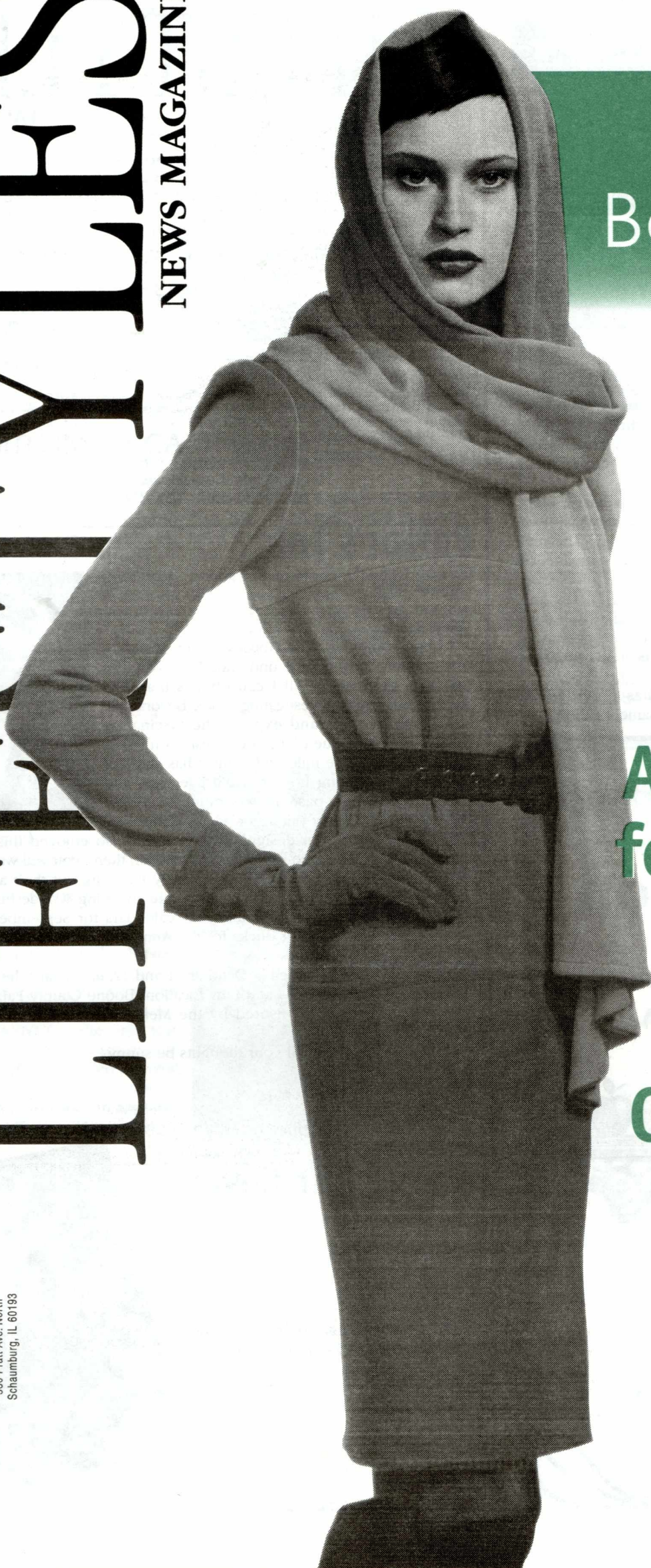


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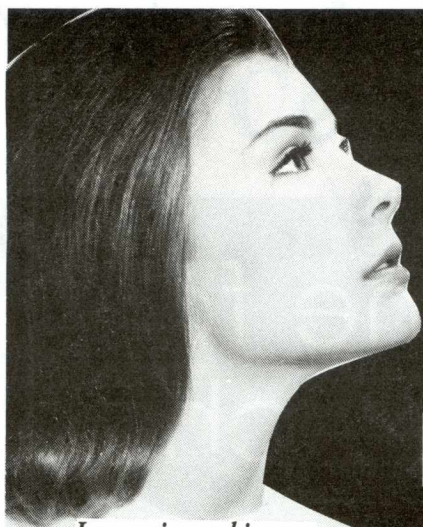
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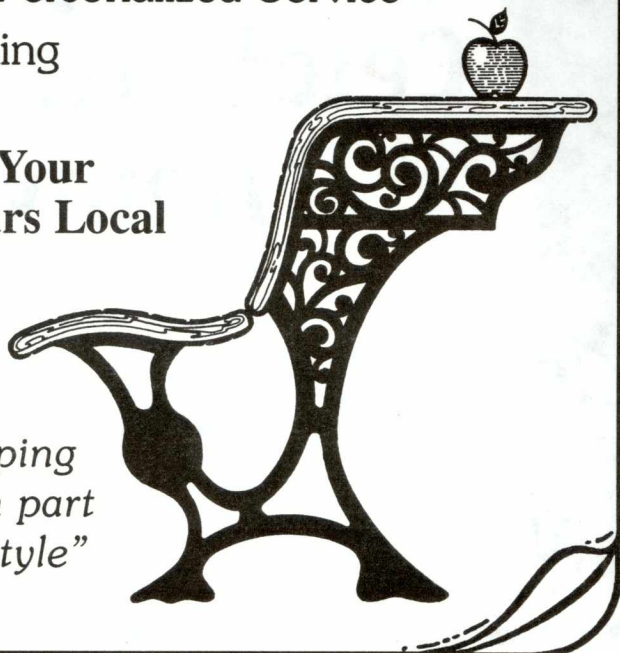
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Editor's Ink

August, 1997

Dear Reader,

I hope you enjoy "The Houses of Key West." In my opinion, most people underrate Key West as a vacation destination. All I can offer is that they didn't do enough investigating. Look beyond the usual tourist traps and explore the fascinating history of this unique island. Key West is only four miles long and one mile wide, but it has some of the most interesting homes you'll ever see, and each home has a past. It was home to Ernest Hemingway for many years as well as "Tennessee" Williams. Top fashion designer Calvin Klein also enjoyed this alluring and charming island. Believe me, once you've been there, you will want to go back.

Various clubs and organizations are busy mapping out their agenda for the year. The Art Associates, among them, are planning wonderful lectures and trips into Chicago. Locally, mark your calendars for September 6 when the Hospice will line up their ducks for the Annual Duck Race. That's fun for the entire family!

It's not too early to pencil in October 11 and 12, too. That's the weekend Fall Diddley is held this year—at a new location: Boone County Fairgrounds. The event is, of course, sponsored by the Mental Health Resource League for McHenry County.

Until next time, may all your thoughts be sunny.

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



About Our Cover

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Bateman, Hatfield Featured at Woodland Art Gallery

Whether it's a wispy serigraph from Don Hatfield or a powerful print from Carl Brenders, there's nothing more complementary or soothing to your surrounding than a wonderful work of art from an extraordinary art gallery. It's time for a visit to **Woodland Art Gallery**.

This month, the gallery is pleased to announce a new release from the world's most famous wildlife artist, Robert Bateman. Unusual, though, there's nothing wild about this limited edition print. It's a rare non-wildlife piece by Bateman that reflects his tremendous artistic talents, no matter what the subject matter. And the subject matter is an outstanding coastal scene entitled *Potlatch Village*. What a wonderful opportunity to add something special to your collection. Hurry and reserve your print today.

The gallery is also pleased to offer one of the most popular and sought-after works from Don Hatfield, *The Secret Meadow* depicting two young girls in a sea of wildflowers. From an original hand-pulled serigraph in 116 colors produced at the renowned Morrosstudio in California, it's Hatfield at his very best.

Both works, along with an outstanding collection of limited edition prints by dozens of today's most respected artists, are now on display at **Woodland Art Gallery**. All are available custom matted and



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framed by the gallery to assure the integrity of your art for years to come. **Woodland Art Gallery** is also one of the most knowledgeable sources for located sold out works of art on the secondary market.

Woodland Art Gallery is located at 71-B East Woodstock Street in downtown Crystal Lake. Visit the gallery soon and discover the art worth collecting. Open Monday-Friday, 9am to 5pm, Saturday, 9am to 3pm. Phone (815) 459-0460. Visa and MasterCard are accepted, and shipping is available anywhere.

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Jeanne Novas, M.D.

Only One Audition for BYDE's Nutcracker

Auditioning for the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's *Nutcracker* will be held on Sunday, September 7, at the Barrington Dance Academy, 117 E. Northwest Hwy. in Barrington (tucked behind Kurt Saphir Piano Co. on the southwest corner of Northwest Hwy. and Rte. 59.) **There is only one audition.**

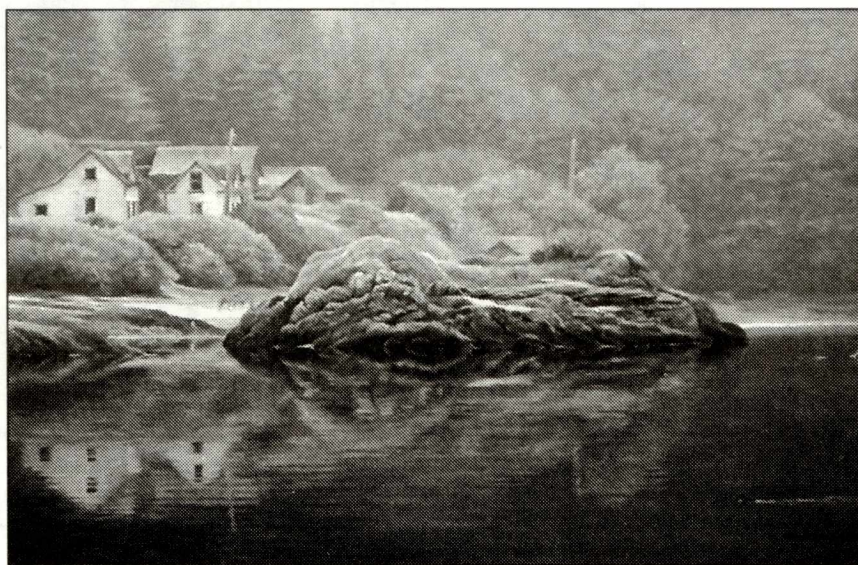
The auditioning schedule is as follows: Children 6 to 8 years with last names beginning with A through L from 1:00 to 1:30 p.m.; with last names beginning with

M through Z from 1:30 to 2:00 p.m.; children ages 9 through 10 years from 2:00 to 2:30 p.m.; children 11 through 12 years from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. and teenagers from 3:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Participants must arrive at least 30 minutes before audition time to register. For additional information, call (847) 382-6333.

The Nutcracker performances will be held at the Barrington High School the first weekend in December.

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THE HOUSES OF KEY WEST

BY GLENNE McMONIGAL



The Octagon House was built by Richard Peacon, a grocer, in 1899. The home was once owned by interior designer Angelo Donghia, who purchased it in 1974 for \$45,000. Donghia spent over \$100,000 renovating and redecorating it. The house was then sold to fashion designer Calvin Klein for nearly one million dollars in 1980. This was the highest price ever paid for a house in Key West at the time. Klein sold it several years later for much less.

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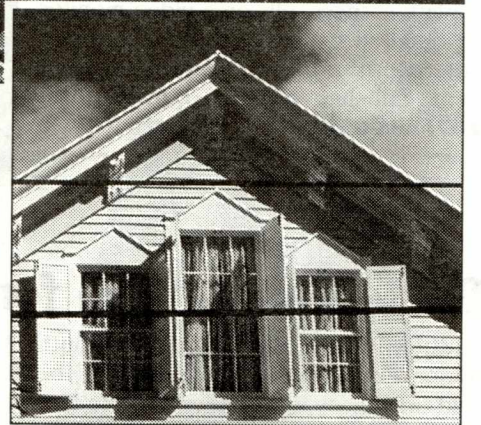


This home was built in 1855 by John Lowe Jr. Lowe's father made his fortune as a wrecker and owned a fleet of sponge and lumber ships.

This is the best example of a Bahamian-influenced home on the island. Built of heart of pine and Honduras mahogany, it is joined by wooden pegs. The mortise-and-tenon joints give the home strength and "give" during tropical storms. The widow's walk allows residents a view of both the Atlantic Ocean and the Gulf of Mexico.



The Gingerbread House is the best example of Victorian gingerbread on the island. This pink confection was said to be more "folk" than Victorian because of its basic structure. The house was built in 1885 by Benjamin Baker as a wedding gift to his daughter. Mr. Baker was a baker. Do you think the design was influenced by his profession? Locals call it a "wedding cake."



...[THE GINGERBREAD HOUSE], THIS PINK CONFECTION, WAS SAID TO BE MORE "FOLK" THAN VICTORIAN... LOCALS CALL IT A "WEDDING CAKE."



The Milton Curry Mansion was built by the son of the island's first self-made millionaire, a wrecker. Neoclassical in design, the 26-room home is now a guest house.



This is an example of an "eyebrow house." There are about 30 examples of these houses in Key West and do not exist anywhere else in Florida. The roof eaves extend well below the top of the facade, shading the upper story of the house. It catches cool breezes and sends them inside the home. Surprisingly, the rooms receive plenty of indirect sunlight during the day. Shutters close against the direct heat of the sun.

