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Serving the communities of St. Anthony Park, Lauderdale, Falcon Heights and Energy Park.



Photo by Nancy Haley

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Cheryl Indehar, a police officer in the Crime Prevention Unit of the St. Paul Police Dept., demonstrates problems in attacks and self defense techniques at a SAPA meeting.

Attitude important in preventing crime, police specialist tells local group

by Nancy Haley

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Burglaries: 71; car thefts: 27; robberies: 6; assaults: 13; rapes: 2.

These statistics for reported crimes in 1983 in north and south St. Anthony Park are relatively low when compared to all of St. Paul.

They also reflect the fact that crimes of violence occur least often. In Minnesota, only 8 percent of crimes reported involve a confrontation that could lead to personal injury, but no one wants to be the victim of robbery, rape, purse snatching or mugging.

"Out in this area of St.

Anthony you've had a pretty good success in keeping the crime rate down," said Cheryl Indehar, officer in the Crime Prevention Unit of the St. Paul Police Department. Indehar recently addressed an audience of residents interested in learning how to avoid being a crime victim.

Crime occurs where there is opportunity and vulnerability, according to Indehar. "I noticed last week you had a few burglaries out here; again, that calls for the community to call in suspicious activity."

In neighborhoods where it is

Local youth groups

to perform at festival

Two area youth organizations

The Northern Lights 4-H

Festival Ice Cream Social and

Band Concert will be held Fri-

day, June 1, 7:30-9 p.m. in the

parking lot of the St. Anthony

Entertainment will be pro-

vided by the St. Anthony Park

H'ers in their "Bungling Broth-

ers Clown School" act which

recently won second place in

Homemade pie, ice cream and

St. Anthony Park Girl Scout

Troop 502 will have a booth at

the attic sale in the Methodist

Church parking lot on Satur-

day. Proceeds will help send

troop members to Girl Scout

National Center west in Wyom-

county 4-H competition.

beverages will be sold.

Community Band and the 4-

Club's second annual pre-

will participate in the St.

Anthony Park Festival.

Park Drive-In Bank.

easy to get into or break into a house, there is a higher burglary rate. The Crime Prevention Unit recommends deadbolt locks for houses. "Use them," said Indehar. "In most of our garage burglaries, doors are still left open."

With the crimes of purse snatching, mugging and sexual assault, personal safety is the most important issue. "One of the things we should think about is not only looking at women and children being victims," says Indehar. "We've also had men who are victims. It's everybody's problem and sexual assault does occur."

Indehar pointed to myths about sexual assault that result in misunderstandings and may well put people in places where they are not alert to potentially unsafe situations.

"We have a lot of myths that they (rapists) are oversexed or weird people and it's hard to believe that it might be a next door neighbor or someone that we work with.

"Most rapists are married, they're already involved in consenting relationships, and so it's not a matter of availability. They still go out. Because of a power need, a control need." Some of the myths are directed to the victim, not only in sexual assault, but also in burglaries. "One of the things we often hear in sexual assaults is, 'She asked for it.' And that goes for burglaries, too," said Indehar. "I want you to think about that for a minute. Nobody wants to be sexually assaulted. Nobody wants to get ripped off. Nobody wants to be a victim.

"What can you do if everything goes wrong?" asks Indehar. "You've done the prevention and all of a sudden there is this person here. I think it's important to do plans of action. Think of the most scarey situations and think of a way to get out of them."

Indehar gives 4 simple words to suggest some ideas for plans of action:

- Avoid. If you see a situation that doesn't look right, walk around it.
- Submit. Submitting is not the same as consenting, and it may prevent you from getting hurt.
- Talk. Don't call names.
 Sometimes people have talked criminals out of crimes.
- Attitude. Send messages that say 'leave me alone'
 Crime to 16

Festival, fair planners pray for sunshine

by Mollie Hoben

Organizers of the St. Anthony Park Festival and the Arts and Crafts Fair can plan for just about every contingency but the weather. For that, they have to rely on faith.

"We all pray the night before," is how Robin Lindquist, festival co-chair, explained the planners' weather strategy.

Apparently it's a strategy that works. Lindquist said that the festival and fair haven't been rained out for five or six years, and she remembered only two rainouts over the decade and half she's been involved.

Aside from their festival-eve prayers, the planners' energy goes to the myriad details of organizing the two day-long events that attract people from all over the Twin Cities.

"I just try not to think about the weather," Lindquist said.

Festival: a feast of food and fun

The 11th annual St. Anthony Park Festival will be held June 2, with activities along Como Avenue from Doswell to Hillside streets

Strolling musicians, ethnic dancers, demonstrations, food booths, an attic sale and readings are among the events planned for the Festival. Many merchants will have special sales in their stores.

A pancake breakfast will be served by the Langford Boosters Club from 7-11 a.m. at the St. Anthony Park Methodist Church, Como and Hillside.

Sponsored by the St. **Festival to 14**

90 artists featured at arts fair

The 15th annual St. Anthony Park Arts and Crafts Fair will be held on Saturday, June 2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., on the lawn of the branch library, 2245 Como Ave.

Over 90 artists and craftspeople will display and sell their work. Items will include paintings, sculpture, pottery, porcelain, weaving, woodcarving, prints, stained glass, quilts, toys, photography, furniture and jewelry.

Some of the artists and craftspeople participating from this area are Jack Allison, woodcarving; Frederick Arny,

Fair to 14

Festival schedule of events on p. 14.

ing this summer.

Murray to accept transfers under new racial balance policy

by Ann Bulger

Murray Magnet Junior High School administrators were allowed to accept applications for transfers to the school for next year beginning May 23, the morning after a decision by the St. Paul Board of Education for a new racial balance transfer policy.

The new policy allows transfers to magnet schools if the minority population at the school does not go higher than 8 percent of the district average for junior highs. The assistant superintendent has the authority to allow another 4 percent to transfer for program reasons.

The previous policy had allowed only transfers that improved the racial balance at both sending and receiving schools, although Murray has had an exemption from that rule.

This year, Murray had a minority population of 34 percent. With 28 percent being the district average, the count could go up to 36 percent under the new 8 percent rule. If the additional 4 percent would be granted, the count would total 40 percent. A school is out of compliance

with state guidelines at 43 percent.

Murray principal Keith Bergstrom came back from the district office on May 23 with 56 applications, split evenly between minorities and majorities. With this number, total enrollment at Murray next year would be 431, which would result in six teachers being cut. However, more applications are expected, now that the new policy has been accepted. If the enrollment climbs back to 600, as it was this year, no teachers will be cut.

With the decision about transfers being made so late in the year, some registration may have to be done in the fall. It is difficult to schedule classes until the staff is set and the final enrollment is known. It does appear that the district transfer policy will have more flexibility than in the past, however.

In the other board decision affecting neighborhood schools, the McKinley attendance area was left as it is, meaning that students from that area who attend St.

Anthony Park School will have to continue to do so.

District 2

June 1984

This space brought to Bugle readers by District 12 Community Council.

Edited by Ann Copeland.

Survey to assess food, eating habits in District 12

by Dale and Jenni Shaller

Walter Mondale isn't the only one asking questions about food these days. A survey concerning the foods District 12 residents eat, where that food comes from, how our eating habits may be changing, and how satisfied residents are with the food available to them will soon make its way to about 350 households in the community.

The survey is part of a one-year study of the District 12 food system, how it functions, and how it might be improved. With help from the St. Paul Food Resources Project, the study is being developed by a Neighborhood Food System Task Force, approved by the District Council in February. Serving on the task force are Bob Bacon, Sherman Eagles, Ed Hessler, Jon Ljungkull, Gail McClure, Leonard Ott, Dale Shaller (chair), Jenni Shaller, and Al Uhl. Other interested residents are invited to

As the first step in the study, the household survey will identify food consumption patterns and preferences unique to our community. This information will help direct task force efforts to identify ways in which the food supply system serving District 12 might be made more responsive to the needs and interests of the community.

Survey results and further details of the food study will appear in the Bugle this summer. Comments and suggestions are welcome. Address your 'food for thought' to: Dale Shaller, Food Task Force Chairperson, 647-0324

Block nurse program honored

The St. Anthony Park Block Nurse Program was one of two projects that received honorable mention in Neighborhood of the Year competition sponsored by Neighborhoods USA.

The award was announced at a conference May 22-26 in Tacoma Washington, which was attended by Ann Copeland, District 12 community organizer.

There were two honorable mentions given, in addition to the winning project,

Liquor issues to be topic of June 13 District 12 meeting

of Minnesota Busway will be the two major discussion topics for the District 12 Council meeting on June 13. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. in the Community Room of the St. Anthony Park Library.

Unless City Council and the Mayor setor not to issue additional liquor licenses, the District Council is planning to discuss the ramifications for this neighborhood. The other question concerns lifting the liquor patrol limits west of Snelling and north of St. Clair Avenues.

Despite urging from the Mayor and some Council members, the District Council has refused to take any stand on

Liquor issues in St. Paul and the University the liquor issues until after residents have had an opportunity to express their feelings at a neighborhood meeting. If the questions are not settled by City Council, either or both items may be put to a referendum vote in the November election.

