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Editor's Ink

October, 2003

Dear Reader,

This issue marks the 20th anniversary of *Barrington Lifestyles*. It truly does not seem possible it has been that long. I have enjoyed presenting the upcoming events in the area, meeting so many wonderful people, working with the advertisers—the list goes on and on. I also have enormously enjoyed the many wonderful messages you have written to me over the years. Your praise and encouragement have warmed my heart.

As always, there are many upcoming events in the Barrington area this autumn. Let me highlight two of them for you.

On Saturday, Oct. 18, the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble will host the *Under the Big Top* gala. The event will take place at the beautiful home of Jasper and Marian Sanfilippo. This Barrington Hills Victorian Palace and Eden Palais will be the sumptuous background for this circus-themed event. In addition to an extravagant live auction, the BYDE company dancers will perform. Their performance is always exceptional.

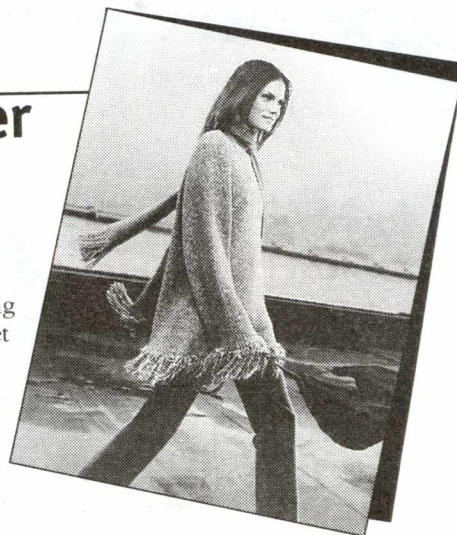
On Nov. 14, the Hough Street School PTO will sponsor a performance by The Second City, Chicago's legendary comedy theatre. The alumni list of The Second City is quite impressive and includes such names as Joan Rivers, John Belushi and Julia Louis-Dreyfus. The show will be held at the Barrington High School Auditorium and there will only be one performance.

Until next time, peace and happiness.

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

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BYDE Announces *Under the Big Top* Gala to Support Ninth Annual Production of *The Nutcracker*

Jasper and Marian Sanfilippo will graciously open their Barrington Hills Victorian Palace and Eden Palais at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18, for Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's *Under the Big Top* gala. Gerald Arpino, founder and artistic director of Joffrey Ballet of Chicago, will be the honorary chairman for this elegant evening in support of BYDE's ninth annual production of *The Nutcracker*, a treasured Barrington-area tradition.

The evening will begin with docent-led tours of Sanfilippo's grand Victorian Palace, which includes the world's largest collection of restored antique music machines. Following the tours, guests will retreat to the magnificent Eden Palais housing the most spectacular hand-painted European salon carousel in existence. Guests will enjoy passed hors d'oeuvres while they review the festive silent auction tables.

As dinner is served, Keith Jones, the champion auctioneer of Sayre & Jones Auctioneers of Arlington Heights, will gear up his vocal chords to entice lively bidding during the extravagant live auction, which includes golf outings, sports, resort

and spa packages, signed sports memorabilia, in- and out-of-town getaways, jewelry, sports/dinner/theatre/concert tickets, and more items coming daily.

As the live auction wraps up, the spotlight will move to the mainstage. BYDE company dancers will open the performance with *Bach in Blue*, a neoclassical piece choreographed by Pamela Johnson-Tanis from Chicago. Guest artists Guillermo Leyva and Allen Desterhaft from Chicago will join BYDE dancers in selections from the company's ballet, *Under the Big Top*. Leyva, formerly with the Joffrey Ballet of Chicago, will portray the Ringmaster as Desterhaft adds some circus humor in his role as the Clown Cop.

Co-chairing this grand event are Suzanne Allison, Deer Park; Cynthia Baer, Barrington Hills; and Laurabeth Lamberta, Inverness.

The ninth annual production of *The Nutcracker* will be presented in the Richard C. Johnson Auditorium at Barrington High School, 616 W. Main St. in Barrington. Performance times are Friday, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 6, at noon and 6:00 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 7, at 6:00



Dancers at the *Under the Big Top* gala will include: (from left, back row) Stephanie Schwartz, Barrington; Shannon Spicer, Barrington; Carly Czach, Palatine; Stephanie Baer, Barrington Hills; Kate Schoell, Arlington Heights; Guillermo Leyva, guest artist from Chicago; Karen Janet, Inverness; and Allen Desterhaft, guest artist from Chicago; (from left, second row) Katlyn McMorris, Barrington; Katelyn Schmidt, Barrington; Abigail Watson, Barrington; (from left, seated) Kate Lamberta, Barrington; Jennifer LaMantia, Arlington Heights; and Kelsey Allison, Barrington.

p.m.

Tickets for *Under the Big Top* are \$150 per person and include gourmet dinner and valet parking (black tie optional). Reservations are limited. Please respond by Oct. 10. Make checks payable to BYDE

c/o Jessica Gumowski, 758 W. Northwest Hwy., Barrington, IL, 60010.

For more information or to order gala tickets, call 1-847-382-6333, ext. 4. Visa and MasterCard accepted.

Barrington Challenge Cup Scores Big in Battle to Save Lives



(From left, first photo) Francisco Bilbao reaches for the ball on his way to goal for CBS-2 WBBM-TV; (second photo) Tod Rackly was on the ball for CBS-2 WBBM-TV; (third photo) Barrington resident Barb Uskup, playing for Bank One, turns the ball while defended by Tod Rackly and Barrington resident and CBS general manager Joe Ahem for CBS-2 WBBM-TV; (fourth photo) CBS-2 WBBM-TV general manager Joe Ahem defends against Bank One's Antonio Galuar. (All photos by Anthony Scarlatti.)

Saturday, July 26, marked the successful conclusion of the Third Annual Barrington Challenge Cup to benefit the National Breast Cancer Foundation and other local charities.

Two exciting polo games were held, beginning at noon with a fabulous Pas de Deux dressage demonstration by Barrington Hills own Susan Gohl and Julie Julian of Flying Dutchman Farm. Attendees were given the opportunity to try their hand at the sport with an opportunity to hit a polo ball from a wooden horse through the goal. Children young and old were also challenged with a polo trivia quiz, and the winners received hats and T-shirts from Texas Polo.

In the first game of the day, The Battle

of Barrington, Stu Taussig's Soarant LLC emerged with a narrow 4-3 victory over Darren Watt's Krafut Law Group. Rob Yackley's beautiful young pony, Just Do It, won the Best Playing Pony award. Best Shot went to John Ryan. And Jack Murphy took home the MVP Pro Award with Chris Vangel receiving the MVP Amateur Honors.

In the feature match, The Barrington Challenge Cup, Barrington resident Joe Ahern's WBBM-TV CBS 2 emerged victorious with a score of 11-10 over Bank One PCS. CBS 2's Francisco Bilbao led the scoring with a game high total of eight goals and his being chosen as the pro MVP for the game. Anthony Garcia's Bubba emerged as the Best Playing Pony. Best

Shot Honors went to Billy Mudra for his crusher of a shot from the boards at mid-field that found the mark to tie the game for Barrington in the fourth chukker. Barrington resident and event chair Barb Uskup took home the MVP Amateur Honors for the day.

The biggest winner of all were the charities. Through the generosity of many, over \$62,000 was raised. The major beneficiary of the event, The National Breast Cancer Foundation, has been utilizing the funds raised for the past two years to establish and fund a program at The Breast Care Center at St. Alexius Hospital in Hoffman Estates to provide free mammography and breast cancer education to women with no health insurance.

Barb Uskup, event chair, stated, "Although the dollar amount of funds generated by the event did not equal that of previous years, we are delighted with the fact that so many more people supported the event in whatever way they could. We are still accepting donations to try to increase our total to benefit this very worthwhile program. Please remember that without this program, so many working poor and uninsured women would not receive the care they need and deserve. If you would like to support them, please help!"

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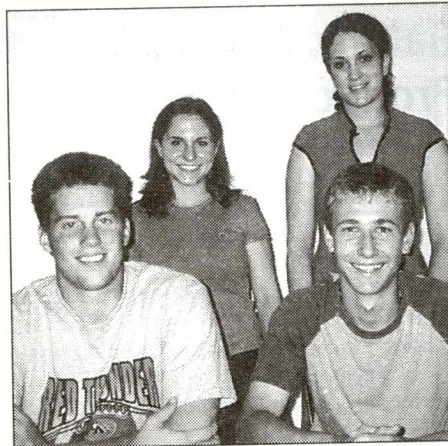
Church Women United of the Barrington Area will celebrate World Community Day on Friday, Nov. 7, at Faith Community United Church of Christ, 2023 Route 176 in Prairie Grove. Worship will begin at 10:45 a.m. followed by an agape luncheon.

Please bring a sandwich and fruit or cheese to share. Beverage and dessert will be provided. Child care is available, but please bring a sack lunch for each child.

World Community Day is an annual event that unites Christian women of all denominations in common worship for the purpose of strengthening and building friendly relations within the community. This year's theme, "Circles of Love," focuses on Christian women extending friendship to others in an effort to promote peace and justice through inclusion. Featured guest speakers will be students from Barrington High School who attended the World Affairs Seminar at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater in June. Four students were awarded scholarships to the seminar by the Rotary Club of Barrington.

Rotary Clubs and other service organizations aid in the funding of this valuable weeklong experience. Over the 27 years that World Affairs Seminars have been held, more than 19,000 students from the world over have participated. Today, some of those students are deeply involved in world events with organizations such as The Peace Corps, Amnesty International and the foreign service arms of their governments.

The Rotary Club of Barrington has



(From left) Barrington High School Students Andrew Johnson, Emily Goodman, George Wyhinny and Rania El-Sorogy attended the weeklong World Affairs Seminar at University of Wisconsin-Whitewater and will speak at Church Women United World Community Day on Nov. 7.

awarded scholarships for many years. This year's theme, "Making Peace: Managing Conflict," allowed students to hear and discuss with speakers about historic attempts at peace management in many areas, including the Middle East, Africa, Rio de Janeiro and North Korea, as well as international peace organizations. Through small-group and social interaction and the writing of position papers, students develop new ideas and attitudes about achieving peace and justice.

For more information, please call Becky Bosarge, 1-847-304-1178, or Faith Semla, 1-847-381-2094.

Barrington Newcomers Oktoberfest

It's time for the Barrington Newcomers to celebrate Oktoberfest. Join us for an evening of food and drink on Saturday, Oct. 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Yasmin and Bob Kinton. The brew master from Brass Restaurant and Brewery of South Barrington will present a brief history of

beer followed by a beer-tasting extravaganza! Cost is \$20 per couple. Anyone new to the community is welcome to join the Barrington Newcomers and attend our many fun activities. For more information, contact Sue Rogers at 1-847-381-2931.

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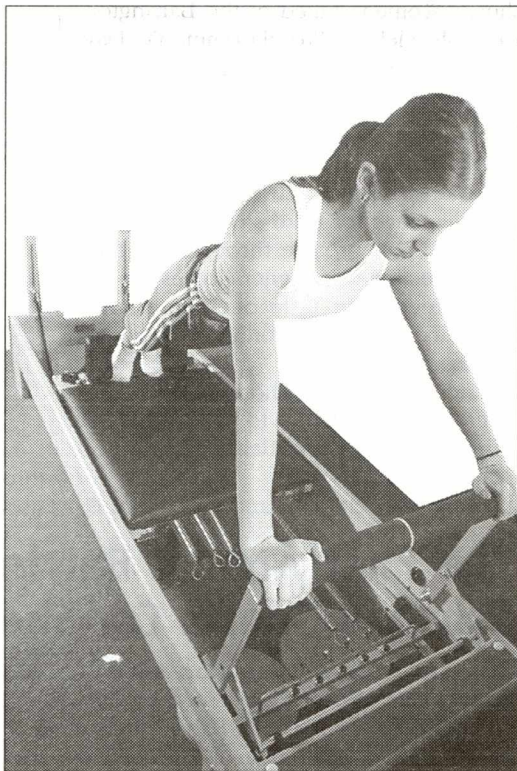


Studio Pilates Opens at New Location

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The new location of **Studio Pilates** is a warm, relaxing environment designed



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to maximize your Pilates experience. Several affordable plans are now available. For more information, please call **Studio Pilates** at 815-455-4900 or visit the new location at 46 Brink Street in downtown Crystal Lake.

Art Volunteers in the Classroom Seminar

The Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will present "The Art of Presentation: The American Image: Creativity in a Changing World" on Oct. 8 from 9:15 to 11:30 a.m. at Presbyterian Church of Barrington, 6 S. Brinker Rd.

Come explore creative ways to implement art presentations students will truly enjoy. This seminar is designed to benefit volunteers at different experience levels and curriculum requirements.

Nenette Luarca, staff lecturer with the department of museum education at the Art Institute, worked with Chicago public

schoolteachers and six Chicago museums to create Internet-based curriculum units.

In this Art Volunteers in the Classroom seminar, explore how history has changed artistic production and how this will help students understand their own world.

The fee is \$8 per person, payable to the Barrington Community Associates. Reservation forms are available from school PTO/PTA organizations or from Pat Valentine, 1-847-516-3470.

The seminar is sponsored by the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago.

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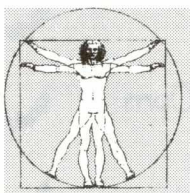
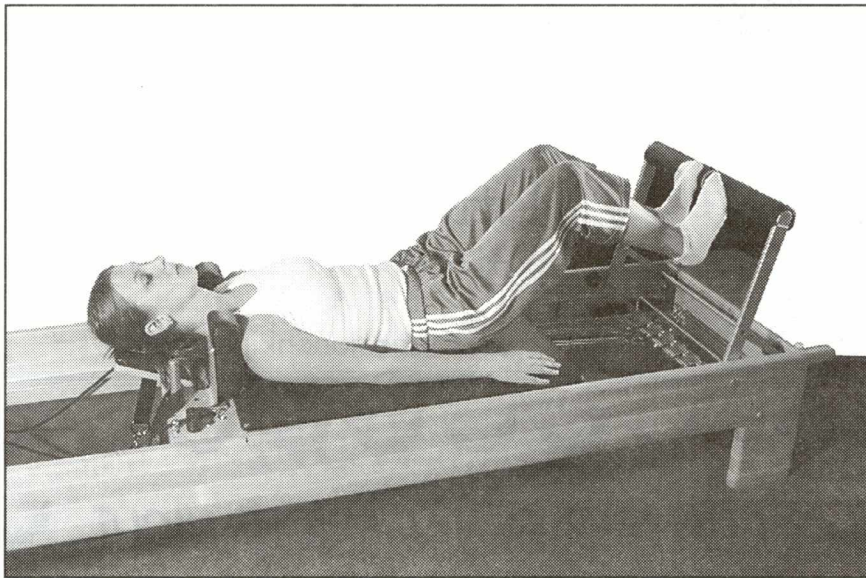
fresh air of a country location provides the beauty of sunsets and a relaxed atmosphere of friendly, heartland values.

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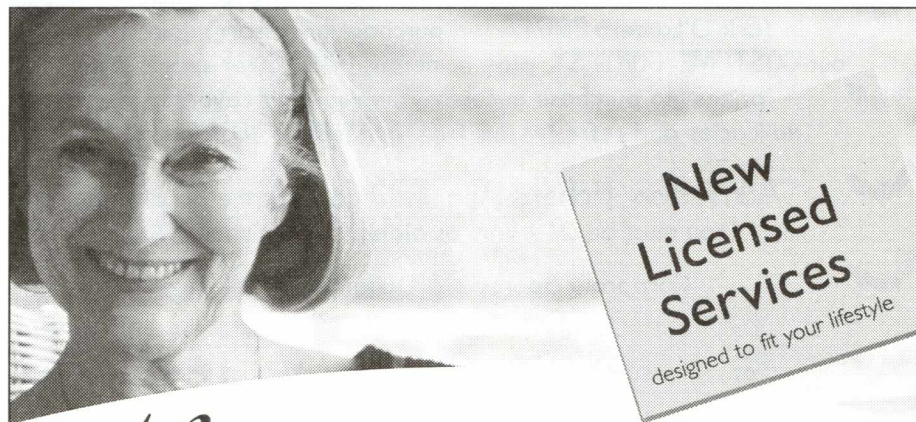


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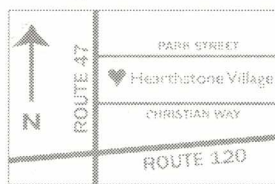
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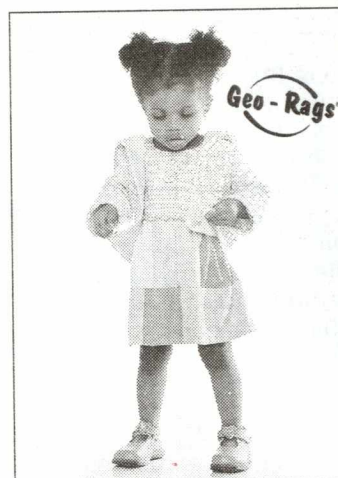
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Janet Meyer, president of the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce, said she is happy to support this first annual car show with the **Village of Barrington's Third Annual Scarecrow Festival**.

The car show will be held at the Harris Bank parking lot (with an entrance at Lake and Spring streets) from 1 to 4 p.m. **Admission is free!** Food and refreshments

will be available by Grandpa's Ristorante of Barrington.

If you own a sports utility vehicle, sports car, luxury car or exotic car, you are encouraged to sign up online at www.mrpt.com. (Space is limited, so register soon!) Six awards will be given: Best in Exotic Category awarded by Lamborghini Chicago; Best in Sports Category awarded by Champion Dodge of Barrington; Best in SUV Category awarded by Harris Bank Barrington; Best in Luxury Category awarded by Grandpa's Ristorante & Catering; People's Choice awarded by Savard & Associates; and Best in Show awarded by Mr. PT, Inc.

All proceeds benefit the BACC Scholarship Fund for graduating seniors in over 15 area high schools. For more information, visit the www.mrpt.com Web site and click on the "Barr. Car Show" button or call Mr. PT, Inc., at **1-847-726-9181**.

necessary; art materials will be available or participants may bring their own supplies for sessions on Mondays, Oct. 6 and 20, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., and Monday, Oct. 27, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

- **Look Good, Feel Better®**—Kathy Devyak, a licensed cosmetologist and hairstylist, and Laura Johansen, an esthetician and cosmetics expert, will conduct a hands-on workshop on Tuesday, Oct. 7, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. In this fun, relaxing afternoon for women in active radiation or chemotherapy cancer treatment, participants will learn beauty techniques for coping with complexion and nail changes and hair loss. Women who register three weeks in advance with their complexion type may order a free make-up kit. The workshop is given in cooperation with the American Cancer Society and the National Cosmetology Association.

- **Fun Friday**—Professional staff and participants will relax, network and enjoy life over a bag lunch on Friday, Oct. 31, from noon to 2:00 p.m. Halloween costumes welcome.

- **Hatha Yoga**—Instructor Sandy Moore will lead participants in a sequence of restorative and gentle yoga postures that release muscle tension and foster relaxation. Space is limited for classes each Tuesday in October from noon until 1:00

p.m.

- **Tai Chi Chih**—Diana Durkin will explain Chinese healing principles and present 20 gentle movements to soothe the body and mind. This form of movement meditation circulates and balances the body's natural energy. It may be practiced standing or seated. Space is limited for classes each Wednesday in October from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

- **Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction**—Wellness Place Clinical Specialist Lois Coldewey will lead an eight-week committed class offering in-depth training and extensive hands-on experience with a variety of mindfulness practices. Call Coldewey for a phone consultation and class dates and time.

- **Massage**—A 30-minute, fully clothed massage by professional volunteers and supervised students of the Chicago School of Massage Therapy will be offered on a varied schedule. Call to register.

- **Healing Touch Therapy**—Volunteer healing touch practitioners will offer one-hour sessions to complement existing medical or psychological care. The energy-based therapeutic approach to healing uses a variety of techniques to clear and balance the body's energy system in order to promote self-healing. Call to register.

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Wellness Place October Classes

Cancer patients who feel stress and uncertainty are invited to find relief in a variety of October activities presented by Wellness Place, a cancer resource center at 1619 West Colonial Parkway, Palatine.

The nonprofit cancer center's ongoing stress management program includes everything from art therapy, guided imagery and exercise classes to medical hypnosis, massage and healing touch.

October's offerings will be presented at no charge, but registration is required. Call 1-847-221-2400. Classes include the following:

- **Guided Imagery and Visualization Group**—Mary Sinclair, certified in interactive guided imagery, will explain this

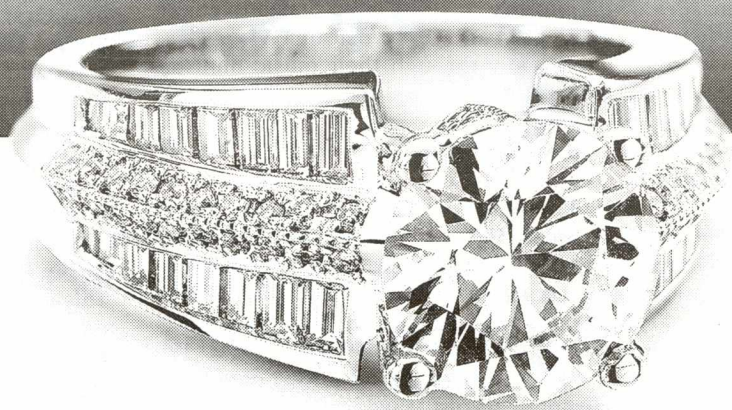
technique for managing stress and increasing a sense of resiliency and well-being on Mondays, Oct. 6, 20 and 27, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

- **Wellness through Deep Hypnosis**—

The Rev. Dr. Scot Giles, a board-certified hypnotist and chaplain, will guide a safe and enjoyable medical self-hypnosis designed to release pain and facilitate self-healing. He will discuss "Finding the Love You Need" on Saturday, Oct. 4, from 10 a.m. to noon.

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Kicking off the series at 7:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 10, is trombone soloist Jay Heltzer, who was the first trombonist ever to win the wind division of the Union League Civic & Art Foundation Scholarship competition.