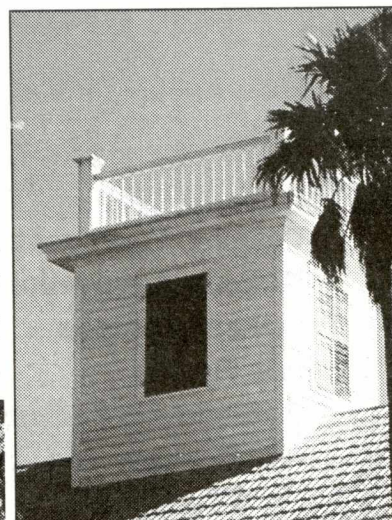


This modest one story clapboard home was once owned by Thomas Lanier Williams, better known as "Tennessee" Williams. Williams enjoyed the remoteness of the island, allowing him time to write. The Bahamian home was his from 1949-1983. *The Rose Tattoo*, which he received a Pulitzer Prize for, was written in this house. He also worked here on *Summer and Smoke*. The furnishings were old wicker he brought over from Cuba.

Owner George Roberts moved to Key West from the Bahamas. This is the island's most outstanding example of Queen Anne styling. The double wrap around Queen Anne and Victorian styles came to Key West in the late 1800's from England. The gingerbread trim gives a formal house a "playful" appearance.



The Albury House, built after 1850, offers a New England style widow's walk. This house's features includes typical conch features: wraparound porches, attic window vents and many eclectic details. Of interest: when the U.S. law specified that salvaged cargo from shipwrecks in American waters be brought to the nearest domestic port, the wrecking industry in Key West economy was given a boost! Many wreckers from the Bahamas relocated in Key West, bringing with them their own architectural style: louvered doors, roof hatches for ventilation, ceiling fans and tin roofs.



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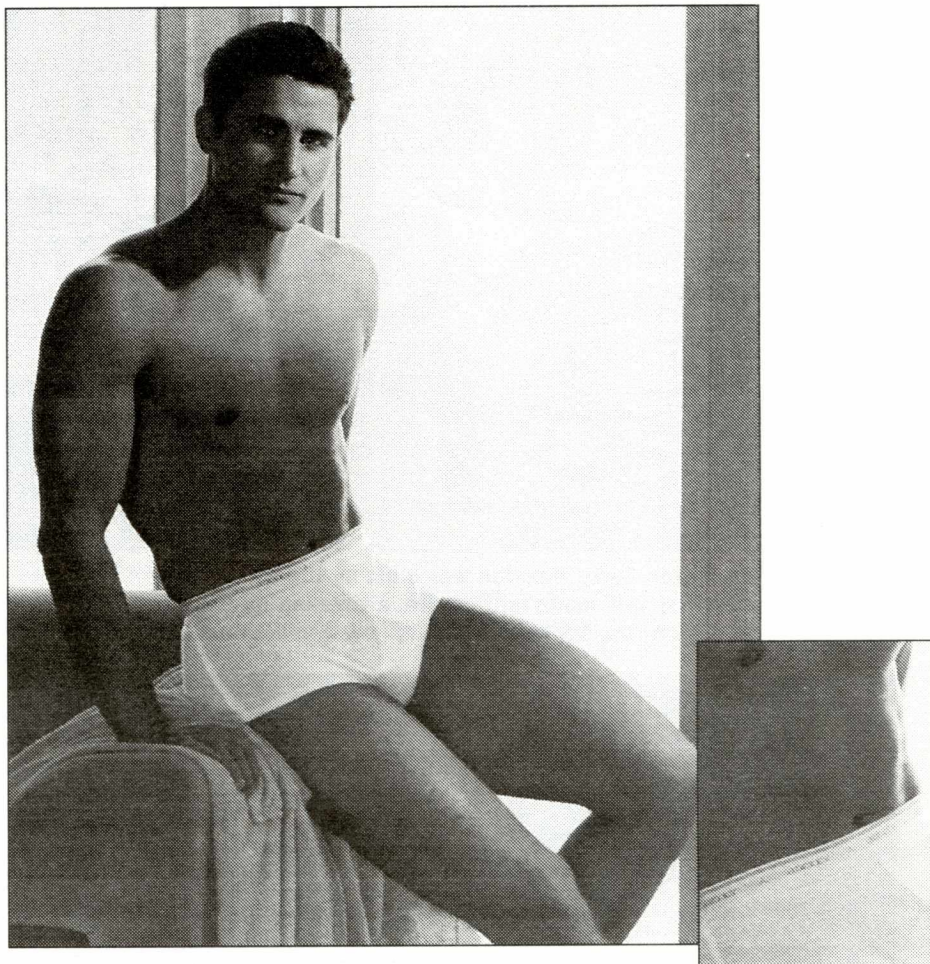
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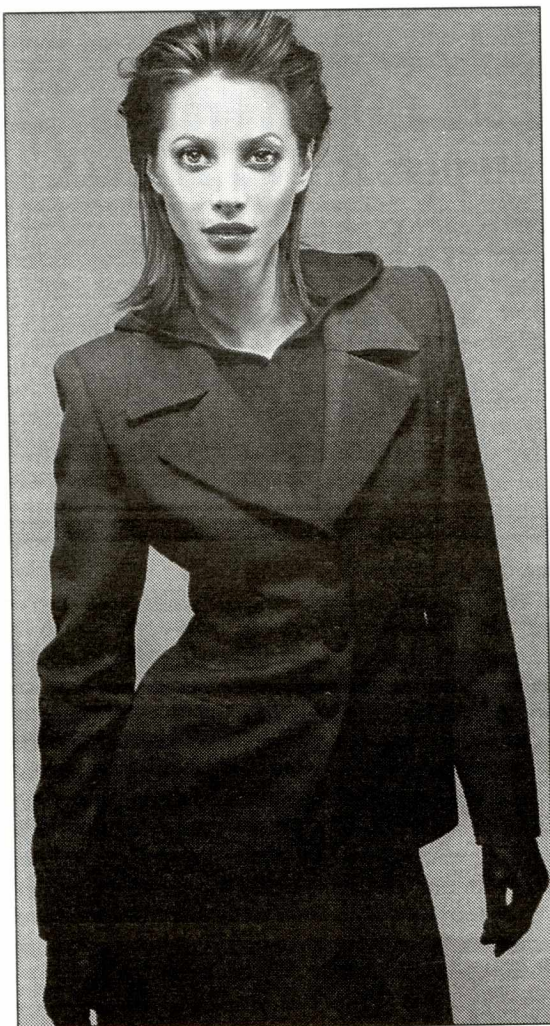
stationery, shoes and much more. Gift certificates, gift wrapping and UPS service are also available in most stores. In addition, mall gift certificates may be purchased in the Management Office and are good at any of our stores, She & "I" Hair & Nail Salon or Chessie's Restaurant. Informal modeling by **Ice House** shops also takes place on Wednesdays and Fridays from Noon to 1:30 p.m. at Chessie's Restaurant.

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Individuals, businesses or other groups interested in supporting Hospice of Northeastern Illinois' (HNI) care for those who are terminally ill, and their families, are encouraged to pick up and fill out a yellow

Duck Race brochure, available in various displays around the towns in HNI's service area, which includes all of McHenry, Boone, DuPage and Kane counties, and portions of Cook and Lake counties. Race adoption forms are also available at the Hospice offices in Barrington and Woodstock.

Adding to the festivities in the park will be the gourmet taste opportunity provided by Mia Cucina in Palatine, Spasso in Wauconda, Ambrosia's, Gary D's Catering/The Village Market, Grandpa's Deli and Pasta Impromptu, all of Barrington. These restaurants will donate a portion of their sales to Hospice. There will also be music and children's games... a perfect family outing in support of a cause that reaches out to our communities' families when they are most in need of it.

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By Gal Friday

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but didn't school just get out? What happened to summer?

So, have you got any vacation plans still to come? Lucky you! Ed and I took the gang out West this year. We did the big circuit through the Black Hills, the Big Horn Mountains, Devil's Tower and Yellowstone! We got some terrific shots, and we want to frame some of the precious, impossible, ridiculous, wonderful moments.

That's why I just love that the **CLIX 25% OFF FRAME SALE** comes August 8-16. Perfect timing for me! I can match all the vacation moments to one of the perfect frames from **CLIX**. They have a huge variety of tabletop styles for all occasions, from rustic to sleek, in woods,

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I've had my eye on a **CLIX** frame that has a triple opening, and will be perfect for the shots of Ed and the kids climbing the boulders at Devil's Tower. I've got a great shot of Ed doing a "Rocky" thing just before he slipped. Oh, he didn't break anything, but the nice doctor in that little town put on a temporary cast just to be on the safe side. Being on vacation certainly brings out the kid in my guy. And the pictures framed in sequence on our mantel will make a great conversation piece at the Christmas gathering!

And with **CLIX's 25% OFF SALE**, I can even frame the shot of the buffalo who walked past our car in Yellowstone. It would be perfect in something rustic, don't you think? And the look on my son's face as he tried to put the window up before the buffalo sneezed is priceless!

Oh, and by the way, we have lots of travel albums and journals, too. So, come in, bring those pictures, and get **CLIXed!**

Fall Diddley Slated for Oct. 11 & 12th

Twelfth Annual "Fall Diddley" Craft Show, featuring over 300 crafters and artists. *New location:* Boone County Fairgrounds, IL Route 76 and Business Route 20, Belvidere, IL. Saturday, October 11, 10AM to 5PM, and Sunday, October 12, 9AM to 4PM. Craft booth spaces enclosed in fairground buildings and tents. League bake sale, food vendors, carnival rides. Admission: Adults \$4, Children 12 and under \$2. Free fairground parking. Sponsored by volunteers of The Mental Health Resource League for McHenry County, P.O. Box 204, McHenry, IL 60050. (815) 385-5745.

Pretty in Red, jewelry crafters Christy Skuban and mom Pat Skuban, Eau Claire, WI, attracted shoppers to their displays at Fall Diddley last October.



The South of France

by Eleanor Nelson & Sally Hayward, Travel House

What better way to spend a few weeks this fall than meandering through the small villages of Provence, or exploring the seaside villages from Menton to St. Tropez.

Start your journey from the small elegant village of Menton, near the Italian border, made famous by Winston Churchill who spent many delightful sojourns sipping Pol Roger champagne during his wartime years as Prime Minister. Wind your way along the Base Corniche, the small coastal road, trying your hand at the Casino of Monte Carlo. Explore the many small fishing villages of Villefranche, Cap Ferrat. Spend a night in Beaulieu at the Hotel La Reserve de Beaulieu. They do not build hotels like this anymore, so serene, and elegant.

Climb the summit of the small village of Eze to the Jardin Exotique for spectacular views along the Mediterranean coast. After you have explored the obligatory towns of Nice and Cannes, staying perhaps at the legendary Negresco in Nice, or the Hotel Majestic in Cannes, meander inland towards Provence, stopping first for coffee in the town of Grasse, lured here by its fabulous perfume. Allow yourself to be captivated by the charm of St. Paul de Vence with its superb landscapes which inspired Miro, Chagall and Matisse. Head towards Haute Provence or high Provence, following the Route Napoleon marched on his return to Paris.

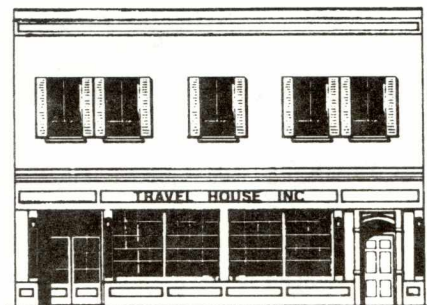


A wonderful town to explore in Provence is Aix-en-Provence, birthplace of Cezanne. Here you will find the Mount of Saint Victoire which he painted so often; you must climb it, the view is magical. It's from Aix-en-Provence that we discover the rich and varied antiques trail that winds its way through bucolic Provence. We explore the idyllic town of Pont-Royal famous for its 18th and 19th century furniture before heading to the magical town of L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, often described as "France's antique mecca." On Sundays there is the open air market that entices sellers from far and wide. It's pure heaven and one of those rare places

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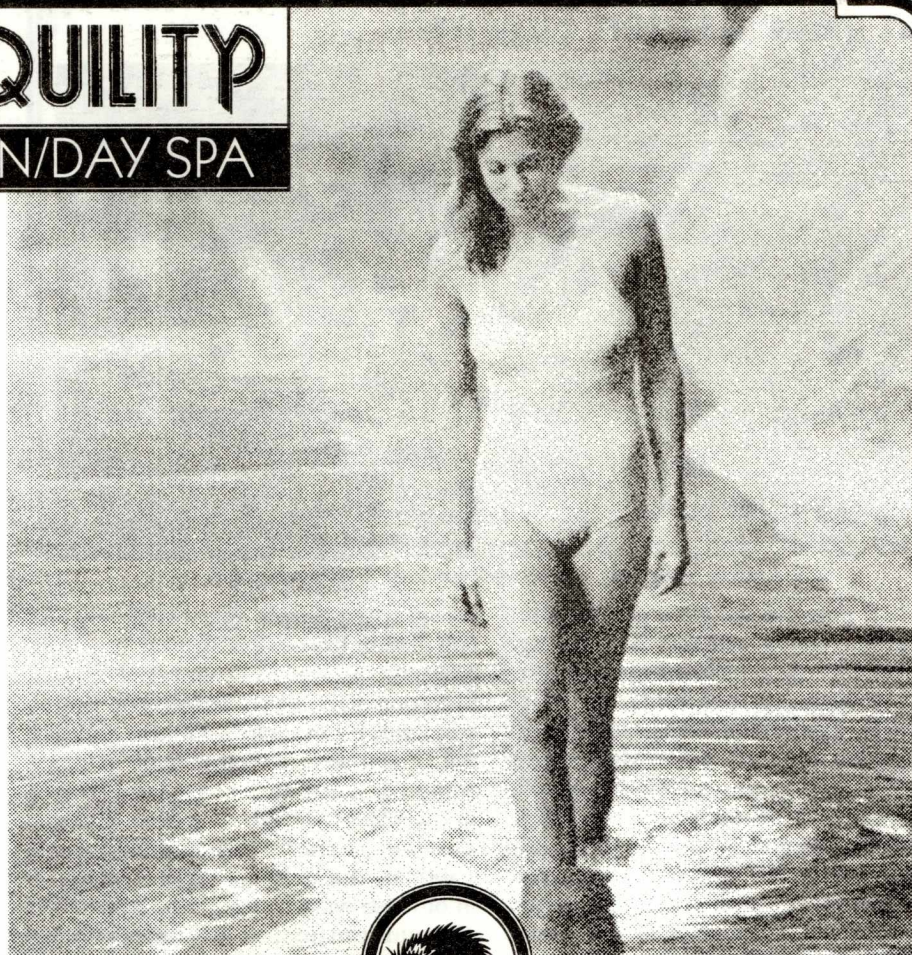
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Cut Your Garden Flowers!