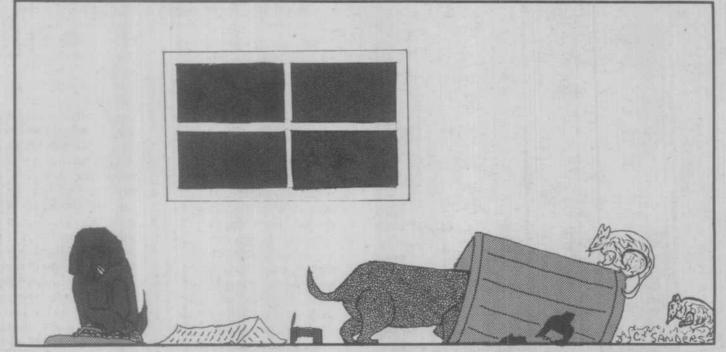
The Task Force that has been meeting tle before June 13 the question of to issue to discuss the University of Minnesota Busway between the Minneapolis and St. Paul campuses will present its report to the District 12 Council at the June 13 meeting. The Task Force was charged with searching for ways that residents' concerns about the proposed development might be answered.

Learn how to control moths at June 16 garden workshop

That little white moth flitting through your garden may look innocent but it can totally destroy your cabbage or broccoli crop. Dr. David Ragsdale, professor of entomology from the University of Minnesota, will teach gardeners how to conduct a "search and destroy" mission for insect pests during a June 16 workshop.

The meeting will be from 9:30 - 11 a.m. in the community room of the St. Anthony Park Library. There will also be a short discussion of how to mulch and stake plants. The workshop is free for gardeners with plots in the St. Anthony Park Community Gardens. Others pay a \$1.00 fee at the door to cover costs of materials and refreshments.

Participants should pre-register by calling 646-8884 so that enough information packets will be available.



Rats, dogs, litter to be discussion topic June 7

will each come in for a share of the discussion at the June 7 Human Services Committee meeting of District 12. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Council Office at 2380 Hampden

attend.

John Schockley, from the City Public Health Division, will talk about the prevalence of the problems in north and south St. Anthony Park and tell how to combat

Rats, dogs, brush piles, and general litter Avenue. Interested residents are urged to them. Numerous complaints about dogs, rats, and litter prompted the Human Services Committee to plan this neighborhood information meeting.



Block nurse

JoAnne Rohricht, right, accepts a plaque from the Midwest Alliance in Nursing (MAN) in recognition of the District 12 Council's part in the Block Nurse Program. MAN chairperson Pat Schroeder, left, presented the first annual Agency Achievement Award to District 12, St. Anthony Park Block Nurse Program, University of Minnesota School of Nursing, and Ramsey County Public Health Nursing Service for their collaborative efforts in developing the block nurse program. The other awards were accepted by Marilyn Sime, School of Nursing; Mary Libera, Primary Block Nurse, and Barbara O'Grady, Director Ramsey County Public Health Nursing.

The District 12 Community Council is a group of 21 citizens elected to serve the District 12 area of St. Paul, including residents of north and south St. Anthony Park, commerce and industry. It is one of 17 citizen participation councils in the

The council meets the second Wednesday of every month. All meetings are open to the public. Check for location.

Robert Bacon, Mike Baker, Sara Brandon, Andrea Burmeister, Jim Christenson, Kathy Clark, Jane Dietl, Ouentin Elliott, Gertrude Gordanier, Greg Haley, Bill Huestis, Thomas Leonard, Jon Ljungkull, Judy Lofstrom, Joe McAnally, Charles McCann, Dennis McGovern, Akiva Pour-El, Carlton Qualey, Jo Anne Rohricht.

District 12 Community Council Office 2380 Hampden, St. Paul, 55114



Substitute drivers needed during summer months for meals on wheels

Substitute drivers are urgently needed for Meals on Wheels deliveries during the summer months. Several of the regular drivers will be away on well-earned vacations during June, July, or August.

Meal delivery takes a little over an hour beginning at 11:15 a.m. The route is totally within north and south St. Anthony Park. Meals are picked up at the Merriam Park Community Center off Cleveland Avenue next to I-94. The large insulated carriers must be returned there after the meals are delivered.

Drivers are provided with a map and complete instructions by the District 12 community organizer. Please call 646-8884 if you are willing to help your elderly neighbors receive meals once or twice during the summer.



Photo by Gwen Hewlitt Diane Emerson-Nelson in her garden.

Gardener has green thumb secret

by Robin Nelson

Spring is finally here and that means flowers. For Diane Emerson-Nelson, a St. Anthony Park resident, it means lots and lots of flowers for her garden outside her Hillside Ave. home.

Emerson's flower garden starts at the boulevard and stretches up over the front of a hilly incline, along the sides of the house to the back pond where a small fountain runs. The center of the backyard is the only area where there is still grass. "I wanted to have enough room for a volleyball game," she explained.

Flowers of every color pop out from everywhere. Fragrances both familiar and unfamiliar linger in the breeze. Because her garden is so extensive, it is always in constant change.

"It's always fun to take a tour of the garden," Emerson said. "My husband and I have a little contest going to see if we can spot what's blooming first."

In the spring for example, her perennials begin to appear at different times. Snowdrop galanthus, eranthis, hybrid crocus, primrose, tulip, crocus, grape hyacinths, creeping phlox, iris, daffodil, bleeding hearts, red splendor crabapple, and bronze leaf ajuga are just a

According to Emerson, flowers start to appear in her garden as early as March and continue usually into November.

Vegetables are rare in Emerson's garden. "I can go to a store to buy vegetables, especially in the summer, but with flowers you can't always get the kind that you really want."

In the summer Emerson spends only about an hour a day nurturing her garden. She uses the winter to plan, studying mail order catalogs and reading garden magazines.

The spring is the busiest time. Most of it is spent raking, digging up old annuals and fertilizing. In June there is also a lot of weeding. From July on however the main job is simply watering and mulching (spreading grass cuttings around the plants to prevent weeds.)

One look at Emerson's garden would lead most people to believe that she has a 'green thumb." She takes a more practical view. "One thing my grandmother used to tell me was that the secret to a green thumb is water, lots of water."

Like most beginning garden-

ers, Emerson started out small. Seven years ago she bought her house with the intention of having a garden. Now it is a classic in the neighborhood.

Emerson advises the beginning gardener to read a few of the flower and garden magazines and to send away for some mail order catalogs. Local nurseries also supply flowers that thrive well in a Minnesota climate. The University of Minnesota Arboretum is also an excellent source, she said.

Emerson's hobby goes well beyond her backyard. She is a member of the University Arboretum, the State Horticultural Society and vice-president of the Ramsey County Garden Club. If that is not enough, state fair time offers Emerson the challenges of competition. With a shoebox already filling with ribbons, Emerson is ready for her fourth year at the fair.

Although she has given it a lot of time and thought, gardening is still only an avocation for Emerson. "You have to keep a hobby fun. I'm almost afraid it would take the fun away from it if it became a job."





Financial information you can use

Welcome to the Era of Self-Service Banking.

from St. Anthony Park Bank.

EFTS, ATMs and POS are a few of the new names being used extensively in banking circles these days. As with all automation, these synonyms for electronic banking are being regarded with mixed feelings by bankers, retailers and consumers alike. But, as the February, 1983 issue of Bank Marketing points out, the move to self-serve is inevitable.

In exchange for extended purchasing hours and lower prices, customers have accepted the fact that they must serve themselves. The petroleum industry, supermarkets, fast food chains, and the telephone industry have all moved the consumer toward self-service.

EFTS stands for Electronic Funds Transfer Systems, originally designed to be the next generation to checks. A common form of EFTS is the direct deposit of Social Security checks or payroll checks into the recipient's personal checking or savings

But EFTS was just the beginning. ATMs or Automated Teller Machines are also becoming a well-known banking convenience. According to Alden Briggs, writing in the December 12, 1983 American

An ATM is a delivery mechanism—a means of delivering services." Literature from Diebold Inc., an ATM manufacturer, concurs.

With the push of a button, you can perform a variety of banking transactions including deposits and withdrawals, transferring funds and checking your account balance. American Banker further reports that

ATMs are found in growing numbers across

the country.
"While financial institutions had installed almost 2,000 ATMs throughout the United States in 1973, by the end of 1982 nearly 36,000 ATMs were in place."

But today's news in electronic banking involves ATM Networks. Reports American Banker:

'Nationet . . . took its place as the fifth of six planned national networks that will link bank automated teller machines....

Thus, at the moment, consumers are able to transact banking at terminals in cities far from their home town bank.

In the near future, according to banking sources, consumers will be able to step up to a point-of-sale (POS) terminal at a retail counter in a far distant city, make a purchase, and have the funds directly debited from their personal checking account, giving customers a way to shop away from home without cash and without a credit card.

St. Anthony Park Bank

Editorial/Commentary

Abolish liquor limits

The City Council this month voted in favor of a proposed referendum that would allow voters to decide in November if St. Paul should abolish its century-old liquor patrol limits, a long-overdue step.

The liquor patrol limits generally ban bars in the area west of Snelling Avenue, including St. Anthony Park, and north of St. Clair. Abolition of the limits will attract increased development primarily to the Grand Avenue and Midway areas, a positive step toward Mayor George Latimer's concept of a "homegrown" economy.

