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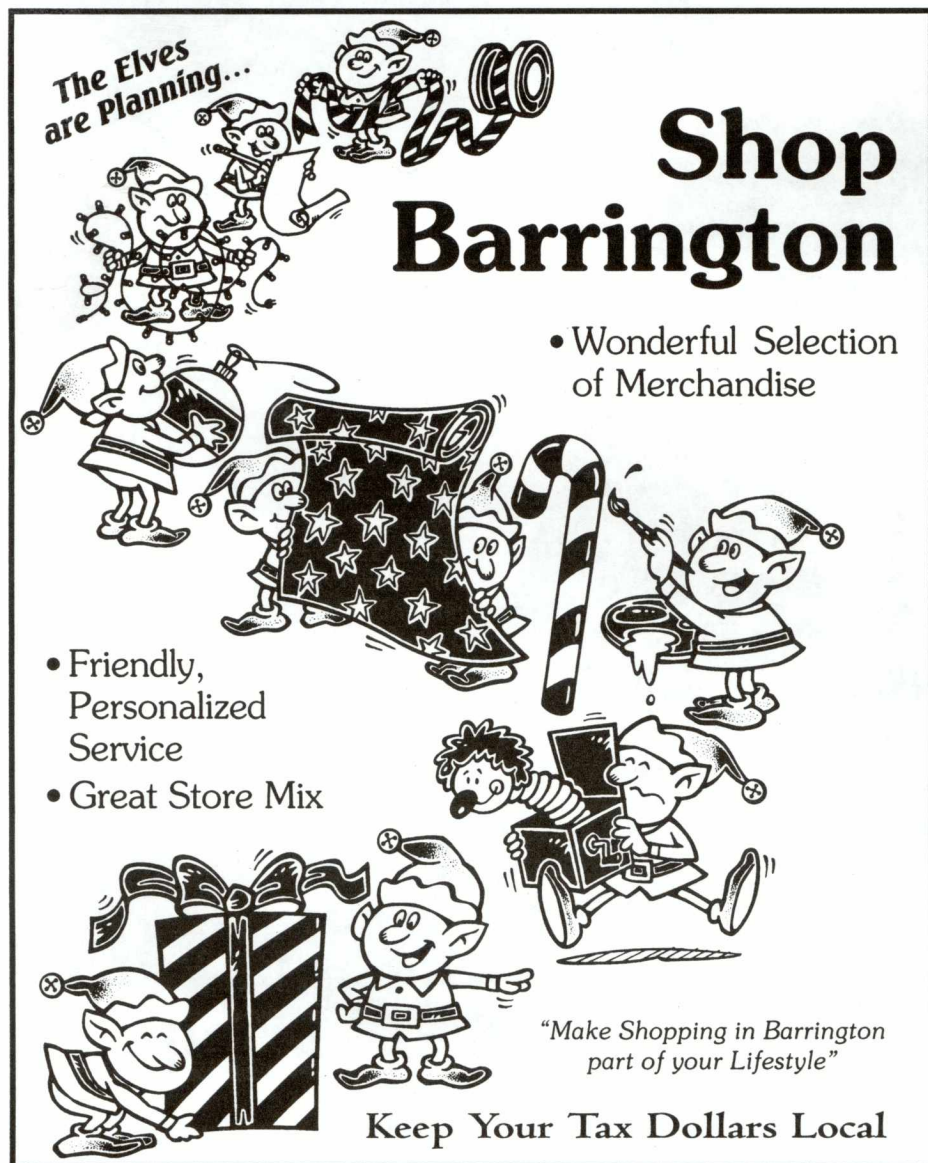
Nowadays thousands of women make appointments every week with their electrologists, but very few openly tell their friends or relatives about the positive results. Most people are too embarrassed to mention facial or body hairs, and so the facts about permanent removal must often be learned from responsible beauty editors or medical columnists.

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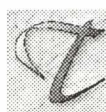
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Editor's Ink

November, 1996

Dear Reader,

A hint of the holidays is in the air! And I'm sure everyone is responding... already? Many people do like to decorate and shop for the holidays early. Stores aren't as crowded, or perhaps your gifts must be sent far away. Or maybe you are simply very organized. If you are... bless you. We hope our many beautiful gift suggestions will help in your selections.

"Fashion" seems to be on the Barrington scene. Very recently Cancer Treatment Research Foundation produced *Designs for Hope*, a fall fashion show and luncheon. Held on the Barrington Hills estate of the Stephenson's, some very outstanding Chicago designers were represented. It was certainly held for a great cause.

BWC's *Paris Magic* sounds like fun. Promising to be an enchanting afternoon of food, fantasy and fashion, it's an occasion you are sure to want to mark on your calendar—November 20. Proceeds will go toward Barrington Women's Club educational and philanthropic projects.

The BYDE Gala held last month at Wynstone Golf Club was lovely. Guests were greeted by enchanting characters from *The Nutcracker* ballet. As Bruce Miels, renowned Barrington Hills pianist, played wonderful selections, attendees bid on fabulous silent auction items. After a gourmet dinner, BYDE dancers dazzled guests as they performed excerpts from the ballet. Immediately after the performance the exciting live auction was underway.

Until next time, may all your thoughts be sunny.

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

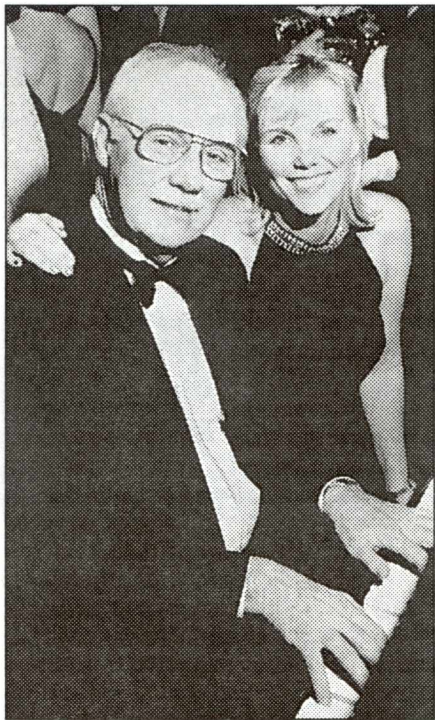


About Our Cover

From the Autumn-Winter 1996-1997 Haute
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\$15,000 Glittered From BYDE Gala



"Nutcracker" Gala co-chairwoman Diane Steichen, Inverness, visits with Bruce Miels, Barrington Hills, as he entertains guests during the social hour.

Chaired by Natividad Parris and Diane Steichen, Inverness, the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's (BYDE) *Nutcracker* Gala at Wynstone Golf Club on October 4 raised \$15,000 to benefit the third annual full length productions of *The Nutcracker* on December 6, 7 and 8.

The grand evening was replete with a candle lighted silent auction and gourmet dinner with complimentary wines. As the elegant raspberry mousse roulade was served, the BYDE dancers dazzled guests as they performed excerpts from *The Nutcracker* and a rousing modern dance choreographed by Winifred Haun, Chicago. Then Dave Nelson, Barrington's auctioneer extraordinaire, enticed high bids on the extravagant auction items and events. Two round trip to London, courtesy of American Airlines, the official airline of the BYDE, went to Richard and Priscilla Simon, North Barrington. Chris Potter from Nevada won the Executive Box for six at Arlington International Racecourse. Four Bulls tickets donated by Kraft Foods, Inc. went to Rich Haning, Cary, Greg Malovance, Barrington, and Robert Morrison, Lake Forest, took home the lovely Buschauer De-



Pictured left to right, Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble's "Nutcracker" Gala benefit co-chairwoman Natividad Parris, Inverness; Irwin Ross, Chicago; Harriet Ross, Chicago; co-chairwoman Diane Steichen, Inverness; Cindy and Michael Glavich, Lake Barrington; and Mary Brennan, artistic director, Barrington. Harriet Ross is the artistic administrator and outreach coordinator for The Joffrey Ballet of Chicago.



With a cavorting mouse and Nutcracker (a.k.a. Stephanie and Whitney) are parents Barbara and Steve Schwartz, Barrington

signer Photography framed BYDE portraits. Michael Steichen, Inverness, won the amethyst ring generously donated by M.J. Miller & Co., Barrington. Graciously donated by friends of the BYDE, a diamond tennis bracelet went to Joanne Olaes, Inverness, and the luxurious helicopter ride for five to Pam Mitchell, Barrington.

The Nutcracker will be performed in the Barrington High School's Richard C. Johnson Auditorium on Friday, December 6 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, December 7 at 2

and 7:30 p.m.; and Sunday, December 8 at 2 p.m. Advance tickets are \$15 for children, students and senior citizens; \$17 for adults. At the door, all seats are \$18. Send payments to BYDE c/o Lisa Bagladi, 3865 Charlemagne, Hoffman Estates, IL 60195. Tickets are also available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at The Studio's Barrington Dance Academy, 117 E. Northwest Highway, and the Canterbury Shoppe, 117 E. Station St. in Barrington. For information on *The Nutcracker* or the BYDE, please phone (847) 382-6333.

BAHS's "A Williamsburg Christmas"

The Barrington area historical society's major fund-raiser, "Winterscapes" is scheduled for Friday, December 6, 1996 at Wynstone Country Club. What better conjures up the feelings of Christmas, but the traditional colonial Williamsburg theme.

The evening will begin with guests arriving in black tie or theme attire and being offered a glass of champagne or ale to sip as they peruse the many silent auction items and exchange Christmas greetings. The Williamsburg theme will be carried out by background entertainment during the cocktail hour beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Pittas nursery will be designing appropriate centerpieces of fruits and flowers. Wynstone is always attired in breathtaking holiday finery.

An elegant traditional dinner will be served followed by a short live auction and dancing until midnight.

The Barrington Area Historical Society is funded solely through memberships, donations, grants and fund-raising activities. Attendance and donations to Winterscapes allows the Society to continue its mission to collect, preserve, document and exhibit the history of the area, and to provide specialized education programs.

Winterscapes committee members are Ellie Sipple, Eileen Wilbert, Kay Gillespie, Joanne Schaeffes, Gail O'Gorman, Cathy A. Lee, Sue Goodfellow and Connie Blomquist.

For reservations call the society at 381-1730, Visa and MasterCard accepted.

Barrington Newcomers Luncheon



Selecting decorations for the Holiday Luncheon are Shannon Gallimore from the Barrington Newcomers Club and Glen Egeland, owner of the Barrington Flower Shop.

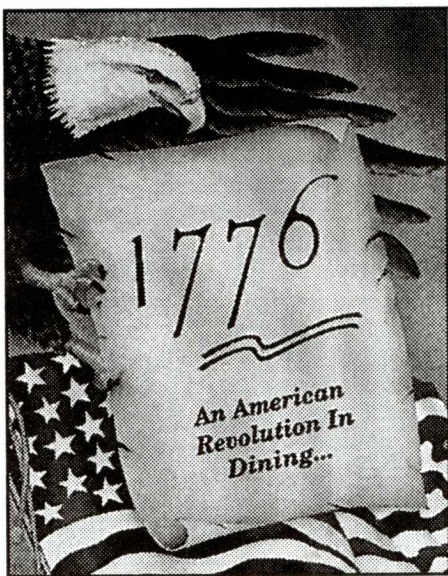
The Barrington Newcomers Club will celebrate the holidays with a festive catered luncheon on Tuesday, December 10, at 11:00 a.m. The luncheon will be held in a member's

home. For reservations, call Linda at 304-4980 no later than December 3. New residents of Barrington are welcome. For membership information call Betty at 836-8242.

BWC Plans Christmas Trip To Cedarburg

Join the Barrington Woman's Club Eclectic Group for a Christmas trip to Cedarburg, Wisconsin, on Wednesday, December 11, 1996. There will be a guided bus tour of Cedarburg beautifully decorated for Christmas, luncheon featuring either stuffed pork chop or stuffed chicken breast, and of course, shopping, shopping, shopping. Among the many attractions in Cedarburg is the Wittenberg Woolen Mill, built in 1864

and in operation until 1969 and now the home of the Cedar Creek Settlement and houses the Cedar Creek winery and a variety of galleries and shops. The bus will depart Langendorf Park promptly at 9 a.m. Cost for this delightful holiday outing is \$40. Please mail your check made out to BWC to 394 Woodview Avenue LBS, Barrington, IL 60010 by November 18. Questions call Alita at (847) 526-0446.



Beaujolais Nouveau Dinner

Thursday, November 21

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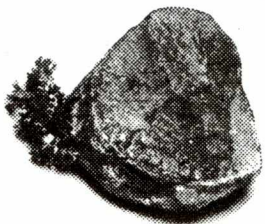
Two special events this month are **Beaujolais Nouveau Night** and an Anchor Steam Beer Dinner. Thursday, November 21 is the night the new Beaujolais for 1996 is released. Celebrate with a gourmet meal and wine from three French vineyards.

Anchor Steam Beer will be featured at the **Sixth Annual Beer Dinner** on Friday, November 29. Sample five different beers with a five course meal. This is the Friday after Thanksgiving and, guaranteed, there will be no turkey served.



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Don't forget the excellent values found in the Special of the Month offerings. For November, **Jovan's Grill** presents an 8oz. Top Sirloin Butt Steak and Fried Shrimps. This is served with a house salad, baked potato, vegetables and coffee for \$16.95.

The atmosphere remains the same—elegant, candlelit tables overlooking downtown Barrington from the second floor dining room and the spacious, wood-trimmed bar on the main level. The bar has a homey, neighborhood atmosphere, making it the perfect place to meet after work or catch the latest sports event on the satellite TV.

Jovan's Grill serves lunch Monday-Friday, 11:30 am to 4:30 pm, and dinner Monday-Saturday, 4:30 pm-10:30 pm. Reservations are recommended, especially for weekends, by calling **847/381-4422**. For a quiet dinner for two to a large celebration, from attentive service to an extensive wine list, diners are sure to enjoy all that **Jovan's Grill** has to offer.

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If you haven't visited **Little Munchkins** yet, you are in for a delightful treat! Nestled in downtown Barrington in a lovely Victorian home on Main Street, **Little Munchkins** is filled with beautiful clothing, accessories and furniture for your child.

As we approach the holiday season, the latest clothing collections are arriving... brands you'll love such as Sylvia White, Little Me, Plum Pudding, Mother Maid and House of Hattan. Accessories such as hair bows, bonnets, caps and hats to coordinate are there as well. Available sizes are preemie to four toddler.

Little Munchkins also carries the exquisite upscale Ragazzi furniture. Twin beds, bunk beds, dressers, cribs and bedding, along with the latest in cradles and strollers, are available as well.

It's a small wonder **Little Munchkins** is known in the area as a "Grandmother's Dream."

Look for the coupons in the **Little Munchkins** ad and save!

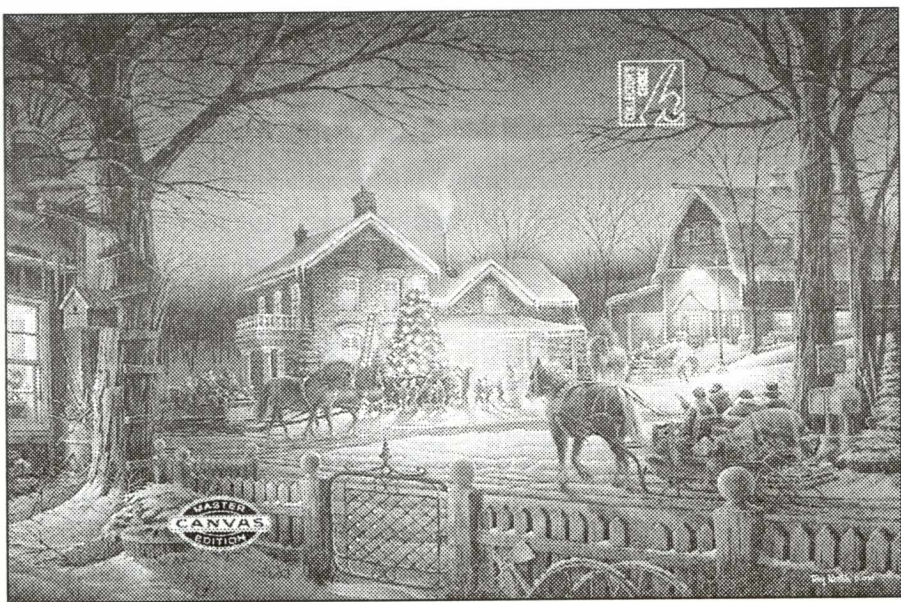


Cookie Walk Set For Dec. 7

It's Cookie Walk time again. The annual event will be held on December 7 at The Community Church of Barrington, Lincoln and Grove avenues, Barrington, with the doors opening at 1 p.m. Holiday cookies, which can be individually selected, will be

sold by the box for \$7. With all the other seasonal chores, it is handy to have the cookie baking done by someone else.

For more information call Judy Janney, 304-0312 or Marthann Schneider, 381-5363.



"Trimming the Tree" by Terry Redlin

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Limited Edition Prints Bring Home The Warmth Of The Season

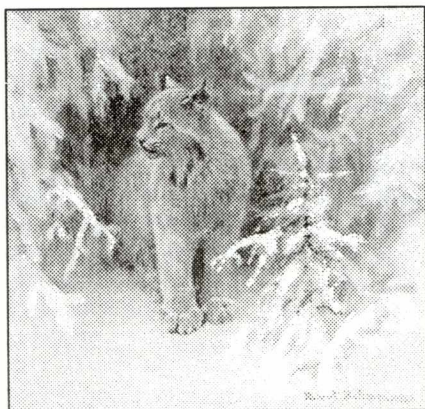
You'll find the art that's just right for you at **Woodland Art Gallery and Frame Shoppe**. Here's just a peek at what artful pleasures await you at the area's most respected art gallery.

Promising to be one of the most sought-after prints of the season is artist Terry Redlin's annual Christmas print. This year it's *Trimming the Tree*. **Woodland Art Gallery** boasts the largest collection of Redlin works in the area including many sold out prints.

Also on the new release list is Robert

Bateman's *Lynx in Snow*, a follow-up to his critically acclaimed *Dozing Lynx*. And still available is Bateman's long-awaited *Edge of Night - Timber Wolves*.

For the whimsy at heart, there's the newest release from Greg Olsen—*Cream and Sugar?*



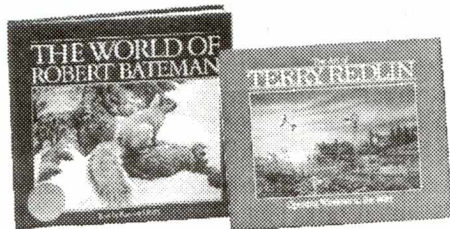
"Lynx in Snow" by Robert Bateman

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And bring the joy of the season home with Bradley J. Parrish's sold out *Shhhh*. **Woodland Art Gallery** has procured a limited quantity of artist's proofs of this sold out classic featuring an old world Santa on one of his holiday visits.

Also available at the gallery is *Autumn Porch*, the latest work from artist David Armstrong. With more than 20 sold out editions in the last 15 years, this artist is a must for nature lovers and art collectors alike.

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



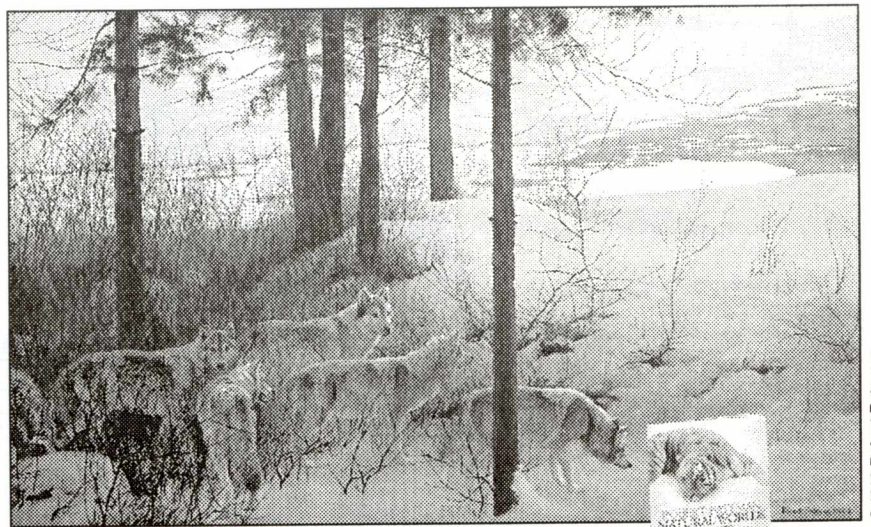
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"Shhhh" by Bradley J. Parrish

Wall to Wall Holiday Pleasure



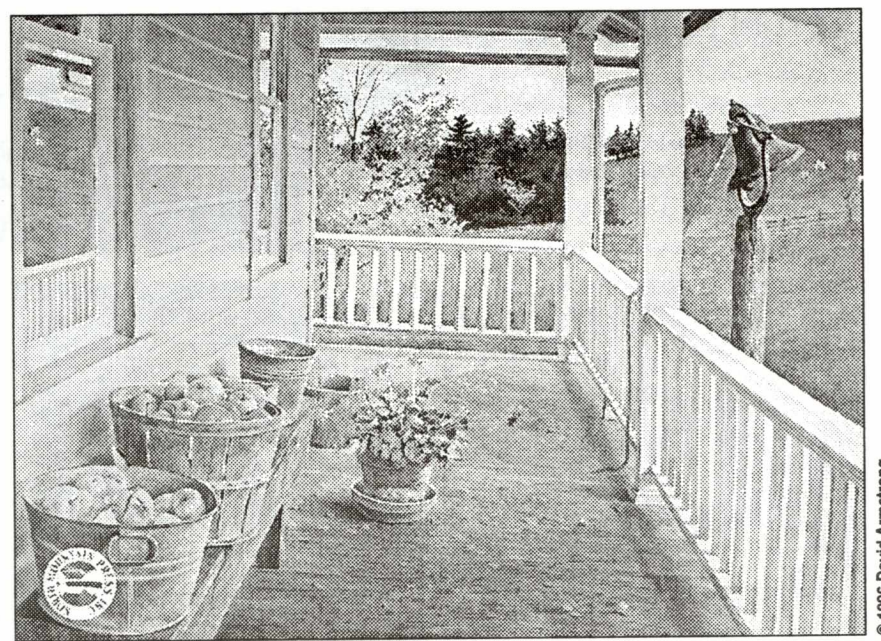
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Autumn Porch

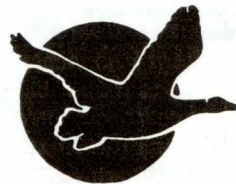
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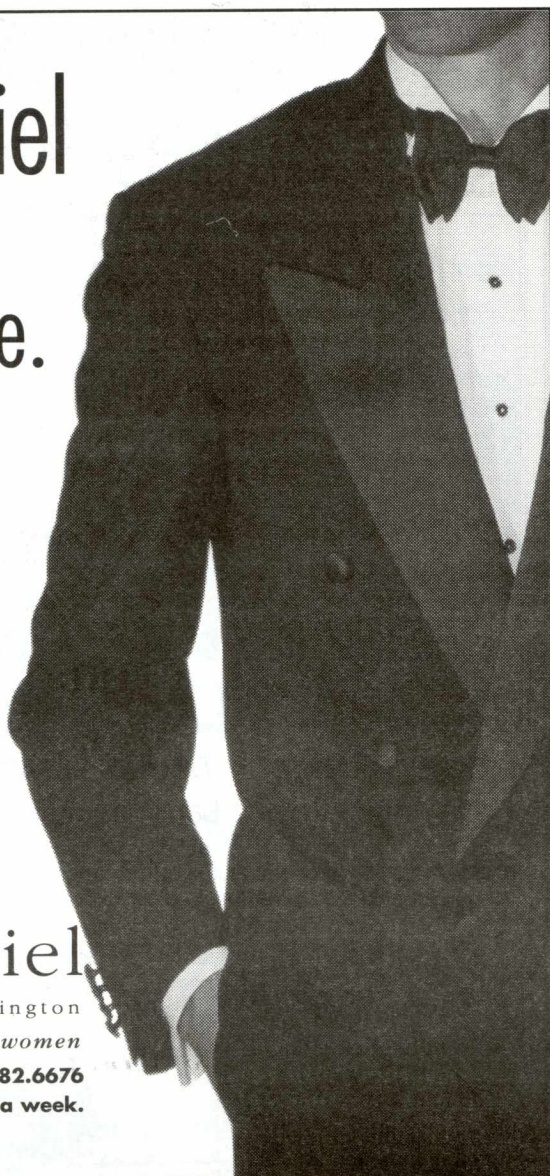
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And ladies, every Wednesday and Friday afternoons between noon and 1:30 p.m., fashion shows are held, showing the latest in trendy and chic styles from the fashion boutiques in the Barrington Ice House Mall. I wonder what the latest fashions will be for this holiday season?

Turn that special holiday happening into wonderful memories... at **Chessie's**,
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AT THE BARRINGTON ICE HOUSE MALL

Holiday Open House At The Barrington Ice House

The Holiday Season is fast approaching and the many diverse and unique shops at the **Barrington Ice House Mall Village Shops and Restaurant** are filled with lots of gift giving ideas. We invite you to join us at our annual Holiday Open House Saturday, November 16, 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. and Sunday, November 17, 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. In addition to special entertainment and complimentary refreshments there will be savings throughout the Mall.

On Saturday, November 16 at 11:00 a.m. there will be a guest appearance by members of the cast for the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble *Nutcracker* and on Sunday, November 17 at 1:00 p.m. there will be a performance by a string quartet from the Suburban Summer Symphony. Both performances are free and something you won't want to miss!

Our shops offer a wide variety of items for your gift giving purchases: Aubreys of Barrington carries gifts and decorative items featuring Waterford, Fitz & Floyd, Figi and Staffordshire Boxes; at the Barrington Bath Shoppe you can find fine toiletries and home fragrances from Crabtree & Evelyn, Scarborough, Yankee Candle and Claire Burke; Benetton of Barrington has a unique upscale assortment of adult and children's clothing for all seasons; Blessings, Gifts from the Heart, specializes in fine quality inspirational gifts; original, hand-blown, art glass lamps, vases, perfume bottles and paperweights can be found at Chesterfield Galleries; European Gift Express offers fine gifts and collectibles with a European flair that showcase twenty-one European countries as well as the art of Thomas Kinkade, "Painter of Light"; Francesca's (our newest shop) specializes in silk and naturally dried flower arrangements and other fine handmade gifts; unique, prepackaged gourmet foods, coffees, chocolates, sauces, mixes and kitchenware can be found at Gourmet Faire; Graphic Source Art Gallery has original paintings, limited edition prints and accents for the home; Jan's of London specializes in ship models, maritime artifacts, English painted furniture, military desks and Porta Bella Road "International Cargo" accessories for the home and office; Once in a Blue Moon offers gold and silver custom jewelry design and repair on the premises and has "a lot of other really neat handmade stuff"; Peter Daniel Apparel for Men and Women carries classic upscale clothing from casual sportswear to formalwear; The Snail's Pace has unique handcrafted gifts, children's trinkets, baby items and decorations for the home; Stay Tooned Gallery is the largest framed Animation Art Gallery in the world and carries original artworks from Disney, Warner Brothers, Hanna-Barbera etc. See Mickey,

Bugs, Winnie the Pooh, Rocky & Bullwinkle, The Simpsons and even Michael Jordan; Sundance Apparel Ltd. carries unusual, one-of-a-kind, artwear, contemporary coordinates and dresses with special hand crafted accessories; at Tommy-Terri, the largest children's store in the area, you can find clothing for boys and girls, infant to size 14; Village Cobbler Shoes/Stride Rite Booteries carries brand name footwear for every member of the family in a wide selection of styles and sizes; and the Village Hallmark Shop has gifts, cards, stationery, gift wrap and party goods.