Performing on the bass trombone, Heltzer also teaches low brass instruments such as the tuba, trombone, euphonium and baritone. His program will include pieces by Johann Ernst Galliard, Paul Hindemith, Antonín Dvořák, Larry Lipkis and John Cage.

"The trombone is a great sound, it has a great role, a great responsibility in music," says Heltzer.

A musician who also enjoys juggling and cooking, Heltzer can be heard playing with the Da Cornetta Opera, Light Opera Works and from time to time with other area orchestras, such as the Milwaukee Symphony and backstage at the Lyric Opera.

Tickets for Heltzer's trombone recital are \$7 for general admission.

Next in the series is the Chicago Brass Band, a competitive brass and percussion ensemble with 30 members who will per-

form their unique sounds in treble clef at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 11.

An institution in the United Kingdom, brass bands have seen a resurgence in popularity in the United States over the past 15 years. Up to that time, the Salvation Army through their music ministry maintained the brass band tradition in this country.

Tickets for the Chicago Brass Band's concert are \$15 for general admission.

Rounding out the Cultural Arts Music Concert Series is the Pan Go Steel Band who will perform original compositions, along with a variety of musical styles from around the world, when they perform on steel drums at 7:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 17.

Comprised of pannists Joe Sonnefeldt, featured soloist, single tenor pan; Kevin Jocius, single tenor pan; Mark Smith, featured soloist, double tenor pans; Lana Wordel, double seconds pans; Steve Flowers, triple cello pans; and Glenn Donaldson on electric bass, the band is under the direction of Paul G. Ross, drums and arranger for the group.

A key component of every Pan Go performance is "stylistically accurate renditions of the Trinidadian soca" along with a "strong jazz element," according to Ross. Pan Go has performed at festivals and concerts throughout the Midwest.

Tickets for their Harper concert are \$15 for general admission.



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Janet Meyer, president of the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce, said she is happy to support this first annual car show with the **Village of Barrington's Third Annual Scarecrow Festival**.

The car show will be held at the Harris Bank parking lot (with an entrance at Lake and Spring streets) from 1 to 4 p.m. **Admission is free!** Food and refreshments

will be available by Grandpa's Ristorante of Barrington.

If you own a sports utility vehicle, sports car, luxury car or exotic car, you are encouraged to sign up online at www.mrpt.com. (Space is limited, so register soon!) Six awards will be given: Best in Exotic Category awarded by Lamborghini Chicago; Best in Sports Category awarded by Champion Dodge of Barrington; Best in SUV Category awarded by Harris Bank Barrington; Best in Luxury Category awarded by Grandpa's Ristorante & Catering; People's Choice awarded by Savard & Associates; and Best in Show awarded by Mr. PT, Inc.

All proceeds benefit the BACC Scholarship Fund for graduating seniors in over 15 area high schools. For more information, visit the www.mrpt.com Web site and click on the "Barr. Car Show" button or call Mr. PT, Inc., at **1-847-726-9181**.



All of the concerts will be held in the Harper College Performing Arts Center. Parking Lot #2 is closest to the center, lo-

cated at 1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine. Call 1-847-925-6100 for tickets and information.



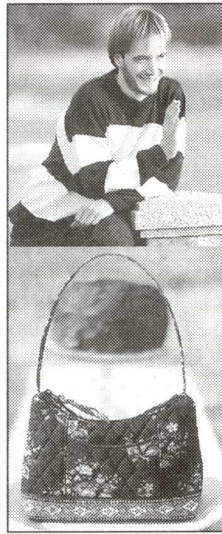
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Assemblé is in high gear! We are positively brimming with this season's fashion trends. Those of you shop us know it's no exaggeration, and we're getting five stars from you everyday! What's in **Assemblé** this moment is too extensive to list, but we'll, at least, highlight some of our October deliveries that are arriving daily.

- Jewelry: Our forté—Chandelier ears—bracelets—bags with satin tapestry, to-seled or furred...
- Knit tops: Pleated velvets—lurex sleeves—necks with rhinestone starbursts—rhinestone Buckles and satin cowls
- Blouses: Crisp cottons—organzas—jerseys—¾ sleeves—long sleeves—halter...
- Tees: Tie dyes—conversational prints—crochet and leather trims—on & on...
- Pants: Cargos—soft and flowing or satin with matching jackets • Tweeds—masculine yet feminine with fuller, softer legs • Cords—buttery feeling with funky

mesh belts • Dressy—black with deep side slits (the highest yet!)

• Jeans & Jackets: Muted stripes—cargos—beaded—applied—stamped...

• Skirts: Chiffon—burnout—carwash—circle—pinstripe—suede—short and long

• Sweaters: Hot pink—solids and tweeds—Brights! Fun! Guaranteed to deliver you from the winter blahs!

• Coats: Embroidered toppers—denims with detachable fur collars & cuffs—suedes with Mongolian fur collars—washable suede jackets with zippers & knit sleeves—hip—different—affordable!

All this and more is what's waiting for you and arriving daily at **Assemblé** this month. **Assemblé for Her** lets your personality shine through and we love helping you do it! We will always endeavor to provide our one-of-a-kind customers with one-of-a-kind clothing. See ya soon!!!

Shari's Furs, Leathers & Shearlings 8th Annual Trunk Show

Because of the wonderful response to last year's event, **Shari** has decided to have her **8th Annual Trunk Show**. This superb 2004 collection of the highest-quality garments will fit your lifestyle, your mood and, most importantly, your pocketbook.

The show will feature everything—including the finest selection of lightweight shearlings from some of the best designers—**Christ, Dominic Bellissimo**, Rafael and many more. There will be everything from short jackets to full length coats and one of the hottest innovations in the fur industry—knitted, sheared fur. It provides the ultimate in warmth combined with the lightest weight imaginable. You must try it on in order to fully appreciate it. This is the fur of the future, but the time is now. Also included are leathers, some with removable fur liners or Thinsulate™ liners, and the ever popular leather reversibles.

You will also have the opportunity to preview of all the new fur styles for 2004 in mink, sheared mink (reversibles to microfiber) and sheared beaver, in all sizes and lengths.

Shari's has also expanded its resale racks to accommodate the wonderful response from our customers. The selection is fantastic! And we have accessories galore, including a fabulous assortment of gloves plus hats that you won't see anywhere else.

We now can update your old mink or beaver garment by shearing the long hair. Remodeling can bring new life to your



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"A Survivor's Story" at Oct. 2nd Meeting of Barrington Area Professional Women

Jeff Miller will share the experience of surviving the 1989 crash of UAL 232 in an Iowa cornfield and how it has changed his life forever at the monthly meeting of Barrington Area Professional Women on Thursday, Oct. 2. The dinner meeting will be held at the Barrington Country Bistro, 700 Northwest Highway, from 6:15 to 9:00 p.m. Reservations are required.

On July 19, 1989, United Airlines flight 232, a DC-10 with 297 people on board, was flying from Chicago to Denver when its rear engine exploded, causing shrapnel to cut and disable the primary and backup hydraulic systems. With nothing

more than engine thrust and gravity to control the plane, the crew of flight 232 was forced to make an emergency landing in Sioux City, Iowa. As the plane approached the runway, the tip of the right wing hit the ground, causing the plane to cartwheel, break into pieces and burst into flames. Jeff was in the section of the plane that slid for more than a half mile into a cornfield where it came to rest with him hanging upside down. Jeff unbuckled his seatbelt and walked away from the burning wreckage without a scratch.

Jeff has shared his life-changing experience with thousands of men and women

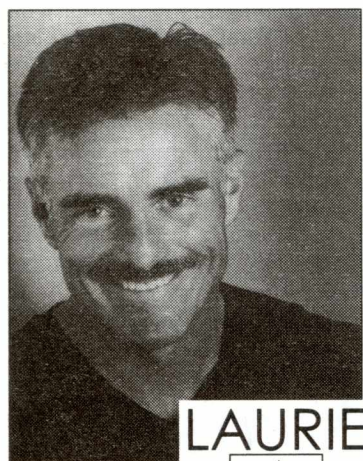
across the country. With a career in global sales and now owner of an entrepreneurial business, Jeff travels by air regularly and has logged hundreds of thousands of miles since the crash.

The dinner meeting will be held at the Barrington Country Bistro, 700 Northwest Highway in Barrington. The evening will begin with networking at 6:15 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m. and the presentation at 8:00 p.m. The evening will conclude at 9:00 p.m.

Barrington Area Professional Women's

meetings are open to women who work or live in the Barrington area. The group offers a unique opportunity to meet other business and professional women, learn new skills and establish connections in the community. The cost for the evening is \$28 for members or \$33 for guests. Reservations may be made by calling Susan Legrady at 1-847-381-5501 or by sending an e-mail to MJLegrady@aol.com by Monday, Sept. 29. Additional information about Barrington Area Professional Women can be found at www.bapw.org.

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Friday, October 17, 2003

Festivities 10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

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or better. It's not fair to compare the consumer grade cameras with the professional equipment we are using. Besides, like everything else, it's the knowhow that really matters in the end. Those who know us understand that we would not compromise in this area, no matter what.

What's the Bottom Line?

The bottom line here is not the technical end of the way we do things, even though it's an exciting time, but creating beautiful and meaningful images that you will cherish for a long time. That has always been and always will be the bottom line.

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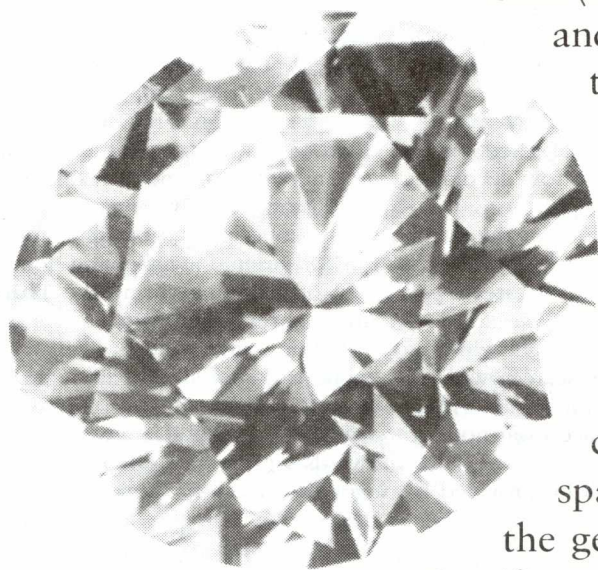
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3rd Annual SCARECROW FESTIVAL



Village of Barrington October 18, 2003 An Event for the Entire Family

Free Hay Rides

12:30-3:30 p.m.

Boarding at Harris Bank parking lot—corner of Lake and Spring and Barrington Memorial Park—corner of Cook and Lincoln.

Scarecrow Decorating

12:00-4:00 p.m.

Located at Barrington—NE corner of Hough & Lincoln. There is a \$15 entry fee per scarecrow, which includes frames, straw, burlap and twine. Participants will need to provide items to clothe and decorate with. Blue grass/folk music provided by Evidence. This event is sponsored by the Barrington Village Association.

Cookie Decorating

12:00-4:00 p.m.

G. Whiz
Barrington Sweet Tooth
Little Munchkins
Blue Heron

Barrington Memorial Park
Barrington Ice House Mall
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Pumpkin Decorating

/Continuous Showing of

It's The Great Pumpkin Charlie Brown

12:00-4:00 p.m.

Barrington Ice House Mall

1st Annual Barrington Exotic & Sports Car Show

12:00-4:00 p.m.

Free Admission. Harris Bank parking lot (Spring Street). Food offered by Grandpa's Deli.



Caramel Apples & Cider

12:00-4:00 p.m.

For sale at Barrington Memorial Park.

Our Town Barrington Volunteers Concert

7:00-10:00 p.m.

Sponsored by Barrington Bank & Trust.

Our Town Barrington— Past & Present

2:00 p.m.

An architectural walking tour of historic Downtown Barrington. Begins at the Barrington Area Arts Council Gallery. Cost: \$10.

Don't Forget to Vote by 4:00 p.m.

Vote for your favorite scarecrow at the following locations:

G. Whiz	The Canterbury Shoppe	Egg Harbor
Jewel	Barrington Sweet Tooth	Chamber of Commerce
Village Hall	Health World	Harris Bank (Grove Ave.)
Barrington Bank & Trust		

This event is planned to promote Barrington as a place to shop, dine and stay while in the area.

Third Annual Scarecrow Fest Activities Slated for Oct. 18

Scarecrow Fest activities for the Village of Barrington will begin Sept. 29 with the display of the scarecrows in area businesses participating in the contest. Residents and visitors alike are encouraged to visit these businesses to view the scarecrows and then to cast their votes for their favorites at one of the locations listed below. Over 60 businesses participated in the scarecrow contest in 2002, and many more are expected to participate this year. Voting will take place from Sept. 29 to Oct. 18. Voting boxes will be located at: Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce, Barrington Bank & Trust, Barrington Village Hall, Canterbury Shoppe located in the Ice House Mall, Egg Harbor Cafe, G. Whiz, Harris Bank (Grove Avenue), Jewel-Osco Food Store, Health World, and Barrington Sweet Tooth. A list of participating businesses in the scarecrow contest can be found on the Village's Web site, www.ci.barrington.il.us, or can be picked up at Barrington Village Hall located at 200 S. Hough Street or the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce located at 325 N. Hough Street.

Among the special events scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 18, is scarecrow decorating for residents and visitors at the Barrington Memorial Park, located at the northeast corner of South Hough and Lincoln streets. The cost to build a scarecrow is \$15 and includes frames, twine and burlap. (Participants must provide clothing for their scarecrow.) The scarecrow decorating sponsored by the Barrington Village Association will take place from noon to 4:00 p.m.

Music at the park will be provided by Evidence, a local bluegrass/folk group.

Activities for children include cookie decorating from noon to 4:00 p.m. at G. Whiz, 724 W. Northwest Highway; Barrington Sweet Tooth, 113 W. Northwest Highway; Little Munchkins, 141 S. Northwest Highway; Sylvan Learning Center, 215 N. Northwest Highway; Claire's Home Collection, 118 W. Main Street; Blue Heron, 405 W. Northwest Highway; Barrington Memorial Park; and the Ice House. Other cookie decorating sights may be available throughout the village. Also for children from noon to 4 p.m. is pumpkin decorating at the Ice House Mall, located at 200 Applebee Street. All supplies will be provided for children 3 to 10. The Ice House will also provide a continuous showing of *It's The Great Pumpkin Charlie*

Brown.

To add a fall flair to the event, hayrides are scheduled from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. with boarding at the Harris Bank parking Lot (corner of Lake and Spring streets) and Barrington Memorial Park (corner of South Cook and Lincoln streets). Caramel apples and cider will be for sale at the scarecrow decorating event at Barrington Memorial Park. Our Town Barrington Volunteers will host an architectural presentation and self-guided tour of the historic downtown business district, entitled "Our Town Barrington, Past and Present." A short presentation will begin at 2:00 p.m. at the Barrington Area Arts Council Gallery on Park Avenue. It will be followed by a self-guided tour of up to 15 businesses. Cost for tickets is \$10. For additional information, please call **1-847-620-4656**.

The First Annual Barrington Exotic & Sports Car Show presented by the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Harris Bank Parking Lot (entrance at Lake and Spring streets) from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Free admission! Fun-filled activities are planned along with food and refreshments available by Grandpa's Ristorante of Barrington. Some of the finest exotic sports cars will be in Barrington for community viewing, joining the host of activities during the **Third Annual Scarecrow Festival**.

If you own a sports utility vehicle, exotic car, sports or luxury car, you are encouraged to sign up (limited space available) online at www.mrpt.com. Six awards will be given: Best in Exotic Category awarded by Lamborghini Chicago; Best in SUV Category awarded by Harris Bank Barrington; Best in Luxury category awarded by Grandpa's Ristorante; Best in Sports category awarded by Champion Dodge of Barrington; People's Choice awarded by Savard & Associates; and Best of Show awarded by Mr. PT, Inc. All proceeds benefit the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce 2004 Scholarship Fund. For more information about the car show, visit the www.mrpt.com Web site or contact the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce at **1-847-381-2525**.

For more information about the **Scarecrow Festival**, contact Colleen Nigg at the Village of Barrington at **1-847-304-3412** or colleennigg@ci.barrington.il.us.

Barrington High School's Annual Citrus Sale

The Barrington High School Fine Arts Department and the Fine Arts Boosters will kick off its annual Citrus Sale to raise funds for the fine arts department. Each year, the Boosters provide the community an opportunity to support the department and, at the same time, acquire luscious citrus fruits, cheeses and sausages. Proceeds from the sale will go directly to the department's programs. To place an order, contact any Barrington High School

fine arts student or call Janet Mahaney, 1-847-382-8652, or the department, 1-847-842-3214.

Orders may be placed now through Oct. 10. Pick up dates are scheduled for Friday, Dec. 5, from 2 to 6 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 6, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the performing arts wing. For more information, please contact the department at 1-847-842-3214.

What's Happening at Starr Couture?

I have just returned from another five week buying trip to Europe. It's always inspiring and exciting for me to bring our customers the latest and best fashions from Europe, not found in other stores of course. Here are some of the trends this fall.

- **VELVET**—Choose a stand out piece for night like a chiffon cocktail dress and throw a velvet blazer over it, or for daytime wear it with your favorite jeans, a sexy top or a classic white shirt and a smashing belt.

- **LACE**—From delicate, dainty trim to sexy cutouts on a cocktail dress or a full-on flowing skirt—Fashions most romantic fabric is coming on strong this fall.

- **NEW CLASSICS**—Focus on pieces that are anything but boring. Tweeds, pinstripes in lady like silhouettes. Pair your tailored jacket with a flirty skirt. Go for cinched-in suit jackets and wear with slim skirt and pointy-toe pumps.

- **ANIMAL ESSENTIALS**—They are great dressing tools as long as they are paired with the right items. Take a walk on the wild side and choose one bold piece. Keep it from going over-the-top by pairing it down with a basic.

- **LINGERIE**—Inspired looks; satin, lace, and corseting details.

- **EMPIRE**—Waist silhouettes; take your existing plain dress and update it with a velvet or brocade cummerbund to achieve the look.

- **JEWEL TONES**—Every wardrobe benefits from an infusion of color and what could be more perfect during this season of sophistication then elegant jewel hues? Instead of basic black, choose a ruby red or sapphire. Wear a plush blazer or a rich velvet bag to add glamour to an outfit.

ACCESSORIES—FALL'S MOST WANTED

- **BAGS**—From funky to rich croc and velvet. There is a bag for every look and mood.

- **BELTS**—Mostly wide or chain in the richest leather with embroidery, velvet trims, and semi-precious stones.

- **CROC**—Exotic skin and high luxury. When you wear it (faux or real) you are noticed so make sure your jacket, coat or accessories have clean simple silhouettes, timeless brown and black last a lifetime.

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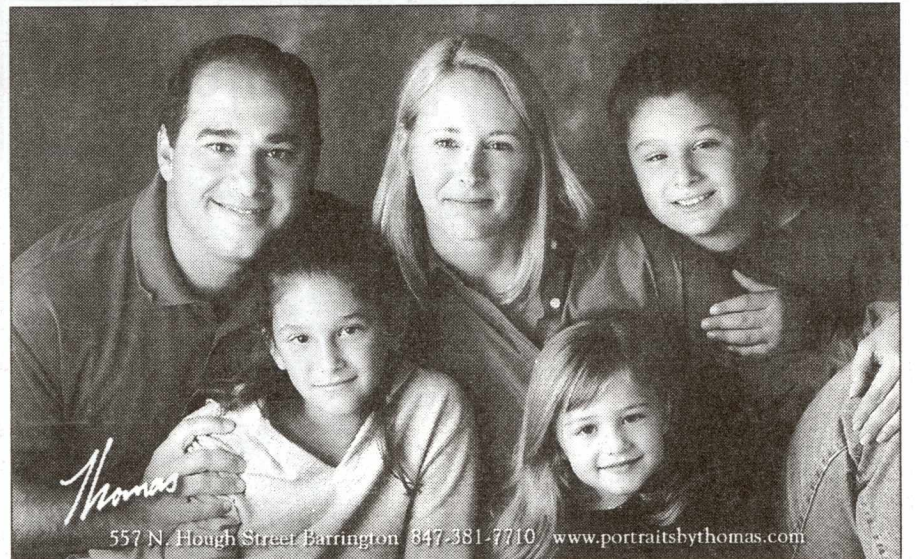
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Landscape Maintenance Tips Offered at Garden Club of Inverness October Meeting

Just in time for preparing the garden for winter, the Garden Club of Inverness will present a program on landscape and perennial garden maintenance at its meeting on Thursday, Oct. 16. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. at All Saints Lutheran Church, 630 South Quentin Rd., Palatine.

Members and guests who attend will receive pointers on pruning, dividing, mulching, fertilizing and weed control from landscape architect Barbara Bruns Williams. Her presentation will include

slides and demonstrations.

Ms. Williams is owner of The Integrity Group Landscape Co. in Elgin. A freelance garden writer, she has taught short courses on plants and gardening for elementary schools and community groups. Since 1994, Ms. Williams also has been a speaker for Klehm's Nursery.

A short business meeting will precede the presentation. Refreshments will be served.



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Second City Comes to Barrington for One Night Only!



**Don't miss this wild and wacky cast of Second City that
will perform at Barrington High School on Nov. 14!**

Hough Street School PTO will sponsor an evening of laughs and giggles as Chicago's legendary comedy theatre, The Second City, comes to the Barrington High School Auditorium for one night only on Friday, Nov. 14, at 8 p.m.

The performance will feature some of the best sketches, songs and improvisations from Second City's 40+ year history.

Founded in Chicago in 1959, The Second City has become the premier training ground for the comedy world's best and brightest. The alumni list included Alan Arkin, Joan Rivers, Robert Klein, Harold Ramis, John Belushi, Dan Aykroyd, Bill Murray, Shelley Long and Julia Louis-Dreyfus just to name a few.

Not only will an evening with The Second City provide audiences with the chance to see comedy stars in the mak-

ing, but they will also have the opportunity to see absolutely hilarious satire and cutting-edge improvisation. Six actors augmented by a musical accompanist and a sound and lighting director will perform a two-act revue featuring sketch comedy, songs and improvisation.