The referendum must be approved by the Charter Commission and then returned to the City Council for final review in late June. Approval of the referendum would not eliminate any of the safeguards available to communities such as ours in deciding if a bar should be opened; it simply will eliminate an outdated and unnecessary relic of the past.

Terri Ezekiel lune 1984

Bugle thanks staff

At the *Bugle's* annual meeting June 8, the newspaper's board of directors will recognize the efforts of *Bugle* staff members over the past year.

Writers and photographers whose work has helped make the *Bugle* an informative and interesting publication include **Bob** Albertson, Karen Andersen, Sue Barker, Jim Brogan, Ann Bulger, Diane DuBay, Terri Ezekiel, Nancy Haley, Terry Johnson-McCaffrey, Dan Koeck, Kent Lundberg, Robin Nelson, Wren Rivard and Mary Winget.

While acknowledging staff efforts, this is an appropriate time to express appreciation as well to individuals who volunteer their special skills to help the *Bugle* function. Susan Leas types cheerfully for the editors at copy deadline time each month. Mary Mergenthal collects information about community happenings and prepares the community calendar.

This spring **Dale Tennison** did the audit review of our 1983 financial records, and **Stacy Somdahl** and **Jim Christensen** shared some of their financial knowledge with us. Tennison also is helping us computerize our record-keeping.

Mollie Hoben June 1984

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Babysitters work hard for little

Eva Dahlberg

Upon reading James Brogan's article concerning teenage babysitters in the March edition of the *Bugle*, I chuckled to myself, remembering times that I too have been caught at the last minute wanting to go out and enjoy myself, being unable to hunt down anyone to watch my daughter.

However, continuing to read the article I began to feel some anger at the denigrating tone towards babysitters and the mythology that might have been perpetuated concerning babysitting and teenage babysitters in particular. I would like to shed some light on this subject from the vantage point of both a parent who needs babysitting and a person who got my start in the job world babysitting.

For many young teens, babysitting is one of the few viable methods for earning needed extra cash. Few employees will hire anyone under the age of 16, and today with the competition as severe as it is for part-time employment, many teens find themselves up against 18 or 19 year olds searching for employment. The young teens usually lose out.

Babysitting is a means to earn money to buy that pair of pants, get that haircut mom or dad doesn't want to pay for, pay for music lessons, etc. Babysitters receive a sense of autonomy and respect for their ability to earn cash to support themselves. They also learn valuable skills.

Reading the article brought back to me many of my own memories about my babysitting days. I started babysitting at the age of 12 for the neighbors next door. They had three little boys with freckles, red hair and all the charm of three boa constrictors. Frequently the parents called Friday night at 5:30 for Friday night at 6:30.

"Grandma and Grandpa called at the last minute to say they couldn't make it. Would you be a dear and babysit for us tonight? We have tickets to the opening at the Guthrie and would hate to miss the opportunity to go!"

What could I say?

Not having the political savvy at 12 that I have at 30, I answered with a meek yes. And there were many more calls like this one, from neighbors, friends of the family, people from church—people it was not easy to say no to. Being a good Swedish Lutheran myself (who didn't learn how to say no until I was 25), I acquiesced.

I soon learned that in the language of babysitting, "No later than 10:30" meant midnight. Or that "Help yourself to what's in the fridg" meant a box of half-dried prunes. Sometimes babysitting included housecleaning and sometimes it didn't. The rate I was paid in either case remained the same. And what did I do for 50 cents an hour? I fed children, bathed them, walked babies who couldn't sleep, took phone messages and told bedtime stories endlessly to somnabulents.

And what did I get back in return? I learned about dealing with people. I learned about myself, my strengths and weaknesses. I learned responsibility. And most importantly, I learned respect for money and my ability to earn money.

And yes, there were good times too. The parents who surprised me with a birthday cake. Or the children who would come to visit me even

after they had grown into teenagers themselves. So don't be so hard on the young babysitters out there. I'd say that for \$1.25 an hour (give or take a quarter) they do a pretty good job.

All things considered, would we adults do the same amount of work for other folks' kids for the same price?

Unphonetic alphabet one cause of illiteracy

by Dimitris Tselos

Illiteracy exists in the lower levels of education, especially in Anglo-American speaking areas, probably because of the unphonetic English alphabet.

The unphonetic origins of the English language are revealed in the many different spellings and pronunciations in the unabridged Oxford English Dictionary. For instance, the letter a is pronounced differently in alter, all and sale; the o in one, only, those, to, not, book, some and out. The letter combination gh is voiced in enough and voiceless in though, the b in bour, is silent, and the sound of th varies, as in theater and leather.

This unphonetic condition was ridiculed by Bernard Shaw by spelling *fish* "ghotti," using *gh* as in *enough*, *i* as the *o* in *women* and *sh* as the *ti* in *nation*.

Shaw hoped that a universal language would be adopted to solve the problem, and he willed his fortune for such project. But the British courts thought the idea unrealizable and assigned the funds to other social needs.

Despite its unphonetic nature, the Anglo-American language has become the most international language, because of colonial and neocolonial influences and because of its very simple grammar. Yet its blessings for the world at large and for Johnny, Jenny and their family could be greatly facilitated by complete phoneticization of the alphabet so that each letter has only one sound. Such change would necessitate the altering of the spelling of many words and names and even the addition of some new letters to the alphabet to avoid using the same letter or a diphthong for different sounds. The new alphabet might even become the basis for an international alphabet to serve all languages that inherited the

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June 8 Park Press Board of Directors annual meeting, 6:30 p.m., 2235 Doswell June 14 display ad deadline June 18 news and want ad deadline Greek or Latin alphabet.

The illiteracy that exists among young students in our schools has been encouraged by the invention of the telephone, radio and television, which discourage reading and writing and inevitably blur the visual memory image of unphonetic combinations of words and names.

Since the habits for learning languages and for shaping human personalities in mind and character are best rooted in childhood, teachers in elementary schools should be carefully selected among those men and women who are temperamentally dedicated to educating children and thoroughly trained in child psychology and teaching methods. Because their positions are crucial for basic education, those teachers should be paid the highest salaries. They also should be given opportunities to keep in constant touch with developments in teaching language and other subjects for the benefit of all Johnnys, Jennys and society at large.

Dimitris Tselos is one of the Bugle's regular opinion writers.

Letters

Peace walkers

You may be interested to know that St. Anthony Park Neighbors for Peace marched in the Mother's Day March: Dick and Rosemary McHugh; Joyce Pusch and her dog Tammy; Betty Ellis; Jim Tarcza; Todd Lefko; Jane Dietl; Regula Russelle, Michael and Rebecca; Dave, Joan and Larry Jones; Sara Barsel. We had a picnic in the park after the march.

SAP Neighbors also had a block of seats at the Symphony for Survival, May 7. That was a splendid event, a great outpouring of sentiment from musicians and audience, of concern and love for humanity.

Especially nice was the "Toast for Peace," after the concert, with wine and cheese and both mayors toasting.

Betty Ellis

Insights

Headwinds

Getting in Dutch

he Sunday we were to leave Amsterdam for a week in the Hague did not begin well. The weather, after two or three days prevaricating between fair and foul, had turned decidedly cold and blustery, with only an intermittent drizzle for variety.

The proprietress of the tiny hotel where we had been staying since Thursday had asked us to be out of our room by 10 a.m. so that she could prepare for the guests who were coming later that day.

Martha had an appointment that morning at 10:30 to talk with a Dutch librarian over a cup of coffee about resources in children's literature. I accompanied her to the designated hotel in Leidseplein (a busy square not far from the Rijksmuseum), and then had the next hour to myself.

My plans for a pleasant Sunday morning walk cancelled by the weather, I was obliged to take refuge in a nearby restaurant called Weinerwald, hoping for a good cup of coffee.

The hostess, who was just putting out the window boxes as I stood on the sidewalk deciphering the menu, nodded pleasantly and said hello. Almost on cue, she propped a hand-lettered sign against the glass door announcing *Koffie met appelgebak*.

I stepped inside and took a table by the front window.

Outside, the day was slow to get moving, the only signs of activity the gray and yellow electric trams sliding back and forth through Leidseplein between the city center and the outlying stations.

Billboards above the tramstops carried advertisements in bright colors:

De Telegraaf De Telegraaf De Telegraaf De read the one closest to me, selling newspapers. Behind it, another billboard announced international cuisine:

McDonald's Restaurant Leidsestraat 95-97

Trams #6, #7 and #10 regularly drew to a stop between the billboards and disappeared again, whirring metallically out of view in both directions.



The trees along the avenue in front of the hotel were just leafing out, casting a green haze over the city much as the trees at home were beginning to do the week before. It is almost impossible to visit another part of the world without spending some of your time speculating—idly, I suppose—about likenesses and differences.

I like Amsterdam, and find it a congenial place to live, at least on the basis of my first visit here. Perhaps if I were to stay six months or a year, a good deal of magic would wear off and leave me a normal store of things to complain about.

But I like the feel of it, the closeness to the sea, the age of the pavements underfoot, the sense of history everywhere you turn—in the old cathedrals, in the bridges and canals, in the fact that a wall full of graffiti might contain a spray-painted likeness of Rembrandt amid the slogans and obscenities.