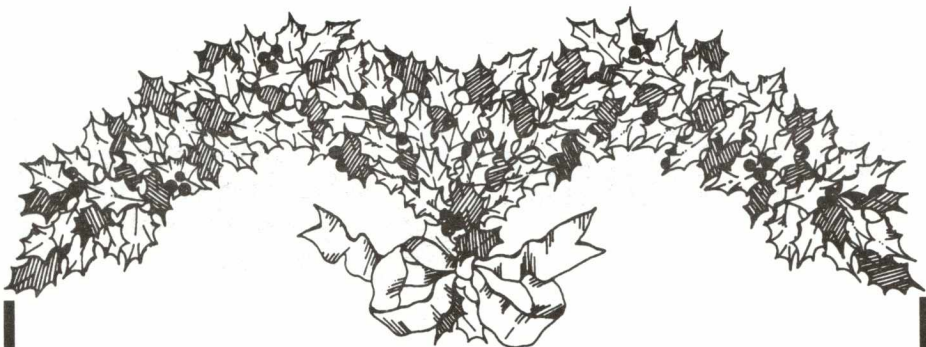
Also located in the **Ice House** is the She & "I" Hair & Nail Salon which is a full service hair and nail salon featuring custom cuts, hair color, perms, manicures and pedicures. Walk-ins are always welcome.

All of our shops specialize in personalized service and most offer gift certificates, gift wrapping and UPS service. In addition, mall gift certificates, good at any one of our boutiques, salon or restaurant, may be purchased at the Management Office.

Chessie's Restaurant, which is located at our west entrance, has an award winning menu and is a great place to meet friends for informal dining and warm, friendly service. Patrons can sit in either the vintage Illinois Central railroad car, restored old Barrington train station or bright, skylit atrium. In addition, informal modeling by Ice House shops takes place at Chessie's every Wednesday through Friday from noon to 1:30 p.m.

December is a busy month at the **Barrington Ice House**. Eleven Barrington Brownie and Girl Scout troops will be entertaining us by singing Christmas carols beginning with North Barrington's Brownie Troop #530 on December 2 at 4:00 p.m., Barrington's Breakfast Rotary Club will sponsor "Playground for the Mind" on December 7, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., The Barrington Children's Choir will perform December 7 at 1:00 p.m., the Dancing Feet Dancers will perform December 20 beginning at 7:00 p.m. and December 22 beginning at 1:00 p.m. and the Barrington Brass will perform on December 23 at 7:00 p.m. Santa arrives on Saturday, December 7 and will be in the Mall throughout the month and our free gift wrap center will be open December 14-24, 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Please watch for details in next month's edition of *Lifestyles*.

The **Ice House Mall** is located in downtown Barrington on Applebee which is one block west of the intersection of Route 59 (Hough Street) and Lake Cook (Main Street) where there is plenty of parking. For further information please call (847) 381-6661.



*You are cordially invited to the
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**Saturday, November 16th, 9:30 am to 5:30 pm
and**

Sunday, November 17th, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Guest appearance by members of the cast for the
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Saturday, 11:00 am

**Performance by a string quartet from the
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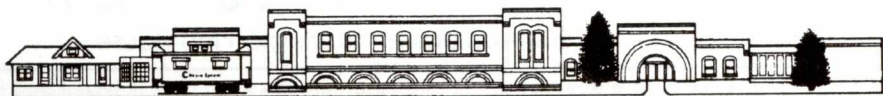
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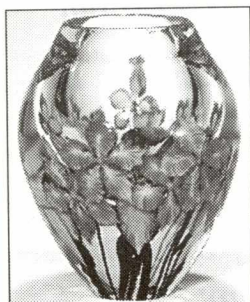


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Womens Club Of Inverness 1996-97 Calendar

The Womens Club of Inverness has announced its meeting schedule for 1996-97. The following are the dates and times of the meetings and events as currently determined:

Tuesday, November 5, 1996, *Christmas Luncheon and Boutique*, 10:00am-3:30pm, Concord Banquets. Contact Trina Toms at 202-1244.

Thursday, December 10, 1996, 9:30am Coffee, 10:00am Meeting, Lunch follows. The program "Holiday Culinary Creations" will be presented by Dyan Cuprisin of Three Chefs, Cary, IL. Chia at Woodfield will also present an infor-

mal fashion show of holiday and cruise wear fashions.

Thursday, January 14, 1997, 9:30-11:00am, Continental Breakfast and Meeting. The Northwest Community Hospital Corporate Health Services Department will present "Till Help Arrives," a program with information on how to recognize an emergency, how to summon help, and what to do until professional help arrives.

Thursday, March 11, 1997, 9:30-11:00am, Continental Breakfast and Meeting. Sharon Herian of Foxwood Gardens will present "Passion for Perennials" to assist in spring gardening.

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AT THE BARRINGTON ICE HOUSE MALL

Fine Gifts For Ladies & Gentlemen At Jan's Of London

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ship models, scrimshaw, cigars, Charles Vickery prints and giftware for the gentleman. And for the ladies, fine unique gemstone jewelry.

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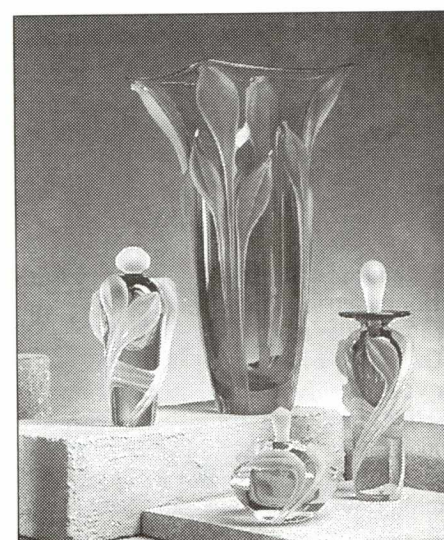
If you are looking for the beautiful and unusual in gift giving consider the world of art in glass from **Chesterfield Galleries**, located within the Barrington Ice House Mall.

The recipient doesn't need to be a collector to enjoy these rare, unique pieces. Take for example the picture in this article... this glass art was done by William Glasner. The perfume bottles and vessel are hand blown glass forms with graceful sculpted leaves which were applied while hot to the exteriors.

Turn to the picture in the ad. This is a paperweight vase. This exquisite piece was crafted by David Lotton. Unique pink petals have blue veins flowing through them.

Also available are one-of-a-kind bottle stoppers and hand blown ornaments for the tree as well as Galileo thermometers and birthstone angels.

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a picture of their home or a special event).

You must see this rare art form to fully capture their true beauty.

In Children's Fashion, The Emphasis Is On Comfort & Layering

Holidays are fast approaching and we at **Tommy-Terri** are ready to make it a special time and create a special look for your children.

This year the emphasis is on comfort and layering. Sherpa outfits, vests and pants are at the top of the list, along with wonderful flannels, fleeces and corduroys. Plush velvets in an array of colors and combinations along with vests, sweaters and pants will make the holidays festive.

This season we have added several new lines. We welcome Marsha, Wee-Be-Bop, Marisa Christian and Stix & Stones just to name a few. We also welcome back Sylvia Whyte, C.I. Castro, Good Lad, Small Treasures, Plum, Nautica and Imp.

As always, for your convenience, gift wrappings and UPS shipping are available and remember our famous "Playhouse" and videos to keep the little ones happy while shopping.



We look forward to assisting you in coordinating fashions for your children, boy and girls, infant to size 14.



April 18, 1997, *Annual Fashion Show and Luncheon*, 11:00am-2:30pm. This event will be held at the Hyatt-Woodfield, with fashions to be presented by Saks Fifth Avenue.

Thursday, May 8, 1997, 9:30am Coffee and 10:00 Meeting, Lunch follows. The

Harper College Fashion Department presents their Spring Fashion Show.

Please note that the times of the programs in January and March have been changed from the earlier published press release appearing in the October issue of *Barrington Lifestyles*.

AT THE BARRINGTON ICE HOUSE MALL

Meet Barb Doneske At She & "I"

With 17 years of experience, including two years at **She & "I" Hair and Nail Salon**, Barb Doneske's commitment is to her clients. Barb's #1 priority is to listen to the needs of her clients and that means finding out if they want a subtle or drastic change and how much work they want to put into their hair.

With the Holiday Season fast approaching, why not make your hair your top priority. Barb suggests "dimensional coloring" for that "new" look and for first time cli-

ents she is offering a free hair cut with this type of highlighting during the month of November. You can find Barb at **She & "I"** every other Tuesday and Saturday and Wednesdays through Fridays, including Wednesday evenings.

She & "I" Hair and Nail Salon is a state of the art salon which offers perms, color, facial waxing, manicures and pedicures. Walk-ins are always welcome or please call **381-5043** for your next appointment.

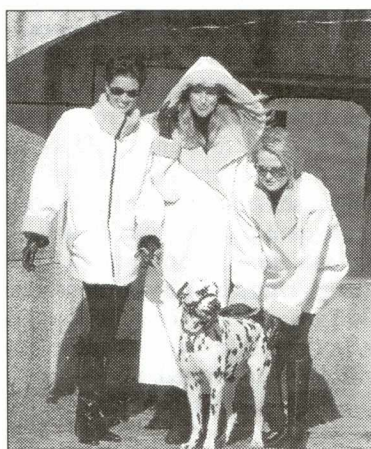
A Message From Sundance

Pictured is cozy polar fleece in winter white. These coats are lightweight, attractive, and an excellent affordable price. They are available in many colors too.

Winter white is making a strong statement this year for the holidays. You will see it in pantsuits, dresses and suits. The other major statement is found in lush velvet dresses, skirts and tops. They can be elegant to cozy. We also carry elegant chiffons by Carol Dolighan for black tie affairs or weddings.

The pantsuit is back and we have a beautiful selection to take you from business to a social occasion. We are featuring these **now through November 13 at 20% OFF.**

Don't forget gifts for the holidays. We have a wonderful selection of new artisan jewelry, designer sweatshirts, handbags



and sweaters.

Sundance is now open on Wednesday until 8. So stop in and see us soon.

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Garden Club Of Inverness Plans Christmas Fund-Raiser



Co-chairs of the Christmas Luncheon for the Garden Club of Inverness are Lynn Ward, Cathleen Laskov and Jill O'Connell.

Plans are underway for the Annual Christmas Luncheon to be held by members of the Garden Club of Inverness on Wednesday, December 4, 1996, at the beautiful Biltmore Country Club in North Barrington, Illinois. This major fund-raiser of the year for the club will feature prizes such as lovely theme baskets provided by the members. This year the program will again feature Kimberly Oldis of Kimberly's Florist in Glen Ellyn who will create her origi-

nal floral designs to be awarded to lucky recipients present. Festivities begin at 11:00 a.m. with cocktails and viewing of the theme baskets. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. and will be followed by the program. Leadership roles are being very capably filled by the luncheon co-chairs: Jill O'Connell, Cathleen Laskov, and Lynn Ward. Their efforts have been ongoing all summer in preparation for this annual affair. Tickets are available for \$35 and can

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1996 Christmas Card Benefits Home Of The Sparrow

Friends of the Sparrow has its 1996 Christmas cards available for sale. The cards sell for \$10 in packages of ten and may be purchased in Barrington at the Canterbury Shoppe, 117 East Station, and Ambrosia and Brian's Cleaners in the Foundry.

Friends of the Sparrow is the Barrington support group for Home of the Sparrow, in McHenry. Home of the Sparrow, founded in 1986, successfully lifts homeless women out of the cycle of welfare and places them back into productive society. It provides transitional housing, assists in job training and securing employment, and enriches life

skills for homeless women and their children. Proceeds from the sale of the Christmas card directly support Home of the Sparrow.

Traditionally, a child who lives at the shelter draws the Christmas card. Kaye Verner of Friends of the Sparrow organized a summertime Christmas party for the children so they could express their visions of Christmas in the form of potential card covers. The drawing chosen, a Christmas tree surrounded by stars, depicts the hope, opportunity and dignity provided to those served by Home of the Sparrow.

be purchased at the club's general meeting this month on November 21, or by contacting Lynn Ward at 991-6147. Profits from this fund-raiser go toward the Garden Club of Inverness' annual contributions to the horticultural scholarship funds and other charitable endeavors sanctioned by the Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc.

On Thursday, November 21, the members of Garden Club of Inverness will hold their monthly meeting at Holy Family Church, 2515 West Palatine Road, Inverness, at 9:30 a.m. A very special program will be presented by Tish Robinson entitled "Decorative Details in French Gardens." Tish Robinson is the owner of The Wonders of France, a consulting service offering custom itineraries to France, programs about France and pre-trip orientations prior to departure for France. She travels to

France several times yearly for independent study and research and to photograph Paris and the French countryside for presentations. From 17th Century designs of the gardens at Vaux-le-Vicomte and Versailles in the Ile-de-France region of France to 20th Century innovation in garden concepts, we will see examples of man's embellishment of the French landscape as a source of visual delight. We will learn how the natural features of gardens were enhanced by the placement of fanciful structures, tranquil water attractions, beckoning pathways, and artful sculpture. Do plan on attending this program, even if you are not a Francophile, to explore the wealth which remains from this gardening legacy of France's garden design tradition. All who are interested are invited to attend and guests are always welcome.

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Limoges Giveaway During Holiday Trunk Show!

Visit **The Canterbury Shoppe's** Annual Holiday Limoges Trunk Show and register to win a free Rochard Limoges Box (your choice, \$150 value)! (No purchase necessary, registration and drawing will be done during the show!) From Sunday, November 25th to Sunday, December 1st, **The Canterbury Shoppe** will have a grand presentation of over 100 exquisite Limoges boxes for purchase! The beauty and quality of Limoges boxes have been cherished by collectors for over 300 years. Made from the finest porcelain in the world, each of these boxes are individually painted, signed and fitted with a unique clasp, making each one a work of art! For the new or serious collector, our selections will range from

classic to whimsical, fruit, frogs, music, storybook, holiday, angels and romantic! Some of the newest introductions will be available including the beautiful nativity, polar bears in tuxedos, playful cats, a fisherman, and a spectacular Santa in his sleigh! The unmistakable attention to detail and quality of painting and design has made Rochard Limoges Boxes a collectors choice!

The Canterbury Shoppe is open 7 days a week through Christmas, Monday-Friday, 10-5:30, Saturday-Sunday, 10-4, and is located at 117 East Station Street in downtown Barrington (1 block south of Main and Route 59, near Starbucks Coffee). Any questions? Give us a call at (847) 304-9627.

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What Is a PCA Peel?

The PCA Peel is a blend of alphahydroxy acids (AHAs) and lighteners added to a standard Jessner's solution. This is a non-toxic light to medium range peel. This peel is particularly effective on sun-damaged skin and skin with uneven pigmentation. The goal of the treatment is to give the complexion a more even skin tone.

What Does a PCA Peel Contain?

PCA Peels contain lactic acid and is well received by the body and is moisturizing. The use of alphahydroxy acids can be used together with the lactic acids. The alphahydroxy acid breaks the chemical bond of the glue that holds the dead skin layer together. They speed up the exfoliating process enabling the newer healthier cells to surface. The lighteners in the PCA Peel are kojic acid and hydroquinone. These do not actually "bleach" but inhibits the enzyme tyrosinase that encourages the melanocyte to create new melanin.

What Are the Effects of the PCA Peel?

The effects of the peel are different on each individual. The PCA Peel can cause light-

ening in color of the skin. Also not everyone should expect to actually see their skin peeling. Occasionally, you may have light flaking in a few areas for a couple of days. Most patients who undergo this treatment have only a little redness for anywhere from one to twelve hours. It is recommended to not apply makeup the day of the treatment. It is ideal to allow the skin to stabilize and rest over night. Your skin will feel tight and "pulled." Apply moisturizer as frequently as you feel needed. Absolutely do not go to a tanning booth for a least 3 weeks before or after a treatment.

Where and How is the Procedure Performed?

The first step in a PCA Peel is to come to the office for a consultation. In your consultation you will be asked a series of questions regarding your skin. This will help the technician understand better what is best for your individual skin. Your skin is then examined through a Wood's Lamp. The violet rays of the lamp enable you to "see" into the deeper layers of the skin in order to determine

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Barrington Trio Graces Local Music Scene

A chamber ensemble, **Barrington Trio**, comprised of internationally distinguished musicians, has adopted Barrington as its home base. Though each member of the **Barrington Trio** is classically trained, the group's repertoire ranges from classical to contemporary, according to Marion Fadrowski, the trio's cellist. "We offer an elegant musical background for private and corporate events," said Fadrowski. "We are available for weddings, brunches, holiday parties, fund-raisers, and the likes."



The Barrington Trio: Maria Fadrowski, flute; Connie Itter, piano; Marion Fadrowski, cello.

Fadrowski, formerly principal cellist of the Northwest Indiana and Chicago Musical Forum orchestras, won a chamber music competition in Berlin, sponsored by Herbert von Karajan. Fadrowski's wife, Maria was the principal flutist of Slupsk Symphony Orchestra, Poland. The two were cofounders of the chamber ensembles which have performed at DePaul and Roosevelt universities, Chicago Public Li-

brary and throughout the Chicago metropolitan area. Pianist Connie Itter made her European debut in Vienna in 1991 and her Ravinia debut in 1992. She is a well known pianist who appears regularly in the Chicago area.

Inquiries about **Barrington Trio's** availability are being taken by Marion Fadrowski at **847-382-1252**.

Great Casual Wear At Faded Blues

Faded Blues is primarily a resale store that carries great jeans, sweaters, overalls, tops, etc... Due to a large demand for Bell Bottoms, we also carry vintage 70's wear and hemp jewelry.

Remember us when you're cleaning your closets because we buy all of the above as well! We're almost across from Barrington High School (1½ blocks closer to town).

Entourage Hair Fashioners Presents A Fashion Show For The Holidays

Entourage Hair Fashioners Inc. of Barrington has a very special presentation planned for you, just in time for the holidays.

French fashion will be the theme of this unique style show... both in hairstyles and in some of the clothing. Lori Boyle, Daryl Schardt, and Denine Symbal join Gina Micaletti, Senior Designer and Fashion Show Director, in the planning. Gina's recent trip to Paris, France for a hairstyle convention

will add authenticity to this production.

The holiday clothing fashions will be provided by A'L'Amour Special Occasion and Bridal of Barrington. The French flavored gala will be held at D & J Bistro in Lake Zurich, **November 8, 1996**. To make reservations call **(847) 438-8001**. Lovely models with holiday hairstyles, wearing elegant evening fashions in a wonderful bistro setting—a great way to kick off the holiday season!

KYC Compeer Matches Volunteers With Mental Health Clients

Kenneth Young Centers' Compeer Program will receive the Rothschild/United Way Award and a \$500 grant, for a volunteer program serving people with disabilities. Compeer matches people with serious mental illness and volunteers who become friends and role models, meeting weekly to see a movie, go for a walk, go to a restaurant, or just watch TV and play board games.

The clients in the program have a lot of professional support to help them deal with their mental illness—therapist, case manager, Day Treatment Program, medication management, etc. But what Compeer offers is a real, "regular" person to spend time with weekly.

It is not only the symptoms of their disorders that challenge mentally ill people. Loneliness and isolation can be the most debilitating characteristics of their situations. Mental illness carries a stigma that may result in fear and rejection by the community. Compeer volunteers establish a relationship of trust and acceptance, where

the clients' confidence, social skills, and self esteem can develop.

People volunteer because they are interested in learning about the mental health field, because they have experienced mental illness in their own families, or perhaps because they have themselves lived through a course of mental illness and understand the terrible loneliness that can follow. Others simply want to reach out and give of themselves to someone else. Last year fifteen clients participated in the Compeer Program. At any one time there are usually about a dozen active matches.

The program has been successful because it is so simple: People who are grateful for their own mental health reach out and befriend others who need a connection back to the "real world" of mental health.

At this time more Compeer volunteers are needed, to be matched with clients in Elk Grove and Schaumburg Townships. Interested people should call KYC at (847) 524-8800.

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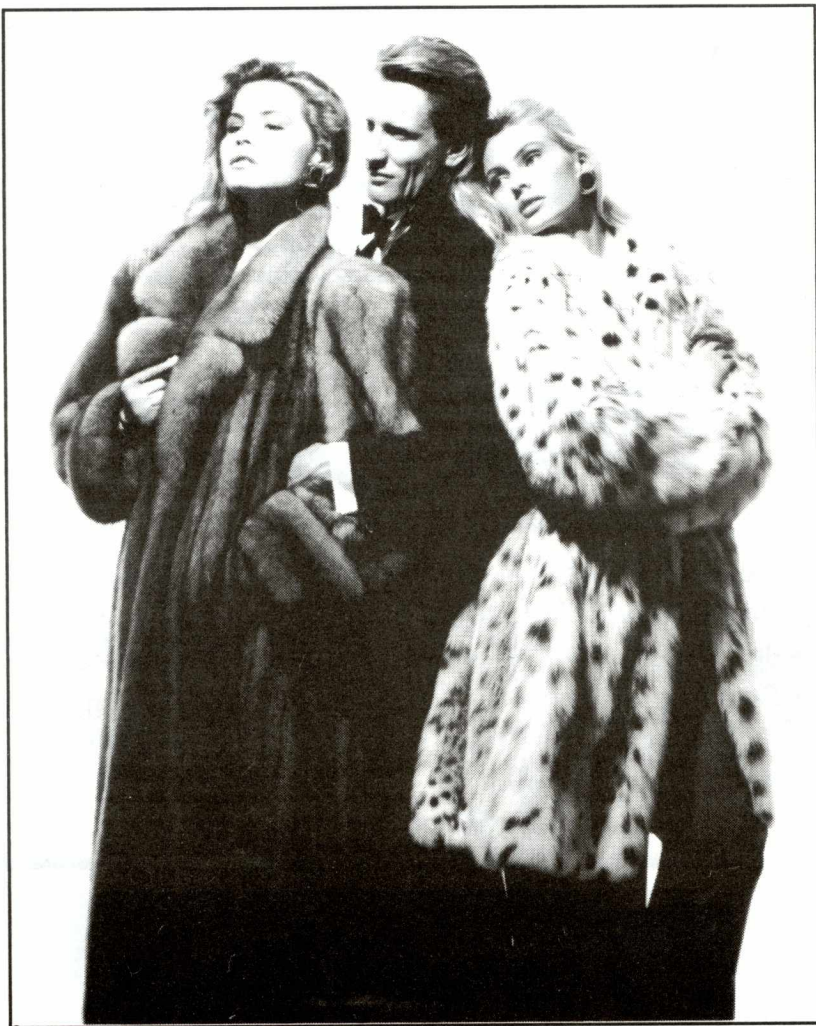
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Bill Talidis invites you to visit **The Mink Barn**. You'll enjoy browsing through our hundreds of ready made garments. Of course, mink is our speciality, but we also have the finest quality in long hair and sheared beaver, raccoon, foxes in all shades, lynx, Russian sable and more. There is also a lovely collection of affordable leathers and microfibers. We carry petites to plus sizes and we will also be happy to design a garment uniquely for you.

We guarantee that whatever garment you choose from **The Mink Barn**, it will be the finest quality fur and workmanship at the lowest possible price.

Long Grove Draws Plans For Gingerbread House Contest

Holiday bakers go to the drafting board! The Long Grove Merchants Association is announcing a contest for Gingerbread Houses to be displayed during the holiday season in many of the over 100 shops throughout the historic village. Cash prizes are \$200 for first place; \$100 for second; and \$50 for third. Entries are to be delivered to the Long Grove Information Center (itself a walk-in Gingerbread House) adjacent to Fountain Square, just east of the village crossroads, between November 1 and 15. Judging, based on originality, neatness and general appearance, will be December 20, and the houses can be picked up between December 21 and 23 to be used at home.

The specifications are as follows: all entries must be hand-made; all entries must be edible; houses may be no larger than 2 feet in height, width and depth; and all entrants must be 18 years or older. For further information, phone 847/634-0888.

BAAC Exhibit: "Abstract Expressions"

The Barrington Area Arts Council announces the Gallery exhibit entitled "Abstract Expressions" at the BAAC Gallery, 207 Park Avenue, Barrington.

BAAC's show features the original artwork of two artists. On exhibit are the diverse two and three-dimensional works of Mark Arctander, Elmhurst, Illinois. His unique presentation of text using gesso, canvas, wood and

fiber will expand the viewer's perception. Complementing his art are the abstract acrylic and gauche paintings by Holly Collins, Palatine, Illinois. Ms. Collins artwork is filled with bright colors and expressive brush strokes which challenge the observer's emotions.

The BAAC Gallery and the exhibit is sponsored by the Barrington Area Arts Council, a not-for-profit corporation promoting participa-

tion in the visual, performing and literary arts for Barrington and area communities. The exhibit is partially underwritten by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

The exhibit is on view now through November 30. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday from 10-4 p.m. and Saturday from 10-2 p.m. The reception and gallery are open to the public and are free of charge.

BACOA Programs At Barrington Area Library

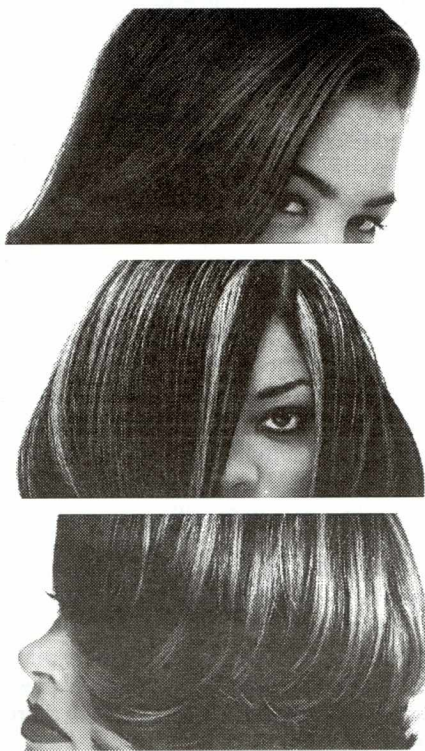
Beginning this fall the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. will be holding the following programs on the second Wednesday of each month from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Barrington Area Library. Light refreshments will be served.

• November 13—Is there an HMO In

your future? Speaker Grace Martos, from Good Shepherd Hospital, will explain managed care and what you need to consider before enrolling.

• December 11—Aromatherapy. Speaker Cathy Bargaquist will do a presentation on the therapeutic use of sensory herbs.

Focus Forward



From the fashion runways to the TV airways, innovations abound. The next time you tune in your favorite program on TV you will notice that things are different. What exactly? The new medium hair length and the short sassy cuts will be setting the style trends everybody wants for fall and winter. Color is playing an equal part of the package presentation. National and international models and movie stars are emerging in bright blending colors, to complete a total fashion statement. The signature dimensional colors are the fashion focuses to complete the hair cut. It can be very subtle or extremely bold. Select a color plan that fits your lifestyle including the executive, career orientated, sports minded individual, or the x-generation. You can experience something new and exciting!

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Picture This: Your Family's Biggest News On A Holiday Greeting Card



By Gal Friday

Every year it's the same thing... I buy a few holiday gifts in October and get cocky about how organized I am. Then, suddenly,

it's November and I'm in trouble. BIG trouble.

In my dreams I hear the clock ticking away my time. Tick, tick, tick... another tie for Uncle Bill; tick, tick, tick... can I make those candles last another year?; tick, tick, ti... OH NO, it's my year to serve dinner. Sound familiar? CLIX photographs & savables can help.

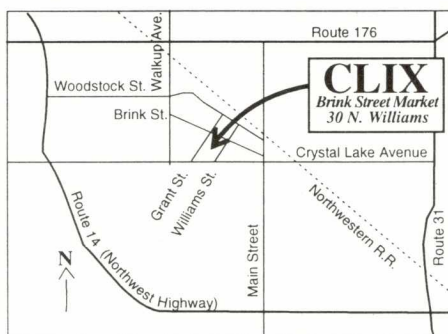
Start from the beginning: special cards for special friends. Something unique, clever, and personal would fill the bill. Just add a note about how wonderful and perfect your family is and what you've been up to in the past year. CLIX photographs & savables to the rescue. BRING IN YOUR OWN PHOTO from your vacation, family gathering, the children looking clean, your darling first born; or we'll take one for you. Then choose a card from a variety of designs: preprinted or plain, individuals or sets, monochromatic or loaded with colors. Is desktop publishing your plan for '96? We can scan it, change it, color it, disc it. Get the idea?

