptures by nationally and internationally acclaimed artists. Cost of this trip is \$60 for members or \$70

for non-members. Buses will leave Langeland Park at 8:00 AM and depart from Chicago at 2:30 PM. To register, contact Sandra Gravelle at 847-526-1426 by September 8.

To become a member of Barrington Community Associates, call Pat Fein at 847-382-5953. The \$60 annual dues include family membership to the Art Institute of Chicago.

New Artist at Gallery Northwest

Gallery Northwest is pleased to feature outstanding pieces by Gholam Yunessi.

Yunessi uses a blend of classic and contemporary styles along with vibrant colors to create a unique style. Each piece is hand-signed and is only limited to 195 in the edition size.

We have many new pieces from originals to limited editions in contemporary as well as traditional. If you are tired of seeing the same art over and over again, please stop by and see us. We are a gallery that offers a truly unique perspective on artwork and custom framing.

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In previous issues of *Lifestyles*, we have profiled two of the full-time dermatologists, David P. Van Dam, MD, and Jeffrey J. Berti, MD, who practice with **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons, Ltd.** in Crystal Lake and Barrington. This month, we would like you to know more about J.D. Fallon, MD, a colleague with whom we are extremely proud to be associated.

Jerome D. Fallon grew up in the small town of Hillsdale, MI, where he remembers that the practice of medicine was considered a special calling and that the local doctors were revered for their dedicated care. With these hometown role models, a love for learning and a desire to help people, Dr. Fallon pursued a career in medicine. After receiving his undergraduate degree from the University of Notre Dame, he went on to earn his M.D. from the University of Michigan Medical School.

An early interest in dermatology led Dr. Fallon to skin research in his first year of medical school and, in following years, to specialty training. After an internship in internal medicine at Northwestern University Medical School, he completed his residency in dermatology at Harvard Uni-

versity Medical School.

Following board certification, Dr. Fallon practiced general dermatology in Racine, WI, for five years. He then returned to Harvard for a year to study Mohs Micrographic Surgery, a specialized surgical technique widely recognized to be the best method for removing high-risk skin cancers. In 1997, Dr. Fallon came home to the Midwest to join **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons, Ltd.** where he practices Mohs Surgery and general dermatology. He is an Associate of the American College of Mohs Micrographic Surgery and Cutaneous Oncology and a Fellow of the American Academy of Dermatology.

Although he practices a medical specialty in a suburban site, Dr. Fallon still ascribes to the ideal of the small town doctors he admired; the best medicine takes place between well-trained physicians with a commitment to serve and the patients who trust them with their care.

If you are having a problem with your skin, hair or nails, call for an appointment with **Dermatology Physicians & Surgeons** in Crystal Lake at **815-455-4434** or Barrington at **847-384-5111**.



Jerome D. Fallon, MD

Civil War Medicine Discussion

On Wednesday, September 27, at 7 PM, Barnes & Noble welcomes Dr. Edward Wilt. Dr. Wilt is a member of the McHenry County Civil War Round Table. He will be discussing Civil War medicine and highlighting the role Mother Mary Ann Bickerdyke played during that time period. The books *Doctors in Blue* by George Worthington Adam and *Doctors in Gray* by H.H. Cunningham will be discussed and will be available in the store.

On Saturday, September 16, a Civil War bookclub will be held at 10 AM. Come join us for this interesting discussion. From 10 AM to 4 PM that same day, an in-store bookfair will be hosted by The McHenry County Civil War Round Table. Come and find out more about this wonderful nonprofit organization.

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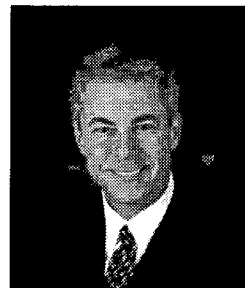
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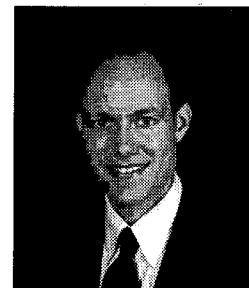
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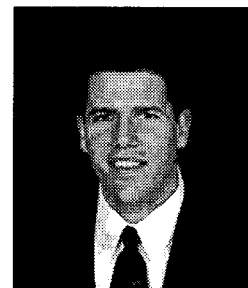
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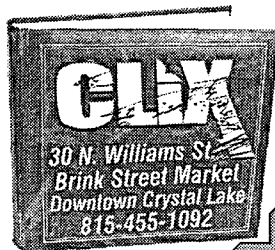
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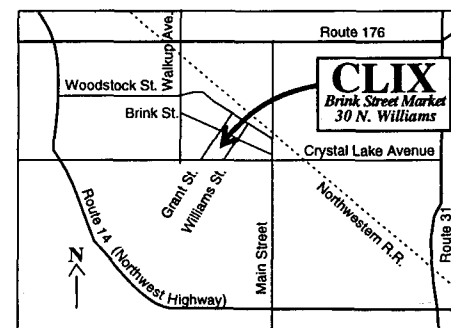
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Philip Bushnick, M.D., is pleased to announce the opening of his new office. Dr. Bushnick is a Board Certified Plastic Surgeon, is a member of the American Society of Plastic Surgeons, and past President of Good Shepherd Hospital Medical Staff. He has provided patients in the community with cosmetic and reconstructive surgery for over 16 years.

Beginning August 1, 2000, the office will now be providing laser hair removal and a full skin care program including, microdermabrasion by Power Peel, "lunch time" peels with no down time, and Botox and collagen injections for wrinkles.

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Golf Outing Raises Funds to Support Newborn Hearing Screening Program

Good Shepherd Hospital held its 20th annual golf outing on June 26 at the Biltmore Country Club. This year's outing raised more than \$110,000. This year's Master Level Sponsors included: American National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago, C.M. Products, The Chicago Trust Company, The Medical Staff of Good Shepherd Hospital and Motor Werks of Barrington. These sponsors joined with 46 area companies and families to generously support the event that raised proceeds surpassing past year's proceeds by \$20,000. The raised funds will help support several hospital initiatives and

provide the necessary funding to launch a new universal Newborn Hearing Screening Program at Good Shepherd's Birthing Center.

Hearing loss is reported to be the most common birth defect in the United States. If hearing impairment is detected at birth and the child begins therapy immediately, the child will learn and progress at a rate similar to that of children with normal hearing. However, most newborns do not receive a test to detect hearing loss. Only 15% of newborns in the nation currently undergo this test. Because of this, children born with a hearing impairment are

An Interview with Dr. Philip Bushnick, Board-Certified Plastic Surgeon

Boy, she looks great for her age! Is she just slow to show her age or did she have cosmetic surgery?

"Used to be that only her plastic surgeon knew the answers to these questions, but not anymore," says **Dr. Philip Bushnick** as he comments on the dramatic increase in the number of people seeking cosmetic surgery solutions.

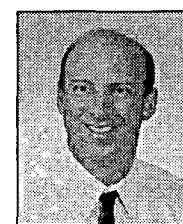
"In my 18 years as a plastic surgeon, it's not the patients who have changed. It's the public. Today, personal cosmetic surgery success stories have become part of casual conversation. Patients no longer hide the fact that they've had surgical enhancements."

According to **Dr. Bushnick**, many people just want a little "freshening" to their look. That might be a small surgical procedure on the upper or lower eyelids. Sometimes skin treatments do the trick. Botox injections into the wrinkles between the brows can take away the frown lines or collagen around the mouth or lips to fill in the little creases.

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When evaluating a surgeon to provide cosmetic surgery, **Dr. Bushnick** offered the following checklist:

- Are you both on the same page?
- Are your expectations reasonable?
- Do you understand the physician's



Dr. Philip Bushnick

credentials?

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• Did you include your family doctor?

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For more information or to schedule a complimentary cosmetic consultation with **Dr. Bushnick**, call **847-885-1200** or **815-363-7880**.

Dr. Bushnick is a board-certified plastic surgeon whose training includes a residency in general and plastic surgery at the University of Illinois Hospital in Chicago. He graduated from the Abraham Lincoln School of Medicine at the University of Illinois at Chicago. His undergraduate degree was earned with honors from the University of Illinois in Champaign where he also received a Masters in Science. **Dr. Bushnick** is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a Diplomate of the American Board of Plastic Surgery. He is the past president of the Medical staff at Advocate's Good Shepherd Hospital. **Dr. Bushnick** lives in Kildeer with his wife Kathy, his daughters Melissa and Sabrina and the family's chocolate Labrador retriever, Leya.



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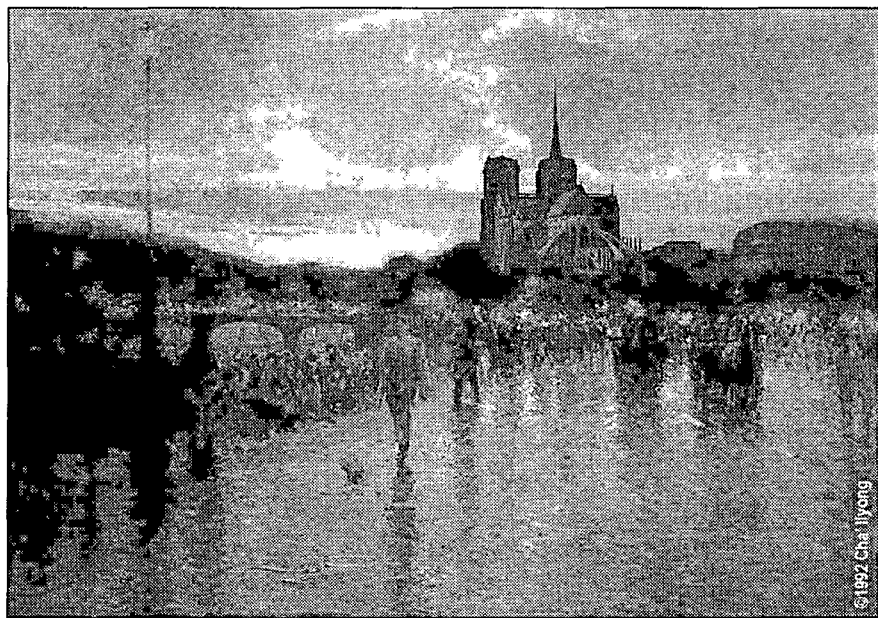
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The Long Grove-Kildeer Garden Club is pleased to announce their upcoming Fall Luncheon on Thursday, October 26, at the Twin Orchards Country Club in Long Grove. This year's theme is "Seeds through the Century" to celebrate the year 2000. We will have a social hour followed by a fabulous luncheon and a fashion show presented by Talbots of Highland Park and Barrington. Music will be provided by Lee Bassett.

Come join the Garden Club and perhaps you'll win one of the prizes available. Some of the prizes include a beautiful framed print, *Eternal Notre Dame*, by the acclaimed international Impressionist artist Cha' Ilyong. This print was kindly

donated by the Studio of Long Grove Art Gallery of Long Grove and, in the near future, the Nordstrom Complex on Michigan Avenue. Other prizes include a getaway package to the famed Eagle Ridge Inn & Resort of Galena, a gazebo bird-feeder of cedar with a copper roof by Woodlink, a brass heron fountain sculpture with a motor by Brass Baron and a variety of artfully created "theme" baskets.

The afternoon affair benefits both community projects and scholarships given to seniors from local high schools majoring in horticulture or environmental sciences.

Join us for the fun and festivities! Tickets are \$40. Contact S. Lyons at 550-8020 for reservations and information.



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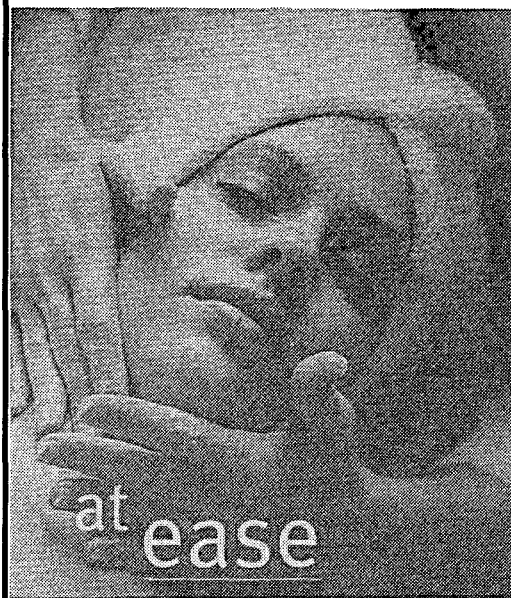
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Barrington Welcome Wagon Club to Tour Mettawa Manor

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Botanic Gardens.) The estate is now home to the Kurtis Conservancy Foundation.

Donna La Pietra serves as Executive Producer for Kurtis Productions, Ltd., a Chicago-based television documentary production company currently producing the Peabody Award-winning science adventure series "The New Explorers with Bill Kurtis" as well as the Emmy Award-winning, news-based series "Investigative Reports" for cable television's A&E Network.

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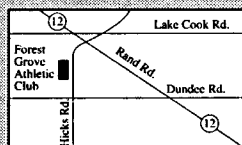
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Pedicures are enjoyed on the "Patio", an elevated platform featuring massaging deck chairs. Manicures and artificial nail care, including acrylic and gel, are popular. Each service is available in a deluxe version, such as Spa Pedicure or Manicure, which includes an exfoliation, masque and paraffin dip.

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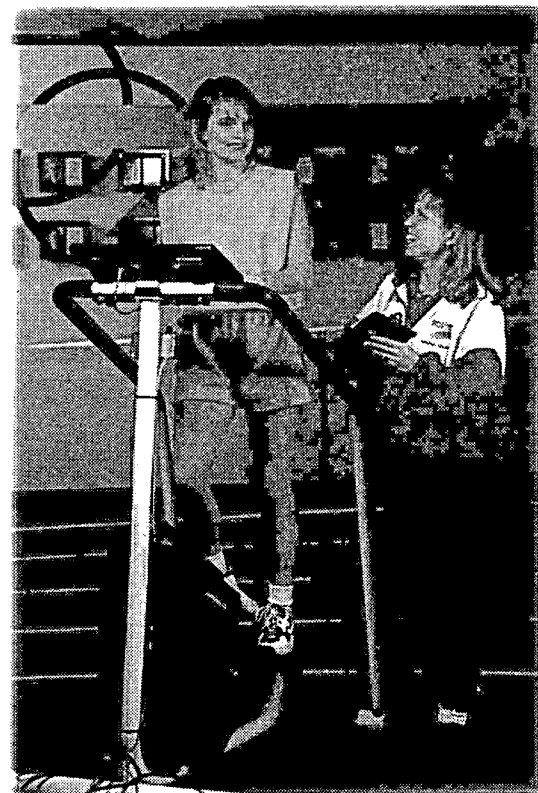
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Serving the Rehabilitation Needs of Women

Women's Physical Therapy Institute (WPTI) is a unique facility dedicated to serving the rehabilitation needs of women of all ages. Treatment is provided by Teri Elliott-Burke, MHS, PT 1999 Illinois Physical Therapist of the year.

Co-owners Lynn O'Brien and Teri Elliott-Burke, MHS, PT, have created an atmosphere where women can come and feel comfortable being treated. Each patient receives the individual attention of Ms. Elliott-Burke. Patients are not double-booked.

WPTI provides treatment for:

- Orthopedic injuries (low back pain, wrist, shoulder, knee and ankle problems)
- Osteoporosis
- Fibromyalgia
- Post breast cancer restrictions

- Pre- and post-childbearing problems
- Incontinence
- Athletic injuries

The institute is now offering an osteoporosis program. This program is designed to help women who have been diagnosed with osteoporosis. The program consists of three individual treatment sessions. The sessions include: a comprehensive evaluation; instruction in a personalized exercise program; and body mechanics and posture. Attendees also receive a booklet outlining the information and an exercise band to be utilized in the program.

WPTI is located at 715 Ela Rd., Suite 2A, in Lake Zurich. They can be reached at **847-550-9784**, by email at wpti@earthlink.com and by fax at 847-550-9780.

Feel Good and Look Great

The doctors at **Total Health Concepts, Ltd.**, an Elk Grove Village based medical clinic, are happy to introduce new ways of treating patients by combining years of medical experience with the latest advances and techniques in 21st century technology.

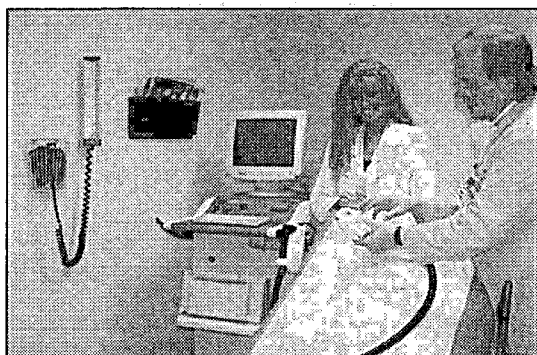
"We are very excited about our new wave laser equipment," says W. Mark Iwanicki, MD and founder of **Total Health Concepts, Ltd.** "We can do things now that we couldn't imagine of doing just a few years ago."

Now, unsightly spider veins can be effectively treated with lasers, no needles and practically no pain. The **Vasculight** Laser utilized for this procedure is the last word in vein treatment.

PhotoDerm, the most sophisticated laser-like device, is very effective in long lasting hair removal from all parts of the body. An amazing "flash of light" can gently remove unwanted hair for both men and women. No more waxing or electrolysis. Doctors can also effectively treat portwine stains, age spots, stretch marks, remove tattoos and large post surgical scar tissues (Keloids).

Botox—This relatively simple medical procedure can eliminate wrinkles, especially those frown lines and crow's feet around the eyes. Very popular in Hollywood, this safe procedure takes only 15 to 20 minutes of your time.

PhotoDerm Facial Rejuvenation—



At Total Health Concepts, Ltd., their doctors combine years of medical experience with the latest techniques in 21st century technology, such as Vasculight lasers for spider vein treatment and PhotoDerm lasers for hair removal. For more information, call 847-228-3151.

Originated by Dr. Bitter, this procedure rejuvenates facial skin with no patient down-time. This treatment eliminates broken capillaries, redness and brown spots and reduces large pores and fine wrinkles. A more youthful appearance can be achieved in a flash of light.

Dr. Iwanicki and associates have been practicing medicine in the Schaumburg area for over 20 years. "We get older together with our patients and we understand their needs." Their friendly staff is waiting to help you.

