

Businesses upset about Hwy. 280 ramp closings

By Kathy Malchow

Many St. Anthony Park businesses in the Hwy. 280 corridor are unhappy, even downright angry, about their lack of input into the highway's reconstruction process. They're angry because they say the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) didn't consult them early in the planning stages about closing the southbound ramps between Como Ave. and University Ave. from April 1-Aug. 15.

This means employees, customers and vendors of businesses in the Hwy. 280 corridor cannot access their businesses from Como Ave., Hunting Valley Rd., Kasota/Energy Park Drive, or

Territorial Rd./University Ave. for 4 1/2 months.

The Midway Civic & Commerce Association (MCCA) sponsored a meeting on March 5 with MnDOT representatives about the expected problems this summer's construction will cause. At the meeting, several business owners likened the projected "mess" to construction nightmares that occurred adjacent to I-394. There, several businesses were forced to close because customers couldn't get to them. Now St. Anthony Park business forsee the same problems happening here.

More than one business person said at the meeting, "This is the same as closing us down for 4 1/2 months."

Hwy. 280 to 10

Input requested March 30 on U of M fuel choice

The University Board of Regents will hold an open forum on Mon., March 30, 3-6 p.m., at the Earle Brown Center, Room 42, on the St. Paul Campus.

At issue is who will operate the University's heating plants. On March 3 the University recommended choosing between Arkla, Inc., a Shreveport, La., natural gas company (the parent company of Minnegasco) and Foster

Wheeler Power Systems of Clinton, N.J. Arkla would burn natural gas at a new plant in Minneapolis and at the existing St. Paul campus plant. Foster Wheeler would burn mostly coal in Minneapolis and natural gas in St. Paul. The current provider, NSP, which uses only coal, was not recommended.

Those who wish to speak at the forum should call 625-6300. The final decision will be made April 10.

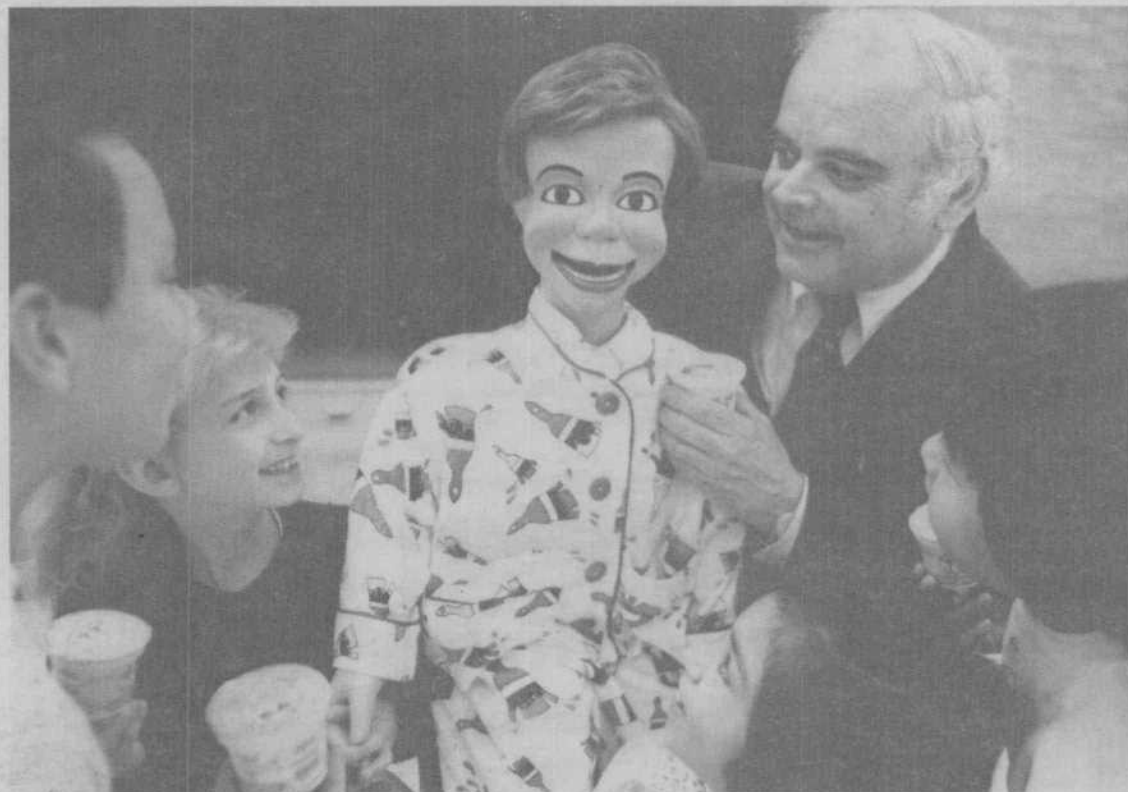


Photo by Truman Olson

Victor Etienne and Terry entertained students at Chelsea Heights Elementary School in March.

Como ventriloquist has entertained kids and adults for 40 years

By Amy Causton

Most people would be offended if you referred to their friend of 40 years as a "dummy." Victor Etienne doesn't mind. After all, his good friend Terry is a dummy—a ventriloquist's dummy, that is.

And for the past 40 years, he and Terry have performed all over the country. Etienne recently celebrated his 40th anniversary with a show at Chelsea Heights Elementary School, where he gave one of his first performances.

Etienne was practically born into his line of work. His

father skated in the Ice Follies, and he says, "I always knew I wanted to be an entertainer." He pondered many different types of performing, but inspired by the "Paul Winchell and Jerry Mahoney" TV shows, he turned toward ventriloquism. His first performance was on March 2, 1952, at a church on Sunday morning. He did another show that evening, and then a few days later he performed for his sixth grade class at Chelsea Heights.

Etienne continued to give shows through his graduation from Murray High School in 1958. Then he enrolled at North Central Bible College. Following his first year there he spent the summer on a performing tour. "I figured I'd go back [to college] at the end of the summer, but I kept getting bookings," he says. From that point on, ventriloquism became his career.

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Plight of Chernobyl kids documented

By Kristin Copa

Children of Chernobyl offer a unique picture of the nuclear disaster that affects their everyday lives, according to Oksana Pawlykowych Yonan.

Yonan, an artist from Falcon Heights, traveled by bicycle through the Ukraine last year in a path tracing the outline of a heart.

She called her event the "Journey of the Heart." Her path took her through the nuclear sites in the Ukraine, where she interviewed children and documented the lives of the people living in the wake of the nuclear fallout.

Particularly drawn to the plight of traumatized children, Yonan's first idea was a Journey of the Heart through the Midwest of the United States, a plan she

hopes to carry out this fall. The original plan was to concentrate on the lives of abused children, but the purpose of this revised trip will be to bring attention to the plight of radiated children in the Ukraine.

She focused on the children in the Ukraine after reading a report on the conditions there following the Chernobyl accident. The report said the healthcare system there was able to treat less than 30% of the young victims, Yonan said.

"I love kids," she added. "I've worked with them my whole life and to me they are sacred. I wanted to do something to empower them."

Born in a refugee camp in Germany just before World War II, Yonan said she experienced firsthand what it

Chernobyl to 17



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Music in the Park concert features Minnesota composers

By Linda Steen

Composers seem to inhabit a special corner in a dimension of creativity. Artists create art from a visual sense of what they want to see. Writers will write from what they see and hear or have seen and heard. Musicians recreate from what has already been set down. But composers must compose from what has never been heard before, not even by them.

Sun., April 12, at 4 p.m., at St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave., concertgoers will have an opportunity to meet two Minnesota composers, hear their works, and get in on a pre-concert discussion of the composer's craft. The concert, the fifth of the Music in the Park series, features Harry Clark, cello, and Sanda Schuldmann, piano, in a program titled "Classical Jazz: France Meets Minnesota." They will be joined at various points in the program by Gary Raynor, bassist, and Phil Hey on drums.

Libby Larsen, a Minnesota resident and composer, describes her work "Juba," for solo cello and piano, as an African-American dance. The piece is in rondo form. The dance steps become more intricate, the tempos get faster, and at various times the pianist stops and claps to drive forward the rhythmic pulse of the piece. Larson says, "The cellist plays the role of the dancer, the pianist plays the role of the onlooker."

Larsen, who just returned from Albany, N.Y., where the Albany Symphony premiered her "Third Symphony," and Patrick Riley, the other Minnesota composer featured in this concert, will give a free pre-concert talk at 3:15 p.m.

Riley, whose work "Three Jazz Pieces" appears on this program, was born in Mankato. He now teaches at Bemidji State University. The work's movements are titled, "Overture and



The Clark-Schuldmann Duo will perform at the April 12 Music in the Park concert.

Bounce," "Bill's Ballad," and "Finale: Blues." He says, "You'll hear four distinct jazz styles in this piece. I use a West Coast or so-called 'cool' style in the first movement and an East Coast jazz style where I use more delicate voicings and subtle shadings to bring to mind the late, great Bill Evans, for whom the second movement is named. The finale is in the raucous Chicago Blues style, which eventually disintegrates into dissonance and cloudy, faltering rhythms. This movement was the most fun to compose because I had in mind what might happen if Dave Brubeck (the fourth style) were to emerge from the mist to sit in with a Rush Street bar band." This work was written expressly for the Clark-Schuldmann duo and therein lies a connection: Harry Clark and Patrick Riley were classmates at the Peabody Conservatory in Baltimore.

The French portion of the program features Francois Couperin's "Pieces en Concert" and Claude Bolling's "Suite for Cello and Jazz Piano." From the looks of the program, this concert could also have been titled, "Chamber Music Meets Jazz Head On." While Clark and Schuldmann have a repertoire that spans the entire standard literature, they are particularly

proud of their association with many of America's finest composers, many of whom write jazz.

American cellist Harry Clark and Romanian-born Israeli pianist Sanda Schuldmann met while completing their studies at the University of Texas in Austin. An immediate chemistry developed, both personal and musical, and the duo united in a shared life of art and marriage.

The twosome made their formal debut in 1974 at New York's Carnegie Hall. The *New York Times* review said, "Clark and Schuldmann have a way of digging into their material with a wholehearted enthusiasm that is disarming."

The jazz emphasis in this concert carries an added element of meaning in that it has been dedicated to longtime St. Anthony Park resident Gordon W. (Gus) Donhowe, who died in January, 1991. He had a special fondness for jazz music.

Tickets for the concert are \$10 at the door, \$9 in advance at The Bibelot Shop (646-5651) and Micawber's Bookstore (646-5506). There will also be a \$5 student rush ticket. More information may be had by calling 644-4234.

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Mike Tressel: sportsman & scholar

By Naomi Davis

St. Anthony Park is filled with many interesting people. One of them is Mike Tressel.

Tressel has lived in St. Anthony Park for many years. He went to both St. Anthony Park Elementary School and Murray Junior High. From Murray he decided to go to Como High School, where he currently is a senior. He chose Como, he says, because of its excellent faculty, because it is a science, math and business magnet and because it is a smaller school with more chances to be involved.

Tressel is ranked number one in his class academically and is active in many different school organizations. He is president of the student council, vice president of National Honor Society, a member of the School Improvement and Peer-Helpers committees and he coordinates the annual Como Red Cross blood drive. He is also the yearbook editor.

He attended Boys' State last summer at St. John's University, where he spent a week learning about state government. Boys' State is an award two juniors at every school receive. He was also a National Merit Commended Scholar.

Tressel's favorite classes are math and physics. He is currently taking an Advanced Placement Calculus II class, as well as fifth-year Spanish, Advanced Placement English 12 and Humanities.

Well-liked by teachers, staff and students, one teacher described him as an excellent athlete and student, yet a very down-to-earth person.

Tressel participates in many sports at Como. In football, he was all-conference honorable mention and played in the regional finals in the Metrodome when Como played against Cretin.

He has played baseball since he was young. He started with T-ball at Langford Park and made it to starting second-baseman on Como's varsity team.

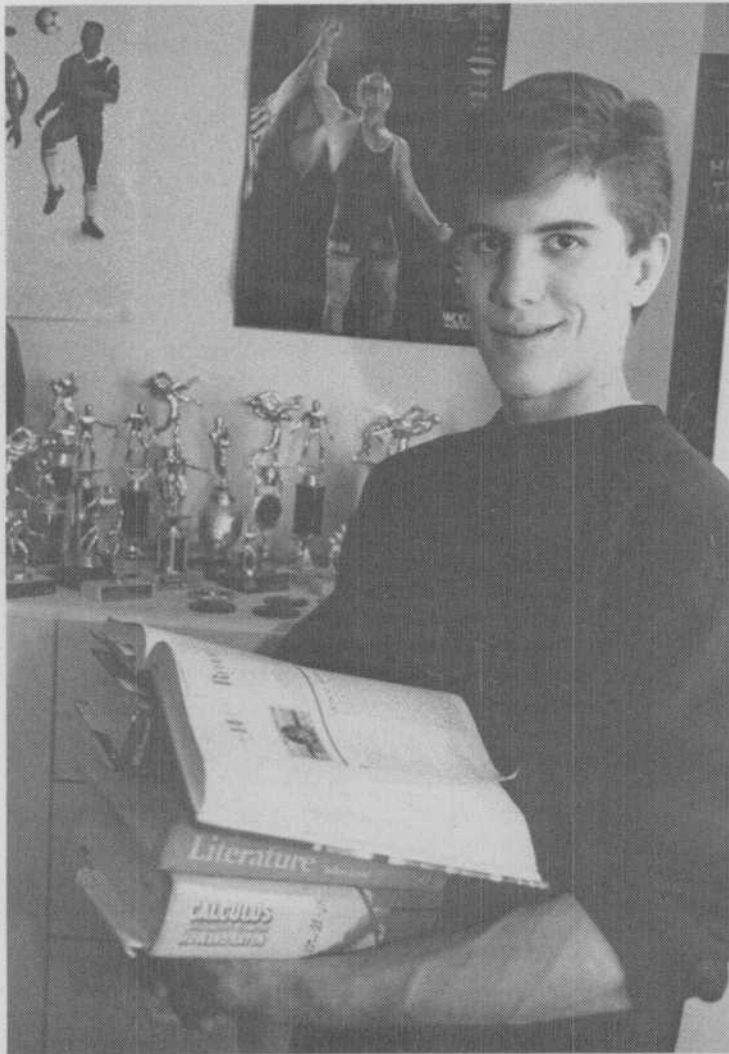


Photo by Truman Olson

The trophies in his room attest to Mike Tressel's sports success. His interest in academics has given him scholastic success at Como Park Senior High School as well.

Although Tressel likes both of these sports, his main focus is on wrestling. He started in 5th or 6th grade and then went on to wrestle at Murray, where he was two-time junior high city champion. He was a member of this year's city champion Como Park wrestling team. He was 4-time all-conference; his record is 122-22-1, which is the best record at Como. He received the academic state award and has wrestled twice in the state tournament. Both times he was beaten by the state champion in the first round. Last year he lost to Mark Wellstone of Apple Valley and this year to Andy Riegstad of Willmar.

Even when Como's wrestling season is finished, wrestling is not over for Tressel. During spring and summer he wrestles freestyle and competes in numerous national tournaments.

Tressel is thinking of wrestling in college. He has limited his choice of colleges to the Air Force Academy and Cornell in Iowa.

With an academic and athletic record like this, it looks like he's on the road to success.

School News

Como Park High School

As every month, April continues to be an extremely busy month at Como Senior High. The first event in April is the junior-senior prom. Como's prom will be on April 3 at Town Square Gardens with the theme "Unforgettable."

On April 5 at 5 p.m., a baseball gold plate dinner at Gabe's will be held to raise money for Como's baseball team. April 6 will be the Athletic Committee meeting at 7 p.m. to discuss a new trophy case and plaques for the top male and female senior athletes.

The Cosys coordinators will meet on April 15 at 7:30 p.m. to discuss mentorships with Unisys and plans for a new school sign on Maryland Ave. The faculty-student

basketball game will be held on April 10 at 1 p.m. Spring break begins on April 13 and school resumes again on April 21.