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rich, luxurious look and feel of the real thing can be the special gift. A cigar box for on top of his desk, a lovely journal to show her that you think her thoughts are important, an archival album to organize your family story; we could go on and on. If you're looking for a one-of-a-kind gift for your one-of-a-kind friend, we've got lots of ideas.

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If you are one of the millions of consumers evaluating your options for improving or enhancing your appearance, the **Valley Plastic Surgery Center** should be at the top of your list. Much more than a doctor's office, services are provided along with an experience that is unparalleled within the field of aesthetic plastic surgery. Truly a state of the art facility, the seven thousand square foot surgery center provides elegant and professional surroundings while meeting the highest standards of safety. It is one of the few free standing surgical centers approved by the joint Commission for the Accreditation of Hospital Organizations, the same safety organization responsible for overseeing hospitals.

Discreetly located in West Dundee just twenty minutes from O'Hare Airport, the center caters to out-of-state as well as local patrons with equal convenience. Many of those considered as Chicago's north shore elite find the short commute from the city well worth the trip, and are welcomed by the Fox Valley's scenic ambiance. The center offers the full range of plastic surgery procedures; from facelift, eyelid, nose, and lip surgery to breast enhancement or refinement, liposuction, and tummy tuck procedures. Four separate lasers, fiberoptic cameras, and cutting edge techniques serve to minimize scars, discomfort, and time off of work, making aesthetic procedures an affordable reality that fits into the lifestyle of today's working women and men. Full esthetician services are also offered for image consultation, skin care treatments and peels, spa style facials, as well as make up application and assistance.

An entire satellite center, the **Valley Body Contouring Salon** is devoted entirely to the non-operative treatment of cellulite, and features the highly publicized "Endermologie" technique from Europe. Here, highly trained technicians provide private consultation, and demonstrations of the suction assisted deep massage procedure that appears to reshape the body contours while

minimizing the appearance of skin dimpling and waviness. Patients also receive complete body fat determinations along with dietary and nutritional counseling. The **Valley Body Contouring Salon** is located at 1425 North McLean Boulevard, Suite 400, Elgin, (847) 608-7506.

In addition to the separate amenities offered at **Valley Plastic Surgery Center**, surgical expertise is the center's most compelling attraction. Doctors Rosenberg, Lambruschi, and Manus are the three plastic surgeons that make up the team of prestigiously trained sub specialists. With more than sixty years of combined experience, they offer expertise in every area of cosmetic and aesthetic surgery. Collectively, they have been heard on numerous radio programs, and have been featured in scores of periodicals, including the popular *People Magazine*. They have been seen on CNN news, and are published in the United States and Europe on various topics in plastic surgery. They all continue to regularly lecture before audiences of lay persons, as well as health care professionals. Patients seeking consultation are sure to get knowledgeable and professional recommendations in a friendly, unimposing atmosphere that caters to each individual's special needs.

Of interest to most, since **Valley Plastic Surgery Center** is a true outpatient surgical facility, most aesthetic procedures can be performed on site, often saving patients thousands of dollars in hospital charges. Indeed, the final expense associated with major procedures is often less than half of that incurred through other local and downtown surgeons. This, combined with surgical expertise and a uniquely complete plastic surgery complex makes it Chicago's best choice to help you meet your personal goals. So if diet and exercise can't get you to where you'd like to be, **Valley Plastic Surgery Center** probably can! To arrange a convenient consultation, call (847) 836-3200 and consider yourself... for a change.

A Christmas Bazaar

A Christmas Bazaar will take place on Saturday, November 16 from 10-3 p.m. at the Barrington Park District Building (behind McDonald's) including vendors from Pampered Chef, Discovery Toys, Longaberger Baskets, Party Life Candles, Doerling

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Behind The Scenes...

Dawn Phillips, Treasured Twice Boutique

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Dawn began her shopping and clothing education at an early age. She shopped resale shops with her mom. She modeled clothing. It seemed only natural for her to open a resale shop eight years ago in Hoffman Estates. Although she started by taking anything, she soon refined her clothing selection to finer apparel. Four years later Dawn followed her consignors and moved her successful business to Barrington.

Now, 280 consignors share their treasures with Dawn. Famous designer labels and better clothing can be found at **Treasured Twice** for 30 to 40 percent of the original cost. In-season, in-fashion special occasion dressers, furs, sporty outfits and accessories can be found—all in like-new (or some-

times new) condition.

It takes a real flair to orchestrate merchandise in a relatively small space—but Dawn does it by being selective about the apparel and creative in her displays. Her greatest challenge is finding larger sizes. Dawn accepts clothing on consignment for 90 days; the profit from a sold item is shared 60/40. Merchandise not sold is returned to the consignor or donated to Little City or the BHS Fine Arts costume closet.

Treasured Twice Boutique, 612 S. Northwest Hwy., Barrington. Open Tuesday through Friday 11am - 5 pm, Saturday 9:30 am - 4 pm. **304-5577**.

Treasured Twice Boutique's second location is at 64 N. Williams St. in Crystal Lake. Located in the **Downtown Emporium**, **Treasured Twice** has expanded into a mini-mall concept in Crystal Lake. The Downtown Emporium is a unique blend of specialty shops. Phone **(815) 477-8068**.

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How To Walk (Instead Of Waddle) From The Holiday Table

by Carol Childers, C.N., All Ways Healthy

Holiday meals provide an opportunity to get together with family and friends in celebration. It's pretty much the rule that people overeat at least a little at holiday meals.

Here are some easy ways to trim the fat from your holiday meals: remove the skin from the turkey, avoid gravies, use plain nonfat yogurt in your mashed potatoes. Season your veggies with lemon juice, herbs and a pinch of salt. Buttermilk works well in custard and cheese cake as does nonfat yogurt. Equal parts nonfat yogurt and silken tofu blended together with natural sweetener makes a delightful low fat dessert top-

ping.

Tips for baking:

Most white sugar sweetened recipes are too sweet. Reduce sugar by 15 or 25 percent.

Measure sticky syrup in a greased measuring cup or gently warm bottle in boiling water.

Use unsulphured dried fruit as sweetener (puree or hydrate).

Extracts and spices add sweetness—vanilla and almond extracts, spices such as cinnamon, nutmeg, clove and allspice are best used in small amounts.

Barrington Community Blood Drive

There will be a Barrington Community BLOOD DRIVE on Wednesday, November 20, 1996 from 3:15 - 8:30 P.M. at Middle School—Station Campus Cafeteria.

Q - Why should I donate blood?

A - 95% of the population will need blood by age 72, yet only 5% of the eligible population donate blood.

Q - How long does it take to give blood?

A - About 5 to 8 minutes. The entire procedure, from registration to refreshments, takes approximately 45 minutes.

New donors, as well as our regulars, are needed as the holiday season is approach-

ing. Barrington area residents are donating less blood than is needed by our local hospitals. Community members are encouraged to participate in this most vital life giving cause—both as donors and volunteer workers. If you would like to participate in some way, please contact Suzanne Hanifl at 381-6257.

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Mandatory Distributions From Qualified Retirement Plans

by Sharon L. Keller, J.D.

November is here and the holiday season is rapidly approaching. It is time to think of Christmas shopping. I would like this year to be different and have my shopping complete before December, but I know that is an impossibility. I hope we all take the time to enjoy the holiday season with family and friends, to relax, and remember and be thankful for the truly important things in life.

Last month I discussed retirement plans. This month I would like to continue the discussion and focus on mandatory distributions from qualified retirement plans and penalties for having too much in your plan when you pass on.

The Internal Revenue Service has defined qualified retirement plans to include employer qualified pension, profit-sharing or stock bonus plans, annuity plans, annuity contracts, custodial accounts, and individual retirement plans (IRA). The Tax Reform Act of 1986 enacted mandatory distribution rules concerning when distributions from qualified plans must begin and at what rate they must be paid out. The general rule is that the required date to begin distribution from qualified plans is April 1 following the year in which the employee attains the age of 70½. A minimum rate of distribution is required to assure that the deferred compensation is not being used for asset accumulation purposes.

The minimum distribution is calculated by taking into account the life span of the employee and a designated beneficiary. If less than the minimum required amount is distributed, then a tax is imposed equal to 50% of the shortfall.

In addition, a 15% excise tax is placed on excess distributions from retirement plans and a 15% additional estate tax is placed on excess retirement accumulations in qualified retirement plans. In 1996, an individual can take up to



\$155,000 from his/her qualified retirement plans before the excess distribution tax would be imposed. This amount is adjusted each year to reflect increases in the Consumer Price index.

If at the time of an individual's death the value of his/her undistributed benefits in one or more qualified retirement plans exceeds a certain amount, a 15% excise tax will be applied with respect to the excess amount. The 15% tax is applied to the extent that the value of the individual's undistributed benefits exceeds the present value of a hypothetical single life annuity amount, with annual payments equal to \$155,000 that would have been payable commencing in the year of the individual's death if the individual had not died.

As you can see, the distribution of retirement benefits should be carefully planned because of the complex nature of the excise tax on excess distributions and excess accumulations.

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Radisson Deals

Radisson Hotels in the U.S. and Canada now offer "Bed and Breakfast Breakaway" deals ranging from \$79 to \$135 per night including breakfast, subject to availability, and advance reservations until December 31, 1996. Have your travel agent request code BBB. In addition, Radisson offers 25 percent off a second room at participating

hotels in North America and the Pacific Rim under their "Family Magic" promotion. Check out Radisson's web site at <http://www.radisson.com> for other family-oriented deals, and book with your travel agent.

London for \$289 and Other Weekend Deals

Weekend fares are back, but for a limited time. The major airlines are offering steep discounts if you fly on a Thursday, Friday or Saturday and return the following Monday or Tuesday (the exact days of travel depend on your destination). The fares are good for domestic and international travel, including, for instance, a \$289 roundtrip fare (plus tax) from the East Coast to London effective October 24 through March 11 on British Airways and other carriers.

Club Med Copper Mountain Gets Facelift

Skiers take note: Club Med's 16-year-old Copper Mountain ski village is getting a new "Southwestern Look," just in time for the upcoming ski season. Located 75 miles west of Denver, the new Club opens November 28. Cost-conscious skiers can save on a special 10-night package of \$1,000 per adult—which is just \$20 more than a 7-night package. Club Med's all-inclusive ski package includes lift tickets, ski and snowboard instruction, accommodations, three meals daily, stretch/aerobic classes, saunas, jacuzzi, evening entertainment and a nightclub. For reservations, see your travel agent.

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Happenings In The Area

BWC Presents Paris Magic



Phyllis Peyrot-Lasiewicz (right) and Alice Ann Halverson (left), discuss fashions to be worn by the members of the board of the Barrington Woman's Club at Paris Magic on November 20 with Nancy Horton, owner of Sundance in the Ice House in Barrington.

On Wednesday, November 20, 1996, The Barrington Woman's Club will present *Paris Magic*, an enchanting afternoon of fun, food, fantasy, and fashion, in the Ballroom at the Arlington Park Hilton Hotel. Social hour begins at 11:00 AM, while strolling musicians and magicians entertain. Members of the Barrington Woman's Club Board will informally model fashions from Sundance, located in the Ice House in Barrington. Joann Rickel of Joann's Jewelry Company of Long Grove will hold a trunk show of unique jewelry. There will be an unusual collection of classic and abstract pieces in gold and silver. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Barrington Woman's Club. Lake Zurich's Hair-Biz Studio will enhance our lovely models. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 PM. After

lunch, Jan Rose and Danny Orleans, who have more than 15 years experience entertaining worldwide, will present "Magic of the Mind."

American Airlines has generously donated two round-trip tickets to Paris, France for our grand prize. Barrington Woman's Club wishes to thank the Harris Bank for its continued support of our educational and philanthropic endeavors.

Paris Magic is one of three fund-raisers sponsored by the Barrington Woman's Club to support its educational and philanthropic projects. To reserve your ticket for this magical Paris afternoon, send your check in the amount of \$40 made payable to BWC to 1638 Galloway Drive, Barrington, IL 60010 by November 10. For further information, call 847-934-1449.

BHS Basketball Booster Club Holds First Dinner-Dance/Auction

The Barrington High School Basketball Booster Club will hold a Dinner-Dance/Auction on Friday, November 22, 1996 from 7:00 p.m. until midnight at Barrington Banquets, 135 Kelsey Road, Lake Barrington. In addition to dinner and dancing to a DJ, attendees will have the chance to bid on exciting auction items including Chicago Bulls tickets, sports memorabilia and other unique items. Tickets are \$35 per person and can be purchased by calling Noreen Oviatt, 847-381-3467, or Dorian Stoesser, 847-381-7319.

According to Bob Kubiak, president, BHS Basketball Booster Club, this new fund-raiser, the "Bronco Tip-Off," will become an annual event. Planned to fall before the annual Red-White Basketball

Shootout, it will be a great time to catch Bronco Basketball fever, as well as to find gifts for those hard-to-buy-for people on your shopping list.

Proceeds from the fund-raiser will be used to purchase items for the basketball program not funded by the school's budget, including video equipment to tape basketball games, new warm-up suits, practice balls and hardware/software for tracking game statistics. In addition to supporting the basketball team and team cheerleaders, the Booster Club supports other worthy needs within the High School. Individuals or businesses wishing to make cash or merchandise contributions for this event should contact Liz Sayre, 847-382-6907.

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Unwrap The Holidays With BYDE's "Nutcracker"



In a Swan Sleigh, Clara departs from the Land of Snow for her journey into the Land of Sweets.

One of the brightest moments of the holiday season is *The Nutcracker* ballet. First performed in Russia in 1892, it has triumphed for over 100 years as a celebration of gaiety, imagination and mystery of childhood dreams. The Barrington Youth Ensemble (BYDE) carries on this tradition as it brings its third annual full length production of *The Nutcracker* to Barrington High School's Richard C. Johnson Auditorium on Friday December 6 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, December 7 at 2 and 7:30 p.m.; and Sunday, December 8 at 2 p.m. Advance tickets are \$15 for children, students and senior citizens; \$17 for adults. At the door, all seats are \$18. Send payments to BYDE c/o Lisa Bagladi, 3865 Charlemagne, Hoffman Estates, IL 60195. Tickets are also available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at The Studio's Barrington Dance Academy, 117 E. Northwest Highway, and the

Canterbury Shoppe, 117 E. Station St. in Barrington. For information on *The Nutcracker* or the BYDE, please phone (847) 382-6333.

This production of *The Nutcracker* is supported in great part by The Duchossois Foundation; Drs. Hayward, Buckwath & Skopek Orthodontics, Barrington/Palatine; Harris Bank of Palatine; Harris Bank/Suburban Bank of Barrington; Northwest Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, Arlington Heights; and Costume Classics, Barrington.

Set to the revered music of Piotr I. Tchaikovsky, this lush production will feature professional guest artists and over one hundred talented children from the greater Barrington area. It is replete with dazzling sets by designer James Estes, Barrington; stunning costumes created by Patricia Whitmore, Palatine; and brilliant choreography by Greg Merriman, Normal.

Barrington Lyric's "Puccini in the Barn"

The Board of Directors and members of the Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago cordially invite you to join them for a musical evening with *Puccini in the Barn* (The Barn of Barrington, that is.) The program will promptly begin at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, November 8, in The Barn of Barrington Restaurant (1415 South Barrington Road, Barrington.)

Following the entertainment, a lavish dessert buffet will be hosted by Bonnie Westphal, Hoffman Estates, and Barbara Keegan, Schaumburg. Assisting Bonnie and Barbara are Paula Bartlett, Barrington, and Karen Beisler, Schaumburg. Members \$20. Guests \$25. Make checks payable to Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera. Please send to Judy Allen, 1350 Carlisle Dr., Barrington, IL 60010. 847-934-8989.

Giacomo Puccini's best loved arias such as "O! mio babbino caro" from *Gianni Schicchi*; "Mi chiamano Mimi," "Quando me'n vo'," and "Donde lieta uscì" from *La Bohème*; and "Vissi d'arte" from *Tosca* will be sung by soprano Melissa Osmond. On the piano, accompanist Kimberly Schmidt



Soprano Melissa Osmond

will enrich the program with excerpts from Puccini's *Capriccio Sinfonico*.

For inquiries on the Barrington Chapter (over 200 members and growing), please phone Maribeth Totten at 847-202-1753.

Chers Amis...

Many of you have never had an authentic "Cassoulet," a very unique dish from the area of Carcassonne in the south of France, and a few have never had any "Nouveau," the first wine of the year's harvest from Beaujolais. To those, please be here at **D & J** for dinner on Thursday, November 21, I guarantee you will love it—call if you need further convincing! To the others... thank you for coming and celebrating with us year after year; Je Vous Adore!

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We have recently started a mailing list where you may check(✓) your interests, so that you won't receive any information you do not care about.

Au Revoir Et A Bientôt.

Dollars And Dentistry— A Comprehensive Treatment Plan

by Dr. Raymond Kotz

Last month I offered suggestions on how to select your dentist. I noted that dentists who are committed to the highest standards of oral health offer their patients a comprehensive treatment plan to help them achieve this goal.

When dentists are honest about what they find, patients may gasp at the extent and cost of keeping their teeth. Let's make an analogy. If you have a leaking old roof you may temporarily ignore it, or you may be constantly patching it. Both result in water damage and inevitably a very expensive new roof.

Many dental patients are in the same situation. But there is hope! Unlike the roof, it may be possible to restore your mouth in



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Travel House Joins National Leisure Travel Organization

by Eleanor Nelson & Sally Hayward, Travel House

It is with pride and excitement that I am writing my column this month. **Travel House Inc.** has been accepted for membership in the nationally prestigious **ALLIED PERCEIVAL INTERNATIONAL** travel organization. Membership in this organization is by invitation only. Agencies are selected based upon their local and national marketing and sales reputations and there are less than 200 API agencies worldwide.

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ways offered our clients the special attention and service they expect for their travel dollar. Our agents are truly experts in their field, and they will work even harder to assure our clients that their dollar will go even further with exclusive offers, as well as special rates and promotions now available through our new affiliation with Allied Percival International.



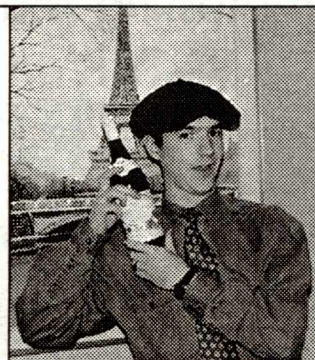
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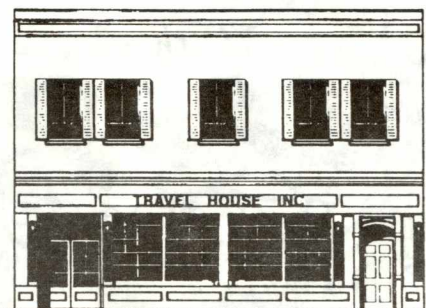
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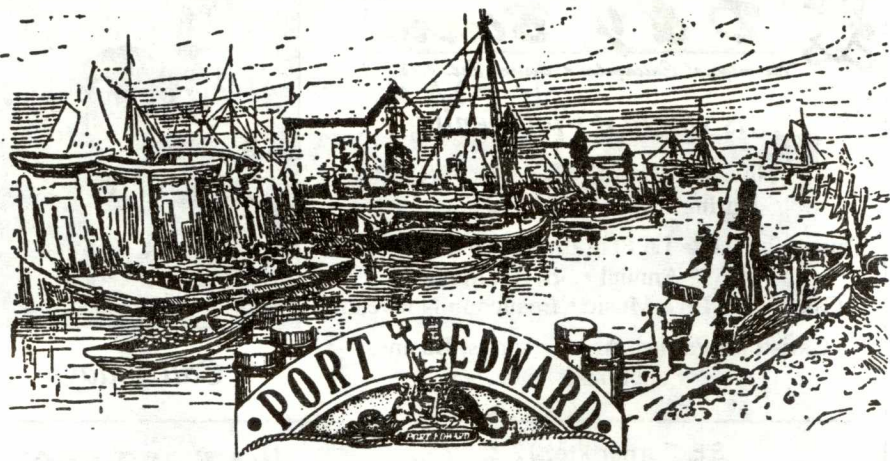
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Our indoor harbor is New England inspired. To the south by the Colony House of Newport, Rhode Island North, by the old

Union Oyster House in Boston, and the picturesque Fisherman's Lobster Dock Shacks of old Penobscot Bay, Maine.

The huge timbers, joists and decking were salvaged from an old Milwaukee cheese factory and the old Starck Piano Company warehouse of Chicago. The strong timbers are virgin cutting of long leaf yellow pine, no longer available commercially. Three McHenry County barns were used for planking and hand hewn timbers for the Salem Lounge and Wine cellar. The old 1920's windmill dividing the lobby and the lounge was saved from destruction by Edward and provided an intimate setting for "popping the question" or romantic dining.

Our lounge overlooking the beautiful Fox River was inspired by the House of Seven Gables of Salem, Massachusetts. Salem's obsession with witchcraft in 1692 motivated the building of a secret room and stairs for the safety of the owner's sisters to provide a hideout from the "burning at the stake" witch hunters. We too have a secret room in the lounge. Look and see if you can find it. In the far end of the restaurant is the Navigator's Room with an outstanding collection of hard hat diving helmets, whaling harpoons, lances and an old jaw bone of a Sperm Whale. Hanging from the ceiling are oars from World War II Liberty Ship life boats.

We are celebrating **Port Edward's** 32nd anniversary this year with Edward's continuous hand on the helm. Interestingly, in 30 years of serving Alaskan King Crab Legs, Port Edward's suppliers have calculated that put end to end, the crab legs will have gone around the world during our celebration.

The encrusted cannons by the entry are of Spanish origin, circa 1680, from the Caribbean and the double ship's wheel is from an Alaskan ice breaker. The coral encrusted anchor in front of our indoor harbor was hauled up from the east coast of the Florida Keys and a few steps away, an old diver's two

man pump from Montreal, Canada in excellent working order. Just up to the side of it is a battered French ship's figure head from the turn of the 17th century. Throughout the restaurant is a collection of English antique nautical signs, rare "lead top" and 18th century binnacles, Edward Wolowiec's original paintings and nautical artifacts too numerous to mention. The collections and selection of Edward's world wide travels are reflected in our "gifts international" shop next to the wine cellar in our lower level. Top Side features an art gallery with more of Edward Wolowiec's paintings as well as nautical prints of other outstanding artists such as Turner, Spurling, Carl Evers and Charles Vickery.

Our long time guests are giving us raves about the new Sunday brunch with sea food accent look! A new brunch feature is the chef's carving station featuring London Broil. Also new is eggs benedict made to order. Of course we still have the omelet station that just about everybody loves and dozens of other items, plus a 20 foot dessert table.

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Interior Remodeling Completed At The Cove Restaurant



The newly opened Lake Barrington Cove Restaurant located at the Lake Barrington Watersports Center has remodeled and re-decorated their dining room. The Cove was also able to acquire a liquor license which gives them the ability to serve cocktails. They are also adding a wine list.

Chef Aristo is continuing his complimentary gourmet sampler plate which includes his popular Tomato Basil Angel Hair Pasta, Fettuccine Aristo (a fettuccini alfredo with sun dried tomatoes, basil and walnuts) and Chicken Piccata portions. His dinner specials vary from a Steak Diane (beef tenderloin medallions in a mushroom Dijon Bordelaise sauce), Cajun Prime Rib, Pan Fried Cajun Lake Perch, Ahi-Tuna Steak, Rib-Eye Pepper Steak, Beer Batter Cod served with potato pancakes, Cajun Catfish and Pesto pastas.

The Cove's regular entrees include a Chicken Marsala, Baked Manicotti, Pork Chops, Scallops Mediterranean, Shrimp Scampi, an 8 oz. Filet Mignon and a Prime Rib. The prices range from \$8.95 to \$15.95 with your choice of soup or salad and a side dish.

Our favorite part of the menu is the dessert selection. Aristo creates his own cheesecakes, from pumpkin to a Tropical Delight (with pineapple, chocolate, coconut and amaretto). He makes rich and creamy Creme Brulee with strawberries, raspberries, blueberries or pineapple and the newest flavor chocolate raspberry. Flan served with fresh fruit, along with Chocolate Mousse Cappuccino Pie, Bourbon Pecan Pie, Caramel Apple Pie, Key Lime Pie, Cherry Pie and Ice Cream are the crowning glory to any meal.

The lunch menu includes parmesan

Chicken, A Bionic Chicken (smothered with burgundy mushroom sauce and choice of cheese) and the popular Grilled Chicken Breast Sandwich (plain or Cajun style). Beef sandwiches include Philly Steak, Barbecue Beef, Italian Beef, the Big Dipper and burgers from \$2.25 for a 1/3 lb. burger to the 1/2 lb. specialty burgers served with French Fries and Cole Slaw at \$6.95.

Special salads range from a tossed salad at \$2.25 to the large Chef salad at \$4.95. Caesar Salad with a grilled chicken breast for \$6.95 and the California Dreaming salad with grilled chicken, avocado and a southwestern dressing.

Alternatives for lunch include the ever popular Tomato Basil Angel Hair Pasta from the evening menu. Other choices are a Chicken Fajita, Chicken or Beef Quesadilla.

Aristo takes pride in the fresh soups he creates daily. Some of the soup choices in the past few weeks have been Cream of Asparagus, Chicken Fajita, Broccoli and Cheese, Spicy Chicken, Baked French Onion, Split Pea with Ham, Cream of Chicken with Rice and Fresh Basil, and New England and Manhattan Clam Chowder.

They also offer a Special Young Persons menu for lunch and dinner, with burgers, hot dogs, chicken, grilled cheese and pasta.

The Cove serves lunch from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and dinner 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Sunday through Monday The Cove is available for private parties. Some of their favorite occasions in the past few months have been a birthday party which included a snorkeling excursion, a Hawaiian luau including scuba diving and a Prime Rib surprise party. Aristo can cater parties from hot and cold appetizers to a wedding reception.

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Fettuccini Aristo - a fettuccini Alfredo with basil, walnuts and sundried tomatoes.

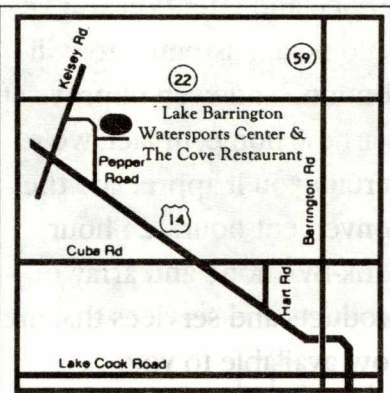
Chicken Piccata - sauteed chicken in a wine sauce with capers.

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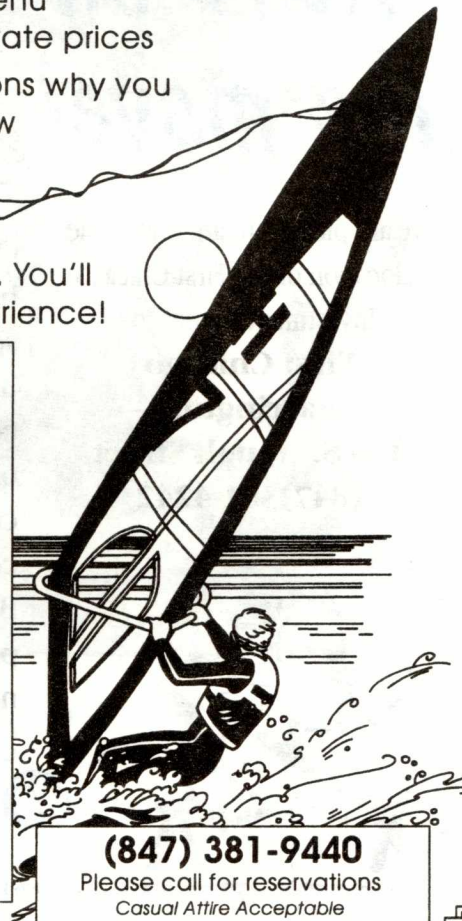
These are just a few reasons why you should try this popular new restaurant. Visit the Cove soon and enjoy a seat near the large saltwater aquarium. You'll have a great dining experience!