And I like the scale of it. The people live close together. The buildings stand close together. You

can get around easily on foot, on bicycle or by public transport, without having to allow half a day, or half the money in your purse, for the trip.

The shops are smaller, in greater numbers, and in greater variety than in most American cities. Frequently, the streets are so old and narrow that they discourage the use of automobiles. Like many another city in Europe, Amsterdam is made for pedestrians. The people are out and walking where you see them, where you rub against them continually, where you find it easy to sit down with them for a few minutes for an inexpensive pastry and a cup of coffee.

And certainly, Amsterdam fits the description "international." Not only do you see on any given street corner people of every conceivable color and nationality, but you never can predict what language you will hear when they begin talking. Dutch, English, French, German, Turkish, Spanish, Arabic, Punk—you name it, you'll soon get to hear its peculiar music.

Sunday morning, however, the city was quiet. The cold and dullness of the weather seemed to have slowed everything to a state of suspended animation. Occasionally, a pedestrian or a bicyclist would pass in front of the window where I sat, but not often and never in any haste.

A woman rode by, her young daughter seated backwards on the rear fender, watching the world recede from her view. She was wearing a light blue quilted coat against the Dutch weather, her hands tucked snugly in its pockets.

Only ten hours earlier Leidseplein had presented a completely different, and more vibrant, personality. At midnight when our train had brought us through on our way home, the square was crowded with people, hundreds of them sitting in hotel restaurants, or outside at tables in the courtyard, and hundreds more milling around to the music of Dutch street bands playing rock and roll.

By morning it's all over. The party never lasts forever. In another three hours, after a long and ultimately futile search for a breakfast of Panne-koeken, Martha and I would be aboard the intercity train to Den Haag.

James Wesley Brogan

Across the Fence

The last roundup

he roundup began in April. One Havahart Trap. ("Ideal for humanely catching cropdamaging pests that are a nuisance in the garden. Bait lures them in and trap door closes automatically without harming them," the literature says). One half-remembered statistic (80 squirrels per square acre in St. Anthony Park, and two litters of young born per season). And bloodcurling memories of squirrels clinging for dear life to each swaying cornstalk as they executed last summer's merciless plunder of our backyard crop.

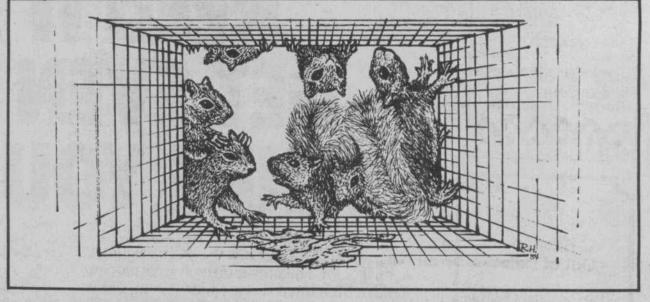
Enough of these Olympian acrobats! It was time to do battle.

Monday p.m.: cut apple goes into cage. Tuesday dawn: our first gray catch bangs frantically on the metal. Tuesday a.m.: our newly-appointed deportation authority transports first prisoner-of-war to Como Park—where upon release, the rodent runs like hell toward a distant grove of oaks. Tuesday p.m.: we make jokes about Mrs. Squirrel now sending out the word about her beloved kidnapped whippersnapper to the neighborhood's threatened compatriots.

And for nearly a month, despite tasty lures, the Havahart stood empty, Mrs. Squirrel's message an ironclad defense against further exile.

"You are using the wrong bait," neighbor Romeyn Clarke noted upon spotting the empty cage. Then, he detailed the peanut-butter ploy. "Smear the stuff in a trail right up to the door of the cage and then inside," he said confidently.

Who was to have believed this mild-manner guy? "One summer, I trapped 13 with the same cage," replied the wolf in L.L. Bean attire. 12 squirrels! Mr. Clarke was a regular pro.



On a recent Monday dawn and unbeknownst to two household dwellers, our deportation authority tried the peanut-butter ploy. Clatter! Clatter! I heard all day, but it was windy and I thought it was a garbage-can battering about in the wind.

That evening, it took the deportation authority no time at all to locate the source of the rumpus. It was time to execute another delightful merciless run to Como Park!

This time, all three of us accompanied our captive. Jim removed the cage from the car's trunk. He opened the Havahart door. The squirrel spotted the exit, then took off at 80 to the same grove of oaks. We beamed and nearly applauded and returned to our car.

Then, Jim began a sneezing attack that didn't stop. His eyes were full of water. He started to wheeze.

"The squirrel!" we shouted in unison, amazed at how the beast was getting his allergic revenge. And we remembered the time The Kid brought home the kindergarten rabbit for Christmas vacation and nearly suffocated Jim with allergies in the process.

Even as I write now, another gray rodent bangs a frantic message against the Havahart. When Jim calls home, he asks if I could drive it to its new park home.

"No time," I boldly beg off, and detail the list of errands for the day, including a trip to the garden center (just north of Como Park). Then, we run down the upcoming weekend's spring overload of outdoor chores.

"The garden has *got* to be planted," I say.
"It'll get done," says Jim.

But I don't believe him at all. There is a severe shortage of time, energy and will.

"There's no point in capturing more squirrels if there's no garden," I say.

"I'll take the squirrel tonight. Be sure and pick up some corn seeds," our allergic and optimistic deportation authority says with bloodthirsty delight. Sue Barker

Historian helps company keep track of its past

by Nancy Haley

At first glance, this office is like any well-organized office in any large corporation. Four large file cabinets protect their efficiently ordered contents and there are the standard office furnishings—desk, telephone, typewriter, office chairs, a potted plant.

The desk top files are neatly arranged and await the attention of the meticulously groomed, gray-haired woman dressed in a gray suit who sits behind the desk. Everything here portrays the standard image of corporate America—or does it?

There are a few hints that something different may be taking place here. On the walls are several old photographs, framed pictures of buildings and people that go back to 80 to 100 years ago. These old photos are clues that something unusual is taking place within this very usual looking setting.

This office and Hazel Strese,

the woman behind the desk who has dedicated much of the last two years of her life's work here, are the heart of the archives and the history recording of H.B. Fuller Corporation, whose corporate headquarters are located on Kasota Avenue in St. Anthony Park.

Strese is the corporate historian for H.B. Fuller, and if that role is not unusual, it is at least in the forefront of trend-setting in corporate America. A magazine of the American Society Archives reports that there are 210 companies that have archives.

How did Strese come to fill this somewhat unusual role?

H.B. Fuller will be celebrating its 100-year history in 1987. Two years ago, they began talking about recording that history. To prepare for the 1987 anniversary, Tony Andersen, president, and his assistant at the time, Lars Carlson, decided to hire the firm of Pine and Mundale to write a corporate history.

"So here we have two peo-



Photo by Nancy Haley Hazel Strese

ple about to write a history of the company and we had to give them something to write with," said Strese. "We didn't have any good files. You can't have a history that's just all facts, figures and dates and what not, because who is going to read it? You have to have not only a factual story, but also an interesting story." Two years ago, Strese was working as H.B. Fuller's St. Paul district office manager. She was one of the company's remaining long time employees having begun working in the accounting department in 1945.

"Over the years, because I'm one of the old, old time employees, I had been saving a few pictures, saving things about each new event of value," said Strese.

As Pine and Mundale continued needing information, more and more of Strese's time was consumed helping to get the information they needed to write the corporate history. Finally, Strese was offered a full-time job as corporate historian.

"I had been here many years in the other job and I was looking forward to a change," she said. "My whole past year has been really involved in searching for material, going to our records, and just putting in order what we have."

It is obvious as Strese talks

that she loves her new role. She speaks lovingly about the history of H.B. Fuller, where she herself has spent much of her own life.

"The company was started by one man, Harvey Benjamin Fuller. He had started a glue factory in Chicago and he came to St. Paul and started a plant making paste for wallpaper hangers and decorators," said Strese.

The first Harvey Benjamin Fuller died in 1921. First one son and then another followed him. The last son was with the company until 1941 when Elmer L. Andersen purchased a majority of the company's stock and became president.

Today H.B. Fuller has 41 plants and technical service centers in 31 countries around the world, but with their corporate headquarters still located in St. Anthony Park, they have always expressed the feeling that St. Anthony Park is their neighborhood, even though they are an interna-

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Latimer reflects on "state of city"

by Nancy Haley

Mayor George Latimer met with area residents to deliver a "State of the City" address at the May 8 meeting of the St. Anthony Park Association.

"I remember you all very well," joked Latimer as he began reporting some of the issues of current and long range importance in St. Paul. "You're the type that likes to talk a lot and pretend that there are questions at the end of your speeches."

Latimer is well into the first year of his fourth re-election after first taking office as mayor in 1976. He currently is president of the National League of Cities and chair of the Minnesota Tax Commission, to which he was appointed by Governor Perpich in 1983.

Economic development, civil service reform, liquor license law changes, continued development in Energy Park and recapturing the waterfront for residential and recreational use are some of the issues he addressed at length.