On April 21 at 1 p.m. an Asian assembly will be held in the auditorium. There will be many interesting events during that hour including a Laotian dance, Kung Fu, a Hmong dance and other skits. On April 28 there will be a meeting of the advisory council at 7 p.m. in the library.

On April 30, Como Park will be honoring the top 40 students. The top ten students from each class and their parents will be recognized at an awards assembly and dessert reception that night.

Como Park is sad to say farewell to our principal, Dr. Joan Sorenson. She left Como Park on March 13 to take the planner position to create the curriculum for the Expo-Magnet Middle School, which will open next fall in the old Wilson building. The first year the attendance will be

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a maximum of 270 students in grades 6-8. They are looking at having an integrated subject matter curriculum recognizing the multiple talents of all students.

Como Park will miss the outstanding charisma and efforts of Dr. Sorenson but is happy to welcome assistant principal, Tom Olin, as the new principal.

Naomi Davis

Chelsea Heights Elementary

On March 19 & 20 the 5th and 6th graders at Chelsea went skiing at Trollhaugen near Dresser, Wis.

Coming up on the evening of April 30, the 2nd and 3rd graders will present "Every Day is Earth Day," a musical concert under the direction of Ms. McFadden. The Chelsea band, under the direction of Ms. Paige, will also play that night.

On March 18, Ms. McGrath, a 6th grade teacher, started a running club for 4-6th graders. They will be training for the Get in Gear 2K Fun Run at the end of April. Also, her class held a readathon to raise money to go to Environmental Learning Center at Camp St. Croix in April. If any readers have other ideas for Ms. McGrath's class on how to raise money, please let us know.

On March 26 & 27, Chelsea held its annual Jelly Bean Days. All the students went to the gym to earn jelly beans by doing various activities, such as sit-ups, rope swinging and climbing.

Our science teacher, Ms. Tauer, has borrowed a trunk from the Science Museum of Minnesota. The trunk contains items from the rain forest such as rubber, spices, insects, wood and animal skins. Some students will use the trunk to study the rain forest.

Margaret Smack and Ben Roosa

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Holy Childhood

Mattie Clark of Young Audiences of Minnesota presented African-American storytelling. She has an assortment of stories from everywhere in the United States, including the stories of her great-grandmother.

American Testronics Achievement Tests took place the week of March 23-27.

We have almost reached our candy sale goal! We are only about \$250 away from our \$5,000 goal.

March 18 was Physical Fitness Day at the Hubert H. Humphrey Job Corps. Each grade demonstrated one of the phy ed skills learned this year. The students didn't have to wear uniforms and got a turkey lunch.

The Holy Childhood School choir will be singing at St. Luke's Church on April 4. The choir is working to raise money for a trip to Rome to sing for Pope John Paul II and a tour of Paris and Italy.

Katie Brennan

Murray Junior High

Congrats go out to Murray teachers who submitted and received Ecolab Lifeline grants. With these grants, Murray received \$1,500 for after-school transportation, \$1,600 for teacher workshops and many other things.

The Como and Central High School sign-up for next year's 9th graders went very smoothly.

Congratulations and good luck to Aaron Bohr who advanced to the State Geography Bee!

Vacation! Yes, once again Murray has spring break. From April 13-20, students are out of school.

On May 2, from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m., the garage sale will be going on at Murray Junior High. Please donate any clothes, books, toys or household items. They can be dropped off at the school on May 1. For more information, call the school office at 293-8740.

Good job to both the boys' basketball team coached by Mr. Acree and the girls' volleyball team coached by Ms. Ziemski. The two teams did very well in all their games. Girls' softball,

coached by Ms. Ryan and boys' baseball, coached by Mr. Cherrier, are just starting. Their first games are on Thurs., April 23. Come cheer your team!

Karin McIntosh

St. Anthony Park Elementary

With parent-teacher conferences completed and with the end of a very long winter in sight, both the students and teachers are looking forward to spring break, which will begin Mon., April 13. Students return to classes Tuesday, April 21. Then, well rested, it will be time for some hard but gratifying work, as both the 5th and 6th graders will be wrapping up their last major research projects of the year.

The SAPSA-sponsored roller skating party on March 3 was a huge success, providing a wonderful opportunity for family fun while giving a boost to the SAPSA budget. Mark your calendars for the next important SAPSA fundraiser on Friday evening May 8: the all-school carnival. Parents will be able to volunteer to help with the event which always is fun for the whole family!

Another important date for parents to note is the next SAPSA meeting scheduled Thurs., April 9. Besides the regular business meeting there will be further information available on LOGO, the computer program to be offered in the school.

Claire Sweet

Central High School

Central is bursting with pride over the accomplishments its students achieved in March. Everyone has heard about the exciting wins on the cross-country skiing trails (if you have not heard, see the separate article below), but there are many other successes to be noted.

As far as other sports are concerned, Central had competitors at the state level in both the individual wrestling and gymnastics competitions. Our basketball team lost its Twin City championship game to Roosevelt of Mpls., but had won its first two region games at the time of this writing. Another impressive team, the math team, took home the first place trophy in the Twin Cities region.

That was not the only trophy to be brought in without athletic competition. Central's band and orchestra participated in a contest March 3 with other bands from around the state. They competed in the highest division and were awarded superior rankings from each of three judges. This is the highest ranking possible and the band was awarded a trophy from the State High School League.

Other recognitions came from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, the drama department, and the Grammy award ceremony. Nine Central seniors were named National Merit finalists, including Parkites Kent Nelsestuen and Liz Kramer. The drama department held its annual playwriting festival in

March. Six Central students wrote excellent plays which will be performed April 30 and May 1. Also, a talented Central staff member, Frank Wharton, won a Grammy with the group Sounds of Blackness. Frank has played with this gospel group for ten years and has worked with Central students for twice as long.

April brings spring break and other fun activities to Central. On April 3, the Multi-cultural Festival will take place from 1-6 p.m. in the cafeteria. This festival is organized by students and is comprised of booths representing different nationalities. It is filled with great food and is an opportunity to learn more about other countries. The public is welcome.

School is out from April 13-20. The blood drive will be held on April 30, and all students who are 17 years old and weigh more than 105 pounds are encouraged to give blood. For those who like to plan ahead: elections for next year's M-team will be in the second week of May, and the prom is May 2.

Liz Kramer

Editors' note:
Two local names were inadvertently omitted from last month's listing of honor roll students at Central: Jed Anderson has a GPA of 4.0 or higher; David Schwartz's GPA is between 3.0-3.9.



Photo by Mary Nelsestuen
Central skiers include Chris Brown, Jeff Rhodes, Ben Nysse, Charlie Merck, Rick Cailles (coach), Matt Florey, Jason Wirka, Dan Kohler, Rachel Allyn, Bjorn Carlson (coach), Kent Nelsestuen, Ed Kohler, Dan LaBarre, Paul Virgin (coach), Lorna Bennett, Sophie Hartshorn, Julie MacGregor, Nunia Mafi, Ayelish Guilfoile and Kathryn McGrath.

Central skiers storm state

By Liz Kramer

It seems unbelievable that a team that began only five years ago with no funding and very few skiers could come so far that it would win girls' and boys' state last year, and place third and first, respectively, this year. When asked what makes Central's skiing program so successful, Kent Nelsestuen said, "good coaching, good athletes and real dedication."

The very popular head coach of the skiing program at Central is Paul Virgin. Rick Cailles works with the boys' team, and Bjorn Carlson works with the girls' team. The ski teams combined have around 50 members. These kids practiced together 2-3 hours every day after school, and often got together to ski on weekends. This rigorous training, not only during ski season, but year round, gives the teams a distinct edge on their competition.

From the beginning of the season, both teams knew they would be contenders in state. The two teams each lost only one race all season. Because one of the biggest meets of the season was snowed out, the skiers had their

first chance to show their talent at the Section III race. The girls' team took places 1-5 at this meet, and the boys took places 1-4. The relay teams also fared well, with both the boys' and girls' relay teams winning.

These sweeping victories sent the two teams to state competition. The boys' team was by far the favorite in its race, and the girls' had predictions for success. Ed Kohler (12) won the boys' state race with Ben Nysse (11) coming in second and Central guys also claiming places 10, 12, 13 and 33. Their victory was the most overwhelming victory in the history of the state ski meet. The boys' relay team finished second in state.

Although the girls' team won an impressive third place finish, they were disappointed with their finish. Rachel Allyn (12) got third place in the race, only seconds behind the first and second place finishers. The girls' team received third place, and the relay team placed second.

Another exciting tidbit of ski news is that three Central skiers, who are also area residents, participated in the junior nationals in Maine in March. These three superb athletes are Rachel Allyn, Ed Kohler and Ben Nysse.

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The Historical Preservation

By Warren Hanson

After I'm famous, and after I'm dead (unfortunately for me, both of these conditions must be met), someone will decide that my house should be preserved as a historical site. An eleventh-hour petition will be circulated to save the old place for the benefit of future generations, and the wrecking ball will be dramatically halted in mid-swing.

The house will be turned over to the capable care of the Minnesota State Historical Society, which will catalog it as a definitive example of the Midwestern Ordinary school of architecture. Every detail will be recorded and preserved with the same care as was given the Dead Sea Scrolls, and then my house will be opened for viewing by the public. St. Anthony Park's own sorry version of Graceland.

If you come to the front door by a friendly tour bus will be turned over to the capable care of the Minnesota State Historical Society, which will catalog it as a definitive example of the Midwestern Ordinary school of architecture. Every detail will be recorded and preserved with the same care as was given the Dead Sea Scrolls, and then my house will be opened for viewing by the public. St. Anthony Park's own sorry version of Graceland.

You are met at the front door by a friendly tour guide, dressed in period costume of sweat pants, Reeboks and a 1987 Twins World Series T-shirt. (The guide today is a young woman, but the costume is the same for both genders.) She ushers you onto the enclosed front porch, where she gives you the cheerful introductory speech, the same speech she gives 43 times a day to groups just like yours. "Welcome to the Historic Hanson House. I'm Patsy and I'll be your guide through the house today. There are just a few rules we ask you to follow. Please keep up with the group. Don't go outside the yellow lines on the floor. Feel free to take as many pictures as you like, except the ones on the walls. Ha. Ha." Tour humor.

Patsy opens the front door, on which still hangs a dry, brown Christmas wreath. "As you can see, Mr. Hanson supported the Boy Scouts. He bought a wreath from them every year and usually kept it up until well into April or May." Dry needles crunch under your feet as you cross the threshold.

Inside, there is a murmur from the group as they start to look around the living room. It is preserved in such detail that it almost seems as though my famous but deceased self has just stepped out for a minute and might walk back into the room at any time. The La-Z-Boy in the corner is in the reclining position, with the foot rest up. "This is where Mr. Hanson used to do his reading and napping," says Patsy in hushed tones. You notice the pile of newspapers and *People* magazines strewn around the chair. On the side table

is a half-filled coffee cup with a picture of a loon on it.

On the wall are several pictures, none of them an original, none of them very tastefully chosen, and none of them straight. In the corner is a stereo, a turntable built on top of an AM/FM tuner. Stored in the cabinet below are several dozen vinyl LPs, including the entire Simon & Garfunkel and Carole King collections. The two stereo speakers stand on either side of the brown corduroy couch. On top of one of the speakers is a dead English ivy in a hand-thrown, garishly glazed pot. There is a sock in the fireplace. On the coffee table in the middle of the room you see a *TV Guide*, open to the crossword puzzle, and a broken pencil.

You take all of this in as you stand behind the red velvet roping, draped lazily between brass stanchions. You are dumbstruck. Seeing the actual room, the actual furniture, the actual dust on the lampshades — all the things that were an actual part of the actual everyday life of the actual famous dead person — can make history just come alive.

You snap a few photos, then follow Patsy into the dining room, where a deflated balloon can be seen dangling listlessly from the light fixture over the shamrock placemats on the table, and a paper Thanksgiving turkey from Hallmark rests on its side on the built-in buffet. "As you can see, this is where the Hanson family gathered for special occasions," points out Patsy, superfluously.

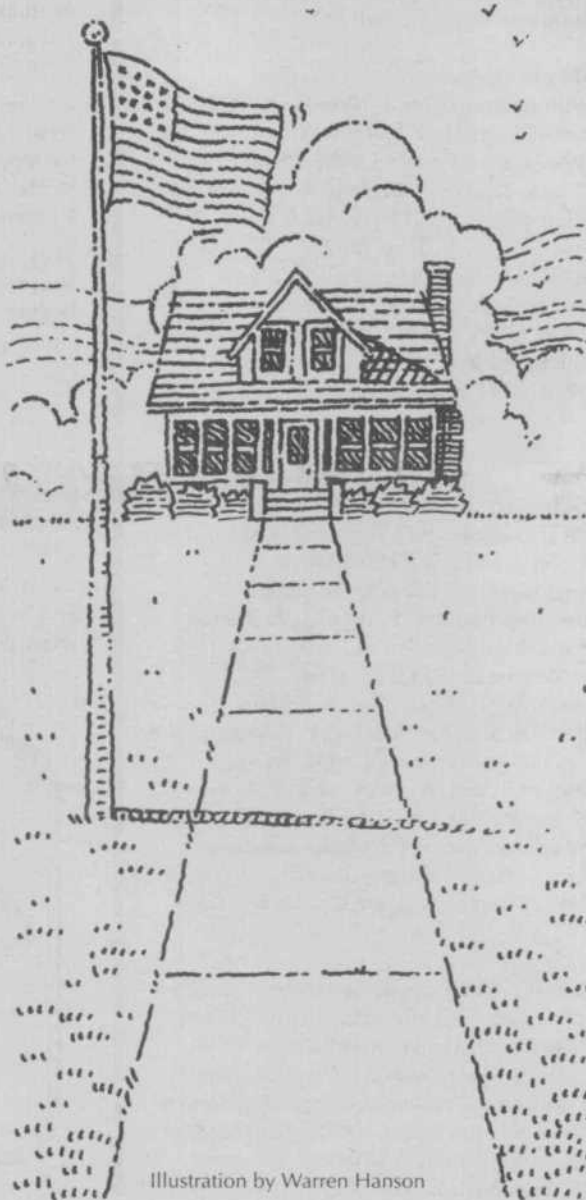


Illustration by Warren Hanson

You are led to the door of the den, but the velvet rope prevents you from entering. (Actually, it is the clutter that prevents you from entering. The ironing board, rolls of wrapping paper, photo albums, spare blankets, board games, old text books and a banjo all work together to obstruct any possible pathway through the room.) Here Patsy stops to give a little speech about the wide variety of interests which the historic resident held over the course of his lifetime, all of which are represented in this one room.

"Our experts from the Historical Society have so far counted 73 unfinished projects in this room, and they estimate that at least as many are yet to be unearthed. Please notice the nearly-finished paint-by-numbers rendition of Gainesborough's 'The Blue Boy' near the window and the disassembled bathroom faucet on the book shelf on your left."

Entering the kitchen, you file past the Formica countertop, laden with artifacts from the historic person's daily meals. There are several more near-empty coffee cups next to the sink. Several empty frozen-meal packages lie beside the microwave. The word "Hostess" can be read inside a partially opened cupboard.

The refrigerator door holds a plethora of information about my daily habits. An overdue notice from the library. An overdue notice from the bank. A reminder, written in my own hand, to pick up a belated birthday card for my wife. A grocery list. The phone number for pizza delivery. And photos of a handful of unnamed relatives. All of these items are held in place by magnets shaped like fruit.

Patsy leads the group up the stairs, admonishing you not to trip over the shoes which the famous person left there. The unmade bed in the master bedroom is flanked by piles of magazines. The mate to the sock in the fireplace hangs limply over the closet door. In the corner stands an exercise bike. Shirts and ties hanging from its handle bars give mute testimony to how often it was ridden.