Louise Sullivan, a featured speaker, September 11.

Here's a program for gardeners who are *not* flower arrangers! And the challenge is: "Cut your garden flowers; enjoy them inside too!"

As an avid gardener, Louise Sullivan has long known the desire to display her lovely garden flowers in the house. She and assistants from the Educational Focus Committee of the Council of Barrington Garden Clubs will present a program at the Barrington Area Library Thursday, September 11, 9:30 a.m. to show the various steps one needs to achieve attractive displays. With key information and helpful tips, gardeners can easily produce pleasing displays of their plant material. It is the *lack* of this guidance that makes for the frequently disappointing results and the frustrating expenditure of time in-

involved when people *do* cut their flowers. The session focuses on the simplest, most basic instruction. Samples of mechanics and containers, easily usable and otherwise, will be evaluated. Garden foliage will be shown and their many uses demonstrated. Rules for cutting, conditioning and working with plant material will define easy systems which can be utilized readily by the home gardener. Listings of all of these will be available.

To attract many young gardeners, who may have sitter expenses, the fee has been set at \$3 per person. A limit of thirty persons is planned. Checks made out to the Council of Barrington Garden Clubs should be sent to 62 Windrush Lane, Barrington, IL 60010. With questions call (847) 381-0085 or (847) 382-6322.

Barrington Rotary Awards Scholarship



Barrington H.S. graduate, Jeffrey Galfer, son of Michael and Elizabeth Galfer of Tower Lakes has been awarded the Barrington Rotary Club \$1,000 college scholarship, renewable for three additional college years.

The Award is based on the students record of service to his school, good citizenship and academics.

Jeffrey directed or starred in a number

of Barrington H.S. theatrical productions over his four years there. This past spring he played the role of Major General in *Pirates of Penzance*. He will pursue his interest in Theatre when he attends the University of Evansville this fall.

In the photo, Carol Thompson of the club's Scholarship Committee presents the award along with Margaret Semrad, Barrington Rotary president.

BACOA Free Programs

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. will be holding the following FREE programs in the Barrington Room at Langendorf Park at 12:30 p.m. unless otherwise indicated.

Monday, August 4 "Motor Trails"

Norma Jacobson, travel expert and owner of Single Travelers Group will present a lighthearted, interesting slide-show program about those "good old days" of auto travel in America. Beginning in 1896 with the first touring cars, the presentation covers the establishment of new businesses that developed because of the automobile. Also highlighted are famous road races as well as the romance of traveling on that famous highway—Route 66. Bring in pictures of your old cars to share and discuss. This program is sponsored by Barrington Dodge.

Monday, August 11 "Blood Pressures"

The Lake County Health Department will

be giving FREE blood pressure readings from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

"Village Future/Senior Issues"

Nicole Breedlove, Barrington Village Planner, will give a program outlining the Village of Barrington's future with regard to senior issues. This program is at 12:30 p.m.

Monday, August 18

"Vintage Clothing of the 20s and 30s"

The Barrington Area Historical Society will present a talk, and bring some samples, of vintage clothing from the 20s and 30s.

Monday, August 25

"Okefenokee Swamp Slide Show"

John Wood, fellow senior and BACOA member will present a slide show and talk on his trip to Okefenokee Swamp in Florida.

For more information, contact the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. at 381-5030.

G.C. Skin Care A Full Service Esthetic Salon

Geri Cardilli is proud to announce the opening of **G.C. Skin Care** at Halo's Salon in Barrington. **G.C. Skin Care** is a full service esthetic salon for all types of facials and the treatment of skin problems.

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Geri Cardilli, owner of G.C. Skin Care.

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Don't Lose Your Teeth to a Silent Disease by Drs. Raymond Kotz & Stephanie Skopek

Periodontal disease is the leading cause of tooth loss in adults. It affects three out of four people at some point in their lives, but it can be treated successfully if detected in time.

Some of the signs are:

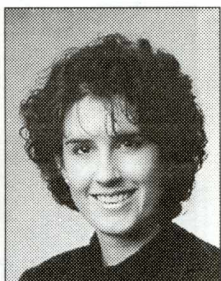
- 1) Bleeding gums during tooth brushing or when you have dental cleanings.
- 2) Red, swollen or tender gums.
- 3) Gums that have pulled away from the teeth.
- 4) Persistent bad breath.
- 5) Pus between teeth and gums.
- 6) Loose or separating teeth.
- 7) A change in your bite.
- 8) A change in the fit of partial dentures.

However, you may have gum disease and not have any of these signs. Most people do not experience pain due to gum disease. It is silent and can go unnoticed. That is why it is important to have regular dental check-ups including periodontal examinations.

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Dr. Raymond Kotz



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gums and bone at over 150 positions around your teeth. This data is transferred to a baseline chart to help guide treatment and record changes that occur later. This information may easily be transferred and understood by another competent dentist.

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For evaluation call **Dr. Raymond P. Kotz** and **Dr. Stephanie Skopek** in Barrington at **847-381-4040**.

Marital Therapy

With as many as one out of every two marriages failing, the prospects are scary for those couples experiencing relationship problems. Due to this increasing statistic, the field of marital therapy has grown tremendously in recent years. Research about marriage and its pitfalls has expanded, self help books are plentiful and marital therapists are present in growing numbers in the community. The resources for help are available for those seeking help.

by Judy Kaplan, MS

Marital therapy is a bona fide process that has helped many couples navigate through distressing times in their marriages. Whether the problem is as complex and inflammatory as an affair by one of the spouses or as seemingly simple as little or no conflict or communications on matters of importance, when one or the other in a marriage is not satisfied, there is a marital problem.

Seeking counsel from a competent marital therapist can provide a safe and



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effective forum for couples to address matters with a neutral and objective party. A marital therapist is one whose specialty is understanding marital issues, sorting through lots of information to isolate the relevant details and helping to provide clarity for both spouses. Oftentimes, couples are blind sighted by their patterns of behavior toward one another and the details of what is happening that they don't have a clear understanding of the issues involved. Sometimes working with the couple in identifying the issues and attaining mutual agreement by both spouses about that is a huge step in moving through the process. This can make collaboration on solutions a much simpler step. In other cases, the problems may be clearly identified and the difficulty is in

determining the solution or needed change. In these situations, a couple's judgment can be clouded by the circumstances in which they are involved. The therapist can provide new ways of viewing the situation or shed light on options often overlooked by the parties.

The key to success with marital therapy is being open to the process and selecting a person to work with that you trust and can commit to the process with. Marriages, like fine crystal, can be strong, beautiful and contain a great deal, or they can be fragile and shatter, causing damage to everyone involved.

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The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago's 40th Anniversary Gala Performance & Ball a Sell-Out Success

Chicagoans and dance enthusiasts from throughout the world gathered here Saturday, June 14 to celebrate 40 years of Robert Joffrey and Gerald Arpino's uniquely American vision of dance. Centered around the opening night performance of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago's landmark repertory season at the Civic Opera House, 20 N. Wacker Dr., was a lavish evening of celebration, culminating in a 40th Anniversary Ball that chairperson Nancy Klimley announced raised more than \$750,000.

Ball guests and others began their evening with a 7 p.m. performance of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago—an all-American program of dance featuring Gerald Arpino's beloved *Kettentanz*, Agnes de Mille's classic *Rodeo*, and the world premiere of *Legends II*, a Gerald Arpino production.

Special opening night tributes included a videotaped collage of The Joffrey's vibrant 40-year history, narrated by A&E's

Bill Kurtis, and a live excerpt of the exhilarating Torch Bearer's entrance from Gerald Arpino's 1966 ballet, *Olympics*.

Following the performance, Ball guests moved from the Opera House to the Chicago Hilton & Towers, 720 S. Michigan Ave., for a lavish, black-tie four-course dinner and dancing. More than 1,000 guests attended the Ball, marking the second year in a row that the lavish social event has been a complete sell-out success. Drawing its strongest support from the city The Joffrey now calls home, the Ball guest list also included dance enthusiasts from New York, California, and even China.

The Ball raised more than \$750,000 through donations and ticket sales (at \$350 per person), netting \$630,000 for the continued development of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago's artistic programming and community outreach efforts.

Arriving at the Chicago Hilton & Towers, Ball guests received the red carpet



Kim Duchossois and Gerald Arpino, artistic director and co-founder of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago.

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CFC Great Blue Heron Rummage Sale

Citizens for Conservation is holding their first Great Blue Heron Rummage Sale on Saturday, August 16th, from 9 AM to 5 PM. The event will be held at the CFC office, 211 N. Elia Road, which is located north of Lake Cook Road, south of Cuba Road, on the east side of the street.

CFC is also asking residents for donations for the sale. Household items, hardware, garden tools, clean clothing, exercise equipment or small appliances

would all be appreciated. After all, one man's clutter is another man's treasure, and rummage sales are a form of recycling! Call the CFC office at 382-SAVE if you have a donation.

All proceeds from the Great Blue Heron Rummage Sale will be used to continue Citizen's for Conservation's mission of "Saving Living Space for Living Things" through protection, restoration, and stewardship of land.



Nancy McCaskey, Dick Duchossois, and Judi McKeage.

treatment—quite literally. They ascended the grand staircase, flower garlanded and flanked by ballet dancers in exquisite costumes designed by Pablo Picasso, and were greeted by violinists and white-gloved waiters passing trays of champagne and hors d'oeuvres. The Grand Ballroom was decorated with silver candelabra and masses of fresh flowers. Following dinner, guests met the Joffrey dancers, each personally introduced by Joffrey co-founder and artistic director Gerald Arpino, and danced to the music of Michael Lerich.

Joffrey Board member Nancy Klimley was, for the second year, Ball chairperson. Major funding support for the Ball came from Lana and Dick Cooper, Sydney L. Port, Kim Duchossois, Joseph H. Wender and Mary Keough Lyman. Underwriters were Martin Gapshis, Richard H. Driehaus, Mrs. Kenneth (Connie)

James, Traci H. Mansur, and Patti Gerber. Ball committee members and other key contributors included: Joffrey Board President Dr. David A. Kipper and Barbara Levy Kipper, Mrs. Paul (Lynn) Harvey, Stephen Neumer, Grace Barry, Rhett W. Butler, Adela Cepeda, Mrs. David (Jane) Conlan, Michael C. Cook, Mrs. John V. (Margaret) Crowe, Becky D'Angelo, Mrs. Robert W. (Mary) Galvin, Linda Chaplik Harris, Bette Cerf Hill, Martin J. Koldyke, Donna M. LaPietra, Dawn G. Meiners, Bruce Sagan, Mrs. E.B. (Maureen) Smith Jr., Pamela B. Strobel, Madelon Talley, and Byron D. Trott.

The Joffrey's 40th Anniversary season is sponsored by Philip Morris Companies, Inc., celebrating 25 years of dance support, and by American Airlines, the official airline of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago. AT&T is the sponsor of all Illinois performances of The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago.

Newcomers to Have an Evening at Ravinia

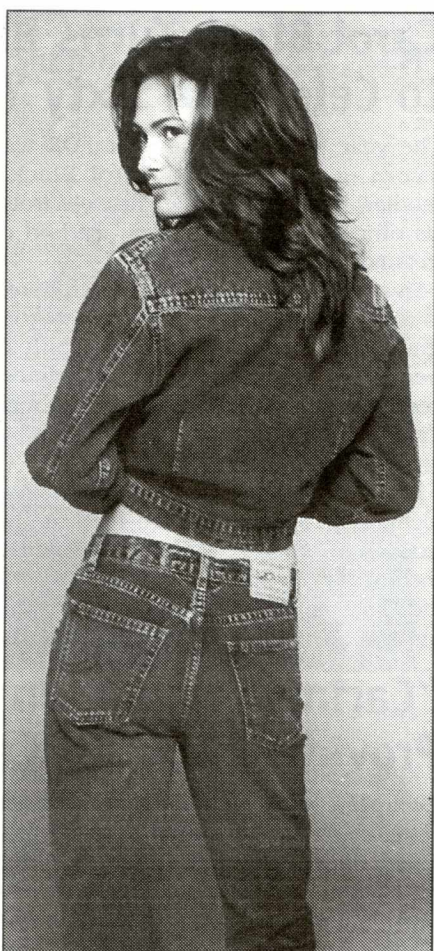
The Barrington Newcomers Club will host an Evening at Ravinia on Sunday, August 24 at Ravinia Festival in Highland Park. The concert begins at 7:00 p.m., so plan to arrive before 5:30 p.m.. The cost of the evening is \$8 per person for lawn seats.

Bring your picnic basket with your entree, beverage, dishes and glassware. Each member will also bring a dish to pass. Don't forget a blanket and the candelabra for ambiance!

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Enjoying themselves at the Ball were: Susan Gohl of Barrington Hills, John Regas (left), and George Sikokis, both of Chicago.