Like many other older cities, St. Paul has a large number of older corporations, but unlike Toledo or Akron where up to 70 percent of the work force is employed in manufacturing, only about 18 percent of St. Paul's work force is employed in manufacturing jobs in older companies. Nevertheless, when these companies close, significant dislocations of employees

The announcement made about three weeks ago about the Whirlpool Corporation closing down, is, in my opinion, the worst economic news, the worst effect in human terms that this city has suffered in the time that I've been mayor," said Latimer.

Latimer does see hope in the future economic growth of the



Photo by Nancy Haley

Mary Jane Munson introduces Mayor George Latimer. "Our speaker is not a bona fide St. Anthony Park neighbor, but I'm sure we'll agree he's a good neighbor to all of us. I'm pleased to introduce to you the first Democrat my husband ever voted for, his honor, Mayor George Latimer."

city, however, because St. Paul has a broad base for economic growth in service industries.

We're very fortunate we've always had the strong service and insurance financial centers-Minnesota Mutual, St. Paul Companies. While the older companies have been turning back more, those companies have been growing. We've therefore relied on computer, electronic, printing, financial service as well as education."

Under Latimer's guidance, St. Paul's civil service system is being reformed. The present system has been in use since

'In our civil service system, the objective was to make sure that the public employee would be uncorrupted, untainted and maybe even untouched politically by the elected official, said Latimer. "There are many of us who feel we have succeeded too well in protecting the civil service employee from the rest of the

Presently there are 33 labor

unions representing paid civil service employees. There are 800 job classifications for 3,000 city employees. "This wasn't simply an antimanagement tool," said Latimer. "It wasn't very good for

We now have a package of civil service reform in which we're going to trim those classifications down. We're going to have promotions based more on merit and less on seniority. We're going to have a much improved system," the mayor said.

The last session of the Legislature passed a bill which gives the City Council power to remove liquor patrol limits, to grant up to 10 new liquor licenses per year for six years, and to prohibit sale of licenses by license holders after January 1, 1990.

"Much of north St. Anthony Park is restricted against having a liquor license because it is within a half mile of the University or a half mile of the State Fairgrounds. This restriction will remain in place even if the liquor patrol limits are lifted.

The liquor patrol limit boundaries include some portions of north St. Anthony Park and much of south St. Anthony Park. They run from the southern boundary of the State Fair grounds, over to Snelling Avenue and down to St. Clair.

Latimer expressed strong concerns about the present system. He advocates eliminating the transferability of licenses even if the rest of the present system remains in effect.

When I became mayor a liquor license could be bought for \$35,000. Now it would require between \$80,000 and \$100,000," said Latimer. "I think that's a totally unacceptable system.

"From the standpoint of public policy," he added, "the patrol limits are not a primary issue in my mind. I do not see how you can justify the continuation of something that has no basis in reason or equity. I simply would not vote for a continuation of the patrol

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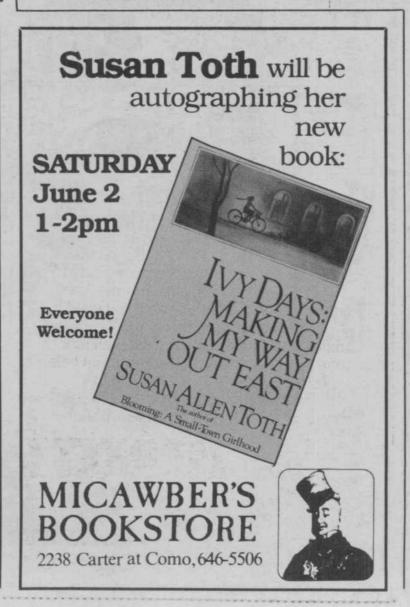


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Luther Place plans approved; construction set to begin in July

by Mollie Holsen

Luther Place Housing Corporation has received final approval of the site plans for condominium housing it plans to build on Luther Place.

The project is aimed at "empty nesters," older persons who wish to move into smaller homes but do not want to leave the neighborhood. The 19 units will be sold to persons 55 years and older.

The St. Paul Planning Commission approved the site plan unanimously May 25. In addition, the Board of Zoning Appeals approved unanimously three variances sought by the developers.

The variances allow the project to provide 25 parking spaces instead of 29, a 7-foot setback for parking in front instead of 25 feet, and a 1-foot distance from the access driveway to the property line instead of 25 feet.

Without the variances, several mature trees would be lost and there would be "unnecessary" paving over of grass, according to Cynthia Ahlgren, vice-president of the housing corporation.

The property line in question is between the site and the St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church property, and the church has agreed to the

The housing corporation is a nonprofit organization created by the church to develop the Luther Place site.

The corporation has received \$500 reservation deposits from 40 individuals and couples, according to Nancy Lorimer, marketing coordinator, and is beginning to ask people on the list to sign purchase agreements.

Lorimer said that interviews with all the reservation holders suggests that 17 or 18 signed agreements are likely.

Construction is slated to begin at the end of July, with completion by March.

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tional corporation

Elmer L. Andersen maintains a home in the Park and his son, Tony Andersen, currently president of the corporation, grew up in the Park and attended Murray High School.

H.B. Fuller's commitment to the neighborhood has included many services.

They company was instrumental in initiating the Block Nurse Program, granting its start-up funds and continuing to support it. The St. Anthony Park Festival every June receives frequent contributions from them.

Citizens for Excellence in Education, now a city-wide organization which continues to receive support from H.B. Fuller, began with the interest of Park residents and the input of Karen Muller, director of community affairs at H.B.

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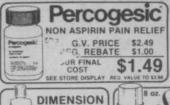


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Area schools prepare for end of year, start of next

Como

by Ann Bulger

Tuan Le, Como Park High School sophomore, won first place in the national Apple Computer Competition. He and his computer teacher, Cheryl Carlson, traveled to Washington, D.C., expenses paid by the Apple Computer Company, where he presented the computer program he wrote, called the "Euclidean Construction." The program simulates a compass and straight edge for geometric constructions. It has a threedimensional effect and is difficult to design.

All Como parents are invited to a meeting on Thursday, June 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Pete and Marian Nelson, 1578 Victoria Ave. A special invitation is extended to parents of incoming ninth-graders. Plans will be made for early fall

Como students representing the school in the Minnesota State Mock Trial Competition at Hamline University are: Paul Menning, Julie Libera, Pat Jennrich, Mark Weckwerth, Steve

Floeder, Tom Carlson, and Pam McKissick. The team is given a hypothetical case involving a child-snatching, and the winner is decided on the basis of which team presents its side most effectively. Coaches are social studies teacher John Brodrick and attorney Robert

Two Como students will be traveling abroad this summer. Senior Wanda Ulmer will be living with a family in Finland through the AFS program, and junior Wendy Gertjejansen will spend her senior year with a German family, through the Youth for Understanding

Murray

by Ann Bulger

With the Murray Magnet Junior High School library transformed into an elegant dining room, Student Council members entertained the faculty at a luncheon April 11.

The tables were decorated with yellow cloths and yellow and white daisies. Over 70 staff members were served. Door prizes for every teacher were donated by local merchants, and music was provided by Murray's own version of the Golden Strings, a student string ensemble directed by Ed Anderson.

Student Council members who planned the luncheon were Julie Allyn, Cathryn Christenson, Adrienne Connor, Tim Coury, Danielle Cox, Jessica Greco, Sharon Kleyweg and Michelle Reuter. Their advisor is Phyllis Baltes. Theme of the lunch was "Thanks a

Murray Spanish classes celebrated "Cinco de Mayo," Mexican Independence Day, on May 4, with a lunch catered by the Boca Chica Restaurant. Menu highlights were enchiladas con queso (with cheese), tacos, frijoles (refried beans), arroz con sopa (rice with vegetable soup), leche (milk), limonada

(lemonade) and helado (ice cream donated by Speedy Market).

On Friday, June 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium, students in Murray's Program for Social Development will present "Tom Sawyer."

Eighth-graders will have their last fling at Valleyfair on June 6. On June 7, the last day for students, an honors assembly will be held in the auditorium at 9 a.m. and yearbooks will be distributed.

Central

June 1984

by Mary Winget

The Central High School Advisory Council has been seeking opinions of Central parents, faculty and staff, and school board members on (1) priorities which Central should follow, (2) the status of the magnet school program, (3) the need for volunteer help in school, and (4) parents' willingness to contribute time to

Central.

Interested parties with strong opinions on the directions Central High School should be taking should call Charles Keffer at 644-4437. Anyone wishing to serve on the Advisory Council next year should contact John McManus, principal, or Patricia McHugh, assistant principal.

Central students registered for next year's classes May 22-24. Although Central offers a wide variety of classes, it is particularly strong in fine arts, which includes graphic art, ceramics, sculpture, photography, music, dance, recording, broadcasting, and television and theatre production.

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1983-84 Annual Report

As our membership year nears an end, it seems appropriate to recap our activities. A major focus is monthly gathering of neighbors for dinner and an informative program. This year we feasted on the creative menus and culinary expertise of Pam Anderson Our timely programs were arranged through the efforts of Mary Jane Munson. They ranged from a discussion by our neighbors at Christmas, and a visit by Mayor Latimer-to mention only a few. Dinners were well attended with an average of 96. Christmas dinner was coordinated by Ann and Gary Wynia and was a favorite with 176 guests attending. Attendance affairs were handled commendably by Jack and Barb Sheldon. Calling for reservations was the monthly task of Mary Ann Williams

Dale Tennison has steered our operating budget course bringing us near the end with a small cushion. Steve Townley made regular contacts into the community to seek membership renewals and first timers. Steve promises us a new directory before September.