In the bathroom, a purple toothbrush rests on the edge of the sink. A towel lies in a heap on the scale next to the toilet. Once again you feel as though I might still be alive — that the strains of some John Denver song might come wafting from behind the shower curtain at any moment. You turn away, wishing not to invade my privacy.

Patsy leads the group downstairs and out into the back yard. There she points out a display which changes with the seasons. In summer, a snow shovel and a bag of rock salt rest against the side of the house. In winter, they are replaced with a rake and a garden hose. A barbecue grill stands there year-round, half-filled with soggy gray briquettes. A weed-eater leans against a tree. A frisbee lies on the garage floor. A gray plastic garbage can, its blue plastic lid long missing, lies on its side near the alley.

As Patsy leads you around the side of the house, she gives her concluding remarks. "People often tell me, here at the end of the tour, that they feel that they have come to know Warren Hanson in a whole new way — not merely as a famous dead person, but as a person who was as real, as down-to-earth, as lazy and as sloppy as a man could be. And, of course, that is how he gained his fame — and his nickname, the Ordinary Guy. Thank you for visiting with us today. As you leave, please stop by our souvenir and gift shop located next to the parking lot. Have a nice day."

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Performing Art

Patchwork Theatre's spring production of *Steel Magnolias* runs through April 5 at Murray Junior High auditorium, 2200 Buford Ave. Production dates are March 27, 28, 29 and April 3, 4 & 5. Show times are 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays and 2 p.m. on Sundays. Call 482-8861 between 4 & 8 p.m. to reserve general admission seats. Tickets are \$7.50 for

adults; \$6.50 for seniors and students and \$4.50 for seniors at Sunday matinees.

SteppingStone Theatre for Youth Development will offer four one-day, three-hour workshops at Murray Junior High, 2200 Buford, in April and May. All run Saturdays from 9 a.m.- noon. Topics are: April 4: "That Something Extra"; April 25: "A Play In A Day" and "Gitting Into The Biz" (parents welcome); May 9: "Musical Theatre Extravaganza."

These workshops are open to children ages 3-18. For more information call 225-9265 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Friday.

Punchinello Players presents *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen at North Hall Theatre at the University of Minnesota (behind the St. Paul Student Center). Performances will be April 24, 25, May 1, 2, 7, 8 & 9 at 8 p.m. Tickets (\$5; \$4 for students and seniors) may be purchased at the door or reserved by calling 624-7458.

Music

The Church of the Holy Childhood choir will present a concert on Sat., April 4, 8 p.m., at the Church of Saint Luke, 1079 Summit Ave. The special Lenten program will highlight sacred music for choir, harp, percussion and organ with

works by Beethoven, Rossini, Tchaikovsky, Fauré, Grandjany, Jenkins, McFarlane and Breville. The choirs are conducted by Bruce Larsen and accompanied by Robert Vickery, organist; Lorraine King, harpist; and Albert Eiden, percussionist. There is no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken, with a suggested donation of \$5.

University of Minnesota St. Paul Student Center presents the following free concerts at noon in the Terrace Cafe:

April 1: Jim Ouska, blues & jazz guitar.

April 2: Kim Bloom, classical guitar.

April 8: Rachel Kroog, vocals and acoustic guitar.

April 9: Glenn Helgeson, acoustic jazz and harp guitar.

April 15: Rittmiller-Marazzo, contemporary/classical keyboard.

April 16: Mary Anne O'Daugherty, vocals with guitar.

April 22: Jerry Rau, folk guitar.

April 23: John Veermarch, blues, bluegrass and country guitar.

April 29: Bill Conner Trio, jazz.

April 30: Joseph Baird, vocals and acoustic guitar.

The New Folk Collective and the **Performing Arts Committee** of the St. Paul Student Center will sponsor the following concerts:

Fri., April 3, 8 p.m., St. Paul Student Center Theater: Garnet Rogers. \$8 advance; \$9 at door.

Fri., April 10, 8 p.m., Student Center Theater: James Keelaghan. \$8 advance; \$9 at door.

Sun., April 12, 7:30 p.m., Northstar Ballroom: Ed Trickett, Ann Mayo Muir and Gordon Bok. \$9 advance; \$10 at the door.

The Student Center Theater and Northstar Ballroom are located at the U of M St. Paul

Campus Student Center, 2017 Buford Ave.

Advance tickets may be purchased with Mastercharge or VISA by calling the New Folk Collective, 379-3951, from 3-6 p.m. Or order by mail: The New Folk Collective, 1313 SE 5th St., Suite 302C, Minneapolis, MN 55414.

A free concert in memory of the late Gus Donhowe will be held Fri., April 10, at 8 p.m. at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 2136 Carter Ave. The parish choir, directed by Michael Compton, and a professional orchestra will perform Mozart's *Requiem*.

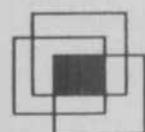
Music in the Park Series presents three concerts: Sat., April 11, 4 p.m., "The Story of Babar," (see p. 8). Sun., April 12, 4 p.m., "Classical Jazz: France Meets Minnesota," (see page 2). Sun., May 3, 7 p.m., Apple Hill Chamber Players, (see p. 11 for story).

Literature

The St. Anthony Park Writers' Workshop meets Tues., April 7, 7:30 p.m., at the library, 2245 Como Avenue. Call 645-1135.

Twin Cities women poets present an evening of poetry, stories and songs, "**Witnessing Our Lives**," on Thurs., April 9, 7:30 p.m., at the Minnesota Commons Room, U of M St. Paul Student Center. No charge.

The Faith and Fiction Book Club meets Sun., April 26, 7-8:30 p.m., to discuss *The Search for God at Harvard* by Ari Goldman. Newcomers are always welcome to the group, which meets in the upstairs fellowship hall at St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave.



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Visual Art

The **Northern Clay Center** will host an **exhibition of teapots** March 27-April 30. The exhibit has been curated by Michael Holohan, artistic director of Pro-Art, St. Louis, Mo. An opening reception is set for Fri., March 27, 5-9 p.m.

Gallery hours at the center, 2375 University Ave., are: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Classes and family activities at the Northern Clay Center: Fri., April 17, 1:30-4 p.m., **"Bird-houses and Garden Markers."** Artists will help participants design, construct and decorate a clay birdhouse or birdfeeder and create colorful markers for vegetable and flower gardens. Fee is \$15 per person; adult supervision required for children under 6. Register by Tues., April 14.

A workshop for kids and parents, **"Mother's Day Clay,"** Sun., April 26, 1:30-3:30 p.m. Make and decorate a clay present for mom. Gifts will be fired in time for Mother's Day. Fee: \$15 for 1, \$25 for 2, \$5 each for additional family members. Registration deadline is Tues., April 23.

"The Clay Environment," a class for children ages 6-9, meets for six Saturdays from 9:30-11:30 a.m. beginning April 11. Fee of \$45 includes materials and firings.

"The Big Wheel," for children 10-14 years, also begins April 11 and meets for eight Saturdays from 9:30-11:30 p.m. Fee of \$55 includes materials.

Adult clay classes on wheelthrowing and hand-building, for all skill levels, begin the week of March 30.

For more information on any Northern Clay Center activities, call 642-1735.

Raymond Avenue Gallery, 761 Raymond Ave., presents a **"Renewed Paper Exhibition,"** featuring 16 artists. Opening reception: Fri., April 3, 5-9 p.m. Regular hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

"Politics of Representation—Looking at Looking" is a multi-medium exhibit at the **Paul Whitney Larson Gallery,** U of M St. Paul Student Center. It reflects eight artists' consciousness and sensitivity toward issues of female representation in art and media. The exhibit will be on display from March 30-May 1, with an opening reception scheduled for Sun., April 5, 1:30-4 p.m.

There will also be a gallery talk on Tues., April 7 at noon: "I Object: Responsibility in Representation—a Male View," and a panel discussion on Thurs., April 23, 7 p.m., "Re-Presenting Women: A Dialogue About Looking." Gallery hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Wed., 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Sun., 1-5 p.m.

Call 625-0214 for information.

Spring art exhibits at **Luther Northwestern Theological Seminary:**

The current show, which runs until April 3, is an exhibit of art work by nine St. Olaf College art department faculty members. Also on view now in the Chapel of the Incarnation, Campus Center, is **"The Misereor 'Hunger Cloth'"** from Ethiopia. Ethiopian artist Alemayehu Bizuneh paints biblical scenes in a simple, almost naive style. A "hunger cloth" depicts Bible scenes in bright colors, emphasizing salvation for a needy society.

From April 6-15, **"Last Breath,"** a painting of the crucifixion by Eric Evenson of St. Cloud State University will hang in the Campus Center.

For the first time in the history of the seminary, nine paintings owned by the seminary will be on display together from April 6-30. The paintings by **Herbjorn Gausta,** considered the finest Norwegian immigrant artist of the 19th century, are of early church leaders.

Exhibits are in the board room of the Campus Center, Hendon and Fulham Avenues. Gallery hours are 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sun.-Thurs.; and 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Fri. & Sat.

An icon of American consumerism and a symbol of America's favorite pastime—the **shopping bag**—will be showcased at the **Goldstein Gallery** from April 5-June 28.

The exhibition begins with the story of Walter Deubener, the Minnesotan who made his fortune with the invention of the string-handled shopping bag (to which Mrs. Duebener applied pictures cut from magazines). The evolution of the shopping bag from simple conveyance to bearer of messages will be shown in more than 200 bags, representing department stores, specialty shops, manufacturers and museum shops. There will be a gallery section where bags feature the works of well-known artists: Picasso, Hockney, Gauguin, Warhol.

The exhibition will also include a look at the production of a single bag from start to finish, spotlighting the relationships between designer, client and public.

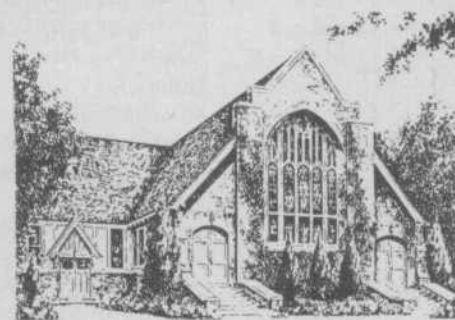
Commemorative bags will be distributed to exhibition visitors.

Dayton's department store is a major supporter of this exhibition.

An opening reception will be held from 2-4 p.m., Sun., April 5, at the gallery, 250 McNeal Hall, 1985 Buford Ave., on the St. Paul campus. Gallery hours are 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon.-Fri.; 8:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m., Thurs.; and 1:30-4:30 p.m., Sat. & Sun. Admission is free.

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Dinner will precede the program at the St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave. Cost is \$5 for SAPA members, \$6 for non-members and \$4 for children. Free babysitting will be available. To confirm or cancel reservations, call Linda at 770-8097.

April 7: Board meeting, Langford Park, 7 p.m.

April 14: Association meeting: 5:45 p.m. social hour;
6:30 p.m.; dinner; 7:15 p.m., program



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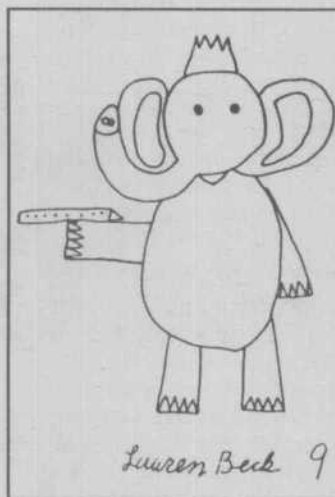
Attention families: Babar to visit Park on April 11

By Lynne Beck

Viola! Babar, the beloved King of the Elephants, will be appearing at St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth, on Sat., April 11, at 4 p.m. He and other characters from *L'Histoire de Babar* by Jean de Brunhoff will come alive through music, narration and puppetry in this year's final Music in the Park Family Concert. This concert combines the talents of the internationally-renowned

Clark-Schuldmann Duo with St. Paul Chamber Orchestra principal flutist Julia Bogorad, Twin Cities puppeteers Joan Mickelson and Wayne Krefting, and actress and St. Anthony Park resident Georgette Lobbé-Pfannkuch.

Bringing together these diverse artistic talents represents a real coup for Music in the Park artistic director Julie Himmelstrup. The collaborative effort begins with French composer Francis Poulenc's setting of



Babar for music and narration, which has been recorded by the Clark-Schuldmann Duo, the husband and wife team of cellist Harry Clark and pianist Sanda Schuldmann. Clark has rescored Poulenc's music to include the flute

part that will be played by Julia Bogorad, and narration in French will be provided by Georgette Lobbé-Pfannkuch. Puppeteers Wayne Krefting of the Woodland Puppets and Joan Mickelson of World Tree Puppet Theatre will use shadow puppets and a hand puppet of Babar to bring the action to life, showing Babar, Celeste, Old Lady, Artur and other familiar characters from the book against backdrops of the jungle and the city.

Lobbé-Pfannkuch will be using the original French language narration to reflect the close interaction between Poulenc's music and de Brunhoff's text. Poulenc and de Brunhoff were born less than a month apart in 1899, and Poulenc's music idiom is well-matched to

de Brunhoff's work; his composition reflects both simplicity and sophistication, providing an inspired match for de Brunhoff's whimsical stories. In keeping with the French-American theme, the balance of the concert features works by Saint-Saens and Minnesota composer Libby Larsen.

This concert is recommended for children aged 6-106. Tickets may be purchased in advance at The Bibelot Shop or Micawber's Bookstore. Advance prices are \$5/adult and \$3/child; at the door prices are \$6/adult, \$4/child (if available). Call 644-4234 for more information.

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District 10 Community Council

Issues of parking and bingo claim Como council's attention

By Linda Johnson

At the March 17 District 10 Community Council meeting Andrew McGlory, an architect, gave a presentation on the proposed \$80,000 alteration of the driveway at Como Elementary School. The plan involves cutting curbs back to accommodate buses and creating a new driveway for children's safety. Questions were raised about altering parking instead and saving the aesthetic appeal of the school entrance as well as \$80,000. As a result, further discussion was postponed to the April 21 meeting when the transportation department will come to discuss the proposal.

Parking problems along Midway Parkway were also discussed with special emphasis on parking problems around Shalom Home and Lyngblomsten Senior Center. Concerns were expressed over shortages of parking around these senior centers and maintaining safety while at the same time preserving the aesthetic appeal of the neighborhood. More discussion of these issues was postponed to the April 21 meeting.

Discussion of the proposed bingo hall at the former Midtown Racquetball Club on Como Ave. was tabled until Norbert Anderson, the building's owner, can come up

with a satisfactory parking proposal. As yet, Anderson does not have a parking lease, without which he cannot obtain a license for the bingo hall.

The District 10 Council approved Kim Weiss' request to grant Gabe's eight one-day extensions on its liquor license so that it can serve liquor in the parking lot during eight benefit concerts for Maplewood food banks. These concerts will take place on weekends, 4-10 p.m., and Gabe's promises to provide security and cleanup.

Paula Maccabee announced that the city council passed the Public Design Initiative, which sets up a committee to examine design of parks, streets, and buildings to reduce the crime rate. Standards will be set to reduce crime by making buildings, streets and parks visible and secure.

The council discussed possible sites for plastic recycling and several suggestions of possible commercial sites were made. Preference was also expressed to ban plastic recycling if no economic market could be found.

Community Organizer Keri Poeppé announced a crime prevention intern position that will utilize a nonpaid academic intern from the University of St. Thomas to work with the block club

organizer in door knocking, distributing fliers, writing reports and planning neighborhood events.

The Neighborhood Advisory Committee expressed continuing concern over discipline problems at the Hubert Humphrey Job Corps center. There have been staffing changes in an attempt to control discipline and alcohol/drug abuse.

The following events were announced: The St. Paul/Minneapolis Home Tour will take place May 2 & 3 and homes from Como are needed to participate. The Neighborhood Advisory Committee will hold a meeting Thurs., April 9, 7 p.m. in the HHH Job Corps auditorium. The Environmental Committee will meet Wed., April 1, 7 p.m., at Lyngblomsten.