The office is located at Wimmer Plaza—Professional Building, 810 Biesterfeld Road, Suite 104, adjacent to Alexian Brothers Medical Center in Elk Grove Village.

For additional information or directions, call **847-228-3151**.

Flea Market and Craft Fair

The 26th Annual Flea Market and Craft Fair at St. John United Church of Christ in Palatine will be held Saturday, September 16. The event has grown over the years to be one of the biggest and best in the entire area, with over one hundred dealers and thousands of visitors.

There is something for everyone at the market and fair. You'll find a wide variety of beautiful craft items, new and used kitchen gadgets, tools, jewelry, clothing, games, electronics, books and many other items at bargain prices. A delicious lunch

will be served, and soft drinks, popcorn, ice cream and delectable home-baked goods will be available. Many people have come to look forward to the big event and to make it a really fun outing.

The Flea Market and Craft Fair will be held on the church grounds at Algonquin and Roselle Roads in Palatine near Harper College. The hours are 9 AM to 4 PM. Admission and parking are free for all visitors. For space and reservations, please call 847-437-6223.

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Catholic Charities Lake County Foster Parent Informational Meetings

Catholic Charities Lake County Services invites you to share in the sense of love and sharing that can be yours through foster care. The ever increasing need for more and more foster homes in Lake County is critical. A positive home environment, loving care and a committed foster parent(s) are the special ingredients which provide a strong and nurturing foundation for positive growth and ongoing development of a foster child.

To learn more about being a foster parent, attend one of the following meetings:

• Thursday, September 7 at 7 PM, Catholic Charities Lake County Services,

671 South Lewis Avenue, Waukegan, IL
• Tuesday, September 12 at 7 PM, Libertyville Civic Center, 135 West Church Street, Libertyville, IL

• Tuesday, September 19 at 7 PM, Catholic Charities Lake County Services, 671 South Lewis Avenue, Waukegan, IL

Catholic Charities welcomes all families and individuals regardless of religious, racial or ethnic backgrounds. To register for one of the scheduled meetings or to receive more information on additional programs sponsored by Catholic Charities, please telephone Christine Lopez at 847-782-4244.

New Executive Director Joins BYDE

The Board of Directors of the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble (BYDE) has hired Jessica Gumowski of Barrington as its Executive Director. Ms. Gumowski oversees the daily operations of BYDE and manages its outreach programming, workshops and major productions. She also coordinates grant development and fundraising efforts. Currently, she is focused on building BYDE's latest full-length ballet, *Coppelia*, which is scheduled to be performed in the spring of 2001.

Ms. Gumowski is a professional dance educator and performer who has a long-time affiliation with BYDE. She began formal dance training at the age of eight and is a former dance student of BYDE Artistic Director Mary Brennan. She is an original member of the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble and has had principal roles in BYDE productions, including BYDE's *Nutcracker*, *Sleeping Beauty* and *Peter and the Wolf*.

Ms. Gumowski is a graduate of The University of Iowa with a BA in both dance

and communication studies. She was a member of the prestigious University of Iowa Dance Company and has performed in many musical theater productions, including *West Side Story*, *Oklahoma*, *Anything Goes*, *42nd Street*, and *On the Town*.

In addition to teaching a range of dance classes at the Barrington Dance Academy, Gumowski trains at Gus Giordano Dance Center, Evanston, and Columbia College, Chicago.

The Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble is a nonprofit organization, founded in 1989, and committed to bringing live dance events, including classical ballet works, to a suburban audience. BYDE is also home to an ensemble of young dancers who audition for positions in the company and train year round. The current BYDE company includes 30 dancers.

For further information about Ms. Gumowski or the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble, please contact Mary Kamps at 847-382-7840.

Classical Pianist Mark Valenti to Perform Free Mini-Concert

Classical pianist Mark Valenti will perform a free mini-concert at Harper College with works by Debussy, Beethoven and Chopin on Thursday, September 7, at 12:15 PM in the Music Instruction Center, Room P205, 1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine.

Valenti, who now teaches piano at his Lakeview (Chicago) music studio and maintains a concert schedule, holds a Masters in Music from Northwestern University and a Bachelor of Music from the Philadelphia Musical Academy.

Formerly on the piano faculty at Xavier University in Chicago, Valenti has per-

formed solo recitals across the U.S. and in France, Belgium, Hungary and Luxembourg. Besides chamber music, Valenti has also performed extensively in jazz, including performances with Gregory Hines, Frank Foster and Al Grey. Valenti has also taught piano at the University of the Arts in Philadelphia and at the Loire Valley Music Institute in France.

His Harper concert, approximately 50 minutes long, is free and the public is welcome. For information, call the college's Music Department at 847-925-6568.

Open-Bites and Early Orthodontic Treatment

An "open-bite" is a condition that is characterized by a space between the biting surfaces of the upper and lower teeth. Open-bites can occur for several reasons: a tongue thrust habit, genetic inheritance or a finger/thumb sucking habit. If a particular oral habit is present during the eruption of the upper and lower front teeth, an open-bite is likely to occur.

Fortunately, early interceptive orthodontic treatment can correct this condition. An orthodontist may use a removable appliance such as a Bionator to close down a patient's bite. Excellent patient cooperation is required, as with any orthodontic treatment, for a change to occur. The Bionator is a removable appliance that needs to be worn at least 14 to 16 hours a day. Occasionally, prior to the use of the Bionator, the orthodontist will align the upper and lower front teeth to consolidate them and correct their angulation.

For certain individuals, a speech ther-

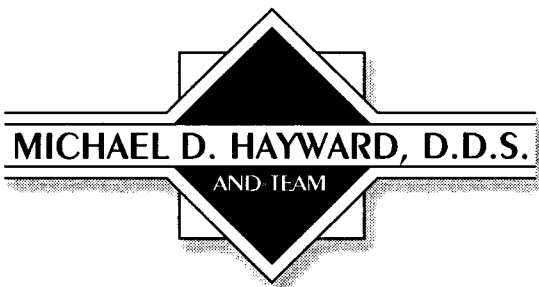
apist may be recommended to help young patients break their oral habits. The use of speech and/or myofunctional therapy can be used in conjunction with interceptive orthodontic treatment like the Bionator.

Open-bites are among the most difficult malocclusions (bad bites) to correct. And, it's also very difficult to prevent their recurrence. Treatment should be initiated as early as age seven to have the greatest chance of a successful result.

If you have any questions regarding orthodontics or "open-bites," please contact us at either our Barrington, 847-382-5588, or Palatine, 847-359-7980, offices. Or visit our website at—www.haywardorthodontics.com.



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Dr. Berger has had hundreds of satisfied patients and has incorporated the use of a new fat blocker, Xenical®, and an appetite suppressant into this diet. Insurance usually pays for some or most charges, (sorry, no HMOs).

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Call today at **847-934-1112** and schedule an appointment to "Pamper Yourself."

Barrington Newcomers Welcomes You to an Open House

Get to know Barrington Newcomers at an Open House on Wednesday morning, September 20, at 9:30 AM at the Barrington Area Library. If you are new to the area, you'll meet the people who make Newcomers activities happen and meet plenty of your new neighbors. Find out about special interest groups including: couples gourmet, moms & tots, garden club, bowling, bunko, Explore Chicagoland, movie-goers, tennis, golf and dinner

groups. Get the latest schedule of programs, including monthly coffees and luncheons, social gatherings and guest speakers. Express your own interests and find someone to share them with as Newcomers kicks off the fall season. There is plenty of opportunity to be involved, have some fun and get to know the community. For more information, please call 847-842-0733.

Dollars and Dentistry—Selecting a Dentist

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

How can you make the correct choices about the cost of your dental care? With the increased cost of everything else, it is only logical to evaluate your investment in dental health.

Evaluating, or re-evaluation, starts with selecting a dentist. If you know a dental specialist, such as an orthodontist or periodontist, ask them to whom they would send their family for dental care. This should be very reliable.

If you are evaluating a dental office on your own, consider the following things during your initial visits:

- Are employees mature and professional?
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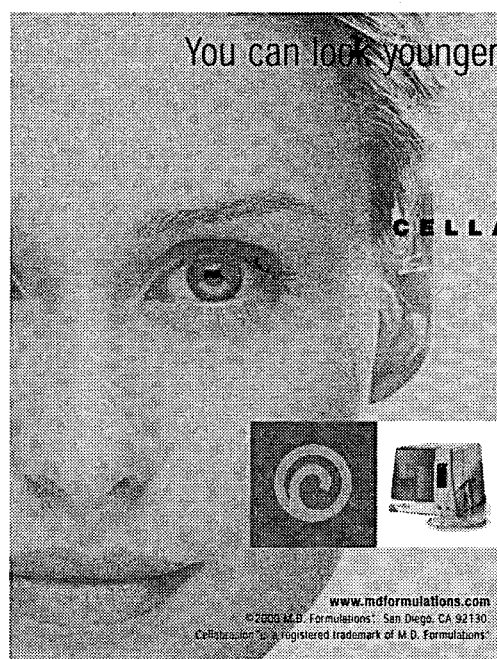
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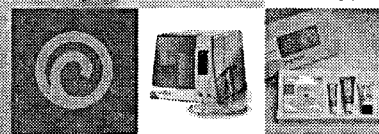


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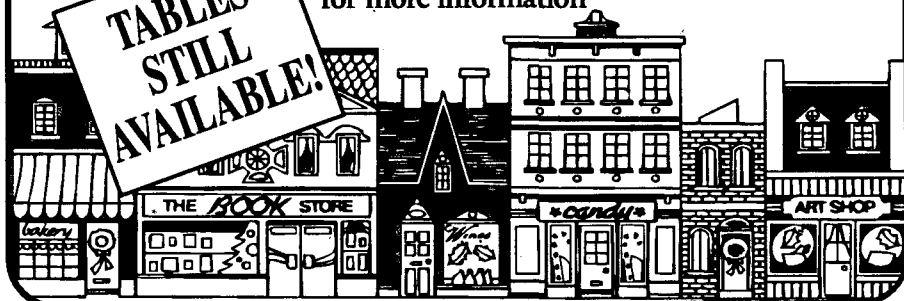
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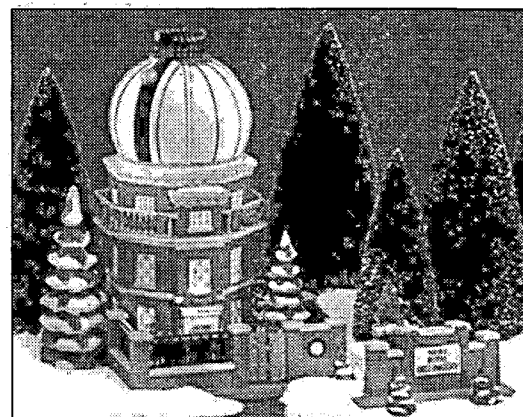
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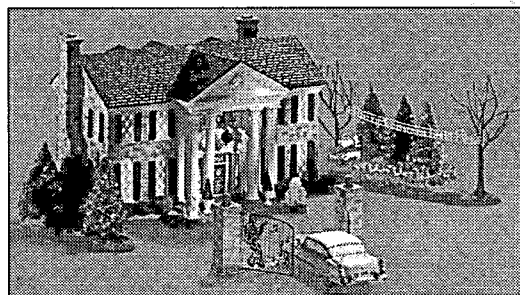
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Red Oaks to Hold Apple Fest Auction Saturday, September 30

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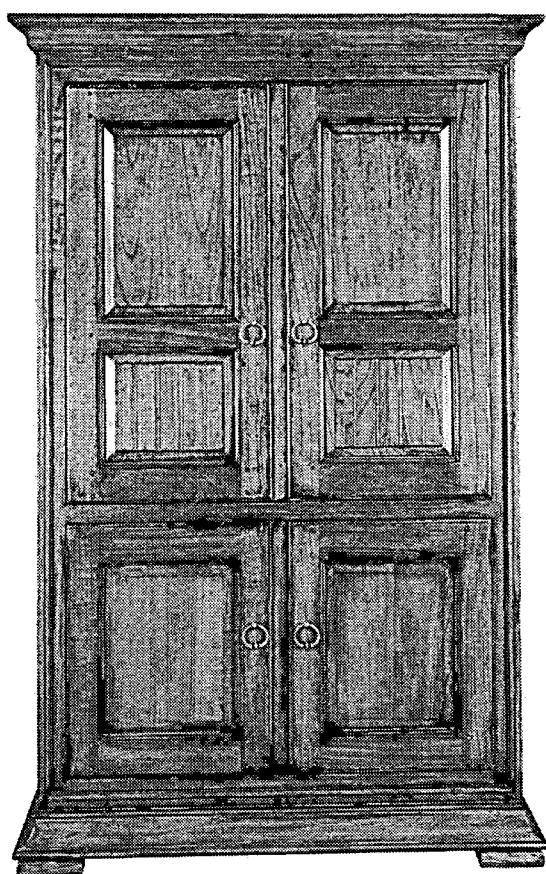
The auction will be held Saturday, September 30. Items to be auctioned will be available for previewing under tents located directly behind the store. Previewing and registration for bidding numbers starts at 10:00 a.m. Auctioneer Steve LaBue will begin the action at 1:00 p.m.

Red Oaks' auction will feature a unique mix of furniture, upholstered sofas and chairs, lamps, prints, accessories, mirrors and gift items. Parking during the festival is often limited, so plan to come early.

Also in September, Red Oaks will be hosting a *Quimper Soiree* showcasing the collectible pottery from France. Mr. Peter Janssens will be on hand for a special preview night September 22 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. He will be bringing some special order items that will be offered for sale. Mr. Janssens will also be available for informal one-on-one or small group discussions. Reservations are strongly recommended and refreshments will be served. September 23rd, the Quimper Soiree will be open to the public 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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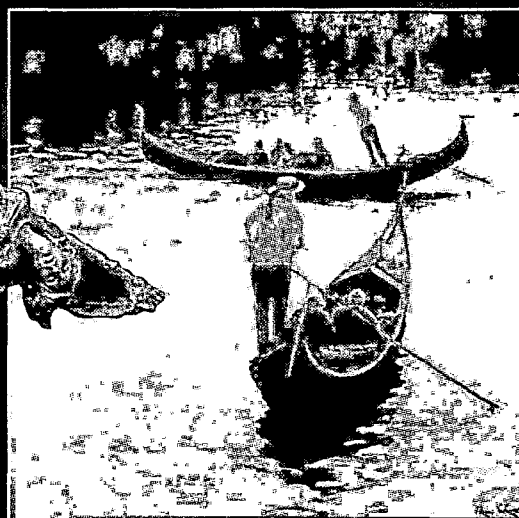
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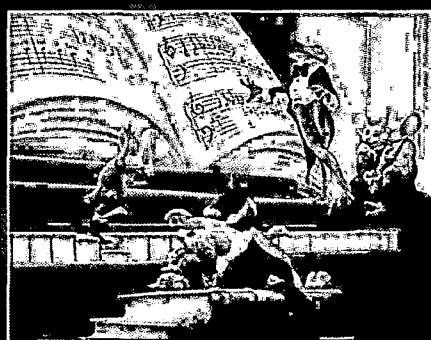
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Happenings!

in the area

BACOA's "Vintage Voila"



Pictured while admiring some of the items to be featured in the Silent Auction are, from left to right: Sharon R. Hamilton, Event Chair; Pamela McCord Stephenson, BACOA Board Member and Past President; Charles R. Carson, Resident Vice President of Merrill Lynch; Dave Sheppard, BACOA Board Member and First Vice President of Merrill Lynch; Joyce Palmquist, BACOA Executive Director; and Syl Boeder, BACOA Board Member and Director of Community Relations at Advocate/Good Shepherd Hospital.

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) will hold its 5th Annual Wine Tasting fundraiser "Vintage Voila" on Sunday, September 17, 2000, from 3:00 to 5:30 PM at the Biltmore Country Club in North Barrington. Merrill Lynch is the corporate sponsor of this year's event.

In addition to good music, food and wine, attendees may bid on an exciting array of silent auction items. Reservations of \$45 per person can be made by calling BACOA at 381-5030.

BACOA's mission is to promote the in-

dependence, dignity and well-being of older adults in the Barrington area. All proceeds from the Wine Tasting will support the programs and services provided to our senior citizens and their caregivers. BACOA's programs and services include: Meals With Wheels, Senior Advisor newsletter, information on senior services, Care2Share Friendly Visiting Program, Caregiver Support Group, Outreach and Case Coordination, Senior Citizen's Hall of Fame and Senior Activity and Lunch Program.

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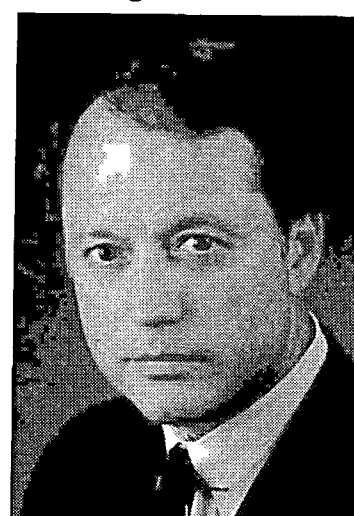
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"The Glow of the Future"— Shelter's 13th Annual Charity Ball



Kathy Brock,
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Fred Steingraber, Chairman and CEO of A.T. Kearney, Inc., will serve as Honorary Chairman of Shelter, Inc.'s 13th Annual Charity Ball, "The Glow of the Future." ABC Channel 7 news anchor Kathy Brock is celebrity speaker at the annual black-tie gala at the Hyatt Regency Woodfield on Friday, November 17, 2000.

The Charity Ball raises funds to aid Shelter in its mission of offering community-based emergency and temporary care and housing for abused and neglected children and adolescents in the northwest suburbs and for its child abuse prevention services.