We kept out relationship with the Langford Boosters through the presence of Jim Christensen. Langford gets both our support and funds. Mary Wagener was our liaison with the commercial community

St. Anthony Park Association Officers 1983-84: President, Mary Warpeha, 1st Vice President, Tom Frost; Secretary, Mavis Straughn, Treasurer, Dale Tennison; Director, Gail Dennis; Director, Tom Rohricht. Committee Chairpersons: Athletic, Jim Christenson; Arrangements, Barb and Jack Sheldon; Commercial, Mary Wagener; Historical, Carlton Qualey; July 4th, Tony Schumacher; Membership, Steve Townley; Program, Mary Jane Munson; Community Information, Nancy Haley.

by keeping us informed of new developments on the Avenue and in the shops.

Carleton Qualey has acted as historian for several years. Through his efforts an archive of SAPA documents, photos, and memorabilia has been accumulated and is being sorted.

The U of M Busway Task Force received the participation of Board member Tim Wulling The task force was formed to attempt to answer major objections to the busway which were voiced by the neighbors. The task force was unable to recommend any improvements in the proposed

Gail Dennis arranged for police officer Cheryl Indehar to speak on personal safety. Favorable attendance verified our feeling of the importance for a positive approach to protecting oneself.

Secretarial duties were ably accomplished by Mavis Straughn. Minutes of the Board meetings for the year will be available in the library archives.

The purchase of a speaker system for monthly program guests was explored and accomplished. This portable system should make everyone sound better.

Because of the update of by-laws, the 4th of July and August Steak Fry for both '83 and '84 will fall under this administration. President-elect Tom Frost made the necessary up-dating proposals and saw the amendments to their ratification. Brad Rinsem directed the '83 Independence Day celebration for the enjoyment of us all. Tony Schumacker will officiate these activities in '84. Brad Rinsem turned many sizzling steaks at the August Steak Fry. We look forward to his cuisine this

At the May meeting six memorials for deceased members were announced. SAP library will receive a monetary donation to be used for materials in the names of our deceased neighbors.

It was our pleasure to acknowledge the winners of the Con Overgard Award. Rebekah Mergenthal and Daniel Floeder from Murray Magnet Junior High excelled in English and Social Studies respectively. Our Board decided to present a framed certificate to these people and make a donation to their departments at

the school. Nancy Haley directed her artistic talents toward an informative and visually pleasing Bugle column as well as sharing with us her adventures in filming Great Branches, New Roots: The Hmong Family.

The 15 months of our terms seem to have come and gone quickly. Each person fulfilled what was requested of them. All ran smoothly... And yet if each had not done a part (had limited themselves to their normal daily routine), how different the neighborhood year would have been. St. Anthony Park is a unique family. With all of our differences, we share so much. A difference which separates us from so many other communities is our willingness to make an organization like this function and to be effective, to be social, apolitical, informative, and enduring.

We are not elite folks. We are just women and men who understand the value of community and the fostering of a healthy cooperative spirit. We each gave a little and the whole community received of the bounty.

With this challenge in mind, we wish the new officers and Board members the best in making their imprint on this diverse and interesting community.

Mary Warpeha, President 1983-84

Board Meeting June 5

A dinner meeting of this year's and next year's Board of Directors of SAPA will be held at Mary Warpeha's, 1460 Hythe Street, at 6:30 p.m.

Recreation Center News

Co-Rec Doubles Tennis Tournament, beginners and intermediates only, jr hi to adults, Monday, June 25, 2 to 5 p.m. at

Whiffle Ball League, all ages, beginning Wednesday, June 13, 2 to 4 p.m. at both Langford and So. St. Anthony.

Kids and Parents Co-Rec Kittenball, 8:00 p.m. beginning Tuesday, June 19th at both Langford and So. St. Anthony.

SAPA Plans for the 4th!

Reserve a sunny and a good time for July 4th (a Wednesday) in St. Anthony Park. Tony Schumacher and this year's committee are planning a full day of activities.

"Like a close neighborhood," visitors to China find friends despite cultural barriers

Story and photos by Beryle Williams

During our recent five month visit to China, a young Chinese friend came to our apartment one day looking unusually

"There is something I must tell you which makes me feel very sad," he began. "I wanted to invite you to my home but...," he paused, then added simply, "it is not allowed. I hope you will understand."

He looked very unhappy and it was obvious this had been preying on his mind. It was important that we forgive him for what he had come to realize in our culture might be a sign of unfriendliness.

We had come to China somewhat prepared for the obstacles that must be surmounted in order to achieve any genuine friendships and sense of community while there, including language, socioeconomic and political/economic differences, a longstanding suspicion of foreigners, the lingering of fallout of the Cultural Revolution, and the natural reticence of students towards their professors.

Nevertheless, these textbook obstacles become very palpable, taking on greater proportions when they loom between you and someone you've met and liked, with whom you want badly to become true friends.

We did understand our young friend's dilemma, and it was indeed sad for all of us. It denied us both, Chinese and Americans, fine opportunities for making deep and lasting cultural friendships. We were never aware of any formal rules forbidding or regulating social contacts. It appears to be simply a sense of caution that

charges the air like an electric current, felt and shared by the foreigner and Chinese alike.

Certain home visits, however, are apparently sanctioned. Perhaps some of these are more "dared" than "allowed," but our personal community in China did eventually include a few Chinese families. We had delicious dinners in their homes and an occasional private meal out with some of them.

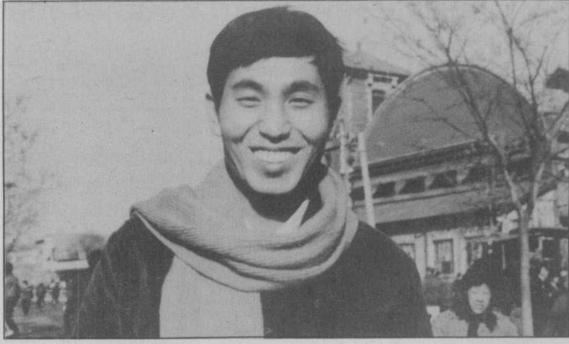
Usually, such dinners are formally planned. We enjoyed some very lavish feasts hosted by the president among others, from the university and elsewhere. China, and Peking University in particular, is without doubt one of the most painstaking and gracious hosts on such formal occasions.

My husband, Bill, an economics professor at Hamline University, had been invited to teach at Peking University in Beijing (Peking) for the first semester of the 1983-84 school year. It was only after our arrival that President Zhang visited us and asked if I would teach conversational English ("free talk").

We arrived in Beijing early in September and were housed in a fairly new complex of buildings on campus. In essence, it was a ghetto for all foreigners on campus, students, teachers and visitors alike, but in a very protected one.

Our foreign community consisted of other Americans, British, Germans, Swiss, South Africans, overseas Chinese, Japanese, Canadians, Dutch, etc. All of us ate together in a special dining hall that was part of the complex.

Modest by our standards, our quarters were opulent by theirs, since we had two rooms and a private bath for just the



Li Qi: "Tell me what you want, and I will do my very best for you."

two of us. They were simply but neatly furnished, including a TV and small refrigerator. A delightful group of young women swept through our apartment daily, cleaning lightly and leaving us fresh thermoses of water, one hot and one cool, along with a day's supply of good tea.

When Chinese people visited us at our apartment, they were required to sign in at the desk at the single entrance to our building. They also had to bring a slip of paper to our room and have us sign it. returning it to the desk as they left. It had the look of a surveillance measure but we were told it was only for our protection.

A few Chinese took umbrage at this procedure, uncertain, as we were, of its connotations; but others complied without noticeable signs of displeasure. If a Chinese visitor stayed past 10 or 10:30 at night, they risked being scolded by the desk person.

Because of this restrictive atmosphere, one would think that few, if any, personal friendships would develop. It is difficult to imagine if, in a similar situation, many of us would go to great effort to make friends with a pair of middleaged visiting foreign lecturers who scarcely knew any English.

Recriminations always seemed possible, if not today in more "open" times, then perhaps tomorrow if the freedom doors should suddenly snap shut again. The tense past of China is still too close for one to become uncautious.

You can see this in the people's eyes. This was especially true of those at least a little older than most of the stu-

Nevertheless, many Chinese people did go out of their way to become friends with us. They visited regularly, some riding miles on bicycles on bitter, wind-swept nights to do

In spite of the pervasive aura of caution hovering over each conversation, each developing friendship between American and Chinese did become genuine. Our sense of freedom within the somewhat restrictive environment did increase.

We came away feeling that we had certainly touched something real, unique and vital in this alien country. Indeed, it had-it has-

touched us very deeply. Looking back, in view of others' less fortunate experiences, we wonder how we were so lucky as to have traveled as freely as we did and to have had so many warm friendships develop.