As part of the council's decision to make meetings more to make meetings more accessible to all in the district, the March 17 council meeting was held at Bethel Lutheran Church on Wheelock Parkway. As part of this plan to give more people a chance to participate, some future meetings will be held in different parts of the district. The April 21 meeting, however, will take place in the usual place, Lyngblomsten Senior Center.

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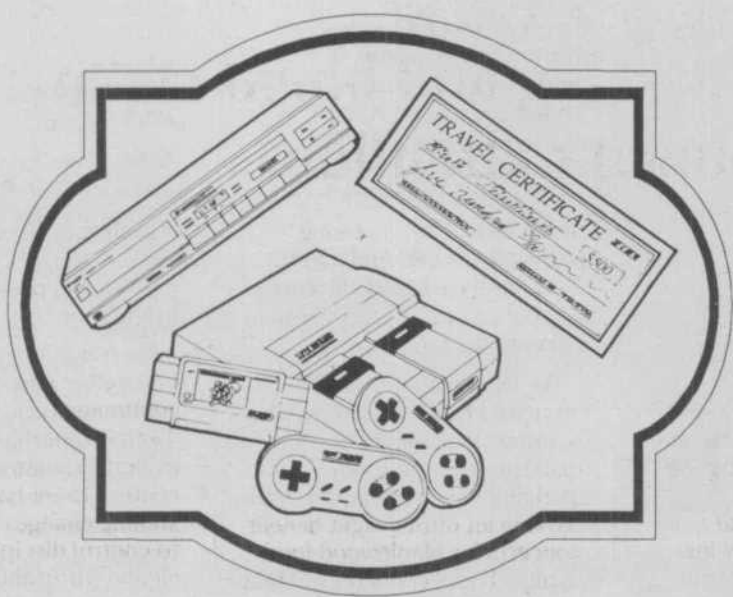
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MPCA asks Archer Daniels Midland to remove barrels

On Feb. 27, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) formally asked Archer Daniels Midland to remove hundreds of drums from the company's former property in the Hwy. 280 and University Ave. area to prevent further releases of hazardous substances to the environment. ADM must respond to the request or the MPCA will begin cleanup activities using state Superfund money, the agency said.

The MPCA issued the cleanup request after reviewing data from a January, 1992, investigation of the drum area. The investigation report showed that some of the drums contain volatile organic compounds (VOCs or solvents) and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs). The hazardous wastes have not affected drinking water supplies in Minneapolis or

St. Paul and the area in which the drums were found has been fenced to prevent public access.

Aerial photographs provided with the investigation report show drums—possibly as many as 3,000—stacked on the ADM property at 5th St. S.E., between Malcolm and Westgate Drive, at the time the company owned and operated a chemical laboratory, a linseed oil extraction plant and a pilot plant used to develop new paints and resins.

In addition, laboratory wastes and a stencil found in an excavated drum demonstrate that ADM disposed of the barrels and waste fill, said MPCA staff.

The MPCA staff also placed the ADM drum site on the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's inventory of known or

suspected hazardous waste sites and will score the site for addition to the state Superfund list. The request to ADM included an outline of the cleanup activities requested and a timeline for cleanup of the drums.

The current property owner discovered the drums in late June, 1991, informed MPCA, and conducted the preliminary investigation in cooperation with the agency. MPCA released a fact sheet about several environmental problems in the Hwy. 280 and University industrial corridor, including the ADM drums, in January, followed by a public meeting attended by approximately 250 residents and public officials.

Hwy. 280 from 1

What irked these business people the most, however, was that they say they were not consulted about potential problems last year, when MnDOT was beginning construction plans.

The Port Authority was also singled out as a villain. Tenants said the Port Authority should have warned them about the pending rebuilding of Hwy. 280 when they were being recruited to locate in Westgate.

Detours proposed by MnDOT during the construction route vehicles onto Larpenteur east to Snelling, south to University, then west on University. This means several extra miles for truckers and others through the busy Snelling and University interchange, already the most polluted intersection in the state.

To solve this problem and the access problem, the MCCA board of directors wants the Territorial/University interchange to remain open during construction. This request was put to MnDOT Commissioner James Denn in a letter from the MCCA board dated March 12. "In addition to maintaining an interchange

serving University and Territorial," the letter states, "the following items along the detour routes also need attention: 1) signage must be installed to show area routes to various business districts, such as Westgate and Hidden Valley Road; 2) MnDOT needs to coordinate with the City of St. Paul Public Works regarding traffic control lights at Como and Eustis and traffic control at Snelling and Energy Park Drive."

MCCA also suggests that the project could be speeded up by having crews work longer days—6 a.m.—8 p.m.

MnDOT project engineer Mike Leegard says keeping the Territorial Rd./University ramp open during construction would be too dangerous. He submits there isn't enough room for both bridge construction and safe passage of vehicles on an exit/entrance ramp.

Leegard also stresses that the project is being undertaken strictly for maintenance. There will be no design changes for any of the exits.

Councilmember Paula Maccabee is one of those working with MCCA, MnDOT and the city to try to come up with a compromise solution to accommodate the businesses. She says she wants to speed up the process for getting a stop light installed at Como and Eustis as a partial solution for traffic jams expected at that intersection next to Group Health.

If solutions acceptable to the businesses are not forthcoming, MCCA officials say they will contact the University of Minnesota to try to get access to the new busway for the summer.

Bridget Faricy, executive director of the St. Anthony Park Merchants and Professionals Association, says she made telephone calls to state legislators Alice Hausman and John Marty, asking for their help to accommodate the businesses.

The \$6.5 million Hwy. 280 improvement project will be carried out in two parts over the next two years. This year the southbound lanes will be rebuilt. In addition to grading and new concrete pavement, bridges at Robbins St., Kasota Ave. and Como Ave. will be rebuilt. New lighting and median barriers also will be installed.

During construction, traffic will be reduced to a single lane in each direction on the northbound roadway between Como Ave. and University Ave. Reconstruction of the southbound lanes will be completed by Aug. 15.

After the State Fair is over in September, 500 feet of Kasota Avenue underneath Hwy. 280 will be rebuilt. During this three-week project, no through traffic will be allowed on Kasota.

Next year, the northbound lanes and bridges of Hwy. 280 will be rebuilt.

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St. Paul Mayor Jim Scheibel read to kindergartners in Mrs. Delmore's class at St. Anthony Park Elementary School on March 20. Scheibel says he visits St. Paul schools regularly.

Apple Hill Chamber Players coming May 3

By Anne Turek

Mark your calendars for a special treat on Sun., May 3, at 7 p.m., when the Music in the Park Series concludes its season with a performance by the Apple Hill Chamber Players. The concert features some of the best-loved works for chamber ensemble, such as the Schubert "Trout" quintet, plus the regional premiere of a new piece by American composer Jon Deak.

The Apple Hill Chamber Players, one of America's foremost chamber ensembles, includes Mowry Pearson, violin; Betty Hauck, viola; Paul Cohen, cello; Richard Hartshorne, double bass; Robert Merfeld, piano and Eric Stumacher, piano. They are also founding artists-in-residence at the Apple Hill Center for Chamber Music in East Sullivan, New Hampshire, and form the core faculty for the internationally-celebrated Apple Hill Summer Festival held in New Hampshire.

The collaboration between the Apple Hill Players and composer-in-residence Jon Deak has resulted in "Eeyore Has A Birthday," a piece based on the sad little donkey named Eeyore from Winnie-the-Pooh

by A.A. Milne. The piece poses a challenge to the performers, who are called upon to move from one place to another on stage during its performance.

In addition to Deak's piece, the Apple Hill Players will present Gabriel Fauré's *Piano Quartet in C Minor*, composed in 1879, and Schubert's *Quintet in A Major*, the beloved "Trout."

The concert will be held at St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave. Tickets are available at The Bibelot Shop or Micawber's Bookstore for \$9. They may also be purchased at the door for \$10. Student tickets are available for \$5. More information can be obtained by called 644-4234.

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Neighborhood Press holds conference

"The First Amendment: The Challenges Ahead" is the theme of the 13th Neighborhood Press Association (NPA) Annual Conference to be held Sat., April 4, at Pillsbury House, 3501 Chicago Ave. S., Minneapolis. Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. for the all-day event. The *Bugle* is an active member of the Neighborhood Press Association.

Keynote speaker for this year's conference is Minnesota News Council Director Gary Gilson. Gilson began his journalism career as a *Minneapolis Star* reporter in 1961. He moved to New York and television work in 1964. During his career in television in New York and Los Angeles, Gilson won five Emmy awards.

He will speak to conference attendees on press freedoms and responsibilities, as well as what lies ahead for the First Amendment and the news media. He will also share information about the Minnesota News Council and its efforts to promote understanding between

the news media and the public.

The Minnesota News Council is a nonprofit agency formed 21 years ago to resolve disputes between the public and the news media. It is the only one of its kind in the United States. The council holds open deliberations and issues findings that carry no legal weight, but are intended to exert a moral force for fairness.

News writing, advertising and page design workshops and workshops for volunteer board members are also part of this year's NPA conference. One featured workshop presenter is Len Witt, editor of *Minnesota Monthly* magazine. Witt, who recently wrote "The Complete Book of Feature Writing" for Writers Digest Press, will have copies of his new book available for purchase, at \$19.95.

Conference attendees will also enjoy the 1991 NPA Better Newspapers Contest, held to honor the best neighborhood and community

press efforts of the past year. The *Bugle* has entries in several contest categories, including "Best News Story," "Best Feature Story," "Best Photo," "Best Editorial," "Best Continuing Design," and several others.

Those interested in attending the conference may call the *Bugle*, 646-5369, or conference coordinator Nancy Weiss at 722-4141 for details.

Those interested in learning more about the Neighborhood Press Association, an alliance of Minneapolis and St. Paul neighborhood and community newspapers, may call the *Bugle* or NPA President Kathy Vadnais, 224-0845.

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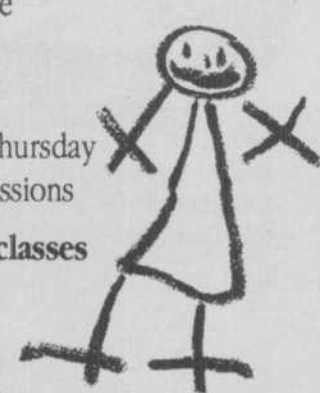
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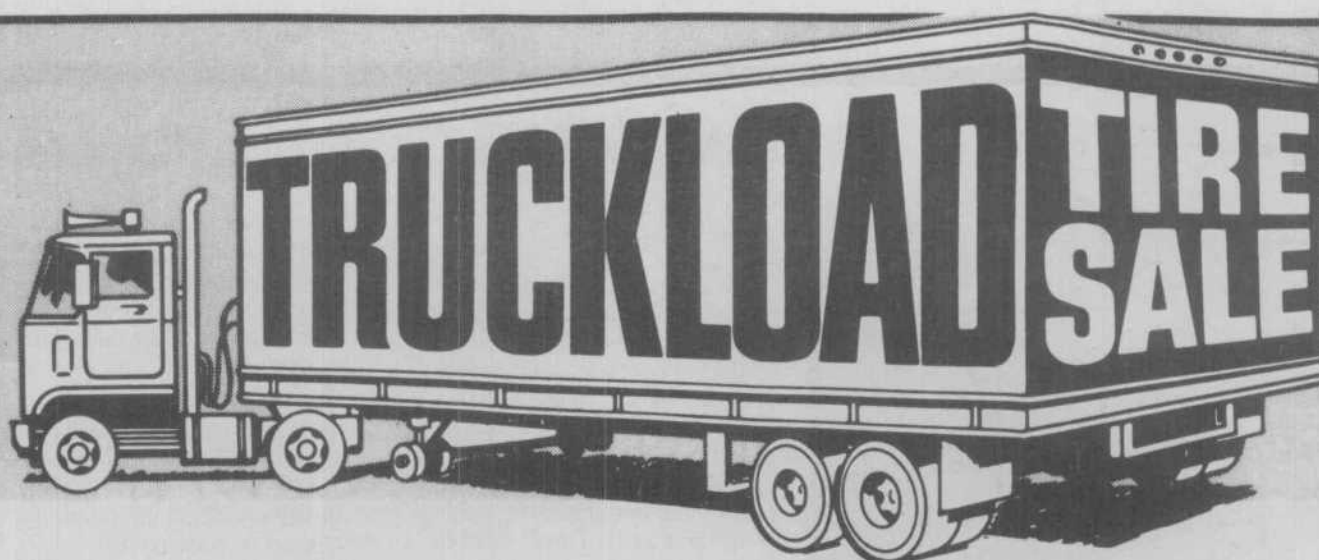
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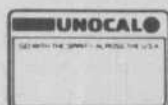
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FALCON HEIGHTS

Presidential primary, Tuesday, April 7

Falcon Heights residents can express their preference for Democratic or Republican presidential candidates at the primary election on Tues., April 7. Polls are open 7 a.m. - 8 p.m. Voters must designate a political party before voting.

Those living in Precinct 1 (west of Snelling) vote at City Hall, 2077 W. Larpenstr., while those in Precinct 2 (east of Snelling) vote at Falcon Heights United Church of Christ, Holmes and Garden.

Unregistered voters can register at the polling place with a driver's license or with a registered voter from the precinct to verify address.

Absentee ballots are available at city hall, weekdays from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.; Sat., April 6, from 1-5 p.m.; and Mon., April 8, from 9-11 a.m.

Volunteer recognized

Arl Association for Lutharians (AAL) has recognized Marcella Voss for her volunteer efforts on behalf of AAL Branch 757, St. Paul. She received a letter of thanks and a monetary award, which will be given to a needy cause selected by Voss.

Driver refresher

35-hour driver refresher courses will be offered at Falcon Heights City Hall, 2077 W. Larpenstr., on April 1 & 2, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., and April 14 & 15, 9-10 p.m. These classes are sponsored by the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP). Cost is \$8 per person. A class size is limited and registration is required. To register, or for more information, call Marge at 644-8294 on Tuesday mornings only between 9:30-11:30 a.m.

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The minimum award is \$1,000. Applicants must have completed at least one year of college or vocational training. Preferential consideration will be given to applicants in mass communication, journalism, television production or a similar course of study.

Applications are due by 4 p.m., April 22. Call the North Suburban Cable Commission, 482-1261, for more information.

LAUDERDALE

Presidential primary Tuesday, April 7

Local voters can express their preference for Democratic or Republican presidential candidates at the primary election on Tues., April 7. Polls are open 7 a.m. - 8 p.m. Voters must designate a political party before voting.

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Donors benefit from being able to clean out their closets, obtain tax deductions and assist their communities in their recycling efforts.

Goodwill/Easter Seal no longer repairs donated items.

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Planned "tornado" coming to Lauderdale

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St. Anthony Park residents vote at St. Anthony Park Elementary School, 2180 Knapp or Luther Northwestern Theological Seminary Student Center, Fulham at Hendon.

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with a driver's license or with a registered voter from the precinct to verify address.

To verify your precinct, call the Ramsey County Election Bureau, 298-4181.

Home Tour selections

Two homes in St. Anthony Park are among 20 in St. Paul scheduled to participate in the Minneapolis-St. Paul Home Tour May 2 & 3. They are the homes of the Robert and Roberta Megard, 1439 Hythe St., and Mark and Elizabeth VanderSchaaf, 2185 Carter Ave.

All 20 homes, plus 40 in Minneapolis, will be on display from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat., May 2, and noon-5 p.m., Sun., May 3. The self-guided tour is free. A guide including a map and descriptions of homes will be published as an insert in the *Star Tribune*.

The Home Tour is organized by the cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul in cooperation with local financial institutions, real estate agencies, contractors and

other businesses. For more information call Beth Olson, St. Paul Department of Planning and Economic Development, 228-3386.