Colorful plans to celebrate the first Charity Ball of the century are already in the works. A white-gloved waitstaff serving hors d'oeuvres in a cabaret-style setting begins the evening. Beautifully decorated

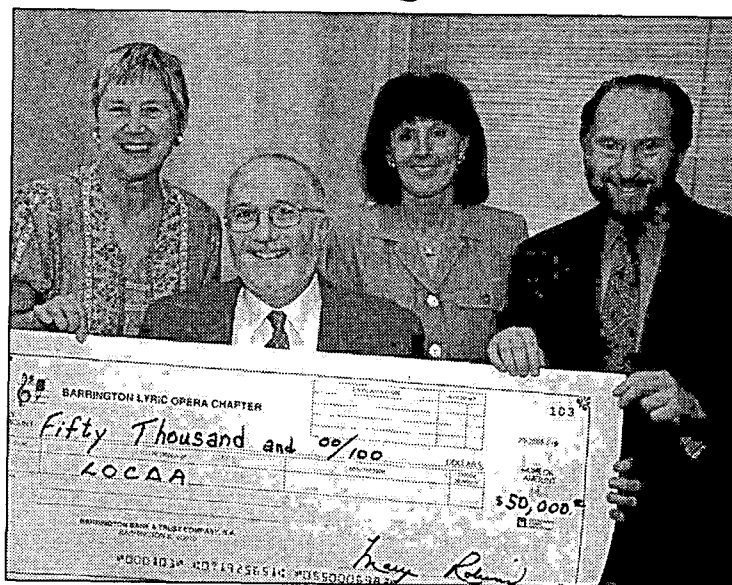
tables will provide an illuminating setting for a specially prepared four-course gourmet meal. The evening will come to a rapturous culmination with dancing to a live band.

Tickets and sponsorship opportunities are available. Individual tickets are \$200 per person. Patron Tables (reserved seating for 10) are \$2,000; Premier Tables (preferred seating for 10) are \$3,300; Platinum Tables (prestige seating for 10) are \$3,800; and Honorary Chairman's Tables are \$5,000.

Live and silent auctions will offer opportunities to dine in Chicago's finest restaurants, sit in a local sports arena or travel to faraway places.

For information about the Charity Ball, contact Shelter's Development Department at 847-590-6188.

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L'Opera Rendezvous co-chairman Anne Gross from Inverness, (left), and Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago's President Mary Robins from Arlington Heights present a check for \$50,000 to William Mason, General Director of Lyric Opera of Chicago, (seated), and Richard Pearlman, Director of Lyric Opera Center for Young American Artists (LOCAA).

L'Opera Rendezvous, the spectacular

May 13th biennial benefit, was held in Marian and Jasper Sanfillipo's Barrington Hills Victorian Palace and Eden Palais. Proceeds raised will support LOCAA, Lyric Opera of Chicago's internationally renowned young artist professional development program.

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

For an Oompah Good Time

Looking for a great time? Be sure to book your reservations now for **Fritzl's Octoberfest**. Join a live German DJ and dancers on Friday, October 13 for cocktails, dinner and dancing.

Dinner includes: Alpine salad, unlimited bratwurst and thuringer, Bavarian baked chicken, potato salad, sauerkraut, red cabbage, dinner rolls, coffee and apple strudel. Cost is \$29.95 per person (includes dinner, a live German DJ, dancers, tax and gratuity). Cash bar features German beer, wine and liqueur.

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The entrée selections are many. But during the warmer months, lighter fare is also included. If you are a mushroom lover, try the porcini risotto... tender, creamy and plentiful. Nightly specials are offered. The wine list, in the state of expansion, is limited and predominantly Italian. A selection of domestic and imported beer is also available.

If you are looking for great Italian food made with family pride and the freshest ingredients, try **Frantonio's Trattoria**. *Now that's Italian!*

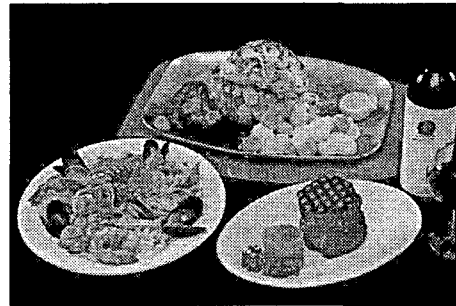
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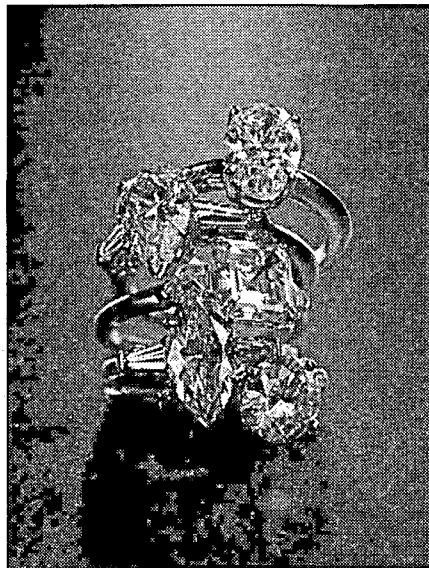


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"Frederic Church's Tropical Renaissance"

Katherine Manthorne, Professor of Art of the Americas in the Ph.D. Program of the Graduate Center, City University of New York, will conduct a lecture entitled "Frederic Church's Tropical Renaissance" on Tuesday, September 12, at 6 PM at Terra Museum of American Art, 664 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago.

One of America's most esteemed landscape painters, Frederic Edwin Church (1826-1900) is famous for his highly detailed canvases of such exotic locations as the Near East, the Arctic and the South American tropics, replete with volcanoes and waterfalls. In her talk, Professor Manthorne will trace Church's footsteps as he made field sketches of these tropi-

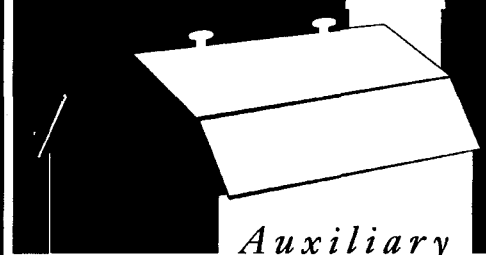
cal locales. She will also discuss his working studio where he painted his masterful canvases and how they were exhibited in his own day.

"Frederic Church's Tropical Renaissance" is offered in conjunction with the exhibition *In Search of The Promised Land: Paintings by Frederic Edwin Church* on view at Terra Museum of American Art through October 1.

Cost to attend the lecture is \$5 for members and educators; \$7 for nonmembers; or free to all students with a student identification card. For more information, call the Education Department at Terra Museum of American Art at 312-654-2255. Reservations are required.

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Spanish Wine Dinner on Thursday, September 14, from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. The five-course dinner will include wine with each course, tax and tip and a presentation by wine expert Nora Favelukes from Palm Bay Imports.

Now is the perfect time to reserve **Julio's Latin Cafe** for your private parties, luncheons, dinners and corporate holiday gatherings. Call **Julio's** for further information and reservations. Dinner is served every night at 5:30 PM and lunch is served Monday through Friday.

Art in the Barn Combines Art, Entertainment and Fun

Ten local women artists and craftspeople once met in a North Barrington home to brainstorm on their idea of a quality art event in the Barrington area. So it is that Art in the Barn was born. And on September 23 and 24, 2000, it will happen for the 26th year on the grounds of Good Shepherd Hospital on Route 22, north of Barrington.

From its hometown beginnings, Art in the Barn has not only become a major fundraiser for the Auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital—which quickly picked up sponsorship of the founders' creative idea—but it has grown into one of the premier fine arts shows and festivals in this part of the country. Well over four million Auxiliary dollars have been donated over the years for the support of medical services and building improvements at the hospital. These include, among many others, the Outpatient Center, hospital lobby, Women's Breast Care Center, Birth Center, Special Care Nursery, radiology, surgery and emergency.

The Auxiliary has always been, and continues to be, one of the largest single contributors to the hospital. In recognition, the newly constructed cardiologic suites are named for the Auxiliary. Art in the Barn proceeds this year will help honor the Auxiliary's most recent commitment of \$1 million to the hospital's current Outpatient Services Expansion Project.

Art in the Barn 2000

Cindy Corson Pattee of Palatine and Linda Corson of Lake Zurich serve as co-chairmen of a 38-member committee of Auxiliaries who are known for proficiency in putting on Art in the Barn: Biz Allen, Marlene Aprati, Barbara Bond, Jan Broders, Julie Buchholz, Dottie Connolly, Lyle Corson, Tom Corson, Robbie Epperson, Bev Fisher, Michelle Mitchell Flannery, Kay Gillespie, Sandy Grace, Mitzi Hamilton, Mary Lou Hansen, Sue Hartman, Dr. Eileen Koty, Shawna Lorenz, Teddi Martin, Lorraine Metzler, Miranda Mikos, Karen Montgomery, Bonnie Murray, Sam Oliver (Auxiliary president), Libby Rieke, Joanne Snell, Beth Statter, Sherry Tomasko, Fred Voras, Nancy Voras, Sharon Vogel and Marion Wulff. They are joined in support by hospital administration staff: Alan Iftiniuk, Mike Ploszek, Linda Newton, Bill Fritts, Denny Walters and Heather Gates. Behind these committee heads stand many other volunteers who will spring into action on or before opening day.

Art in the Barn features more than 160 juried and invited artists from Illinois and 16 states around, including some who are new to Art in the Barn. Others such as Michael Bond of Wisconsin, Gail Collier



Carolyn Husemoller, (left), co-founder of Art in the Barn, shares memories with Naomi Peck of Sycamore, one of Art in the Barn's founding artists honored at last year's 25th anniversary event.

of Barrington, Durkhee Cha of Hoffman Estates, Nancy Krahn of Algonquin, Sylvia Westgard of Buffalo Grove, Robert Koch of Naperville, Curt Frankenstein of Wilmette, Greg Hagen of Pennsylvania and John Galbo of Florida have all been participants in recent years. Together, the year 2000 artists will provide quality works in watercolor, oils, jewelry, sculpture, metal work, pottery, acrylics, etchings, photography, colored pencil drawing, stained and blown glass, woodworking, ceramics, handmade paper, hand-woven fabrics, leather and more.

Family Fare

Art in the Barn has evolved into a popular family occasion. Children's activities include hands-on art projects and pony rides. There are food and refreshments readily available and entertainment is scheduled throughout the two days, including Barrington Children's Choir, Ela Community Singers, Lee Bassett at the keyboard, Bataille Academie of the Danse and more.

Grand Sponsors

This year's Grand Sponsors include Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, AMTEC Precision Products, Inc., C.M. Products, Inc., *Daily Herald*, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Hills and Family, Kemper Insurance Companies, Northern Trust Bank, Pepper Construction Company, Square D Company, Abbott Laboratories and Premier Eye Care & Surgery, Ltd.

Contributing as 2000 Sponsors are Barrington Bank & Trust Company, Chicago Rawhide, Baird & Warner, Marquardt Buick, Wickstrom Ford and Quaker Oats Company.

Auxiliary and benefit committee members are grateful to all who provide donations and sponsorships for Art in the Barn. Hours are 10 AM to 5 PM both Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$4 a person, and children under 12 are free of charge. For further information, call 847-381-0123, ext. 5093.

Children and Self-Esteem Topic for C&PA

Lori Baker, prevention services coordinator for Family Service and Community Mental Health Center in McHenry, will speak about "Children and Self-Esteem" from 7 to 8 PM, Tuesday, September 12, at the Cary Area Public Library, 1606 Three Oaks Road. The Childhood and Parenting Association of McHenry County will host Ms. Baker's talk as part of an ongoing se-

ries of parenting seminars. Nonmembers are welcome.

C&PA, a nonprofit group for parents and their pre-kindergarten children, offers playgroups, children's parties, mom's night out and many other activities. To RSVP, please call 847-462-9423, e-mail at CandPA@worldnet.att.net or visit our website at <http://home.att.net/~candpa>.

Chers Amis...

It has been a great summer... weather, business, health, etc. I hope it was as good for you and that you had a chance to visit us.

September is here and **D & J Bistro** will again offer some special dinners, unique to our bistro. On Sunday, September 17, we will introduce you to the beautiful region of **Alsace** through a one-hour slide presentation, followed by a regional dinner. It will be from 5:00 to 7:30 PM; cost is \$45 per person inclusive of: presentation, food, wine, tax, service. Reserve soon. This is our sixth year and it always gets booked.

Important news from our **Retro Bistro** in Mount Prospect. Following a great review by the *Daily Herald* in August, the

readers chose **Retro Bistro** as the "Best French Restaurant in Cook County." (See the *Herald's Fall Guide, Reader's Choice*.) Lorraine and Chris—our daughter and her husband—who are associated with us in this venture since 1992 and who run it on a daily basis, felt rewarded for all the work they and their staff put into it. Yet, modesty obliges; we would feel more comfortable with "The Best **Bistro** in Cook County." In any case, thank you to all who helped make **Retro Bistro** a success for eight years already. And if you have not visited **Retro Bistro** yet, check it out for yourself soon. Call **847-439-2424**.

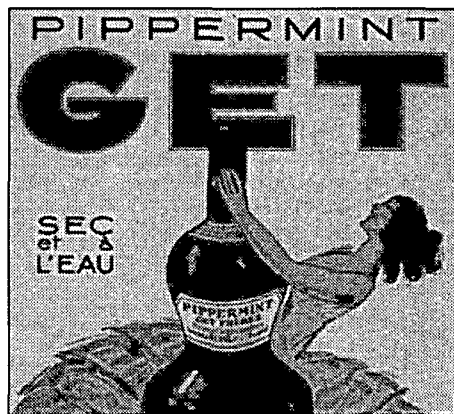
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Schaumburg Prairie Center to Kick Off 2000-2001 Season of Entertainment

An eclectic palette of performing arts programs highlights the Schaumburg **Prairie Center for the Arts'** 2000-2001 season of entertainment. The 442-seat performing arts center, located at 201 Schaumburg Ct. in Schaumburg, is now entering its 15th year of presenting arts and entertainment to the Northwest suburbs.

The season kicks off with an entry from its "Jazz" series, when the Count Basie Orchestra performs at 8:00 PM on Friday, September 22. More jazz can be heard as Latin-influenced acoustic guitarist Al Di Meola appears at 8:00 PM on Friday, November 10. Singer Karrin Allyson completes the series with her unique stamp of cabaret and jazz music at 8:00 PM on Saturday, May 12, 2001.

Two "International" programs will be presented at the **Prairie Center**, beginning with the Tamburitzans appearing at 3:00 PM, Sunday, October 22. The 40-member ensemble from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh, faithfully recreates dances from Eastern European countries including Greece, Bulgaria, Lithuania, the Ukraine and others. Then, a St. Patrick's weekend celebration is in store with the Three Original Irish Tenors at 7:00 PM on Sunday, March 18, 2001. The three singers will be joined on stage by a soprano, comedian and a host of Irish dancers and

musicians.

The "Contemporary" series offers an evening of fusion jazz guitar music by John Scofield at 8:00 PM on Saturday, September 30. Acoustic music artists Leo Kottke with Tuck and Patti will perform at 8:00 PM on Friday, October 27, and folk legend Peter Yarrow will present a special Chanukah concert at 8:00 PM on Saturday, December 16.

A series aptly titled "That's Entertainment" offers something for everyone. Fans of political humor will delight in The Capitol Steps, a comedy troupe of former Congressional staffers, at 7:00 PM on Sunday, October 29. Singer/pianist Freddy Cole, appearing at 8:00 PM on Saturday, March 31, 2001, recalls a style that will appeal to listeners of Cole's older brother Nat "King" Cole. And, folk lovers will revel in "Weavermania," a tribute to the country's premier folk group the Weavers, at 8:00 PM on Saturday, April 28, 2001.

Three theatrical productions highlight the "Broadway" series. Tony Sandler, half of the popular singing duet Sandler and Young, will appear as Chevalier in "Maurice and Me" at 8:00 PM on Saturday, November 4. The Nebraska Theatre Caravan returns to the **Prairie Center** for a lively adaptation of Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*

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Pitfalls of Estate Planning—Part II

by Sharon L. Keller, J.D., LLM

September is upon us and summer is coming to a close. I hope you all enjoyed the cool summer. This month, I will continue my discussion of pitfalls to be aware of in Estate Planning.

In planning your estate, you must remember to review your beneficiary designations on your insurance policies. Some people assume that a divorce, for example, will change beneficiary designations on insurance policies as a matter of law. However, this is not the case, as insurance policies are contracts created with their own rules for changing beneficiaries.

Take the following case as an example: Within a year of being married, an individual developed multiple sclerosis. The disease caused him to lose his eyesight. After five years, he separated from his wife and was cared for by his father for the final seven years of his life. At his death, his Will left all his property, including his insurance benefits, to his father. However, his insurance policy named his wife as beneficiary of the insurance proceeds. Applying state law, the Will's general testamentary statement was insufficient to affect a specific insurance policy's designated beneficiary. To change a beneficiary on an insurance policy, the method prescribed by the insurance contract must be followed. It cannot be done



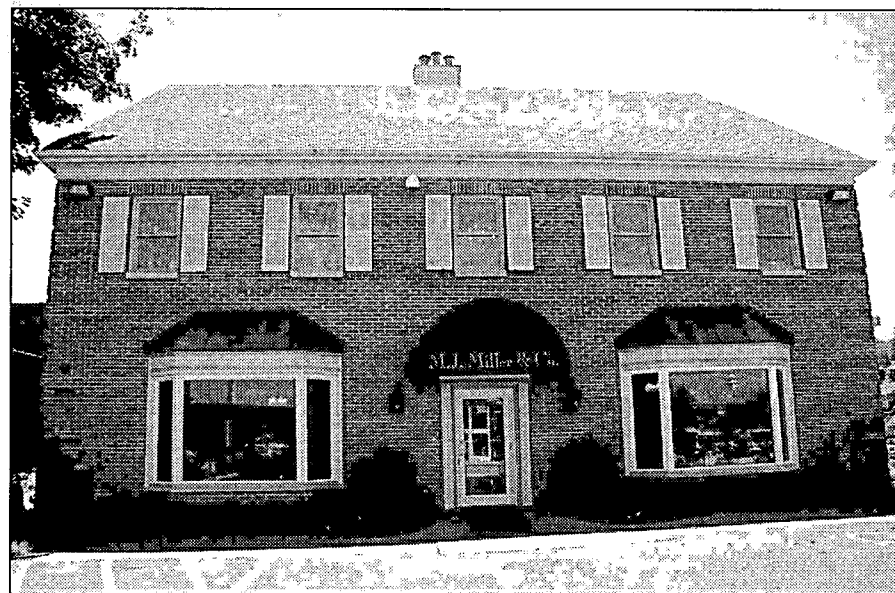
through a general statement in a Will.

Another area where some people fail to plan properly is in beneficiary designations in their Wills and/or trusts. No one likes to think about the death of a child. It is the ultimate tragedy for any family. However, in so doing, we make assumptions about longevity that are not always accurate. For that reason, your estate plan must allow for contingent beneficiaries—those people that will become beneficiaries of your estate if your children are not living at the time of your death.