The annual Ascot Ball presented by the English-Speaking Union, Chicago Branch, was held at the Casino on June 20, 1997. At the black-tie event, 150 guests danced to the music of Stanley Paul, and dined on Tournedos of Beef and Grand Marnier Souffle. Approximately \$35,000 was raised to benefit the Scholarship fund.

Highlight of the evening were the prizes. Some of the winners were:

Wallace Moore of Evanston who won two business class roundtrip tickets to London, courtesy of American Airlines; Clare Brown of Chicago who won a Tiffany & Co. watch; Harold Wells of Chicago who won a Chester Barrie blazer; and Tom and Alexandra Cooney of Chicago who won a day for six at the Turf Club at Arlington International Racecourse.

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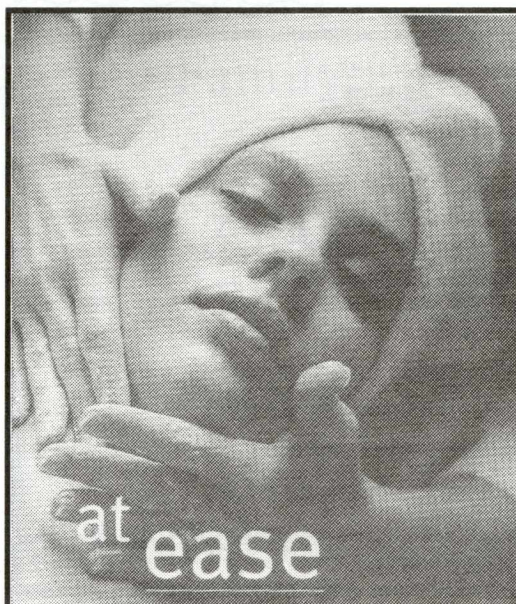
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Open air markets originated in another century, and offer a quaint atmosphere for selling items from another time and place. Choice dealers from across the Midwest will delight you with treasures priced from a few coins to several hundred dollars. Seekers of nostalgia need not buy anything to enjoy the show; if they can resist the many temptations.

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Enjoy an old-fashioned day in the country during the Annual Lambs Antique Show. Admission is \$5 for adults and children under 12 are free. Free parking is available for everyone on the grounds.

Business Entity Selection

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

At the time of this writing, the President is on the verge of presenting his new tax proposal to congress. Hopefully, by next month, we will have tax relief in a few areas, specifically, estate taxes and capital gains taxes. I will keep you informed as the tax changes occur. This month I will discuss how the IRS made things easier for business selection by the new "Check-the-Box" regulations that became effective in January 1997.

Under the new rules, the old four factor test: i.e. whether a business entity has limited liability, free transferability of interests, centralized management and unlimited life, will no longer matter. Now, new limited partnerships consisting of two or more owners will be automatically taxed as partnerships unless they affirmatively elect to be taxed as corporations. Single owner entities, such as solely owned LLC's, will be treated as sole proprietorships for tax purposes unless they too affirmatively elect to be treated as corporations.

No special election is necessary for eligible business entities that wish to be taxed as partnerships. Noncorporate entities that are single taxpayer owned are not treated separate from their owners. In other words, one member LLCs are treated as sole proprietorships. However, if these entities wish to be treated as corporations they must file new IRS Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election). The form must include all the information required and the entity's EIN. The form should then be attached to the entity's federal tax return to eliminate the entity from becoming subject to penalties.

More than federal income tax law needs to be considered in choosing the entity for a new business. Other considerations in-



clude creditor protection, state tax laws, employment taxes and expenses.

Existing entities that desire to change their federal tax status to another for which they are eligible may do so by filing the appropriate IRS form. For example, a partnership or LLC that was taxed as a corporation under the old regulations may now elect to be taxed as a partnership by filing the appropriate IRS form. However, if the change is from a corporate status to a partnership status, there may be a corporate level tax and a tax at the shareholder level.

The new "Check-the-Box" regulations create a positive environment for taxpayers and the flexibility that is needed in the business community. Let's hope the government helps in other areas of tax legislation in the near future.

Have a wonderful summer! See you in September.

Local Sponsors Rally to Support Barrington Youth Services 25th Anniversary

The support of local businesses and individuals has always been vital to Barrington Youth Services. True to fashion, the community is once again stepping forward to support the Agency's 25th anniversary celebration entitled "Family Picnic in the Park." Barrington resident and BYS Board Member, Faith Semla, is chairing the event to be held at Langendorf Park on August 23 from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

According to Semla community volunteers have been working on the event for the past two months. "Family Picnic in the Park" is Barrington Youth Services way of sharing thanks with the community for helping BYS to survive and grow strong during the past quarter century. Ticket costs for the event are reasonably priced at \$1 per child and \$5 per adult. Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling BYS at 381-0345 or on the day of the event.

"We've had tremendous support from local people who have volunteered to serve on various committees," said Semla. "In addition, donations from local busi-

nesses have started to come in which is essential to help us underwrite the costs of holding the event."

Semla said notable donations have already been received from The Quaker Oats Company, Barrington Engineering, LTD. and the insurance firm of Van Fossan-Patterson-Johnson Inc. In addition to underwriting the costs of the event, all sponsors of the celebration will automatically become members of the newly formed "BYS Community Partnership," a project developed to stimulate increased volunteerism and community financial support for BYS programs and services.

The picnic celebration will feature games for all ages, food and entertainment by local band "Room to Groove."

BYS Board President, David Thompson, encourages all local residents, senior to youth, to come out and enjoy the festivities. Thompson also invites businesses and individuals interested in sponsoring the event to call BYS at 381-0345. Tax deductible sponsorships are available in four categories ranging from \$100 to \$1,000.



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Hot Lunch for Seniors

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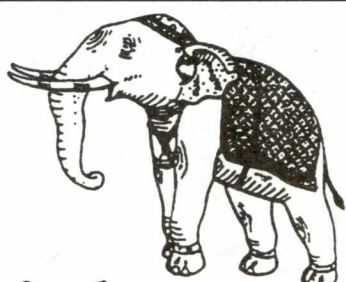
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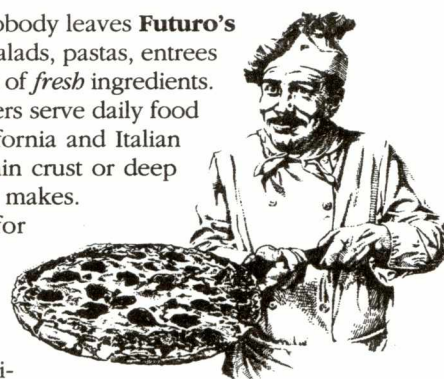
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Bridge players who wish to become a part of a TOCOS Round Robin, beginning in September, may call Diane Reichow (381-4133). Day and time will be decided. Newcomers Club members are welcome along with others new to the area or players looking for a good game.

Free August Program for Seniors

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. will be holding the following FREE program on August 6 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Barrington Area Library. Light refreshments will be served.

George Kostelec, fellow senior and BACOA member, will present two nature films, "Backyard Wildlife" and "Animal Bloopers."

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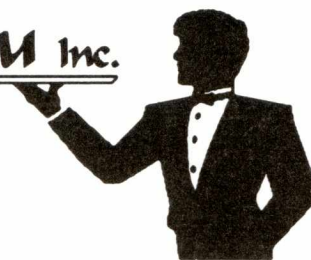
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Happenings In The Area

1997-98 Art Associates Program Announced

Sue Johnson, new chairwoman for the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago, recently announced the exciting 1997-98 program and the Associates board members.

The annual membership coffee on September 3 will feature Art Institute speaker Jeff Nigro lecturing on "Royal Image in Art." This lecture is free and open to all. Coffee begins at 1 P.M., followed by the lecture at 1:30 P.M. at the Presbyterian Church of Barrington, 6 S. Brinker Rd.

The Barrington Associates schedule includes nine lectures held in Barrington, six trips to the Art Institute for special lectures and exhibits, and two other excursions.

October's excursion includes a lecture on "Wit and Humor in 20th Century Art" at the Art Institute, lunch at Eli's, and a visit with acoustiguide to the Museum of Contemporary Art.

A record four busses are reserved for the trip on October 29 to view the Renoir exhibit which includes a lecture by David Stark.

In November the husband and wife architectural team of Margaret McCurry and Stanley Tigerman will present lectures on their craft.

January, March, and April trips to the Art Institute will focus on Fashion Photographer Irving Penn, Baule (African art and music), and Winslow Homer.

Last year's popular February seminar series featured the French Impressionists. The three lectures this year are entitled "Toward the 21st Century" and address modern architecture, sculpture, and paintings and photographs.

The spring tea will feature a lecture on "Discovering Folk Art" and the final excursion will take participants to the Lapidary Museum in Elmhurst with lunch at the Medinah Country Club.

In addition, the Members Present Art series includes a book review of a biography of Andrew Wyeth, lectures on



Sue Johnson, new chairwoman for the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago.

"Neglected Treasures of the Art Institute" and "Life along the Mississippi," and a watercolor demonstration.

Joining Sue Johnson on the Board are the following: Jeanette Muench, program chairwoman; Anne Sebastyan, secretary; Susanne Wells, treasurer; Mary Lou Iverson and Pat Fein, membership; Mary Thennes, publicity; Nancy Quintana, education; Evelyn Richer, Members Present Art; LaVere LaRue, Seminar Series; Genny Ellefson and Dolores Berggren, hospitality; Mary Jeanne Bolger and Mary Wajda, bus excursions; Rose Marie Ekstrom, transportation; and Carol Rietz, ax-officio.

Benefits of membership in the Barrington Community Associates include a family membership to the Art Institute, free admission to special exhibitions, a 10% discount in the Museum Shops, a bi-monthly newsletter News and Events, and admission to the Sunday afternoon Associates Lecture Series at the Art Institute.

One of 15 Community Associates of the Art Institute, The Barrington Community Associates serves all men and women in the Northwest Suburbs. The fee is \$55. For more information, please phone Mary Lou Iverson at (847) 359-0941

Ducks Unlimited Plans Their Annual Dinner

The Barrington Chapter of Ducks Unlimited announces its annual fall dinner. This year's fund raising event will be held Wednesday, September 17 at Biltmore Country Club. Cocktails at 6:30 PM and dinner at 7:45 PM and Auction at 8:30 PM.

DU is one of the country's largest conservation movements, having been in existence since 1937. Since its founding, DU has raised more than \$1 billion, which has contributed to the conservation of nearly 8 million acres of prime wildlife habitat in all 50 states, each of the Canadian provinces and in key areas of Mexico.

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The Barrington Chapter set a state record for Illinois in contributions per attendee at last year's dinner, something we are immensely proud of. For information on this year's dinner or advanced tickets contact Rick Vida at 847-842-9484

Safety Town Community Open House Set for August 24



Volunteer middle school instructors Christina Jacobs, Maireen Beazley, Stacey Brooks and Megan Mawdsley inspect a new Safety Town House at JFK Health World.

The Barrington area has added a new village to its boundaries, and it seems to be attracting the younger demographic. No five acre zoning here—the density of homes is far above normal restrictions. But no complaints—Safety Town is a valuable addition to the various Barrington Villages and has welcomed its first temporary "residents."

The Barrington Junior Women's Club invites the community to view the new, permanent Safety Town village built through the donations of over 350 businesses, individuals, governments, services and civic organizations. From 6 - 7 p.m. on Sunday August 24, Safety town will be open to all at the JFK Health World site, 1301 S. Grove Ave. BJWC, organizers of the program for over 20 years, spearheaded the drive that raised over \$115,000 to build Safety Town.

The first group of pre-kindergarten and first graders have already "christened" the new Safety Town in June and July. Although houses, streets, real stoplights, signs, and railroad tracks were being installed between Safety Town sessions, the excitement of being the first graduating class was evident. Katrina Bartlett, an 8th grade volunteer instructor this year remembers her summer as a Safety Town student eight years ago at the temporary Grove School locations. "Learning about bike and traffic safety riding a miniature bike was something I'll always remember. But I can't believe how lucky kids are today with these neat classrooms and an awesome little town. They even have real working stoplights and a railroad track!"

The miniature village consists of houses, Village Hall, Train Station, and Fire House—all plagued with substantial donors, child-size streets, signs and traffic signals, and a proportional railroad track. Structures are painted in historic colors to blend with the surroundings. South Barrington resident Sue Jacobs, an artist and member of the society of Decorative

Painters added a touch that fooled even the contractors. The Village Hall is faux finished to resemble stone blocks, while another home is painted to look like brick. Throughout the town, the children can also search for her hand-painted surprises: realistic butterflies, a spider in his web, ants crawling up the side of a building, a ladybug, mouse, clock—even a bat in the belfry. Sue is an associate member of the Barrington Junior Women's Club and spent days creating her very special effects.

Over 300 children each summer will take advantage of the program to learn everything from fire, poison, water, playground, and electrical safety to Stranger Danger, 911, and good-touch/bad-touch. Operated by Barrington Junior Women's Club, instruction combines professional teaching contractors and over 100 middle school volunteer assistants each summer.

Co-chairs Chris Griffin and Karen Darch applaud the major financial support of Barrington Junior Women's Club, Harris Bank Barrington and Suburban Bank of Barrington, Cellular One, Merrill Lynch, Countryside Homes Corp., Good Shepherd Hospital/Advocate, the Duchossois Foundation, Square D Company and Burlington Northern Sante Fe Foundation. Substantial contributions also came from The Allstate Foundation, Barrington Fire Department, Barrington Courier Review, Village of Barrington, Cuba Township and Walgreens.

This long term Barrington asset is valued at much more than the money spent to build it, due to service and material donations, and use of a site and classroom space from JFK Health World. Architect Harry Burroughs, Klaus Schmechtig Landscaping, K. Schoenkas & Associates, Town and Country Painting, T.C. Bak & Associates and Roman Signs are only a few of the many to be thanked for in-kind donations.



