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MADE BY HAND

Three area craftspeople lay down their tools and talk about their work

By Judy Woodward

Why does anybody make anything by hand anymore? In this age of industrial specialization, when 3-D printers can copy in minutes parts that once took craftsmen hours of painstaking labor to fashion, why does anyone still bother to make things the old-fashioned way?

It's certainly not for the financial rewards. Almost anything is more lucrative than handwork. Craftsmanship can also be fussy, demanding and often frustrating. And yet, to a dedicated group of skilled workers, there is nothing more satisfying than creating something unique, personal and permanent.

This month, three area



Cameron Christian-Weir roughs a bow in his shop. Photos by Lori Hamilton

craftspeople have laid down their tools long enough to share their thoughts and their viewpoints on the work of their hands.

Cameron Christian-Weir, bow maker

"I've been interested in the Middle Ages for the last 25 years," says St. Anthony Park resident

Cameron Christian-Weir. It's not such an unusual remark, until you remember that Christian-Weir is only 26 years old.

"My mom started reading the Arthurian legends to me," he recalls, "and even as a kid, I liked Sir Gawain and the Green Knight best." But it wasn't until the ripe old age of 5 that little Cameron discovered his life's

work. That was when his uncle moved in.

"My uncle was really into archery," is the way Christian-Weir remembers it. Suddenly a diffuse interest in all things medieval took on a sharper focus. By fifth grade, he was bringing his bow and arrows to meetings of the medieval re-

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Law enforcement cracks down on street racing

University and Vandalia is one area that is getting special focus from St. Paul police this summer

By Kyle Mianulli

As summer temperatures swelter, St. Paul streets are once again heating up with street-racing activity.

The whine, screech and hum of engines modified to push speedometer needles near triple digits fill the air late into the night, and the associated dangers have led to a marked increase in complaints from neighbors and residents throughout St. Paul.

As a result, the St. Paul Police Department is launching a new strategy to crack down on street racing in the city. The department began the effort on July 11, with extra officers being assigned to monitor areas where racers are known to congregate on the weekends. The police department is working in conjunction with the Minnesota State Patrol to disperse a special citywide detail to combat street racing.

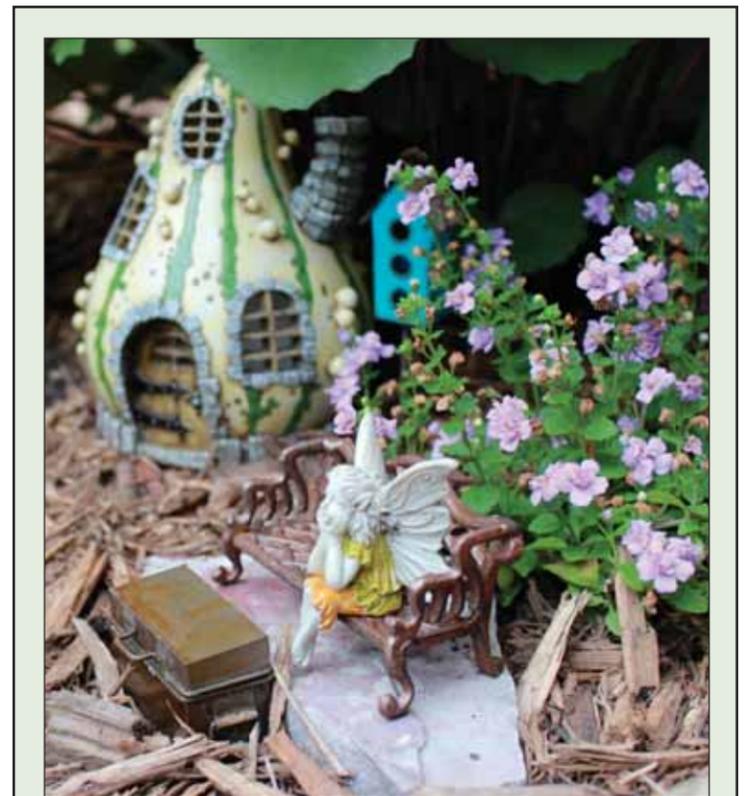
The first phase of the

strategy involved officers aggressively conducting traffic stops for safety violations, as well as equipment, such as loud exhaust systems.

Initially, police issued warnings and provided education about the dangers of street racing and its community impact. Now officers are instituting a zero-tolerance approach with citations being issued and vehicles impounded.

Shepard Road and University Avenue at Vandalia Avenue are getting special attention, according to St. Paul police spokesperson Paul Paulos.

The intersection at University and Vandalia was the site of a tragic accident in 2009, when driver Jacqueline Wagner of New Brighton struck and killed Moussa Maayif while fleeing from police after they broke up a street race. Wagner was convicted of criminal



Midsummer scenes

"Come, dance in a circle and sing a fairy song." So says Titania in Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Fairies have been spotted in the Milton Square courtyard gardens (above), which proprietor Heather O'Malley recently redesigned. And a few were seen dancing at a Shakespeare performance in July at Luther Seminary. We've got photos from that performance, scenes from the Fourth in the Park and a couple of shots from Lyngblomsten's Mid-Summer Festival, part of the July Como Fest, on pages 10 and 11.