Volunteers are needed to staff the homes during the tour. Call 292-7884.

Granovsky a top swimmer

Paul Granovsky, a senior at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks, was a top point scorer at the recent North Central Conference swimming championship meet. He won the 200-yard individual medley, placed third in the 400-yard individual medley and 200-yard freestyle events, placed fourth in the 200-yard butterfly, and swam on the winning 400- and 800-yard freestyle relay teams.

Holtzclaw chosen

Catherine Holtzclaw of Bane, Holtzclaw, Palm and Company, has been chosen to serve on a national panel of CPAs which will make recommendations to the I.R.S. on designing more user-friendly tax forms.

Help smokers quit

The American Cancer Society is looking for volunteers to be trained to conduct a group smoking cessation program. Responsibilities include attending a training session on Thurs., April 23, 6-9 p.m. and conducting two FreshStart programs per year (four one-hour sessions).

Training and materials are provided free of charge. To register for the April 23 session at 2265 Como Ave. (ParkBank building), call Kris at 925-2772. Registration deadline is April 21.

Festival of Nations

Area residents Martha Lindgren and Alis Olsen are among 256 volunteer chairpersons for the Festival of Nations' 60th anniversary May 1, 2 & 3 at the St. Paul Civic Center.

They represent 85 ethnic groups with a grand total of 9,000 volunteers who present Minnesota's largest multi-cultural event under the sponsorship of the International Institute of Minnesota. Food, music, folk dancing, cultural exhibits, folk art demonstrations and an international bazaar are all part of the experience.

Advance sale tickets at \$5 for adults, \$4 for youth 5-16, are available through April 30 at the International Institute, 1694 Como Ave., all Byerly's stores and from participating ethnic groups.

Emerson gets gardening award

Diane Emerson, past-president of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society, received the American Community Gardening Association Award for outstanding contribution to Minnesota Green.

She is a member of the steering committee that helped form Minnesota Green and later helped it develop into the only statewide community greening program in the nation.

Minnesota Green helps groups create and sustain community gardens by providing technical assistance, publications and video/slide resources, plants and garden supplies. Interested groups are encouraged to call the Minnesota State Horticultural Society at 624-7752.

Two on dean's list

Eliza Herman, daughter of Carolyn and Robert Herman, has been named to the dean's list of Macalester College for academic achievement during the fall semester. Students must achieve a grade point average of 3.70 or higher to qualify for this honor.

Bonnie Moore, daughter of Enid and Russell Griffin, was named to the fall semester dean's list in the College of Liberal Arts at Hamline University. Members of Hamline's dean's list are full-time students who achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Strike up the band

The St. Anthony Park Community Band has set its first rehearsal of the season for Tues., April 7, 7:15 p.m., at Como Park High School band room. The school is located at 740 W. Rose St.

This will be the 11th year the band has played a series of summer concerts in and around St. Anthony Park. Last summer's locations included Como Park, the State Fair, Langford Park and several retirement centers. A concert is planned for this summer in Roseville's Central Park.

The band has been directed since its beginning by Paul Husby. It is made up of about 25 musicians. Anyone who likes to play and has an instrument is welcome to join. Call Paul Husby at 642-1559. Those who play cornet or other brass instruments will be especially welcome.

College graduate

Nariko Koto of St. Anthony Park has earned a master's degree of international management from the University of St. Thomas, St. Paul.

Local remodeler certified

Mel Salmi of Transformed Tree, Inc., was approved by the National Association of the Remodeling Industry as a certified remodeler. Certification means that Salmi has satisfied all requirements of the board, including a minimum of five years' service to the home improvement industry, documentation and demonstration of outstanding competence

in all areas of remodeling, and adherence to the association's code of ethics.

Stockenström selected

Tone Stockenström is one of 77 Americans chosen to work as a U.S. Pavilion guide at the 1992 universal exposition in Seville, Spain. The guides, chosen from 400 candidates, are bilingual in English and Spanish. They begin training in Seville April 1. The six-month exposition opens April 20 and closes Oct. 12. The U.S. Pavilion will feature the diversity of American life and culture through a continuing series of cultural events including entertainment, sports, visual displays, food and music. The U.S. is one of 111 nations participating in Expo '92.

Veterinary open house

The University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine welcomes the public to its annual open house on Sun., April 5, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. The open house will be held in the Animal Science/Veterinary Medicine building and in the Veterinary Teaching Hospitals on St. Paul Campus.

There will be activities for all ages throughout the day, including a petting zoo, booths set up by outside organizations, and movies and seminars about animal care. Tours will be conducted throughout the college, including the Large Animal Hospital and the Lewis Hospital for Companion Animals. Veterinary students will demonstrate their subjects and college faculty and staff will provide information about college admission.

Maps and the day's schedule of events will be available at the open house. For more information, call 624-4747.

Fencers finish well

Three local fencers from the Twin Cities Fencing Center accomplished high finishes at the 1992 Junior Olympic Championship fencing competition in Kansas City. Tijn Van Der Wege earned 7th place in the under 11 men's foil, Kees Van Der Wage finished 9th in the under 13 men's foil, and Aaron Olson finished 11th in the under 15 men's epee.

French classes start

The French Alliance of the Twin Cities will host a ten-week session of French classes for adults, beginning the week of March 30. Classes are held once a week for ten weeks, or twice a week for five weeks at the Alliance Française, 821 Raymond Ave., and are scheduled for day and evening hours. There are also classes on Saturdays. Saturday classes for children ages 5-12 are held from 9 a.m.-noon. Call 644-5769.

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Preschool storytime

Storytimes for two-year-olds and their parents will continue at the St. Anthony Park Branch Library, 2245 Como Avenue, on Friday mornings at 10:30 on March 27, April 3 & 10.

Storytime for children ages 3-5 will be held Friday mornings at 10:30 starting April 24-May 15.

Register for either of these storytimes at the library, or call 292-6635.

Seminary offers free lectures

Luther Northwestern Seminary will offer three lectures open to the public in April. "Preaching as Remembrance," will be given on Tues., April 7, 10 a.m.; and "Preaching as Exaggeration" on Wed., April 8, 10:40 a.m. Both lectures by Fred Craddock of the School of Theology at Emory University are presented as the 1992 Aus Memorial Lectures.

A world-renowned theologian from the University of Munich is the second lecturer. Wolfhart Pannenberg's presentation, "Christian Self-Understanding in the World of Religions," is April 28 at 4 p.m.

All three free lectures will be held in the Campus Center at the corner of Hendon and Fulham. Call 641-3451.

Langford Park news

Summer sports registration will take place April 6-10. Summer sports include t-ball (grades K-2), baseball (grades 2-3), baseball and softball (grades 3-8). Registrations will be taken at Langford Park from 3-9 p.m., Mon.-Thurs., and 3-6 p.m. on Friday.

Registration for spring classes in tumbling (ages 3-5), tennis instruction (grades 1-7) and baseball/softball instruction (grades 3-8), will be April 6-15. Classes will begin the week of April 20.

St. Paul Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a citywide wrestling tournament for grades 2-8. All youth are invited to participate on Tues., April 14, at Como Park High School. Registration begins at 9:15 a.m. and all wrestlers are guaranteed three matches.

For more information, call Mike at Langford.

All are invited to visit the Minneapolis Planetarium to see "On A Clear Night," Wed., April 15. Cost of \$2 includes ticket and transportation. Bus will leave about 6 p.m. and return about 9 p.m. Space is limited; sign up early.

Thurs., April 16 is the date for Langford's annual spring egg hunt. The free program begins at 4 p.m. for youth grades 6 and under.

Langford Park's spring cleanup day will be held on Sat., April 18, 10 a.m. Here's a chance to help clean and beautify the park just in time for summer. All participants are encouraged to bring a rake or broom.

Langford will sponsor two family trips to the Metrodome to watch the Minnesota Twins: Mon., April 27, vs. Baltimore Orioles and Tues., May 12, vs. Boston Red Sox. Cost for either game is \$4 and includes ticket and transportation. Bus pickup will be at 6:15 p.m. Gametime is 7:05. Space on these trips is limited, so register early by calling 298-5765.

All ages are invited to an evening at the Science Museum and Omnitheatre on Thurs., April 30. The Omnitheatre show starts at 7 p.m. and tour of the museum at 7:45. Cost of \$2 includes ticket and transportation. Bus will leave at 6:15 p.m. and return at approximately 9 p.m. Space is limited; register by Mon., April 27.

Questions about these or any programs at Langford Park will be answered by Lori, Mike or Nick, 298-5765.

Summer gymnastics

St. Anthony Park Gymnastics Club (SAPGC) will offer U.S.G.F. gymnastics instruction for boys and girls from age 4 through high school during a six-week program this summer at St. Anthony Park Elementary School. Classes will meet Monday-Thursday mornings from June 15-July 23.

SAPGC is a non-profit, parent run, community education-sponsored organization offering high quality gymnastics instruction, small classes and an affordable tuition. For registration information, call Lynda Ockuly at 699-0600.

Linnea fundraiser

The Linnea Home Auxiliary will host a spring luncheon fundraiser for the Twin City Linnea Home on Sat., April 25 at noon. The luncheon will be held at Elim Baptist Church, 685-13th Ave. N.E., Minneapolis. Special entertainment will be presented by Swedish singer Gunnar Melin and pianist Audrey Landquist. Cost for adults is \$5; children 12 and under \$3. For information or tickets, call Paula or Mary Lou at 646-2544.

The Twin City Linnea Home is located at 2040 Como Ave.

Community ed news

Congratulations to Mark Seeley on his nomination as the 1991 St. Anthony/Merriam Park Community Education honored volunteer. Mark will be honored at the Parks & Recreation volunteer appreciation banquet at Landmark Center on April 7.

Mark has volunteered countless hours to the community resource program by teaching students at St. Anthony Park Elementary School about weather and geography.

The next St. Anthony/Merriam Park Community Education Advisory Council meeting will be Mon., April 6, 7 p.m., at St. Anthony Park Elementary School.

Registration dates for spring/summer session are March 30-April 10. Refer to the community education brochure for specific registration procedures.

Mama D philosophizes

Famous restaurateur Mama D will share her insights on how to participate in the banquet of life at a talk on Thurs., April 2, 9:30-10:30 a.m., at Har Mar General Cinema Theater, 2100 N. Snelling. Her remarks are titled: "Love is the Main Ingredient for any Menu... Especially for Life." There is no cost to attend, but registration is required. Call 633-3997 by Tues., March 31.

Mama D's presentation is part of a series of Har Mar Chalk Talks, a monthly health and wellness education program for seniors.

4-H'ers share the fun

The Northern Lights 4-H club has been rehearsing its skit for the annual county Share the Fun contest. This year's performance is called "What's the Difference?" and stresses that different doesn't mean better or worse. Accepting differences has been a focus of the club's global awareness program this year.

Individuals or groups interested in inviting the Northern Lights 4-H club to perform the skit at a meeting or event may call Barbara Burk at 645-2928. The six-minute skit is performed by nineteen 4-H'ers, ages 7-14.

The Ramsey County Share the Fun contest will be held Sat., April 4, 9 a.m.-noon, at Lakewood Community College Theater (just north of I-694 on Century Ave.). The public is welcome to attend. All participating

clubs receive individual awards. The top prize winners are given the opportunity to perform their musical or dramatic skit at county fair or state fair.

Judy Larson in Swedish-American vaudeville

Judy Larson, St. Anthony Park native, is part of the cast in "Olle From Laughtersville" currently being staged at the Great American History Theatre, 30 E. 10th St., in St. Paul. The play, by Lance S. Belville, is described as "a vaudeville of herring, meatballs and a sailor's orchestra." Call 292-4323 for ticket information.



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Everett Court update

St. Paul Planning Commission members have now recommended that the residential block of Everett Court (near Energy Park Drive) be zoned multiple-unit residential. This change from industrial zoning has been urged for years by the street's residents.

However, against residents' wishes, the commission wants to keep the lots owned by the Brissman Kennedy

Company, a janitorial supply firm, zoned industrial.

This is viewed as somewhat of a compromise, since homeowners wanted the entire area zoned residential, in order to protect themselves from business expansion or encroachment, while Brissman Kennedy wanted the entire area zoned industrial.

This issue is one part of the Small Area Plan recommendations that will probably come before the city council in April, or early May.

Grant recipients

Three area arts organizations have received monetary grants from the City of St. Paul Arts and Economic Development Fund. *Artpaper*, a St. Anthony Park-based journal of arts and cultural activism, received \$13,500; St. Paul Central High School's Touring Theatre received \$1,000; while SteppingStone Theatre for Youth Development was awarded \$9,000. They are among ten St. Paul arts organizations to receive the grants, totaling \$74,900. The program is administered by the Department of Planning & Economic Development.

Broussard performs

Gretchen Broussard is currently appearing in the Children's Theatre Company's production of Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer play, *Our Town*. The production, which runs through May 15, features Gretchen in a variety of roles, including a towns-person and an assistant stage manager.

Our Town is Gretchen's 6th CTC production. She has appeared in *Merry Christmas*, *Strega Nona*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *The Hobbit*, *Tomie dePaola's Mother Goose* and *Harriet the Spy*. She has also appeared in productions with Minnesota Dance Theatre and Northwest Ballet.

Gretchen is the daughter of Philip and Susan Broussard of St. Anthony Park. She is a 10th grader at Central High School.

Citizen participation conference here

"Building Citizen Government Initiatives," a national conference on citizen participation sponsored by the Lincoln Filene Center of Tufts University, is being held in St. Paul from April 24-26. St. Paul is considered one of the best models in the country for citizen participation.

Jerry Jenkins, former St. Paul citizen participation coordinator and former St. Anthony Park Community Council organizer, is a workshop leader for the event. Among other St. Paul participants are Mayor Jim Scheibel and former-Mayor George Latimer.

Participants will tour six St. Paul neighborhoods, including St. Anthony Park, during the afternoon of April 24.

Ag alums celebrate birthday

The St. Paul Campus School of Agriculture's Alumni Association will celebrate its 102nd birthday on Saturday, April 25. The day's activities begin at 9 a.m. and end with an evening banquet at the St. Paul Student Center.

Dr. Keith McFarland, former dean of the College of Home Economics, will be the principal speaker at the banquet. He will compare campus life in the early 1900s with that of today's students.

Don Harvey, class of 1917, is one of the area graduates being honored. He will be celebrating the 75th anniversary of his graduation.

The School of Agriculture was organized in 1888, just a year after St. Anthony Park was annexed to the city of St. Paul. The school was merged into the College of Agriculture in 1960.

Many of St. Anthony Park's leaders also held key positions in the School of Agriculture. J.O. Christianson, who lived on Grantham St., was principal from 1929-1960. Andrew Boss, Hall White, Dexter Mayne and James Drew were among others on the school faculty.

The event is open to all former students, but reservations must be made before April 15. Contact Eileen Mile, 2183 Roselawn Ave., St. Paul 55113. Her phone number is 631-1685.

Cultural study finished

A study initiated last year by the St. Anthony Park Community Council for the purpose of stimulating the growth of arts in the Park has been completed and the results published. The project was funded by the St. Paul Foundation.

Nicole Emanuel from Artspace Projects, Inc. conducted the study, which consists of recommendations based on a survey of approximately 1,200 residents and businesses in St. Anthony Park. Organizing joint activities, sharing resources and long range planning to develop a local cultural center are common themes that run through the recommendations.

Of all the goals determined, the one that garners the most attention is the prospect of forming a "cultural association" out of current area arts organizations, such as the St. Anthony Park Arts Forum. The published results of the study advocate a cultural association as a body that would "offer leadership within the cultural community and resources to the neighborhood."

An important part of an association would be a place that would "provide affordable space for cultural uses, such as forums, meeting, performances, exhibitions, artists studio/living space, offices and a cafe."

The St. Anthony Park Community Council accepted the report at its March meeting and plans to follow up on the recommendations with area arts organizations.