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How to Choose a Dance School for Your Child

Many parents of young children who desire to take dance lessons find themselves unsure as to how to choose a school. Frankly, a recommendation from a neighbor or friend is not enough. You should always visit the school in person. The following are some guidelines as to how to choose a school in order to insure your child's proper instruction and personal safety.

Facility—The dancers should have a large room with a special sprung floor. Dancing on concrete covered with tile or other hard surfaces is dangerous. There should be ample mirrors and well-constructed ballet barres for older students.

Observation of Classes—Before enrolling in any school, you should make an appointment to observe a class. Even if you are not knowledgeable, you will be able to judge certain critical things.

1) *Is the teacher well organized and pleasant?*

2) *Is he/she knowledgeable?* (Check the school brochure for teachers' backgrounds.)

3) *Are the teacher's corrections made clearly and in a positive way?*

4) *Are the students well behaved and attentive for their age?*

Performing Opportunities—As dance is a performing art, it is imperative that the students get the chance to dance for an audience. However, a good school should stress education and not detract from that for the sake of performing. A fancy costume will never cover up poor dancing!

Tuition—Do some comparison shopping as to class rates. Classes should be competitively priced but one should not think that the cheapest class means more for your money. As with everything, quality costs more. Schools should have discounted tuition for multiple classes if your child is a serious student. Family discounts may also be available.

Even pre-schoolers taking lessons should have a fun, interesting and beneficial class. A little extra time will result in a decision that you and your child will be happy with for years to come!

Golf Outing Planned by the Knights of Columbus

Holy Family Council is sponsoring its annual Golf Outing on Friday, August 29, at Chevy Chase Country Club.

Golfers are urged to make their foursome, although the committee will form groups if necessary.

A fee of \$75 includes green fees, cart,

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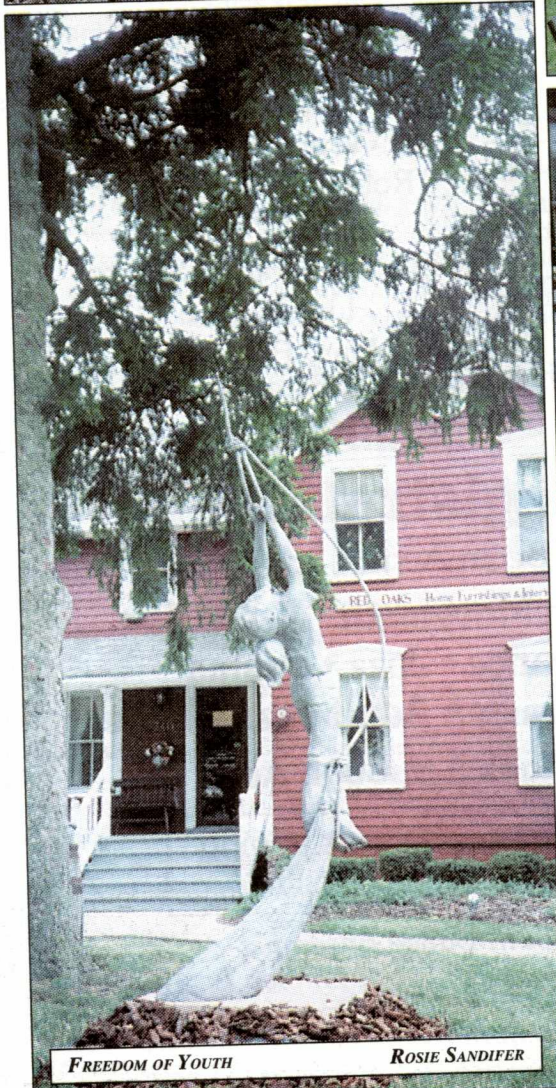


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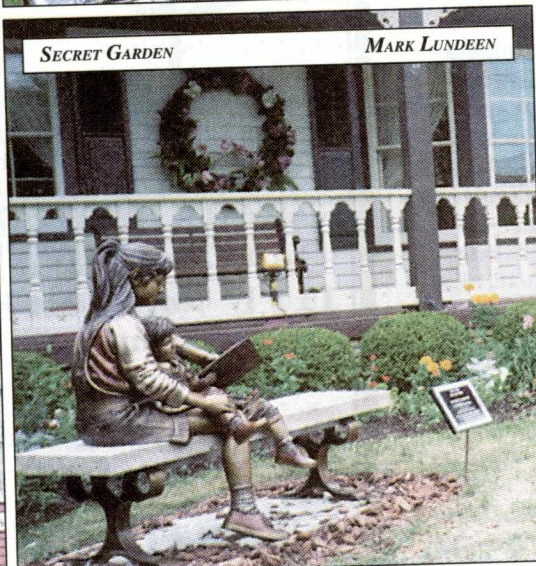
Art in July... "Sculpture Walk"

In July, thousands of visitors to the historic village of Long Grove were delighted to encounter fifteen life-size bronze sculpture that were installed in natural settings by **The Studio of Long Grove** and the **Rotary Club of Long Grove**. Many of these works will remain on exhibit and for purchase at **The Studio** which will continue to represent the nine sculptors featured in the show. Though many have been purchased by corporate, institutional and residential buyers, most of the limited edition sculpture is still available.



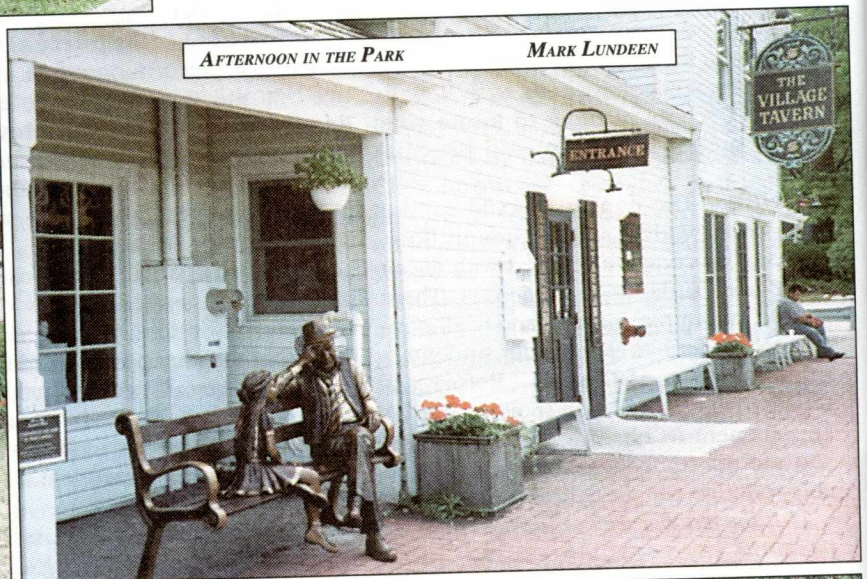
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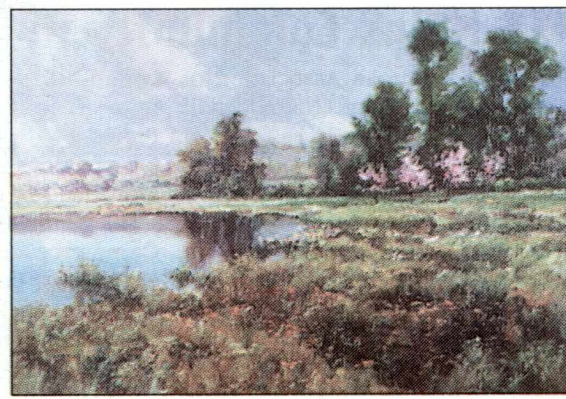
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Vein Clinic Announces Plans to Help 'A Safe Place'

Vein Care Associates in Barrington announced its plans to be a drop off point for supplies for "A Safe Place" in Waukegan. Once a month Vein Care Associates will deliver the month's collections to the center for battered and abused women. Supplies that are desperately needed are cleaning supplies, Kleenex, paper towels and school supplies.

Vein Care Associates is located at 27401 W. Highway 22, Suite 106, in the Smith

Professional Building across from Good Shepherd Hospital in Barrington. Their phone number is (847) 842-1420. Drop off times will be every Monday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. You do not have to be a customer to bring things by. There will be a basket in the waiting room. The goal of the clinic is to provide a convenient location for collection for residents in the Northwest Suburban suburbs to help the shelter throughout the year, not just on holidays.

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The Pooh collection keychains are non-tarnish sturdy polished pewter, that are guaranteed to bring a smile at any age. Perfect as a housewarming gift, or for sending someone special off to school!

The Canterbury Shoppe is open Tuesday-Friday 10 am - 5:30 pm, Saturday and Sunday 10 am - 4 pm. We are located at 117 East Station Street in downtown Barrington (across from Starbucks Coffee between Cook Street and Route 59). Stop by or give us a call at **(847) 304-9627**, we're happy to help!

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Teaching Your Child Techniques for Learning and Remembering

How well children do in school is determined not only by intelligence, but also by the methods or strategies that they use to master all the new facts, ideas and concepts that they must learn. Children need strategies because effective learning requires their active participation.

According to Dr. Raymond J. Huntington, founder and president of **Huntington Learning Centers**, there are five effective strategies you can teach your children for active learning:

1. *Asking questions.* Self-questioning forces the student to think about the material in order to answer the questions. When listening to lectures or reading textbooks, it is helpful for students to think about the topic and make up some questions that will focus their attention and improve concentration.

2. *Making inferences.* Making inferences involves thinking about the information, ideas or opinions we hear or read about, and trying to draw conclusions from this new information. Learners must think about the material, thus making it more meaningful and easier to remember.

3. *Creating analogies.* You can help children create analogies by encouraging them to relate things they know to the new information by looking for similarities or making comparisons. Creating analogies is a way of building temporary mental bridges between what is known and new information.

4. *Finding the main idea.* New information whether in class or in textbooks,

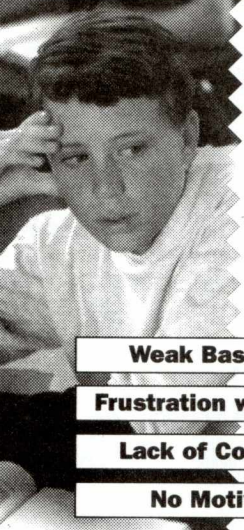
usually includes a number of main ideas or facts and a lot of material to support them. As students read or listen, they must often ask themselves, "What's the point here?" If students constantly look for the main idea, they will be concentrating on the important material, and will be actively involved while studying.

5. *Categorizing information.* When we have many items of information to learn, it helps to group them into categories. All items in a category must have one or more similar characteristics. For example, in science class, animals are divided into groups such as reptiles, mammals, fish, etc. It makes the learning task more manageable by breaking it into smaller parts.

You can help your children succeed in school by talking to them about these five different learning and memory strategies and making sure they understand and are able to use them. But even motivated learners who pay attention to their school work may continue to have difficulty. This could be an indication of a weakness in basic skills.

The Huntington Learning Center is a nationally recognized leader in the field of tutoring and supplemental instruction. Programs are offered in reading, writing and math, as well as SAT and ACT exam prep courses.

For more information, or to discuss a specific problem, contact **The Huntington Learning Center** in Barrington at **(847) 382-3655** or in Buffalo Grove at **(847) 459-5939**.



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NSACI Helps Community in Finding Jobs

The Northwest Suburban Association of Commerce and Industry (NSACI) will sponsor NSACI Employment Fair '97 on August 7 at the Schaumburg Golf Club, 401 N. Roselle Rd., Schaumburg. The day begins at 4:00 p.m. and ends at 8:00 p.m. The event is free and open to anyone searching for employment.

Approximately sixty-five NSACI members from various industries will be present seeking qualified individuals to fill the job openings. Exhibiting industries include: clerical, Administrative, Industrial, Technical, Sales and Marketing.

Current unemployment figures are the lowest in 19 years. In today's market, re-

cruiting is the biggest challenge for Human Resource or Staffing Industry Professionals. There are simply too many job openings and not enough competent individuals to fill them.

The Northwest Suburban Association of Commerce and Industry is a regional chamber of commerce whose mission is to drive the success of business in Schaumburg and the northwest suburbs. NSACI provides programs and services for members to meet new customers, develop effective partnerships, increase profitability, improve professional skills, and promote business interests in government affairs.

Infant and Toddler Care Now Available

Barrington Community Child Care Center is a private center serving children six weeks to six years. This neat-as-a-pin facility is 5,300 square feet featuring oversized classrooms with lots of natural light and an environment designed to meet the needs of young children. The facility is also equipped with a large outdoor playground.

Maximum security and safety are very important. The Center has an entry system that allows authorized people to enter the facility through a locked door from the building's vestibule. Sprinklers are installed throughout and smoke detectors are in each classroom, restroom and closet.

The curriculum for the Center is theme oriented and age appropriate to each group of children. 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. The amenities that are offered are many: "Computer Tots" classes are available as well as "Kids in Action" gymnastics class. Haircuts, by a Barrington salon owner, are offered every six weeks. There is daily communication between teachers and parents, catered lunches, nutritious snacks and flexible scheduling is available. Our staff is highly qualified and continue their education and training on an ongoing basis. No appointment is necessary to tour the **Barrington Community Child Care Center**. Registration is now being accepted for all age groups. They are conveniently located at 560 Carl Avenue in Barrington (one block west of Burger King off Northwest Highway).

Register Now for August Sampler and Fall Classes at Barrington Kindermusik & Piano



Sarah Hovde of Barrington is looking forward to her third semester of Kindermusik!