Next month, I will continue my discussion of estate planning pitfalls and discuss joint accounts in detail. Until then, have a wonderful Labor Day and a very healthy and prosperous September.

M.J. Miller and Co. Opens New Showroom

M.J. Miller and Co. has opened a new showroom at 123 West Main Street in downtown Barrington. The new showroom features 2,500 square feet of retail space devoted to an expansive collection of fine designer jewelry, original jewelry and high-end crystal and giftware.



The new M.J. Miller store is three times as large as the previous location and offers a wide range of jewelry and giftware for sophisticated buyers.



The store has an expanded selection of important estate jewelry including Victorian, Edwardian, Art Deco and other pieces, such as a 60-carat diamond bracelet once owned by movie star Marlene Dietrich, and many fine pieces of high-end giftware.



Catchpenny Offering "Slightly Used" Fall Fashions

Catchpenny resale shop, sponsored by the Auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital, is now featuring good, "slightly used" fall fashions. They're great for school and back-to-the-office schedules. College students needing useful household items may find just the right item at the right price.

Catchpenny, 118 E. Main Street in Barrington, is staffed by men and women of the auxiliary. Volunteers share in the joy of providing enhanced patient services and meeting new friends. Profits are used toward medical services, equipment, building improvements and patient support. This is a win-win service to the community.

Catchpenny is also the auxiliary's col-

lection place for used wireless phones to benefit victims of domestic violence in a program sponsored by the Illinois Conference of Women Legislators. Phones may be dropped off during regular business hours, Monday through Friday from 10 AM to 4 PM and Saturday from 10 AM to 3 PM.

Men and women of the auxiliary also assist in the Auxiliary's Pear Tree Cafe and Pear Tree Gift Shop, both in the lobby of the hospital. Volunteers are much needed and flexible hours can be worked out with the managers.

For auxiliary membership information or volunteer opportunities, call Linda Newton at the GSH Volunteer Office at 847-381-0123, ext. 5094.

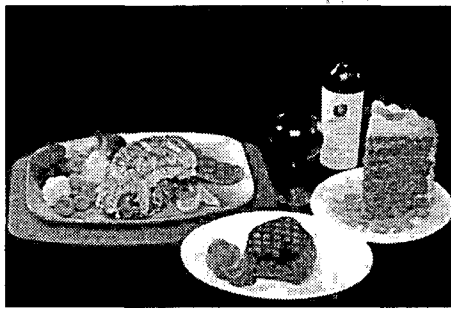


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cialists to assure your party's success! Lunch is served Monday through Friday and dinner begins at 5 PM every night. Reservations are recommended.

Porter's Steakhouse is located in the Town Center at 100 McHenry Road in Buffalo Grove. For reservations or inquiries, call **847-808-9200**.

Apply Now for Childhood Reading and Writing Program

Joy A. Pribyl, M.A.T., Progressive Tutoring Service, is now accepting applications for the **Fall 2000 Childhood Reading and Writing Program** for children four years of age through the fourth grade. The 12-week classes will begin on September 11 and will be held at the Barrington Community Child Care Center, 560 Carl Avenue, Barrington. To apply, call **847-658-4534**. Class size is limited.

The design of the childhood reading and writing program will include phonics, vocabulary development, spelling, correct letter formation, reading comprehension

skills development, the interconnection of reading and writing and exposure to a variety of authors and writing styles.

The mission of the childhood reading and writing program is to provide superior academic opportunities for children through the implementation of progressive tutoring services.

Joy A. Pribyl holds a Masters Degree in Education and has been a teacher of reading and writing in both public and private schools for 28 years and has offered private tutoring services for six years.

Enroll Now for Child Care and Preschool

Barrington Community Child Care Center offers a year-round preschool-type program. No appointment is necessary to tour the center. We are conveniently located at 560 Carl Ave. in Barrington, (one block west of Burger King off Northwest Hwy.)

Registration is now being accepted for all age groups in our child care and preschool programs. Have peace of mind while you work and know that your child is in a safe environment. Being at the **Barrington Community Child Care Center** means fun with music, art activities, water play, sandbox fun, stories and more.

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

a Barrington salon are offered every six weeks. We also have a reading and writing specialist on staff, available for private tutoring.

One less worry for parents, nutritious snacks and a hot catered lunch are offered each day. Daily communication between teachers and parents helps to achieve continuity and consistency between home and school. Our staff is highly qualified and continues their education and training on an ongoing basis. In addition, our staff is certified in CPR and First Aid techniques.

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!*

Ortinau Elected ICEP Councillor

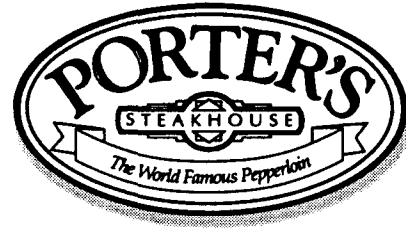
John M. Ortinau MD, FACEP, was elected to serve as a Councillor of the Illinois College of Emergency Physicians (ICEP). He was named to this position during the group's 2000 Annual Meeting held June 1 at the Hyatt Lodge at McDonald's Office Campus in Oak Brook.

Dr. Ortinau will represent the college at

the American College of Emergency Physician's (ACEP) Annual Meeting this fall.

Dr. Ortinau is the Past-President of ICEP. He is a resident of Deer Park.

ICEP is the state medical specialty society representing more than 1,000 emergency physicians in Illinois.

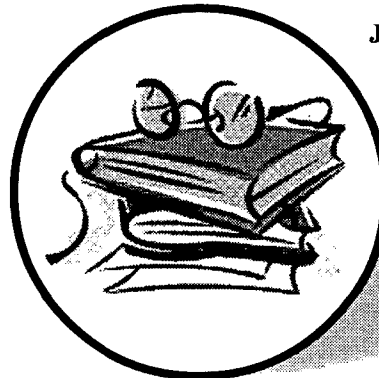


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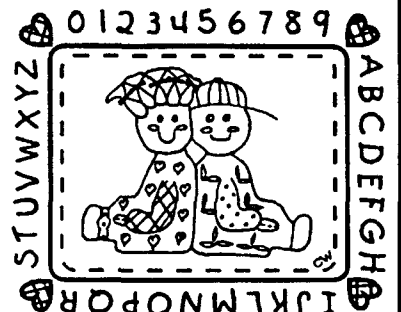
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BAAC Gallery at the Library Season Opens with *Body Language*

The Barrington Area Arts Council's (BAAC) September BAAC Gallery at the Library exhibit is titled *Body Language*. The exhibit opens September 1 and features figurative oil paintings by Sandra Berger.

Ms. Berger is a resident of Viroqua, WI. She considers herself to be a self-taught artist. Her artwork flourished when she exhibited her work at "Around the Coyote" in 1996. From there, she was invited to exhibit her work at the Cornilla Arts Building in Chicago. "I believe that all hu-

man beings are creators of art. We just use different tools and avenues," she said.

The public is invited to attend the opening reception held as part of Gallery & Studio Walk 2000 on Friday, September 8, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. The reception is at the Barrington Library.

The exhibit is on view at the Barrington Area Library located at 505 N. Northwest Highway in Barrington through October 30 during regular library hours.

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Community Theater is "Big" Fun for One Barrington Family



The Colberts and their castmates rehearse a dance from *Big, the Musical*, a production of Lake Zurich Playhouse. Pictured are: (front, l to r) Kevin Winters, Griffin Campbell, Brian Colbert, Tara Colbert and Amy Yanow; (back, l to r) Megan Kosman, Dan Lantvit, Becky Colbert and Marcie Davis.

Insect repellent would have done no good. Barrington residents Becky Colbert and her children, Tara, 12, and Brian, 10, have been bitten by the community theater bug.

While most families have spent summer evenings lounging by the pool, the Colberts have spent the past two months dancing, singing and acting three hours a night, three to four days a week, as they prepare for their Lake Zurich community

theater debut.

"I talked my mom into trying out. I think she's having fun," said Tara.

It's obvious they're all having fun.

The Colberts join a cast of 40 "bitten" singers and dancers, including 24 children and teens ages 6 to 17, in Lake Zurich Playhouse's area premiere of *Big, the Musical* based on the 1988 Tom Hanks hit movie *Big*.

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So, How Was Your Day?— Employment Rights and Responsibilities

by Joette S. Doran, J.D.



Since most of us spend most of our waking hours at work, whether you are an employee or an employer, it is extremely important to know your respective rights under the law. I find it unfortunate that so many companies and individuals, with whom I consult or handle cases for, do not know their responsibilities or their rights under the law despite spending so much time on the job.

For instance, did you know that in Illinois and most other states, employment is "at will" which means that a company may discharge an employee for a good reason, bad reason or no reason at all? An exception to the employment at will doctrine is the existence of a valid and enforceable employment contract. Additionally, the law provides the employee with protection from a discharge or adverse employment decision if it is based on a discriminatory reason. Discrimination is defined by state and federal law and prevents employers from wrongfully basing an employment decision on an employee's sex, age, race, religion, national origin, disability or veteran status. Moreover, a discharged employee may have a claim for "retaliatory discharge" under certain circumstances.

Today, employers faced with such cases know not only the cost and expense of these claims but also the toll it takes on company morale. Additionally, employees know the financial and emotional pain that can exist if they are subject to such conduct. Both employers and employees can go a long way to alleviate potential problems if they know their respective rights under the law. This is especially true in the area of sexual harassment in what is known as "hostile work environment harassment."

More than two years ago, the U.S. Supreme Court decided extremely important cases which helped define the legal liability of an employer for the conduct of its managers and workers. In those opinions, the Court addressed the importance to

both the employer and employee of an employer having a well defined policy against harassment which is distributed throughout the work force. Such a policy can aid employees by instructing them to voice complaints regarding unwelcome conduct without the fear of retaliation. Additionally, the policy can help protect the employer from legal action in certain circumstances when an employee fails to bring a claim of sexual harassment to its attention.

Employers, take time now to evaluate your personnel policies and to be sure they are well written and distributed among your employees. For employees, if you do have a complaint, make sure you protect your legal rights by reporting any unwelcome conduct to your company as directed in your company policy.

Stay tuned next month when I will continue to discuss the importance of employment laws for both employers and employees. Until then, best wishes for a great labor day.

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 in all Illinois federal courts. She is the chairperson of the Employment Law Committee for the Northwest Suburban Bar Association.

Newcomers Club of Long Grove and Kildeer

The Newcomers Club of Long Grove and Kildeer offers residents the opportunity to meet their neighbors in the community and to open the door to new friendships. The club is not just for those new to these two communities, but it is also for those who have lived in Long Grove or Kildeer for many years. The only criteria for membership is that you be a resident of Long Grove or Kildeer and want to make friends through club activities.

We provide a variety of activities and events to satisfy a broad range of interest for women, men and couples. Many of

our functions are held on weekends, such as our Wine Tastings, Ethnic Dining, Dinner Clubs and Club Socials and are attended by couples and singles. The special interest groups such as Bridge, Bunco, Golf, Book Club, Moms & Tots, etc. meet during the day or weeknights and are primarily attended by women. The general meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the month, beginning at 9:30 AM, September through May.

Call 821-1830 for membership information and a calendar of events. We can't wait to meet you!



opens on September 8 and runs weekends to September 24 at Lake Zurich Middle School North, 100 Church Street, Lake Zurich. Friday and Saturday performances begin at 8 PM. Sunday matinees will be

at 3 PM. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$10 for seniors and students. There will be no performance on September 15. Please call 847-540-5932 for tickets.

The Learning Tree Center Now at a New Location

The Learning Tree Center has moved to its new location on Ela Road near McDonald's and the new Target store. The building, which overlooks a wetland nature area, was designed especially for young children. It has a home-like atmosphere and lots of low windows.

The Learning Tree Early Childhood School offers preschool classes for two, three or five-days per week for children of ages 2 through 6. Either morning or afternoon sessions are available as well as lunchtime enrichment classes. The Learning Tree Daycare offers full and part time care for children of working parents. Classes are available for children of ages 6 weeks through 5 years. A kindergarten and a before and after school program (the Discovery Club) are also available. Special classes are offered in computers, art, dance, gymnastics and Spanish. A baby gym and mom & tot program will also be offered. The summer camp program will include outdoor activities as well as exciting field trips.

The Learning Tree began serving the area 25 years ago in Atonement Lutheran Church in Barrington and now is in its own new, beautiful facility. The building includes a multipurpose room for exercise, rain or shine, as well as a science

curiosity corner. The educational curriculum aims at school readiness and includes fascinating themes and projects for the children. The goal of The Learning Tree Center is to provide a safe, educational and culturally rich environment to nurture young children.

The Learning Tree has recently been awarded the National Early Childhood Program Accreditation (NECPA). This nationally recognized accreditation follows a rigorous process of self-study, surveys of parents and staff, verification by early childhood education/childcare professionals and a final review by the NECPA Board of Commissioners.

During the accreditation process, all areas of the school's program are scrutinized including administration, staff development and the working environment, the developmental program, outdoor and indoor environments, health and safety and parent and community relations.

NECPA Accreditation is reserved for exceptional early childhood programs that substantially exceed minimum state licensing requirements. Parents seeking care and education for their young children can use national accreditation as a means of locating the highest quality programs.

Learning Centers Help Children Make the Move Back to School

As September approaches, parents are calling learning centers across the country to help their children make the move back to school. This is especially true of parents whose children are reluctant, or even frightened, about returning to the classroom in September. The specially trained teachers and personal attention offered at a learning center can give a child a much-needed shot of self-esteem to start the new school year.

According to Dr. Raymond J. Huntington, founder and president of Huntington Learning Center, it is natural for children to experience some anxiety when entering a new classroom environment. However, he says, "When anxiety turns to dread, it is important to find out why and help them move past it. At our learning centers, we focus on three building blocks that help a child overcome fear of school: skills, confidence and motivation. When a child has all three, success follows."

He outlines the three main ways Huntington Learning Center can help a child succeed in school, come September and throughout the school year:

- **We build skills**—Children become frustrated when they cannot keep up with classmates or school assignments due to a lack of basic skills. If a child was having problems at the end of the last school year, the introduction of new material will be even more overwhelming. By working on a child's areas at our learning centers, new knowledge can be mastered.

- **We build self-confidence**—Without self-confidence, a child may not feel capable of success in school. To build a child's confidence, we set reasonable ex-

pectations and attainable goals, praising the child's achievements. When children find that they can complete small tasks, they feel better about moving on to bigger challenges.

- **We build motivation**—When a child is unmotivated, he or she may be expressing boredom or frustration with the materials being studied. At Huntington Learning Center, we know that the key to motivating children to learn is to make learning interesting. In addition, we encourage parents to look for real world opportunities to show their children the value of schoolwork.

Dr. Huntington adds, "The diagnostic test taken by students at Huntington Learning Center is the first step toward academic success. After diagnosing a child's exact strengths and weaknesses, a customized program of instruction can be prescribed. Our goal is to help children reach their full potential."

Huntington Learning Center offers instruction in reading, writing and math, as well as SAT and ACT exam prep courses. Frequent conferences with parents, plus ongoing encouragement for students, are also an important part of the Huntington method.

Huntington Learning Center, a recognized leader in the field of supplemental education, was established in 1977 and now has hundreds of centers across the country.

Parents who would like additional information, or who wish to discuss a specific problem, are encouraged to call the Huntington Learning Center in Barrington at 847-382-3655.

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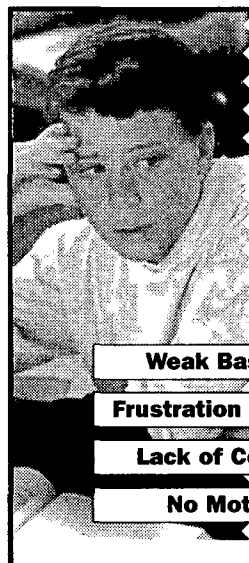
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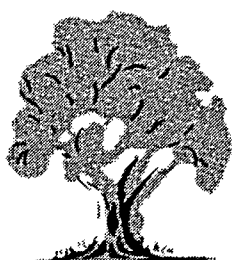
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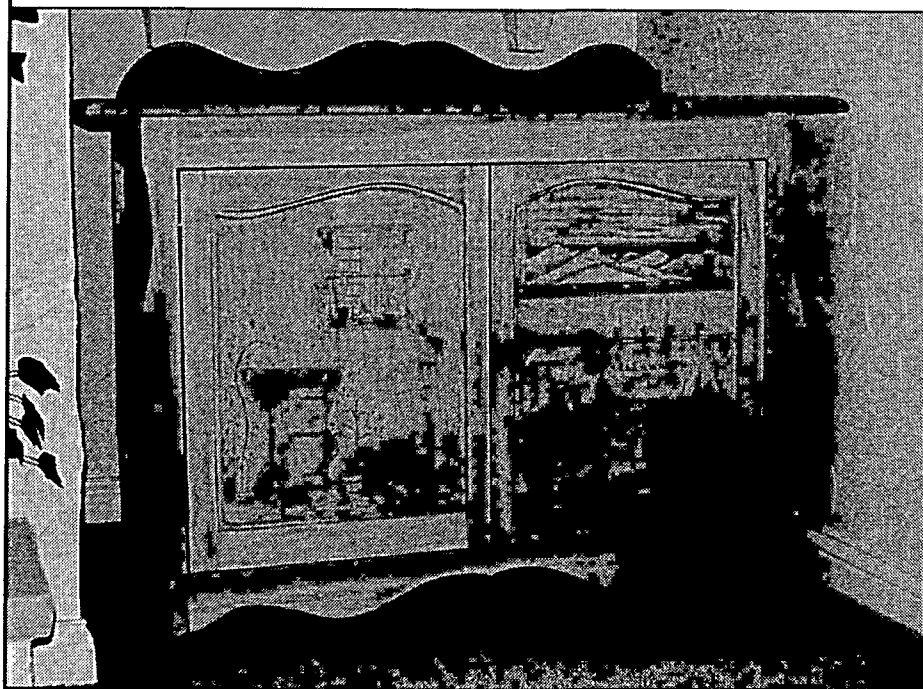


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Maureen Christine has enchanted audiences throughout the world with a voice "crystal clear, not a note or syllable is



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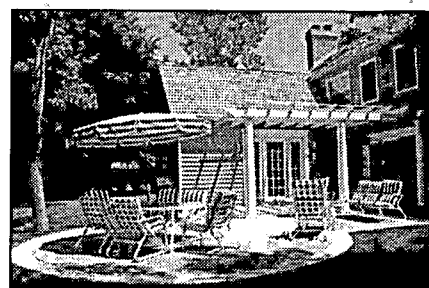
wasted" (Bruce Kalver, Nostalgia Times Radio). Ms. Christine has headlined at

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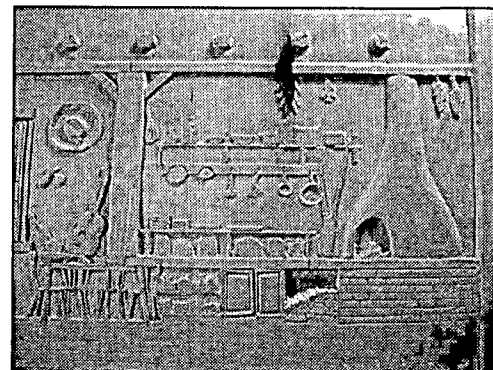
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Library Sculpture Garden

The Barrington Area Arts Council, the Barrington Area Library and the Friends of the Library are pleased to announce some new additions to the Barrington Area Library Sculpture Garden.