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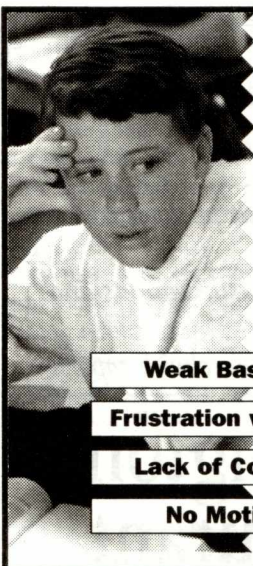
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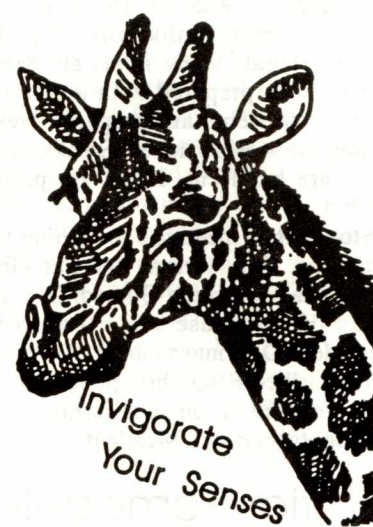
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Warning Notices Signal Trouble Ahead

Many parents will say there's no worse feeling than when you receive a warning notice about your child. Angry, frustrated and confused, many parents come to a point where they don't know how to help their child do better in school.

Now is the time of year when local elementary schools and high schools issue these much-feared warning notices, alerting parents that their child may fail one or more courses for this marking period.

Parents should remember that warning notices are intended as a warning signal of some bigger problem in their child's life. Once the problem is identified, then parents can take steps to remedy the situation and get their children back on the right track to learning.

Failing grades can be the result of a variety of problems. Some students may not be studying productively to master all the new information they are required to know. Common distractions or interruptions can turn hours of studying into wasted effort.

Other students may not have truly grasped certain basic skills earlier in their schooling. This may have an immediate effect on grades and school performance, or it may be years before the problem surfaces and the student begins to struggle.

Still others may be struggling because their shaky understanding of the material is causing their confidence and motivation to falter. When children feel incapable of doing their work, they may give up and not try at all.

"For children to believe they can suc-

ceed, it's vital their parents believe they can succeed," according to Dr. Raymond Huntington, founder and president of **Huntington Learning Centers**. "If parents demonstrate a belief in their child's ability, the child will be more likely to keep trying. If children feel good about themselves and have a good self-image, they won't shrink back from a challenge out of the fear of failure. They will continually strive to do their best."

When your child is struggling in school, one way to demonstrate your support is by finding outside resources to help, rather than blaming the child for not trying hard enough. If you receive a warning notice, or are concerned about your child's grades, now is the time to get your child the help that he or she needs.

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Parents who would like additional information, or who are concerned about a specific aspect of their child's academic performance, are encouraged to call the **Huntington Learning Center** in Barrington at 382-3655 or in Buffalo Grove at 459-5939.

The Art Of Personal Communication In The Workplace

Valerie Connelly, founder of Block Art Prints, will offer some easy-to-follow and quick-to-implement tips on keeping in touch with clients and others in our personal and professional lives at the next meeting of Barrington Area Professional Women.

The meeting will be held at Chessie's

Restaurant in Barrington on Thursday, November 7, 1996 beginning at 6:15. For reservations or information, call Mary Beth Pinda at 847-382-4763.

BAPW is a not-for profit group open to business and professional women in the northwest suburbs.



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In her recent expansion of the 2nd floor, Ann has expanded her designer clothing lines with fun and fashionable styles including plus sizes. Her special selection of jewelry and accessories gives it the final touch. Just the thing to put you in the mood for your holiday shopping or the season's parties.

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Traditional

Men and Women, Boys and Girls, and Grandmothers and Grandfathers dressed in wools, felts, and plaids make up the Traditional Carolers; they hold a wide variety of

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For beautiful holiday decor and accessories, why not visit the **Barrington Flower Shop**? They can assist you in decorating the outside of your home as well as the interior. Call their expert staff today.

Arts Weeks—November 1-15

The Barrington Area Arts Council is again sponsoring ARTS WEEKS, November 1-15, encouraging awareness of the arts in the Barrington area. BAAC is pleased to offer \$100 grants for arts programming to the following local schools and other not-for-profits: Countryside School, *Joel Taylor, mime and magician*; Woodland School, *Antonio Sacre, storyteller*; Grove Ave. School, *Qui Min Ji, Chinese musician and educator*; North Barrington School, *Historical Perspectives for Children, Wilma Rudolph, Olympic Champion*; Barrington Middle School Station Campus, *Keith Petersen, muralist*; Hough St. School, *Pe-*

riods of Art Timeline; Roslyn School, *Hastey Pudding Puppet Co., By George!*; Lines School, *Family Cultural Arts Night Program*; Barrington Public Library, *Annette Kolasinski, actress, portraying Julia Morgan, architect*.

The Barrington High School Fine Arts Department, Sunnyhill School, Barrington Middle School Prairie Campus, St. Anne School, Good Shepherd Manor and Governor's Park are also grant recipients.

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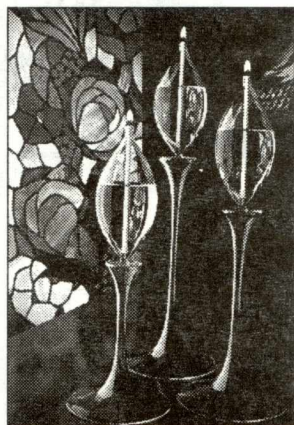
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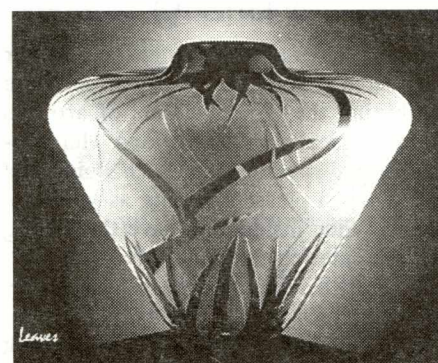
Being in business in Arlington Heights for over sixteen years, **dazzle** has relocated to a historic building at 10 West Campbell Street in the downtown area.

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An Ecumenical Church Women's Retreat & Luncheon

An "Ecumenical Gathering of Women of Faith" is planned in Barrington on Saturday, November 9 from 8:30 am to 3 pm. "Music and More... for Souls and Spirits," a Retreat and Luncheon will be held at Barrington United Methodist Church, 311 S. Hough St., Barrington. Presenter is Kathy Sherman, CSJ, a musician from the Order of Sisters of St. Joseph of La Grange Park, IL, the only arts-oriented Order in the US. Preparations for this event have been organized by representatives from Church Women United and Barrington area churches including St. Paul United Church of Christ, St. Anne Catholic Church, Presbyterian Church of Barrington, Barrington United Methodist Church and others. Reservations, limited to the first 100 women, are \$20 and include a catered luncheon. For information, call Mary Ann Lyle at 381-3969 or Barb West at 428-0640.

Retreat Leader Kathy Sherman is a singer, composer and poet with a passion for the mission of unity. This passion finds expression in the music and lyrics which she has been writing for thirty years. Kathy is inspired by the "ordinary" of life and marvels at its power to reveal the simple, the sacred, the beautiful. She is also inspired by the unfolding story of the universe and is committed to Earth issues. In song, she celebrates the "communion of life" of which we are all a part.



Kathy Sherman, CSJ, a musician
from the Order of Sisters of St. Joseph.

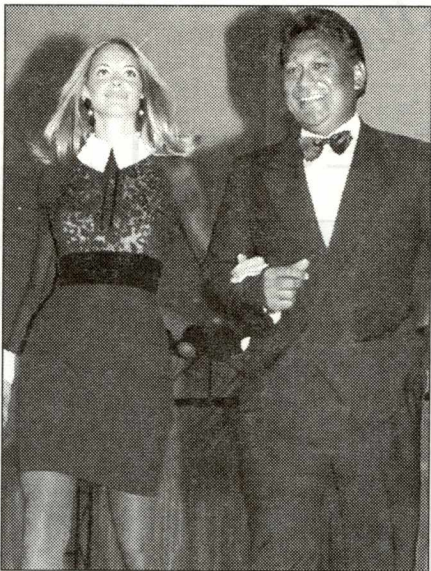
Kathy has published eight albums of music which are being shared and sung throughout the U.S. and other parts of the world. She holds a B.S. of Ed. from Western Illinois University and a Master in Pastoral Studies from Loyola University. She is widely known for her work at concerts, facilitating days of reflection and retreat for women's groups, students and parishes.

High Fashion Aids Battle Against Cancer

For the second consecutive year, Cancer Treatment Research Foundation produced *Designs for Hope*, a fall fashion show and luncheon in support of the foundations' innovative cancer research and educational programs. The event, which was hosted by CTRF founder and CEO Richard J. Stephenson and his wife, Alicia, was held at Tudor Oaks estate, the Barrington Hills Stephenson home.

Designs for Hope festivities began at noon with cocktails, hors d'oeuvres and a poolside presentation by the Aqua Sprites Synchronized Swim Team. The luncheon and fashion show that followed presented everything from loungewear to business dress and formal wear for men and women, featuring fall designs from among Chicago's most sophisticated and chic designers: Sulka, Luca Luca, Nicole Miller, Patricia Rhodes Designs and Furs by John Pavlis.

More than 300 guests attended the benefit which raised in excess of \$100,000 in support of CTRF's research efforts. These funds will be applied directly to breakthrough, patient-sensitive cancer research and educational programming aimed at enhancing the quality of patients' lives, offering them new and scientifically advanced



CTRF Vice President of Public Policy and Barrington resident, Robert Mayo, models evening wear by Sulka.

treatment options.

"After losing his mother to cancer several years ago, my husband wanted to make a difference in cancer patient's lives," explains *Designs for Hope* Chairperson, Alicia Stephenson. "The purpose of CTRF is to offer cancer patients approaches that empower them to take control of and manage their disease. I firmly believe that the battle we wage against cancer will be won."

Due to generous corporate underwriting, Cancer Treatment Research Foundation is able to apply 97 percent of every dollar raised toward funding its promising research programs. Examples of recent funding include: novel gene therapy approaches toward treating ovarian cancer at Duke University Medical School; the use of nutritional adjuvants in the treatment of prostate cancer at Harvard Medical School; and a revolutionary immunotherapy approach in the treatment of multiple myeloma at the University of Texas' Southwestern Medical School.

Cancer Treatment Research Foundation is a non-profit 501 3(c) organization established in 1991 to promote and expedite the research through treatment process in support of advancing progressive treatment options to cancer patients, today.



Alicia Stephenson (left), "Designs for Hope II" Chairperson, and Cheryl Ferguson (right), event Co-Chair, model Fall selections from Furs by John Pavlis.

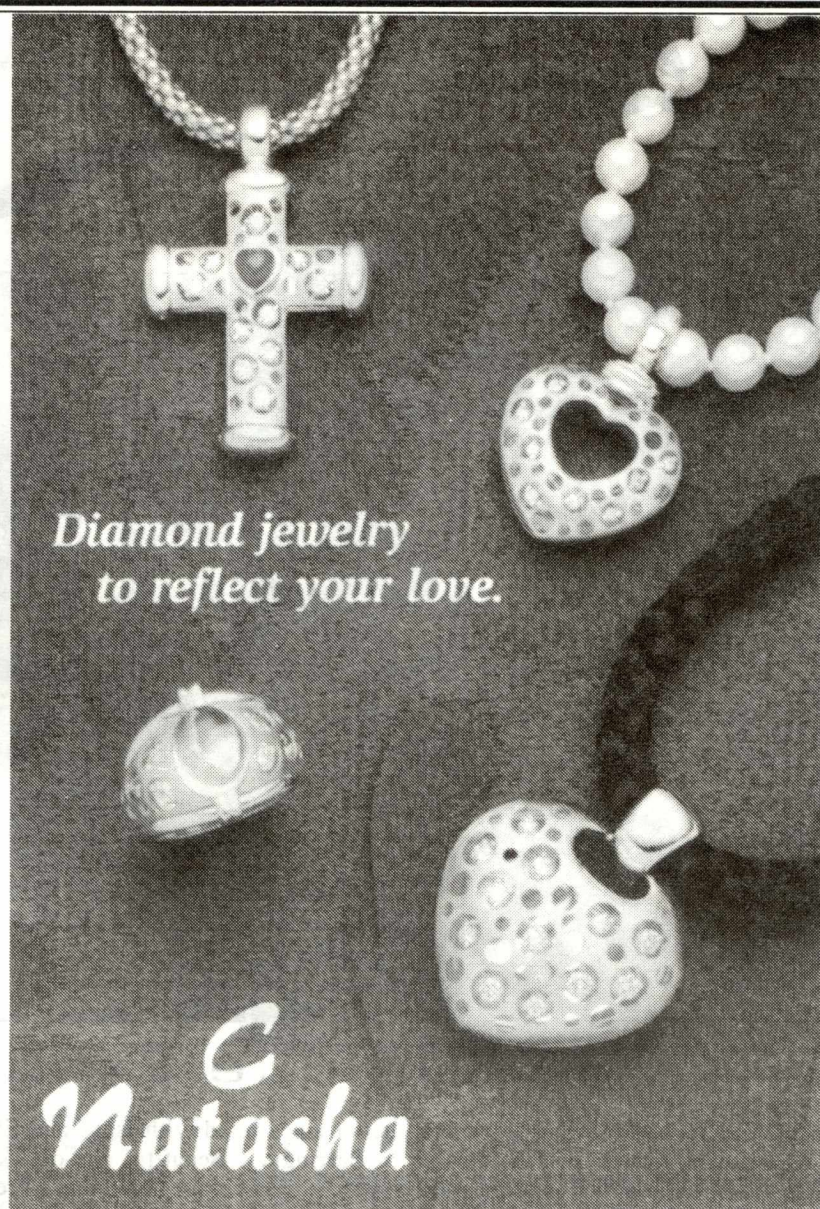
"Elijah," A Musical Drama

Mendelssohn's *Elijah*, the Old Testament story of Elijah, will be presented by The New Oratorio Singers (TNOS), soloists and the *Ars Viva!* orchestra under the direction of Alan Heatherington on Friday, November 8 at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday, November 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the Holy Spirit at Divine Word International, 2001 Waukegan Road, Techny.

Single tickets - preferred \$25, regular \$18.50, students/seniors \$15. Subscription tickets (Fall, Winter & Spring Concerts) - preferred \$60, regular \$45, students/seniors \$36. Free parking. Wheelchair accessible. 847-604-1067.



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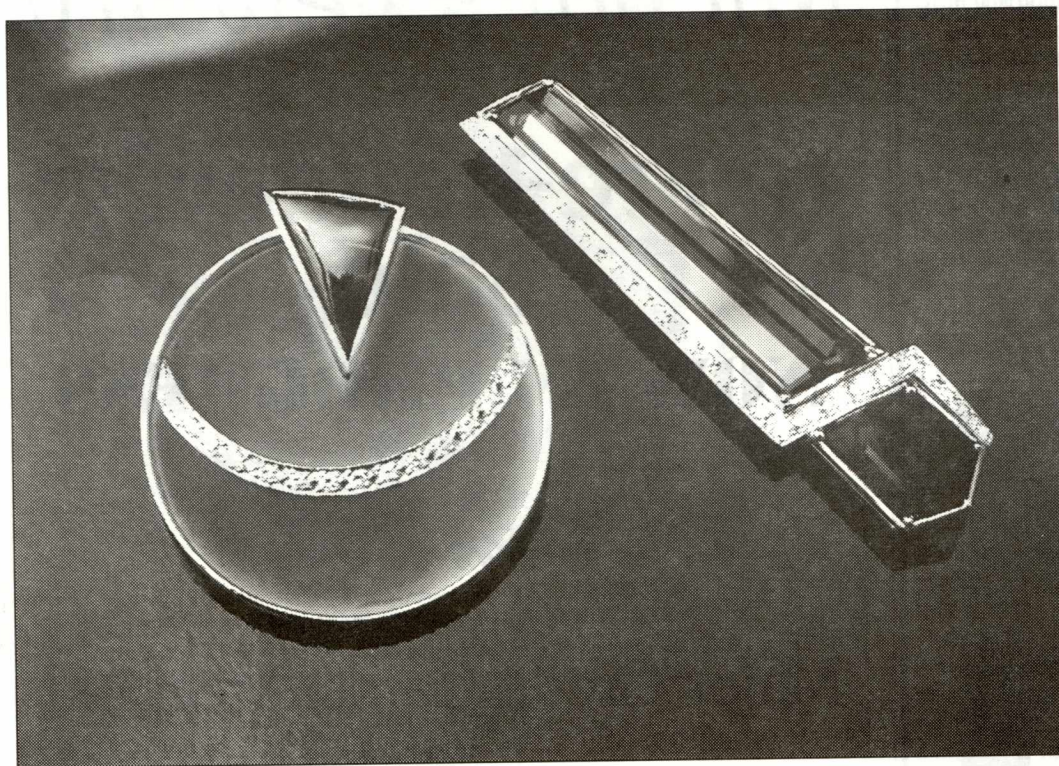
This is a wonderful time to become better acquainted with Isaac and Ellen Kornhauser, owners of **I.K. Design** in Barrington. Beautiful one-of-a-kind jewelry creations designed by Isaac are sure to take your loved one's breath away.

If you have a particular design in mind or need some assistance, see Isaac. Creativity takes time, so schedule an appointment early. Whether you are thinking of a stunning tennis bracelet to grace her wrist or something in perhaps a quadrillion bangle, earrings or ring, **I.K. Design** is there to assist.

While at **I.K. Design**, you are invited to visit their jewelry studio where full service jewelry fabrications and repairs are done. Also see their state-of-the-art appraisal laboratory.

This family owned business is constantly changing and evolving. In addition to creating stunning jewelry pieces, **I.K. Design** also features other jewelry designers as well as other forms of art... glass art and orchid sculptures.

Before deciding on that special gift for that special someone, you owe it to yourself to visit **I.K. Design**... for uniquely exquisite art forms.



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Why not give the special person in your life the ultimate gift... **THE GOLDEN ORCHID!** This beautiful product was originated by Isaac Kornhauser, owner of I.K. Design.

Isaac has refined a process that can reproduce an orchid plant or flower in solid gold or silver that you can enjoy forever.

Isaac has a passion for growing orchids. He grows a variety of species as well as African violets. Isaac is also a renowned jeweler. He has combined his two loves and produced exquisite and unique pieces of jewelry and sculpture. These exquisite orchid creations are not dipped or plated—they are solid gold and silver.

The one-of-a-kind creations can be made from your favorite blossom, or from his own. From these flowers come pins, pendants, earrings—or larger table art, which can be free standing or beautifully mounted on burl wood.

No molds are used, these creations are actual flowers. Each piece is an exact reproduction of an actual favorite blossom... each a sensation! The intricate detailing that is possible is incredible—flowers are reproduced exactly as they were.

The pieces are created in either 18K yellow gold or a new type of silver called "Sterlite," which is tarnish resistant.

Isaac's creations are guaranteed, if they break, Isaac will repair them for free. This service includes cleaning, polishing and repair work.

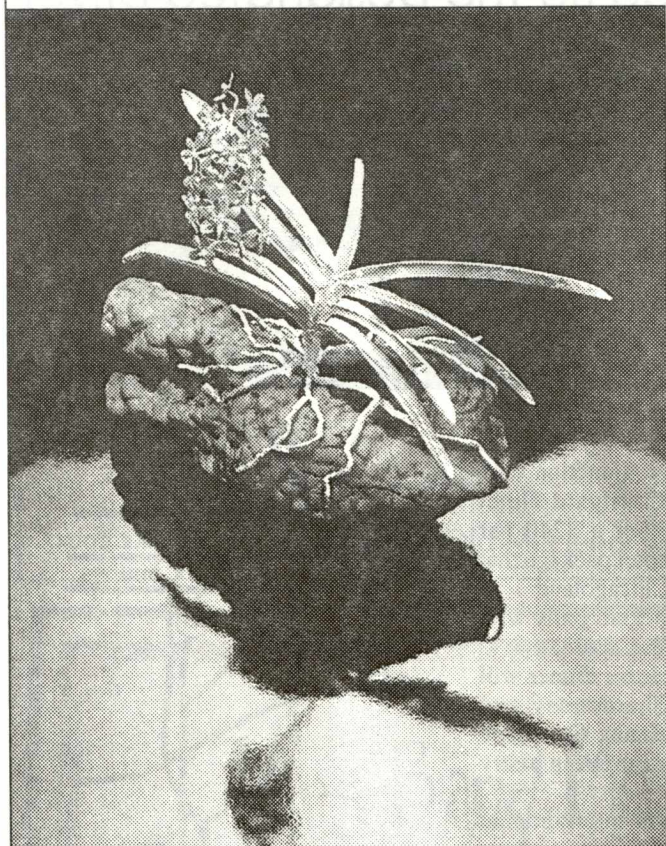
Prices start from \$25 for jewelry and can go up to \$6,500 for free standing table art.

Whether you wish to present someone with an unusual gift or preserve your favorite blossom, **THE GOLDEN ORCHID** can provide you with a most unusual one-of-a-kind piece.

THE GOLDEN ORCHID designs are available at I.K. Design and M.J. Miller, both located in Barrington.



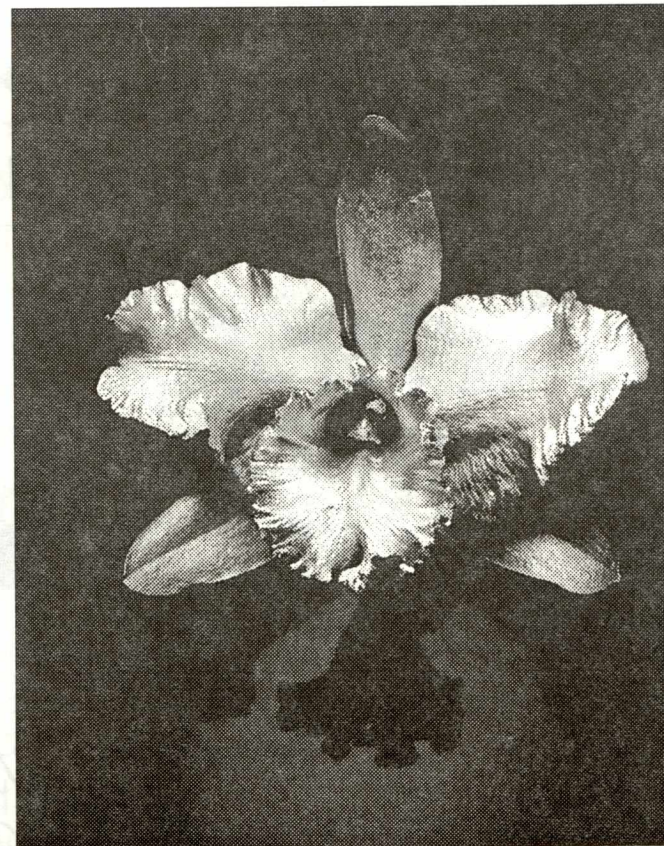
Paphiopedilum Iona (Lady's Slipper)
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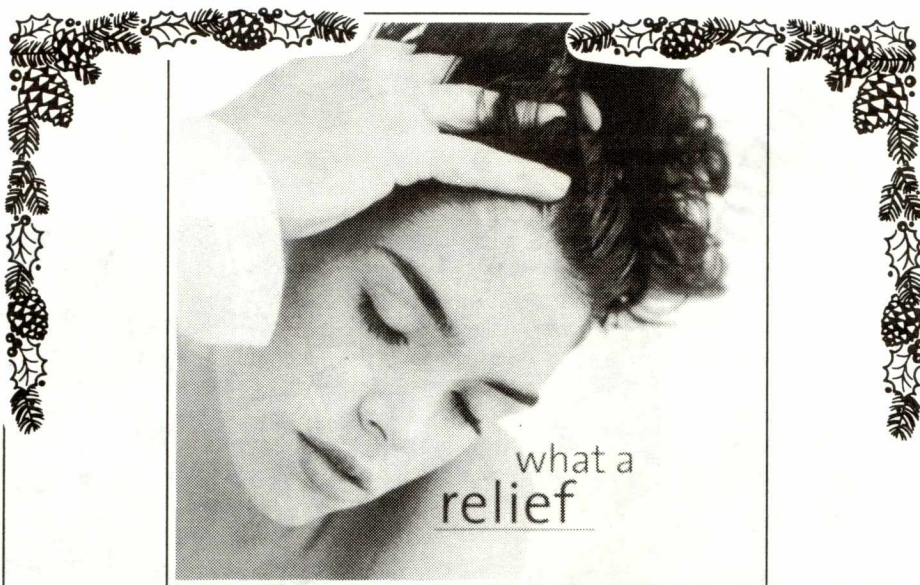
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Garden Council Offers Flower Arranging Lesson

Classes in flower arranging with hands-on training led by a competent instructor are not easy to come by. Garden clubs often go to great lengths to provide such opportunities for their members. Since its inception in 1993, the Educational Focus Committee of the Council of Barrington Garden Clubs has had as one of its key goals the development of flower arranging skills and knowledge in this community. It has offered classes by highly-qualified designers, and the results have been gratifying to all.

The next such event is for a single session, scheduled for Wednesday evening, November 13 at the Barrington Hills Village Hall, on Algonquin Road. From 7:30 to 9 p.m. Maryjo Garre will be leading a class in the design of "a garden arrangement for your dining room table centerpiece." The fee, which includes all materials—container, mechanics and plant material—is \$35. In past years Garre's students have

been impressed that the arrangement they carried home was, by itself, worth the cost of the class! Because classes are limited to 15 students and are always filled, a waiting list is kept; if a cancellation is necessary, the fee will be refunded when the space can be filled.

Checks made out to the Council of Barrington Garden Clubs should be sent to the Educational Focus Committee, 62 Windrush Lane, Barrington, IL 60010. To check on spaces available, call 381-3931.

Maryjo Garre, long a member of the Garden Club of Barrington, has been active in flower arranging for many years. She has won top awards and honors both regionally and nationally. Currently she is Chairperson of the Judging Committee of the Garden Club of America, a national organization headquartered in New York City which consists of numerous affiliate garden clubs across the country.

Welcome Wagon Club Coffee

The Welcome Wagon Club of Barrington will hold a coffee on November 12, 1996, at 9:30 AM. The program, *Preparing for the Holidays*, a demonstration of centerpieces and floral arrangements, will be presented by Pittas Greenhouse and Garden Center.

Anyone in the Barrington area is welcome to attend. You need not be a new resident and there is no charge. Come enjoy a pleasant morning in a member's home. Please call Pam at 428-4231 or Joy at 438-8929 for information and directions.

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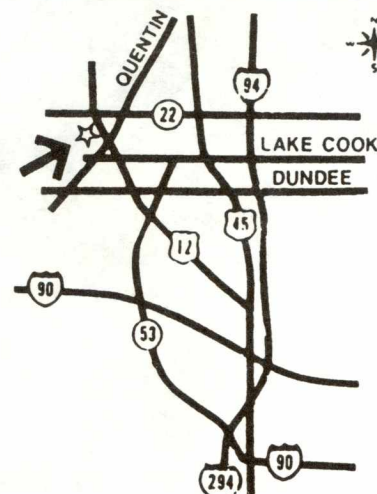


That's right—enjoy to the fullest your 1996 New Year's Eve with no driving involved. **Concorde Banquets**, in conjunction with the Arlington Heights Courtyard Hotel (Marriott), has put together a \$240 per couple dinner, party and hotel package that can't be surpassed in all Chicagoland.