Tickets are available to the general public beginning Oct. 1 for a mere \$20 per person and are available on a first come, first served basis. Checks should be made payable to Hough Street PTO and can be mailed directly to the school located at 310 S. Hough Street, Barrington, IL, 60010. Tickets will then be mailed back to paying individuals or held at a will-call table at the event. For more information, please call Karen Scarpulla at 1-847-304-5650 or Hough Street School at 1-847-381-1108.

The Wonderful World of Le Gourmet Chef at Deer Park Town Center

Whatever the occasion, **Le Gourmet Chef at Deer Park Town Center** offers a world of gourmet foods, kitchen tools and themed accessories to make your get-togethers easy, fun and unique.

Thinking of a Spanish fiesta? Sí! Start with margarita buckets! All you'll need is the tequila and your closest friends. Or how about an Italian-themed evening? Serve up the Sicilian and Tuscany flavored bread dippers. Just mix in oil and dip your favorite breads into these specially blended spices for a traditional Italian-flavored meal starter. Then move onto the pizza party. Le Gourmet Chef offers not only the perfect baking pans, dishes and cutters, but the dough mixes too. Ciao baby!

Even if you don't support the home team at the big Sunday night football party, everyone will support your decision to feast on the cactus sauce salsa and mustard pretzel dips that you picked up at Le Gourmet Chef.

What about the kids? Their parties will be filled with yummy activities when you supply an ice cream, snow cone and cotton candy maker! Pick up a pizza-making kit and a "color your own cookie" too. Don't forget the best part of a birthday:

cake and cookies. You can find all you need to make a beautiful cake or great cookies with decorations and a wide variety of cookie cutters.

From skeleton candles and leaf decorations to candy corn and pumpkin accents, autumn and Halloween are filling the scene at the first-of-its-kind **Deer Park Town Center** store. Check out the newest jack-o'-lantern craze—fright lights! Just hollow out your pumpkin and push in the brightly colored pins. A light inside your pumpkin finishes the job.

Start the day out in a special way for your sweetie on Sweetest Day, Saturday, Oct. 25, by making pancakes, crepes or waffles with delicious syrups and spreadable fruits, all "do-able" with items found at Le Gourmet Chef. Or whip up a delicious evening with fondue and crème brulee, expertly prepared by... you.

Deer Park Town Center is located at Rand Rd. (Route 12) and Long Grove Rd., just one mile north of Lake Cook Rd. Shopping hours are Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. Visit the Web site at www.deerparktowncenter.tv or call **1-847-726-7755**.

Fall Events at G. Whiz

October is filled with activities and special events at **G. Whiz!**

We begin on a serious and educational note with pink pumpkins to help promote breast cancer awareness. We will offer a complete selection of items with all proceeds to benefit the Susan G. Komen Foundation. Brighton has designed an exclusive limited-edition bracelet to help raise money for this cause. Our supply is limited, so don't delay.

We will then continue with our Harvest Festival in conjunction with the Scarecrow Fest throughout town. Come see our G. Witch scarecrow adorned with Frighton accessories! We will have a huge number of events and special offers going on that weekend, including great savings and a wonderful Italian charm trunk show in time for the holidays with prices from \$4.99 to \$35.

We will continue with our **Girlfriends "Time Out"** extravaganza, **Oct. 21**, from

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Join us at The Garlands for an afternoon of camaraderie, retail therapy, a sneak peek Brighton fashion show, a fantastic luncheon and a shopping and spa extravaganza. Every attendee will also get a key that could open the treasure chest filled with prizes at our store. And better yet, purchase over \$150 in Brighton items and receive a limited-edition Brighton ornament. It's an unbelievable deal at only \$20, plus the ticket includes savings at The Garlands, **G. Whiz** and Spa Vargas! Again, space is limited so make your reservations early to avoid disappointment.

Our newsletter has just been mailed and is full of more great events for the holidays as well as exclusive coupons. If you are not on our mailing list or would like to be added to our e-mail blast, feel free to call with your address or e-mail us at ShopGWhiz@msn.com.

For the Well-Dressed Desk

A well-dressed desk is... well... I'll just say it. It's a thing of beauty. Oh, sure, we still want world peace and happiness all around. But on the day-to-day scheme of things, isn't it a genuine pleasure to be able to sit down, choose just the right stationery from your archives of very cool cards, notes and papers, reach for your favorite pen and write a note from the heart to a friend? The texture of the paper and the glistening ink is a unique and rewarding experience, if you like that kind of thing. And at **CLIX photographs & savables**, we do.

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March of Dimes Sponsors 15th Annual Nursing Symposium

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Entitled "Off to the Races: Preventing Prematurity," the symposium gives health professionals the opportunity to build on their knowledge and skills to enhance their spectrum of care. Topics that will be covered at the symposium are: the risk factors of preterm labor; detection and surveillance of preterm labor; interventions and treatments for preterm labor; the

impact of prematurity on a baby's brain; follow up care for preterm babies; and stories from families with preterm babies.

Presenting the latest information in their areas of expertise will be: Byron Calhoun, MD; Joan Mommer, NNP; Anthony Lathrop, CNM; and Sue Wilke, MS, Rockford Memorial Hospital.

The cost of the symposium is \$55 for professionals or \$35 for students. The symposium has been approved for 6 contact hours from the Illinois Nurses Association.

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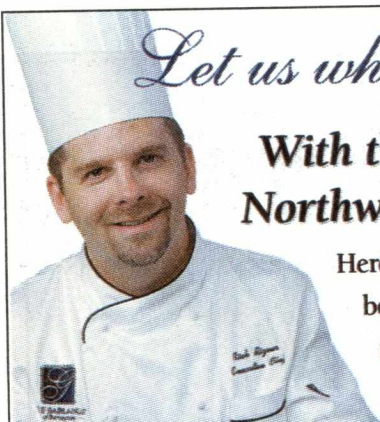
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- delicious and nutritious fall luncheon buffet
- witty woman Fern Bratten, standup comedian, just in time for the pre-holiday madness
- a G. Whiz fashion show featuring the latest Brighton accessories and shoes
- shopping venues to "kick off" and help you "tick off" your holiday shopping
- \$10 coupon toward \$60 purchase at Spa Vargas, a \$5 savings on a G. Whiz, Foundry purchase and 10% savings on future Garlands dining



Date: Tuesday, October 21, 10 AM-3 PM,
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Hey Girlfriend!—Take a "Time Out" at The Garlands

Before you start the frenzy of holiday preparations, take some time out for yourself at **Girlfriends "Time Out" at The Garlands**, 1000 Garlands Lane in Barrington, on **Tuesday, Oct. 21**, from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (The fashion show and lunch will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.)

The event, sponsored by The Garlands, G. Whiz and Spa Vargas, promises to relax you with spa therapy, healthy healing humor, delicious food and, of course, a little retail therapy. The ticket price, all inclusive, is \$20 per person, and advance reservations are a must. Each person at the event will receive a \$10 discount coupon for a service or product purchase of \$60 or more at Spa Vargas; \$5 off of any purchase at G. Whiz in The Foundry; and 10% savings on Sunday Brunch, lunch or dinner in **The Garlands'** Winslow Dining room. You can make a reservation for your "Time Out" by phoning **1-847-756-3000**. Complimentary valet parking is available, and tours of **The Garlands** will be conducted throughout the day.

Rick Rizner, executive chef at **The Garlands**, has created a healthy, delicious luncheon menu for this "girls' gathering." Crudités, fresh fruit skewers, assorted miniature sandwiches, cookies, brownies and even fruit-flavored water will be at special stations for the leisurely enjoyment of the guests. A cash wine and smoothie bar will be available as well.

Be the first in the Chicagoland area to get a sneak preview of the new Brighton holiday collection at a **Brighton fashion show**, presented by Jan Cunningham, owner of G. Whiz, a unique gift shop for the discriminating shopper, with locations at **The Garlands of Barrington** and at 724 W. Northwest Highway (in The Foundry). Models will demonstrate the versatility of the newest line of fall jewelry and leather accessories. The latest Brighton line will be featured and for sale along with many other wonderful gift ideas to start, and maybe end, your holiday shopping for some of the special ladies and men in your life. Guests who spend more than \$100 on Brighton items will receive

a limited-edition Brighton ornament as a gift from G. Whiz.

Fern Bratten, noted standup comedienne, will be on hand for her one-woman show, guaranteed to entertain, motivate and even educate you just in time for preholiday madness. In addition to narrating the fashion show, Fern will help you put the "Ha, Ha, Ha" back into the "Ho, Ho, Ho" just in time for the stressful holiday season. During her memorable monologue, she'll share coping skills for stress and time management while making you laugh so hard that you might even cry.

Guests are invited to choose between a 10-minute hand massage or a neck and shoulder **massage** provided by Spa Vargas. The spa, with locations in Lake Barrington on Route 59 and Kelsey Avenue and Indian Lakes Resort in Bloomingdale, is committed to providing services that relax the body so that inner peace of the mind will follow. Product samples, hostess gifts and gift certificates will be available. And for some additional retail therapy, representatives from Pevonia Botancia skincare products, Goldwell hair products, Camille Beckman, Crabtree and Evelyn, The Thymes, and Burt's Bees will be part of the boutique with items for sale and several giveaways.

The Garlands, on 31 lush parklike acres located near the heart of Barrington, is a unique community for people ages 55 and older, offering residents an uncompromising lifestyle in a resort setting. Events such as "Girlfriends Time Out" link **The Garlands** to the greater Barrington and Northwest Suburban communities. Area residents are invited to participate in the many art, theater and dining functions that **The Garlands** hosts throughout the year.

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Senior Activity and Lunch Program

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc., invites you to join us for our weekly lunch programs at Langendorf Park from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Games are played at 11:00 a.m., lunch is served at noon and programs begin at 12:30 p.m. unless otherwise indicated. Suggested donation for lunch is \$3 per person and requires advance registration. Call 1-847-381-5030 for your reservation.

• Monday, Oct. 6—Games will begin at 10:30 a.m. Our Third Annual Housing Fair will be from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Lunch will follow at noon. During the housing fair, Litho-Link will provide osteoporosis screenings to preregistered individuals. With the addition of Litho-Link, we expect an increase in attendance, so register early for lunch.

• Monday, Oct. 13, Columbus Day—There will be no lunch on this day. But please join us for lunch and a movie on

Wednesday, Oct. 15, at Langendorf Park at noon. Call 1-847-381-5030 for your reservation by Friday, Oct. 10.

• Monday, Oct. 20, Octoberfest Party—Games and lunch will be provided, as will entertainment by The Kitchen Klangers, a band from the Libertyville Senior Center and surrounding area. A traditional German menu will be served. The cost is \$6 per person. Seating is limited. RSVP by Tuesday, Oct. 14, at 1-847-381-5030.

• Monday, Oct. 27, Halloween Party—We'll play games and have lunch. The Barrington Park District Preschoolers will entertain us with Halloween songs. A program presented by Marybeth Ostrander, R.Ph., of Good Shepherd Hospital Pharmacy will check compatibility of medications. October birthdays will be celebrated. And a visit from the Assisi Animal Foundation is scheduled.

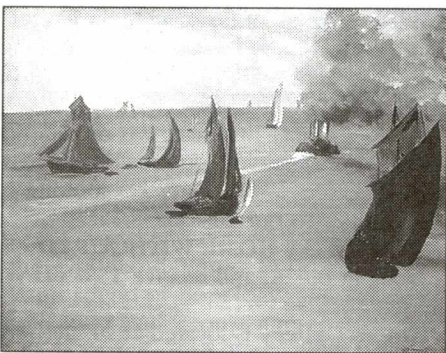
Art Associates to View "Manet and the Sea"

The next ticketed exhibition at the Art Institute, "Manet and the Sea," is devoted to the seascapes by Edouard Manet from 1864 to 1881. The exhibition also highlights the link with his predecessors, including Gustave Courbet, and his successors, among them Claude Monet and James McNeill Whistler, all of whom he knew personally. Also included are marine paintings by Dutch master Willem van de Velde the Younger (1633-1707) and Eugene Delacroix (1798-1863) who set the stage for the "new" painting of Manet and his contemporaries.

On Wednesday, Oct. 29, the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will sponsor a trip to the exhibit with a special lecture by Sarah Boyd.

In a naval duel in the summer of 1864, the U.S. Navy steamship Kearsarge sank the Confederate ship Alabama off the coast of France, an event that brought the American Civil War to French shores. Inspired by this event, Manet produced a series of boldly innovative paintings that radically transformed established models. The spontaneity and vibrancy of his Kearsarge-inspired paintings show how he experimented with the movement, color, light and atmosphere of the sea. The quick, sweeping brushstrokes and simple, flattened compositions—characteristics that would come to mark his boldly expressive approach to art—brought an immediate response from the younger painter Claude Monet and started a dialogue with artists who became known as The Impressionists.

Manet's interest in the sea helped to define him not only as the father of impressionism but the inventor of modern history painting. The evolution of this interest is also shown in paintings on family vacations in Normandy, Bordeaux and Arcachon. During a brief interlude in Venice, he painted two canvases of the Grand Canal, Venice (1875). These



Steamboat Leaving Boulogne, 1864
by Edouard Manet,
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breathtaking water-and-sun reflections are brought together for the first time in this exhibition.

Manet's four Kearsarge-inspired paintings were the subject of a recent small exhibition at the Metropolitan Museum of Art and are the core of "Manet and the Sea." The exhibition brings together approximately 100 works—paintings, watercolors and sketchbooks—from museums and private collections worldwide along with important pieces from the Art Institute's collection.

Sarah Boyd, assistant director, communications, museum education, holds a bachelor's in art history from Skidmore College and a master's in art history from Rutgers University. She led Elderhostel programs in Italy and participated in archeological excavations in Israel, Crimea and Ukraine.

The cost of this members-only trip on Oct. 29 is \$30. The bus will leave Langendorf Park at 9:00 a.m. and the Art Institute at 2:45 p.m. Coffee will be served in the Women's Board Room at 10:30 a.m. After the lecture, there will be time to view the exhibition independently.

To register, contact Mari Harrer, 1-847-462-1963. For membership information, contact Marianna Barr, 1-847-382-3952.

Alpha Gamma Delta Alum Meeting

The Northwest Suburban Alumnae Club of Alpha Gamma Delta will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of a Barrington member. All Alpha Gams are invited to attend. Rose Saber will present

2003 Stritch Award Dinner Set for Nov. 14

The Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine's 53rd Annual Award Dinner will be held on Friday, Nov. 14, at the Hilton Chicago & Towers at 720 S. Michigan Ave. The reception will begin at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 7 p.m.

The Stritch Annual Award Dinner is Chicago's oldest and most successful black-tie gala, raising more than \$23 million since the event was first held in 1950.

Loyola's most prestigious awards, the Sword of Loyola and the Stritch Medal, will be presented at the dinner. The Stritch Medal recognizes outstanding service in medicine by a graduate or faculty mem-










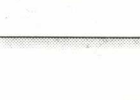
ber of Loyola's medical school. The Sword of Loyola recognizes notable achievements of an outstanding business executive for contributions in a field other than medicine.

More than 20 Stritch Junior Service League members will also be honored for their academic achievements and commitment to community service. After dinner, gala attendees will enjoy listening and dancing to the Stanley Paul Orchestra.

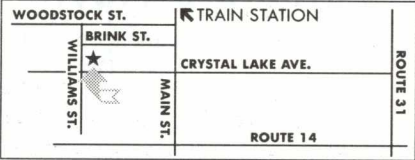
Tickets for the event are \$500 per person. Tables of 10 are available for \$5,000 and \$10,000. For more information or to purchase tickets, contact 312-915-6451.

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The Dreamwear Shoppe Celebrates One-Year Anniversary

The Dreamwear Shoppe, located in the Mill Pond Shoppes of Long Grove, recently doubled its size and celebrated its first anniversary. The store opened in September of 2002 featuring women's sleepwear, loungewear and spa products. It has now added infants', girls' and juniors' sleepwear to its selection. The fall line includes novelty print pajamas and night-

shirts, cotton-lined satin pajamas, two- and three-piece lounge sets, 100% cotton pajamas and gowns, and many unique gift items. Brands carried include Nick and Nora, David and Goliath, PJ Salvage, and many more. The store is located on the lower level next to the Long Grove Café with convenient parking available.

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Wellness Place Sponsors Cancer Support Groups, Networking in October

Free networking opportunities to exchange information and supportive conversation among people with cancer, their families and caregivers will be offered in October by Wellness Place, a cancer resource center located at 1619 W. Colonial Parkway, Palatine.

Family consultations for individuals, couples and families is the newest addition to the Wellness Place program for support. Professional clinicians will meet with parents and their children or with children and parents separately. All consultations require registration by calling 1-847-221-2400.

Group networking opportunities in October include the following:

- Welcome Sessions, offering a guided tour of the cancer center and information about free programs and services available to participants, will be held Tuesdays, Oct. 7 and 21, from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.
- Coping with Cancer is facilitated by Diana Wilson, Wellness Place clinical specialist, and Charlie Stephens, cancer survivor. This group welcomes people newly diagnosed with cancer, new to Wellness Place or experienced in the cancer journey, to attend for support and continuing education on Tuesdays, Oct. 7 and 21, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
- Family/Friends Networking, coordinated by Margaret French, Wellness Place clinical specialist, and Wilson, invites people who care about someone with cancer to meet on Tuesdays, Oct. 14 and 28, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.
- Men with Cancer Networking, led by Harvey Wolf, health psychologist and Wellness Place consultant, and Stephens, will discuss issues faced by men with cancer on Tuesdays, Oct. 14 and 28, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

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• Leukemia/Lymphoma/Multiple Myeloma Group, facilitated by Sue Blechschmidt, Wellness Place clinical director, and Wilson, includes cancer survivors, family and friends who will meet Wednesdays, Oct. 1 and 15, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

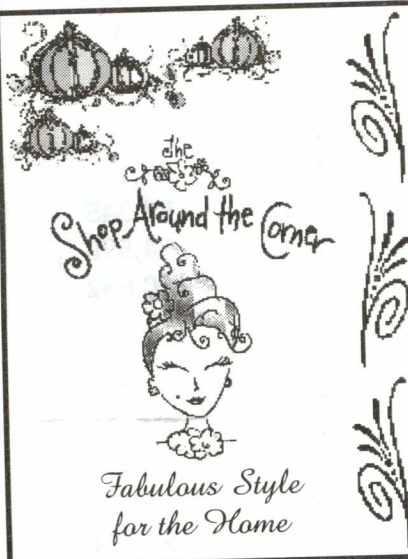
• Spirituality and Well-Being Group, facilitated by Lois Coldewey, a registered nurse and certified spiritual companion, will help participants search for a deeper meaning and purpose to life and reflect on spiritual beliefs and practices on Thursdays, Oct. 2 and 16, from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

• Recurrence/Metastatic Networking Group, led by Wolf and Coldewey, includes people with recurrence or metastatic disease, their family and friends and will meet on Thursdays, Oct. 9 and 23, from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

• Breast Cancer Networking Group, facilitated by Kathy Hill and French, Wellness Place clinical specialists, will meet Wednesday, Oct. 8, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

• KidsCare and Teen Time, two groups for youth who have an adult family member diagnosed with cancer, will begin meeting in the fall. Call Lori Mackey, certified child life specialist, for more information and to register at 1-847-221-2400.

Wellness Place, a nonprofit organization incorporated in 1999, offers resources, support and education for people with cancer, their family and friends and serves 60 communities in the Northwest Suburbs of Cook County and parts of McHenry, Lake and Kane counties.



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Lunch and a Movie

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc., and the Barrington Park District will have Lunch and a Movie at Langendorf park on Wednesday, Oct. 15.

Lunch will be served at noon followed at 1:00 p.m. by the movie *Rear Window*.

The movie will be shown on a large screen television. Bring a friend and enjoy an afternoon of movie magic. Popcorn will be provided.

Please call 1-847-381-5030 to register for lunch. The suggested donation for lunch is \$3 per person.

Annual Fair and Auction Luncheon

The Northwest Women's Connection invites you and your friends to our Annual Fair and Auction Luncheon on Oct. 9 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Concorde Banquets in Kildeer. Cost is \$15 inclusive.

There will be a silent and a live auction, lots of gift baskets, and baked goods. Shopping and bidding will start right at 11:00 a.m. Gail Dyer will inspire us with

her singing. Mary Birch, former radio personality and international tour host, will speak to us on "There's Always Hope."

Free preschool childcare is available. (The nursery is located off premises.) Lunch reservations are needed by Friday, Oct. 3. Call Carol at 1-847-359-5089 or Karen at 1-847-818-9016.

As American as Apple Pie!

Long Grove Hosts 11th Annual Apple Fest

Any way you slice it, Long Grove's Apple Fest, sponsored by the Merchants' Association, will be a perfect pick for a fall weekend in a country setting. The event will take place Friday, Oct. 3 through Sunday, Oct. 5. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission and parking are free.

Long Grove restaurants and outdoor food booths will sell a harvest of treats as American as apple pie (4,000 were sold at last year's fest) and apple cider, along with inspired creations such as hot apple cinnamon pretzels, apple salsa and taffy apple beer mug sundaes. Visitors will be able to decorate their own caramel apples. For this weekend only, the Apple Haus will roll its popular apple donuts in cinnamon and sugar instead of the traditional cider glaze. Over 50,000 donuts were sold during last year's event. Purists can also buy farm-fresh apples by the bag or bushel.

Throughout the historic business district, home to over 80 specialty shops, there will be activities marking our Ameri-

can heritage. Blacksmith Tony Vanagas will set up his forge on Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and the Long Grove Historical Society will conduct tours of its restored 19th century farmhouse from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Entertainment will be American to the core, too, with performances by The Apple Knocker Fiddlers, Barbershoppers, the Dixieland Banjo Buddies, the Big Band sound of Bopology, and the classic rock and roll group named ED. Even "Elvis" a.k.a. Bob West, will sing and swing by Cassandra's on Towner Green on Saturday at noon and at 3 p.m. On Sunday, visitors can stroll Towner Green and check out the Car Show featuring classic American autos from the '50s, '60s and '70s.