The new works include a steel sculpture by Tom Westney, Barrington, and a Chicago Cow named "Arts COWncil" designed and painted by artists who are

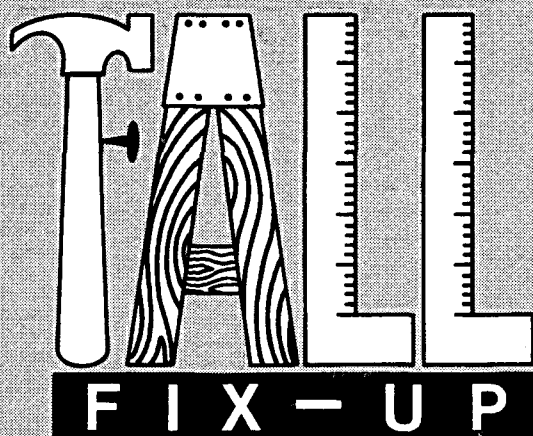
members of BAAC. The cow is generously sponsored by the law offices of Romanucci and Blandin, Chicago and Schaumburg, IL.

The public is invited to attend the opening reception held as part of Gallery & Studio Walk 2000 on Friday, September 8, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. The reception is at the Barrington Library.

such prestigious Chicago venues as: The Palmer House, The Pump Room and The Royal George Cabaret Theater. She has been a guest artist with pop star Barry Manilow and recorded with Pete Christlieb of the Johnny Carson Tonight Show Orchestra. Maureen Christine has garnered critical acclaim for her captivating vocal

renditions of traditional standards and romantic ballads.

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AAUW Welcomes New Members

The Barrington Area Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) welcomes new members to join the branch's activities. AAUW is a national organization committed to educational equity for women and girls, life-long education and positive societal change. The

Barrington Area Branch sponsors monthly programs, hosts social activities and is active in the Barrington community. Membership is open to anyone with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. For further information, call 847-540-8719.

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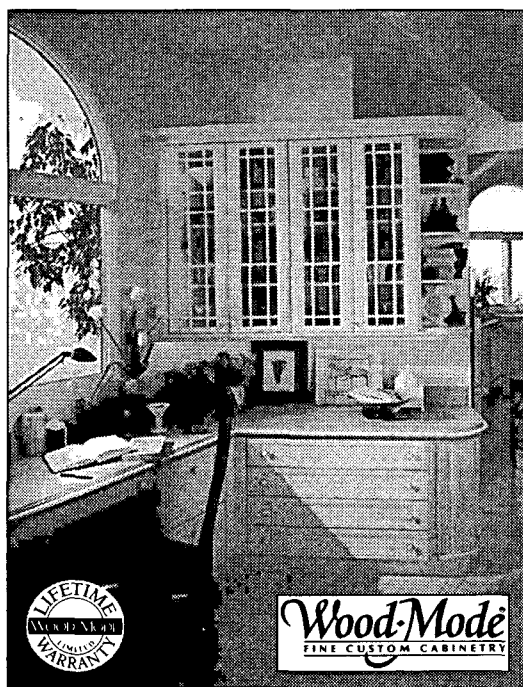
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Children ages 5 through 12 and their parents will join in an "expedition" featuring the tropics, volcanoes and icebergs as they view works of art from the special exhibition, *In Search of The Promised Land: Paintings by Frederic Edwin Church*, at the monthly Family Fair to be held at Terra Museum of American Art, 664 N. Michigan Ave., in Chicago on Sunday, October 1, from 1 to 3 PM.

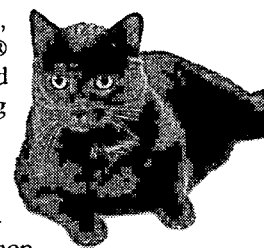
Participants will meet in the museum's main lobby and proceed to the galleries where they will begin their "excursion" to

the Near East, the Arctic and the South American tropics featured in paintings by artist-explorer-entrepreneur Frederic Edwin Church (1826-1900). They will then proceed to Terra Museum's studio classroom where they will create their own exotic landscape using drawing and collage techniques with papers and pictures from around the world.

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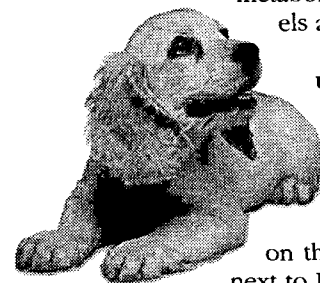
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Women to Discuss Their Jobs in Life and Death Careers

If you've ever wondered what it's like to be a person who deals with life and death on the job, come to the next meeting of Barrington Area Professional Women on September 7. Our panel will include: Barbara Richardson, Lake County Coroner and the first woman to serve Lake County in this office; Char McLearn, Fire Lieutenant for the Village of Barrington; and physician Dr. Roseann E. Brady.

The dinner meeting begins with a social hour at 6:15 PM at Barrington Country Bistro, the Foundry Shopping Center, Northwest Highway at Hart Road, Barrington. The cost is \$28 for members or \$33 for non-members and guests. BAPW is open to all women who live and/or work in Barrington and surrounding communities. For information and reservations, call Kathleen Connelly at 847-382-4843.

"Picture Yourself in the Arts"

With September begins the Barrington Area Arts Council's (BAAC) 24th year of arts programming. BAAC invites everyone to "Picture Yourself in the Arts" and join BAAC as a member for 2000-2001. BAAC is a nonprofit arts organization that presents and supports visual literary and performing arts programs in the Barrington community and the surrounding area.

The Arts Council provides something for every creative and cultural interest. Over 40 programs are planned for the calendar year. Membership levels range from

\$30 to \$1,000. Member benefits at all levels include discounted admissions to all programs, priority reservations to special events, a monthly newsletter and a member gift. Additional benefits are offered as membership levels increase.

BAAC's 2000-2001 Membership Campaign kick's off on September 8, 2000, with Gallery & Studio Walk 2000 and a gala Opening Reception for the BAAC Gallery exhibit "Fascinating Flora." The reception will be from 6 to 9 PM at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Ave., Barrington.



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The Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) in partnership with the Illinois Arts Council, an agency of the state of Illinois, announces ArtsBoost 2001, a community arts development program which offers granting opportunities for nonprofit organizations and individual artists seeking funds for arts programs or projects. Eligible applicants must be located or reside in Barrington, Barrington Hills, Lake Barrington, South Barrington, North Barrington, Deer Park, Tower Lakes, East or West Dundee, Carpentersville or McHenry County.

ArtsBoost 2001 Grants are offered to encourage and develop creative and innovative arts related projects which reach new or underserved audiences and participants. Funding is provided by the Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) and a community arts access grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency. Grant funds for ArtsBoost 2001 are approximately \$15,000 and no individual grant

award will exceed \$1,500. Projects and or programs must take place between January 1 and December 31, 2001.

A Grant Writing Workshop to assist applicants will be held at the BAAC Gallery on Thursday, October 19, at 7 PM. All interested parties are invited to attend.

ArtsBoost 2001 applications are available at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Ave., Barrington, IL. Applications for ArtsBoost 2001 grants must be postmarked no later than November 18, 2000. Hand-delivered applications must be received in the BAAC Gallery no later than 2 PM on the deadline date. Late or incomplete grant applications will be ineligible. Grant recipients will be announced December 21, 2000. For more information or to register for the workshop, call the BAAC Gallery at 847-382-5626.

The Barrington Area Arts Council is a nonprofit organization partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, an agency of the state of Illinois.

Well-Known Children's Author Coming to Crystal Lake

Barnes & Noble welcomes well-known children's author Kevin Henkes.

On Thursday, September 21, at 6:30 PM, Kevin Henkes will be visiting the children's department. Kevin's books include Caldecott Honor Book *Owen* and a School Library Journal Best Book of the Year, *Chrysanthemum*. He is also known for *Lily's Purple Plastic Purse* and his just released book, *Wemberly Worried*. During his visit, there will be a reading of *Wemberly Worried*, a universal story about making friends and growing up which demonstrates that children who are not

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The Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago is proud to welcome back Cynthia Kelly Conlon as guest speaker for the Art Volunteer in the Classroom Fall Seminar on Wednesday, October 11, at the Presbyterian Church of Barrington on Brinker Road.

In this new seminar, "Connecting with Art", Dr. Conlon's goal is for children of all ages to understand the "meaning of art" appropriate for their developmental level. She will briefly present research on learning and child development, and then discuss how this information can be used to design an engaging and fun approach to looking at art with children. Dr. Conlon will demonstrate other practical, hands-on



approaches for the art volunteers to take to their classrooms. She will also discuss

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A home's landscaping is, if done well, its crowning glory. Tastefully executed landscaping can make even the plainest house look appealing, just as poor landscaping can ruin the appearance of a mansion. Consequently, every year Americans spend millions of dollars installing, enhancing and maintaining both residential and commercial landscapes. The shame of it, though, is that every night when the sun dips below the horizon all of that expensive landscaping is virtually invisible for 10 or 12 hours.

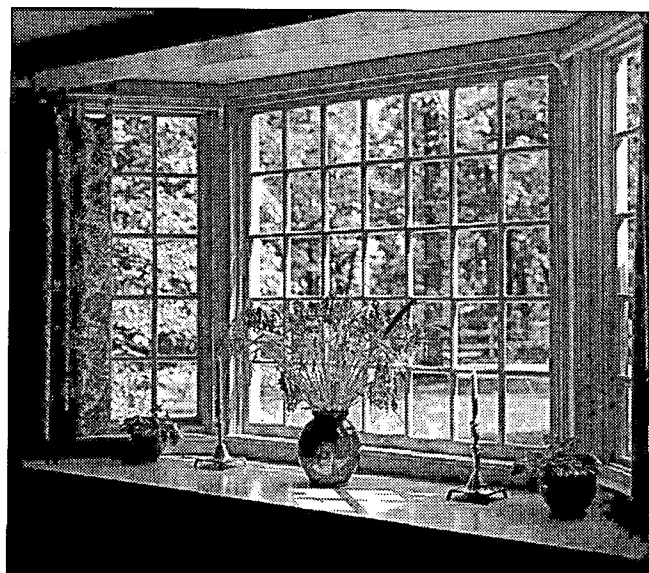
Rudy Kruse, president of **CFC Nite Lites**, has set out to change that by installing landscape lighting which accents elements to which your eye is naturally drawn during the day—flowering trees,

artwork, building features and so forth, using a wide variety of techniques including uplighting, crosslighting, moonlighting and pathlighting.

"There are three main purposes for outdoor and landscape lighting," Kruse explains. "The lights offer added home security. They also offer safety around steps and other potential hazards. And, of course, there are the aesthetic considerations. In fact lighting actually makes a yard appear larger than it is and there is also the opportunity to light up special characteristics of the house itself like special brickwork, cornices and fireplaces."

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techniques she has used as she developed and taught the visual arts curriculum at St. Francis School in Lake Geneva.

Dr. Conlon holds a Ph.D. in Education as well as a J.D. and is a former law professor at Loyola University. She is currently an educational consultant at the Milwaukee Art Museum.

Registration and refreshments will begin at 9:15 AM. The program begins at

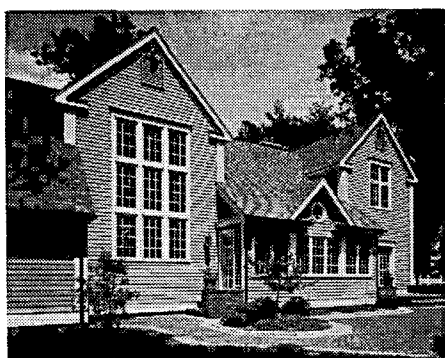
9:35 AM and will continue until approximately 11:30 AM.

To register, contact Kathy Pescheret at 847-382-7284 or Arline Aalfs at 847-277-9282. Admission is \$8 per person. Make checks payable to Barrington Community Associates. On site baby-sitting is available at \$5 per child. Pre-registration is required for baby-sitting and is due by October 4, 2000. Childcare space is limited.

Can't Find The Room? Let Us Help!

"As architects, it's our job to solve your spatial needs," says John C. Cazzetta, President of **Kemper Cazzetta Architects** in Barrington. "A large majority of our work is in remodeling, and because our clients need everything from small additions to complete estate makeovers, we tend to 'see it all.' Our philosophy is to listen to our clients, study their existing conditions, calculate their budget and endeavor to aesthetically resolve their space needs."

Many homeowners struggle with the thought of "taking apart their house," especially while they continue to live there. "This dilemma is the biggest hurdle in some projects," adds Cazzetta. "The design solution takes this into account so as to ensure a comfortable process. We have designed some projects to allow the owner to move into the new addition before renovating the existing space. The quality of life during the process is as important as the design itself. "The



homeowner is amazed at how their 'old' home has come back to life," concludes Cazzetta.

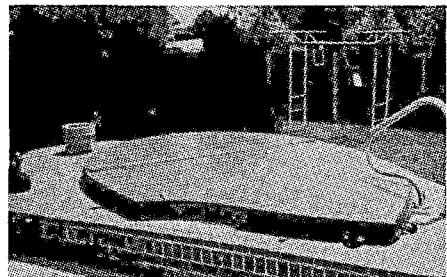
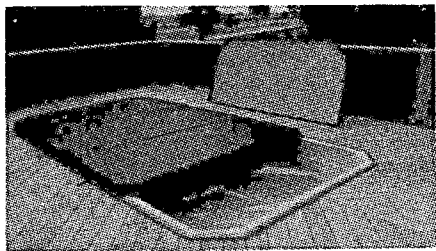
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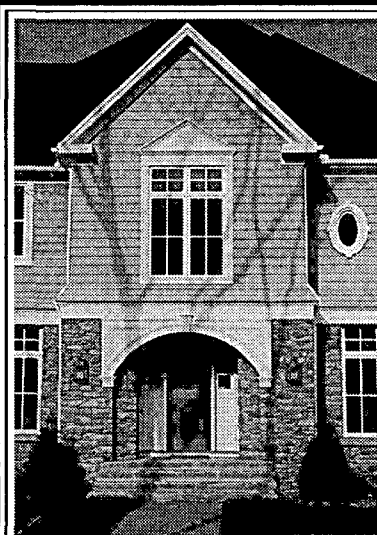
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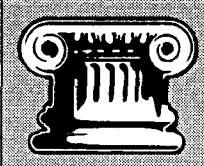
Macaw Visits Countryside Center



Heather Newberry, a curator from The Rainforest Café in Gurnee Mills, gave a presentation to the clients at Countryside Center in Palatine on the handling of the

birds during the annual picnic held on June 9, 2000. Above, "Habitat Heather" shows Skyler, a red-fronted macaw, to the clients.

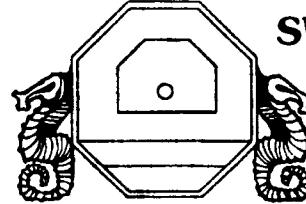




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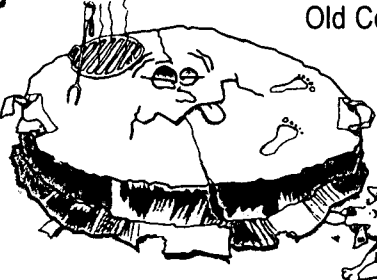
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Regional Exhibit of Oil Painters Hosted at Dunton Gallery

A regional exhibit of artwork by the Midwest's premier representational oil painters will be hosted by Dunton Gallery from Friday, September 15, through Saturday, October 14. An opening reception and awards presentation will be held Friday, September 15, from 6:30 to 9:30 PM. The reception will be for exhibiting artists, collectors and the press.

The exhibit is sponsored by Oil Painters of America (OPA), a non-profit national organization. The mission of OPA is to advance the cause of contemporary-traditional fine art. The organization has sponsored many successful regional and national exhibitions since its founding in 1991. OPA is dedicated to preserving and promoting excellence in representational oil paintings. Its primary focus is to draw attention to the lasting value of fine drawing, color, composition and the appreciation of light. Members include recognized masters as well as emerging artists.

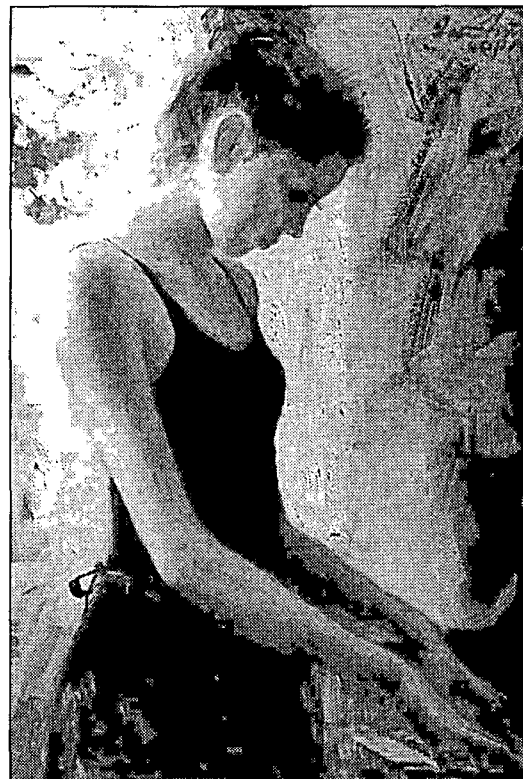
Shirl Smithson of Park Ridge and Charles Vickory, a nationally recognized seascape artist, were among the founding members in 1991. The current president is Ruth Dyke Challacombe of Elmhurst. Currently, OPA represents over 1,000 artists from the United States and Canada. The Midwestern Exhibition at Dunton Gallery includes 91 paintings by artists from a 19-state area.