Through the sheer joy of music and movement, **Kindermusik** encourages early learning and creativity in children 18 months to 7 years of age. It allows children to explore the world in a secure, stimulating environment, filling them with a sense of curiosity and the delight of self-expression. **Kindermusik** provides a three-stage curriculum carefully designed to reflect and match your child's age and developmental level.

Barrington Kindermusik & Piano is offering a two-week summer sampler beginning August 11. All levels of

Kindermusik will be taught this fall. The Fall Semester classes begin September 8. Registration deadline for the fall classes is August 28. Please call **(847) 842-1440** for class days, times and tuition.

About our instructors: Mrs. Meils holds a B.A. (magna cum laude) from Elmhurst College. She also studied music at the University of California, Berkeley and Mr. Meil's B.A. in Applied Music is from Bradley University. Both instructors are licensed **Kindermusik** teachers (Northwestern University) and both are certified in the Orff curriculum (DePaul University). For many years they supervised and taught private and class piano at Lyon-Healy Education Department, Chicago Loop. They worked together professionally as singers and musicians in California, New York and Chicago, and have appeared on radio and television. The Meils' have two children: Matthew, a Senior Music Major at Berklee School of Music, Boston, and Leslie, A Sophomore Dance Major at the University of Iowa.

With many years of teaching and parenting experience, Mr. and Mrs. Meils are looking forward to working with your children at **Barrington Kindermusik & Piano**.

It's Summer, Let's Sizzle!

The Palatine-Inverness Chapter of Infant Welfare announces its Summer Fund Raising Event: *Hot Times, Hot Tastes, Hot Tunes*, Saturday, August 9 at Barrington Banquets, 135 Kelsey Road, Barrington, Illinois. The evening, which starts at 6:30 p.m., features dinner, desserts from the Infant Welfare Cookbook *Sugar Snips and Asparagus Tips*, and rock 'n roll entertainment by Ronnie Rice, former member of the Chicago based rock group The New Colony Six. His sing-along fun will feature many hit records of the 60's and 70's, including the New Colony Six's *I Will Always Think About You* and *Things I'd Like to Say*. Tickets may be purchased for \$75. The Grand prize includes two American Airlines roundtrip tickets (first prize), a

freestanding jukebox radio, CD, and cassette player (second prize), and dinner for four at Ed Debevis (third prize). For more information, call 312-587-1813.

The Palatine-Inverness Chapter of Infant Welfare raises money to benefit the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago, a clinic dedicated to serving Chicago's working poor. Last year, 11,000 patients profited from the clinic's pediatric, gynecological, dental, or counseling services. Fees for services are on a sliding scale according to patient's incomes. Members of the Palatine-Inverness Chapter meet monthly in member's homes and are actively seeking individuals who are interested in donating time and energy to their mission. Call 312-587-1813 for more information.

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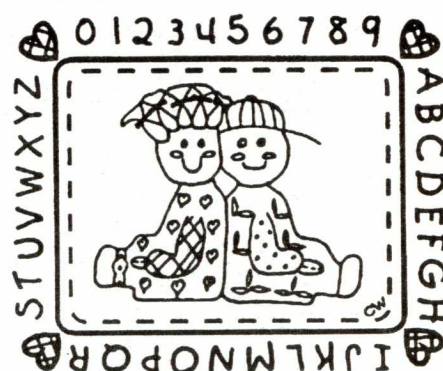
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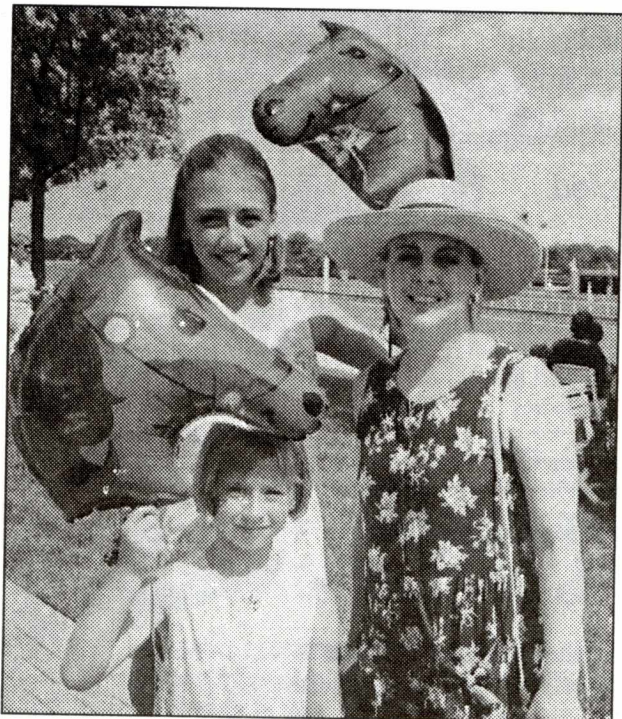


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BYDE's "Day at the Races" A Family Affair



Daria Sislow, right, with daughters Diana, back, and Meredith, Barrington.



Pictured in the Marquee are, front row from left, Elaine Simon, Barrington; Tricia Parris (standing), Inverness; Kelley Curran and Emily Newman, Barrington. Back row from left, Stephanie and Whitney Schwartz, Barrington, Laura Steichen, Inverness; Susan England and Ashley Watson, Barrington.



Pictured during a June "Day at the Races" at Arlington International Racecourse to benefit the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's (BYDE) 4th annual *Nutcracker* in December are, Richard L. Duchossois, chairman, Arlington International Racecourse, and Honorary Director of the BYDE, center; Mary Brennan, BYDE Artistic Director, left, and Elizabeth Gullum, BYDE President and Executive Director from Lake Barrington. For information on the BYDE or *The Nutcracker*, please phone 847-382-6333.

Nutcracker auditions are on Sunday, September 7. Look for details in the next issue of *Lifestyles*.



Sharon Curran with daughter Katie, Barrington.

1997 Summer "Adventures in Nature" Classes for Children and Adults

If children are consistently exposed to the natural world in their early childhood—we will have a healthier planet.

During these classes your child can begin to foster an interest in the natural world. Hikes and hands-on projects will help students gain a respect and willingness to help nature.

Tuesday, August 5, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. (rain day: August 6) Fish Seining. What is a Johnny Darter and why are they so hard to find? Many of our native fish require clean water, and their presence or absence can assess the quality of a stream. Join us as we net-seine a few of these colorful minnows from a creek near the Wisconsin border. Be prepared to get wet. Bring old tennis shoes and a sack lunch. Leave from CFC Ela Road House. Ages 10 and up.

Thursday, August 14, 1 p.m. Drawing from Nature. Location: CFC Ela Road

House. Do the nature works of James Audubon or Albrecht Durer interest you? We will meet to draw and paint flowers and other interesting things from nature. If possible, bring an inexpensive watercolor pallet and brush. Paper will be supplied. Ages 7 and up.

CFC Office is located on Ela Road about 1/4 mile south of Cuba Road. From the Village of Barrington, take Lake Cook Road east to Ela Road. Go north approximately 1.3 miles to two-story farm house on the right. It is about 1/4 mile before Cuba Road.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to participate. Fees are \$10 per student, \$5 for members. Class sizes are limited, so register at least one week before each class. Call (847) 382-SAVE to make your reservation, or mail to CFC, P.O. Box 435, Barrington, IL 60011.

CARE 2 SHARE Volunteers Needed to Assist Homebound Seniors

CARE 2 SHARE, a new program sponsored jointly by the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) and the Junior League of Chicago, Inc. Northwest Area, is seeking adult volunteers to provide companionship to homebound seniors in the Barrington Area.

Volunteers should be willing to commit approximately one hour per week assisting a senior with projects in their home or running small local errands. Volunteers are requested to commit to the project from September, 1997, through May, 1998. A volunteer training session will be held August 16th from 9 a.m. until noon at BACOA, 301 East Main Street, Suite 111, Barrington, IL 60010.

The CARE 2 SHARE program promises to enrich the lives of both the seniors it serves and the volunteers who make it

possible.

For more information, please call Annette Nikolich, chair of the CARE 2 SHARE project-JLC at (847) 304-8850 or Claudette Schmied, Social Services Coordinator-BACOA, at (847) 381-5030.

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) is a private, not-for-profit organization. Its mission is to promote the independence, dignity and well-being of older adults.

The Junior League of Chicago, Inc. is a metropolitan organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism and improving the community through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. The Junior League of Chicago, Inc. reaches out to women of all races, religions and national origins who demonstrate an interest in and a commitment to voluntarism.

Adults, Save Time for Yourself with a Creative Art Class

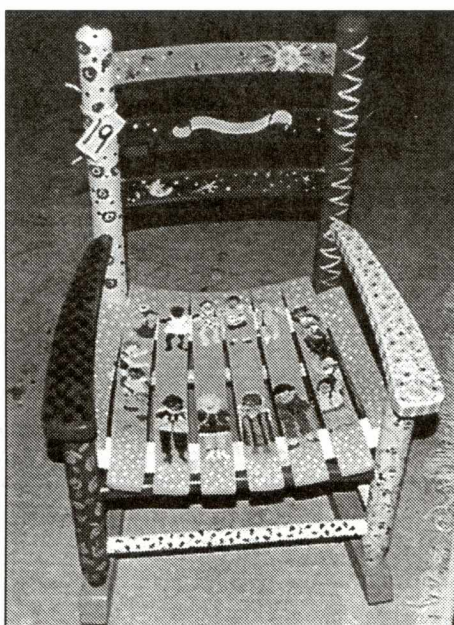
With school bells ringing, it's time to do something for yourself. And what could be more relaxing and rewarding than an art course! There are so many classes to choose from at **Kaleidoscope** in Barrington.

Among them are Gilded Water Color Prints, Painting on Silk, Botanical Drawing, Drawing for Those Who Think They Cannot Draw—all taught by highly-qualified professional teachers.

Enjoy the fullness that the proper direction of learning can inspire in you!

Call **Kaleidoscope** at (847) 381-4840 for more information and a free brochure. They are located on Cook Street in downtown Barrington.

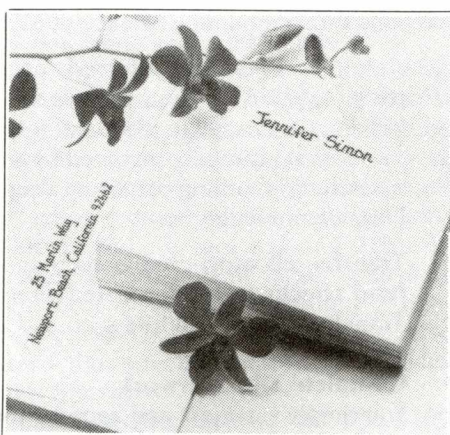
Don't miss the 3rd annual "Chair-ity" auction on Friday, September 5, 1997! Unique chair creations designed and adorned by **Kaleidoscope** faculty will be put on the auction block. Proceeds go to the **Kaleidoscope** Scholarship fund.



Inspire Communication

Little Shop of Papers, in the Barrington Foundry has your personalized stationery needs covered! Whether it's a sophisticated monogrammed social note or a notecard with your student's college colors, the **Little Shop** can show you all the possibilities. The shelves in the shop are stocked-full of everything from notes and foldovers to cards and sheets—in every color and style imaginable.

Full festivities call for festive invitations! **The Little Shop of Papers** has a bumper crop of invitations for showers, rehearsal dinners, tailgates, country-western parties and more! Round out your party theme with coordinating paper plates and napkins too.



Claude Thomas—Beauty and Perfection United

The big news for summer is that hair is as individualistic as fashion. Styles run from short crops to tousled curls to spiky chignons to long crimped looks—and everything in-between.

Here, at **Claude Thomas**, we are a professional, full service salon of the nineties. We are introducing a new product called Snap Shots—temporary highlights that come in an array of colors: copper red, gold dust, brilliant bronze and best Bordeaux.

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NSACI Hosts Human Resource Seminars August 6 Seminar: Sexual Harassment

The Northwest Suburban Association of Commerce and Industry (NSACI) will host a special human resource program presented by Thomas R. Palmer. The seminars are designed to help business owners, supervisors, risk managers, human resource professionals and personnel administrators save both time and money by learning how to solve undesirable HR headaches.

The seminar will be held August 6 at Zurich Towers, 1450 East American Lane, Schaumburg in Conference Room B. The program begins at 3:30 p.m. and ends at

5:00 p.m.

The August 6 program is entitled "Sexual Harassment: Navigating the Expanding Minefield." Many pertinent topics will be discussed such as: how to design an effective harassment policy, identify behavior that may constitute unlawful conduct, perform appropriate investigations of claims, determine legitimate disciplinary responses, and minimize the risk of costly, emotionally-charged lawsuits.

The seminar will be \$40 for NSACI members and \$50 for nonmembers. Call (847) 517-7110 for reservations.

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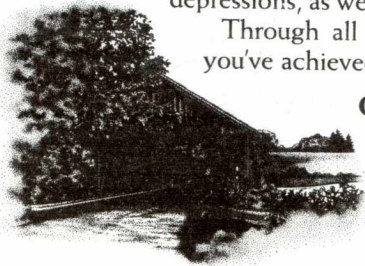
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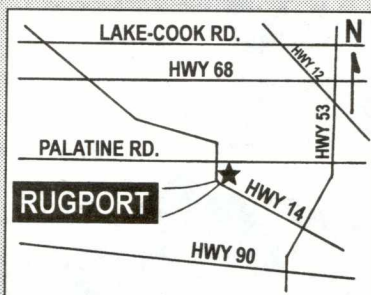


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Assisted Care Facilities for Seniors

Illinois counties have the authority to build and operate assisted living facilities for persons 55 years of age or older, according to an opinion issued this week by Attorney General Jim Ryan.