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C I T Y F I L E S

Como Park

The District 10 Como Community Council meets at 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the Historic Streetcar Station, 1224 N. Lexington Parkway. Contact 651-644-3889 or www.district10comopark.org.

Como Community Council seeks executive director

The District 10 Como Community Council is accepting applications for an executive director. The application period closes Friday, Aug. 21. The council hopes to have the position filled by mid-September. The executive director is the principal staff position for District 10 and provides support for all of the council's activities.

"We are looking for an experienced candidate who wishes to work with a wide range of community members on a variety of issues," said board chair Ryan Flynn.

The duties of the executive director will include assisting with the council's communications, administrations, finances and community development. This is in addition to helping maintain and expand the many initiatives and community projects of District 10. The most important role of the executive director is to ensure that community members get accurate and up-to-date information about local government proposals that affect the neighborhoods within District 10.

The District 10 Como Community Council is a nonprofit organization made up of elected, volunteer residents. Its mission is to "inform, educate and connect the Como Park neighborhood to increase community pride and confidence." District 10 is one of 17 district councils in St. Paul that promote community participation in the city's planning and decision-making processes.

You can view the full job posting for the position at www.minnesotanonprofits.org/job-details?id=101427. To apply, send a cover letter and resume to jobs@district10comopark.org.

The District 10 position came open after District 10 administrator Alison Kirgis announced she will be stepping down from her position effective Aug. 7. Kirgis will be attending the University of Minnesota Humphrey School of Public Affairs this fall to pursue a master's degree.

District 10 land use plan adopted

The District 10 Como Community Council approved the Como District Plan at the June 21 council meeting. The document is an up-to-date land use plan that will be adopted in to the City of St. Paul's comprehensive plan. The plan will provide the city with policy priorities and strategies to guide growth, investment and development in District 10.

An ad hoc committee spent the last year reviewing the District 10 Land Use Plan of 2007, the West

Como Midway Parkway Small Area Plan of 1997 and the recently adopted Lexington/Larpenteur Node Study and solicited input from district stakeholders.

You can read the new plan at district10comopark.org/uploads/d10_district_plan_final_v1_0_tb.pdf.

Ice Cream Social set for Aug. 14

What better way to enjoy an August summer evening than to attend the District 10 Ice Cream Social at the Historic Streetcar Station on Friday, Aug. 14, from 6 to 8 p.m. There will be ice cream and tasty toppings, games, information tables and raffles.

District 10 is looking for neighbor volunteers to help before, during and after the event, and we are still seeking donations to be raffled. If you would like to volunteer or would like to make a donation, please contact District 10 by phone at 651-644-3889 or by email at district10@district10comopark.org.

Here is a list of some of the raffle items we have received:

- A behind-the-scenes giraffe adventure at Como Zoo, a special event not available to the public
- A basket of gifts, including rides on the Cafesjian Carousel at Como Zoo
- Gift certificates from Como Park Grill
- Two rounds of golf for four and golf carts from Como Golf Course
- Two front row seats to the Children's Theatre production of "The Frog Bridge" in October donated by a neighbor
- Tickets to Penumbra Theatre's production of "Black Nativity," a legendary Christmas event
- Lynx Basketball tickets to the final home game in September. The Lynx are currently in first place and will likely be headed for the playoffs. These tickets were donated by a neighbor.

Falcon Heights

The Falcon Heights City Council meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7 p.m. in Falcon Heights City Hall, 2077 W. Larpenteur Ave. Contact 651-792-7600 or www.falconheights.org.

Falcon Heights seeks firefighters

The Falcon Heights Fire Department is seeking paid on-call volunteer firefighters. The department serves the cities of Falcon Heights and Lauderdale.

Residents of Lauderdale and people who work in Lauderdale are welcome to apply.

Applicants must be at least 18, pass a physical exam (paid for by the department), live or work in in the cities of Falcon Heights or Lauderdale, and live within a three-mile driving radius or a five-minute drive of the station.

Applicants who do not meet these requirements will still have their applications reviewed by the

department.

The city provides personal protective equipment, clothing, uniforms and pagers; 120 hours of basic firefighting training; and 45 hours of first-responder training, all paid for by the city.

Firefighters are eligible for worker's compensation, membership in the Firefighters Relief Association and a 20-year service pension upon reaching 50 years of age.

Mixed Precipitation returns

On Sunday, Aug. 23, the Falcon Heights Community Gardeners will host Mixed Precipitation, which will perform "Escape From Alcina's Island: A Picnic Operetta" at Falcon Heights Community Park at the corner of Cleveland and Roselawn avenues. The show will begin at 4 p.m.

This summer's performance will mark Mixed Precipitation's seventh season of bringing opera, food and outdoor fun to parks and gardens throughout Minnesota in August and September.

Mixed Precipitation blends sweet and savory food samples into the storytelling to celebrate the harvest.