The Juror of Awards is Zhiwei Tu who is a Master Signature Member of OPA. Zhiwei Tu has exhibited and instructed in both China and the U.S. for the past 12 years. He has co-authored several books and has won national awards. His work is collected nationally and internationally.

According to President Ruth Dyke Challacombe, "OPA is excited and delighted to have their Midwest Regional



Running Through the Willows,
24" x 30" oil by Richard S. Johnson.



Feeling the Music, 24" x 18" oil by Zhiwei Tu,
OPA, the Juror of Awards for the show.

Show in the very wonderful and professional Dunton Gallery."

Dunton Gallery is located at 18th South Evergreen, Arlington Heights, IL. Their phone number is 847-818-0694. Viewing hours will be 11 AM to 6 PM, Tuesday through Friday, and 10 AM to 4 PM on Saturday. All paintings in the show may also be viewed at www.duntongallery.com from September 15 through October 14.

Local artists to be represented in the exhibition include: William Chambers, OPA, Arlington Heights; Rachel Berlinger, Barrington; Jacqueline Thomas, Barrington; Carroll Callaway, Barrington Hills; James Baz, Buffalo Grove; Konrad Hack, OPA, Niles; Betty Schmidt, Crystal Lake; William, Schneider, OPA, Crystal Lake; and Suzanne Poursine Massion, Hampshire.



Delphineum, 24" x 30" oil
by William Schneider, OPA.

Four Seasons Garden Club Meeting

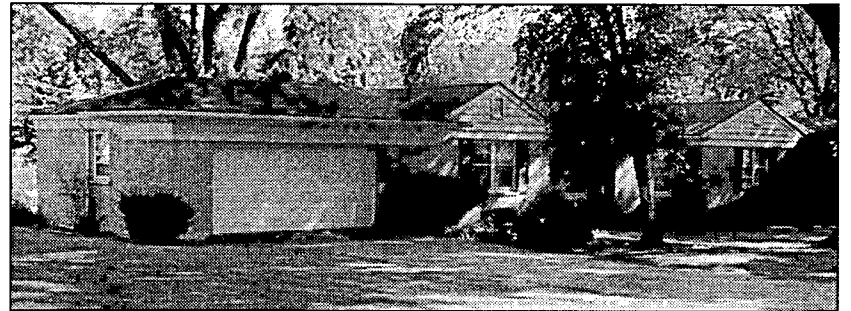
Denise from the Barn Nursery in Cary will offer new ideas on plants to use in fall container gardening. The meeting will include the annual fundraising sale of perennials from member's gardens. This meeting will be held at a member's home. For further information, please contact Judy Palmer at 847-304-8801.



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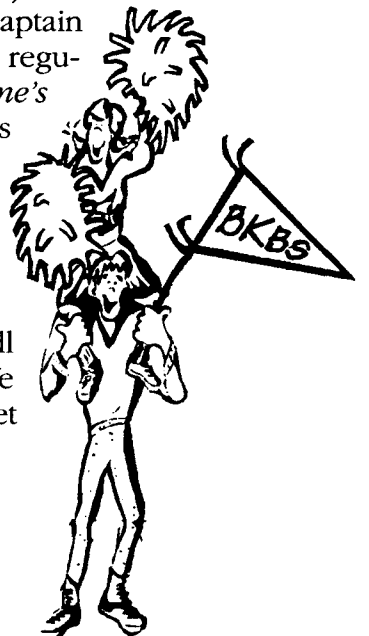


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BAAC Hosts 14th Annual Gallery & Studio Walk

On September 8 and 9, the Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) will host Gallery & Studio Walk 2000. Joining the BAAC Gallery and the BAAC Gallery at the Library are nine Barrington galleries, studios and establishments that house art exhibits. Bright blue balloons identify the participants, which include Barrington Library Sculpture Garden, Chesterfield Glass Galleries, Fancy Art NFP, Finns Fabrics by Dyllis, Kaleidoscope Gallery and School of Art, Marcene's Gallery & Frame Shop, The Art Studio, Tina Han Gallery, The Workshop and Yellow & Green.

The walk will be Friday evening from 6 to 9 PM. Visitors can enjoy refreshments at most locations as well as a variety of musical entertainment. On Saturday, the walk will continue during regular business hours, (hours vary at each gallery). Join the community of Barrington for BAAC's 14th Annual Gallery Walk. For more information, call the BAAC at 847-382-5626.

The BAAC Gallery exhibit and Gallery & Studio Walk 2000 is sponsored by Barrington Bank and Trust Company and is partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

TOCOS Has Much to Offer

Town and Country-ites (TOCOS) women's social group is open to any woman in the larger Barrington area. TOCOS activities, open to any member, include: book discussion, nine-hole golf league, movie discussion, bridge and ladies' night out events. Numerous bridge groups include duplicate, round robin marathon

and couples' potluck party bridge. Yearly dues of \$15 include a newsletter of events, yearbook and special subsidies at events.

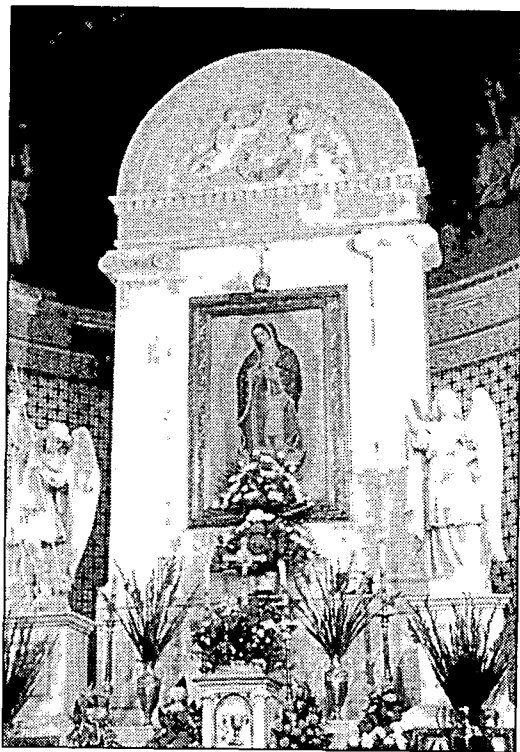
For club information, call Marion at 847-658-8485 or Janet at 847-438-1999. For bridge information, call Diane at 847-381-4133.

Mexico City to Host Chicago Catholic Pilgrimage

This December, as Mexicans celebrate the Feast of the Virgin of Guadalupe, they will be joined by as many as 600 Chicagoans on pilgrimage to Mexico City as a result of an effort to join the two cities spiritually. Led by Cardinal Francis George, the Chicago natives will be welcomed by one of the largest Catholic populations in the world and will join in discussions on cultural exchanges and joint ministries between Chicago and Mexico City. The event will be held from December 9 through 13, 2000.

In 1999, Pope John Paul II introduced a campaign to unite Catholic communities throughout the Western Hemisphere with collaborative projects between churches. Cardinal Norberto Rivera, based in Mexico City, and Cardinal George in Chicago have worked together over the last year to follow that lead and create a bond between the two communities, initiating adoption programs, charity work, training programs and cultural exchanges. With a growing number of Chicago area Catholics of Mexican descent, many members of the Church have a specific interest in the trip to Mexico City.

The Our Lady of Guadalupe Festival is the most important celebration of the Mexican Catholic calendar, honoring a vision of the Virgin Mary by a Mexican



The Virgin of Guadalupe, Mexico City

peasant in the 16th Century. This year's celebration will culminate at a midday mass on December 12 where the Chicago group will join hundreds of thousands of Mexicans in the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The Our Lady of Guadalupe Festival is a uniquely Mexican tradition, and Cardi-

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As decorating phases come and go, it is hard to believe that anyone could have thought that avocado green and harvest gold were fashionable for any room in the house, especially the kitchen. Along with dark cabinets, outdated lighting fixtures and worn out flooring, it may just be time to get rid of your old, tired kitchen and get the kitchen you've always wanted!

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In a recent kitchen remodel, we removed a bank of upper and lower cabinets and installed a new island in the center of the kitchen. Not only did removing those cabinets open up the entire kitchen, it just made the kitchen seem larger. With the addition of the new island and beautiful granite counter tops, there was no loss of storage space and it provided an entire new workspace to the kitchen.

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Come out and enjoy the fourth annual Home Run, sponsored by the Square D Corporation, Harris Bank, Acordia of Illinois and the Village of Palatine. The Home Run benefits Home of the Sparrow, a transitional living program for homeless women and children.

The October 1, 2000, Home Run has something for the entire family. For the adept runner, there is a 5K run beginning at 9:00 AM. Those wanting a slower pace will welcome the 1.5 walk at 9:15 AM, and

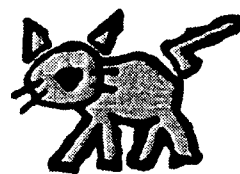
children are sure to enjoy the fun run, just for them, beginning at 10:00 AM. All events start and finish at Palatine Towne Square, corners of Smith and Slade.

Following the morning events, awards will be presented, and it will be time to celebrate the accomplishments, enjoy the outdoor entertainment and take advantage of refreshments.

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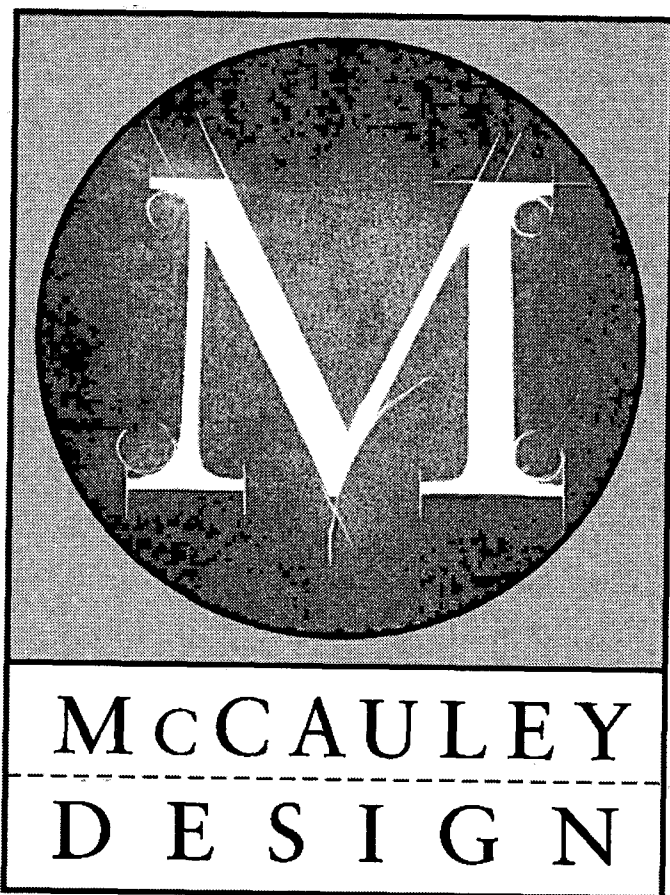
lies struggled but Americans opened their hearts and helped each other.

Come join us in the children's department for games, prizes and much more. American Girl events fill up quickly. Registration is required. For more information, call 815-444-0833.

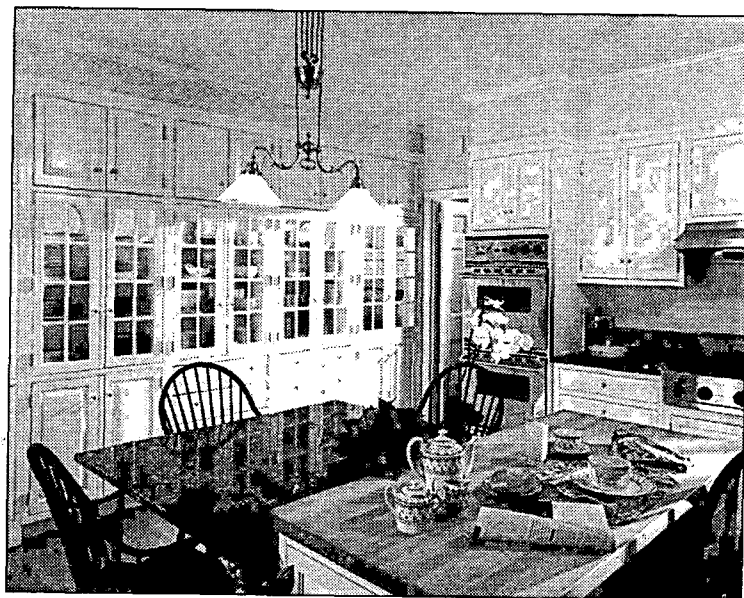
the day of the event starting at 7:00 AM. To receive a Home Run registration form or information about the run and volunteer opportunities, call the Home Run hotline at 847-925-7735.

The Home Run is CARA registered and USAFT certified. Proceeds will be donated to Home of the Sparrow, a McHenry

County based agency which operates a shelter and thrift store in Palatine. Home of the Sparrow provides a comprehensive transitional living program for homeless women and children. The program includes shelter homes and social services; vocational, educational and life skills training; and independent living support.



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Other types of stone are also popular, and will be featured in the new showroom. Come in and see samples of marble, limestone, kirkstone, and other man-made aggregates, as well as exotic quartz and semiprecious stone tiles. Euro Marble will have large stone samples on hand so

that homeowners can get a true feeling for the appearance of the stone they select.

The new marble and granite showroom is not just for **McCauley Design** clients. Come in and take advantage of the experience and taste of **McCauley Design** personnel, as well as representatives of Euro Marble. This showroom promises to become Barrington's choice for stone counters and floors.

Add an Island

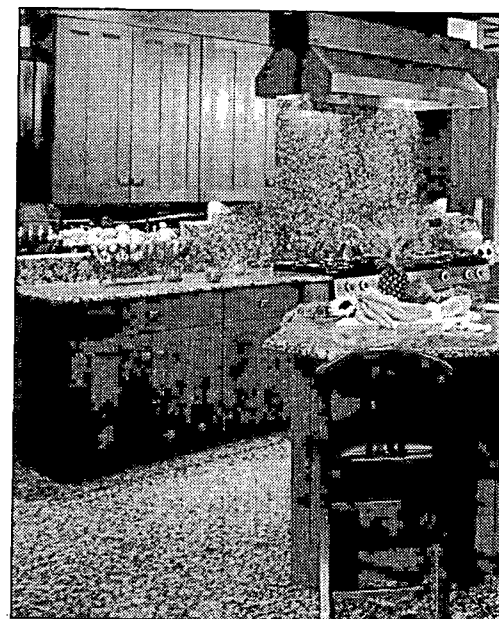
Not everyone is ready for a major kitchen remodel, or even for new counters. To help those people who simply want a new look in the kitchen—or perhaps a bit more work space—**McCauley Design** is now providing traditionally-styled kitchen islands.



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AAUW Luncheon Book Club

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AAUW is a national organization committed to educational equity for women and girls, life-long education and positive societal change. The Barrington Area Branch sponsors monthly programs, hosts social activities and is active in the Barrington community. Membership is open to anyone with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. For information, call 847-381-5012.

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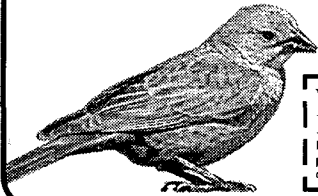
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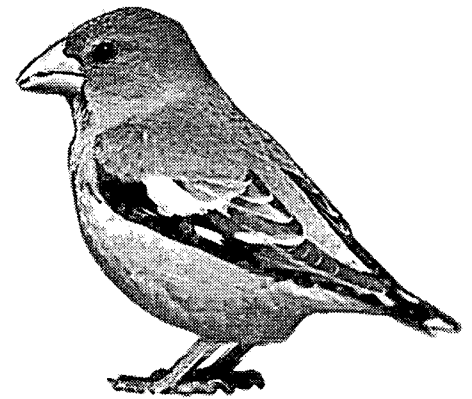
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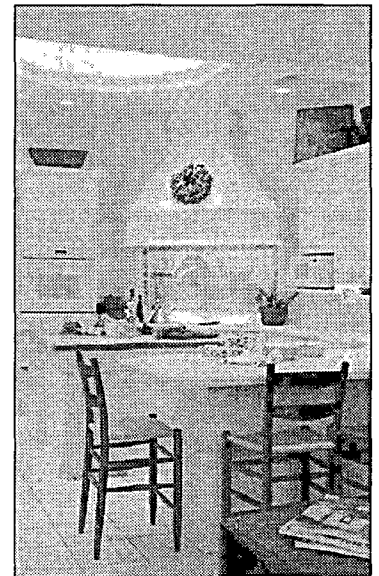
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Woodstock Old Fasioned HarvestFest and Fiddlers Contest

The Farmers Market will be an important part of the 5th Annual HarvestFest to be held from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Sunday, September 17, on the Square in Woodstock. Farmers will have a variety of fall plants and flowers in addition to locally grown fresh produce for sale.

Sponsored by the Woodstock Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Woodstock Folk Festival, HarvestFest will feature weaving and spinning demonstrations, a broom-making booth, a pumpkin-carving demonstration, a working blacksmith and antique tractors and farm implements. A number of the weaving and spinning demonstrators and fall crafters will also offer their wares for sale.

The bandstand stage in the park in the square will be open for fiddlers from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. At that time, interested visitors may join a group on the

Opera House steps for a conducted history walking tour led by a member of the Woodstock Public Library staff.

At 2:00 PM, the old time fiddle contest will begin on the bandstand. This competition attracts contestants from near and far, all vying for the cash prizes and trophies. From 2:30 to 4:30 PM, there will be free wagon rides available on the square sponsored by the *Northwest Herald*.