The New Year's Eve cocktail party with hors d'oeuvres begins at 7:30 p.m. At 8:30 p.m., a complete seven course dinner will be served. Unlimited Chardonnay and Merlot wine come with dinner. **Concorde** will also be featuring their European pastry and fruit table.

There will be continuous entertainment all evening long. One of Chicago's premier bands, "1st Choice" featuring Maureen Christine, will perform as will the best mobile-entertainment service "39 and Holding." During the entertainment, there will be a four and one-half hour open bar with top-shelf liquor. Champagne and party favors are planned for midnight revelry.

The complimentary shuttle service to the hotel runs every half hour from 7:00 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

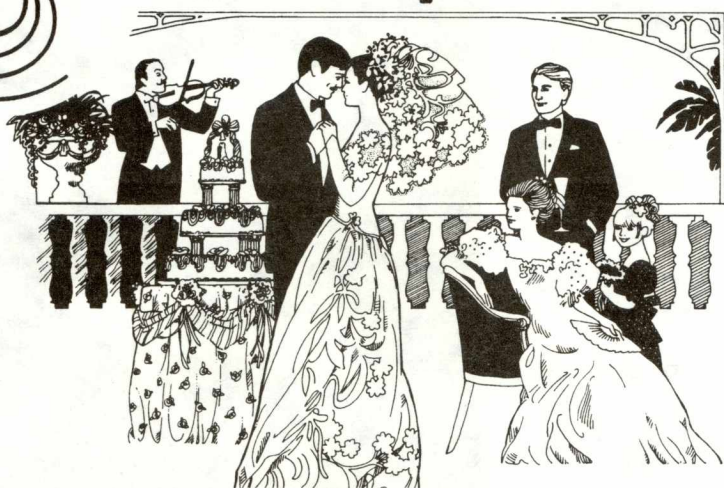


If you choose not to take advantage of the shuttle and hotel offer, the **Concorde** dinner and festivities are available at \$150 per couple.

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For more details on the New Year's Eve Party, please call the banquet office at **847-438-0025**.

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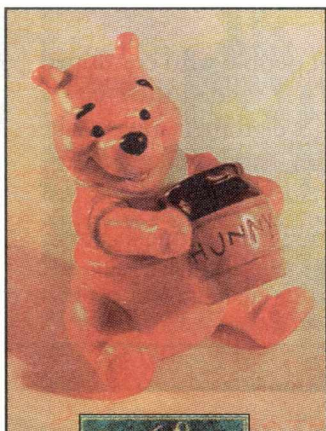
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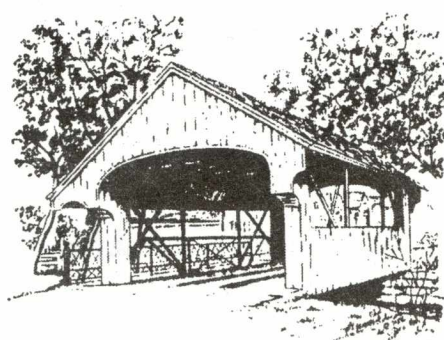
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These Rhinelanders were hard-working, devout people who continued to speak Plattendeutch until after World War I. They tended their farms and came to the cross roads to buy their supplies, weigh their milk, make their cheese at the Cooperative, have their horses shod, and exchange the news of the district. A sorghum, grist and cider mill operated just over the bridge by the creek. The little country church on the hill, which they built in 1847, became the social as well as religious hub of the community. Services are still conducted today at this historic landmark.

Baby, Baby & More

Baby, Baby & More opened this August above Kitchen Boutique. We found a need for a baby store in Long Grove that has unique classic clothing and accessory items for baby's room.

We have an elegant selection of Christmas outfits.

Grandmas, take note—do your Christmas shopping here with a personalized item—an Afghan, a picture or a clock. Also, we have an extensive collection of Winnie-the-Pooh clothing and gift items. Personalized gift baskets are available.

Shopping at **Baby** is a unique and fun experience. I've noticed that customers stroll through the store with a smile, enjoying the ambiance of **Baby, Baby & More**.

Come visit our "Hug A Bear Corner" and select a book for Baby, Mom and Grandma!

Visit **Baby, Baby & More** and bring baby's picture, which will be displayed on our "Picture Gallery Wall," and get a **10% OFF** discount.

Nifty 50's

Return to the "Happy Days" era with a visit to **Nifty 50's**, brand new to Long Grove and located just off fountain square.

With old 45's playing on the jukebox, browse through the nostalgic home decor—a Ford T-Bird sofa, a restored gas pump, now a refrigerator and custom diner booths for the rec room. Be sure not to miss the swing seat from the Riverview ferris wheel.

Advertising collectors will revel in the abundant selection of Coca-Cola, Pepsi and Route 66 memorabilia.

Bright neon signs and rock & roll nostalgia will take you back to the good old days we all love to remember. Now have you seen Elvis? For information on **Nifty 50's** in historic Long Grove call **847-821-7047**.

Red Oaks

Most furniture stores feel like warehouses. Red Oaks feels like home.

Red Oaks in Long Grove offers the perfect historic setting for selecting classic furniture. Located in an old Midwest farmhouse, **Red Oaks'** original building dates back to the 1850s. Little has been changed on the original structure; the porch, stained glass window, built-in display cabinet and original drysink and flour bins are still in place. Throughout the 1960s and 70s additions were built until **Red Oaks** reached its current size—now rambling over 5,000 square feet of showroom. Many new visitors remark: "I had no idea from the outside that **Red Oaks** is so large." Most of the changes made to the building were designed to maintain the historic flavor of the village.

At **Red Oaks**, it's as if you're walking through one private residence after another. Elegant furniture styles, accessorized meticulously, create a wonderful harmony in each room. And everywhere the eclectic mix of surfaces, woods, fabrics, textures and colors contributes to the unique "at home" atmosphere.

Red Oaks was recently featured in *Country Decorating Ideas*, a national magazine devoted to classic furniture design. Colorful photos highlighted the wealth of decorating ideas, most put there by **Red Oaks** designer and Barrington resident Jill Burdette. Every cranny and corner of the store overflows with ideas to borrow and take home, interesting original arrangements, special touches, new ways of thinking that are well-worth the drive to Long Grove. Stop in and feel at home.



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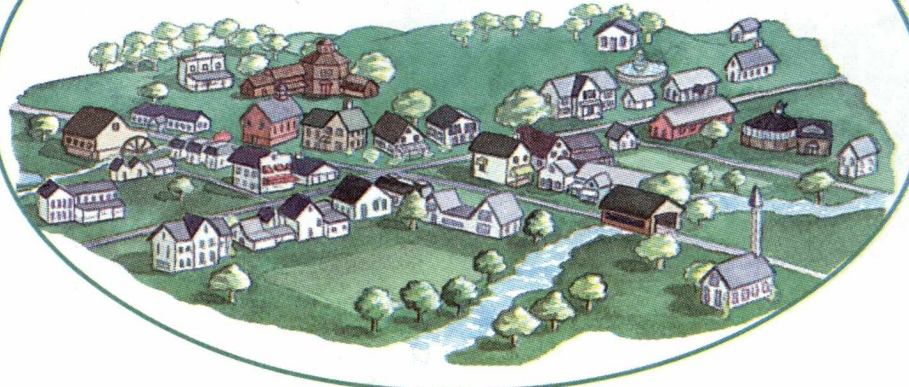
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Long Grove went into a sleepy decline in the 20's and 30's. The quaint, old buildings remained untouched by progress. In the 40's several women opened an antique resale shop. Inspired by the interest in the "untouched" quality of the area, other shops soon followed. It proved a boon that highways 83 and 53 had bypassed the crossroads, preserving the historic integrity of the village. An Historic Landmark Ordinance has now been passed that guarantees the preservation of all historic landmarks and requires that all new building at the cross roads must conform to the architecture of the early 1800's. And so, Long Grove today remains faithful to its beginnings.

Paddy's On The Square

A beautiful gift for the holidays is an Aran Irish sweater. Not only are they exquisite, but practical as well. These garments are knitted from 100% pure Irish wool—cozy, warm and shower resistant.

The artistic beauty of the designs formed by combining various stitches is by no means haphazard. The combination of stitches indicated the village of the wearer and in cases of accident this made identification efficient and practical.

The zig-zag stitch indicated the crooked mountain paths, hedged by mossy banks—The Moss Stitch, and the Autumn Fruits of the Bramble became the famous Blackberry Stitch. The Honey Comb Stitch indicated Industry, and the Tree of Life showed the desire of the Fisher Man for many sons. Ropes stretched to Moorings are reflected in the Cable Stitch and nets spread to dry—as the Trellis.

The wonderful Aran sweaters are available at **Paddy's On The Square**. Also available is everything Irish including fine books, music, artwork, jewelry, crystal and Irish heraldry and genealogy items.

Kitchen Boutique

The word is out—"If you can't find it at **Kitchen Boutique**, then you won't find it anywhere." The Gadget Room has the largest selection of unique, inventive and universal hard-to-find gadgets in the Chicagoland area. Our cookie cutter selection is unbelievable—over 100 shapes and sizes, including Thanksgiving and Christmas designs. In addition, in our Bake Room, we have molds, Rosette irons and a variety of utensils for all your baking needs. We feature "Hill Design" shortbread molds, Christmas and four designs of classic Winnie the Pooh cookie stamps. We have an extensive selection of "Rycraft" cookie and butter molds. The above items can also be used for paper crafts. We are now the Spicery of Long Grove. Fresh bulk spices and savory seasonings can be purchased. Lift your holiday spirits with a wine sample from our wine tasting room on weekends only. Ten percent discount on each case purchased. Gift baskets are available too.

Amberland Artisans

The unique is commonplace at Amberland Artisans!

Everything here is made by hand! The specialty is Baltic crafts and jewelry. Some of the fine crafts come from the Baltic states, others are made right here in the United States.

Amberland Artisans is a partnership venture by Agita Grants of Palatine and Lilita Spuris of Wood Dale. Lilita designs and makes much of the jewelry in the shop, using sterling silver, gold and amber. Upon request, she does custom work and light repair.

Some of the pieces in the store employ traditional, age-old designs. Others are new inspirations. All are by skilled artisans and artists. Many pieces are one of a kind.

Among the items sold, you will find exquisite weavings of natural flax and hand-dyed wool, hand-knit mittens and socks, pottery and sculpture of clay and wood. There are superbly crafted baskets, leather boxes, guest books and journals, unique containers made of gnarled wood, hand-painted silk scarves and greeting cards. There is also a selection of toys that harken back to ages past for all who are young at heart and straw stars for a warm but wintry decor.

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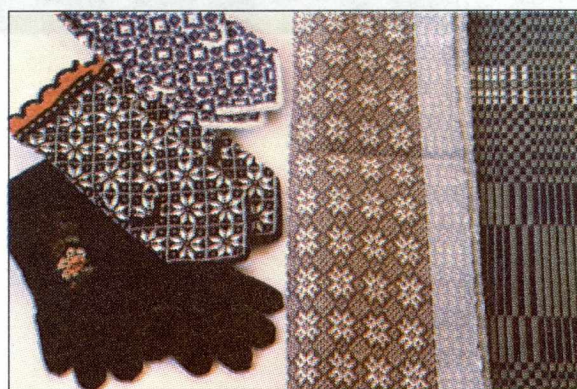
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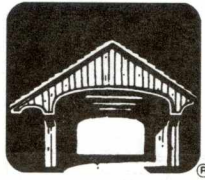
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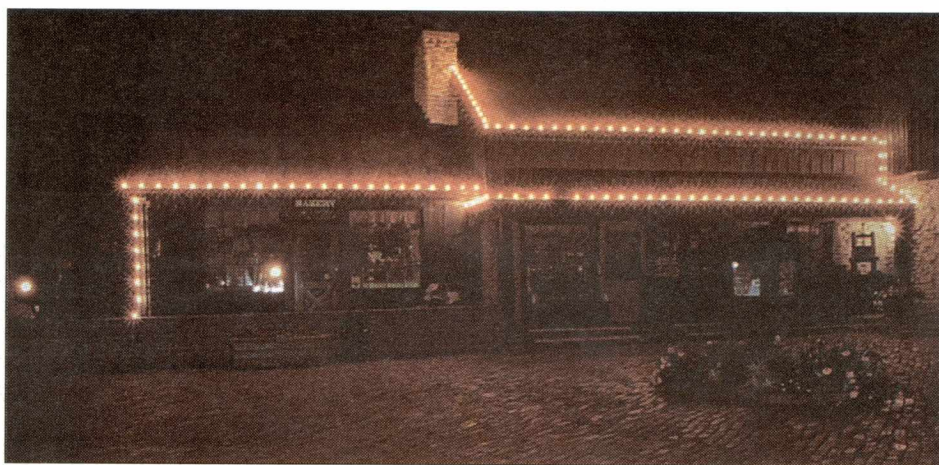
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All dressed up for the holidays... From Thanksgiving through the New Year, Long Grove takes on an exciting new look this year. Tiny white lights will outline the charming antique shops and restaurants, while holiday trimmings decorate each door and window. The historic village of Long Grove will become a 'Winter Wonderland' to delight all ages. Come and enjoy the holiday festivities while you find treasures for each person on your gift list.

THE SHOPS WILL BE OPEN FRIDAY EVENINGS NOVEMBER 29 THROUGH DECEMBER 20.



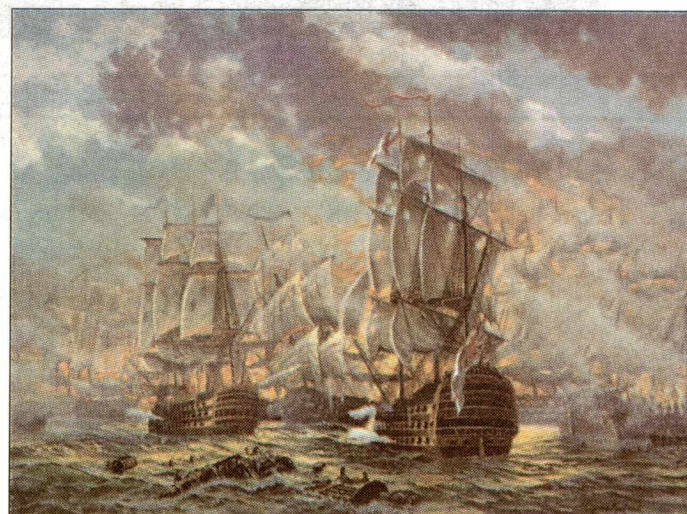
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*Saturday, November 23, 1996
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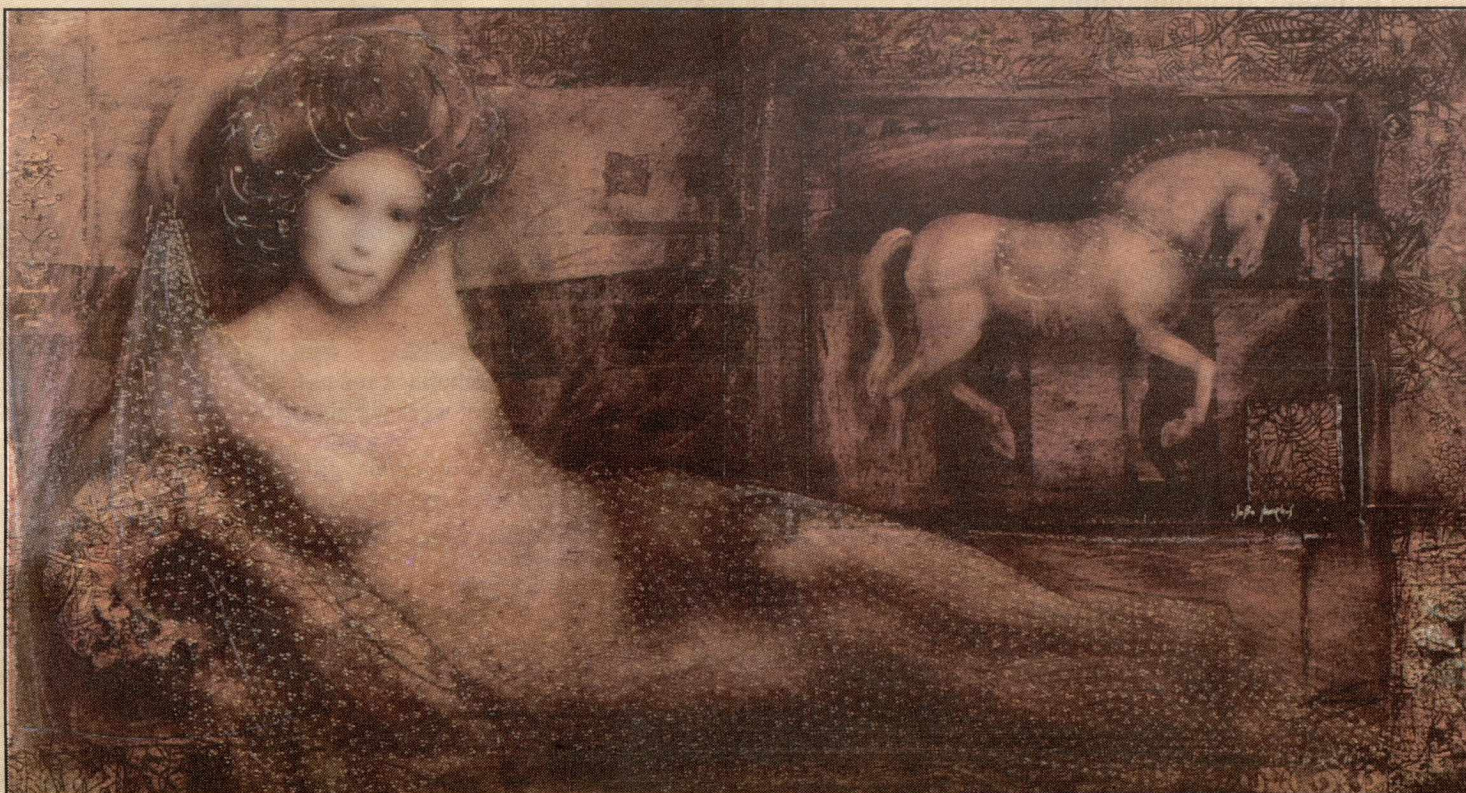
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throughout the holiday season*



Join us for Ava's 5th Annual Holiday Show at the Studio... featuring her one-of-a-kind elves, angels and Father Christmases, as well as opulently decorated trees, sleighs, wreaths, swags, centerpieces and ornaments. From the hand-painted face of a mischievous elf to the elegant bending on an angel's wings, Ava's loving attention to detail makes each piece a unique work of art and an heirloom to treasure. Her collectors continue to be delighted year after year by her creative use of vintage fabrics including antique lace, satin, fur, velvet and tapestry. Please join us on Saturday, November 23, from 2:00 to 5:00 pm, to meet this talented artist and see her '96 collection of holiday treasures.

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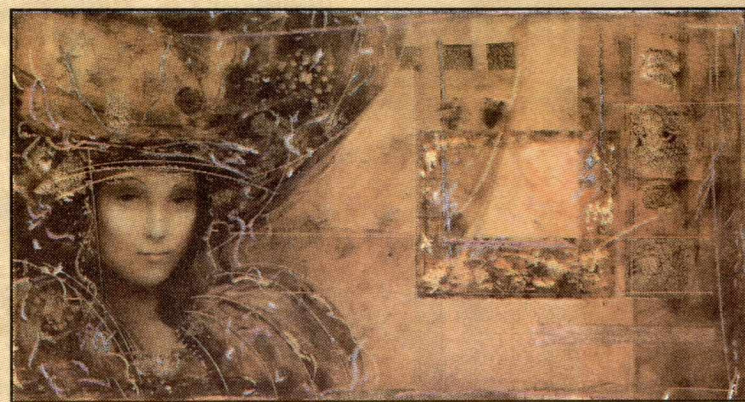
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The Mangel Shops

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In the Mangel family, giftware is a firmly-established tradition. It all began 109 years ago with a fresh flower pushcart owned and operated by George Mangel, who divided his time between the Palmer House and Drake Hotels. The merchandise was so well received, Drake management invited the Greek immigrant to move indoors where, 75 years later, Mangel Florist is still in "full bloom" and owned by George's grandson, John Mangel II.

Today, John II and his wife, Heidi, have bought their creative entrepreneurial tastes to the historic village of Long Grove, Illinois—and expanded their flair for high-quality gifts to nine family-owned and operated retail stores and one restaurant. While still very much a part of the floral business, the Mangel stores in Long Grove bracket a wide range of upscale gift shops, featuring items for the home; gourmet foods; home-baked, old-fashioned delights; superb Pine Antiques and every kind of Christmas decoration.

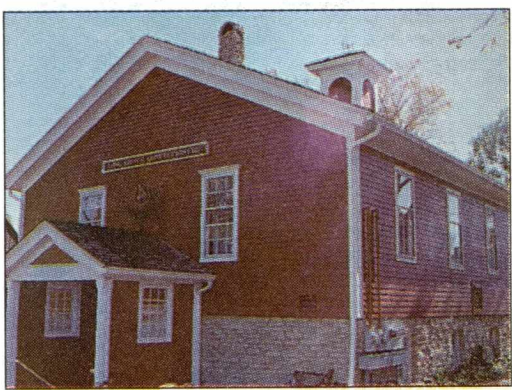
In a true effort to keep their customers loyal and happy, and to entice new customers, the Mangel family—which also includes sons John III and David—treats its 350+ employees as family members. Consequently, this positive, friendly attitude is passed on to their customers!



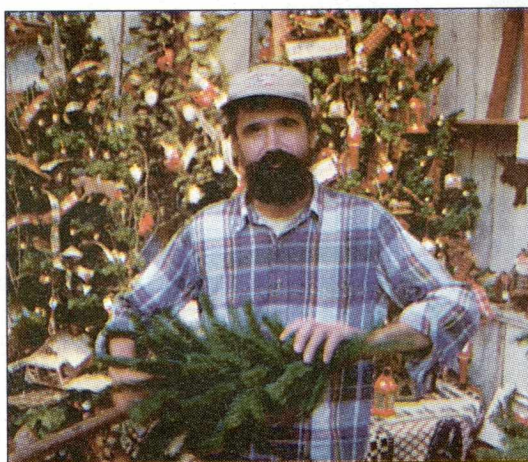
The historic Farmside Country Store, housing the Farmside Lofty Gourmet on the second floor, Farmside Grocery and Winery on the first floor, and Farmside Bakery and Ice Cream Shop on the lower level.



Stop by and see the skilled candy makers dipping fresh strawberries into our creamy rich milk chocolate at Long Grove Confectionery.



Long Grove Confectionery, home of Myrtles, plus traditional and sculpted confectionery delights.



Doug Clark, one of Mangel Gift Shop's designers, demonstrating decorating concepts for the holidays.



The Last Call, with a wide assortment of holiday gift and decorative merchandise at exceptionally low prices.



Gift designers customizing gourmet gift baskets at Farmside Lofty Gourmet.

Farmside Grocery and Winery (847-913-9002) hosts daily samplings and tastings of their country and specialty foods and wines and offers special weekend activities and appearances.

Farmside Lofty Gourmet (847-913-9002) will provide you with unique gift baskets or customize them to your personal tastes! Either way, these baskets make outstanding and unusual gifts for the holidays... or any occasion!

Farmside Bakery (847-913-9002) bakes and creates delectable delights, and houses Mangel & Company's new line of wonderful homemade ice creams (created by the very talented chef of Seasons Restaurant in Long Grove). The made-on-premise fruit cake, bread gift baskets and stollen (made with pure butter) also make perfect gifts.

Apple Haus (847-634-0730) is the home of Uncle Johnny's Brown Bag Apple Pie. John Mangel himself gave this pie his name and approval—it is a truly wonderful delight baked in a brown paper bag and three inches high! Apple gifts and products abound at this very popular Long Grove institution. Now, on Saturdays and Sundays—create your own taffy apple!

Mangel Gift Shop (847-634-3731) has a wonderful array of fine-quality, exceptional gifts housed in seven rooms, each with its own theme. The store includes an outdoor potting shed with every type of item for your garden! Let the expert staff assist you with your decorating, and help you create the "perfect look" for your home.

Long Grove Confectionery (847-634-0080) tempts you with its mouth-watering famous chocolate-dipped strawberries, unique chocolate sculptures, Myrtles, and other confection treats. Try an Ultimate Apple for a truly outrageous experience: huge, crisp, juicy Washington apples—dipped in caramel and enrobed in rich milk chocolate.

Bank Street Antiques (847-634-0715) carries an extensive selection of Flow-Blue China (Heidi Mangel's expertise) as well as a vast array of upscale, authentic and reproduced Pine Antiques.

Seasons of Long Grove Restaurant (847-634-9150) invites you to lunch at its unique, delicious buffet—or experience the "Mad Hatter" Tea Parties. Sundays offer you a wonderful Chocolate Brunch with live entertainment. Evenings and weekends are available for private parties and weddings.

The Last Call (847-821-8694) is Mangel's newest store, which affords its customers additional savings on high quality merchandise at a very low price.

Pine Cone Christmas Shop (847-634-0890) is Long Grove's year 'round Christmas store, carrying the biggest selection of nutcrackers in Illinois, Dept. 56 collectibles, as well as Dept. 56 chocolates (a great stocking stuffer). Dickens' "Start a Tradition" sets are now available for purchase. Pine Cone celebrates Dept. 56's "Home for the Holidays" November 7-17, a special celebration benefitting Chicagoland area Ronald McDonald Houses. Several guest appearances and signings are scheduled. Call now for details.

There is always something exciting and fun happening in the Mangel family stores. Call or visit Long Grove Village today. It's a wonderful way to spend the day—any day of the year!



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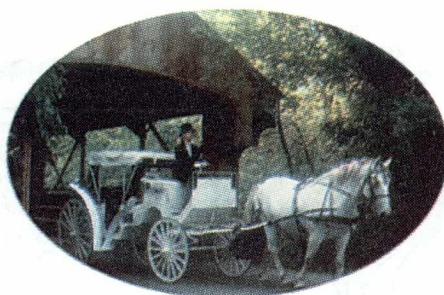
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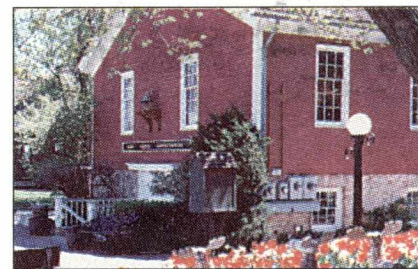


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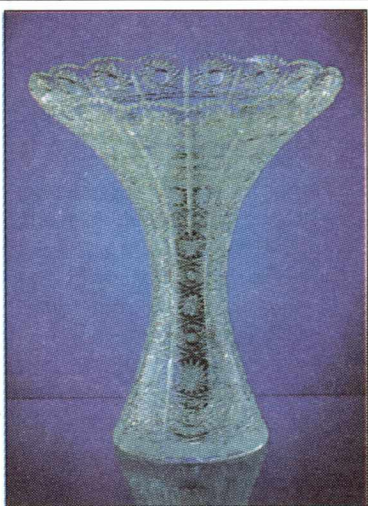
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Visit **The Curiosity Shop of Long Grove**. Walking through the door you see lovely warm rich tones of oak and mahogany, finely crafted during Queen Victoria's England. Passing a beveled overmantel mirror you almost expect to see yourself garbed in vintage Edwardian lace and satin. A lovely oriental travel trunk from the late 1700's may have been used by an aristocratic young man going on his first journey. Hand-carved lions rest as sentinels at each corner of the oak paneled dining room table. Beautiful Victorian ladies sat at ornate marbled-topped dressing tables to brush their hair. Inlaid wardrobes with beveled glass doors and carved cornices held long-trained evenings gowns and gentlemen's suits. If you love truly beautiful antiques go see **The Curiosity Shop of Long Grove**. They have wonderful period pieces of



Detail of Porcelain
Victorian Pastry Stand

furniture and unique collections of porcelains, silver and copper. Catch a glimpse of Charles Dickens' 19th century London!