Long Grove is located ¼-mile north of the intersection of routes 53 and 83, approximately 35 miles northwest of Chicago. For information, phone 1-847-634-0888 or click on www.longgroveonline.com.

"Poems, Pints & More"

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites you to attend "Poems, Pints & More," a live cabaret show for adults featuring music, storytelling, poetry, comedy and variety acts.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, Oct. 11, from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. and prepare to be heartily entertained! Beverages and

light refreshments will be served and are included in the ticket price.

Tickets are \$12 per BAAC member or \$14 per nonmember. Reservations are suggested, as seating is limited. We are located at 207 Park Avenue in downtown Barrington. For more information or to reserve seats, call BAAC at 1-847-382-5626.

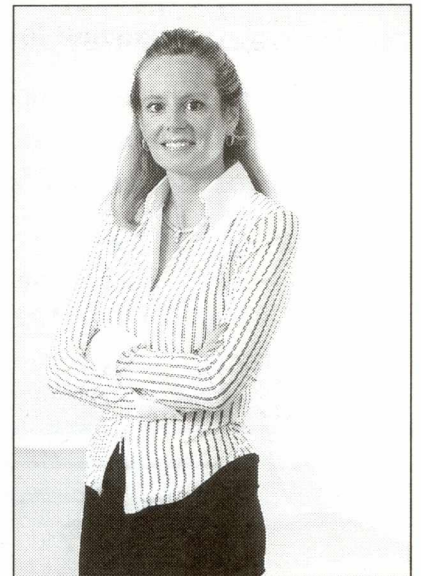
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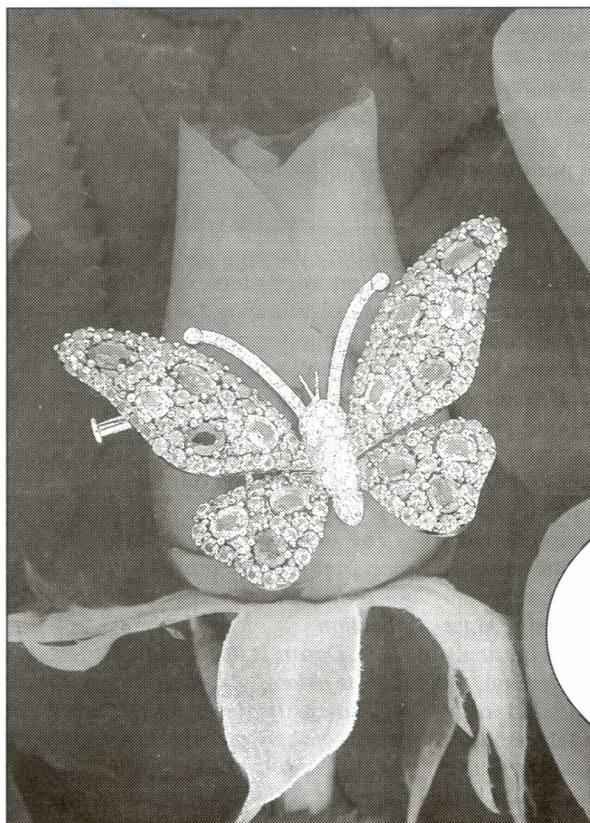
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Protecting Your Legal Rights— Adverse Decisions in Employment

by Joette S. Doran, J.D.



As part of my law practice, I often consult with employees who raise some very valid concerns regarding an adverse decision that affects their employment situation. Some examples of an adverse decision include: a demotion or transfer, negative employment evaluation, change in responsibilities, increase of job duties, or reduction of compensation. Where an employee has a good history of performance and the employer has no legitimate business reason for the adverse decision, it should be of particular concern. In an employment at will relationship, it is legal for an employer to change or alter job duties, responsibilities and pay. However to do so for a discriminatory reason is illegal under both the federal and statutes.

Statutes which directly protect an employee from an adverse decision based on discrimination include Title VII, which protect an employee from discrimination based on race, religion, national origin and gender; the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, which protects an employee over the age of 40; and the Americans with Disabilities Act. Careful analysis of the situation under the federal and state laws is highly recommended, especially if you believe that the adverse decision is based on a discriminatory motivation. A violation of these laws may subject an employer to federal action for damages

including the employee's lost wages, benefits, attorney's fees, costs, and compensatory and punitive damages. Because the time frame for addressing a claim of discrimination with a state or federal agency is limited, prompt action is recommended. For additional employment information, please visit our Web site at—www.joettedoran.com.

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

Ms. Doran is licensed in Illinois and all Illinois federal courts and is a member of the Federal Trial Bar. She is the past-chairperson of the Employment Law Committee for the Northwest Suburban Bar Association and is the past-president of Barrington Area Professional Women.

Peterson Named to Public Pension Investment Committee

State Senator Bill Peterson (R-Long Grove) has been named to serve on the Senate Select Committee on Public Pension Investments. Senate Republican Leader Frank Watson (R-Greenville) announced the appointment Aug. 25.

Peterson, who also serves on the Senate Insurance and Pensions Committee, looks forward to his new appointment.

"Public pension investments should be watched very carefully, given our state's current economic situation," Peterson said. "Against my better judgment, Illinois has taken a risk this past year by doubling our

public pension debt as a one-time budget fix. Should any of our pension investments turn south, Illinois could be in a very precarious situation. I hope this committee will work to keep Illinois' pension systems on a solid economic footing."

Other members of the committee include: senators Bill Brady (R-Bloomington and Republican spokesman), Denny Jacobs (D-Moline), Iris Martinez (D-Chicago), Antonio Munoz (D-Chicago and chairman), Barack Obama (D-Chicago) and Christine Radogno, (R-LaGrange).

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The Field of Esthetic Skin Care

by Gary S. Churchill, MD

If you have ever had facial plastic surgery or if you are considering it, you need to know about the exciting field of esthetics. Through the techniques employed by a licensed esthetician, you can improve and enhance the appearance of your skin. Whether you are trying to maintain your skin after a surgical procedure or just want better-looking skin, there is a treatment for you. Based on scientific principles, the treatments are custom-designed for your skin's particular needs. Esthetic skin care can reduce the depth of surface lines, help fade abnormal brown spots, smooth rough skin and help clear up acne-prone skin. Overall, it can give your skin a more youthful and healthier glow. The treatments are only done by a qualified, licensed esthetician in a physician's office and involve various methods of exfoliation, skin bleaching and rehydration. These treatments, when combined with a daily regimen, can give dramatic results.

What is an Esthetician?

A licensed esthetician is someone who has gone through specialized schooling and passed a state licenser exam to allow them to take care of the skin from an esthetic or beauty standpoint. Licensed estheticians have applied their specialized training in a medical setting under the oversight of a physician. This allows the esthetician to perform stronger peels and somewhat more aggressive treatments than could be done elsewhere. A myriad of different procedures can be performed. The particular treatment (or combination) is chosen in the consultation process and is based on that patient's particular need and skin condition. A partial listing of available options include: different strength peels to treat fine lines and wrinkles, special peels to treat irregular pigment, peels to clear up blemishes and microdermabrasion.

What is a Micropeel?

This technique involves a double-exfoliation process. The first exfoliation is done manually with a #10 scalpel. It removes a micro-thin layer of dead skin cells and keratin that lay on the skin surface, pre-

venting skin care products from penetrating. The second exfoliation is done by applying a peel solution to the surface. This is done lightly, and only a slight tingle will be felt with this step. Finally, extractions of blocked oil pores can be performed before applying a moisturizer and sun block. This combined manual and chemical peel technique leaves your skin with a healthy and smooth glow. Makeup can be applied right away, and everyday activities can be resumed.

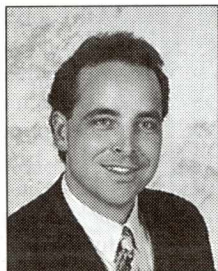
What is Microdermabrasion?

Microdermabrasion is a nonsurgical, non-invasive method for removing dead, flaking skin cells while stimulating the production of fresh skin cells and collagen. Treatments are administered by our esthetician, using a hand piece through which microcrystals are vacuumed. This gentle abrasion produces a polished appearance in as little as 20 minutes. Skin feels softer and smoother and appears younger looking. For best results, we recommend an initial six-week treatment plan consisting of one treatment per week, followed by treatment once monthly.

How to Decide What Treatment is Best for You

During your initial visit, the esthetician will review your basic medical history and consult with you regarding your skin concerns. She will analyze the condition of your skin and determine which treatment will best address your skin care needs. Each person's plan is different and can be modified as needed to maximize results and satisfaction. Once all patient questions

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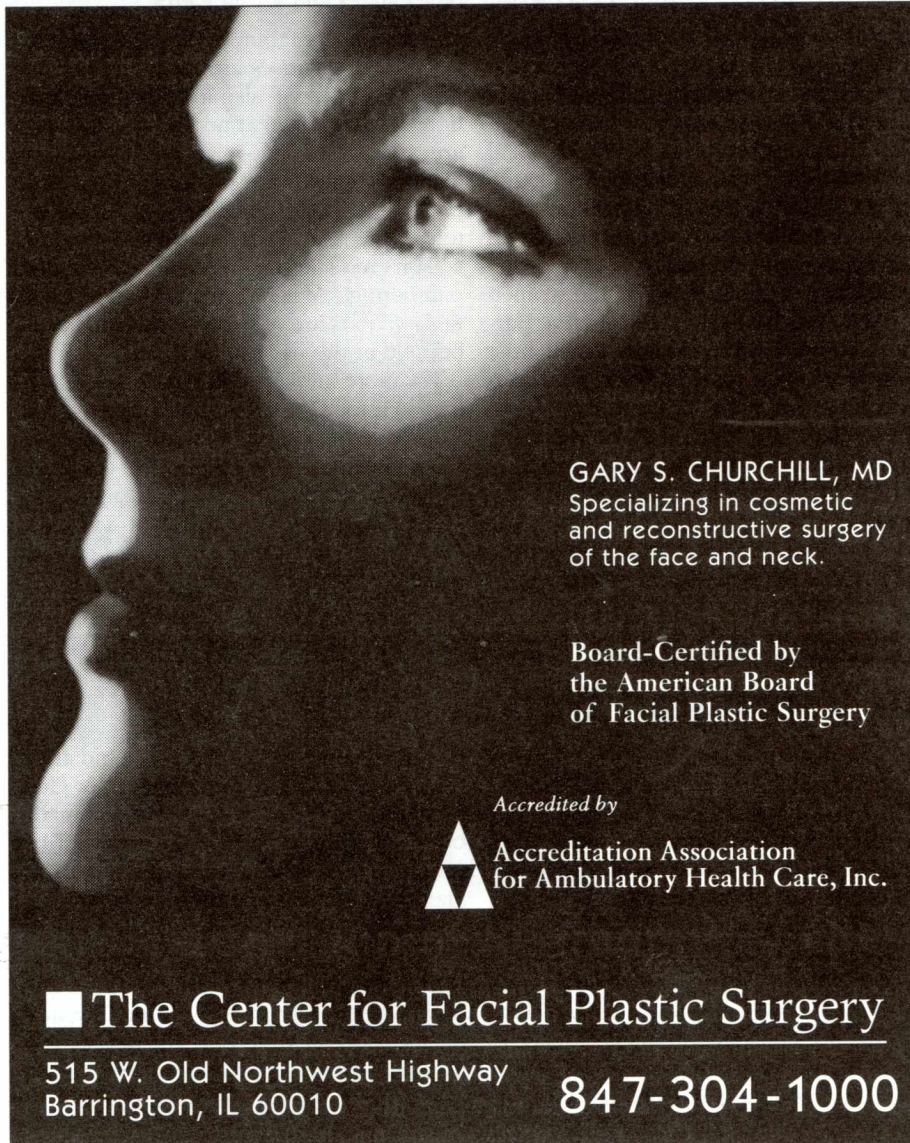
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Barrington Junior Women's Club Ready for Another Year with "Passion for Fashion"



The hard-working "Passion For Fashion" Committee: (from left, front row) Janet Swenson, Carrie Carr (co-chair), Sue Viohl (co-chair), Kerstin Stenlund, Deb Jourdan, Sue Anderson, (second row) Sandy Schaffer, Sheila Foley, Kathy Pinkus, Silvia Grabacki, Stephanie Skopek (president), Karen Paloma, (not pictured) Cindy Shanahan, Laura Cerretani, Mickey Brown, Oksana Keaton, Linda McGill, Dee Repata and Kathy Failla

Last year was one of the most successful for Barrington Junior Women's Club, raising more than \$100,000 at their Wings of Hope Gala in April. At their June dinner, they distributed over \$150,000 to local charities, including a check for \$25,000 to WINGS, new blankets for PADS, and six merit- and need-based scholarships to area high school students.

Now, after a summer break, the women of BJWC are ready to do it again. Barrington Junior Women's Club will host their annual fall fashion show and luncheon this year, entitled "Passion for Fashion," on Nov. 15. Located at the Hyatt Regency in Woodfield, this fashion show will highlight the latest fall and holiday trends.

A boutique with the "best-of-the-best" artisans will open at 10 a.m. where shop-

pers will find a fabulous array of specialty items with surprises around every corner. The luncheon will also include a live auction and will begin at noon. Runway seats are available for \$65; all other seats are \$55. As a grand sponsor, Mario Tricoci will provide products and services for all attendees.

Don't miss this day of entertainment and pampering! Make your reservation now! Reservations are required, and tickets can be held at the door.

For more information, please call 1-847-622-3838 or visit www.bjwc.org.

Anyone interested in joining Barrington Junior Women's Club or wanting to obtain more information is welcome to attend the annual new member meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 7 p.m. at the Good Shepherd Health and Fitness Facility.

Actress Michele LaRue to Perform for Barrington Woman's Club

The Barrington Woman's Club is thrilled to once again welcome actress Michele LaRue as she performs *Eve's Diary* for their members and guests.

Earlier this year, LaRue's performance in *Someone Must Wash the Dishes* was so well received that members asked for a return engagement.

Eve's Diary is an adaptation by Gayle Stahlhuth from several stories by Mark Twain. This performance will take place at The Garlands of Barrington, 202 S. Cook St. in Barrington, on Wednesday, Oct. 15. A social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. fol-

lowed by lunch at 12:30 p.m. and then the performance. The cost is \$22 for club members or \$25 for guests. Checks made out to Barrington Woman's Club must be sent by Oct. 10 to: Barbara Cornwell, 218D Shoreline Rd., Barrington, IL, 60010.

As a professional actress, LaRue makes her home in New Jersey where she performs with several theater groups. She works frequently in New York City and on the road as well. She got her start in theatre after being introduced to it at Barrington High School under the direction of the late Richard C. Johnson.

Moonlight Over Monaco Gala Party

They all partied there—celebrities, the crowned heads of Europe and Winston Churchill!

Take a chance! You too can spend an evening experiencing the fabulous Moonlight Over Monaco, which will benefit Home of the Sparrow! The festivities will begin at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 1. Creative dress/black tie are optional.

Bid on live and silent auction items or seize the opportunity to go home with a bag of "loot."

There will also be wonderful dining, dancing and the famous elegance of a Monaco night! Plus, you could meet Marilyn, as in Monro, which will surely add excitement to an already wonderful evening.

The Home of the Sparrow program provides safe, stable housing to over 100 women and their children annually. An extensive job and life-skills training program, as well as emotional support and guidance, empowers these women to achieve the goal of self-reliance, permanently ending the cycle of homelessness in their lives. Since its inception 16 years ago, Home of the Sparrow has aided over 2,000 individuals. The program's headquarters is located in McHenry with additional locations in Crystal Lake and Palatine.

Sears, Roebuck and Co. has generously donated the use of their corporate offices in Hoffman Estates as the location of this benefit effort organized by Friends of Home of the Sparrow, which provides



(From left) Moonlight Over Monaco committee chairs Julie Reitsch and Jill Davis look over 60 purses as well as other items generously donated by Jan Cunningham of G. Whiz, 724 Northwest Hwy., Barrington, to Home of the Sparrow programs.

advocacy, financial and volunteer support to Home of the Sparrow and draws its membership from Barrington and surrounding northwest communities. New members are welcome.

Tickets to the event are \$135 each and may be purchased through Oct. 24. To make a reservation or for more information about the gala and/or membership in Friends, please contact Sue at 1-847-526-3981. See you there!

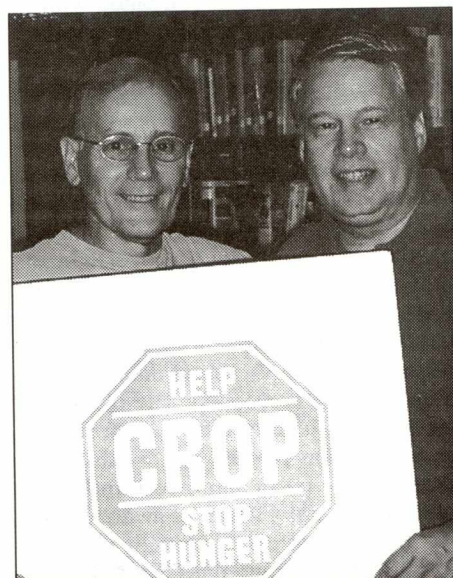
Grom and Chidley Lead 2003 Barrington Area Crop Walk Committee

"Making a Difference—One Step at a Time" is an ongoing theme for the Barrington Area Crop Walk, now preparing for its 21st annual event intended to raise awareness and money to fight hunger in our community and around the world.

John Grom of the Community Church of Barrington and Dave Chidley of St. Paul United Church of Christ lead a team of committed representatives from most Barrington and Wauconda churches and many schools, businesses and civic organizations with a goal of recruiting at least 400 walkers and raising at least \$65,000.

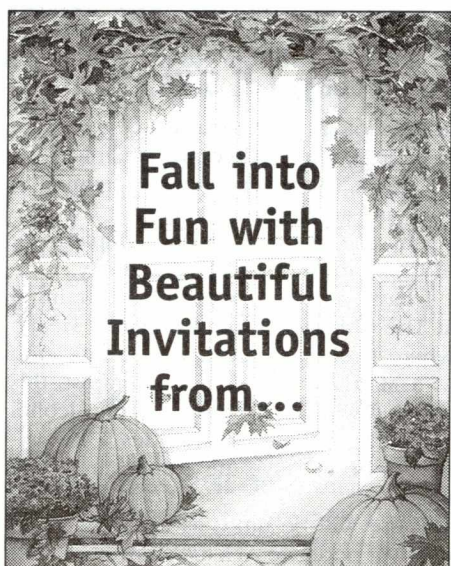
Twenty-five percent of all funds raised in Barrington is kept in our area for the Church Women United Barrington Food Pantry, Meals With Wheels, Wauconda-Island Lake Food Pantry, the Northern Illinois Food Bank, the People in Need program of the Barrington Area Ministerial Association and the FISH Food Pantry in Carpentersville.

The walk takes place throughout the Village of Barrington, beginning at Barrington Middle School Station Campus with registration at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 19. To learn more, contact co-chairs



Co-chairs of the 2003 Barrington Area Crop Walk are (from left) John Grom, Community Church of Barrington, and Dave Chidley, St. Paul United Church of Christ of Barrington.

John Grom, 1-847-382-0522, or Dave Chidley, 1-847-381-0884.



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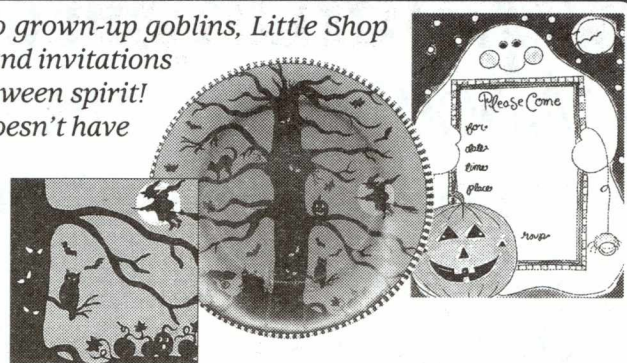
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The Adventurous (and Flirtatious) at Satin Filly

Yikes! It's October and the time is flying by! I won't mention what's around the corner.

It's been an exciting fashion season, hasn't it? (If you don't know, you haven't been shopping!) Nothing is ordinary, to say the least. Clothing is adventurous and a little flirtatious...

We at **Satin Filly** have had an enthusiastic reception to what we have—the photos in our ad and editorial give you some ideas of the diversity of looks you'll find. Our forté is individual style—each one of us has our own look, that's what makes this business so interesting. That's why I'm still here—it's always exciting and fun (90%)!

By the time you read this Francie and I will have returned from NYC with more goodies—it's always sensory overload—but we thrive on it! Keep smiling... we do!

—Karen



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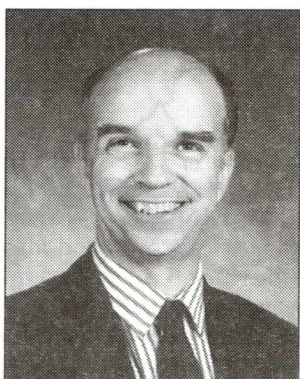
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Barrington Lyric Offers Insights on *Samson et Dalila*

The Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago invites you and your guests to enjoy performance insights at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 26, in the Barrington Area Public Library, 505 North Northwest Hwy. Come and learn about Charles Camille Saint-Saëns' *Samson et Dalila* due to be performed this season at Lyric Opera of Chicago. This production, sung in French with projected English titles, includes two of the world's superstars; Samson, high priest of Dagon, will be sung by the electrifying Argentine tenor Jose Cura; Dalila, the Philistine temptress, will be sung by the luminous mezzo-soprano Olga Borodina.

Dennis Hayes, member of the outstanding Chicago Lyric Opera's Lecture Corps from St. Charles, will enlighten the audience about the mighty Samson who defeats the Philistines, only to fall under the spell of Dalila, one of history's most notorious seductresses! Longtime Lyric subscriber, Dennis is volunteer chapter coordinator for Opera in the Neighborhood. The award-winning Lecture Corps was founded by Barrington Lyric's Mary



Dennis Hayes, member of the Chicago Lyric Opera's Lecture Corps, will enlighten the audience about *Samson and Dalila*.