We made good friends among those in the foreigners' cloister, of course, some of which I'm sure will continue through our lives. We ate regularly with them, we went sightseeing, took train trips, went to parties and concerts and banquets together.

We also shared long, chatty evenings, swapping facts and lore of China and our own varied lives. In this sense, being herded together was an advantage. We were able to share new experiences and the common interests of aliens, as well as to cope with problems better, together.

However, many of those enduring kinds of friendships were made with Chinese people, in large part, with the students and graduate students. In spite of what was either surveillance or bothersome measures, the students came to visit us, singly and by twos and threes, and in groups of ten or





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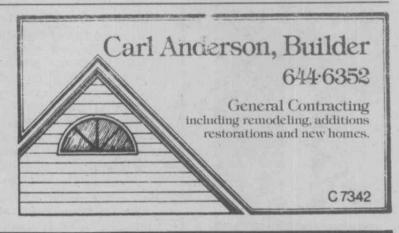
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fifteen at times. They returned again and again to learn more of our language, to listen to whatever knowledge we might have to impart. After years of isolation, they seem to be fascinated with the modernized world and have an insatiable curiosity about America. They, in turn, gladly shared with us the traditions and history of their own country and eventually much of their own lives, concerns and dreams.

Many of the older Chinese people, faculty members and others, appeared somewhat more reluctant to develop close contact with us. In conversation with other American professors, both at Peking University and in our travels through China, we learned this was a common experience.

It may have been partly due

to the fact that the damage such associations had caused in the recent past was still strong in their memories. However, we felt it might be equally due to the fact that many of the older people could not speak English and such contacts were embarrassing or, at the least, difficult. They required an interpreter, which kept meetings stilted and formal.

The young people, by contrast, are required to study English and generally converse in it much better than their elders. We spoke only a smattering of Chinese words, but Bill's ability developed considerably and this pleased the Chinese. As time went on, older faculty began reaching out toward us, visiting us in our apartment, bringing gifts, accompanying us to events.

This university was "Beida,"

the big one—the Harvard of China. The students were the best in the country. Only about three percent of the students in China are accepted for college, we were told, and only a tiny percentage of that group are selected to attend Peking University.

Almost every student we met there had ranked first in the examinations in his or her area or home town. Thus, they had first choice of the universities and, as we heard so often, "everyone would choose to attend Beida (Peking U.)."

They were bright and inquisitive, eager to learn anything that would help them help their country to greatness. Some were hopeful, others were disillusioned, but all of them wanted their China to "catch up" to America and other advanced nations.

Serious, diligent students, they nevertheless loved to joke, to dance and sing and have fun, and to discuss ideas-like young people anywhere in the world. With an educational background strong on rote learning, they seemed intrigued at being pressed to disagree outloud with us, their teachers, or to defend longheld doctrines with something more than slogans, when challenged to do so. We found them non-egotistical, courageous, warm and loving, towards both us and each other.

There developed, between Bill and a number of bright young graduate students, a particularly fine rapport. They spent many stimulating evenings together in our apartment, picking each other's minds, with good will and humor, and with mutual respect for each other's ideas.

One night when he was off giving a special lecture to this group, some of my better students in National Economic Management paid me a surprise visit. They brought me a pretty wall hanging. On the back was written part of a Chinese poem.

Loosely translated, it said: "I have friends all over the world. We get to know each other very well. Although I am far away from you, we are like a close neighborhood."

Gathering around me, they sang (to the tune of Red River Valley, which I had taught them), "From our China they say you are going. We will miss your bright eyes...etc." Five students from this class traveled south later, gathering in Guangzhou (Canton), again as a surprise, to see us off from China. Much to my regret, we missed connections and I didn't learn of this until later.

While disco is not allowed, the young people love to dance. We were invited to a party and dance given by the economics students, at which there was singing by students and a fine folksinger on the faculty. The students clustered around us, eager to see us try out their games, applauding our dancing. Later in the evening, my world economics students presented me with a stuffed toy panda. I named it "Xiao He," which means "Little Peace."

Some of our "students" were not regular students but were young grade school teachers, or middle-aged college teachers from other departments. Some were workers in other areas on or off campus. They would arrange to take off work to attend our classes or to be tutored individually and later became some of our best friends. One remarkably fine economics student requested individual lessons because my classes conflicted with others he was taking.

I was taking.

I was asked to read my poetry to students and to some Chinese teachers teaching English, which resulted in my becoming friends with a young woman teacher who shared my love of poetry. Some of the students writing poetry began dropping by my apartment for help and, like others, have maintained contact through correspondence.

Probably our most steadfast and certainly one our dearest friends was a very young economics teacher named Li Qi, assigned to be our special helper.

"Tell me what you want, ask of me anything you like, and I will do my very best for you," he would often say. And he did, always.

We called him our "Chinese Mother" and our "Away-from-home Son" and he became the hub of our community. He took care of paperwork and taxis, arranged meetings and classes and concerts and trips for us, often accompanying us. He had a gentle sense of humor and was a sensitive, deeply thoughtful young man.

He worried about us when we traveled alone, as we often did, greeting us with a look of relief and joy when we

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The author in China with two of her best friends, Tian Hong, left, and Chen Nan Su.





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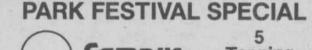


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returned, even when he had to meet our train at 5 a.m. to do it. We learned to depend on him, to love and trust him, and we miss him greatly.

Perhaps no other day did we feel the sense of community as strongly as we did on Christmas Day. Expecting us to be lonely, Li Qi arrived early with gifts and tickets to an early movie, a documentary on Chairman Mao.

Following the film, he dropped us off for "xiuxi," or early afternoon rest hour. We made a short stop at an open house down the hall, held by our American friends in economics, the Trescotts. We

returned just as the students and other young Chinese friends began dropping in, many with cards and gifts.

It soon became a party, as everyone stayed to sing, snack and laugh past the usual building curfew hour. Tien Xiao Hua, who was with us, said, "I think Bea and Bill enjoy Christmas Day in China and don't miss your home—don't miss your America! And with us, it's happy too, I think!"

And so it was with us—a communal treasure of a Christmas.

I hope that the government of the People's Republic of China realizes the true worth of these young people.

With such students as we

met as its envoys and future leaders, China is rich indeed. If they are allowed to mingle freely, both within the P.R.C. and abroad, the whole world will fall in love with this great country and want to aid and encourage its development. Along with these youth, China will feel, as we do, that indeed, "We are like a close neighborhood."

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Residents help in supt. search

by Ann Bulger

The search is underway for a new superintendent of St. Paul schools. Five area residents were among 12 Citizens for Excellence in Education members who met recently with consultants conducting the search.

Lois Anderson, Ann Bulger, Penny Chally, Faith Fretheim and Karen Muller participated in the two-hour discussion about qualities needed in a new superintendent. The consultants have spent two hours with each board member individually and have met with representatives of the principals' groups, the teachers' groups, Community Education Advisory Board, the Urban League, as well as with Mayor George Latimer, and editor Ron Clark from the St. Paul papers.

To date, 35 applications have come in, unsolicited. A brochure is being mailed to 1000 possible applicants, and about 100 are expected to apply. The board will make a selection from these finalists and aim at a September start.

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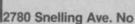
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been here for a while, they understand how policies were made, decisions were made. They can get a good understanding of the company and how perhaps decisions will be made in the future."

New Bugle editor named

Kevin Reichard has been named managing editor of the Bugle, replacing Mollie Hoben, who has resigned effective

Hoben became editor of the Bugle in 1980 and managing editor in 1982. She will be pursuing a new publishing venture in the Twin Cities.

Reichard is managing editor of the Viking Report and a freelance writer. A 1983 graduate of Hamline University, he was editor of the Hamline Oracle for three years.

He was an intern at the Como-Midway Monitor in 1981 and was involved with the Neighborhood Press Association, of which the Bugle is a member.

Reichard will be the fifth editor in the Bugle's ten-year history. Editors preceding Hoben were Peggy Mann Rinehart, Michael Hazard and Gail McClure, the Bugle's founding





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Robin Lindquist of St. Anthony Park Bank, is chairperson of the organization's public relations committee and is co-chair of the festival planning committee, along with Beth Morse of the Bibelot Shop.

Contributions for the festival have been slow coming in this year, Lindquist reported. "This is a concern," she said.

In addition to money contributions, many hours of volunteer effort go into the festival, Lindquist indicated.

Fair from 1

wooden items; Mahmoud Azar, wooden toys; Karen Bateson, silk flower arrangements; Barbara Brooten, handpainted porcelain; Paul Harding, silkscreen t-shirts; Linda Sumner, needlework.

Books that have been withdrawn from the St. Paul Public libraries, both fiction and nonfiction, will be for sale in the library's community interest room. Hardcover books, cassettes and records will cost 50¢ or five for \$2; paperbacks will sell for 30¢ or eight for \$2.

Money raised from the book sale will be used to buy books. Fair participants donate 10% of their total sales to the Library Association.

Music of fife and drum will be performed at noon on the library steps by Mary Preus (fife) and Jerry Christensen (drum). Preus grew up in St. Anthony Park.

Karen Bateson and Judy Flinn have served as co-chairs of the art fair planning committee.