Pine Cone Celebrates Department 56's "Homes For The Holidays"

Make your house the perfect home for the holidays. **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** celebrates **Department 56's** "Home for the Holidays" from November 7-17th. By participating in the special event, you too can help the **Ronald McDonald** houses of the Chicagoland area.

November 8: to kick off this delightful celebration, Pine Cone will host a **Department 56 Retirement Party** including a complimentary champagne continental breakfast at 56 minutes after 6 a.m. This will be the first chance to purchase pieces from 1996 Department 56 retired list publish that morning. There will be door prizes hourly from 8-5 p.m.

November 7-11th: During each of the first five days of the event, a new drawing for the right to purchase Dickens Village "Ramsford Place" will be held.

November 7-17th: During this time, the North Pole and the Dickens' Village "Start a Tradition" sets will be available for \$65 (regularly \$85). Each charming set includes



"Christmas Bells"
1996 Special Event Piece

two fine porcelain lite up houses and many accessories. With every purchase of either set, you may purchase the "Christmas Bells" special event piece (while supplies last). "Christmas Bells" will add charm to any village.

Also through the entire event, you may purchase Department 56 Chocolates, the perfect stocking stuffer. A free box of Department 56 Chocolate will be given away with every \$50 purchase or more. Any purchases over \$100 can be shipped UPS free of shipping charges.

Visit Pine Cone Christmas holiday experts for innovative ideas on how to turn your house into a home for the holiday. For further details and to reserve your "homes for the Holidays" set, call **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** at (847) 634-0890 ext. 56.



North Pole "Start a Tradition" Set

Caramel Craze Takes Over Long Grove Through Thanksgiving

While chocolate gets all the attention, there's another confection out in the world with legions of loyal fans. Caramel is its name, and its smooth taste, golden brown color, and chewy satisfaction is the result of the Maillard Reaction, named for the scientist who first described the process of blending sugar and milk proteins to produce caramel. Caramel Craze Daze will enliven Long Grove through Thanksgiving weekend,

when participating stores will roll out the caramel in a variety of ways, including samplings.

A weekend "Design Your Own Caramel Apple" bar is being introduced at The Apple Haus, in the historic village's Apple Haus Square. An attendant will dip your apple in a constantly boiling vat of Apple Haus homemade caramel, and then toppings can be chosen from a wide assortment and pressed into the warm car-

mel covering. The Apple Haus will also offer Hot Caramel Apple Cider; Apple Caramel Sticky Buns; and Taffy Apple Cookies.

Long Grove Confectionery, 325 Old McHenry Road, in addition to Myrtles, the popular combination of caramel, pecans and chocolate, will feature dark and light Caramel Squares; Giant Caramel Bars; Pretzel Rods Dipped in Caramel and Chocolate; and Hot Caramel Sauce. The

Farmside Bakery & Ice Cream Shop, 301 Old McHenry Road, is preparing Caramel Cheese Cake; Caramel Pecan Bread; Caramel Sticky Buns; Caramel Pecan Ice Cream and Hot Caramel Sauce. Seasons of Long Grove, 314 Old McHenry Road, will have Caramel Pecan Ice Cream and Caramel Cheese Cake on the menu.

For more information about Caramel Craze Daze in Long Grove, phone 847/634-0730.

European Antique Treasures

Antique treasures await you at the **Carriage Trade** of Long Grove. The beautiful antique furniture is showcased in an elegant southern colonial home with winding staircase and antique fireplace wall imported from England.

Plan to spend some time browsing at armoires, cupboards, tables and smalls from France, Germany, Ireland and England at competitive prices. You will find an assortment of antique clocks and oil paintings, Kilem rugs, Royal Doulton, Torquay and English brass candlesticks to tempt your creative talents and help transform your house to a home. We look forward to meeting you, Tuesday-Satur-



day 11 am-5 pm or by appointment. (847) 634-3160.

Polonaise And Steinbach Signings At Pine Cone Christmas Shop

On Sunday, November 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and again from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** will host a polonaise glass signing. For the first time ever, Iwona Wiszniewska, a master of the art of polish glass ornaments, will be available to sign these incredible creations. She also will explain, step by step, the delicate creating process of these timeless treasures.

In honor of this special event, a very limited edition piece has been created—"Szlachcic," the Polish nobleman. Also available (while supplies last) will be the very limited editions: Mickey and Minnie Mouse polonaise glass ornament. **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** carries the largest selection of polonaise glass around including collections such as The Little Mermaid, The Wizard of Oz, Vatican, Egyptian, Cinderella, Russian and the Magi.



Steinbach's "Madhatter's Tea Party"

On Saturday, November 30 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** will host once again the king of nutcrackers, Herr Christian Steinbach. This is Herr Steinbach's second appearance this year and promises to be a very special one—the world premier of "The Madhatter's Tea Party." **Pine Cone Christmas Shop** will be the first to have this incredible nutcracker which is the first in Steinbach's newest limited edition series, "Alice in Wonderland."

In honor of Herr Steinbach's appearance, the following specials will be available: all German nutcrackers and smokers will be 20% OFF, a free box of Steinbach chocolates with any Steinbach purchase and **Pine Cone** will ship any order over \$100 free of shipping charge.

For more information on these special events and to reserve your limited edition pieces, call (847) 634-0890.



"Szlachcic" 1996 Limited Edition Polonaise Glass



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"Szlachcic" (Polish Nobleman)
"Mickey and Minnie Mouse"

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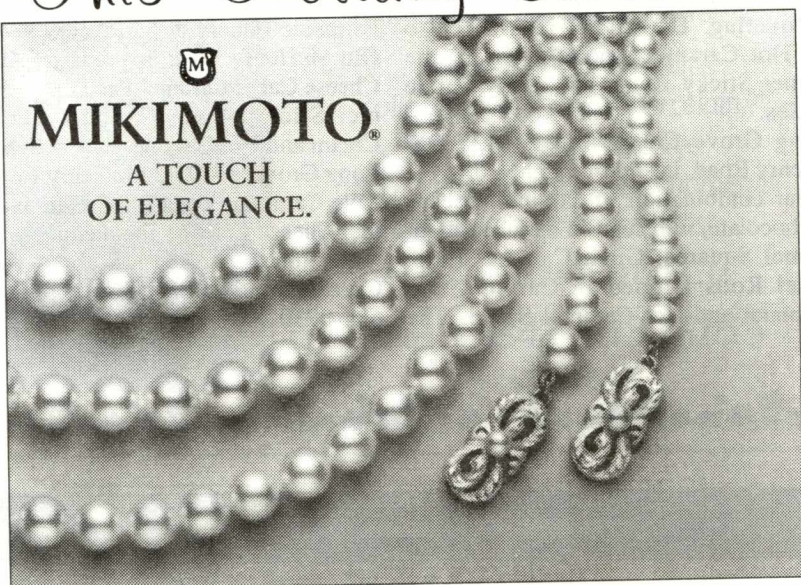
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"Madhatter Nutcracker"

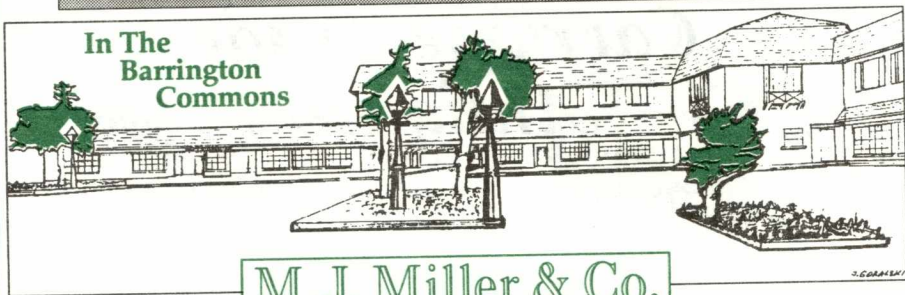
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Later Works Of Impressionist Artist Edgar Degas



Edgar Degas, French. "Three Dancers in the Wings," c. 1900-10. Charcoal and pastel on tracing paper; 60.6 x 44.4 cm. Private Collection.

The Art Institute of Chicago is proud to present *Degas: Beyond Impressionism*, the first exhibition to focus on the powerful, beautiful, and little-known works created by Edgar Degas, the French Impressionist master, in the later years of his career. Co-

Page 38 Barrington LIFESTYLES – November, 1996

Jewelry Shows At M.J. Miller & Company

This holiday season we are proud to present the works of some of the world's top jewelry designers. Visit us November 15 and 16th to see the splendid high fashion collection from Kurt Wayne. On November 22 and 23rd Barnett Robinson, specializing in classic European styling, brings their line to **M.J. Miller**. Leading cufflink manufacturer, Joseph Orlando, spends Thanksgiving weekend, November 29 and 30th showing their 18k and platinum chains, necklaces, and bracelets. In December, Elan, with their classic old world designs as well as their refreshingly modern works, will display items the 6th and 7th.

As a purveyor of some of the world's most magnificent jewelry, we also invite you to peruse the new **M.J. Miller & Company** catalog available November 19. We have been providing the finest gems, gold and platinum jewelry, crystal and time pieces for the past 27 years.

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Come explore the world of fine jewelry with us!

All good wishes—

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organized by the Art Institute and the National Gallery of Art, London, *Degas: Beyond Impressionism* is on view here (its sole U.S. venue) now to January 5, 1997. The exhibition has proved an extraordinary popular and critical success during its London run (May 22-August 26), with sold-out viewings and outstanding reviews from the British and international press, and almost a half-million people are expected to see it in Chicago.

PLEASE NOTE: Special dated and timed tickets are required for the exhibition.

The main exhibition comprises more than 90 works drawn from major public and private collections in Europe, Japan, and the U.S.—including nine works from the Art Institute's permanent collection—and focuses primarily on the artist's work of the 1890s and 1900s. A magnificent array of paintings, pastels, drawings, and sculptures has been assembled, revealing the richness and daring of Degas's mature work—showing it to be at once retrospective and forward-looking, carrying the artist into the heart of early modernism.

A special section exclusive to the Chicago showing includes about 20 paintings, drawings, prints, and pastels from the Art Institute's own rich Degas holdings that have been chosen to provide a general overview of Degas's career up to the pivotal moment that marks the beginning of *Degas: Beyond Impressionism*. The Art Institute's Degas collection, numbering 91 works, ranks third in the world, behind the Louvre and the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York. In addition, the Art Institute is expanding its exploration of Degas's art with a complementary exhibition, *Edgar Degas: Passing on the Tradition*, on view in the Prints and Drawings Galleries now through January 26, 1997. This exhibition

of 130 Art Institute works on paper focuses both on artists who influenced Degas and 20th-century figures who have found inspiration in his work.

"If Degas had died at 50, he would have been remembered as an excellent painter, no more; it is after his fiftieth year that his work broadens out and that he really becomes Degas." (August Renoir, recorded by Degas's dealer, Ambroise Vollard.)

Hilaire-Germain-Edgar Degas (1834-1917) is well-known as one of the leading artists in the Impressionist movement of the 1870s and early 1880s. His sumptuous pictures of the ballet; his innovative studies of the racetrack; his revolutionary studies of laundresses and prostitutes; and his brightly colored pastels of the female nude—all have been celebrated for their sharp observation and their engagement with contemporary urban life. By contrast, the works of Degas's mature years, to which Renoir's statement refers, have attracted relatively little attention. Degas, who lived to be 83, was 51 in 1886, when he participated in the last Impressionist exhibition. Thereafter, he showed his art only sporadically, hoarding large numbers of pictures in his studio. His reputation as an eccentric expanded, and rumors about him developed—that he had become a bitter, reclusive misanthrope; that he never left his studio; even that his weak eyesight had deteriorated into total blindness, so that he stopped painting and drawing altogether. It is unsurprising, therefore, that his later works have come to be either misrepresented or unknown to a wide public.

Yet Degas's active career stretched well into the first decade of this century, spanning more than 50 years in total. For much of this late period, he remained in contact with dealers, patrons, and other artists.

Retail Holiday Open House In Barrington

Barrington's retailers invite you to start your holiday shopping at their special Retail Holiday Open House on Saturday, November 16, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, November 17, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Retail Committee of the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce; 80 stores and restaurants are participating.

Shoppers may begin saving receipts from participating merchants for the 1996 Barrington collector's ornament: \$200 in receipts dated from November 16 through December 24 entitle shoppers to a lovely, limited edition ornament depicting the

Crabtree Nature Center which is celebrating its 25th anniversary in the Barrington Area. Receipts may be brought to the lobby of the Harris Bank Grove Avenue or the Chamber of Commerce office, 325 N. Hough Street. Shoppers may also register to win \$500 in gift certificates from Barrington stores during the November open house celebration. No purchase necessary.

This year's Chamber of Commerce Retail Chairs are Beth Johanson (Peter Daniel Apparel for Men & Women), Harriett Fehns (Frankly Feminine) and George Vodin (Fancy Art N.F.P.).

Extraordinary Woman, Julia Morgan, Architect, Portrayed

Annette Kolasinski will portray American architect Julia Morgan in a dramatic program at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, November 10, at the Barrington Area Library, 505 N. Northwest Highway, Barrington.

Born in Oakland in 1872, Julia Morgan carved for herself a monumental career against formidable odds. She opened her office in San Francisco in 1904—quietly, persistently flaunting the overwhelming assumption that women were not smart enough to vote, much less become architects. Overcoming the odds was not new to Julia. Julia was the first woman to enroll and graduate from the University of California's college of engineering. Despite general condescension there, she attained an influential mentor in Professor Bernard Maybeck.

Armed with her civil engineering degree

she enrolled at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris where she encountered more obstacles. After she won a major competition by the school (she submitted her project anonymously) the school was forced to award her a diploma.

The 1906 San Francisco earthquake brought the opportunity to rebuild that city and Julia's career was launched. William Randolph Hearst's mother, Phoebe, became her newest mentor. This may have led to her largest commission, building Hearst's castle San Simeon.

Actress Annette Kolasinski is editor of the Chicago Chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Annette's dramatic presentation is well suited to her talents and interests. Call the Adult Services Reference Desk, 847-382-1300, to register.

Four Seasons Garden Club Meetings

On November 5, the garden club will meet at 9:30 a.m. at a member's home. Barbara Williams, a landscape architect and consultant, will speak on "New Trends in Gardening."

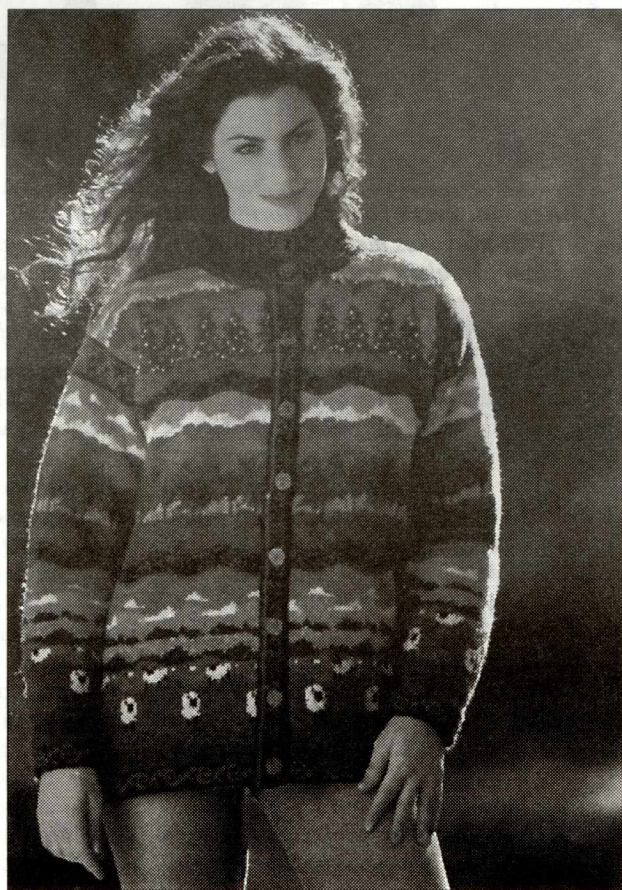
On December 3, the garden club will meet at 9:30 a.m. at a member's home. This is the annual Christmas Potluck Brunch.

Call Jan Kitz at (847) 381-2841.

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Barrington's Holiday Open House

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"Dolls Of Yesteryear" Program For Brunch



Left, Auxiliary President Kit Davies with Marge Allen.

The Crystal Lake Auxiliary of Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois is planning a lovely brunch and program at 10:00 am Saturday, November 9 at the Crystal Lake Country Club. The program, "Dolls of Yesteryear," will be presented by Marge Allen.

Ms. Allen has been a collector for over 40 years and has lectured to many organizations, doll shows and displays. She is a member of the United Federation of Doll Clubs, Inc. and has been a member of Yesterday's Children of Northern Illinois Doll Club since 1979; served as it's president a number of years, and is currently serving another 4 year term.

Her avocation has taken Ms. Allen to Europe many times to view collections in private homes and museums in Spain, Portugal, France, Monaco, Italy, and Germany as well as Switzerland for the "International Doll Show." She has worked tirelessly to protect, preserve and promote dolls of yesterday and those of today. We think you will find her program enchanting.

All proceeds of this brunch and presentation will benefit the Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois. The Society is a voluntary, non-profit, non-sectarian organization whose services include adoption, foster care, day care, residential treatment,

child and family counseling as well as research and professional training programs in the Chicago area and four regions throughout Illinois.

Past supporters of the Crystal Lake Auxiliary will be delighted to know that our world famous cheeseballs will be available at the brunch! Please call benefit chairper-

sons Sally Lind and Jan Hardy at (815) 455-1057 or auxiliary president Kit Davies at (815) 459-2746 for reservations. Tickets are \$20, \$10 of which is tax deductible. Some lucky person will win an American Girl Doll and accessories. It could be you!

Young ladies and gents are welcome, of course!

Museum Shop Offers Wide Variety Of Products In Celebration Of Degas Exhibition

In celebration of the first exhibition to focus on the last 30 years in the career of French artist Edgar Degas (1834-1917), all four locations of The Museum Shop of The Art Institute of Chicago are pleased to offer a selection of products inspired by the exhibition *Degas: Beyond Impressionism*. The Shop has brought together dozens of products, many developed by our own staff, to create a selection that is diverse and extensive. These include books, clothing, jewelry, desk accessories, gift items, kitchen items, toys, and paper products including posters, calendars, notecards, and postcards.

Also, for the convenience of its shoppers, the Shop is offering a telephone at each location providing a direct line to ticket sales for the exhibition.



Degas Umbrella and Tote. Details from Degas's "Dance Class at the Opera" are featured on this striking water-resistant umbrella. With a wooden handle, it measures 48" when opened; \$39. Zip-top note bag, 14" by 18"; \$30.

Wilson's American Primitives At Harper College



Often reminiscent of an old Northwest Holiday Season, the work of Pat and Monnie Wilson evokes memories of an American Christmas past and present. Pat and Monnie, along with 90 other folk artists and country craftspeople will present their work at the "Country Collections Traditional Craft and Folk Art Faire" at Harper College in Palatine, Illinois, November 8, 9th and 10th.

Calling the eastern shore of Wisconsin home, Patrick and Monnie Wilson have turned their creative avocation into a folk art vocation.

From the unique charm of soft sculptured folk figures to wildlife carvings and plaques, Wilson's American primitives attest to its hallmark: "The irregular and intimate quality of things made by the human hand."

Always in concept and design, Monnie and Patrick approach their work with a flair that keeps creativity always at the ready. Ready for that new thought, new idea, new creation.

Their work, often reminiscent of an old northwest holiday season, evokes memories of an American Christmas past and present.

Through the creation of their original "Willie Hollister" figure and story, the Wilsons strive to show the love that they feel for their work.

Pat and Monnie, along with 90 other folk artists and country crafters will each present their unique view of the world at the **Country Collections Traditional Craft and Folk Art Faire** at Harper College in Palatine, Illinois; November 8, 9th and 10th.

Show hours are Friday, 3-9, Saturday, 10-5 and Sunday, 11-4. Admission is \$4 for adults, children 12 and under are admitted free. Harper College is located at the intersection of Algonquin and Roselle Roads in Palatine, Illinois. For further information, please call (630) 268-8067.

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Infant Welfare Members Attend Fashion Show



The Board of Directors of the Near North Auxiliary Chapter of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago were at Bloomingdale's for an evening wear fashion show recently to select their gowns for the upcoming "Dices & Pisces" gala. The benefit was held on Saturday, October 12, at the new Museum of Contemporary Art.

Standing from left: Benefit Co-Chair, Joan Conway, Treasurer, Karen Fiorenza, Secretary, Kate Boege, Vice President, Janet Hansen, Benefit Co-Chair, Sherry Schmitter Block and President, JoEllen Zacks. For more information regarding the Infant Welfare Society, call 312/751-2800.

Junior League To Host 25th Anniversary Gazebo Holiday Market

The Junior League of Chicago will celebrate the Silver Anniversary of the Gazebo Holiday Market, November 15, 16 and 17. The market features more than 30 local and national boutiques specializing in unique merchandise ranging from festive holiday decorations, small English antiques, men's, women's, and children's fashions, tablewares, jewelry, specialty foods and much more.

This year the Market and Opening Night party will be held at The Three Arts Club located in the heart of Chicago's Gold Coast at 1300 North Dearborn Parkway.

The Opening Night celebration will kick off the weekend. This preview evening will feature live jazz, hor d'oeuvres, and spirits. The Silent Auction highlights include a 18' Falcon speed boat, a Jeep Grand Cherokee and a trip to London, England.

Market Shopping hours are Saturday

from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Sunday from 12:00 noon to 5:00 pm There will be informal modeling by Mondie. Valet parking is available.

Tickets for "Shoppers Eve" are \$40 for singles, \$70 for couples, in advance, and \$45 per person at the door. Contact the Junior League at (312) 664-4462 for ticket information. Complementary admission for Market shopping on Saturday and Sunday.

The JLC is a non-profit organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism and to improving the community through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Founded in 1912, its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. With a total membership of over 2,500, the JLC reaches out to women of all races, religions and national origins who demonstrate an interest and a commitment to volunteerism.

Music In The Home

The Barrington Area Arts Council invites the public to attend the Music in the Home Concert featuring Burl Lane, bassoonist and saxophonist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, on Sunday, November 17 at 3:00 p.m. at the Barrington Public Library.

Mr. Lane's formal music studies began at the University of Tulsa and he graduated from The Juilliard School in New York City where he studied bassoon with Harold Goltzer. In addition he earned a professional diploma in music education from Columbia University in a doctoral studies program. A member of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra since 1965, Mr. Lane has performed as saxophone soloist with Sir George Solti and the Orchestra for Ibert's *Concertino da camera*.

Tickets are \$15 for BAAC members, \$17 for nonmembers and \$7 for students and are available at the BAAC Gallery at 207 Park



Burl Lane, bassoonist and saxophonist

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But this is just the tip of Shari's idea of what a women's store of the 90's should be. She has traveled throughout the Midwest to art shows to bring her customers artistic giftware and jewelry affordably priced and a variety not found in catalogs and pricey jewelry stores.

In this day and age of movement, Shari's realizes people's needs are changing. Lifestyles change. Thus, wonderful resale racks have been added and are now bulging with luxurious Furs. This allows people

the opportunity to obtain a garment that fits their budget or sell a fur they no longer need.

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Shari's does not want to be just a point of purchase. They are a full service furrier. They have climate controlled storage, make alterations, and repair and restyle all types of fur and leather.

Shari's parting statement to her customer's is: "Our sales people will treat you with the same respect they would expect if they were on the other side of the counter."



The Fine Art Of Gift Giving

The exchange of gifts during the holidays began long before religion as we know it today gave a new meaning to the custom.

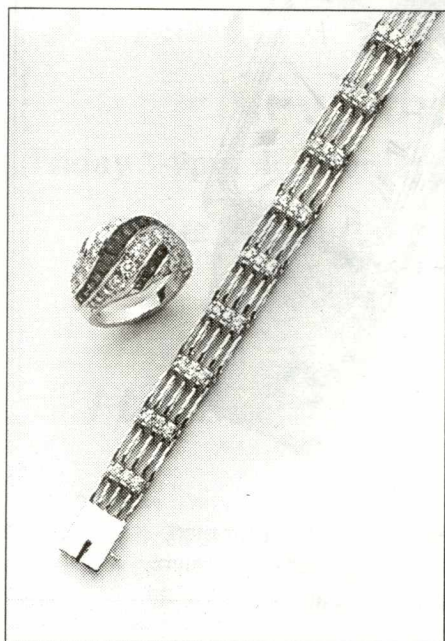
Pagan festivals celebrating the sun's annual rebirth brought with them a message of peace and goodwill when the rich generously gave to their poorer neighbors and received garlands, candles or frankincense

in return. Men gave each other 'honeyed' things so the recipient might be sure of sweetness in the coming year. Gifts also had to be given to evil spirits at the time to drive them away. Because gift giving was an essential part of pagan celebrations, the early Christian church tried to abolish it from it's Christmas celebration, but luckily, giving generously to kinsfolk, friends,

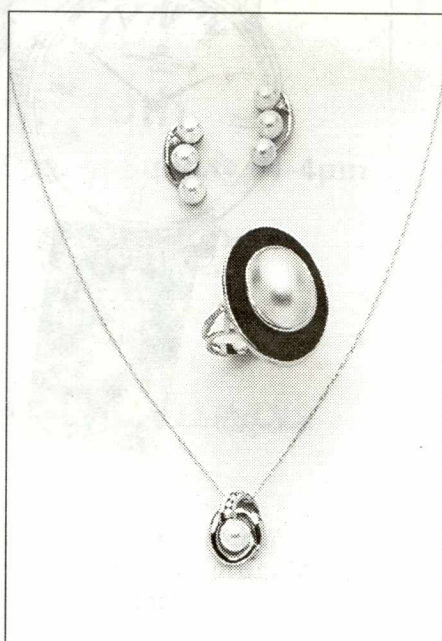
and neighbors was a natural expression of rejoicing and was soon accepted by the church as a religious symbol.

Gift giving during the holidays is a tradition that dates back thousands of years. Persin & Robbin Jewelers in downtown Arlington Heights has it's own rich history of helping people in the Northwest suburbs find beautiful gifts for everyone

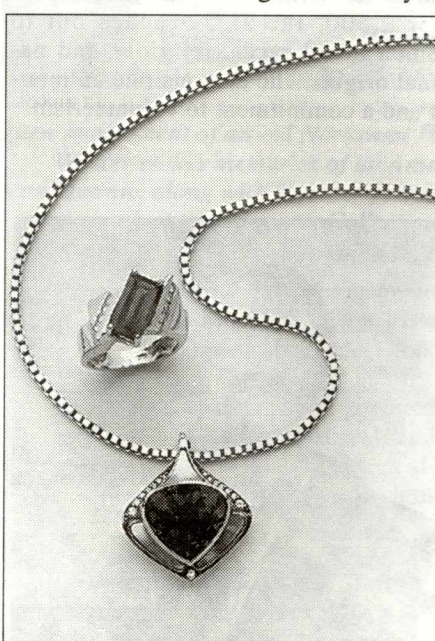
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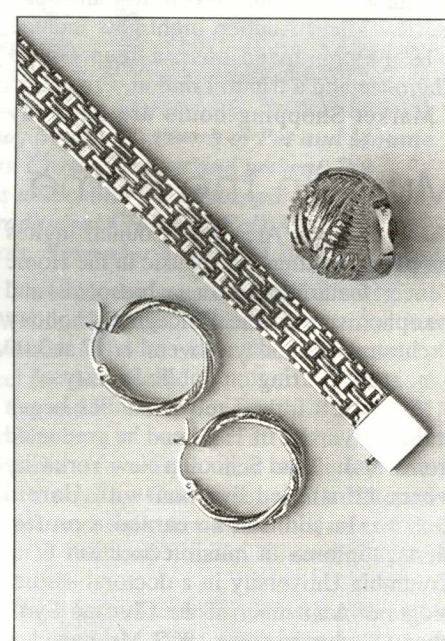
This spectacular diamond and sapphire ring, and gold and diamond bracelet are sure to turn heads every time. A lovely gift for that special someone on your Christmas list.