Robin, immediate past president in charge of Youth Outreach Education, and President Howard Robins, Arlington Heights.

Light refreshments will be served. Please mail checks (\$5 per person) by Oct. 20 to Susanne Wells, 225 Timber Ridge, Barrington, IL, 60010. For more information, please call 1-847-382-2613.

Octoberfest Party

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc., and the Barrington Park District will hold the annual Octoberfest Party for seniors on Monday, Oct. 20, at Langendorf Park.

Games will start the festivities at 11:00 a.m. with lunch being served at noon and

the Libertyville Kitchen Klangers at 12:30 p.m. A traditional German menu will be served. Seating is limited, so call early to make your reservation. The cost is \$6 per person. Call BACOA at 1-847-381-5030. RSVP by Tuesday, Oct. 14.

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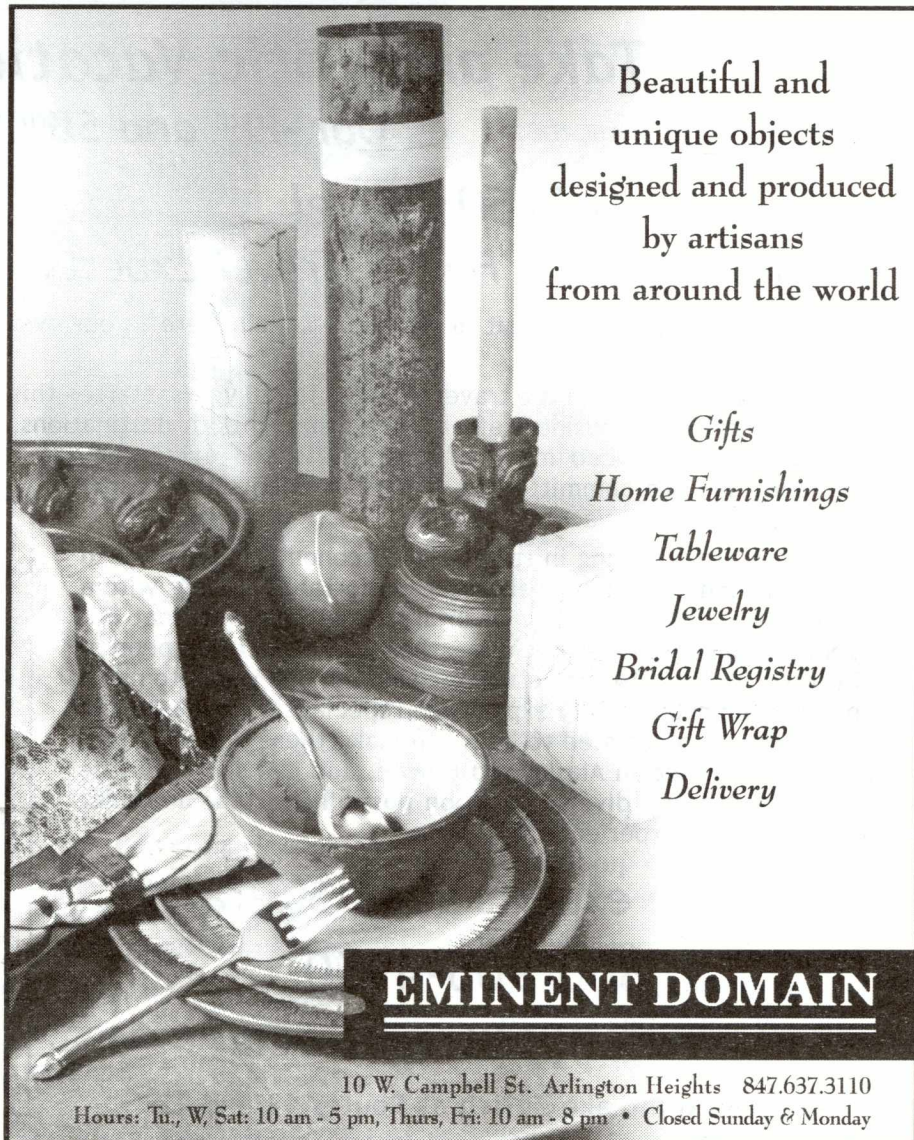
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I am a graduate of Northwestern University where I received a bachelors degree

in Psychology, and a masters degree from The University of Chicago in Clinical Social Work. I received extensive training in child and adolescent treatment at The University of Chicago Hospital's Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

I have received postgraduate training at The Chicago Center for Family Health where I received a two-year certification as a Marriage and Family Therapist, this coupled with a certification as an Alcohol and Drug counselor provides a knowledge base to serve the entire family system.

There will be times as a parent when you will not have ALL the answers, sometimes it nice to know that you can turn to someone who can provide relief and support for your family.

Barrington Newcomers to Visit Chicago Botanical Garden

The Barrington Newcomers has planned an outing to the Chicago Botanical Gardens on Wednesday, Oct. 15, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

We will meet at the entrance at 10:30 a.m. Scheduled is a 45-minute narrated tram ride with views of the Japanese Garden, McDonald Woods and the Prairie, not to mention the world-famous traveling Chapungu sculpture exhibit. This will

be followed by a delicious box lunch in the East Green House at noon.

Parking, narrated tram and lunch is only \$17.50. RSVP with payment by mail to Jean Shane at 13 Overbrook Road, South Barrington, IL, 60010. Checks must be in by Oct. 1.

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Gastronomic Feasts and Festival Planned at The Garlands for Fall

Executive Chef Rick Rizner has planned another in a series of wine dinners at **The Garlands of Barrington**, 1000 Garlands Lane, Barrington, for **Thursday evening, Oct. 23**, at 6:30 p.m. The multicourse gourmet menu with wines carefully selected by the chef to complement each course is priced at \$65 per person, all inclusive.

Ken Vigoda, wine expert with Raymond Wine Cellars, a noted wine maker in Napa Valley, Calif., will be on hand to discuss the wines. Guests just need to book a reservation at **1-847-756-3000**, mark their calendars, come to the Roycroft Dining Room at **The Garlands** and be prepared to enjoy an evening that is guaranteed to delight the senses.

The Garlands' International Dinner and Music Series will continue featuring a German night this month. On **Friday evening, Oct. 10**, guests are invited to make a reservation to enjoy menu items including weiner schnitzel, sauerbraten and apple strudel while they are entertained by harpist Jennifer Hedberg-Keller playing music by Mozart, Bach and Brahms. Viennese waltzes and melodies from *The Sound of Music* will be on the program as well.

Mark your calendar for a French evening at **The Garlands** on **Friday, Nov. 14**, when French food will be on the menu and music will be played by strolling violinist Jennifer Silk. On **Friday, Dec. 12**, Executive Chef Rick Rizner will take you on a gastronomic tour of the world while pianist Dan Merrigan from the Peter Tye Orchestra plays a variety of holiday, clas-

sical, jazz, popular and Broadway tunes.

Chef Rizner at **The Garlands of Barrington** has designed dining menus that bring the finest of urban private club dining to the suburban clientele that he now serves. He uses only the freshest ingredients and believes that providing guests with ample choice is the key to satisfied customers. Selections, preparations and presentations are all artfully orchestrated.

The Winslow Dining Room at **The Garlands** is open to the public by reservation only Monday through Saturday for lunch from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. and for dinner from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

To enhance the dining experiences at **The Garlands**, a lavish Sunday Brunch is served the first Sunday of the month and on special holidays from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. And a proper English Tea, formally presented of course, is offered the third Friday of each month with seatings at 1:30 and 3:00 p.m. Reservations are a must for all dining events at **The Garlands of Barrington** and can be made by phoning **1-847-756-3000**. All major credit cards are accepted; handicap accessible; complimentary valet parking.

The Garlands of Barrington is a unique community for people ages 55 and older, which combines beautifully-designed, maintenance-free homes and inviting gathering places with unprecedented amenities and services. **The Garlands** offers choices—not compromises—and a vibrant lifestyle for today's older adult. For more information, call **1-847-304-1996** or **800-822-0267** or visit our Web site at www.TheGarlands.com.

BAAC Joins with The Garlands to Make Theater History from Art History

On Sunday, Nov. 9, the Barrington Area Arts Council will join with **The Garlands of Barrington**, 1000 Garlands Lane, to host a performance of *A Letter From Vincent*.

The one-man show, starring Dutch actor Klaas Hofstra, will be held at **The Garlands Center for the Performing Arts** at 2:30 p.m. The tickets—\$35 per person or \$30 per person for BAAC members, seniors, students and groups of 10 or more—can be purchased in advance by calling 1-847-382-5626.

This exceptional one-man play, which has received rave reviews nationally, presents the innermost soul of one of history's most significant painters, Vincent van Gogh. He bore his soul through his letters to his brother, Theo, his mother and sister, which are dramatically interpreted on stage. Through humor, compassion, bitterness and sometimes total despair, the two-act production based on those letters reveals little-known facts about the painter. Slides of van Gogh's paintings and drawings will be shown throughout the performance illuminating the artist's creative and troubled spirit. The play will be enhanced by music from the artist's favorite composers, including Wagner, Beethoven, Berlioz and Grieg.

"We are thrilled to have the opportunity to bring the story of this important artist to Barrington," stated Corinne Pierog, ex-

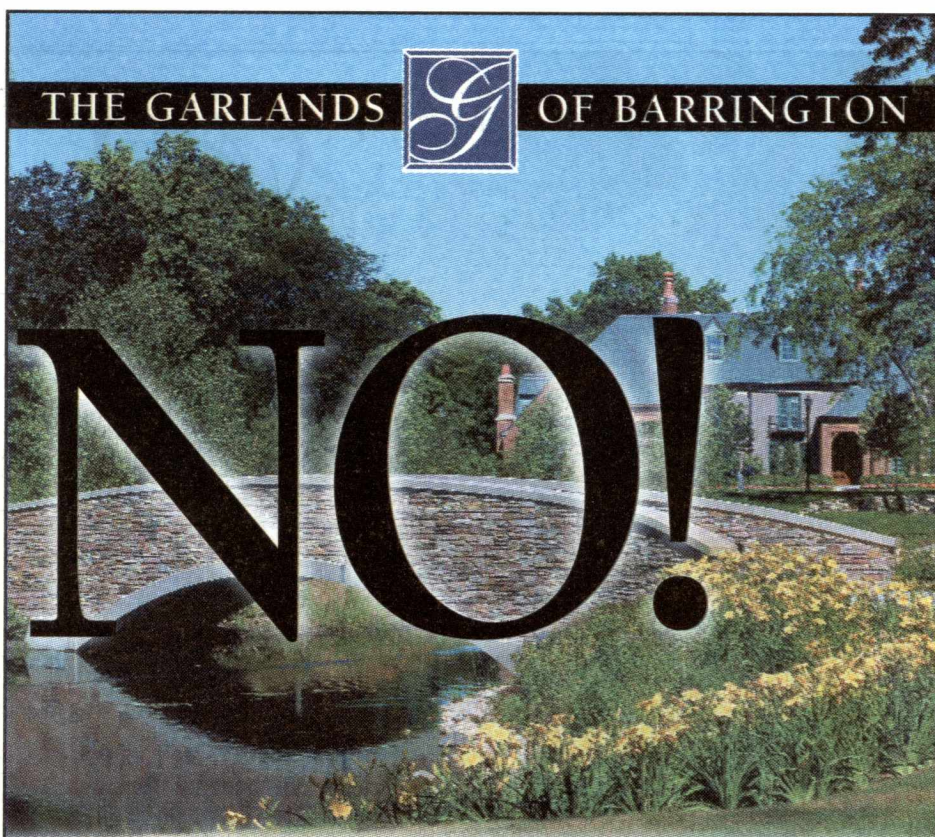
ecutive director of the BAAC. "Part of the mission of the BAAC is to promote the performing arts as well as the visual arts. With *A Letter From Vincent*, we are able to highlight both areas.

"Until recently, the BAAC had less opportunity to concentrate on the performing arts arena due to space constraints. The new Garlands Center for the Performing Arts provides the perfect intimate venue for the performing arts in Barrington, making shows like this one possible."

Bruce Berlin, executive director at **The Garlands**, is in full agreement. "By offering a quality entertainment venue for all to enjoy, **The Garlands** hopes to not only offer a unique retirement lifestyle to adults ages 55 and older, but to be a vibrant and active place for our members and the greater community at large."

During intermission, guests at the performance will have the opportunity to purchase refreshments while enjoying the current art exhibit in the Gallery at **The Garlands**, featuring works of Jean Fraher and Veronica S. Potter. The exhibits by area artists rotate quarterly and are shown in cooperation with the BAAC. They complement the permanent art collection at **The Garlands**, that focuses on themes from the Arts and Crafts movement.

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Tarantelle, *Stravinsky's Firebird Suite* and Tchaikovsky's *Piano Concerto in B-flat minor*.

Tickets are still available, ranging from \$12 to \$58, and may be purchased at the ESO Box Office at 20 DuPage Court in Elgin, online at www.elginsymphony.org or by calling 1-847-888-4000. First American Bank, Ziegler's Ace Hardware and IHC Group sponsor these performances.

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This month, ...A Thousand Words would be delighted to have you join us for an artist's reception and signing on **Saturday, Oct. 18**, from noon to 3 p.m. Stop by to meet **Kristen Jongen**, creator of Soul Soup. Her artwork is organic in nature, combining a blend of natural fibers, precious metals and handmade papers. It is her words, however, that have people talking. The unspoken truths of motherhood, married life and personal spiritual

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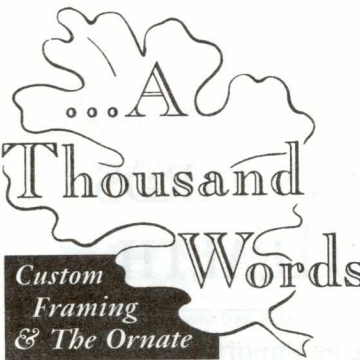
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When considering rebalancing, it is important to understand that there may be higher expenses due to commissions and taxes.

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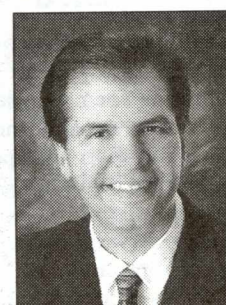
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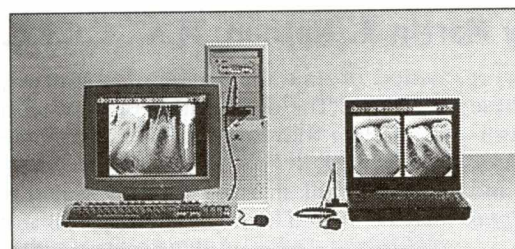
Last month, I discussed how new technology, new techniques and new materials constantly challenge the dental profession and that sorting these out and selecting the best is a consistent endeavor for any quality dentist. I also discussed the advantages and disadvantages that lasers have brought to the dental profession. This month, I would like to review digital X-rays.

No more individual films inside your mouth. Just placing a small sensor in place of the film allows the dentist to take X-rays that are instantly displayed on a computer screen. The benefits are numerous in this type of digital system. The radiation used is decreased by 75%, and the images yield better quality information than regular film. You can magnify them, rotate them or make them color. No chemicals are used for developing, which saves the environment. The patient and dentist can view the X-ray together, because it's up on a large computer screen.

This technology has been out for years, but the initial images were not as detailed as the regular X-ray film. Recent improvements in imaging software has made it possible for these digital systems to give greater detail than the old films. Even the American Dental Association has given their approval, which was denied in past years because of the image quality.

Digital X-rays will slowly make their way into all dental offices. Until then, you will only find it in a small percentage of practices that have the computer support in their facilities to take digital X-rays. Ask your dentist when he plans to incorporate it into his practice. When you see this new technology in action, you'll understand what I mean.

For an examination with digital X-rays, please contact **Dr. James T. Gavrilos** in Barrington at **1-847-381-4040**.

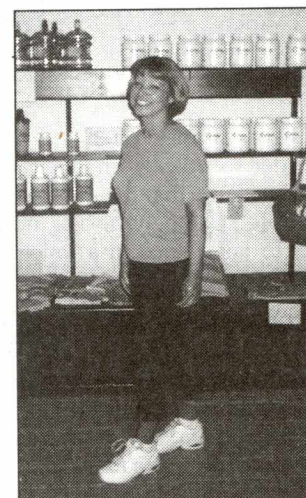


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Our mission statement is: "**Curves** is (Please continue on page 55)



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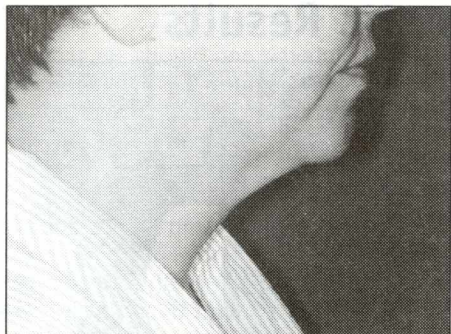
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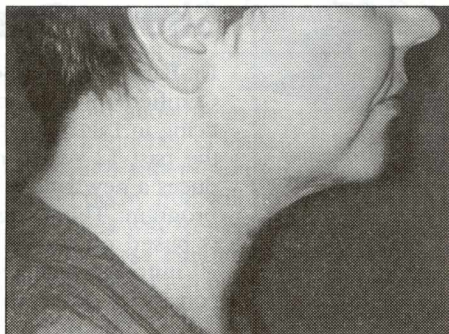
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Country Collections Returns to Harper

'Twas the month before Christmas, here at the show **Country Collections** is arriving, displays all aglow. Arranged by crafters, their treasures, with care Awaited the customers who soon would be there.

The dolls they were nestled all snug in toy beds While tiny fleece snowmen frolicked on sleds. And Ann with her shopping list, outside in the line Had been planning for months for gift shipping time.

From Kansas, Wisconsin, Ohio they came With things whittled and quilted, and prints in a frame. Bird homes for the porch, art for the wall And ornaments, tree skirts and Christmas trees tall.

Stained glass, how it twinkled, wreaths made of berries Paintings of roses, of bunnies, of fairies; And dear little stuffed toys adorned with a bow, And Santas with fluffy beards white as the snow.

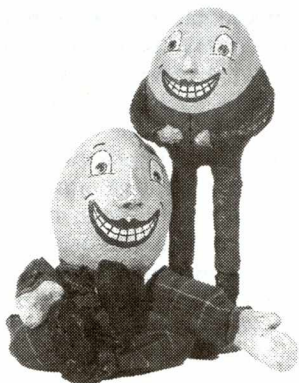
They brought hooked rugs, rag rugs and runners and flowers And stencils and hooked rug kits... Entertainment for hours. They had brittle and almonds and honey for selling And wild rice stuffing with cranberry jelly.

She saw teddy bears plump, a cute mache elf And stitchery samplers, pots on a shelf A silverware windchime and quilts on a bed Soon visions of Christmas morn danced in her head.

She let out a squeal, and raced store to store, And filled all her shopping bags, returning for more. While checking her list, at her favorites she shopped, Kaleidoscopes, baskets, for Christmas she shopped.

She sprang to the prints, bought a gourd and a crock, A gameboard, a china doll, bird decoys, a clock. And we heard her exclaim as she chuckled with glee, My Christmas list's done, now I'm shopping for ME!

Country Collections' Traditional Craft and Folk Art Faire returns to Harper College, Algonquin and Roselle roads, in Palatine, Illinois, November 7th, 8th and 9th. Show hours are Friday 3 to 9 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$5. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Free ample parking is available. **1-800-984-8526**. Bring your Christmas list!



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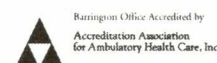
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To begin a weight loss program that really works for you, call **1-847-438-2454** in Lake Zurich or **630-789-9495** in Hinsdale to make an appointment for your consultation today.



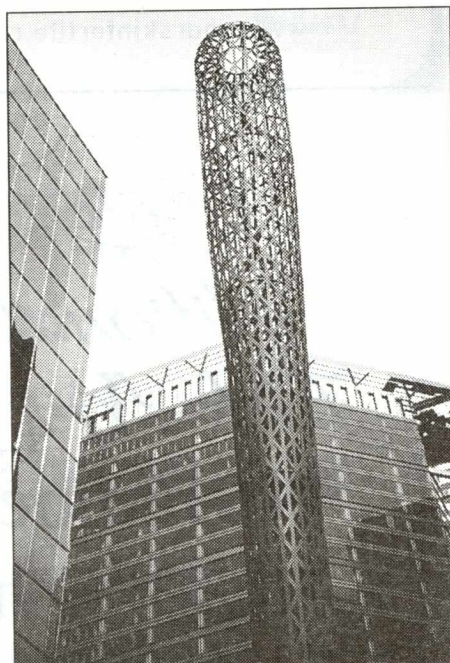
Renowned Sculptors to Speak to Art Associates

On Friday, Nov. 21, members of the Barrington Community Associates of the Art Institute of Chicago will have an opportunity to hear world-renowned sculptors Claes Oldenburg and Coosje van Bruggen speak on "Spirit of the Monument" at the institute.

Oldenburg and van Bruggen began their artistic collaboration with the *Trowel I*, located in the park of the Kroller-Muller Museum in the Netherlands. Together, they have made over 40 large-scale projects for cities, towns and museums around the world.

Ordinary objects are the starting points for independent sculptures on a monumental scale, which create a dynamic interchange with their surroundings and redefine the relation between art and architecture. In Chicago, the *Batcolumn* stands outside the Harold Washington Social Security Center at 600 W. Madison St. In Minneapolis, *Spoonbridge and Cherry* rests in the sculpture garden at the Walker Art Center.

Claes Oldenburg was born on Jan. 28, 1929, in Stockholm Sweden, but spent most of his childhood in the United States. After studies at Yale University and the University of Chicago, he moved to New York City in 1956, where he established himself in the early 1960s with a series of installations and performances influenced by his surroundings on the Lower East Side. Since 1976, he has worked in partnership with Coosje van Bruggen. The couple, married in 1977, has executed over 40 large-scale projects, which have been inserted into various urban surroundings in Europe, Asia and the United States. Their most recent work is the 144-foot-long, 64-foot-high *Cupid's Span* for Rincon Park on the Embarcadero in San Francisco.