South St. Anthony Rec Center

South St. Anthony Park area youth, grades 6 and younger, are invited to attend the St. Anthony Park egg hunt on Thurs., April 16, 4 p.m., at Langford Recreation Center. For information call 298-5765.

South St. Anthony Park Rec Center gym nights are Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Parents and children may use the equipment and play together in the gym those evenings.

The next meeting of the South St. Anthony Booster Club will be Mon., May 4, 7 p.m., at the rec center. At this meeting plans for the upcoming ice cream social and open house (Thurs., May 14) will be finalized.

Como Wheelers Bicycle Racing Club will host a two-session seminar on Tues., April 14 and 21, 4-5 p.m., at the rec center. Learn about bicycle racing and where races are.

Interested in baseball cards? How about a baseball card trading club? Area youth, adults too, can come to the center on Thursdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m. The club meets weekly.

An ice cream social and open house will be held at South St. Anthony Rec Center on Thurs., May 14, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Area residents of all ages will enjoy this opportunity to socialize and learn about the center, booster club and new equipment.

For more information, call Steve, Mon.-Thurs., 4-8 p.m., 298-5770.

Library compiling memory book

Do you remember the first time you visited the St. Anthony Park Branch Library?

Record your memories on the forms at the library circulation desk, designed to collect personal stories about the library. The goal is to compile a memory book in commemoration of the building's 75th anniversary.

"We hope that someone in the community remembers the first years of the library, and we will recognize the person with the oldest library card," said librarian Marti Lybeck. "But we should emphasize that we are also encouraging stories and drawings from our most youthful library users. We hope the result is a scrapbook that reflects the diversity of our library patrons."

The building, one of the last of the Carnegie libraries, opened July 28, 1917, and the library association plans a variety of events during the anniversary week, July 25-August 1. For more information, phone the library at 292-6635.

A forum on young people's issues

A community forum on issues facing children and youth will be held on Tues., March 31, 7 p.m., at St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 2200 Hillside Ave. Discussion will be led by Donald Ausemus, principal at Jefferson Alternatives School and Nancy Nielsen, principal at Murray Junior High. Child care will be provided. Call 646-4859 for information.

Memorial concert

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 2136 Carter Ave., will hold a special concert on Fri., April 10, at 8 p.m. in memory of the late Gus Donhowe. Mozart's Requiem will be performed by the parish choir, directed by Michael Compton, and a professional orchestra. Admission is free.

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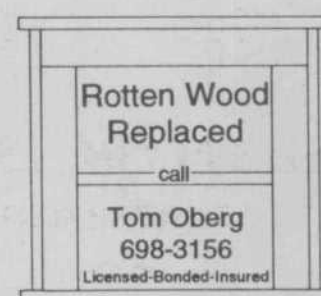


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is to go without medicine and care. "It's time these voices were heard," she said.

Yonan, fluent in Ukrainian, had trouble at first getting a visa that would allow her to complete the journey she envisioned. Through the intervention of artists and musicians, along with the citizens of Kiev, she was finally allowed to visit all the territories in the Ukraine.

The authorities were not privy to Yonan's plans for extensive documentation. She flew into Germany to avoid the then-Soviet customs officers and was able to sneak 10 suitcases of film and video into the country with the help of other cyclists, German relief workers, families visiting relatives, musicians and reporters.

She used similar tactics to get her documentation out of the country; 100 tapes are still outstanding.

The message Yonan brought out from the Ukrainian children



Photo by Truman Olson
Oksana Yonan reviews some of the documentation from her visits to young Chernobyl victims in the Ukraine.

to U.S. children was simple and stunningly widespread, she said.

"They didn't ask for anything," she said. "They said, 'We hope

you will never be sick like us. We hope this will never happen to you.'"

The effects of the radiation were more complicated than

just causing leukemia, Yonan said. The children made this point clear.

She said the children told her of their peers becoming alcoholics at the age of 7, 8 or 9. The government told their parents that alcohol would flush out the radiation, so to save their children, parents pushed vodka on them, Yonan discovered.

Not only were the effects of alcoholism to be seen, children were also being killed by drunk drivers, she said.

The normalcy is taken from their lives, she explained. They cannot pick apples, wear sandals or sit on the grass. At one point Yonan said she saw some boys fishing in a pond and her radiation meter read that the water was not safe. When she told the boys, they responded, "What are we supposed to do?"

Yonan said she wants to bring awareness of the dangers of nuclear sites. She said the Twin Cities area is not safe because of the Monticello and Prairie Island plants.

"No one expects an accident to happen," she said, "but do we

know what an accident means?" The people of Chernobyl could not take anything with them when they had to leave, she said. Everything was contaminated.

Yonan still suffers the effects of exposure to radiation on her trip.

She will return to the area with a group of ten journalists, relief workers and doctors for ten days in mid-April. Because of her documentation of 250 hospitals, the team will be able to bring crucial medical supplies.

Doctors are also in demand in the area and Yonan said she hopes to recruit retired doctors to volunteer for a month or two. Because of slowed cell growth in people over 60 years old, the effects of radiation would be less than for the growing children.

Yonan also wants to involve the young in her efforts through an event called "Walking Heart to Heart," scheduled for May 9 at Lake Harriet Band Shell.

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Turning down offers to do shows in nightclubs and theaters, he chose to perform mainly in churches and schools. He booked his own shows by sending fliers to school principals all over the country and scheduling performances in churches near the schools he visited. His travels took him to every state in the union as well as

Mexico, Canada and Great Britain. After years of this demanding schedule, he decided to travel only in the summers and to stay in the Minnesota area during the school year.

However, as school budgets were cut, schools had less and less money to spend on assemblies, making it more difficult to get bookings. In March of 1990 Marigold Foods, Inc., which makes Kemp's

products, signed a contract to sponsor Etienne's performances, which has been renewed each year since. As a result of Kemp's sponsorship, schools do not have to pay for Etienne's show, and bookings have zoomed. For this school year, he sent out mailings to principals in Minnesota and Wisconsin. "Within a week I had scheduled the whole [school] year," says Etienne. "And I turned down as many

offers as I accepted—almost 200."

Kemp's sponsorship is linked to its new product, Yogurt Jr.'s. Although he does not advertise the product, Etienne does stress nutrition in his shows, and Kemp provides tokens such as bookmarks for the students in the schools he visits. "Kemp's has been very accommodating," says Etienne, "and I believe in their product."

His school performances

cover one of four topics: "Patriotism: What it Means to be an American," "Safety Counts," "Be Healthy—Stay Healthy" (new since the first of the year), and his most popular, "Respect and Obedience," which he is updating under the title, "Self-Esteem." He tries to put fresh material in the shows to suit the changing times. "It's a full-time job updating the shows. I have to learn as much from the audience as I'm teaching them."

Credentialed as a minister with the Assemblies of God church since 1963, Etienne spends his summers as a "traveling minister," appearing with Terry at churches of nearly every denomination to speak and entertain.

In addition to his church and school performances, Etienne does shows at Scout rallies, hospitals, camps, rest homes, etc. These shows are frequently strictly comical, often incorporating names and events familiar to the audience.

In what little spare time Etienne has, he plays in Scrabble tournaments (he's won a couple of them), follows minor league baseball teams around the country and plays golf.

He lives in the Como Park neighborhood with his 10-year-old cat, Monty, who accompanies him on most of his road trips. His house is located four blocks from the house where his parents, Vic Sr. and Loretta, still live—or, as he puts it, "I live four blocks from supper—I mean Mom."

After 40 years, Etienne shows no signs of slowing down his work. He says that while many people dread going to their jobs, he looks forward to his. "I love every second of it," he says. "Maybe I'm weird, but I actually enjoy it."

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Maundy Thursday: 11 am Communion followed by luncheon
7 pm Eucharist preceded by supper
Good Friday: 7 pm Prayer and Meditation
Easter Sunday: 7 am and 10:30 am Services with Eucharist

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Wednesday Adult Bible Study: 7 pm
Thursday University Graduate Student Lunch and Bible Study: 11:30 am

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Communion first and third Sundays
Sunday School: 9:50 am
Adult Forums: 9:50 am
4/5: "German Lutheran Church Unity." Martin Wieschemann, Frankfurt, Germany: Lutheran Campus Ministry
4/12: *Nobody Knows: A Video About Clinical Depression* followed by discussion led by hospital chaplain the Rev. Bob Jamieson
4/19: "Social and Economic Aspects of Hong Kong" led by the Rev. Kinson Pong, pastor of Chinese Rhenish Church in Kowloon.
4/26: "Resurrection, A Bible Study, I" led by Dr. Craig Koester, Luther Northwestern Seminary

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5/3: "Resurrection, A Bible Study, II" led by Dr. Craig Koester, Luther Northwestern Seminary
Wednesdays until Holy Week: 5 - 6:30 pm soup supper, 7 pm Lenten Service
Maundy Thursday Service: 10 am and 7 pm
Good Friday Service: 7 pm
Easter Sunday Services: 6:30, 8:45 and 11 am

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Apr. 12, 9:30 am, Palm Sunday Worship Service.
Sermon by confirmation class. Liturgical dance by Katrina Freiling and Amy Tennison. Vocal solo by Val Buel.
Apr. 16, 7 pm, Communion Service and Tenebrae (a dramatic service of Scripture lessons accompanied by the gradual extinguishing of candles in the sanctuary).
Apr. 17, 12 - 12:45, Good Friday Ecumenical Worship.
Apr. 19, Easter Sunday: 7 am, Easter Sunrise Worship; 8 am, Easter Breakfast; 9:30 am, Patrick Green preaching on "Christian Hope."
Apr. 26, 9:30 am, Patrick Green preaching on "Doubting Thomas?"
7 pm, Faith and Fiction Book Club:
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Wednesdays April 1 and 8: 11:30 am and 7 pm Prayer Services
Sunday, April 16: 10:45 am, Palm Sunday Worship
Thursday, April 16: 7 pm, Maundy Thursday Communion
Friday, April 17: 12:15 pm, Community Good Friday Service at St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ
Sunday, April 19: 10 am, Children's Easter Service in the Chapel; 10:45 am, Easter Worship in the Sanctuary

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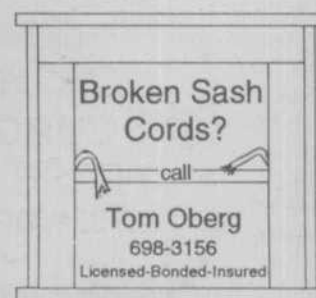
Cromwell and Bayless Place. 644-4502
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Sunday Mass: 10 am at church (nursery provided) and 8:30 am at Seal Hi-Rise, 825 Seal St. (handicapped accessibility)
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Holy Saturday Great Vigil: 7:30 pm. All at the church.
Easter Sunday Services: 8:30 am at the Hi-Rise, 10 am at church

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9:15 am, Education Hour for all ages
10 am, Holy Eucharist Rite II
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Palm Sunday Services with reading of the passion 8 & 10:15 am
Maundy Thursday Eucharist, 7 pm
Good Friday Holy Eucharist from the Reserve Sacrament, 7 am
Tenebrae, 7 pm
Holy Saturday: The Great Vigil of Easter, 9 pm
Easter Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 and 10:15 am
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Presidential primary Tuesday, April 7

Local voters can express their preference for Democratic or Republic presidential candidates at the primary election on Tues., April 7. Polls are open 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Voters must designate a political party before voting.

Northwest Como area residents vote at either Lyngblomsten Health Center, 1298 Pascal St. N., or Holy Childhood Church, 1435 Midway Parkway.

Unregistered voters can register at the polling place with a driver's license or with a registered voter from the precinct to verify address.

To verify your precinct, call the Ramsey County Election Bureau, 298-4181.

Food drive

On Fri., March 27, Hubert H. Humphrey Job Corps Center students will distribute 500 brown bags throughout the Como neighborhood. They ask residents to place nonperishable food in those bags as a donation to the St. Paul Indian Center Food Shelf. Place them on the curb on Friday, April 3 for pickup.

Celebrate Earth Day at Como Zoo

Como Zoo docents will host an Earth Day event on Sat., April 18, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. They hope to bring people together to express concern for the environment. Activities will include an activity booklet for children with the opportunity for them to seek answers to specific questions while at the zoo and collect stamp imprints as a souvenir, an environmental raffle, slides and videos, a seed giveaway, and live animal demonstrations. Admission is free. Call Como Zoo at 488-4041 for information.

Toby the tortoise pays a visit

Remember when the Galapagos tortoise roamed the main zoological building at Como Zoo? Remember when you or your child watched her eating her dinner? Everyone's big question then was, "How much does she weigh," and for the past 18 years everyone has asked, "What happened to the big turtle?" After spending the past 18 years on a breeding loan at the Honolulu Zoo in Hawaii,

Toby the Galapagos tortoise is visiting Como Zoo. The 420-pound, 85-year-old tortoise will be on display in the large cat exhibit until June 14.

Toby was one of Como Zoo's most popular attractions for 16 years. The airfare for Toby's visit is being provided by Northwest Airlines.

Summer hours at the zoo begin April 1. Buildings will be open daily from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and the zoo grounds from 8 a.m.-8 p.m.

Sparky the Seal shows begin their regular schedule on Memorial Day, with daily performances, except Mondays, through August.

College graduates

Four Como area students have recently received degrees from the University of St. Thomas, St. Paul: Matthew Hahm received a B.A. degree in business administration/marketing management; Keri Ann Huntley received a B.A. in journalism/public relations; Patricia Jellen received an M.A. in early childhood special education; and John Maddio received a master of business administration in management.

League of Women Voters holds guest night

The Como/St. Anthony Park League of Women Voters Unit 8 is looking for some young blood. The April 20 meeting will feature "guest night," in hopes of enticing league members and prospective members who have never been to a unit meeting.

Bobbi Megard and Gen Hall will lead a discussion on the Council of Metropolitan Area Leagues' study of the Metropolitan Council. Those who come will experience some lively discussion. Men are welcome too.

At the group's March meeting on housing in St. Paul, a recent Macalester grad came with her mother, a guest. Afterward she remarked, "That was so interesting. I want to come again. Those women have so much knowledge and experience in government policy, especially St. Paul, and they need to share that with some younger women. There needs to be a mix of age groups—they can learn from each other."

Membership of Unit 8 includes several past presidents of both the St. Paul League and the state League, current state board officers, and women who have devoted their adult years to volunteer work. Many found League to be the stepping-stone that launched them into careers when their children were grown. They really "love" League and meetings are rich with anecdotes of experiences they have had in League working on causes for St. Paul.

Coffee and conversation starts at 7:30 p.m. on Mon., April 20, at Pat Peterson's home, 1549 Arona, near Hoyt and Snelling, followed by the meeting. Call 644-0453 with questions.

AARP meets

The American Association of Retired Persons, Midway-Highland Chapter 930, will meet at Lyngblomsten Senior Center, Pascal and Midway Parkway, Thurs., April 16, at 1 p.m. A social hour follows the meeting and program. Visitors are welcome.

Conservatory features spring flower show

This year's Como Park Conservatory spring flower show will be April 11-May 3. The display in the sunken garden will feature tulips, lilies, hydrangeas and other colorful spring flowers.

Because of renovations, the front entrance to the conservatory will be closed. Visitors may enter through a display house located near the parking lot adjacent to McKnight formal garden.

While parts of the palm dome will be closed through 1992, the north wing, sections of the dome and the bonsai display will be open for public viewing this spring.

The conservatory is open each day from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. It is located in the middle of Como Park next to the zoo at the intersection of Midway Parkway and Kaufman Drive. Admission through May 3 is 25¢ for seniors and youth 11-16 and 50¢ for adults. Children 10 and under are admitted free. For more information call 489-1740 and leave a message.

Seniors can reduce auto insurance

AAA's Senior Driver Improvement program will be given at Como High School, 740 Rose Ave. W., on Wed., April 29 and Thurs., April 30 from 6-10 p.m. The fee is \$20 and registration is required.