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Isabel Bloom

Barrington Suzuki Strings To Perform "Toyland"

The Barrington Suzuki String Repertoire Players and Chamber Strings Orchestra will be performing "Toyland." The program will be enhanced by dancers from the Bataille Academie of the Danse.

This story, brought to life through the use of music by Victor Herbert, will be presented on Sunday, December 15 at the Barrington High School Auditorium, 616 W. Main Street, at 3 p.m.

"The Hayden Toy Symphony" as well as holiday favorites will be enjoyed. The musicians, ranging in age from 3-18, playing violins, cellos, guitars, flutes, piano and bass, have traveled to many parts of the country and world with their outstanding music.

For ticket information please contact the Suzuki office at (847) 382-7517 or Linda March at (847) 526-3563.

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Best of all, through the month of November, you can get that lovely Holiday shade FREE with any purchase of \$99 or more at **L & W Lamps!** That's quite a value, considering the shade itself retails for \$41!

And while you're shopping for Holiday shades, don't forget this Season's Holiday finials: from beautiful little angels to whimsical Santas, all painted in loving detail. Use them together with your new Holiday shades—or just by themselves. Either way, they are sure to delight young and old alike!

Holiday lampshades and finials are available at **L & W Lamps**, Barrington. (847) 382-3195.

Donald Franzese Art Exhibited

Fancy Art N.F.P. Gallery in downtown Barrington is pleased to announce the coming exhibit of oil paintings by our local artist, Donald Franzese. He has exhibited and sold for the last 12 years in the Miami area. Mr. Franzese has now relocated back to Barrington and is one of the area's premier oil painters. He has a wide range of subjects and styles.

Viewing and sales will be from November 19 through 24th; you are invited to attend the Artist Reception Friday evening from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Refreshments and music will be enjoyed by all.



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Newcomers November Meeting

The Newcomers Club of Barrington will meet on Wednesday, November 13 at 9:30 a.m. in a member's home. The program will feature a local interior design firm who will present some exciting new ideas in design

and holiday decorating. For directions call Deb at 381-6753 or Holly at 381-2299. New residents of Barrington are welcome. For membership information call Betty at 836-8242.

Welcome Wagon Coffee

The Welcome Wagon Club of Palatine has monthly coffees held on the third Tuesday of the month in various members' homes at 10:30 A.M. These coffees are open to members as well as those seeking membership in a friendly women's group that is social and

philanthropic in the local community. You need not be a new resident of the community, but a person seeking an organization that includes involvement with other women for recreation and fund-raising. For information please call Carlee at 358-5778.

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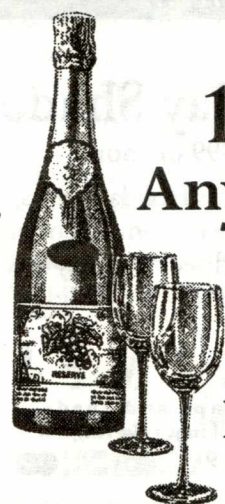
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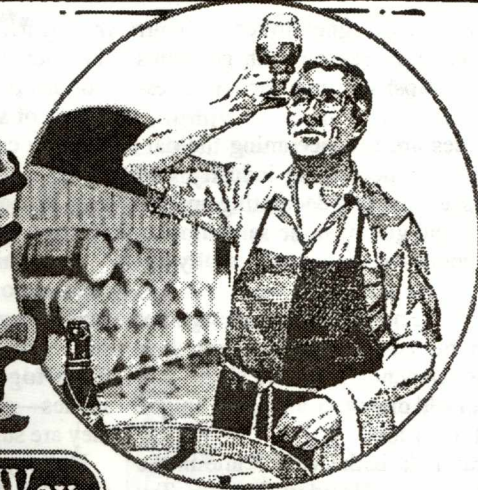


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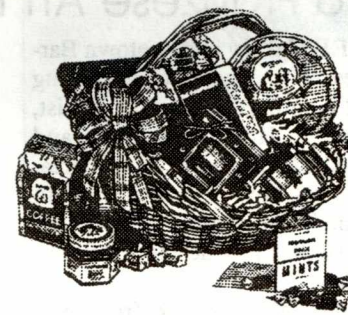
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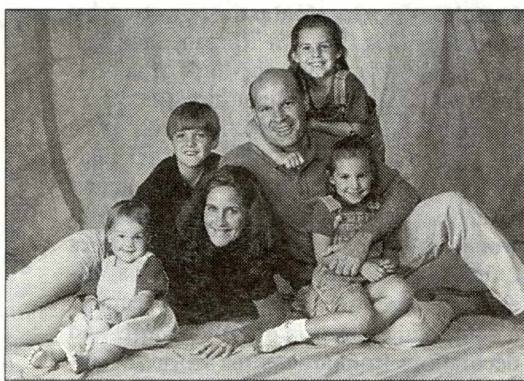
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The Canterbury Shoppe is open 7 days a week through Christmas, Monday-Friday, 10-5:30, Saturday-Sunday, 10-4, and is located at 117 East Station Street in downtown Barrington (1 block south of Main and Route 59, near Starbucks Coffee). Any questions? Give us a call at (847) 304-9627.

Skin Care For Winter

This is an article that I always dislike to write, but it is a fact. Winter is upon us! Now is the time to change our skin care!

We have many elements to overcome, sun damage, clogged pores from oils and sun blocks, and dead cells from improper cleansing. More attention is needed now for your skin, and as you know the most important thing you do to your face is how you cleanse it. All of my estheticians are licensed and have a lot of knowledge in the treatment of skin. We are always happy to educate each client about the care of their own skin. Now is a good time to make an appointment for your facial, to cleanse, exfoliate dead cells, and to moisturize. We have many methods to treat the skin, but most and best of all we have knowledge.

I would like to touch briefly on stress and how it effects the body and skin. Now is a very stressful time, the holidays are coming. In our busy lifestyles, body massage and facials are not only fantastic for the face and body, but a way to relieve stress in our lives. Just think what a great day having a body massage, facial, manicure and pedicure in a private room with relaxing music would be.

We sell a lot of gift certificates in our studio. What a wonderful present to give to someone, they will be very grateful.

I have just returned from Chicago, attending a two day seminar with the Chicago Cosmetology Association. The whole program was based on wellness in our country. Body massage, facials, manicures, pedicures and




nutrition all help to alleviate the stress in our lives. I've come home with a new attitude and new ideas about better nutrition and getting more facials and body massages.

We are very pleased with the new nutritional vitamins Dr. Murad has invented. We have three formulas which I will touch on briefly. First, youth builder for aging. This is a great vitamin for strengthening the collagen in the face and body. Next, clear complexion for acne prone skin. Last, environmental for everyone, it's the best of antioxidants. This vitamin will bring your outside skin to a SPF 8 sun protector. Feel, look, live... (well) everyday.

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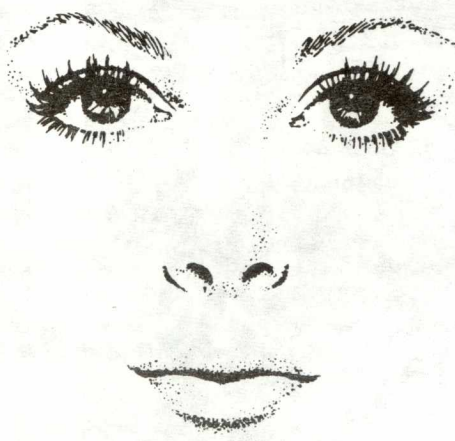
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Nov. 10-16: Old World Christmas: Capture the feeling of Christmas past with this fantastic assortment of German handblown glass ornaments. With each \$30 purchase of Old World Christmas ornaments, receive **FREE** the infamous *mini pickle ornament* complete with a legend you'll love!

Nov. 17-23: Barrington Blanket & All Throw Sale: Come see our warm selection of holiday and themed blankets, especially

our custom blanket featuring the sites of Barrington! This week receive **FREE** with any blanket purchase, *your choice of any ornament in the store under \$10 or a FREE Barrington tote bag!*

Nov. 24-30: Birthstone People & Sterling Love Letters: A favorite among our customers, feature your children and their birthstones or special names in heart or block letters. On sale this week!

G. Whiz offers special events and savings during our Open House weekend, November 15 and 16th from 9:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Lots of special sales and excitement throughout the store! Come see our unusual selection of holiday decorations and gifts. Bring your list and a pencil to check off the names as you finish your holiday shopping—Christmas or Hanukkah! Our selection is huge, along with our service!

All In A Day's Work



Metra chairman Jeff Ladd, who hosted the Sunday reception; Al Salvi, currently serving his second term in the Illinois General Assembly and seeking the vacant senate seat left by Paul Simon; and Charlton Heston, special guest of the event.



After speaking to the supporters of the campaign, Al Salvi's day is still not finished. He and Mr. Heston are whisked away to speak in Effingham that evening.

A common sight across America these last few weeks has been politicians stumping their way to win votes. McHenry County was no exception.

A Sunday afternoon reception was held for U.S. Senate hopeful Al Salvi in late September. The event was held at the beautiful Bull Valley home of Metra Chairman Jeff

Ladd and his wife Kathy. On hand to greet the casually dressed audience were film star Charleston Heston and many GOP dignitaries.

Over 400 guests attended the invitation-only fund raising bash complete with outdoor barbecue and the camaraderie of friendly neighbors.



The noise of the helicopter was too much for the Salvi children as they watch Uncle Al fly off for more campaigning.

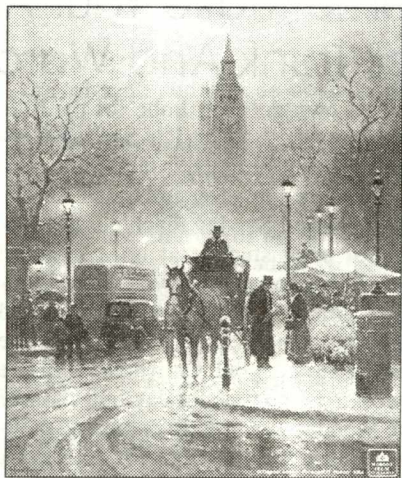
New Look For Fall

This fall create a new look for your home or office with new and decorative artwork. **Art and Frame Galerie**, the area's premier frame shop and art gallery, has stocked a full line of quality artwork with a wide range of subject matter to suit all tastes.

Gallery specialties include original works from the Midwest's finest artists as well as lithographs, posters, sculptures and wall accents. Chicago memorabilia, golf, and unique collectibles are among the wide variety of affordable items available at **Art and Frame Galerie**.

In addition to our **"20% OFF Coupon"** for custom framing, we're having a **40% OFF Clearance Sale** of select premium quality photo frames. Terry Ingerson, gallery owner, suggests you begin refreshing your home now for the Holiday Season and save money too!

For a solution to your wall decorating needs, stop at **Art and Frame Galerie** lo-



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cated at Route 22 and Rand Road in Lake Zurich or call **540-8070**. The shop is conveniently located behind the First Chicago Bank and next door to D & J Bistro Restaurant.

A Holiday To Remember

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For the children, Vera Bradley offers boys' bow ties, girls jumpers and hairbows.

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Pottery Storytellers By Stella And Robin Teller, Isleta Pueblo, New Mexico

Out of a long and rich tradition of pottery-making among the Pueblo Indians there has evolved a new and exciting form, known as storytellers. "Storyteller" is a term used to describe a three-dimensional representation of a human, animal, or bird that is surrounded by smaller figures. Stella Teller, and her daughter, Robin, from the Isleta Pueblo, New Mexico, will present and interpret their own story teller figures in the Chicagoland area at **Tribal Expressions** in Arlington Heights.

Stella Tellers personal style has evolved from techniques going back to her great-grandmother. Defining her work more as "Stella Teller pottery" rather than Isleta pottery, she uses colored slips mixed with white, to render tones distinguished by a natural softness. All her figures wear a characteristic turquoise necklace.

According to Robin, her clay sculptures are inspired by artistic desire to communicate to all people the need to care for the earth, the plants and the animals. A sculpture entitled "Mother Nature," for example, depicts a central female figure surrounded with many chil-



dren. Each child is accompanied with birds, butterflies, and other animals. The clay sculpture is intended to demonstrate the importance of teaching children the responsibility of caring for nature's creations.

The Teller's work will be seen at **Tribal Expressions** in Arlington Heights, Illinois, on November 29, 30th and December 1, 1996. An artists reception will be held on Friday evening from 6 to 9 p.m., and they will remain in the gallery from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. For additional information, directions, or to be placed on the mailing list please call the gallery at **(847) 590-5390**. This event is available at no cost to the public.

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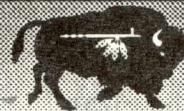
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BAAC Schedules Juried Art Show

BAAC will host a juried art show during the month of March entitled *Urban Edges*. The show will be on exhibit at BAAC Gallery from March 7 - March 29. Best of Show and merit awards will be given. The juror for the show is Ralph Arnold, Senior Art Professor from Loyola University.

Artists over the age of 18 and residing within a 150 mile radius of Chicago are invited to submit slides for jurying. All media will be considered. The jurying fee for up to three slides is \$10 for BAAC mem-

bers and \$15 for non-BAAC members. Entries must be postmarked no later than January 1, 1997. To receive a prospectus, please send a SASE to BAAC Gallery, "Urban Edges," 207 Park Avenue, Barrington, IL 60010.

There will be an opening reception on Friday, March 7 from 7 - 9 p.m. at BAAC Gallery. The Gallery is located at 207 Park Avenue, Barrington, IL.

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

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Young Writers Workshop To Focus On "Poetry Techniques"

The Barrington Area Arts Council (BAAC) announces the Young Writers Workshop, "Poetry Techniques," on Saturday, November 23 for grades 3-8 conducted by Jim Littwin, published author, Illinois Arts Council Award for fiction recipient and Whetstone Poetry Prize winner.

Mr. Littwin is a graduate of Loyola University and earned his M.A. in Literature from Northeastern Illinois University. Cur-

rently a Creative Writing teacher at Barrington High School and Northwestern University's Center for Talent Development, Mr. Littwin has been honored as an outstanding teacher by the University of Chicago and Cornell University.

There will be three workshops (grades 3-4, grades 5-6, and grades 7-8). For more information or to register for the workshop, call the BAAC Gallery at (847) 382-0328

Preschool And Kindergarten Readiness

The Northwest Region of PACE (Parent and Child Education Society) will host Diane Kulat, preschool director, educator and mother, at our November meeting, to be held on Thursday, November 21, at Harper College, in Building A, Room 241 /242 from 7:30-9:00 p.m.

Come and learn insights into child development, skill levels, and how to ease the

transition to school. PACES members and nonmembers are welcome to attend. A donation of \$2 from nonmembers will be asked to cover expenses. PACES is an all-volunteer, nonprofit, support organization offering friendship, encouragement and education for parents of newborn through preschool age children. For more information, please call Linda at 847-359-1634.

Special Programs On Aging

The Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. will be holding special programs in November at Langendorf Park:

- Monday, November 4 from 12:30 to 1:00 p.m., Nancy Vonau, with the Volunteer Bureau of District #220, will talk about volunteer opportunities in the school system.
- Tuesday, November 12 from 1 to 2

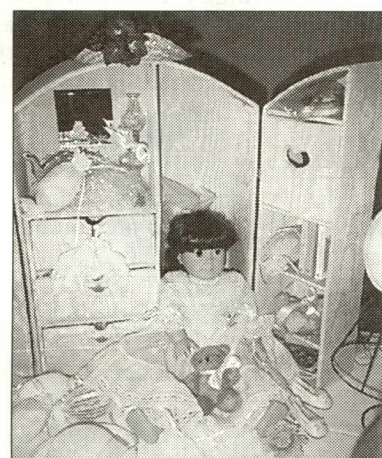
p.m., the Barrington Historical Society will be presenting a program on Indian Artifacts.

You are invited to come early for both presentations and join us for lunch which is served at 12:00 noon in the Barrington Room at Langendorf Park. Call the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. at 381-5030 to make a reservation.

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Come Make Your American Girl Doll Trunk And Wardrobe At LINDA Z's

Sew your own doll wardrobe for the little doll in your life. **LINDA Z's Sewing Center** in Arlington Heights, is signing up students for these fun, easy and quick American Girl classes. Sewing machines are provided for each student at no additional charge. Come for an all-day session, Monday, December 2, 10:30 am-3:30 pm and leave with a completed doll outfit; cross one of your gifts off your Christmas list. Are you working—no time for daytime classes? Come Monday evening, December 2, 6:30-8:30 pm for a lecture demo and doll trunk show of the entire line of patterns available. Leave with a **FREE** pinafore pattern. Class fees of \$20 (all day) and \$10 (p.m.) can be mailed to **LINDA Z's**, 1030 E. Central Rd., Arlington Heights, IL 60005, to reserve your space... or call **847-394-4590** with a credit card to register. Hurry!! These popular classes fill quickly.



Pictured are the beautiful doll trunk and dress you can make. Sign up now at LINDA Z's.

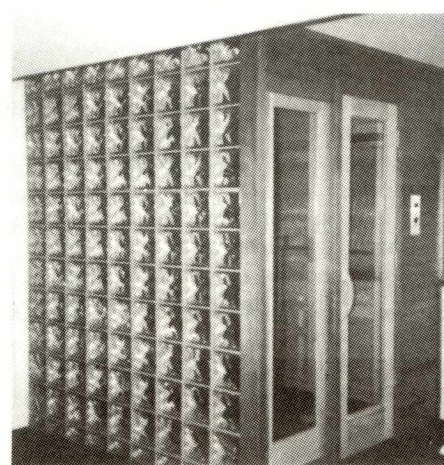
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Gerald Heniff

B.H.S. Alumni Artist Of The Year

The Barrington High School Art Gallery is proud to present the ceramic works of alumnus Gerald Heniff, Class of 1993, from November 4 to November 27, 1996. The B.H.S. Art Gallery is located to the left of the Johnson Auditorium and is open to the public from 7:30 AM to 3:00 PM on weekdays when school is in session. This exhibit will also be open from 7 to 9 PM on November

6, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, for your convenience.

Heniff is an emerging artist, completing his BFA at the Kansas City Art Institute, working both in two and three-dimensional mediums. All of his works allude to water both through the use of circular forms and geological references. Many times these two motifs work simultaneously within a single composition.

To The Editor

The Barrington Chapter of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago wishes to thank you, the community of Barrington, for your support of our fund-raising activities during the 1995-1996 year.

It is through the continued support of the businesses and residents of the Barrington area, that we are able to continue our donations to the Chicago clinic. The

clinic provides comprehensive health care at little or no cost to the working poor women and children of the inner-city.

Thank you, *Barrington Lifestyles*, for your coverage of our charity and social functions.

Sue Manko
Publicity Chairman

Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club

"The Arlington Heights Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at various members homes in the North-

west suburbs. All Pi Phi's are welcomed. If interested, please contact Kim at 847-304-1471. The next meeting is on Wednesday, November 13.

Gift Box Boutique Extravaganza November 13 & 14th

With a plethora of craft shows to attend, how do you single out the best from the rest?

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Once you're there you'll be captivated by the overwhelming variety and quality of the merchandise. It's a treasure trove of

one-of-kind and unique items in all price ranges.

Gift Box Boutique will be held in the beautiful crystal room of Watercress Banquets, 1200 W. Northwest Highway in Palatine. The show will be Wednesday, November 13 and Thursday, November 14, 1996 from 10am to 8pm both days.

There may be hundreds of shows this season, but there is only one **Gift Box Boutique**. It's a show you won't want to miss!

A New Owner—A New Look

Collins Fireplace in Wheeling, Illinois, is in a renovating stage—a new owner, a new look. Visit our changing showrooms and see the improvements that we have made.

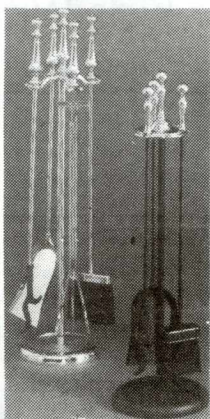
Would you enjoy a new fireplace in your home? Come and check out the direct vented fireplace models that can go virtually anywhere in your home.

There is a new look becoming popular and it's aluminum marble. Have you ever dreamed of having a marble fireplace? Well now you can achieve that dream for half the price it would cost you using the real thing. Earth tones seem to be the colors of choice in the homes that we have decorated. **Collins Fireplace** carries twenty-some different cultured stone products that can dress up an existing fireplace or a new installation.



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LAVISH ESSENTIALS. Firesets, wood baskets, match holders, folding screens, etc. etc. are the jewelry of the hearth. Today's elegant extras define your hearth in styles that range from classic to colonial, from American country to ultramodern. The fireside furnishings of the 90's offer endless opportunities to make your home heating appliances as expressive as they are inviting.



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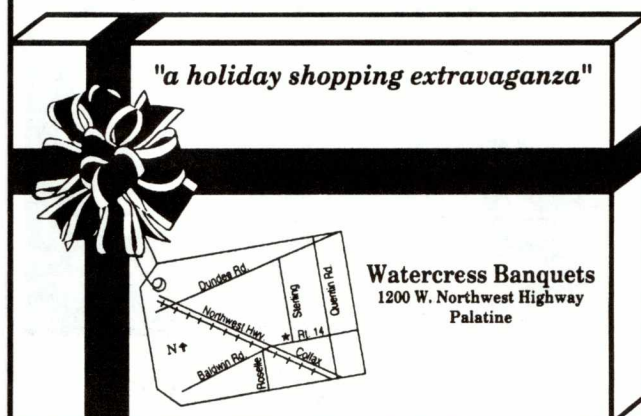
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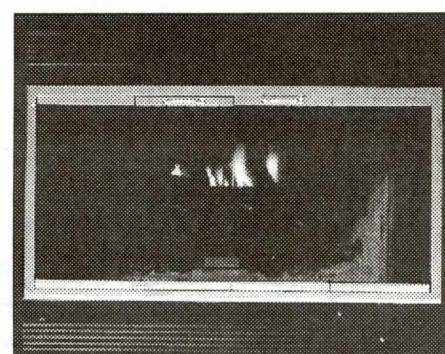
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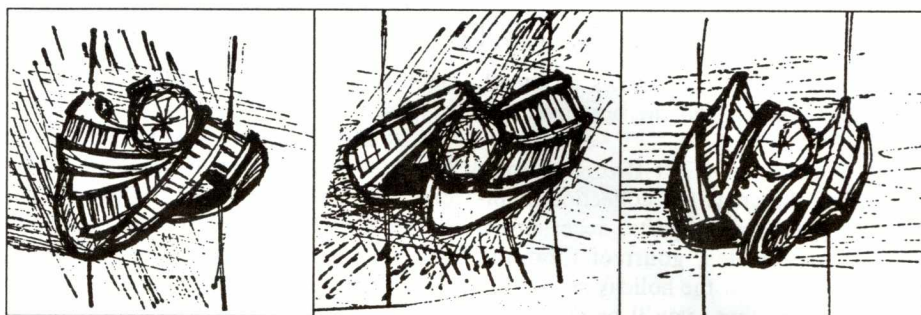


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The manufacturing shop is staffed by a European craftsman, internationally known designer Mr. Goralski is available at the

store to offer you his unique designs.

Besides custom jewelry design work, F.K. Jewelers provides appraisal service, all types of jewelry repairs, estate jewelry restoration and of course, diamond setting and remount services.

The beautiful new store is open during November as follows: Monday 9 a.m.-7 p.m., Tuesday 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Friday 9 a.m.-6 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Other times by appointment.

Mr. Kopesdy says, "As a long time resident and now merchant of Barrington, I look forward to meeting you in the weeks ahead. Please stop by. I'd love to get acquainted."

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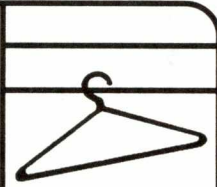
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Seebring convertible from Gary Rosenberg Crystal Lake Chrysler Plymouth and a Honda Del Sol from Motor Werks of Barrington and wonderful, wonderful people totaling 150 golfers plus great corporate friends like Nicolet Water, The Design Company and Big Sur Graphics.

"It was a wonderful mix of everything that allowed us to raise that \$30,000 for pediatric cancer, and I can't thank everyone enough" said Kathleen Casey, Executive Director of Bear Necessities Pediatric Cancer Foundation. "We'll try to do it again next year," added Casey.

Bear Necessities receives funding only from its fund-raisers, private donations and corporate sponsors. It receives no federal or state funding and is presently at a rate of approximately 81% returned to pediatric cancer. Those interested in volunteering, contributing or meeting to discuss a corporate support program, please call (847) 516-4081.



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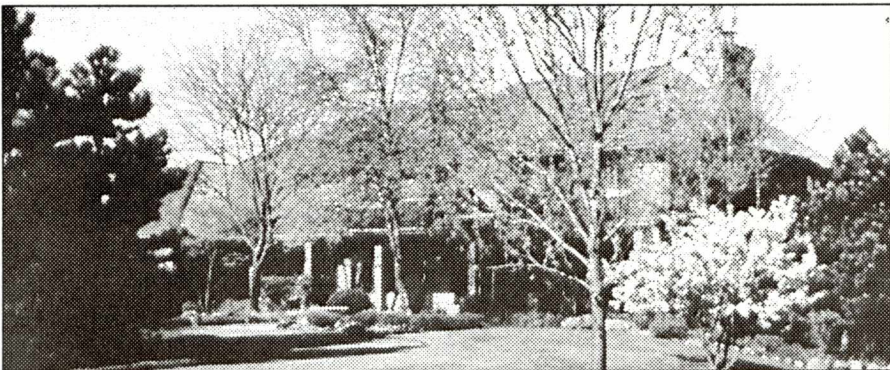
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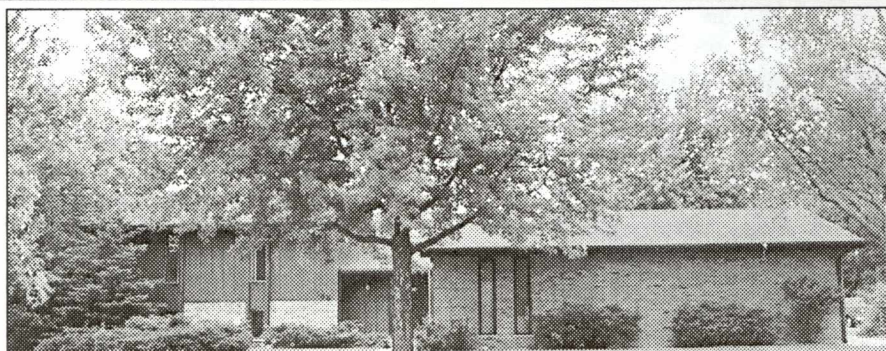
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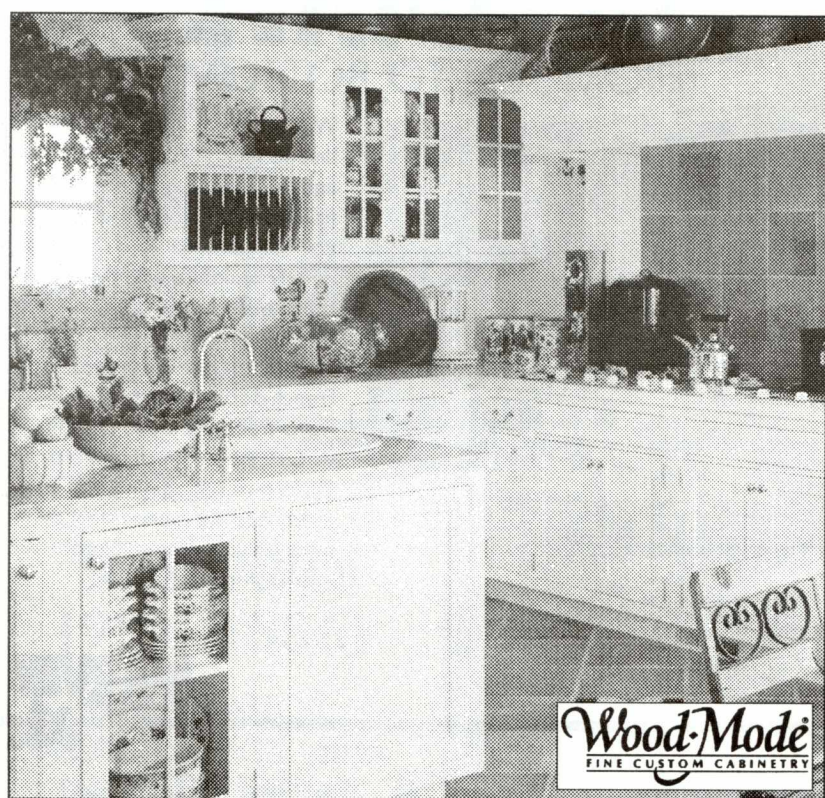
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You know you should contact a kitchen designer but you're not sure how to work with one. Many potential remodelers have questions about the role of a designer, according to Star Norini-Johnson, CKD, ASID, owner of **Distinctive Kitchen Designs, Inc.** in Wauconda IL. Her answers to some of the most common questions might help you in achieving your dream kitchen.