The Batcolumn by Claes Oldenburg, photo by Virginia Tolk

Born in Groningen, the Netherlands, on June 6, 1942, Coosje van Bruggen received a master's degree in art history from the University of Groningen. From 1967 to 1971, she worked in the curatorial department of the Stedelijk Museum in Amsterdam and was co-editor of the catalogue of *Sonsbeek 17*, an exhibition of contemporary sculpture. She has written books on Claes Oldenburg's early work and on John Baldessari, Hanne Darboven, Bruce Nauman and the architect Frank O. Gehry, among others.

When the *Batcolumn* was installed in Chicago, opinions ranged from "Silly, isn't it?" to "It's the most important monument the city has." The 108-foot-high metal lat-

Holiday Boutique Raises Funds for Local Shelters

Holiday shopping is just around the corner. There's no better way to find unique Christmas gifts than from local art and crafts shows. However, shopping for those special gifts can be even more rewarding when you know that you're also helping a worthy cause with your purchases. Events such as the Holiday Boutique, sponsored by the Hawthorn Woods Women's Club, support women and children's shelters in Lake County.

This year, the 24th annual Holiday Boutique will be held at Kemper Lakes Clubhouse in Long Grove on Friday, Nov. 7 and Saturday, Nov. 8.

The Holiday Boutique will feature approximately 50 juried crafters, many of which will appear at the show for the first time. Items to be sold will include everything from jewelry, purses and accessories to candles, floral arrangements, and hand-painted holiday ornaments and crafts. Some new crafts to be sold are doll clothes, mosaic art, homemade clocks, stamp art, and hand-painted women's clothing.

The famous Racine Kringles will also be sold at the Holiday Boutique.

"In the past, the Kringles have sold so fast that we now take preorders," says Tracy Gold, one of the boutique's orga-

nizers. The hard part is choosing; there are nine different flavors that can be pre-ordered or bought at the boutique. The Kringles are priced at \$7 or four for \$25.

"Folks can call the Hawthorn Woods Women's Club Information Line at 1-847-438-0723 if they are interested in pre-ordering," says Gold.

The Holiday Boutique will run from 9:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 7 and from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 8. Admission is \$3 for those aged 12 and up; admission for seniors is \$2.

The Hawthorn Woods Women's Club welcomes all women in the Lake Zurich, Mundelein, Long Grove and Hawthorn Woods area to join the group. Events such as the Holiday Boutique, Art Auction, Dinner Dance, Spring Luncheon and Love Fund Auction are held annually to raise funds for Lake County charities. Meetings are fun-filled with topics ranging from yoga to cooking. They usually occur on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Hawthorn Woods Village Barn.

For more information on the Holiday Boutique or the Hawthorn Woods Women's Club, call 1-847-438-0723.



ticework form, to Oldenburg, was a monument to baseball and the construction industry. He used the columns of nearby Northwestern Station, now the Ogilvie Transportation Center, as an appropriate vertical symbol of Chicago's past architecture. He sought an icon from daily life to combine with the column form. The diamond-patterned surface related to the grid patterns of surrounding buildings. The 20-ton sculpture was painted grey to emphasize its architectural character and

to prevent rust.

The fee for this combined associates lecture is \$60 and includes lunch at the Mid-America Club. Tickets are limited; early reservations are encouraged. The bus will depart Langendorf Park in Barrington at 9 a.m. Coffee will be served in the Trading Room. The lecture will begin at 11 a.m.

To register, call Mrs. Charles Sebestyan, 1-847-359-4061, before Oct. 28. For membership, contact Marianna Barr, 1-847-382-3952.

Your Child's First Dental Appointment

by Irwin Seidman, D.D.S.

At what age should one schedule a child's first dental visit? If your goal is to prevent dental disease rather than treat it, then early visits are needed.

Dental decay is the single most common chronic childhood disease with an incidence five times that of asthma and seven times that of common hay fever. More than half of children aged 5 to 9 years have either one cavity or filling.

The American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the American Medical Association and the American Academy of Pediatrics all recommend that a child's initial dental visit should occur no later than 12 months of age.

The visit should include a clinical examination, evaluation of the child's fluoride intake, consideration of their dietary habits and a family oral health history. The

early exam will give the dentist the opportunity to assess the child's risk for dental decay and allow them the chance to tailor the frequency of visits. The amount of oral health supervision for the patient to remain decay free will be established.

The best way to stop dental decay is to identify those children who are most at risk and begin to implement a preventive plan. The best time to identify those most susceptible is when they are young and no damage has been done. The best way to do this is to schedule a child's first dental visit early.

I am a pediatric dentist and an assistant professor of pediatric dentistry at the University of Illinois College of Dentistry. If you have any questions regarding your child's dental health, please contact me at 1-847-991-4663.



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The Natural Way to Beautiful Skin

Your skin is the body's largest organ, measuring 20 square feet on an average male and 17 square feet on an average female. The skin protects the body from various environmental factors such as heat and cold, as well as from toxins, pollutants and trauma. Anyone can see that the skin is an invaluable part of the human body. So why do so many of us treat our largest organ so poorly? Understanding what the skin needs to stay healthy and looking young is the first step to changing your approach to skin care and sun protection.

An effective skin care regimen approaches the care of both face and body holistically. The health and appearance of the skin reflects the body's internal health.

Because the skin is an organ, no different from the heart or lungs, environmental factors, nutrition and diet, maintenance and stress all affect its health and appearance. Ignoring any one of these influences can lead to unhealthy and damaged skin. Care of your skin should include proper nutrition, exercise, adequate sleep, emotional balance and use of safe personal care products. Proper hydration of the skin is paramount in any skin care routine: 64 ounces of water daily will keep skin cells plump, helping to fend off fine lines and flush out toxins. Avoid fried, processed or high fat foods. Don't smoke; smoking causes the capillaries that nourish the skin to constrict. This, in turn,

causes the skin to lose elasticity and sag. Supplementation of your diet with vitamins, minerals and herbs will keep your internal systems healthy and your skin radiant and youthful. Some particularly important nutrients include beta carotene, vitamin E, vitamin C, vitamin B complex, essential fatty acids and zinc.

When it comes to skin care treatments, even the savviest shopper can get overwhelmed. There are thousands of products available, all claiming to solve every skin trouble from wrinkles and uneven skin tone to dryness and acne. What you may not know is that most skin care lines contain harsh and even dangerous chemicals that can cause longterm skin damage and premature aging of the skin. Chemi-

cals, formaldehyde-releasing preservatives, FD&C dyes, synthetic fragrances, talc, and alcohols are all notoriously bad for skin yet are found in many of the most popular skin care lines. When shopping for beauty aids, look for natural and non-comedogenic or nonclogging ingredients. Anything that can clog pores will eventually lead to breakouts, so avoid lanolin, mineral oil, myristate, corn oil and myristyl myristate. The safest and most beneficial skin care products use natural, plant-based ingredients and avoid fillers and synthetic compounds. **All Ways Healthy** carries a full line of all natural skin care products, and our knowledgeable associates can help you find just the right product for your skin care needs.

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College of Lake County Presents Art, Music and Theater Events in October

An art exhibit, children's theater, concerts and poetry reading are some of the events being held in October at the College of Lake County's Grayslake Campus.

"Recent Works," a juried competition featuring all fine art media, will be held from Oct. 3 to Nov. 2.

In the children's theater, *Magician's Nephew* will be presented at 11:00 a.m. on Oct. 2; 10:00 a.m. on Oct. 3; 2:00 and 7:00 p.m. on Oct. 4; and 2:00 p.m. on Oct. 5.

The critically acclaimed Afro-Latin musical group *Sol Y Canto* (sun and song)

will perform at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 10.

The Klezmer music of Eastern Europe will be recreated by the **Chicago Klezmer Ensemble** at 4:00 p.m. on Oct. 19.

The CLC jazz ensembles will present a "Jazz Night" at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 24.

The CLC choirs will present a "Choral Concert" at 4:00 p.m. on Oct. 26.

And a poetry reading by Chicago writer **Carlos Cumpian** will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Oct. 28.

For tickets and reservations, call 1-847-543-2300.

Elegance Salon & Spa

Upon entering **Elegance Salon & Spa**, it's hard not to notice the salon's unique use of tremendously vivid color. This upscale full-service salon specializes in everything from coloring and cuts to full body massages and Brazilian waxes, among other beauty services.

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An Afternoon of Autumn Elegance

The Barrington Area Arts Council cordially invites you to an afternoon of *Autumn Elegance*, a concert and recital by internationally-renowned organist Lynn Larsen at the Place de la Musique on the Sanfilippo Estate, Barrington Hills, on Sunday, Oct. 26.

From 1 to 3 p.m., enjoy tours of the Victorian Palace and Place de la Musique, a magnificent collection of beautifully restored antique music machines, and then listen to the wondrous sounds of the world's largest theatre pipe organ, a five-manual 80-rank Wurlitzer.

From 3 to 4 p.m., Lynn Larsen will perform a concert. Her artistry fully demonstrates the pipe organ's endless tonal colors and textures, which range from incredibly delicate to that of earth-shaking power.

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Tickets are \$85 per person. Complimentary valet parking available. Seating is limited, so reserve early by calling BAAC at 1-847-382-5626.



Four Season's Garden Club of Barrington

The October meeting will be held at the home of Joyce Sponholz on Tuesday, Oct. 7. The program will discuss "How to Attract Birds."

David Johnson, the owner of the Wild Bird Center in Palatine, will be the guest

speaker. He will discuss using water in nesting boxes and selecting the right seed and feeders.

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Garden Club Plans Trip to Galena

The South Barrington Garden Club is sponsoring a wonderful bus trip to Galena, Ill., on Oct. 2.

The air-conditioned bus with onboard facilities will leave at 7 a.m. and return by 7 p.m. We will offer light refreshments and special garden videos en route. (Lunch will not be provided.) Galena itself is filled

with historical treasures, garden centers and shops.

The cost of this exciting trip is only \$30. Anyone interested in going on this trip should contact the South Barrington Park District at 1-847-381-7515. Seats are limited, so call in your reservation today.

"Gallery in the Afternoon"

The Barrington Area council on Aging, Inc., and the Barrington Area Arts Council are co-hosting "Gallery in the Afternoon" on Friday, Oct. 24, from 1 to 3 p.m.

Please join us at the BAAC Gallery, located at 207 Park Ave., for complimentary

dessert and private viewing of "Contemporary Stitches" quilts for walls exhibit. Register early since seating is limited. Call BACOA at 1-847-381-5030 by Oct. 22 for your reservation. Admission is free.

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Meetings are held in members' homes.

The October meeting will feature a program on healthy cooking. Members will meet at a home in Inverness. Please call Genny Ellefson, 1-847-381-5228, for further information.

Tri-Delta Alumnae

The Chicago Northwest Suburban Alumnae Chapter of Delta Delta Delta Sorority meets the second Tuesday of every month from September through May.

Dr. Phillip Lee Patrone Now Practicing in Barrington

Periodontics, anesthesia and dental implants are now available in the Barrington community at the office of **Dr. Phillip Lee Patrone**, 204 W. Main Street, **1-847-277-0181**.

Besides being a periodontist and certified anesthesiologist, **Dr. Patrone** has advanced training in surgical dental implant procedures and reconstructions. He is able to restore lost bone for future implants. If you have been told you are not an implant candidate, **Dr. Patrone** may be able to help.

Dr. Patrone's training in anesthesiology has afforded patients the opportunity to have their periodontal or implant care completed under the gentle, relaxing and anxiety reducing method of intravenous sedation/general anesthesia. Coming to the specialist's office no longer needs to be a fearful experience. If you or someone you know has avoided seeing a periodontist because of fear, anxiety or nervousness, **Dr. Patrone** and his staff will take care of you in a comfortable, safe and caring environment.

Dr. Patrone is partners with Drs. Stan Treitler and Terry Sandroff. Their four office locations in Arlington Heights, Vernon Hills, Bloomingdale and Barrington provide periodontal, dental implant and anesthesia services six days a week to meet your needs. Part of their success is working closely with your general dentist, especially since a large part of periodontal and implant dentistry demands strict attention to cosmetics.

Dr. Patrone was born in 1964. He was raised in Ohio where he attended prep school at Linsley Institute. After majoring in mechanical engineering for his undergraduate work, he earned a degree from

The Ohio State University College of Dentistry. He then completed a general practice residency/surgical internship at St. Elizabeth Hospital Medical Center.

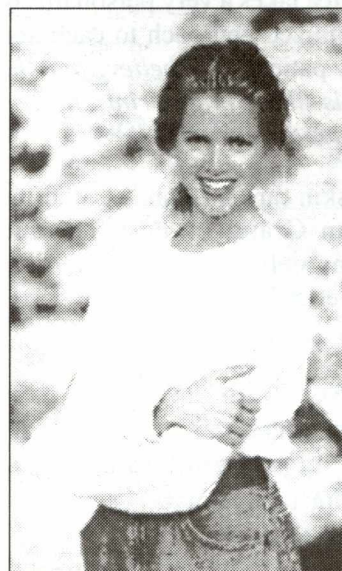
Dr. Patrone is a certified dental anesthesiologist and is trained to administer general anesthesia and intravenous sedation. He earned his Certificate of Dental Anesthesiology from Metro Health Medical Center and has lectured at Case Western Reserve University in general anesthesia. **Dr. Patrone** teaches the course for local anesthesia for William Raney Harper College's Dental Hygiene Program. Along with the above education and experience, **Dr. Patrone** is Advanced Cardiac Life Support certified and an instructor in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. He received his degrees in periodontology and dental implantology in addition to his masters of science from The University of Iowa.

Dr. Patrone is a member of the American Dental Association, Chicago Dental Society, American Academy of Periodontology, American Dental Society of Anesthesiology, American Association of Hospital Dentists, American Academy of Implant Dentistry and American Academy of Osseointegration.



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Festival of Trees, Wreaths and Ornaments

The Barrington Area Arts Council wishes to invite other area not-for-profit organizations to donate a tree, wreath or ornament for BAAC's upcoming Festival of Trees, Wreaths, and Ornaments, Nov. 21 through Dec. 23. The opening reception

will be Friday, Nov. 21, from 6 to 9 p.m.

Twenty-five artists will be featured in this one-of-a-kind annual exhibit and holiday sale. Those not-for-profits participating will benefit from and share in the proceeds.

For more information, call BAAC at 1-847-382-5626.

Countryside Performers

On Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 7 p.m., the Countryside Performers of Countryside Center, Palatine, will perform their rendition of "Songs from the Hit Parade." The performance will take place at Cutting Hall on Wood Street in Palatine.

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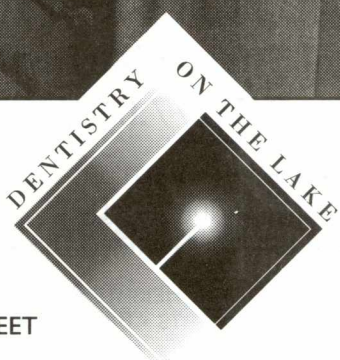
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Mark your calendar for **Fritzl's famous Oktoberfest** to be held **Friday, Oct. 10**. The fun begins at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:30 p.m., and dancing at 8:30 p.m. Dinner includes Austrian mixed salad, unlimited bratwurst and thuringer, Bavarian baked chicken, spaetzle, homemade potato sal-



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To learn more about **Language Stars**, please call **1-847-382-1190**, e-mail barrington@languagestars.com or visit www.languagestars.com.

ESO Opens Pops Season

The Elgin Symphony Orchestra celebrates the opening of its Pops Series with a grand fashion viewing of Buster Keaton's silent film *The General* on Friday, Oct. 17, at 8:00 p.m. at Schaumburg's Prairie Center for the Arts and on Saturday, Oct. 18, at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 19, at 3:30 p.m. at Hemmens' Theatre in Elgin. Music Director Robert Hanson will conduct this performance that includes piano ac-

companiment by Rick Friend, a full orchestra and a big-screen overhead.

Tickets range from \$15 to \$57 and may be purchased by calling 1-847-888-4000, online at www.elginsymphony.org or at the ESO Box Office at 20 DuPage Court in Elgin. Otto Engineering, Edward Jones, Schleifring Medical Systems, Elgin Corrugated Box and Shales/McNutt sponsor these performances.

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Attention Chocolate Lovers!

Mark Thursday, Oct. 16, on your calendars. This is the date of the October meeting of the Kildeer Women's Club, which will be held at the Royal Melbourne Country Club in Long Grove. Carol from "In the Presents of Chocolate" will demonstrate the techniques of creating holiday chocolate baskets to give to or share with your family and friends. Unusual combinations

such as chocolate potato chips, double chocolate macadamia nuts and red apple caramels will entice any chocolate lover. Lunch at the Royal Melbourne Country Club will follow.

Anyone interested in attending this event or joining the Kildeer Women's Club may contact Jane at 1-847-438-6974.

Senior Citizens Milwaukee Trip

The Senior Citizens of the Barrington Area would like to invite you to join us on Dec. 18 on a trip to see the "Radio City Christmas Spectacular" at the Milwaukee Theater. The cost is \$55 for members or \$60 for nonmembers, which includes lunch at

Apple Holler, transportation and a chance to shop at their gift shop. We will leave Greencastle at 10:00 a.m. and Langendorf Park at 10:15 a.m. Reservations and payment are due by Oct. 3. For reservations, please call Mary at 1-847-304-0712.

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BAAC Gallery Presents "Contemporary Stitches: Quilts for Walls"

The Barrington Area Arts Council announces the opening of the BAAC Gallery exhibit "Contemporary Stitches: Quilts for Walls," to run Oct. 17 through Nov. 14. This juried show features a variety of wall hangings in various forms and media by local and national fiber artists.

Exhibiting artists from Illinois include: Pat Doyle Mikrut, Palos Park; Bronwyn

Elkuss, Chicago; Sarah Itami, Barrington; Ann Wasserman, Evanston; and Sharon L. Wright, S. Barrington. Out-of-state artists include: Therese Bliss, Glendale, Ariz.; Gloria Hansen, Hightstown, N.J.; and Jill LeCrossette, Carlsbad, Calif.

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites the public to attend the opening reception on Friday, Oct. 17, from 7 to 9 p.m.

Spaces for Infants Through 6 Years Available!

Barrington Community Child Care Center, located at 560 Carl Avenue in Barrington (two blocks west of McDonald's), is a private center designed creatively for childcare, serving children 6 weeks to 6 years. Our facility offers large child-friendly classrooms with a diverse environment that promotes self-esteem, independence and cognitive growth. Our early childhood program focuses on the whole child. Each week, lesson plans are developed around thematic units which include developmentally age-appropriate activities such as creative play, science and discovery, music and movement, reading readiness, and field trips. We facilitate children in developing a positive self-esteem, respect for others, sharpen and widen language skills, and work on kindergarten readiness skills. Most importantly, our desire is to provide each child with a positive school experience.

Barrington Community Child Care Center provides excellent care for growing and developing infants. The interaction with a primary caregiver has a strong influence on their development. While

maintaining the focus on flexible scheduling, we are able to meet each infant's individual needs.

Barrington Community Child Care Center provides nutritiously-balanced, catered lunches and two snacks every day. Meals are served in a relaxed family-style atmosphere to promote socialization and healthy eating habits.

Barrington Community Child Care Center offers special enrichment programs, field trips and family events on a regular basis as part of our commitment to bringing our families and school closer together. Our teachers are experienced, professional, child-centered adults who enjoy teaching and caring for young children. The teachers work hand-in-hand with the **Barrington Community Child Care Center** in the daily nurturing of young children.

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Garden Club of Lake Zurich Events

The next meeting of the Garden Club of Lake Zurich will be held on Nov. 4 at 7:30 p.m. at the Foglia YMCA on Old McHenry Road. (The club's meetings are usually held on the first Tuesday of each month.) At the meeting, Beau Kimball will present the program "Where Did You Find That?" which will cover architectural garden antiques.

Come exchange gardening notes. For more information, call 1-847-382-2621 or 1-847-438-0860.

Future Meetings and Activities

- Oct. 7, Harvest Dinner at Foglia YMCA: This event is for and by members.
- Oct. 18, Oak Hill Gardens, 2:00 p.m.

Refreshments will be at Jean Kriebel's house.

• Nov. 4, "Where Did You Find That?", 7:30 p.m., Foglia YMCA: Presented by Beau Kimball, this program will cover architectural garden antiques.

• Dec. 2, Pioneer Gardens, local prairie wildflowers: This program will be presented by Nancy Burgess.

• Jan. 6, 2004, Medicine Wheel, Native American Gardens: This program will be presented by Judi Ann Dore.

The Garden Club of Lake Zurich is a member of both The Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc., and the National Garden Clubs, Inc.

BAAC Gallery at The Library

The Barrington Area Art's Council's exhibit for the fall at the BAAC Gallery at the Barrington Area Library is "Recent Works on Paper" by Kevin Padraic Beers.

Mr. Beers is a resident of Cary. His motivation as an artist has always been rooted in the exploration and investigation of ideas and materials. Beers' artwork is a look into the human condition, a con-

struction of and (re)presentation of what is to be human. He also teaches art and design and traditional photography at Hoffman Estates High School.

The exhibit will be on view at the Barrington Area Library at 505 N. Northwest Highway in Barrington from Sept. 3 to Nov. 28 during regular library hours.

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FurnitureKidz Store Opens in Algonquin

A unique children's furniture and gift store has opened in Algonquin. Parents, grandparents and anyone shopping for children's gifts will find an assortment of furniture, accessories and decorations ranging from soft and whimsical to adventurous and sporty. The offerings include: charming canopy beds, durable bunk beds, bedroom sets, dressers in all sizes and styles, pint-size painted play tables, and musical rocking chairs. Visitors to the store will love the snugly Bearington Collection of teddy bears dressed in sweaters and fancy dress-up clothes as well as the framed prints, rugs, lamps and assorted gifts for every child. **FurnitureKidz** also carries a line of Christian items such as crosses, frames, prayer stools and rocking chairs.

FurnitureKidz is owned and operated by Robert and Marcia Gilbreth of Barrington.



Canyon Kids

The store hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m.

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Due to the unusual rolling terrain of the land, most homes have walkout or English basements. Each lavish residence is designed with the owners' love of the outdoors in mind, so the rear of each home is as impressive as the front. Multiple balconies, brick paver patios, spectacular swimming pools and exciting hot tubs all serve to make the outdoors an extension of the home.