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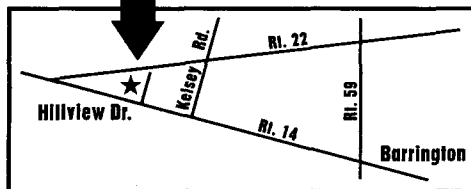
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The 13th Annual Tag Days for Seniors invites adults and teenagers to don festive red and white aprons and station themselves at intersections, storefronts and train stations with Catholic Charities donation cans. Volunteers can choose their

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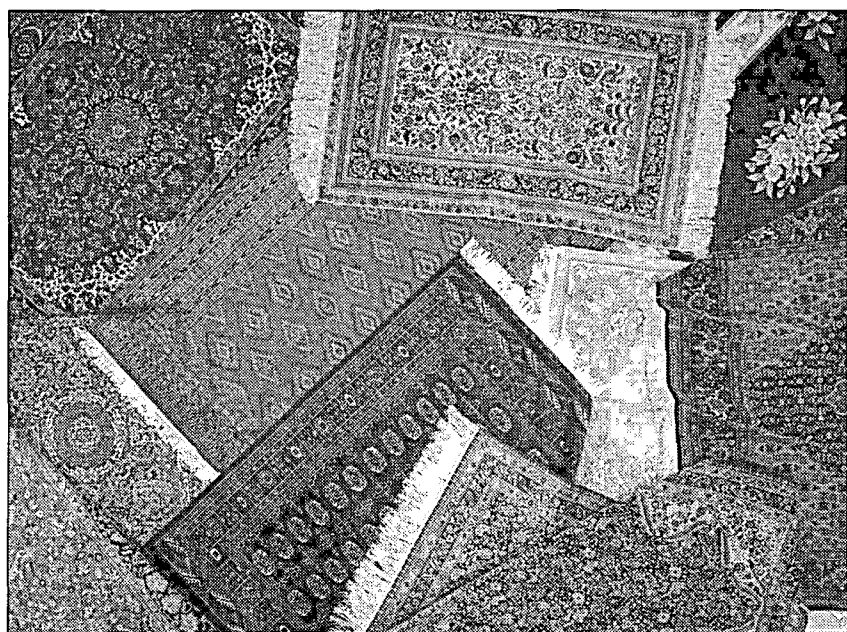


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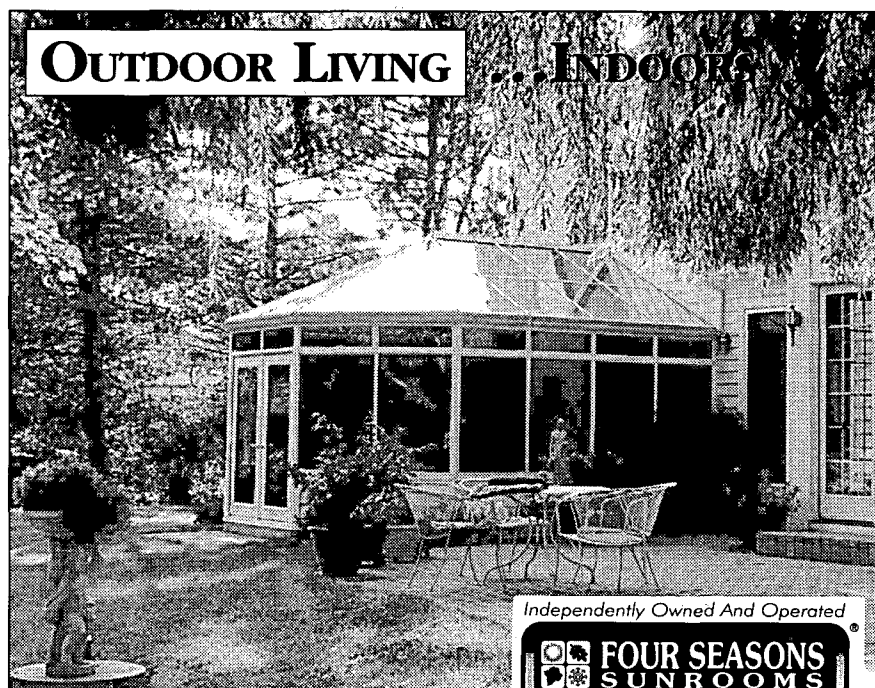
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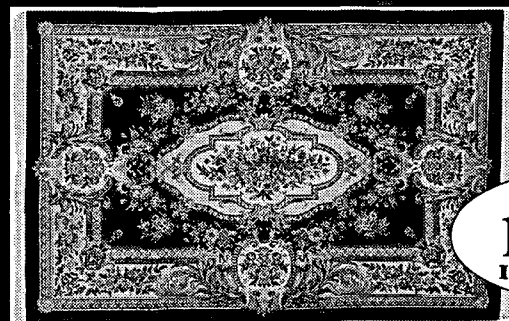
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Barrington Lyric Announces 2000-2001 Programs

The Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago's programs for 2000-2001 are:

- September 17, "An Afternoon with Mark S. Doss", 2:00 PM, Metropolitan Performing Arts Centre, Arlington Heights (Please see article in this month's *Lifestyles*.)

- October 6, "Opera Present and Future", 7:30 PM, private residence in Wynstone, North Barrington

- November 12, "Czech it Out!"—a look at Janacek's *Jenufa* and Harbison's *The Great Gatsby*, 4:00 PM, private residence, Deer Park

- December 3, "Dickens' Christmas" with LYRI Singers, 3:00 PM, Bellarmine Jesuit Retreat House, Barrington Hills

- January 15, 2001, "Chapters' Musicale", 2:00 PM, Barrington Area Public Library, 505 N. Northwest Hwy.

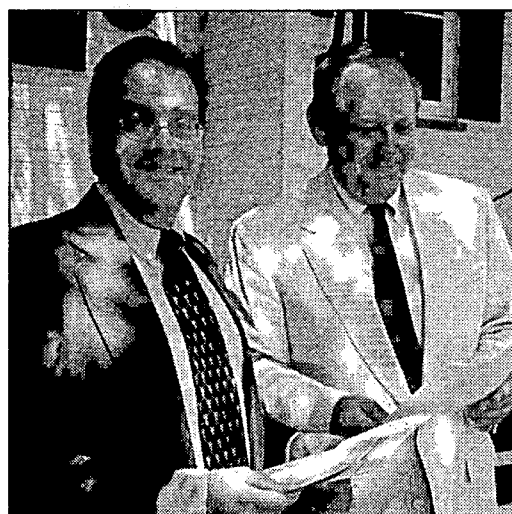
- February 11, "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?", 4:00 PM, Fritzl's Country Inn, Lake Zurich

- March 16, "The Best Seat in the House", 2:00 PM, private residence, Inverness

- April, "Do it Yourself Easter Messiah", St. Anne Church, 120 N. Ela Street, Barrington

- May 6, "Opera Karaoke", 2:00 PM, private residence in Barrington Hills

The goals of the Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago, one of 21 chap-



Robert Plagemann (left) from Chicago is in charge of Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago's 2000-2001 programs. James Tammi from North Barrington will serve as program cochairman. Their program committee members were: Marilyn Hayden and Louise Sullivan, Barrington Hills; Wanda Hollensteiner, North Barrington; Jeanette Muench, Lake Barrington; George and Susan Obermaier, Schaumburg; Mary Robins, Arlington Heights; and Mary Wajda, Palatine.

ters, are to educate its membership, promote the advancement of opera and assist with fundraising for Lyric Opera of Chicago. A variety of events are offered to enhance members' appreciation of opera

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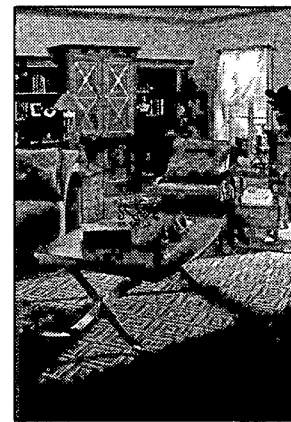
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Calling All Star Wars Fans— Mark Your Calendar!

Ninety local families are gearing up enthusiastically for Alpine Community Theater's (ACT) dramatization of *Star Wars—Return of the Jedi* with an unusual twist.

ACT's one-hour show combines the lost art of radio style drama with this futuristic theme, complete with kids performing sound effects live on stage. This old style production has been produced professionally over the airwaves and ACT brings it to the Ela Festival of Arts and Lake Zurich High School.

Alpine Community Theater has been producing plays locally for over five years and brings together some of the area's finest talent. Directors Kathy Butler, Mary

Jo Pippenger and Mary Alice Tourdot and producer Mary Block all promise a stellar event.

Luke, Han, Yoda, Darth Vader and the familiar entourage of fanciful characters will appear at the Ela Festival of Arts at Paulus Park on Saturday, September 9, at 11 AM and at Lake Zurich High School on Saturday, September 16, at 7 PM. (There is a \$4 admission to the festival.) Following the production will be Lake Zurich's First Annual Talent Show, thanks to the Fine Arts Boosters of District 95. For further information about the play or to purchase tickets, please call 847-438-7855.

Representative Suzanne Bassi to Speak to LWV

The League of Women Voters of the Barrington Area have invited freshmen legislator Suzanne "Suzie" Bassi to speak at their meeting in September. She will relate her experiences as a new member of the Illinois House of Representatives.

Ms. Bassi has represented District 54 in Springfield since her election in 1998. Her record in Springfield is quite impressive. Over half of the bills she actively worked on have been signed into law. Several of those bills include charter school legislation, protection for children in schools, anti-pollution acts and protections for vic-

tims of domestic violence. She also served this spring as a member of the U.S. Trade Mission to the Republic of South Africa, where she participated in the opening of the new Illinois Trade Office in Johannesburg. The mission's purpose was to help Illinois businesses develop trading relationships and business agreements in South Africa and elsewhere on the continent.

The LWV meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 19, at 9:30 AM at the Barrington Area Library, 505 N. Northwest Hwy. The meeting is open to the public.

and to provide opportunities to meet fellow music lovers. Monthly Chapter programs are designed to appeal to both the social and cultural aspects of the membership.

The Barrington Chapter sponsors a series of free public lectures on the upcoming operas of the season at the Barrington

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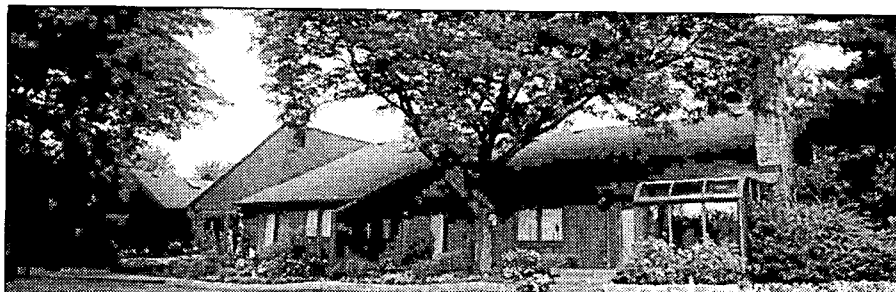
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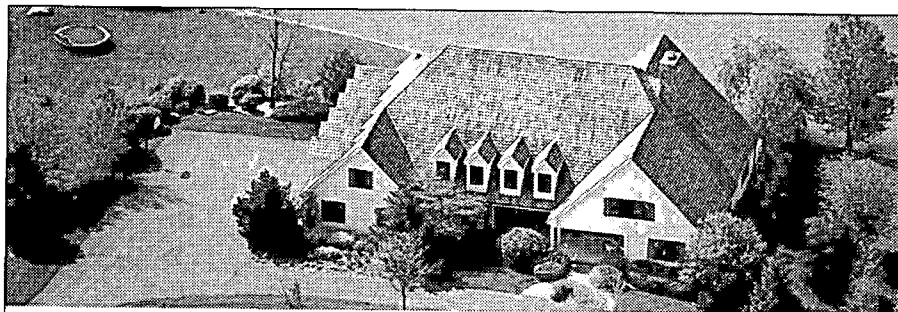
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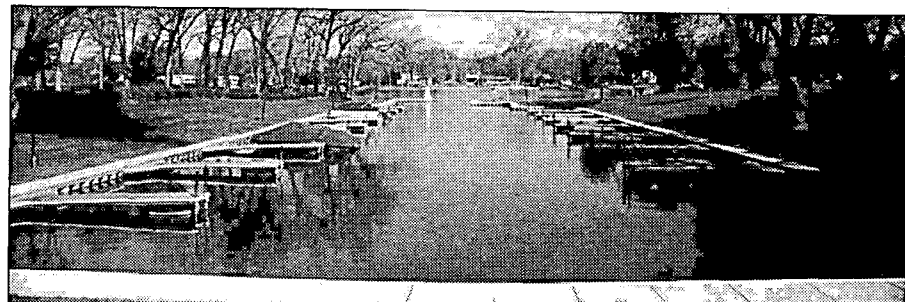
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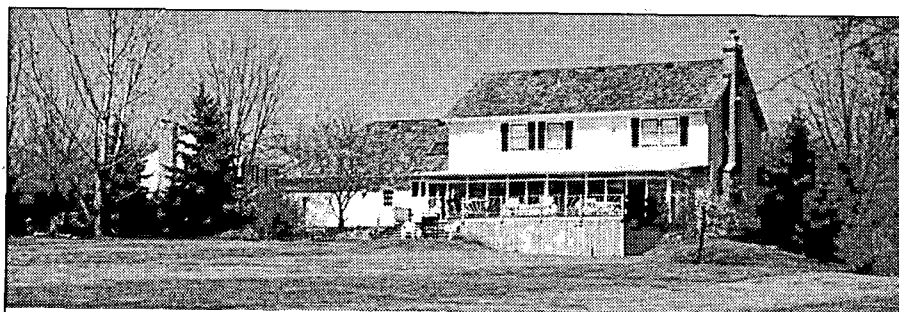
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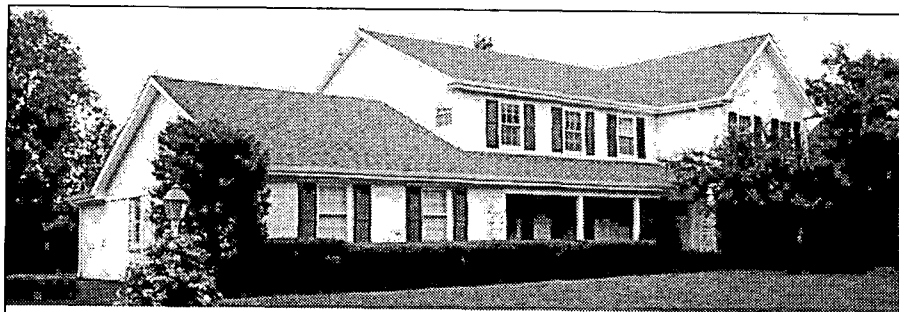
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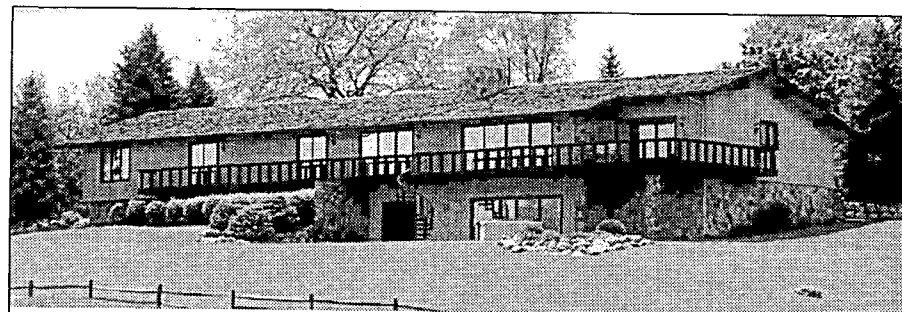
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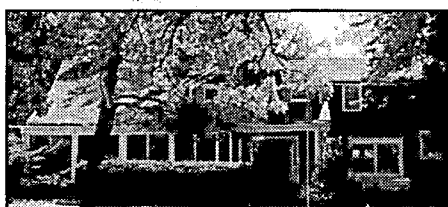
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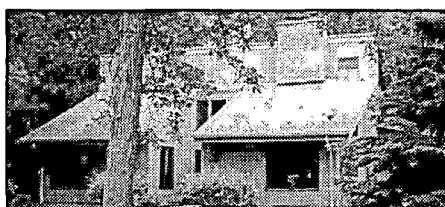


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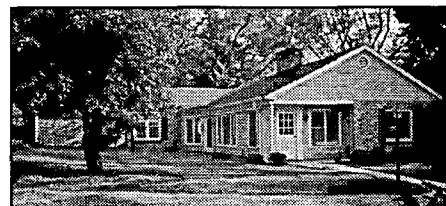
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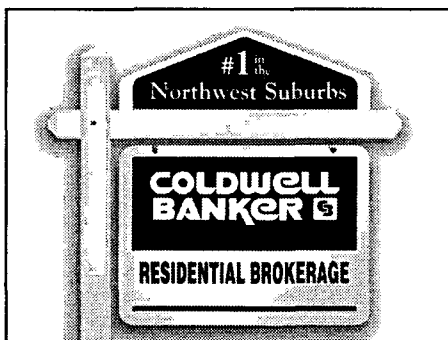
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Twenty-six artists from Illinois will be exhibiting, seven of whom are usually represented by **Duntong Gallery**. They are: Rachel Berlinger, Caroll Callaway, Ruth Challacombe, Li Chang, Bill Marvin, Betty Schmidt and William Schneider.

The gallery is normally open Tuesday through Saturday, primarily 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM, but Thursdays we're open to 8:00 PM. Appointments are gladly accommodated at other times. Please feel free to contact us at **847-818-0694** or visit us at our website at www.duntongallery.com which will be devoted completely to the OPA works starting September 15.

Duntong Gallery is located at the Duntong Ave. end of the Evergreen Center which is two blocks south of Northwest Highway and two blocks west of Arlington Heights Road.

Tina Han Gallery

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The Gallery Walk begins on Friday, September 8, with a reception at **Tina Han Gallery** featuring Maryanne Warton and Ginny Sweeney of Sisters Too, Inc. including a sampling of their famous Designer's Collection of Treasured Bovines™ and their award winning art box series Jungle Up & Close™. Other treasures on display at Tina Han Gallery include fine art, Raku pottery and framable photos. For those patrons who visit the gallery, one utterly lovely signed silk screen collectable box by Sisters Too, Inc. will be offered during a drawing at the end of the Gallery Walk. No purchase necessary.

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Schaumburg Prairie Center to Kick Off 2000-2001 Season

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at 7:30 PM on Saturday, December 23. And, Barry Williams of "The Brady Bunch" stars in the musical comedy *They're Playing Our Song* at 8:00 PM on Saturday, February 10, 2001.

Three uniquely diverse styles of "Dance" will be presented, leading off with the jazzy River North Chicago Dance Company at 8:00 PM on Saturday, March 24, 2001. The passion and fire of flamenco dance will be displayed by Ensemble Español at 8:00 PM on Saturday, April 7, while the all-female Helios Dance Theater will interpret Anne Frank's powerful text in "About Anne—A Diary in Dance" at 8:00 PM on Saturday, April 21.