Marching band to lead parade

The Blue Star Cadets of LaCross, Wisconsin, will be the featured marching unit for St. Anthony Park's 39th annual Fourth of July parade and celebration, Stu Peterson, parade chairperson, announced

The parade will assemble at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, July 4, at Como Avenue and Luther Place, and will begin at 11:30 a.m. sharp. Anyone with a parade-worthy classic or antique vehicle, late model convertible or other special interest unit should contact Peterson at 644-5100.

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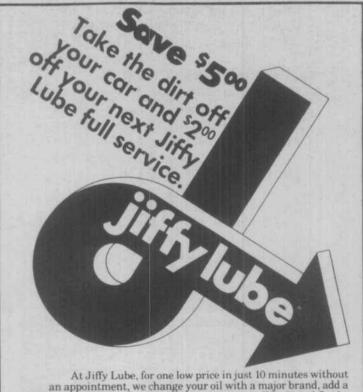












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Leonard Harkness, Falcon Heights, has been elected chairperson of the Ramsey County 4-H Resource Development Committee. Harkness is professor emeritus of the Agriculture Extension Service of the University of Minnesota.

Nancy Holmsten, a sophomore business major at Bethel College, is touring Spain with the Bethel Concert Band. Holmsten, the daughter of Richard and Florence Holmsten, St. Anthony Park, is a clarinetist. The band will return on June 5.

Dr. Charles Weldin's, article, "The Politics of the Office," was published recently in the Minnesota Elementary School Journal. Weldin is principal at St. Anthony Park Elementary School.

Brian Krinke wins again. This time it was first place in the junior high strings division at the Schubert Club's 62nd Annual Scholarship Competition in April.

Krinke, a 7th grade student at St. Paul Open School, received a cash prize for further music instruction. He is the son of Lambert and Jean Krinke, St. Anthony Park.

Michele Grayden, St. Anthony Park, was the recipient of the \$500 Rice St. Athletic Club scholarship. Michele, a senior at Como Park High School, will be studying pre-law at Winona State University.

Four area residents have been elected to the board of directors of Citizens for Excellence in Education. They are Lois Anderson, Faith Fretheim, Todd Lefko and Karen Muller. In addition, Joe Nathan, former assistant principal at Murray Junior High School, will serve on the board.

Six St. Anthony Park juniors were inducted into the National Honor Society at Como Park High School. The new NHS members are Andrea Bodley, Jonathan Hausman, Renee Miller, Laura Serfass, Eli Wallace and Peter Warner.



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Bookstart

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Summer camp

A special summer camp session at the Environmental Learning Center near Isabella, Minnesota is available to any student between 9 and 12 years of age. The session, June 8-June 22, will offer many activities including: rock climbing, Indian heritage, orienteering, swimming, canoeing, camping, adventure ropes, stream ecology, and campfire gatherings. This is the first offering of this program during the summer. Enrollment is not limited to St. Anthony Park students. For more information, call 645-0391 or 464-7256.

Historic library

The St. Anthony Park Branch Library has been placed on the National Register of Historic Places, making the library eligible for federal grants-in-aid for restoration and preservation. The building was constructed in 1917 and is one of three Carnegie libraries remaining in St. Paul

Arts Forum board

Anyone interested in serving on the board of the St. Anthony Park Arts Forum is encouraged to call Robin Lindquist, president of the forum, at 645-9861 (evenings). The board will be developing programs in music, literary and visual arts.

Old-Timers meet

The annual get-together of the men's group of South St.
Anthony Park Old-Timers will be held June 27 at the Lester Tjernlund American Legion Post 451-2350 Territorial Rd, 1-4 p.m. Luncheon tickets are \$2.50. For reservations call Vincent Sorg, 771-4633.

Kibbutz life

Life on an Israeli Christian kibbutz will be the topic of a presentation June 13, 7 p.m., in Gullickson Hall on the campus of Luther Northwestern Theological Seminary.

The speaker, Gerhard Milchram, has lived at Nes Ammim Kibbutz in Galilee for a year and a half. He is a guest in St. Anthony Park of Eugene and Lois Kreider.

Library activities

The St. Anthony Park Library, 2245 Como Ave., will be a busy place for children this summer. The preschool storytime at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesdays will continue through the month of June. The Summer Reading Program "Be a Gold Medal Winner," will have a program most Fridays at 11 a.m.

Teen sexuality

A seminar on teen sexuality will be offered for parents and other concerned adults at Como Park High School June 26, July 10 and July 17. The free sessions are sponsored by Community Education Offices, the Children's Home Society of Minnesota and the Junior League of St. Paul. For more information call Como, 489-4523.

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Central High School graduation ceremonies will take place on June 7 at 9 p.m. in the St. Paul Civic Center.

Seniors Honors Night will be Thursday, May 31, at 7 p.m. in the Central auditorium. Among those being honored are the top twelve students, scholarship recipients, and students receiving departmental awards for academic excellence.

Kathy Green, tied for first place in the Central Class of '84, is a resident of St. Anthony Park and is the daughter of Ann and George Green. Kathy is also a recipient of a scholarship from Lawrence College in Appleton, Wisconsin.

Lester Craven and Michelle King, also St. Anthony Park residents, were honored as scholarship recipients.

A National Merit Scholarship winner, Craven is a recipient of the Gillette Achievement Scholarship and will be attending Oklahoma Christian College in the fall. King received a U.F.C.W. scholarship and will be attending Macalester College in the fall.

Como

Diplomas will be given to 330 seniors at the fifth Como Park Senior High School commencement on Wednesday, June 6, at 6:30 p.m., in the Hamline University fieldhouse. Admission will be by ticket

Speakers will be senior class president Jody Testor and Social Studies teacher Jerry

"Around the World in '84" is the theme of the all-night party. after graduation. Doors will open at the school between 10 and 11 p.m. The party will conclude at 5 a.m. after breakfast. There will be carnival and casino games, music, food, dancing, swimming, gym contests, movies and many prizes donated by local merchants. A large parent committee is working on the party, coordinated by Jim Benning, Ann Bulger, Don Gugisberg and Joyce Poor.

Ramsey

About 390 students will receive diplomas at Alexander Ramsey High School's commencement on June 7, 7:30 p.m. The ceremony will be held at the athletic field, or in the gymnasium if there is rain.

Marsha Landgraf, English teacher, has been selected by seniors to give the commencement address, and honors student Iov Dickson will be the student speaker.

An all-night party following graduation will be held at the Northwest YMCA. Activities will include casino games, volleyball, racquetball, swimming and dancing. A mini-Olympics will feature events such as hopscotch and paper airplane flying. There will be refreshments, including breakfast at 5 a.m. Buses will transport students from Ramsey to the party and back. Parents coordinating the efforts of many volunteers are Dorothy and Don Grittner and Sue and Doug Nelson.

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Community Calendar

30 MAY

Choir cabaret concert, Murray Junior High School, 7 p.m.

31 Thurs.
Band and ensemble concert,
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7 p.m.

Band and ensemble concert, Como Park Senior High, 7:30 p.m.

Music in the Park concert, United Church of Christ, 8 p.m.

1 JUNE

Field day, St. Anthony Park Elementary, all day

Ice cream social and band concert, St. Anthony Park Bank parking lot, 7:30-9 p.m.

"Tom Sawyer," Program for Social Development, Murray Junior High, 7:30 p.m.

2 Sat.
Park Festival and Arts & Crafts Fair, all day

Recycling Unlimited pick-up at St. Anthony Park Drive-in Bank and First Security Bank, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

5 Tues.

St. Anthony Park Community Band, St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, 7-9 p.m. Call 645-9738. Meets every Tuesday.

6 Wed. Leisure Center, Methodist Church, 10 a.m., Speaker: Keith Johnson,

Como Senior High graduation, Hamline University fieldhouse, 6:30 p.m.

Administrator, Linnea Home.

St. Anthony Park Neighbors for Peace, Aasgaard Hall, Luther Northwestern Seminary, 7 p.m.

7 Thurs.

Last day of school for students—
St. Paul

District 12, physical committee, 2380 Hampden Ave., 5 p.m.

Alexander Ramsey High School graduation, athletic field, 7:30 p.m.

Central High School graduation, St. Paul Civic Center, 9 p.m.

District 12, human services

committee, 2380 Hampden Ave., 7:30 p.m.

Writers' Workshop, 1403 Hamline Ave. N., 7:30 p.m. Call 644-6090.

8 Fri.
Park Press Inc. Annual Meeting,
2235 Doswell, 6:30 p.m.

11-15

to register.

Vacation Bible School, St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, Kdg.-6th, 9-11:45 a.m. Call 645-0371

11 Mon.
Cub Scout bike rodeo, Methodist
Church parking lot, 6:30 p.m.

13 Wed. Leisure Center, Methodist Church, 10 a.m., Leave for Historic Fort Snelling after lunch. Cost: \$4.50 bus and admission.

District 12 Council, 2380 Hampden Ave., 7 p.m.

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19 Tues.
Como Park Senior High parents'
meeting, Nelson home, 1478 N.
Victoria, 7:30 p.m.

20 Wed. Leisure Center, Methodist Church, 10 a.m., birthdays.

22 Fri.
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26 Tues.
Red Cross Bloodmobile,
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27 Wed.
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