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Northwest Como Rec Center

Northwest Como Rec Center Booster Club needs members. It meets once a month to discuss and organize neighborhood events. Call 298-5813 for information.

The annual sports banquet will be held Wed., April 22, at 6 p.m. at the center at 1557 Huron. There will be food, door prizes and a surprise guest.

Youth baseball coaches are needed for the summer. College students are encouraged to apply.

On April 18 there will be a spring clean-up of the playing fields. Sign up, too, for a track and field meet on May 30.

Child poverty exhibit at Children's Museum

"Outside the Dream—Child Poverty in America," a photo exhibit created by the Children's Defense Fund, will be on display at the Children's Museum through April 26. The museum also presents a parallel series of activities to help interpret the subject.

The exhibit of 22 photos by Stephen Shames recognizes and documents the fact that one out of every five children in the United States lives in poverty.

Visitors can participate in programs and art projects, use special materials to guide discussions and select follow-up activities to do on behalf of children in poverty.

The Children's Museum asks adults to accompany children in the special "Outside the Dream" gallery (second floor) and recommends the exhibit for children six years and up. Gallery hours are:
Tues. & Sun: 11 a.m.-6 p.m.;
Wed. & Fri.: 11 a.m.-8 p.m.;
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The exhibit is closed on Mondays and Thursdays.

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New St. Anthony Park Community Council members to be chosen April 14

Election day for seats on the St. Anthony Park Community Council falls on Tues., April 14. Residents of North and South St. Anthony who are 16 and older are eligible to vote in the annual nonpartisan election. All council members serve as volunteers.

North St. Anthony will elect three delegates to 2-year terms and two alternates to 1-year terms. Polls will be open from 2-9 p.m. in the St. Anthony Park Library community room, 2245 Como Ave.

Candidates this year are:

Brad Burke, 2347 Chilcombe Ave., a civil engineer for an environmental consulting firm. As a young resident and parent,



Brad Burke

he says he would bring a different perspective to council discussions and decisions to improve and maintain the quality of life in the Park.

Dirk Duncker, 2309 Priscilla St., #4, a Dutch M.D., Ph.D., doing full-time research in the University of Minnesota's Department of Cardiology. As a newcomer to the neighborhood, he would like to contribute to preserving the unique natural environment that makes St. Anthony Park such a special area.



Dirk Duncker

Alice Magnuson, 2231 Knapp St., a lifelong resident of the Park who currently serves on the council. She is an educational planner and advisor at Metro State University. She believes residents need to work together with the city to ensure a safe, healthy, comfortable place to call home.



Alice Magnuson



David Manning

David Manning, 2173 Como Ave., #3, is an administrative fellow in hospital administration. His

interest in the council is to ensure that the broad interests of the community are heard. He has experience in people management, finance and policy development.



Barbara Murdock

Barbara Murdock, 1489 Hythe St., has a keen interest in how cities work and the importance

of good transportation, diversity of uses and foot traffic in keeping cities safe and vital. Trained as a biologist, she is a science writer/editor of a national professional publication.

Nona Narvaez, 2200 Hendon Avenue, has lived most of her life in St. Anthony Park. In 1988 she was the Block Club organizer for our neighborhood. She is employed by the Minnesota House of Representatives where she works as a page and intern.



Nona Narvaez

Richard C. Nelson, 2348 Buford, moved to this neighborhood in 1987. He is a self-employed business consultant and financial planner. His particular interest is in the future of our youth and in retaining the overall quality of the neighborhood.



Richard C. Nelson



Michael Rose

Michael Rose, 1337 North Cleveland, a software engineer and new resident, is enthusiastic

about the neighborhood—especially its sense of community. He thinks it is a good place for raising children. He would work to preserve the good things and ensure future improvements.

South St. Anthony residents will select two delegates and two alternates when casting their ballots at the South St. Anthony Rec. Center, 890 Cromwell Ave., between 2-9 p.m.

Candidates are:

Richard Almer, 884 Hunt Place, a 15-year resident of South St. Anthony who currently lives in the Baker West townhomes. He is

employed by the Minnesota Senate, has served on the Small Area Task Force and has been active in issues affecting the quality of the neighborhood.



Richard Almer

Scott Magnuson, 2280 Long Ave., has lived more than half his life in North and South St. Anthony Park. He is the director of the Minnesota Senate Information Office and is familiar with the issues and concerns of local communities. He especially appreciates the various sides of issues.



Scott Magnuson

Ellen Watters, 923 Bayless Ave., a newcomer to the neighborhood, has served as an alternate and delegate to the council on housing and physical planning committees. Currently serving as treasurer, she wants to utilize her experience in communications and fundraising to benefit our community.



Ellen Watters

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Community Calendar

MARCH

28 Sat.

Fare SHARE distribution and registration for April, St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, 8-10:30 a.m., call 644-6804; Seal Hi Rise, 10 a.m.; Holy Childhood Church, 10 a.m.-noon.

29 Sun.

We Care, St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave., 8 p.m. Call 641-1664. Every Sun.

30 Mon.

No classes, Roseville Area Schools. Faculty workshop.

Open forum, University of Minnesota Board of Regents, Room 42, Earle Brown Center, St. Paul Campus, 3-6 p.m. Topic: gas or coal fuel for U's steam plants.

Women for Sobriety, St. Anthony Park Library, 5:30 p.m. Call 224-0328. Every Mon.

Boy Scout Troop 17, St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 7 p.m. Every Mon.

Cub Scout pack 22, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.

AA, St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, 8 p.m. Call 647-9446 or 770-2646. Every Mon.

31 Tues.

Toastmasters, Hewlett Packard, 2025 W. Larpenteur, 7:30 a.m. Call Jon Hunstock, 641-9708. Every Tues.

Family gym night, South St. Anthony Rec Center, 890 Cromwell, 6:30-8 p.m. Every Tues.

Community forum on issues facing children and youth, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 2200 Hillside, 7 p.m.

APRIL

1 Wed.

St. Anthony Park Merchants & Professionals Association, Sal's Park Deli, 8 a.m.

Parent-child play group, So. St. Anthony Recreation Center, 890 Cromwell, 10-11:30 a.m. Every Wed. Call 646-6986.

Leisure Center, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m. April Fool's day.

Bookmobile at Hamline & Hoyt, 12:30-5:30 p.m. Also April 15 & 29.

Vietnam Veterans of America, St. Paul Chapter 320, HHH Job Corps auditorium, Arlington & Snelling, 7:30 p.m.

2 Thurs.

St. Anthony Park Community Council Physical Planning Committee, 890 Cromwell, 5 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Community Council Human Services Committee, 890 Cromwell, 7 p.m.

3 Fri.

Falcon Heights/Lauderdale recycling day.

No school, Brimhall and Falcon Heights Elementary. Conferences.

Youth Activity Night, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 2200 Hillside, 7-11 p.m. For grades 6-12. Every Fri.

5 Sun.

Open House, University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine, St. Paul Campus, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

6 Mon.

Northern Lights 4-H Club, St. Anthony Park Elementary School, 6:45 p.m.

St. Anthony/Merriam Park Community Education Advisory Council, St. Anthony Park Elementary School, 2180 Knapp St., 7 p.m.

Brimhall Elementary School PTSA, 7 p.m.

7 Tues.

Primary election day, 7 a.m.-8 p.m.

South St. Anthony Old Timers, The Egg & I restaurant at International Court, 2550 University Ave., 10 a.m.

Lauderdale Friends & Neighbors, Lauderdale City Hall, 1-4 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Association Board, Langford Park, 7 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Community Band rehearsal, Como Park High School band room, 7:15 p.m. Call 642-1559. Every Tues.

8 Wed.

St. Anthony Park recycling day.

Leisure Center, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m.

Falcon Heights City Council, City Hall, 2077 W. Larpenteur, 7 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Community Council, 890 Cromwell, 7 p.m.

9 Thurs.

Emergency management drill at Goodwill Industries, 2543 Como Ave., 6:30 p.m.

St. Anthony Park School Association, St. Anthony Park Elementary School, 7 p.m.

10 Fri.

Bookmobile at Seal Hi-Rise, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Also April 24.

Brimhall School carnival at Fairview Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

13 Mon.

Como Park recycling day.

Park Press Board, ParkBank, 7-7:55 a.m.

Falconeers Senior Club, Falcon Heights City Hall, 1-3:30 p.m.

13 Mon.- 20 Mon.

No school, St. Paul Public Schools. Spring break.

14 Tues.

St. Anthony Park Community Council elections, St. Anthony Park Library & South St. Anthony Rec Center, 2-9 p.m.

Brimhall and Falcon Heights Elementary kindergarten roundup, 6:45 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Association, St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ. Dinner: 6:30 p.m.; program, 7:15 p.m.

Lauderdale City Council, City Hall, 1891 Walnut, 7:30 p.m.

15 Wed.

Leisure Center, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m. Birthdays. Art show by Leisure Center artists.

Block Nurse Program, Inc. board of directors, Park Bank, 2265 Como, 4-6 p.m. Call 339-7774.

Langford Booster Club, Langford Park, 7:30 p.m.

16 Thurs.

AARP Midway-Highland Chapter 930, Lyngblomsten Senior Center, Pascal & Midway Pkwy, 1 p.m.

Spring egg hunt for grades 6 and under, Langford Park, 4 p.m.

17 Fri.

Falcon Heights/Lauderdale recycling day.

No school, Roseville Area Schools.

Community Good Friday service, St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave., 12:15 p.m.

18 Sat.

Langford Park cleanup day, 10 a.m.

Lauderdale Friends & Neighbors card party, Lauderdale City Hall, 1-4 p.m.

Contradancing, Oddfellows Hall, 2380 Hampden, 8 p.m. Call 642-9118.

20 Mon.

No school, grades K-6, Roseville Area Schools.

Como/St. Anthony Park League of Women Voters Unit 8, 1549 Arona, 7:30 p.m. Call 644-0453.

21 Tues.

District 10 Community Council, Lyngblomsten Senior Center, Midway Pkwy. & Pascal, 7 p.m.

22 Wed.

St. Anthony Park recycling day.

Leisure Center, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m. Block Nurse program: blood pressure.

St. Anthony Park Community Council Housing Committee, 890 Cromwell, 5 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Community Council Environment Committee, 890 Cromwell, 7 p.m.

Falcon Heights City Council, City Hall, 7 p.m.

25 Sat.

Fare SHARE distribution and registration for May, St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, 8-10:30 a.m., call 644-6804; Seal Hi Rise, 10 a.m.; Holy Childhood Church, 10 a.m.-noon.

27 Mon.

Como Park recycling day.

Falconeers Senior Club, Falcon Heights City Hall, 2077 W. Larpenteur, 1-3:30 p.m.

Cub Scout pack 22, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.

29 Wed.

Leisure Center, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m. Martha's and Mary's concert. Social hour. Bring a plate of cookies.

Items for Community Calendar may be submitted to Kathy Malchow, 646-1288, or Bugle office by 6 p.m. Mon., April 20.

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Obituaries

Owen Nichols

Owen W. Nichols, a resident of the Como Park area, died on Feb. 25, 1992. He was 88 years of age and was a member of Holy Childhood Catholic Church.

Preceded in death by his wife, Ida, Mr. Nichols is survived by three sons, Dr. Thomas O. Nichols of St. Paul; Jack C. Nichols of Marietta, Georgia; and James A. Nichols of St. Paul; his sister, Mildred Dohm of Sun City, Ariz.; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Lois Nye

Lois Oberhamer Nye died on Feb. 15, 1992, at the age of 40. She had lived in the Como Park neighborhood and was a member of Como Park Lutheran Church and the church's organist.

Mrs. Nye is survived by her husband Jonathan Nye; her son Joel Nye; her parents, Roy and Hulda Oberhamer; and her sister, Marcia Henry, all of St. Paul; her brother, Douglas Oberhamer of Littleton, Colo.; and many other relatives.

Evelyn Peterson

Evelyn M. Peterson, who lived in Falcon Heights, died on Feb. 23, 1992. She was 79 years old. Mrs. Peterson was the former owner of the Ace Bicycle Shop in St. Paul.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Floyd (Jake) Peterson. Survivors include many nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Gladys Swenson

Gladys A. Swenson, age 85, died on Feb. 16, 1992. She had lived on California Ave. in Falcon Heights and belonged to the Falcon Heights United Church of Christ.

Mrs. Swenson was preceded in death by her husband, William. She is survived by her daughter Nancy of Shoreview; eight grandchildren; brothers, Eldred Radtke of South St. Paul and Wesley Radtke of Buffalo Lake; and a sister, Harriet LaFleur of Springfield, Oregon.

Speaking Briefly

Preschool asthma program

Registration is open for a program designed to help preschool children and their parents with asthma. Classes meet every Thursday (April 9, 23, 30; May 7 & 14) at the Roseville Community Center, 1910 W. County Rd. B.

The program, sponsored by the American Lung Association of Ramsey County, uses simple games to make it easy for both parent and child to remember skills that control asthma symptoms. The program supplements regular medical care.

The course is designed to: (1) help young children and their parents manage the chronic disease more effectively; (2) aid the child and parent in monitoring the child's condition so he/she can avoid emergencies; (3) teach parents and children to deal with emergencies; (4) instruct participants how asthma is triggered in the preschooler's body.

All classes are led by a registered nurse.

Registration is required. Call 224-4901.

Compost sites open

Ramsey County compost sites will open Sat., March 28. The closest site to most *Bugle* readers is on Pierce Butler Road near Fairview Ave. in the Newell Park neighborhood of St. Paul. Hours through spring will be: M, W, F-11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Sat.-9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun.-11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Senior dining

Ramsey Action Program offers noon meals for seniors weekdays at Fairview Community School Center in Roseville, 1910 W. Co. Rd. B. Full meal cost is \$4.07, but diners are asked to pay only \$1.75 (suggested donation). For more information, call Anne Hanson, 633-2055, between 9 a.m. & 1 p.m. Older residents of St. Paul, as well as those who live in Falcon Heights and Lauderdale, may take advantage of this meal deal.

Clean St. Paul parks

The key to cleanliness in St. Paul parks is in the bag on Sat., April 18. On that day, residents and park supporters are invited to join an estimated 4,000 neighbors in the 6th annual St. Paul Parks and Recreation Volunteer Parks Cleanup/Glad Bagathon. From 9 a.m.-noon, volunteers meet at the St. Paul park of their choice, gather trash bags and gloves courtesy of Glad Bags and team up to

clean up that park. There is a reception for all volunteers following the cleanup from noon-2 p.m. at the Phalen Park Picnic Pavilion. The free reception features food, refreshments and prizes all donated by local businesses.

People or groups interested in volunteering may call Amy Baxter, 646-0291, up to the day of the event.

The cleanup is enhanced by a collection of clothing for the St. Paul chapter of the Salvation Army. Bring clean used clothing to the park of your choice April 18.

NPP applications wanted

The City of St. Paul is encouraging neighborhood, business, civic and other groups to apply for grants and loans in the 17th cycle of the Neighborhood Partnership Program (NPP). Pre-applications for funding are due by 4 p.m., Mon., April 13 at the St. Paul Department of Planning and Economic Development (PED), 14th floor, City Hall Annex, 55102.

Designed to help community groups improve their neighborhoods, the NPP gives grants and loans for a variety of projects including home and business improvements, job creation, business expansion, public improvements and public service programs. Each recipient is required to match the grant or loan with additional contributions of money, time, services or property improvements.

For details, call Joan Trulsen, 228-3321 or Bob Hammer, 228-3255.

The St. Anthony Park and Como Park Community Councils have identified and prioritized recommended projects throughout several years of NPP funding rounds. Community organizers Bobbi Megard (St. Anthony Park), 292-7884, and Keri Poeppé (Como Park), 644-3889, are also good sources of information on this subject.