"Although counties have not been granted the express authority to operate an assisted living facility," Ryan writes in the official opinion requested by the Mercer County State's Attorney, "a county may operate such a facility pursuant to its power to establish and maintain a home for aged if residency in the facility is limited to persons who are at least fifty-five years of age and who are infirm or chronically ill."

Ryan's opinion clears the way for counties to develop assisted living facilities for

those senior citizens who need some limited assistance but are not in need of 24-hour care.

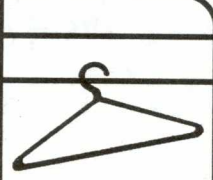
Counties clearly possess the authority to operate long-term-care facilities. Ryan's opinion clarifies the statute to include assisted-care facilities so long as they are caring for the "aged" who need assistance. The opinion defines "aged" as being at least 55 years old based on language in the Illinois Act on Aging.

Without Ryan's opinion, Mercer County—and perhaps other counties around the state—would have been reluctant to move ahead with such limited care facilities over concern that they might not be statutorily empowered to do so.

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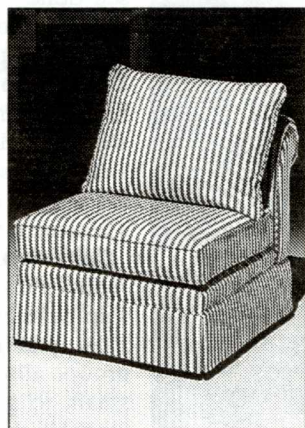
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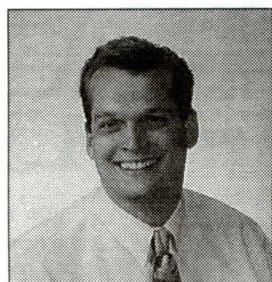


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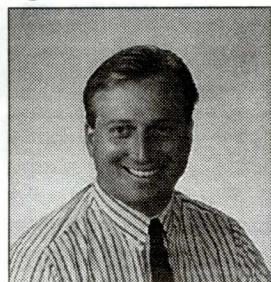


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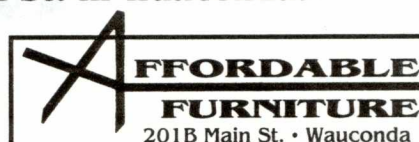


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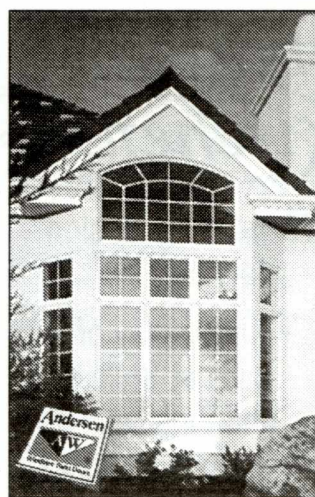
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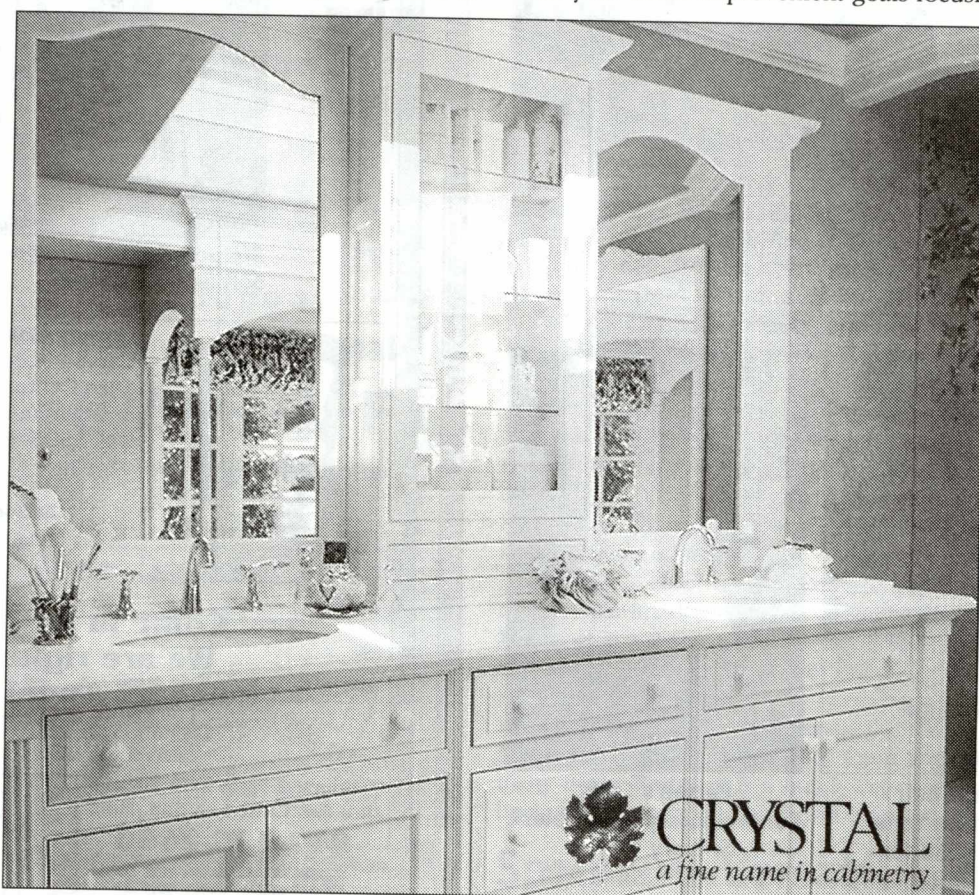
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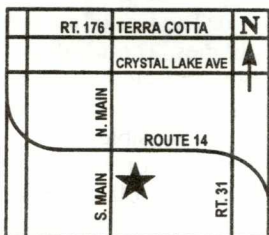
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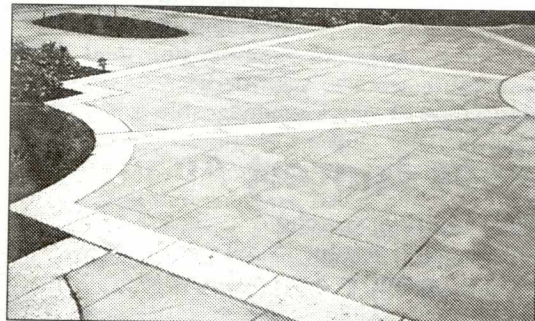
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These two questions evoke fear... fear of the unknown. The fear of inadvertently owning two homes. The ideal would be to sell and buy and close both transactions the same day. However, most often such timing is not possible.

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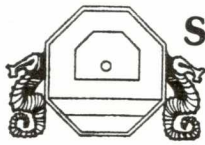
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Twenty four Special Olympic athletes from Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association (NISRA) competed at the ISO Summer Games June 20-22 at Illinois State University. The swim team, consisting of John Paul Beauchamp, Carpentersville; Sean Clancy, Carpentersville; Shane Connor, Barrington; Amy Hutchison, Wauconda; Jennifer Rockstroh, Hawthorne Woods; Sara Schaffel, Sleepy Hollow; Troy Schuring, Marengo; Benjamin Walkington, Woodstock; and James Williams, Lake In The Hills; provided excellent competition and won 13 gold medals, 1 silver and 4 bronze. The track team, consisting of

Michael Asher, Barrington; Richard Baker, Kelly Carpenter, Gerald Eggleston, Peter Ernst and Ed Yovanis, Woodstock; Ingrid Denz and Julie Vetter, Crystal Lake; Heather Holtz, McHenry; Chris Mattea, Marengo; and Justin Othick, Carpentersville, ran well and won 3 gold medals, 3 silver and 5 bronze. The gymnastics team, consisting of Gina Lofgren, McHenry; Amy Rishling, Wonder Lake; and Eric Sychta, Crystal Lake; performed well winning 5 gold medals, 1 silver and 1 bronze. All of the athletes did their best, represented NISRA well and most of all had fun. Congratulations to all the athletes for a wonderful season!

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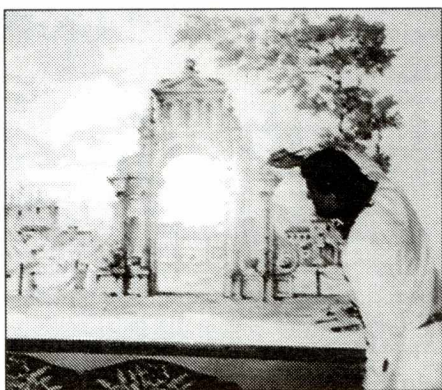
Dundee Township, Harvard, Marengo, McHenry, Wauconda, Woodstock. For more information on NISRA, call 815-459-0737.

The Illusionist Comes to Town!

A new shop has come to Long Grove and it's a bit different. The **Artistic Illusions** shop offers both unusual gift items, and the remarkable talents of painting contractor, Gary Dulock.

First the store! It is stocked with antiques, fine art, collectibles, jewelry and even apparel items from the 50's. Gift items from around the world include orthodox icons, ceramic angels, nesting dolls and much more. Antique pieces have been restored—lamps and mirrors gilded, chairs handpainted, dressers with faux marbled tops and many other articles personalized with the illusionist's touch.

For more than 25 years, **Gary Dulock** "**The Illusionist**," has been studying the old-world crafts of marbling, woodgraining, custom glazing, gold leafing and mural painting. Creating these artistic illusions is what he loves to do. He won a first prize for his work in rehabilitating a 200 year old walnut library in a Highland Park home which required gold leaf accent work and marbled glazing effects. After flames burned out the Tabor United Church of Christ (in Chicago), Gary restored their marbled persian arches to their original medieval look. During the recent Lyric Opera House restoration, Mr. Dulock participated in the stenciling and marbling work. He also served as color consultant on questions concerning the original look of gold leaf. In a departure from his usual work, he has recently restored a 270 year old Chinese chinoiserie watercolor on paper.



Other notable work done by Gary Dulock include: the 23 karat gold leaf gilded lobby ceilings in the NBC Towers, the marbled ballrooms in the Palmer House and the murals on both sides of the escalators at Trader Vics.

Gary Dulock specializes in interior and exterior custom painting and decorating including the always interesting Victorian "painted ladies." He also is expert in hanging all types of wall coverings.

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Local Resident to Turn Author



Barrington resident Ruth Kern, one of the 12 finalists in the Mrs. Illinois/America pageant this summer has announced that she is going to capitalize on her experience in the pageant by writing a book. Based on her personal experience, the "how to" book will be a study on how she prepared for the event. In July Ruth attended a seminar on "How to write a How To Book" in Scottsdale. Weight con-

trol will be part of the message she will be getting across to her readers.

Shown is Ms. Kern in the gown competition at the pageant. The gown was designed by Mira, Ruth is a University of Illinois graduate with degrees in fashion and textiles. However, her real "passion" is gardening. Her garden will be featured in *Better Homes and Gardens* magazine in a future issue.

Volunteers Recognized for Service

The following volunteers have received awards from Good Shepherd Hospital for their donated services:

Volunteers from Barrington: Kelly Feathers, 100 hours; Sarah Huggins, 100 hours; Helen Jun, 2,000 hours; Beth Logan, 1,500

Simplicity and Fine Craftsmanship "The Arts and Crafts Movement"

by Star Norini-Johnson, CKD, ASID

The Arts and Crafts Movement began in England in the 1860's as a protest to the Industrial Revolution. Quickly, it spread to the United States and continued through the 1920's.

During the late 1800's, Americans protested against changes in family lifestyles resulting from the Industrial Revolution. During the revolution, machines produced cheaply-made imitations of hand-crafted furniture, cabinets and other items. Many families were hired from rural homes—in hopes of a better lifestyle—to work in city factories. They found long working hours in unsafe conditions, child labor and poor urban living conditions.

Advocates of the Arts and Crafts Movement believed the Industrial Revolution was responsible for many of the social problems that existed at the time. Followers believed that by reintroducing the arts and fine craftsmanship into family homes, the social problems could be reversed. They believed that homes should be a retreat and a safe haven away from the rest of the world. Constructed of natural and organic materials, homes were functional, comfortable, simple in design and lacking heavy decoration and ornamentation. Furniture, millwork and cabinets were hand-crafted of materials native to the area. Natural wood finishes and construction details were considered the beauty of the craft and were left unadorned.

With today's fast-paced, stressful life-



styles, it is not surprising that the same philosophy has renewed interest in the Arts and Crafts designs. At **Distinctive Kitchen Designs**, our clients express a desire for the same finely-crafted cabinetry their grandparents had, but in kitchens that are more functional and easier to maintain. Our clients also expect the latest conveniences in appliances, cabinetry, countertops and storage aids. The manufacturers that we represent have already introduced many of the Arts and Crafts style cabinets that can be seen in the photograph. Our expert designers, together with these quality products, are able to create the Arts and Crafts style kitchens coupled with the latest technology to simplify lifestyles in a demanding society.

"Evening with Oscar" Planned by Friends of Sparrow



Row 1: Michele Gillett, Judy Logue Avedon, and Christine Trzaska.
Row 2: Pat Pulsifer, LeAnn Fairleigh, Mary Kay McCaw and Sue Guernsey,
all from the Barrington area. Photo by Dorna Pourmehdi.

Enthusiastic moviegoers anticipate the glamorous Hollywood-styled "Evening with Oscar" that is coming to the area Saturday, November 8, 1997 at Biltmore Country Club, Barrington!

Planned by Friends of the Home of the Sparrow, all proceeds will benefit the

transitional housing and counseling center for homeless women and their children, Home of the Sparrow.