The Schaumburg Dance Ensemble, featuring the talents of area professionals and local students, will present its annual *Nutcracker* ballet for eight performances from Friday, December 1, through Sunday, December 10. The Ensemble returns in the spring for "Papageno," a dance adaptation of Mozart's *Magic Flute*, at 2:00 PM on Saturday, March 3, and Sunday, March 4, 2001.

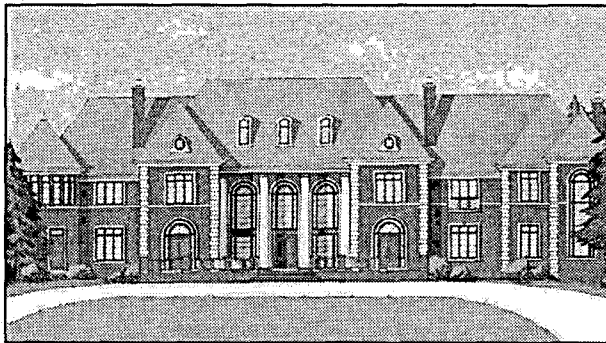
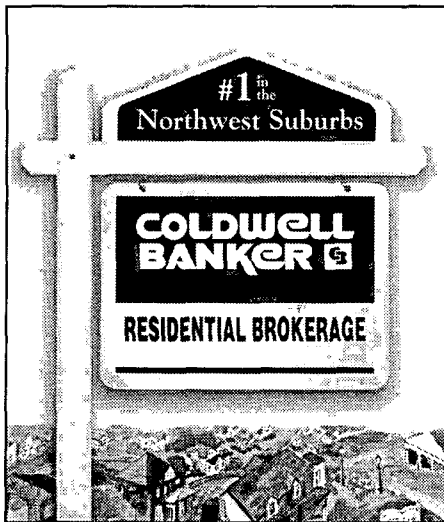
Also returning is "Storytelling at the Prairie presented by Motorola" on Saturday, March 10. The day-long event will feature five nationally renowned tellers: Bill Harley, Beth Homer, Jon Spelman, Janice Harrington and Susan O'Halloran.

The Children's Lively Arts series offers three programs tailored for young audiences. Comic songster Dave Rudolf presents his zany song-filled "Halloween Spooktacular" at 1:00 PM on Saturday, October 28. "Storytelling at the Prairie Center" dedicates a one-hour program to stories for kids at Noon, Saturday, March 10, 2001. And the Schaumburg Youth Orchestra, Joseph Malmquist, Director, will present "Hooray for Hollywood" at 2:00 PM on Saturday, May 5, 2001. The talented 55-member orchestra presents a fun-filled, educational program, featuring music used in movies.

The **Prairie Center** acknowledges its sponsors for the 2000-2001 season: AT&T Broadband; American Airlines; *Chicago Tribune*; LaSalle Bank; Motorola; Nicor Gas; Northern Trust Bank; and Prairie Center Arts Foundation. Programming is also made possible by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

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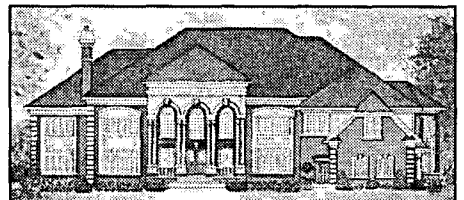
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Barrington Hills Incomparable estate set on 17 rolling, wooded acres. Designed to accommodate a gracious lifestyle, this stone & cedar residence offers only the finest custom finishes throughout its substantial yet comfortable interior. This beautifully-presented estate also includes two delightful guest houses, pool, tennis court & 4-stall barn. Its location is prime & protected, its appeal, timeless.

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\$5,200,000

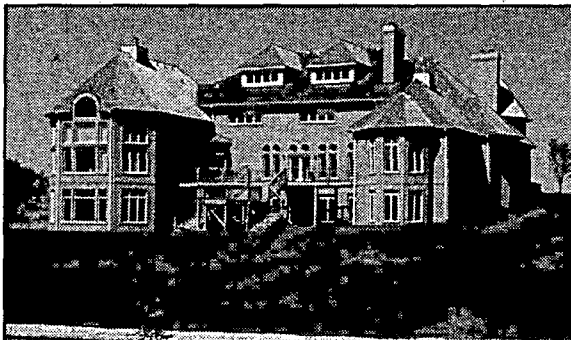
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Barrington Hills \$2,175,000

5 BR, 5+ BA stone estate on 12+ acres w/ expansive views of Hawley Lake. Enormous room sizes, full finished walkout LL. Quality finishes & superior construction.

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Barrington \$4,600,000

No expense was spared in creating this outstandingly beautiful waterfront home in Braymore. Offering state-of-the-art operational features, the home reflects the finest architectural design & detail throughout. Volume ceilings, 5 fireplaces, 2 gorgeous kitchens & incredible indoor pool. A remarkable home on a lovely site in a wonderful neighborhood.

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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 coachhouse loft of generous proportions. A spring-fed lake, pool, tennis court, stable and pond complete this unique offering.

Donna Veller
847/465-2228



Barrington Hills \$1,975,000

Stunning 4-BR, 4.5-BA home. Kit w/ fire-lit hearth room, sunroom, fin walkout basement, 4 frplcs & 5-car gar. Private grounds w/ extensive patio, gardens & pool.

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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 courts too.

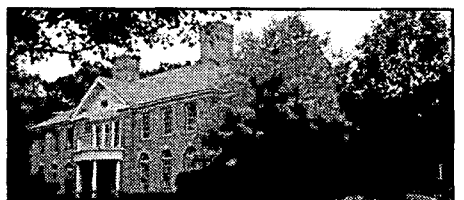
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Long Grove \$1,375,000

Spectacular ranch set on 3+ private wooded acres. Open floorplan w/ grand areas for entertaining. Indoor pool, pool room w/ BBQ, wet bar & private bath.

Bonnie Paice & Shannon Paice 847/465-2223



Barrington Hills \$1,200,000

5 bedrooms, 3+ baths. Brick Georgian on 5 wooded lakefront acres. 4 fireplaces, exquisite millwork & moldings, study, solarium & grand foyer.

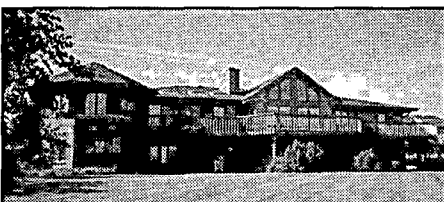
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Barrington Hills \$799,000

5-BR, 4-BA home set on 3 wooded acres. 3-stall barn, ample turnouts, beautiful gardens & extensive outdoor entertaining areas. Lots of updates w/ classic charm.

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South Barrington \$769,000

Spectacular 5-bedroom, 4.5-bath waterfront California ranch. Dramatic vaulted ceilings & updated gourmet kitchen, fireplace & huge finished walkout lower level.

Donna Veller 847/465-2228



Barrington \$682,000

Imposing BR/CD 4-BR, 3.1-BA 2-story w/ volume entry offers every amenity: 9' ceilings, 3-car side-entry garage, English basement & 2-story FR w/ stone fireplace.

Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211



Barrington \$657,700

Fenview Estates New England Colonial w/ 3 levels of fin living areas! Hrdwd t/o main level w/ 1st flr study, 3.2 baths & gardens to make Martha Stewart jealous!

Jack Sanderson 847/465-2278



Inverness \$649,000

Lovely 4-bedroom, 3.5-bath Cape Cod on hilltop site. Many updates include newer carpet, air condi-tioning, furnace, roof, Pella windows & storage shed.

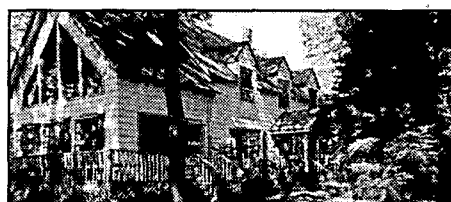
Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211



Barrington \$635,000

4-bedroom, 2.5-bath home. 2-story entry w/ skylight & curved open staircase. Updated kit w/ new appliances. Luxury master bath w/ Jacuzzi. Vaulted BR ceilings.

Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211



Barrington \$555,000

Charming 4-bedroom farmhouse w/ barn & other great facilities in a tranquil setting. Features an in-law apartment for family or help. In-home office too.

Suzanne Luby 847/465-2211



Barrington \$549,000

Gracious 4-BR, 2.2-BA Georgian. Lush landscaping, hardwood floors, huge kitchen, 2-story frplc in family room. Master suite w/ frplc & bath, 936 sq. ft., deck!

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Hypnosis

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acceptance; Thought Field Therapy corrects the neurological patterning, addressing mental habits; Reiki soothes the spirit and heals the energy field.

Her practice is located in Crystal Lake. Private sessions and all classes are available by appointment only. Check around. This is an incomparable value! The cost

for each unit is \$300 and there are no escalating fees as you move ahead. In fact, if you register in advance for all four units, you'll receive \$150 discount. The certification fee as well as your first year's membership in the American Board of Hypnotherapy is only \$75. To register, call **815-455-4502**.

Elgin Enrichment Series

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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 tick-

ets 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.



Tips from the Top

Margaret R. Semrad
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Of late, I have read so many articles regarding investment. Investing in stocks, bonds and mutual funds seem to be the only focus of every money magazine I recently perused. Not many writers on investment talk about the benefits of investing in real estate. Why is this?

Perhaps it's time to reiterate why real estate is a good investment.

The text book answer—to maintain a standard of living by investing current income for use in the future. This means: equity income (principal reduction); tax shelter; and appreciation (making inflation work for you instead of against you).

In everyday language—you save your money so that when you are no longer capable of working or no longer desire to work, your savings will take over the mission of supporting you.

I'm often asked, "Is it too late to start investing now?" or "Is it too early to get started?" or "Is this the best economic climate to invest in property?" The answers are no, no and yes to the above.

Today, more than at any other time in our income tax history, there are tax advantages not offered by any other common investment vehicle. Since the late 90's, the new law states that every two years, you can sell your home and have a \$250/\$500,000 gain in real estate without paying Uncle Sam a penny of income tax.

On the subject of appreciation, existing land and property values become more valuable each year. Appreciation usually exceeds the rate of inflation which allows all of us to stay ahead of the game. Why is appreciation important? Let's look at the facts:

- Approximately 50% of the land in the U.S. is owned by the government—federal, state or local

eral, state or local

- 38% is considered not usable
- 3% is currently being used for urban living

- 9% is still available for use

- In 1769, our population was 4 million

- In 1900, our population was 76 million

- In 2000, our population is approximately 400 million

- Current market conditions favor the buyer, so sellers are more motivated; investors see a greater opportunity

Buying a home by utilizing mortgage funds is the first step on the real estate investment road. Many more people would take the next step toward ownership of real estate if they understood how much more could be accomplished by having an investment plan. Every investor's situation is different however. Initially all you need to do is make a list of your financial requirements, your interests and your assets to help determine what investment strategy is best for your financial success. It's one step at a time.

There are plenty of opportunities for investment and many options. There are single-family, duplex, condo, apartment buildings and raw land investments, in addition to rehab properties. Investment and rehab opportunities are unlimited. As I say again and again in talking with Realtors and families, the streets of our country are paved with diamonds. All we need do is pick them up.

To give you the information you need to start your investment program, I invite you to call one of our **Coldwell Banker** Realtors. Hear their ideas on how you can achieve your investment goals. Call today. As always, we are the Dream House Headquarters.

Juggling Responsibilities

Juggling is no longer an act. It's a way of life for working families. Caring for children or elder relatives is a lot of work. But fewer families have an adult available to respond to family needs on a full-time basis. The 1997 National Study of the Changing Workforce reports the vast majority (85%) of workers have day-to-day family responsibilities at home.

Sixty percent of American women are in the workforce. Sixty-five percent of women with children between 3 and 5 years of age and seventy-five percent of those with children between the age of 6 and 18 are gainfully employed. About ten percent of full-time workers are caregivers of elderly relatives. Both quality childcare and elder care are difficult to find.

To address the many challenges facing working families, University of Illinois Extension is offering a quarterly newsletter to dual income or working single parent

families. Articles are short and timely to fit into the sometimes-hectic schedules of working people. Topics include: time saving tips; websites of interest to families; and bits of information dealing with food, nutrition, health, family relationships, parenting, personal development, family finances, lawn care and gardening, consumer buying, public issues, time management and safety.

U of I Extension programs are research based, provide equal opportunity in programs and employment and strive to be unbiased and meet the needs of people locally.

If you are interested in receiving this free Working Family newsletter, please send your name, address and phone number to: McHenry County Extension Unit, PO Box 1430, Woodstock, IL, 60098. You may also register for this newsletter by calling 815-338-3737.

From a Woman's Point of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

Last week, we got in our first 2001 Escape. The Escape is an all-new SUV, smaller than the Explorer but extremely roomy inside. It is a four-door vehicle with substantial storage space behind the back seats for a vehicle of its size. The back seats also fold down and the cushions are removable to make a flat, roomier cargo area. It also has the same lift up rear window and rear hatch, like the Explorer, for greater ease of loading. It is a great addition to the Ford vehicle line.

Tim and I had a business meeting in Las Vegas a few months ago and did a test-drive on a special track. Well, at least I did; I managed to lose poor Tim who stood around waiting for me while I was out test driving the Escape and a few of its competitors. I had a ball.

We drove it on a wet track at rapid acceleration, up and down quite a steep hill and around hairpin turns at quite a rapid speed. I was like a teenager who has their first taste of freedom after getting their driver's license. It was really a lot of fun



to drive.

If you're not quite ready for a full-size SUV, the Ford Escape might be just what you have been waiting for. But you'd better hurry up, because I think Richard has made it his personal goal to have them all presold.

Fall Diddley® Craft Show Returns to the Boone County Fairgrounds

The Mental Health Resource League for McHenry County will sponsor the **15th Annual Fall Diddley Craft Show** at the Boone County Fairgrounds in Belvidere, IL. The show will be held on Saturday, October 14, from 10 AM to 5 PM and on Sunday, October 15, from 10 AM to 4 PM. The fairgrounds are located on Illinois Route 76, just North of Business Route 20, in Belvidere. From I-90, take the Genoa Road exit and drive north for approximately five miles.

Formerly held at the McHenry County Fairgrounds in Woodstock, the craft show was moved to BCF three years ago. The fairground layout is efficient with adequate free parking and good access roads. Admission is \$4 for ages 12 and up.

Fall Diddley is a *juried* arts and crafts show with a reputation for featuring handcrafted, original work. Over 350 booths will be sheltered in fairground buildings and tents. On display will be an outstanding variety of folk art, wood carvings,

dried florals, pottery, painted and appliqued clothing, jewelry and fine art and much, much more! Hungry fairgoers will find a good selection of food vendors and the league's traditional bake sale.

The all-volunteer Mental Health Resource League strives to maintain high quality in its annual craft shows, Fair Diddley® in May (on the Woodstock City Square since 1969) and Fall Diddley in October. All proceeds benefit more than 20 agencies concerned with mental health services. In 1999, \$200,000 was raised for the agencies.

Crafters from 12 states will sell their goods at Fall Diddley. The show is filled and no standbys will be accommodated. For information for the Year 2001, crafters may write to MHRL, P.O. Box 204, McHenry, IL, 60051 or call 815-385-5745.

Please come and enjoy the **15th Annual Fall Diddley® Craft Show**, October 14 and 15, at the Boone County Fairgrounds in Belvidere, Illinois!

Roger Ebert Highlights New Elgin Enrichment Series



"What's New and Exciting at the Movies and What Isn't" with Roger Ebert... "Veracruz 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 upcoming **Elgin Enrichment Series (EES)**, which now offers both evening and morning series ticket options, starting October 19, 2000, at 7:30 PM at the Elgin Community College/Visual Performing Arts Center.

Roger Ebert presents "What's New and Exciting at the Movies and What Isn't" on Thursday, October 19, at 7:30 PM. Ebert will inform and entertain the audience with his views on the latest in movies and

Hollywood trends. His "Roger Ebert & The Movies" TV show appears on more than 200 stations and continues to rank as the top-rated weekly syndicated half-hour on television. For over 23 years, he co-hosted "Siskel & Ebert" with the late Gene Siskel and now with *Chicago Sun-Times* columnist Richard Roeper. Ebert is a Pulitzer Prize winning film critic of the *Chicago Sun-Times* since 1967 and is syndicated in more than 240 papers in the U.S., Canada, England, Japan and Greece.

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


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 <p>ROGER EBERT What's New and Exciting at the Movies and What Isn't Thursday, October 19, 2000 7:30 p.m.</p>	 <p>ARTHUR FROMMER "America's Travel Czar" Unusual, Exotic & Dream Vacations Wednesday, April 11, 2001 10:00 a.m.</p>
 <p>RICK BAYLESS "Chicago's star chef, restaurateur, cookbook author & TV host" Veracruz and the Coastal Cuisine of Mexico Wednesday, November 8, 2000 10:00 a.m.</p>	 <p>LORETTA LAROCHE How to Prevent "Hardening of the Attitude" Tuesday, May 1, 2001 - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 2, 2001 - 10:00 a.m.</p>

Series Tickets Information (847) 622-0300
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The Elgin Enrichment Series is a not for profit organization.



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.

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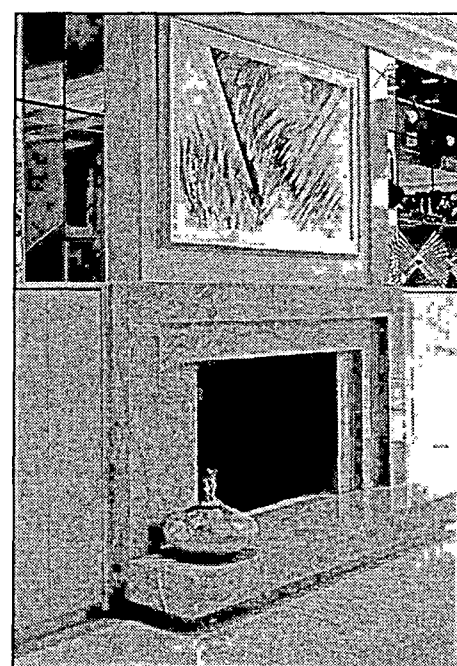
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