Setting the backdrop for these unique Old World residences, the Lake County Forest Preserve provides a haven for outdoor enthusiasts with its bike paths, walking trails and two lakes stocked with fish. Homeowners can enjoy fishing, kite flying, bird watching, wild life photography

and just plain deer watching.

Large stone patios step down to a kidney shaped pool and overflowing hot tub with lights, Jacuzzi and fountains. Curved balconies with elegant wrought-iron railings extend off the master bedroom suite in back of the house and overlook the swimming pool. Sumptuous bedroom balconies enhanced with limestone balusters are large enough to accommodate a couch, rattan chairs and a table.

An octagonal turret houses a breakfast room on the first level with an eight-foot whirlpool hot tub perched atop, creating a master bedroom balcony that's relaxing and functional at the same time. While the balcony overlooks the first-floor patio, a pond and an outdoor fireplace, inside the bedroom, a wall of glass allows the homeowner to enjoy spectacular views of the forest preserve. For those who love to entertain family and friends, an outdoor kitchen comprised of a wet bar, built-in professional grill and fireplace extends the summer a few more months and is great way of taking advantage of the changing seasons.

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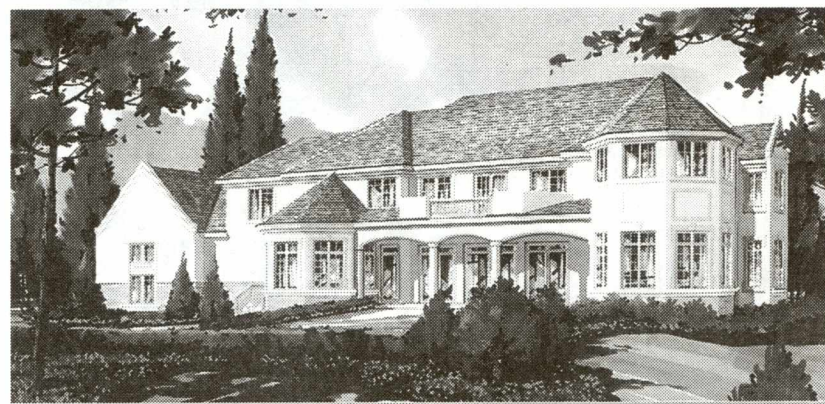
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(From left) Judy Adams, Kathleen Guzy, Liz Larsen, Molly Glantz and Pat Mileski

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"And people were truly generous," said a Suzanne Gibson, a BYS board member who assisted with collections during the morning hours. "Most motorists gave a dollar or two, some even emptied their toll change into our collection tubs."

Barrington Youth Services would like to thank everyone who donated either their time or their change. Over \$1,500 was raised and every penny directly benefits

the Barrington area. Many thanks to all who contributed.

Barrington Youth Services plans to hold this event annually.

Barrington Youth Services a not-for-profit, 501c3 agency, supports the social, psychological and emotional well-being of young people and their families in the Barrington area communities. The agency offers relevant programs and services delivered by competent professionals in an atmosphere of trust and caring. BYS strives to help clients expand and enhance their sense of self-knowledge and self-esteem. For more information, please contact BYS at 1-847-381-0345.

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Pamela Anderson of *Home Improvement* and *Baywatch* fame; Lauren Holly, star of *On Any Given Sunday* and formerly married to Jim Carrey; Jordana Brewster, star of *The Fast and the Furious*; and dancer/choreographer Cris Judd (formerly married to Jennifer Lopez) were all scene stealers. The event was hosted by British actress Tracey Ullman and featured entertainment by the Australian string quartet Bond, *American Idol* star Rueben Stoddard and alternative rock group Uncle Kracker. And of course, the runway shows were spectacular: Michael Kors, Dolce & Gabbana, Armani, Ralph Lauren, Jean Paul Gaultier, Anna Sui and more.

The event continued with a lively post



Eva T. and W. John Kolasinski, Sr. of Barrington enjoyed "Glamorama's" post party.

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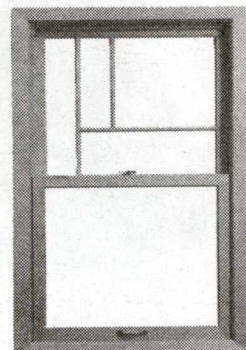
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PWAA Celebrates 105th Anniversary

Illinois State Treasurer Judy Baar Topinka (left) congratulated Bogumila Padowski, (right) director of Sales and Marketing for the Polish Women's Alliance of America, at the 34th National Convention and 105th Anniversary at their recent banquet ceremony held at the Chicago Marriott in downtown Chicago.

PWAA was founded on May 22, 1898, in Chicago as a fraternal benefit society. It was unique at the time because women were not included in the executive positions of fraternal societies. The PWAA, however, was for women with women as

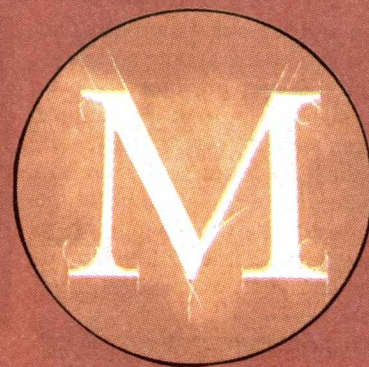
its leaders—a truly monumental achievement at a time when women did not have the right to vote. The right of women to pursue higher education, the right to enter many professions and the right of women to purchase life insurance in their own names were some of the issues tackled by PWAA founding members, who fought against prejudices to see the Polish Women's Alliance develop into a national organization and a leader in the Polish and Polish-American communities.

"I commend the Polish Women's Alliance of America for its dedication to the



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Polish community and wish them continued success in their many endeavors," said Topinka.



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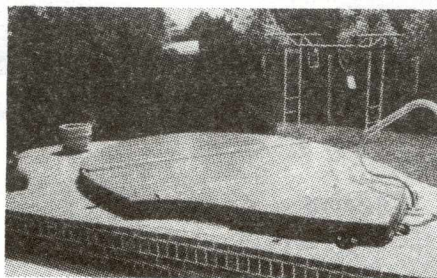
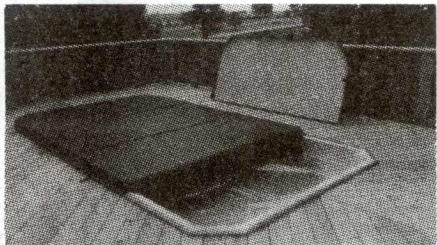
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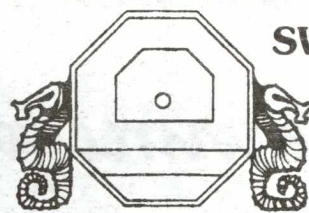
The 5K run/2-mile walk course will be in the Biltmore subdivision, offering hills and lake views. Many families look forward to this fall day for the scenic run and leisurely paced walk.

Amateur and professional runners will compete for awards at this CARA-regis-

tered, USATF-certified event. The runners will get started at 9:00 a.m. with the walkers going off at 9:05 a.m. The awards ceremony will follow at 10:00 a.m.

Proceeds will benefit Citizens for Conservation.

Contact the village office at 1-847-381-6000 for more information. Registration is also possible on the Web at—www.signmeupsports.com.



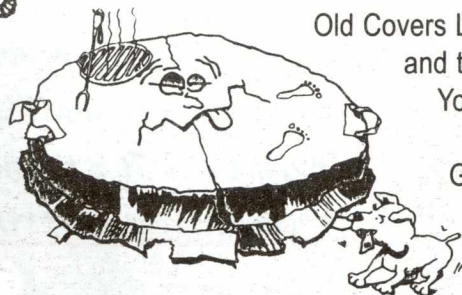
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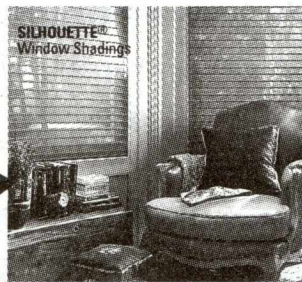
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Members of the Green Thumbs of Barrington Garden Club will "go creative" when they meet on Monday, Oct. 20, at the Barrington Area Library at 12:30 p.m.

All will participate in making ornaments for the club's annual Christmas tree, displayed in the library foyer during the month of December. Supplies and instruction will be provided. All members need to bring is their enthusiasm!

During or after the ornament workshop, participants will be entertained with slides or a movie. The subject will be a surprise.

The Green Thumbs Garden Club membership includes gardeners of all skill levels from novice to professional. Guests are welcome at most meetings, and new members are added throughout the year. For information, please call Florence at 1-847-381-2860.

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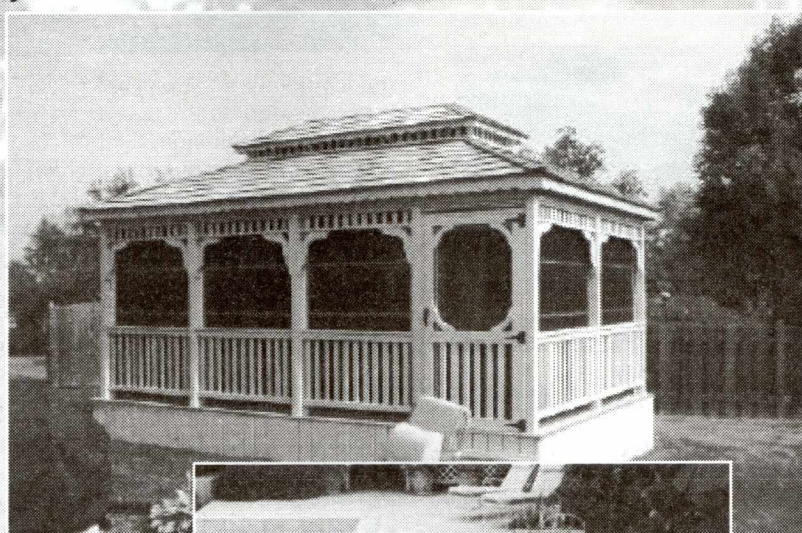
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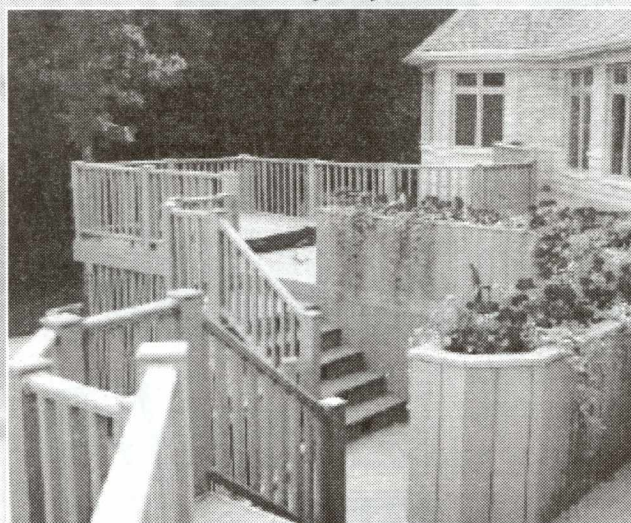
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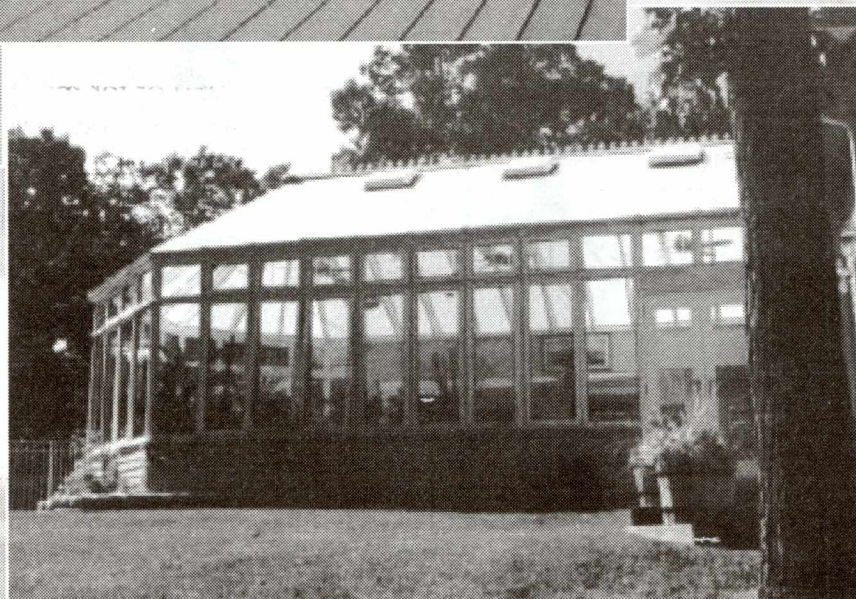
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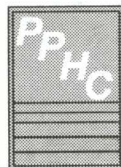


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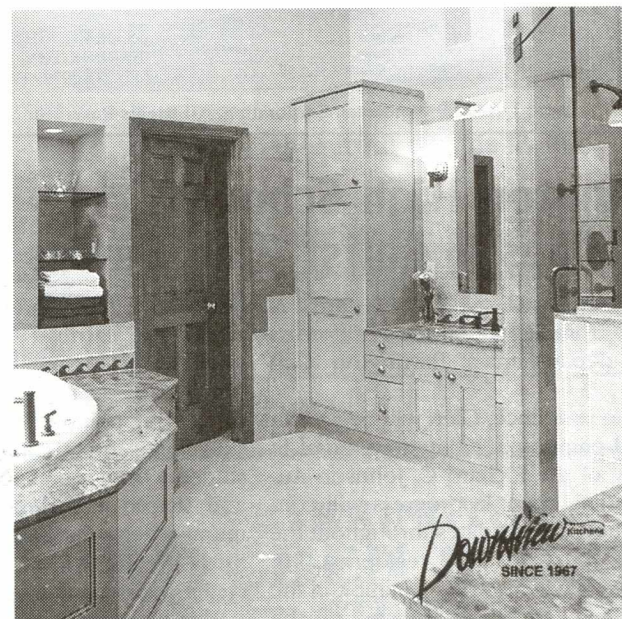
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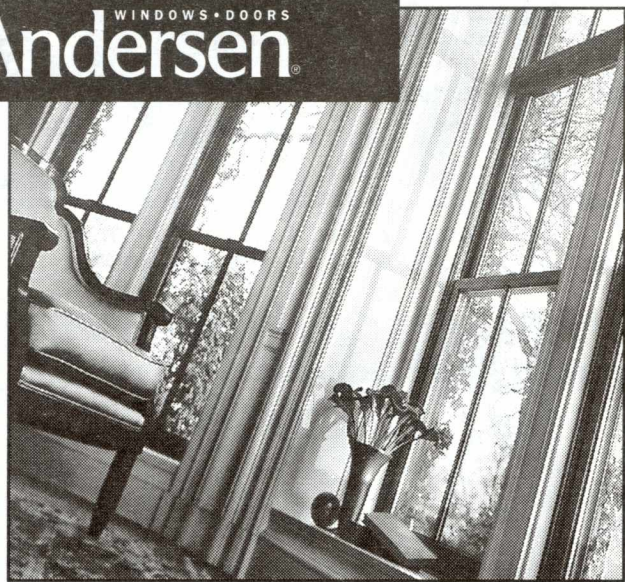


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Barrington High School Welcomes Muralist Glen Davies

Muralist Glen Davies will serve as artist in residence from Sept. 22 to Oct. 10 for the fine arts department at Barrington High School.

While in residence, Glen will begin creating and painting a 360-degree mural in the lobby of the Richard C. Johnson Auditorium. This work in progress will continue with residency dates throughout the spring of 2004. While in residence, Mr. Davies' work will also be on exhibit in the Clair E. Smith Art Gallery located on the school campus.

Mr. Davies' primary area of expertise is large-scale, figurative/landscape mural

painting. His background as an itinerant circus and carnival "show painter" and traveling professional muralist has given him a great deal of experience with techniques for painting large works. He approaches a mural site and working with students from a perspective of cocreation and shared experience. The completed mural reflects the goals of both combined ideas and individual talents, melded to create a statement of greater relevancy.

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Acclaimed International Opera Star Eric Halfvarson

Internationally renowned performer in opera, Aurora-born bass Eric Halfvarson sings regularly with the world's most prestigious opera companies and symphony orchestras. He will give a benefit performance at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 9, at the Paramount Arts Center, Aurora, for the Fox Valley Arts Hall of Fame.

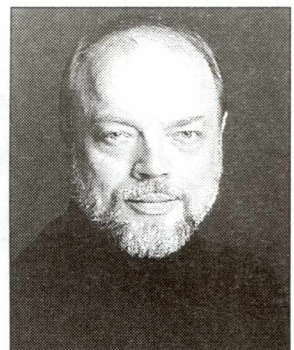
"It was the board's great pleasure to have inducted Eric into the hall of fame's first class in April 2002," said Susan Starrett, president.

He will sing operatic arias, folk songs, spirituals and old favorites such as *Old Man River* and *Deep River*. There will be an on-stage reception following the recital where concert goers can meet and greet the artists.

The famed Glen Ellyn Children's Chorus will make a guest appearance, opening Mr. Halfvarson's recital. These 50 young singers completed a year 2000 concert tour of Australia and New Zealand, a 2002 tour of Brazil, created several new recordings, and have recently appeared with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra at the Ravinia Festival. Mr. Halfvarson, one of the top five bass voices in the world, will be accompanied by John Wustman, a teacher and friend.

"I studied with John when I was at the University of Illinois," Eric said. "He is truly a master accompanist."

Halfvarson's formidable interpretations of such varied and demanding roles as Baron Ochs in *Der Rosenkavalier*, Hagen in *Goetterdammerung*, Claggart in *Billy Budd*, Sarastro in *Die Zauberflote*, King Philip and the Inquisitor in *Don Carlos*, Heinrich in *Lohengrin*, Hunding in *Die Walkure*, and Mephistopheles in *Faust* have been seen with such companies as the Bastille in Paris, the Bayreuth Festival, The Royal Opera at Covent Garden, the Metropolitan Opera, Lyric Opera of Chicago, the Canadian Opera, la Fenice in



World-renowned bass Eric Halfvarson will perform on Nov. 9 at the Paramount Arts Centre, Aurora.

Venice, Teatru Linceu in Barcelona, the Bavarian State Opera in Munich, the Vienna Staatsoper and the famed Teatro Colon in Buenos Aires as well as the opera companies of San Francisco, Dallas, Houston, Santa Fe and Washington. Indeed! He now has 11 Met roles in his repertoire. Following this recital and yet this year, Eric will perform concerts with the St. Louis Symphony in November, *Benvenuto Cellini* at the Metropolitan Opera. In 2004, he will perform in *Goetterdammerung* at Teatro Real, Madrid, and *Siegfried/Goetterd* at Teatre del Liceu in Barcelona.

For more information, visit the Fox Valley Arts Hall of Fame Web site at www.foxvalleyarts.org. Tickets are now on sale for the recital at the Paramount Theatre box office at 630-896-6666.

Halfvarson's interest in vocal music began when he was around 3.

"My father was choral director at West Aurora High School and my mother gave private voice lessons in our home," he said. "I was always surrounded by music."

The music world almost lost Halfvarson when he went off to the University of Illinois. He started out in an honors physics program. His debut with New York's Metropolitan Opera House was in 1993.



ard C. Johnson Auditorium. Please call for specific dates and times. The Clair E. Smith Art Gallery is located on the campus of Barrington High School, 616 West Main Street, Barrington, 1-847-842-3214. The gallery is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and during school

performances. Blake Mueller and Julie Salk serve as curators. For more information regarding his residency, gallery exhibition or the Barrington High School Fine Arts Department, please contact Julie Salk at 1-847-842-3214.

Renovating, Not Relocating

by Tamara Tabel

Would you love to lose your outdated kitchen or family room ...yet love to keep your neighborhood? More and more families are choosing to do just that, by remodeling their existing home to gain more space, modern amenities and a brand new look.

That's what Claudia and Tom Stark of Arlington Heights decided to do with their 1960s-era home. Instead of moving out, they decided to move some walls-expanding out from the back of their home to add 800 square feet of new dining and family room space...while at the same time, totally remodeling their kitchen.

"We wanted a larger, more comfortable area for entertaining," says Claudia Starck, "Including a larger kitchen and eating area, and an expanded family room."

The result is an open floor plan where the kitchen, dining area and family room flow effortlessly together, giving a sense of spaciousness and continuity. Yet each room offers its own surprises.

Taking its cue from the arched kitchen island, the dining area is built in the shape of an octagon. And the spacious family room features a graceful barrel ceiling, adding bold architectural drama, yet keeping with the country French style the Starcks had chosen for their new living space.

"When you create an open plan, you want to delineate and define the different areas within that space," said **Mark Zurek of Delta Renovations**, the general contractor. "The arched ceiling in the family room and the turret in the eating area accomplish that beautifully."

The Starcks chose **Delta Renovations** and **Barrington Kitchen & Baths** after admiring the work they'd done on other homes in the area.

The casual, yet sophisticated country French style is also evident in the newly-remodeled kitchen. Claudia Starck chose a unique angled island and maple cabinets finished with a light, three-step glaze, giving them soft coffee-colored accents. And to complement the finish, the cabinets are topped with granite in mottled brown tones.

Throughout the kitchen, designer **Ross Gerami of Barrington Kitchen**



The unique angled island offers functionality and architectural interest.

& Baths, addressed Claudia's desire to easily keep countertops clean and clutter-free. The microwave is built in above the oven, the island's cook top ventilation system slides down out of sight when not in use, and a small television tucks under one of the kitchen cabinets.

And the addition of a laundry room gives Claudia the convenience of first floor facilities, something she hadn't had in the 17 years she and Tom lived in their home.

So what do the Starcks think of their new space?

"It's great!" says Claudia. "It's where we spend all of our time. It's light and bright, and fits our lifestyle and needs. It's exactly what we wanted."

And the new addition/renovation gives the Starcks something else they wanted—the added benefit of staying right where they wanted to live.