Advance notice is given for your planning... please watch for reservation procedure information.

hours; Shirley Paulk, 6,500 hours; Lauren Rowan, 100 hours; Inez Skoglund, 6,500 hours.

Volunteer from Crystal Lake: Amanda Handley, 100 hours.

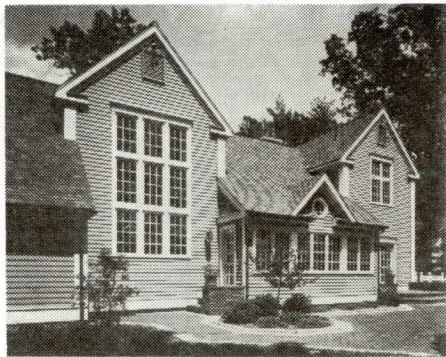
Good Shepherd Hospital, located north of Barrington on Highway 22, two

miles west of Route 59, is part of Advocate Health Care, one of the Chicago area's largest health care organizations. For more information about volunteering at the hospital, call the hospital volunteer office at 847-381-0123, ext. 5093.

Avoid the Fall Rush!

As the summer activities come to a close many folks are considering remodeling their home or building a new one this Fall. "Now is the perfect time to call an architect to discuss your building plans," says John C. Cazzetta, President of **Kemper Cazzetta Architects** in Barrington. The design process can take several weeks, and when complete, the permit and bidding process can add an additional two weeks. This all means that construction probably will not start until at least two months after your initial consultation with your architect.

"We urge our clients who are considering construction this Fall to begin to discuss their design thoughts with us as soon as possible. The 'Fall Rush' occurs in late September through October, which means construction may be forced to start after the Holidays! We try to get our foundations in before the frost sets in January." Once this occurs, then construction is not a problem throughout the winter months. Cazzetta adds, "It is actually desirable to build in the Winter. One reason is the in-



creased availability of quality contractors and the decreased costs of building materials in the off season. Another reason is that your project will be completed in the late spring, so that you may enjoy the new structure during the warm seasons."

If you are thinking of creating or revising your home this year, then please call John C. Cazzetta, at **Kemper Cazzetta Architects**, at 382-8322 for a free consultation. "We specialize in residential architecture, and would enjoy showing you our portfolio."

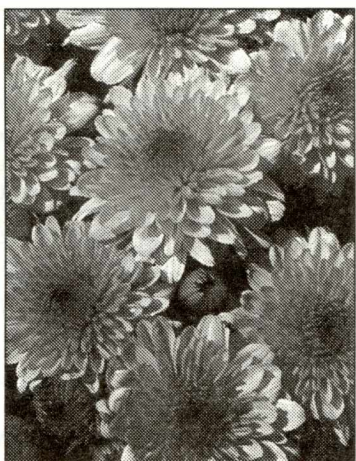
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August Sidewalk Sale

Decorating Connections is making room for new fall merchandise with its fantastic **August Sidewalk Sale**. You'll find a great selection of floor sample furniture, framed art, lamps and many accessory items suitable for gifts or decorating. Most items are offered at **30%-50% OFF**. Fabric samples, suitable for small window treatments or pillows are available for up to **80% OFF**.

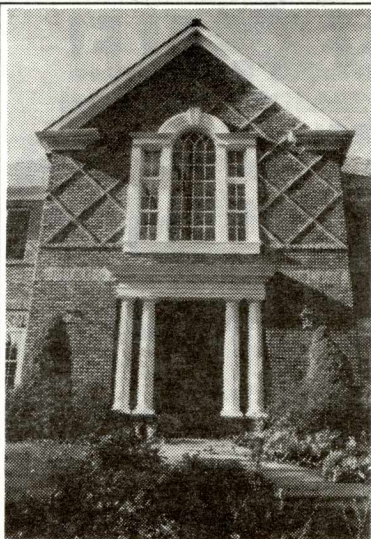
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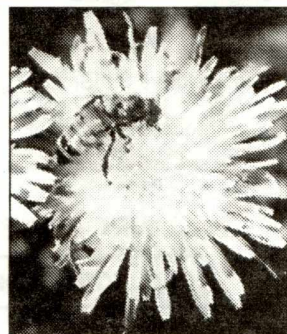
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"Botanicals" Art Exhibit at Cuneo Museum

An art exhibition, "Botanicals," opened to the public on Friday, August 1, 1997 featuring three Millennium Gallery Artists. The museum is located at 1350 North Milwaukee Avenue in Vernon Hills. Featured in the show which will be located in the Cabana on the museum grounds are Linda Kardoff water colors, Anthony Modica impressionistic photography, and Skip Wiese paintings and pastels. The Cabana exhibit is located within the splendor of the Museum's lush rose garden.

Linda Kardoff whose studio is located in Lake County has won many awards throughout the United States and is in nu-

merous collections. Anthony Modica has been in Recent Works College of Lake County and Open Spectrum and many other venues. Skip Wiese who currently teaches at the Gorton Center, Lake Forest is in collections such as Kemper Insurance Company, Nakamori, Inc. Hokkaido, Japan and many others.

The exhibit is open to the public Tuesday through Sunday 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. through August 31.

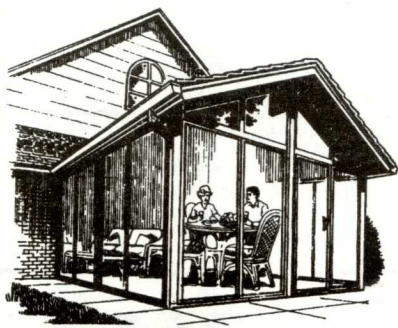
Artist's inquiries regarding the Cabana Space for the 1998 Spring/Summer Season exhibits can be made to Mariko Ventura at 847/362-3042.

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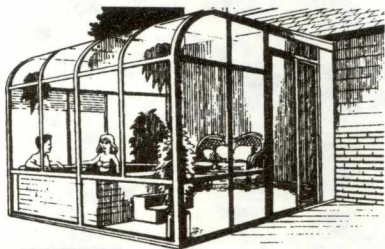
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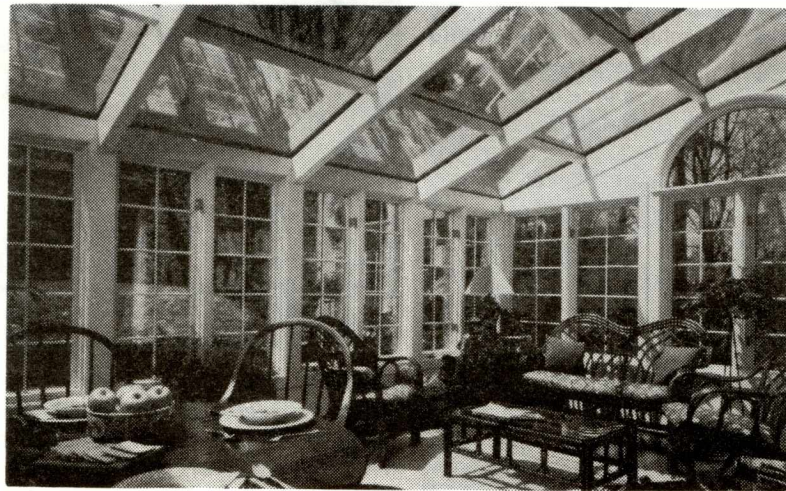


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Marital Therapy

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Elgin Choral Union Sets 51st Season Auditions

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All Choral Union singers volunteer their services and are selected by audition. Requisites for auditioning include previous choral experience, music-reading ability and availability to meet the sched-

ule. The six-minute audition will include a prepared solo (accompanist provided), sight-reading and pitch memory drills.

Rehearsals are held on Tuesday evenings throughout the concert season, September through May. During performance weeks, additional mandatory rehearsals may be required. Rehearsals are held from 7:45 p.m. to 10:15 p.m. in the Choral Rehearsal Room (164M) in the Visual and Performing Arts Center at Elgin Community College.

Further information about the Elgin Choral Union may be obtained by calling Bob Durnbaugh, ECU Executive Director, at 847-697-1000, extension 7225.

The South of France

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where someone with a good eye can still discover true finds. In Avignon, a must is the Palais du Popes. This immense and awe inspiring fortress, now a museum offers a rich and exciting history. You then come across the smaller towns of Arles and les Baux, magical places that Cezanne, Van Gogh and so many of the French impressionist painters found so seductive and important for their works.

For all the charms of L'Isle, Aix or Avignon, it is in the countryside that one encounters the landscape of honey-covered villages, fields of sunflowers and lavender, well tendered vineyards, and ancient olive groves that one associates so strongly with Provence.

Provence and the French Riviera, a combination of two wondrous areas in France to stop, pause and savor.

An Invitation

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From a Woman's Point of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

June 1997 turned out to be our record month since we opened in 1984. I don't work as many hours as I used to, but at the end of June and the first few days of July that wasn't true.

My sister and her husband came in from San Francisco to visit for the Fourth of July. She and her husband went back and my seven year old nephew, Dale, stayed for a week.

I forgot how much work it is to juggle working and parenthood. I've watched our employees juggle their lives to fit it all in when their children are young. I know I did it when Colin and Richard were younger, but for the life of me, I can't remember how.

Naturally, Dale's visit coincided with our busiest month ever, so by the time he left I felt like I was running on empty. It has definitely reminded me that we all take for granted how time consuming parenthood can be, but it also reminded



me how rewarding it is.

Tim and I have both enjoyed our careers and our dealership a lot, but nothing compares to the satisfaction we both feel when we look at our sons.

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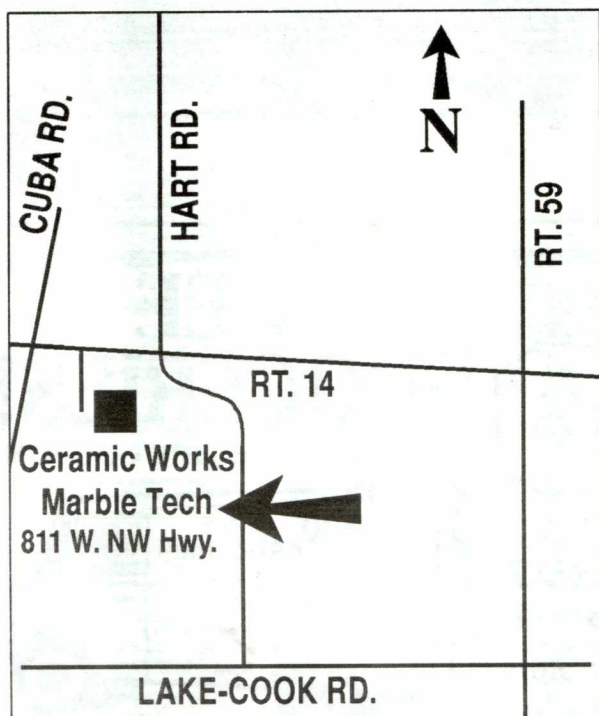
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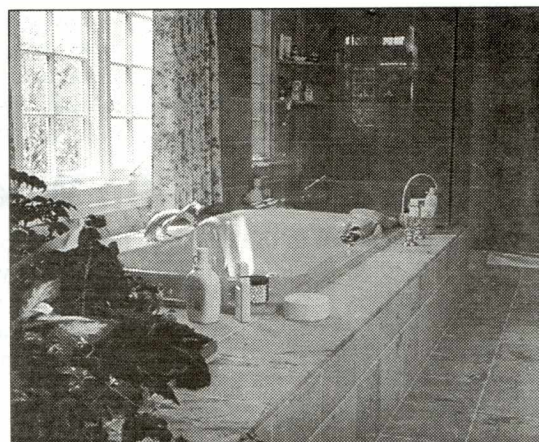
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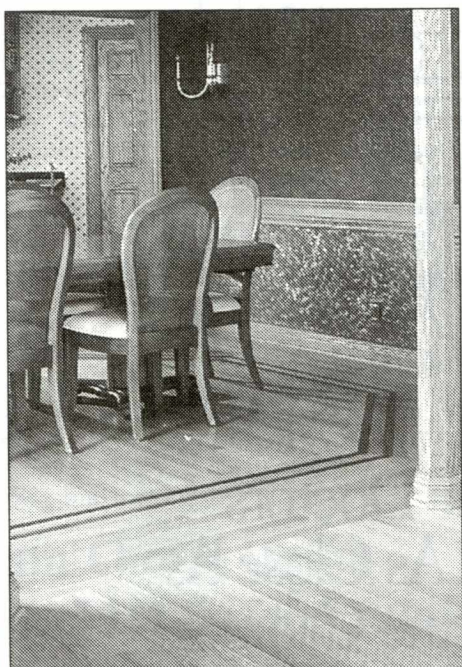
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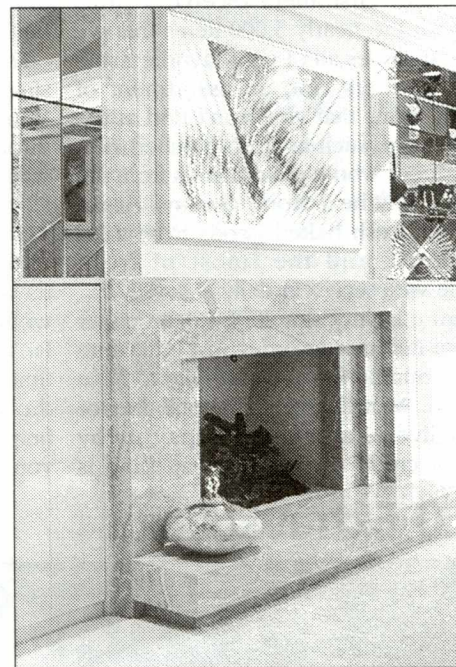
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