1) Will a designer try to sell me what I don't really need? "Most good designers won't oversell. They'll try to make you aware of the options available to you," Norini-Johnson says. And there will be more than you may realize: cabinets packed with ingenious storage aids; new labor-saving, high-tech appliances; and a broad range of revolutionary countertop materials, just for openers. "Your designer should present different ideas to help you make the right decisions."

2) Suppose my designer won't do what I want? "When a designer disagrees with what you want, the professional designer will usually discuss the pros and cons of the issue," says Norini-Johnson. "Perhaps the designer is concerned about a safety issue, such as proper clearances. However, it's

your money and you have the final decision. If, on the other hand, you feel that the designer is not interpreting your needs or ideas, it may be a good idea to look for another professional to assist you.

3) Why does the designer need to know how much I want to spend? The obvious answer, according to Norini-Johnson, is so you won't end up with an elaborate commercial-type installation if you're interested in a simple, family kitchen. The designer also has to know your family's special needs. What about a baking center or a snack counter for toddlers? Or an island with a vegetable sink to allow more than one person to participate in food preparation? A good designer is usually very practical and should make recommendations as to which cabinets or finishing materials may best maximize your budget.

4) If I use a designer, how can I be sure what my kitchen will look like? "Only a few clients can visualize what their kitchen will look like from a floor plan. As a rule, I will often draw a perspective rendering of the finished kitchen. If you are not certain, or do not understand any element of the design, be sure to ask the designer to clarify the design concepts before placing the order for cabinets or other materials."

5) Will my kitchen cost more if I use a designer? "Quite often, the very opposite is true," says Norini-Johnson. "As mentioned before, designers can usually maximize the client's budget and avoid costly mistakes. However, don't be surprised if the

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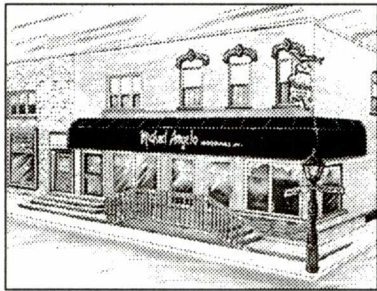
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Diabetes screenings will be held at Sherman Hospital, The Ambulatory Medical Center in Crystal Lake, and Sherman Family HealthCare in Algonquin on Tuesday, November 12, 7:00-10:00 a.m.; Wednesday, November 13, 7:00-10:00 a.m. and 4:00-7:00 p.m.; and Thursday, November 14, 4:00-7:00 p.m. Testing is recommended for persons who are over 30, have a family history of diabetes or are overweight. Testing is not for people known to have diabetes or for pregnant women. A five hour fast is required. The screenings are free, but an appointment is necessary.

Persons with diabetes and their families and friends are invited to a free product fair on Tuesday, November 12, from 4:00-7:00 p.m., in the hospital's South Lobby. Vendors will be available to display products and services useful in accommodating a

diabetic lifestyle. Free foot and vision screenings and glaucoma checks will also be provided.

"Living With Diabetes, Coping With Stress" will be offered on November 13, 9:00-10:00 a.m., and November 20, 7:00-8:00 p.m., at the Sherman Diabetes Center. A licensed psychologist will discuss the effects of stress and provide information on stress management. This program does include a fee.

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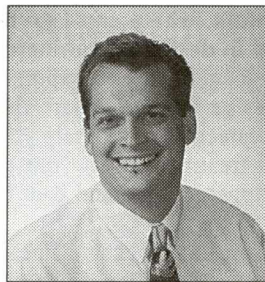
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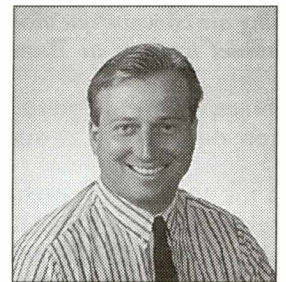
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The easiest way to change the look of a room is a coat of new paint. Use warm colors to make a stark room cozy, or a light color to brighten up a dark room. Or how about using wallpaper? A wallpaper border at chair rail height with coordinating papers above and below it says professional decorating. Maybe you have a room which would look great with a finish like sponge painting, rag rolling or faux marble.

Add a crown molding around the ceiling or trim around the door and windows for an elegant touch. A combination of trims could be used on a wall for an architectural detail.

If your budget and taste run to it, more

drastic changes can be made. Replacing outdated windows can bring your home into the nineties and maybe save on your heating bill. If the layout of your kitchen is fine, consider just replacing the cabinets. With proper preparation wood floors can be installed over the old ones. And finally, replacing the sink and commode in the bathroom may be just what your home needs.

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When you are selling your house, it's the little things that count. Especially with the return to central standard time ushering in the approach of winter with its often dreary days. Consider how this change in seasons affects the presentation of your home.

Studies show that home buyers are more active in bright, sunny weather. In fact, with this beautiful autumn even my friend Napoleon called asking if this were a good time to put a home on the market. He was "fence talking" with his neighbor when the topic came up. "Of course," I said, "why waste time when you could be living in a new home with a new lifestyle?" I'm all for adventure, but Napoleon is never quite sure. He again assured me that this information was for his neighbor and not for him.

Well, I told Napoleon that putting your home on the market now just requires a little creativity especially if Mother Nature does not cooperate by providing bright shiny November days. However, with a little ingenuity you can compensate by creating cheerful, cozy surroundings.

First, if your family is gone during the day, be sure to turn on soft lighting throughout your home so that the prospective buyers will receive an immediate impression of warmth and comfort upon entering. First impressions count as women make up their minds in 17 seconds and for men, it's 35

seconds. Also, remember the front door on making a lasting impression.

Use seasonal decorations to add color and charm. The subliminal message is that you give careful attention to your home. Real important!

Appeal to the prospective buyer's other senses. Baking smells especially can conjure up visions of friendly family gatherings in pleasant surroundings. Napoleon especially liked hearing this idea as he loves hot apple pie and pumpkin bread. Or, if there is not enough time, give your home a delightful scent by placing cake spices such as cinnamon and nutmeg in a pan of water and boil for a few minutes. This simple procedure will fill your home with a welcoming aroma.

Perhaps no sound better conveys the joys of home and hearth than a crackling fire in the fireplace. Whenever possible, highlight this amenity in your home.

It's also nice to have very soft music playing in the background. Something classical if possible.

Exterior maintenance remains important even if you are not selling your home. Be sure leaves are raked, roses are covered, wind-blown litter is removed and the grounds give evidence of your tender loving care.

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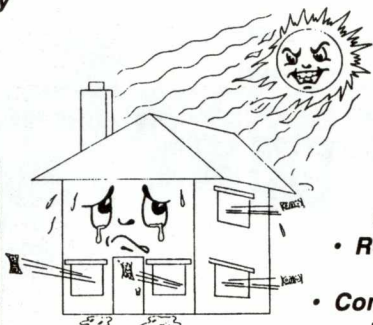
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ing a window or door, you can count on **Blue Ribbon** for the best in quality and service. When considering your next project, call or stop by to discuss it with anyone of our expert staff.

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What Is "Custom" Residential Architecture?

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

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

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



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

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

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Decorating Connections is located in The Marketplace Shopping Plaza on Route 59 and Kelsey Road.

Programs On Aging Held At Barrington Library

Beginning this fall, the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. will be holding the following programs on the second Wednesday of each month from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Barrington Area Library. Light refreshments will be served.

- November 13—Is there an HMO in

your future? Speaker Grace Martos, from Good Shepherd Hospital, will explain managed care and what you need to consider before enrolling.

- December 11—Aromatherapy. Speaker, Cathy Bargaenquast, will do a presentation on the therapeutic use of sensory herbs.



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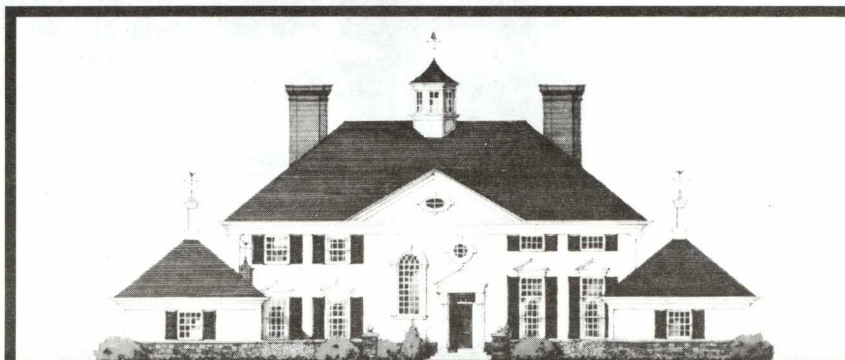
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AAUW To Host Annual Friendship Soup Supper

The Barrington Area Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will host its Annual Friendship Soup Supper on Monday, December 9, 1996, at 6:30 p.m. at a members home. Members are asked to bring their own soup bowl and spoon, as well as an ingredient to serve six that can be put in the soup base. AAUW is a national organization committed to educational equity for women and girls. Over 100

members strong, the Barrington Area Branch sponsors monthly programs, hosts social activities, and is active in the Barrington community. The Branch's study groups include Investment Club, Book Discussion, and Great Decisions. Membership is open to anyone with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. For more information, call Caroline Sobolak at 847-639-1262.



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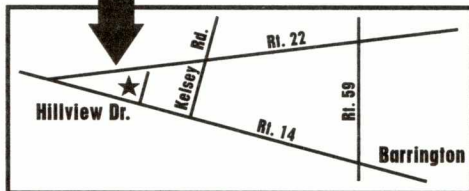
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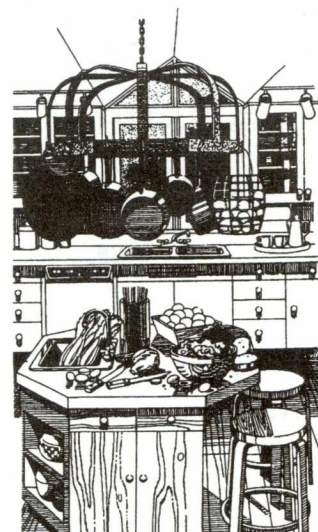
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Barrington Student Attends The National Young Leaders Conference

Mr. Philip Kopesdy of Barrington has been selected to attend the National Young Leaders Conference from October 29 to November 3, 1996, in Washington D.C. The National Young Leaders Conference is a unique leadership development program for high school students who have demonstrated leadership potential and scholastic merit. Philip, a Senior at Elgin Academy, will be among 350 outstanding National Scholars attending the conference from across America.

The theme of the National Young Leaders Conference is *The Leaders of Tomorrow Meeting the Leaders of Today*. Throughout the six-day conference, Philip will interact with key leaders and newsmakers from the three branches of government, the media and

the diplomatic corps.

Highlights of the program include welcoming remarks from the Floor of the United States House of Representatives and a panel discussion with prominent journalists at the National Press Club. Scholars will visit foreign embassies and receive policy briefings from senior government officials. Philip may also meet with his Senators and Representative or an appointed member of their staff to discuss important issues facing Barrington and the nation.

To compliment these special meetings and briefings, Philip will participate in a number of leadership skill-building activities. In one activity, "If I Were President," students role-play the President, members

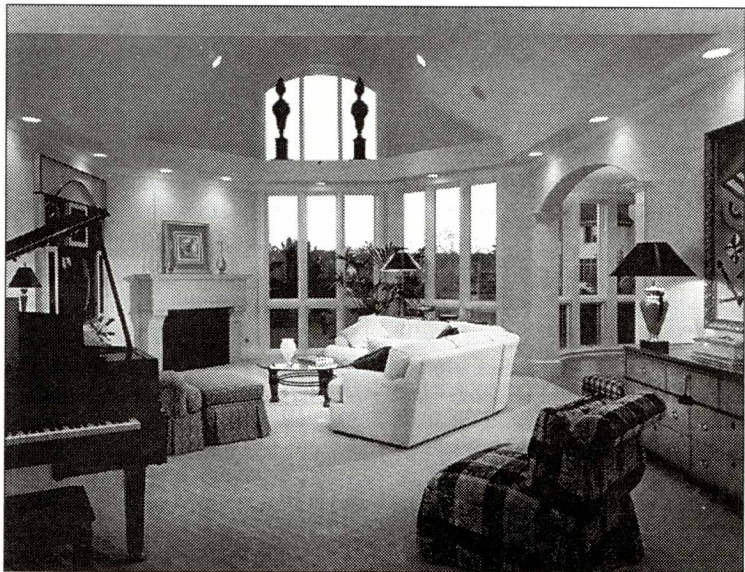
of the Cabinet and representatives from Capitol Hill who must respond to an international crisis involving Russia. Culminating the National Young Leaders Conference is the "Model Congress," in which scholars assume the roles of United States Representative by debating, amending and voting on proposed legislation for an official language and immigration reform.

The National Young Leaders Conference is sponsored by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council, a nonprofit nonpartisan educational organization. Founded in 1985, the council is committed to "fostering and inspiring young people to achieve their full leadership potential." Over 375

Members of the United States Congress join this commitment as members of the Council's Honorary Congressional Board of Advisors. Each year, only 7,000 outstanding youths nationwide may participate in the 20 sessions of The National Young Leaders Conference.

"The conference provides the opportunity for students, like Philip, to distinguish themselves as tomorrow's leaders," said John Hines, Council Executive Director. "Scholars not only gain knowledge and experience in the nation's capital, they leave with a sense of accomplishment and an increased ability to face the challenges of the future."

Orren Pickell's Organization House Brings Order To Busy Lives



Spring cleaning may be headed for a fall once **Orren Pickell's** new building concept, The Organization House, is unveiled. In it, there will be no more rooting through closets or boxing and re-boxing seasonal goods. No more rummaging through the garage, wondering why the Garden hose disappeared. In The Organization House, there is a place for everything, making it perfect for today's "family on the go."

The Organization House makes domestic order so simple, it's easier than being sloppy. Uniquely designed built-ins are found in the kitchen, laundry room, garage, home office and master bedroom. In the kitchen, packed with cabinets and roll-out shelves, there are two dishwashers so dishes never need sit in the sink. Custom-made recycling bins ensure that empty bottles and newspapers don't pile up. Special racks and drawers make space for food and utensils: wine, spices, bread, and cutlery.

To keep the modern family electronically connected without tripping over wires or piled up in paper, a communications center, called the family workshop, has been specially designed. It features an oversized desk, built-in computer station, and mail slots for everyone in the family. Elsewhere, cubbyholes hold the hats, gloves and mittens that alternately multiply and disappear in winter. Personal lockers for each family member keep miscellaneous items out of sight. And in the garage, there is a hook or rack for nearly every activity imaginable:

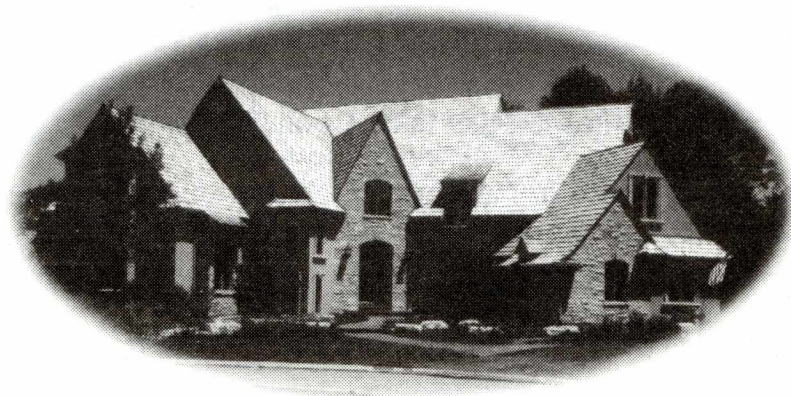
hockey, biking, gardening, Rollerblading and golfing.

This French Country-inspired home has a distinct and classic look, with its many cables and dormers, massive cedar-shake roof and cut-stone facade. At the front of the house, arched windows mirror the arched entrance and a two-story turret adorns the rear.

Inside, the 5,024 square-foot space, designed for ultimate comfort and usability, contains a number of distinct architectural touches. An entry foyer, flanked by the family and dining rooms, offers clear exterior views on both sides. An L-shaped stairway floats up to the second floor and is framed by windows on each level. Both the family room and master bath have cathedral ceilings, while the master suite sitting room, located in the turret, is topped off with a conical ceiling.

The Organization House, located at 2494 Shoal Creek Court (Lot 132) in the Thorngate subdivision of Riverwoods, is open for public viewing. Regular hours are Friday, Saturday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. or by appointment. **Orren Pickell Builders, Inc.**, renowned builders of luxury custom homes in Lake County and on the North Shore Corporate Office and Design Center, is located at 175 E. Hawthorn Parkway in Vernon Hills. Please call **Orren Pickell Builders** for specific seasonal hours and more information at **847/816-7773**.

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Let your imagination run wild. Visualize inviting curves, unique architecture, and creative designs. The Organization House, the newest concept by Orren Pickell Builders, is filled with many unique design ideas that are sure to fit any lifestyle. Known for their attention to detail and personal commitment, Orren Pickell Builders will work through the design process to ensure that your new home lives up to your dreams. If you are thinking about building your own custom home, you must see this one.

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"What else could you possibly want in a home?"

—Joanne Kanter, *CHICAGO SUN TIMES*

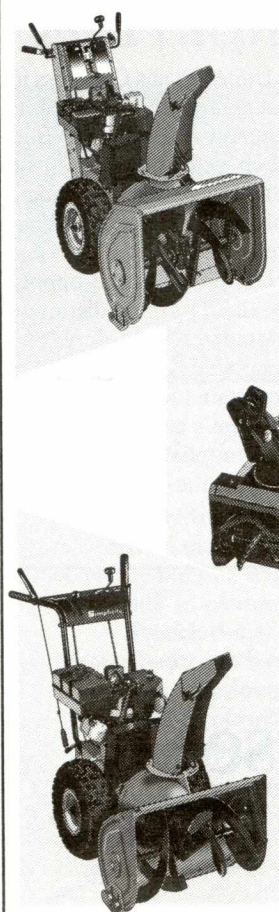
"It is as much a veritable Museum of Orderliness as it is a builder's model."

—Mary Umberger, *CHICAGO TRIBUNE*



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Catchpenny Resale Shop Holds "Christmas Open House"

Catchpenny Resale Shop, operated by the Auxiliary of Good Shepherd Hospital, is sponsoring a "Christmas Open House" on Election Day, Tuesday, November 5 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. The "Christmas Open House" event will feature Christmas sweaters and sweatshirts, furs, gift items, fashions for men, women and children, toys, jewelry, and other Christmas items. Catchpenny is located in downtown Barrington at 118 E. Main Street.

All the proceeds from Catchpenny are donated to the Good Shepherd Hospital Auxiliary to help raise funds for major hospital services such as the new Birth Center Nursery, the CardioPulmonary Rehabilitation expan-

sion, and the new Women's Diagnostic Center. Catchpenny takes in and sells a variety of goods, both new and used, including clothing, handmade craft items, cookbooks, housewares and stationary. All of the items are donated to Catchpenny from individuals and families throughout the greater Barrington area and surrounding communities. Donors are reminded that items are NOT to be left outside Catchpenny, as the donations can be harmed by weather or animals.

Catchpenny is open Monday - Friday from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Donations may be made during these times. For further information about Catchpenny, call 847-381-7721.

Plan A Memorable Holiday Gathering For Family & Friends At Chessie's

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located in the Barrington Ice House Village Shops, next to the new Jewel.

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Facial Plastic Surgery, Looking Your Best

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appropriate skin condition and thus, proper treatment protocol. After the consultation, if you feel that the PCA Peel is for you, the procedure may then be scheduled.

Facial Surgery News is an informative quarterly newsletter written by Dr. Churchill and his office staff. It covers vari-

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Dollars And Dentistry— A Comprehensive Treatment Plan

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carefully planned stages which eventually result in a healthy, maintainable mouth with little damage and little wasted money along the way. Dentists call this "phased treatment."

However, there is a limit to how slowly you can progress and still keep your teeth. Insurance companies frequently dribble out inadequate benefits that will not keep up with even phased treatment. Reliance on these benefits alone may not be adequate to help you achieve oral health and keep

your teeth.

Communicate with your dentist. Be honest about what is financially possible, not just comfortable, and beware of a dentist who always seems to fix what your insurance company will cover that year.

Achieving the highest standard of oral health may not be easy, but the end result of a healthy, comfortable mouth is well worth the effort.

Dr. Raymond P. Kotz can be reached by calling **(847) 381-4040** in Barrington.

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BACOA PRIMO Pizza And Pasta Night Fund-Raiser

On Veteran's Day you can support the Barrington Area Council on Aging, Inc. (BACOA) by ordering dinner from PRIMO Pizza and Pasta. If you place an order after 5:00 p.m. and mention our

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How Do I Work With A Kitchen Designer?

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designer has the policy of asking for a retainer at some point prior to your commitment for a purchase. After all, our time is valuable too, and we all have to make a living. The retainer usually covers the drawing and design time that the designer will invest prior to your ordering the kitchen. The retainer can usually be applied as part

of the deposit for the order. It is a good idea to ask the designer about the billing policy during the first interview."

For a free brochure showing cabinet styles and special features, call or write to **Distinctive Kitchen Designs, Inc.** 203 S. Main Street, Wauconda, IL 60084. **(847) 526-7822**.

...Top of The Rock™

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create a mood that shows your home as a delightful place to live—not only for you but for that prospective buyer.

Napoleon thought I had said enough for his neighbor to make a decision regarding putting his home on the market now. All this talk about food encouraged him to ask when I would be trying out my new stove. I think that's why he really called. It's time to invite our friends and relatives for that special Thanksgiving dinner.

I hope your Thanksgiving Day is espe-

cially joyful this year and may your table be as bountiful as the warm wishes I'm sending to all of you. Thank you for reading this column. It's been a pleasure to talk with you.

Please call our **Prudential Preferred Properties** with any question you may have regarding real estate in Barrington or anywhere else in our nation—as we are the Dream House Headquarters.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

From A Woman's Point Of View

by Gail Wickstrom, Wickstrom Ford

We're in the process of setting up the showroom for our annual lunch meeting for the entire dealership this morning. We have been open for over twelve years. I can't believe how fast it has gone by. Yesterday, Sharon Picard, our office manager and I were commenting that her children, Bill and Blake, are now about the same age that Colin and Richard were when Sharon started working here eleven years ago.

Karen Chuchman, also in our office, has been here more than ten years and her sons Derrick and Alex are about the same age as Sharon's boys. Years ago Sharon and Karen listened to me go through the trials and tribulations and joys of raising two teenage boys. Now it's my turn to listen to them. Now don't get me wrong, Colin and Richard were great kids, but not every day of the week. And as all working mothers know, some disagreements are very hard to solve over the phone.

Since Sharon and Karen have been here so long, Colin and Richard have a tendency to treat them like an additional set of mothers. But it's not just Colin and Richard that Karen and Sharon mother, it's the whole



dealership.

We have sixty-two employees and fourteen of them have been here over 10 years and twenty-one have been here for over five years, so we are a pretty close knit group of people and like it that way.

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Creative Living Series Opens 33rd Season

The Woodstock Fine Arts Association announces the 33rd annual Creative Living Series to be held at the Woodstock Opera House.

Larry Forgione, Restaurateur and Chef, November 21, 1996: Created the national culinary movement known as New American Cuisine and authored the 1996 cookbook *An American Place*.

Colin Westerbeck, Photographer, January 16, 1997: The curator of photography at the Art Institute of Chicago will discuss *Photography as an Art*.

Jacques D'Amboise, Dancer and Choreographer, February 20, 1997: One of the finest ballet dancers of our time, recognized for his contribution to the arts by the Kennedy Center in 1995, offers a unique insight into the world of dance.

Alfred Glasser, Backstage at the Lyric Opera, March 20, 1997: Alfred Glasser is the director of education and editor of publications for Chicago's Lyric Opera.

Judith Wallerstein, Psychologist and Author, April 17, 1997: The Author of *The Good Marriage* will discuss why







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College/Career Night For LD Students

The Eighteenth Annual College/Career Night for Students with Learning Disabilities will be held on November 13, 1996 Dundee-Crown High School, 1 Charger Country Rd., Carpentersville, from 7:00 to 9:00 PM.

Representatives from colleges, universities, vocational schools, the armed services, transitional programs, and services such as "Talking Books" have been invited to meet with interested students, parents and professionals.

Sponsoring this event are the United Learning Disabilities Association (LDA) and LDA/Barrington-Lake Zurich, along with a consortium of local school districts including: Community High School District 155, Crystal Lake, Unit District 220, Barrington, Community Unit District 300, Carpentersville-Dundee-Algonquin, Community Unit District 303, St. Charles, Unit District 46, Elgin, Community High School

District 94, West Chicago, Crystal Lake Elementary District 47, Crystal Lake-Cary and Summit School, Dundee.

The conference location changes each year so that each participating district will have the opportunity to host College Night in their home location. This event is open to everyone interested in pursuing post secondary opportunities.

Material from over 50 colleges, universities, vocational schools, the armed forces, the Department of Rehabilitation Services will also be available.

There will be break out sessions covering the topics of self-advocacy, financial assistance, and evaluating support programs.

In addition to the Carpentersville location a similar program is offered at Glenbrook North High School in Northbrook on November 12.

If you have any questions please call Maureen A. Lyons at (847) 428-6451.



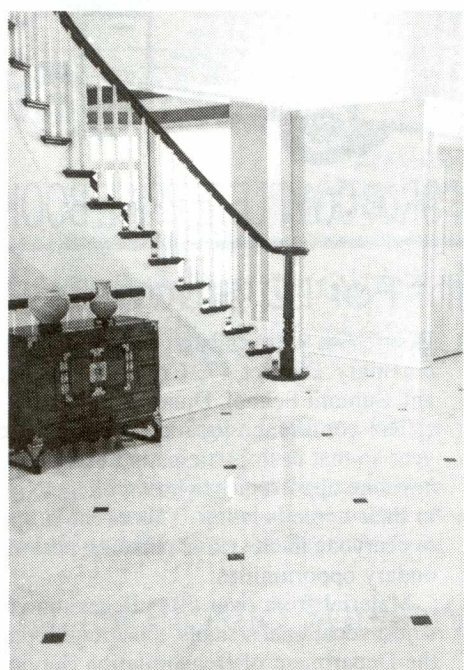
some couples have happy, long-lasting marriages, in a society where divorce is prevalent.

Programs begin at 10:00 a.m. and are preceded by coffee and conversation with

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