If you're considering updating your current home instead of uprooting to a new one, talk to the experts at **Barrington Kitchen & Bath** and **Delta Renovations**. Just call **1-847-381-3084**. They'll help give your home new life.



The Starck's spacious living room offers a dramatic barrel ceiling.



The octagonal eating area features a turret ceiling with generous windows for lots of light.



The new addition is as beautiful outside as in.

Claudia and Tom Starck's home was featured in the Arlington Heights Kitchen Walk to benefit Journeys: From PADS to HOPE.



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Stanford Researcher Discovers Forgiving is Healthy

Dr. Fred Luskin, author of *Forgive for Good*, will present a daylong forgiveness training workshop at the Stonegate Conference Center in Hoffman Estates on Oct. 3 from 9 to 4 p.m.

Dr. Frederic Luskin of Stanford University's Forgiveness Project has documented clinical evidence showing that learning how to forgive measurably improves your emotional and physical well-being. His astonishing results are published in his new book entitled *Forgive for Good: A Proven Prescription for Health and Happiness*. Grounded in scientific research done over the past six years and backed by major grants, Dr. Luskin's findings shed light on how, through learning to forgive, we can lead more productive, healthier and happier lives.

Forgiveness does not necessarily involve forgetting nor even reconciliation, insists Luskin. "It is rather about letting go of those hurts and pains that we drag around with us to our own physical and emotional detriment."

Putting his theories to the test, Luskin brought together victims from both sides of the violence in Northern Ireland to find out how much one can forgive. One of the principal things that changed for the

Irish subjects was the transformation of their stories from being victimized to being survivors or heroes, to making peace with their ill-fated past.

From our parents and spouses to friends and bosses, we all have experiences of hurt that continue to negatively affect our lives. We know intuitively that carrying around resentment disrupts our personal and professional lives, leads to bad decision making, and can affect our health. Dr. Fred Luskin has developed an accessible guide to understanding and overcoming the negative effects of anger, bitterness and resentment. This book provides us both the tools to learn how to forgive and the scientifically-proven research on the ways in which true forgiveness can lead to greater happiness.

To make a reservation for the workshop, please call Suzanne Gibson, Ph.D., L.C.S.W., at 1-847-304-1062, or Pamela Rak, L.C.S.W., at 1-847-776-1594. The cost is \$120, which includes lunch and six CEUs for L.C.S.W.s provided by Alexian Brothers Behavioral Health Hospital. The Stonegate Conference Center is located at 2401 W. Higgins Rd., Hoffman Estates. The public and professionals are welcome.



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Hands of Hope Raises Over 200K for Programs Helping Women and Children in Crisis

Outstanding Response to Visit from First Lady of Uganda
and the Barrington Country Garden Faire

Hands of Hope, a Barrington-based, not-for-profit organization, announced its results from two major fund-raising events earlier this summer including a benefit luncheon for a visit they hosted for the first lady of The Republic of Uganda, Mrs. Janet Museveni, and a two-day Garden Faire featuring three Barrington Hills estates.

The first lady of Uganda benefit luncheon was held at the Donald E. Stephens Convention Center in Rosemont and was attended by over 600 people including representatives from key business organizations, the Ugandan Ambassador to the United States and the Swedish Consulate. Felicia Middlebrooks, morning drive anchor for WBBM-AM Newsradio 780 hosted the event, which included a written greeting from Mrs. Laura Bush and a stirring presentation by Mrs. Museveni. The first lady shared her experiences after she returned from exile following the defeat of Idi Amin. She began to rally the women of Uganda to come together to help the overwhelming number of orphans in her country resulting from years of civil war and the AIDS epidemic. Uganda has made significant progress in the fight against AIDS and in developing the vocational training needed for maturing orphans, many of whose parents were lost to AIDS. Hands of Hope donated funds directly to this program, which will enable education

and training for hundreds of youth.

The Barrington Country Garden Faire, held subsequent to the benefit luncheon, drew over 1,500 attendees who were able to view and tour three exceptional gardens in Barrington Hills, enjoy workshops, and purchase a wide variety of antiques and accessories for the home and garden offered by vendors in a French market. Hands of Hope president Vicky Wauterlek states, "We were very pleased about the response to both events this summer and we are already beginning plans for next year's Garden Faire. We find that there has been a tremendous response by individuals who want to do something to help our global community, underscored by President Bush's recent commitment of resources to support the fight against AIDS in Africa. Funds will be used for microfinance loans to empower poor working women in Uganda and Rwanda to provide for their children and the AIDS orphans for whom so many are caring for. Funds are also used to provide HIV/AIDS educational material that will be used for communities in Rwanda.

Hands of Hope is a grassroots, not-for-profit organization comprised of over 250 volunteers whose efforts are dedicated to helping women and children in crisis around the world. For more information, contact Vicky Wauterlek at 1-847-381-7367 or visit www.handsofhopeonline.org.

Fall Planning (and Planting) with SanFilippo Landscape

No matter what you do in life, planning is important. It gives you a direction and helps you get where you want to go. Sometimes, the planning can be done on your own. But more often than not, a professional is needed.

At **SanFilippo Landscape**, we offer the planning help you need when it comes to the landscaping of your home or office. We create outdoor spaces that complement your style of living. And everything must be considered! Do you enjoy entertaining? Is gardening a hobby? Been thinking about a pool? Do you require a low-maintenance yard? Remember, no one can give you what you want until they know what's important to you.

Spring vs. Fall

The question then becomes, "When do we start this project, in the spring or in the fall?"

While most people think spring is the only time to start, we'd like you to consider the fall as a great opportunity to begin:

- Fall planting for certain plants is actually better.
- Hardscapes can be built until the ground freezes; and then come spring, you're ready to enjoy it.
- You get an early start on those plants that are done in phases.

The Plan

Regardless of what time of year you start, you need a plan. This begins with telling the architect your needs. Then he will be

able to draw a "bird's-eye view" of your property. This drawing will indicate all existing structures, drives, plant materials and is usually done in either an 1/8-inch or 1/4-inch scale. Plant materials are indicated with circles which represent the tree or shrubs' spread. Always keep in mind "the right plant for the right location." A plant's mature size must always be considered; otherwise you may end up with too large or too small a plant for a given area.

Plant Materials

But no matter what your style or budget, pay attention to variety in the plant materials you choose. There are so many wonderful plants that offer different textures and colors and sizes. A good mix of heights within a planting area can give the landscape dimension while large groupings of the same plant can help create variety in texture and color throughout the seasons.

Hardscapes

Another important part of the landscape plan will be the design and treatment of decks, terraces, walkways, gazebos, retaining walls, etc. With a little creativity, these elements can add to or be a focal point in your landscape design.

So whether you're landscaping because of privacy or a love of nature, start out with a plan. Everything doesn't have to be done in one season. But if you know where you're headed, you're more likely

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Waterfront home in Barrington Hills. 4 BR, 4 BA, hardwood floors, sunroom, 3-stall barn. Greenhouse w/ artist's studio. Perennial gardens, stone walls.
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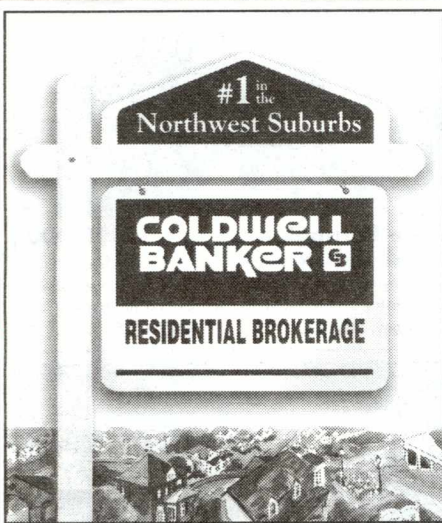
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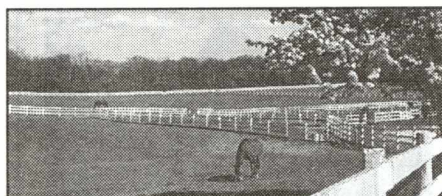




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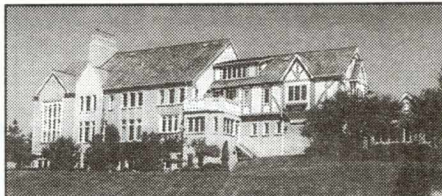
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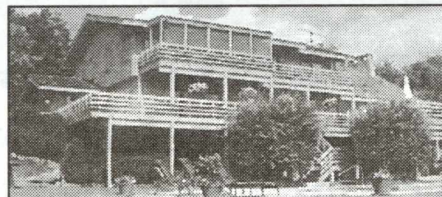
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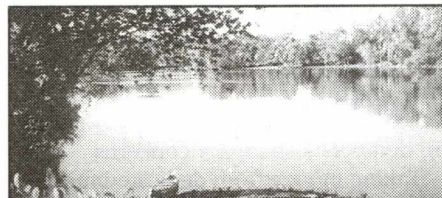
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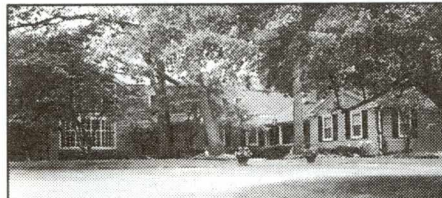
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Cary \$460,000
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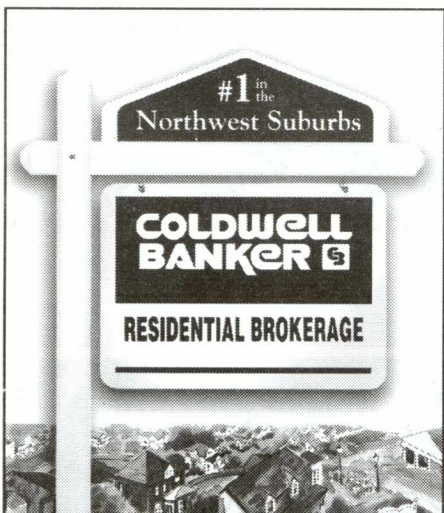
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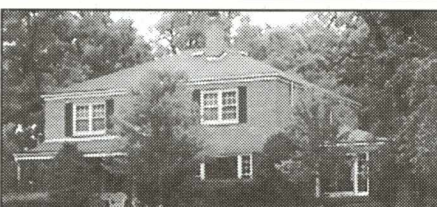
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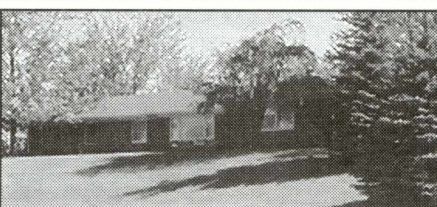
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Motorola donated material and labor to paint bathrooms, paint walls, landscape, plant bushes, spread mulch, lay stone and fertilize all the grass so the Countryside grounds would flourish.

Catchpenny Holiday Open House

Catchpenny Resale Shop will hold its annual Holiday Open House on Tuesday, Nov. 18, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fall and winter clothing and furs will be featured along with an assortment of nice purses, working watches and other jewelry, linens, housewares, books, and miscellane-

neous items.

Catchpenny, 118 E. Main St. in Barrington, is an important fund-raising project of the Auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital and is staffed by men and women volunteers. For volunteer information, call 1-847-381-0123, ext. 5093.

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Peterson Applauds Madigan's Actions with Tollway Funds

More than \$19 million in toll funds are on hold while Attorney General Lisa Madigan investigates the legality of transfers ordered by the governor. State Senator Bill Peterson (R-Long Grove) applauds the attorney general's action, taken recently.

Peterson, a longtime skeptic of the fund raids included in the democrat's fiscal year 2004 budget, is glad to see some top-ranking democrats share his concerns.

"Taking money from dedicated funds to make up for shortfalls in other areas of the budget is bad fiscal policy," said Peterson. "It does not fix the problems with the state's budget; it only hides them. I am glad the attorney general is taking the proper precautions before these transfers are completed."

Fund transfers are just one of the shady revenue schemes recently used to craft

the fiscal year 2003 budget. The attorney general's ruling will determine if the \$19 million requested from the tollway really belongs to the owners of tollway bonds.

"Whatever the attorney general decides in her ruling, the bottom line is this money belongs to the taxpayers," said Peterson. "These funds were paid by the drivers who use the tollways, and they deserve to know their money is being put to good use repairing and maintaining our toll roads."

The fiscal year 2004 budget included \$1 billion in spending above the previous year, despite the state's budget deficit and cuts made at the state level. Of the \$1 billion in extra spending, \$88 million was for new programs, even though many existing state programs were not fully funded.

Romeo and Juliet

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites you to see the Joffrey Ballet of Chicago's production of *Romeo and Juliet* at the Auditorium Theatre in Chicago on Saturday, Oct. 11. The bus will leave from the BAAC Gallery at 9:30 a.m. and arrive for a special tour of the historic Auditorium Theatre. After a lunch break, Harriet Ross, artistic Manager with the Joffrey Ballet, will

offer a special Ballet Chat. (Lunch will be on your own.) The matinee performance of *Romeo and Juliet* will follow at 2:00 p.m.

The cost is \$80 for BAAC members or \$85 for nonmembers. Contact the Barrington Area Arts Council for information or reservations at 1-847-382-5626. Limited seating is available.

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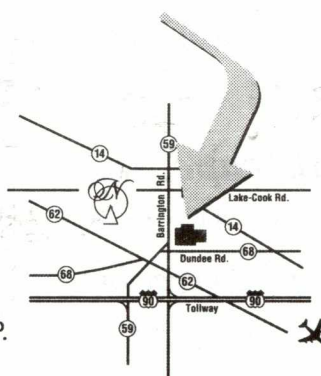
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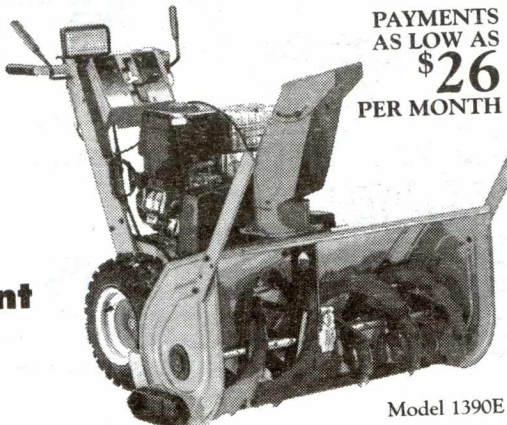
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And right now, Reed Lawn & Leisure is offering no payments and no interest until June 2004 when you purchase a new Simplicity snowthrower!

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Get Ready for Fall and Winter with JB Enterprises Landscape Inc.

Cooler fall temperatures are always a welcome relief from the summers heat and humidity. As our trees and shrubs lose their leaves there are several tasks that can and should be done. Fall is the best time to prune most trees and shrubs. Removal of excessive leaf cover is important to prevent your lawn from smothering and showing dead spots. You may also want to consider overseeding your lawn and core aeration to create the best environment for lawn recovery after drought conditions. Completing this in September or October is important for optimal results. Continue reading answers to common questions we get for fall and winter preparation.

Q. How late can I plant in the fall?

You should plan on getting any evergreens in by late October, early November. Deciduous trees and shrubs can be planted until the ground is frozen.

Q. Which plants can I add to my landscape to give me winter interest and color?

Evergreens are always attractive, while other deciduous plants will add texture and fruit color. We recommend adding crabapple, hawthorn, red twig dogwood, yellow twig dogwood and viburnum just to name a few.

Q. Should I cut down my perennials in the fall?

You can remove the dead foliage either in fall or early spring. We like to finish cleanups in the fall as it makes it easier to winterize. We usually suggest leaving the foliage or spent flowers that are attractive until late fall.

Q. How late should I water plants into the fall?

Water your evergreen plants right up until the ground is frozen. Water deciduous plants until they lose their leaves. We have had very dry conditions so everything would benefit from a good watering before winter, and increase plants ability to survive through the season.

Q. Should I remove the snow load from my plants this winter?

Let snow melt on its own. If you remove the snow you may damage the plant foliage or buds since the plant is frozen. Only when the snow is so heavy that it will destroy the plant do we recommend removing it.

Call **JB Enterprises—Barrington's Landscape Company**—for your fall cleanup and landscape enhancements. **JB** also provides commercial plowing. **1-847-382-3006.**



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From a Woman's Point of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

It is said that change means "out with the old, in with the new." But that's not always true. This past month, we've opened **Wickstrom Lincoln Mercury** on the corner of Northwest Highway and Hart Road. That's definitely new. But we've also welcomed some employees of the old Lincoln store to our team!

I'd like to extend a welcome to the newest **Wickstrom** employees: Frank Oswald, service manager; Steve Hicks, Rich Feit, Mike Tivy and Scott Klinesmith, service technicians. Blending right into our sales team are Jerry Hyer and Greg Kanavos (who are waiting for your visit)!

Other personnel include Mark Zemanik, parts; Vince Cortes and Issac Revilla, detailing department. And I know that our office staff already appreciates the cheery voices and talents of Jennifer Tusa-Howes, Kelly Roper and Stephanie Feraldo. So in the case of **Wickstrom Ford Lincoln Mercury**, it's "in with the new and in with the old!" Welcome to our team!

Change in September also means that



the new model year vehicles are rolling out! Stop by **Wickstrom Ford** and take a look at the newly redesigned 2004 F-150, the top selling truck in America.

Wickstrom Lincoln Mercury is showing off the new 2004 Lincoln Mercury vehicles and the upgrades we have done to the facility. Feel free to stop by the Lincoln Mercury building to take a tour and see the changes.

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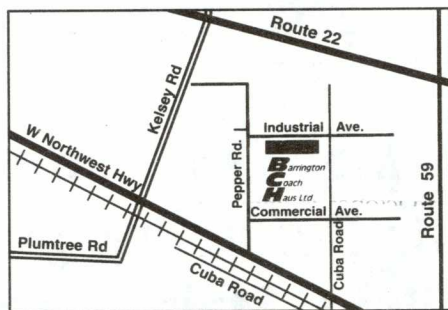
In addition to **Emkay's** great rental selection, we have an outstanding inventory for sale. Some of the vehicles we typically have available for purchase include the Jeep Grand Cherokee, Pontiac Grand Prix and Toyota Camry. These are from **Emkay's** corporate lease returns. Please call and we can fax you our current inventory list. Or go to www.emkay.com to view our current inventory.

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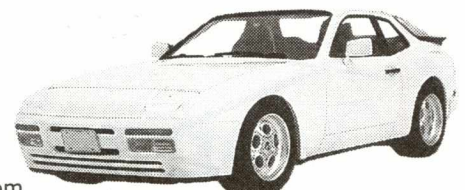
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Annual Holiday Gift Sale

The annual holiday gift sale and open house, sponsored by And All The Angels Christian Book and Gift Shop, will take place Thursday and Friday, Nov. 20 and 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.; Saturday, Nov. 22, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; and Sunday, Nov. 23, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. The shop is located on the lower level of St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 647 Dun-

dee Ave., Barrington.

Holiday selections include ornaments (most of which can be personalized), stockings, nativity scenes, snowmen and Santas, Advent calendars, holiday decorations, dishware, and gift items. Complimentary cookies and cider will be available. For further information, please call 1-847-38ANGEL (1-847-382-6435).

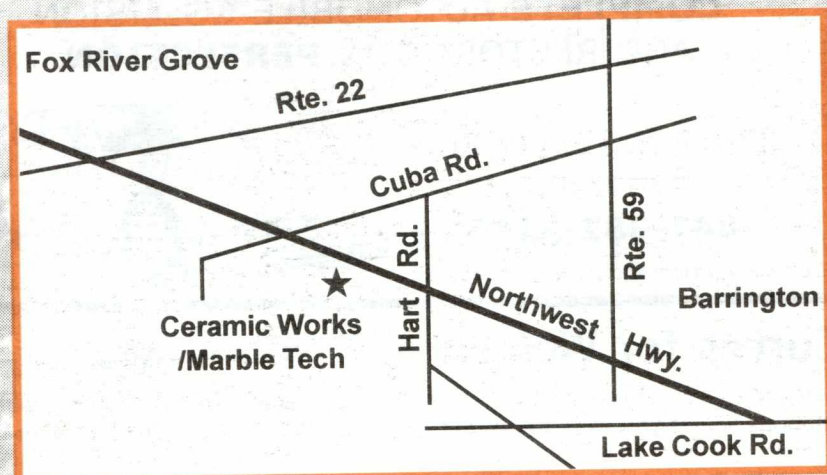
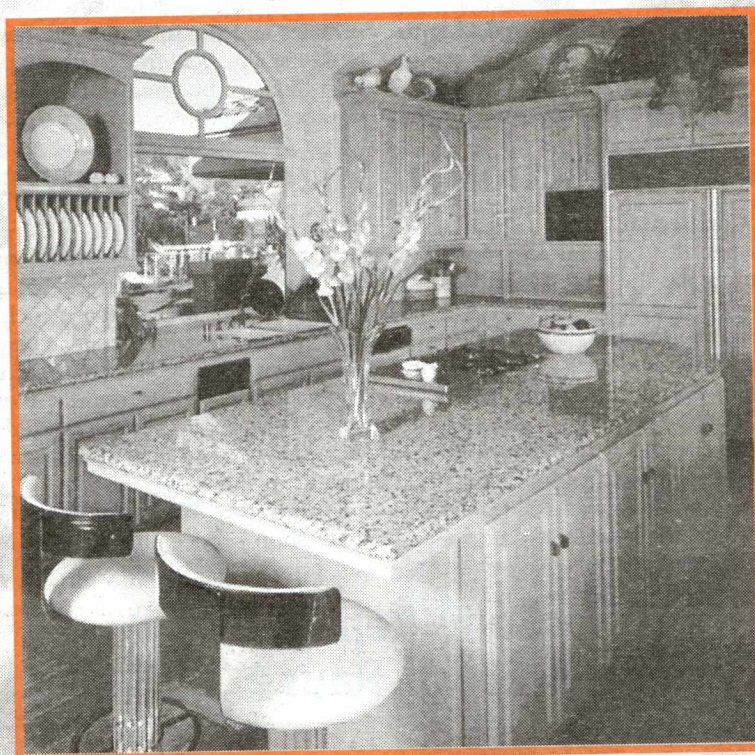
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