It's Fare SHARE's birthday

Ramsey Action Program's Fare SHARE food program celebrates its 6th birthday with a party on Sat., April 11, 2-5 p.m., at its warehouse at 807 Hampden Ave.

A Fare SHARE food package consists of 15-20 items valued at about \$30. Participants pay \$13 and donate two hours of volunteer service for their package. Everyone is eligible. For information about the celebration or to find out how to become a participant, call 644-6003.

Dear friends and neighbors,

Thank you for helping to make my 1991 a successful year. Following is a list of my sales.

1268 Laurel, St. Paul
1607 Saunders, St. Paul
254 N. St. Albans, St. Paul
1254 Shryer, Roseville
3209 Rankin Road, St. Anthony Village
4031 Washburn, Minneapolis
5324 Elliot, Minneapolis
1725 Sherwood, St. Paul
11251 Oregren Circle, Bloomington
1438 Juliet, St. Paul
2160 Folwell, Falcon Heights
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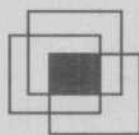
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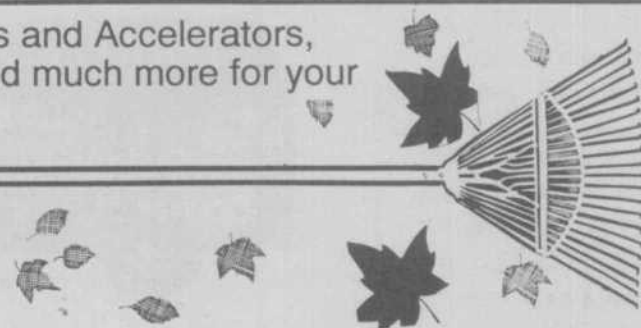
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Freebies

New classified section! If you have an old chair, couch, radio, rug, or any other item to give away, send us the info and we'll advertise it at no charge to you. Here's your chance to get rid of (recycle) all those attic and basement dust-catchers!

Housing

FOR RENT: EUSTIS APTS: One and two bedroom. From \$410-\$495. 1355-1365 Eustis. Donna, 486-9653.

FOR SALE: St. Anthony Park, 2 story, 6 bedrooms, 3 baths, natural woodwork, hardwood floors, fireplace, excellent condition, 2 car garage. \$117,500. Owner/broker, 488-7653.

FOR RENT: St. Paul Campus. Room in quiet house, \$230/month, wash/dry, one block from campus. 488-7653.

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FOR SALE: Wooded view overlooking University golf course, a sunny split level home with 4 bedrooms, den, 1 3/4 baths, fireplace, recreation room, oak wood floors, air conditioning, updated furnace and appliances. 2249 Folwell, 644-3168, by owner.

CO-OP MARKETING REALLY WORKS! If you're thinking of selling, give us a call. We'll show you how your neighbors benefited from our services in 1991. As you know, your St. Anthony Park home is in demand! We'll help you sell your home faster at the right price and keep more of the proceeds. Our fee is just \$2750—not a percentage. Call Bill Smith for a brochure or to ask about our track record. Smith Realty, 379-2317.

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom apt. in quiet security building. Deck, central air conditioning, heat and water paid, 1/2 block to elementary school in St. Anthony Park. 2186 Scudder St. 642-9066.

FOR SALE: Facing beautiful John Alden Park, 3 bedroom+, large kitchen, dining, living room, TV room, double garage, fenced yard, 89K, 2279 Brewster, 649-0754.

BUYERS ALERT! We have five exceptional homes for sale in other areas: 1380 Midway Parkway, 2 bedroom neat bungalow, \$74,900; 1716 Rollins Ave. S.E., Mpls. 3 bedroom, \$78,900; 216 Poplar Drive, 4 bedroom, Shoreview, \$122,900; 2824 Fernwood, 4 bedroom, Roseville, \$129,500; 542 Portland Ave., Crocus Hill triplex, \$195,000. Call for the details, Bill Smith, 379-2317, Smith Realty.

AVAILABLE FOR RENT for female June 1: Very large sleeping room with attached porch in historic StAP home. Microwave and fridge. 645-2475.

HOUSING WANTED TO RENT: Couple looking for sublet/house-sitting May-August. 659-0523.

HOUSING WANTED TO RENT: Quiet University family with two small children (four years and four months) desire affordable, pleasant apartment, duplex or house near St. Paul campus to rent year-round from June 1. Chris/Dan Long (h) 645-9243 or Dan (o) 625-9293.

FOR SALE: 1492 Raymond. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, huge newer kitchen, golden oak woodwork. Knudsen Realty, 644-3557.

FOR SALE: Cromwell Ave. 2 bedrooms, den, living room, dining room, single garage, spacious home, fenced yard. \$63,900. Judy Moris, 639-6314.

FOR SALE: Save—2325 Buford by owner, \$154,500. Turn-of-century charm outside; soft contemporary vaults, open, light inside. Warm sun in winter, lovely oak shade in summer. Mint condition, fabulous kitchen, 1850 sq. ft. finished includes first floor family room, 2 fireplaces, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, master suite. 2 1/2 car garage. Beautifully landscaped. 645-4305.

Home Services

HOME REPAIR. Expert carpentry, remodeling, additions, door and window replacement. Tom Oberg. 698-3156.

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HOUSECLEANING. Rita, 776-9534.

ARTISTS AT WORK: a unique company in the service of housecleaning. Weekly, bi-weekly or occasional. 331-5283 M-F, 9-6.

LARRY'S PAINTING. Exterior, interior, spray ceilings, texture ceilings, drywall, paper hanging. Free estimates. 222-4227.

WE SATISFY ALL YOUR PAINTING NEEDS. Professional painting, interior, exterior, paperhanging, patching, taping, staining, ceiling spray texturing. Water damage repair, and more. Family business in the Park—40 years. Jim Larson, 644-5188.

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GUTTERS CLEANED. Bob Finn. 488-2761.

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REMODELING, ALL TYPES: carpentry and home repairs, kitchen and old house specialist. References. Call Mark for estimates. 488-6625.

MERLE GOODMANSON CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION. Fire egress windows in basements. Steps, walks, garage slabs. Wet basements dried up. Snow plowing. 631-2065.

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DEADBOLTS INSTALLED, locks re-keyed, safes sold. MasterCard and Visa accepted. Free estimates. Midway Lock & Key, 646-2032.

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ROTTEN WINDOW SILLS AND TRIM REPLACED. Tom Oberg. 698-3156.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL I'M BUSY IN THE SUMMER. For those small, fussy, inside jobs, do it now. 644-0715.

Wanted

S.A.P. ANTIQUE DEALER buying Old Glassware—China—Silver—Indian Artifacts—Bronzes—Art—Lamps—Furniture, etc. Insurance Appraisals/ Estate Sales. 645-7029.

TOP CASH PAID. Older Furniture (All Types)—Also Rugs—Pictures—Frames—Clocks—Toys—Lamps—Glassware—Bronzes—Indian Items—Crocks—Stained Glass Windows—Mirrors—Quilts—Dolls—Neon Signs—Duck Decoys—Fishing Items—"ANYTHING OLD." Call 227-2469 Anytime!!!!

WANTED: OLD TOYS—cast iron, die cast, tin. 644-1866.

USED GOLF CLUBS AND BOOKS. 639-6414, Jim.

Instruction

PIANO INSTRUCTION offered in the Park. All experience levels welcome. Free introductory lesson. John Banks, 644-9261.

NURSERY SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE for parents of prospective students ages 3-5 at St. Anthony Park UMC Nursery School, Como at Hillside. Meet our teachers and visit our classrooms on March 30, 10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Enroll now for fall classes Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday mornings and afternoons. For more info please call 646-4859.

VIOLIN/VIOLA LESSONS, 30-year professional performer, licensed music educator, all ages welcome. Anne Paradise, 690-2591.

THE CHILDRENS CIRCLE, a Waldorf-inspired preschool morning program for children ages 3-5, has openings for the 1992-93 school year. Waldorf-trained teacher, parent program and community. Located in St. Anthony Park. Call 642-0981 for information.

Notices

AA: St. Anthony Park group meets every Monday 8 p.m. StAP Lutheran Church. Call 770-2646 or 647-9446.

SIGN UP NOW for new spring book groups at Minnesota Women's Press. Women's words, ideas, laughter. 646-3968.

CARTER AVE. FRAME SHOP is now open Thursdays until 9 p.m. Stop in and see great spring decorating ideas!

For Sale

FOR SALE: 1983 Nissan Sentra, \$500. 646-0091.

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Child Care

WANTED: Part-time day care for infant. Preferably in our home. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., T,W,Th. Start date May 1st. References required. 641-1631.

I WANT TO BABY-SIT. If you are interested, please call 644-2218.

CHILDCARE in my St. Anthony Park home. Your child(ren) and my 2 1/2 year-old only. Julie, 645-1676.

BABYSITTER(S) WANTED in our Como Park home; to be trusted with our 2 1/2 year and 6-month-old, for occasional evening, weekend, or day hours. Call 487-1799.

Help Wanted

NURSE (PT) The St. Anthony Park Block Nurse Program seeks an RN to coordinate/deliver home health care on flexible part-time basis. Prefer PHN, residence in neighborhood. Send resume to: SAP BNP, c/o 2200 Hillside Ave., St. Paul, MN 55108.

PART-TIME HELP NEEDED, All-Seasons Cleaners, Milton Square, Como & Carter. Morning hours and alternate Saturdays. Apply at store. 644-8300.

If you REALLY want to be home with your children and NEED a career, call Tamara for information on Discovery Toys, 487-1799.

Swiss garden designer likes European feel of the Park

By Michelle Christianson

"In an old house in Paris, all covered with vines..." Thus begins one of my favorite children's books, *Madeline*. Well, this story begins in a new garage behind a house on Valentine St. On first sight one doesn't suspect that this structure is anything other than a very nice garage. In fact, I looked in the window and walked by, thinking that I must be in the wrong place. But this is the office and workshop of Philippe Gallandat's landscape service, Swiss Gardens.

The first floor of the garage contains Gallandat's workshop where he does the wood work connected with his business. His office, reached by a short flight of stairs, is on the second floor and contains his desk, drafting table, blueprints, examples of his work as well as some works in progress.

Gallandat, a charming man with a delightful sense of humor, was born in Switzerland and trained in Geneva, where he spent five years living his education. The students stayed on the campus of the school, designing and tending the grounds and growing their own food, as well as taking



Photo by Truman Olson

Philippe Gallandat is a Swiss craftsman who specializes in landscape design and installation.

classes. Because he had lived in New York for a short time as a child, Gallandat always had an attraction to America. He moved to Minnesota in 1974 and held many jobs before beginning his landscaping and consulting business in 1978.

Although he does use subcontractors for some of his work, Gallandat does most parts of the job himself. He initially meets with clients, finds out their

preferences and personalities and learns their desires and means for each project. He then draws up a plan which may include rock work, decks, benches, fences, outdoor lighting, other furniture, walkways, and even small buildings as well as the plantings, trees and ground cover. He will then do all or any part of the plan the client wishes. He will help clients do those parts of the plan they wish to do on their own.

In the course of a summer he may do one or two large projects and lots of small jobs. In the winter, he does planning and produces the wood parts of a job. He has done work all over the Twin Cities and seldom has to advertise, as most people hear of him by word-of-mouth.

Gallandat's philosophy is that landscaping should look natural, almost as though it were unplanned, yet adapted to the area in

a very practical way. He prefers to use shrubs and plants that are the correct shape and size to begin with, rather than relying on extensive pruning. Also, he will only do projects that he thinks are ethical.

Though he has only been situated in St. Anthony Park since July, Gallandat really likes the area and would like to live as well as work here. He likes the atmosphere and neighborliness of the community.

"The Milton Square area feels very European and I love the bread at Sherman Bakery," says Gallandat.

He has also already taken part in the October festival, bravely singing medieval love songs in the snow to a quickly diminishing audience. Undaunted by that experience, he is looking forward to singing and playing guitar at the June Park Festival, where he will also sell the bird-feeders and birdhouses he designs and builds.

In a garage, in an alley, on Valentine...you'll find "an old-world approach to the art of distinctive landscape design and installation."

ST. ANTHONY PARK COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS

Council Actions at a Glance

In March the council:

- Accepted the recommendations of the St. Anthony Park Cultural Study prepared by Nicole Emanuel, Artspace, with funding provided by The St. Paul Foundation.
- Contacted Councilmember Paula Maccabee and U of M Vice President Robert Erickson to request that the old Raymond Avenue bridge antique railing be installed on the new busway bridge and that bike paths be constructed as soon as possible.
- Approved vacation request for 8 feet of Myrtle Street where the Cole-Sewell building encroaches, and approved the remaining portion of the street to be used for parking.
- Approved a site plan for M&N Equipment Services, Inc., on Capp Road, to include paving, landscaping and adequate provision for storm water collection.
- Supported the request by the St. Paul Firefighters Local 21 for a Class B Gambling Premise Permit at the Cromwell Bar, 2511 University Ave., and waiver of the 45-day waiting period.
- Voted to support the 1992 Lead Abatement Legislation now before the Legislature, providing for testing for lead poisoning and funding to remove lead from housing, to preserve affordable housing in urban areas where lead concentrations are highest.
- Agreed to facilitate a survey of traffic options for residents of South St. Anthony and to host a neighborhood meeting with the Department of Public Works to implement changes.
- Approved a variance request for 20XX Brewster St. to allow for construction of a single family dwelling.

Office: 890 Cromwell, St. Paul, MN 55114

292-7884

Community Organizer: Bobbi Megard

Members: Neil Anderson, Lis Christenson, Melissa Coffey, Phillip Duff, Daniel Goodman, John Grantham, Alice Magnuson, Joe McKasy, Jan Meyer, Craig Moritz, Evan Murdock, Heidi Myers, Carol Osip, Howard Ostrem, James Pfau, Beth Richardson, Michael Russelle, Christine Sinclair, Warner Shippee, Tim Smith, Ellen Watters

Community Council—Where Your Involvement Makes the Difference

We have all heard the old adage, "Decisions are made by those who show up!" Decision making at the neighborhood level, especially in St. Paul, often makes all the difference.

St. Paul has a unique mechanism, the district planning council—a non-partisan, public forum for citizen involvement, to which it has committed financial resources so that residents and businesses can have the opportunity to discuss and reach consensus on issues that affect the quality of life and vitality of neighborhoods.

These "stakeholders" not only identify the issues important to them—land use, transportation planning, crime prevention, environmental quality—they decide what to take action on, what results they desire and what each is willing to do to achieve the desired outcome. This activity produces "politics"—the arena we enter as active, committed citizens to create the

neighborhood/city/state we want or the public policies that govern our activities.

In this issue of the *Bugle* on p. 20 you will find profiles of the candidates who have volunteered to serve in an important role, weighing the many facets of local public issues while promoting the ideas and values they hold as individuals. This collection of individuals, thinking critically, is the stuff of democracy—it is slow, difficult and messy, but it often brings results that are the envy of others. Those who have lived where citizens have abrogated their responsibilities to special interests or opted for short-term solutions are keenly aware of the consequences of neglect.

Creating a sense of community is an ongoing, changing effort. It is never dull. The process of reaching agreement in an arena of mutual respect is the basic ingredient of active local politics. As residents or business entities in St. Anthony Park, your involvement shapes the future here. The process is open and you are invited to participate. This is where we learn the basic lessons of democracy that we can apply to other levels of government. You can do your part by considering the candidates and voting in the council elections on Tuesday, April 14.

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

St. Anthony Park Community Council elections are Tues., April 14, 2-9 p.m.
All St. Anthony Park residents, age 16 and older, are eligible to vote.

POLLING PLACES:

North St. Anthony residents: St. Anthony Park Library community room, 2245 Como Ave.;

South St. Anthony residents: South St. Anthony Rec Center, 890 Cromwell Ave.

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

Council-sponsored meetings are listed each month in the Bugle Community Calendar on page 21. Everyone is welcome!