The picnic operetta is fun for all ages. Order tickets online at www.brownpapertickets.com/event/1691394. The suggested donation is \$10-20 per ticket. Call Mixed Precipitation at 612-619-2112 for more information.

Lauderdale

The Lauderdale City Council meets on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in Lauderdale City Hall, 1891 Walnut St. Contact www.ci.lauderdale.mn.us or 651-792-7650.

Visit Lauderdale's farmers markets

The Lauderdale farmers markets will be held at Community Park, 1885 Fulham St., the third Thursday of each month from 4 to 7 p.m. through October. Mark Aug. 20, Sept. 17 and Oct. 15 on your calendar.

St. Anthony Park

The District 12 Community Council meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at South St. Anthony Recreation Center, 890 Cromwell Ave. To find when committees meet, go to www.sapcc.org or call 651-649-5992.

News from District 12

The St. Anthony Park Community Council hosted two successful meetings with Aeon, a nonprofit development group that is collecting community input on the group's development site at University and Vandalia avenues. Aeon representatives gathered input at meetings held at Jennings Community Learning Center, 2455 University Ave., and at the Dubliner, 2162 University Ave., in July.

Aeon is proposing to construct

between 100 and 140 new apartment homes with first-floor commercial and retail at the 1.79-acre site. The goals of the project are to provide families with quality apartment homes; support the transit-rich location by redeveloping an underutilized site; increase density and mixed-income housing opportunities; and provide a highly efficient and sustainable living community. The project will offer a mix of one-, two- and three-bedroom units.

Strategic planning continues for the Community Council, which is close to creating a vision statement that will guide the council's work over the next three to five years. The board hopes to unveil that statement after the Thursday, Aug. 13, board meeting.

The District 12 Land Use Committee continues to work on development guidelines for the district to help guide developers in their work in the area. The committee plans to focus on sustainability among other values to

encourage community-oriented development in the neighborhood.

Sign up for the St. Anthony Park neighborhood garage sale now

The St. Anthony Park neighborhood garage sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 19, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Register your sale by filling out the form, which you can find on the St. Anthony Park Community Council website, www.sapcc.org/sap-garage-sale/. Submit the form with \$15 to St. Anthony Park Community Council, 890 Cromwell Ave., St. Paul, MN 55114, by Tuesday, Sept. 15.

The fee includes listing your address on maps that will be distributed at Hampden Park Co-op, Tim and Tom's Speedy Market and Craigslist; a garage sale sign that will be delivered and picked up at your address; and ads in the Park Bugle, Pioneer Press, Star Tribune and on Craigslist.

Call Rich Nelson at 651-641-1172 for more information. Volunteers are needed to help with this event.

Phase 2 of Raymond Ave. construction will disrupt bus service

South St. Anthony Park residents who use Metro Transit's 87 bus route will have to walk to Como Avenue or to Territorial Road to catch the bus during parts of the city's second phase of the Raymond Avenue reconstruction project. That project, which will stretch from Hampden Avenue to Energy Park Drive, is scheduled to begin in late August and be completed by November.

A Metro Transit spokesperson said that during the early stage of the project, the bus will be detoured through south St. Anthony Park. Once the work moves to the Energy Park intersection, which is scheduled to happen after the Minnesota State Fair ends on Sept. 7, the plan is to have the 87 turn west onto Como Avenue from Cleveland Avenue and travel through the north St. Anthony Park business district, then onto Highway 280, where it will exit to Territorial.

Project engineers haven't said how long the Raymond Avenue and Energy Park Drive intersection will be closed during the project.

The Raymond Avenue reconstruction project is aimed at making Raymond Avenue more

pedestrian friendly and slowing traffic on the avenue. Phase 2 will include widening boulevards, adding grassy or landscaped medians and creating 6-foot bike lanes on each side of the street.

The plan to rework the street began in October 2004, when the District 12 Community Council held a public meeting at which residents expressed concerns about traffic and pedestrian and bicycling safety. Residents told stories of motorists taking curves too fast, particularly in the winter, and landing in their yards or hitting fences and trees. Two years later, the St. Anthony Park Community Council formed the Raymond Avenue Traffic Calming Task Force, which initiated the project.

The plan was finalized and approved by the community council in 2010 and subsequently approved by the St. Paul City Council. The first phase of the project—from University Avenue to Hampden Avenue—was completed in 2013. Phase 3, which is not scheduled yet, will include the stretch of Raymond Avenue from Energy Park Drive to Como Avenue.

Annual National Night Out potluck at Hampden Park

Residents of South St. Anthony invite you to the annual Night National Night Out potluck on Tuesday, Aug. 4, 6 p.m. to dark, at Hampden Park. Bring food to share, table service and a blanket or lawn chairs. Bring tables if you have them. Lemonade will be provided. All are welcome. Questions? Call Alisa Weber at 651-646-4363

The coffee pot is always on at senior Leisure Center

By Kristal Leebrick

For 45 years, seniors have gathered in the basement of St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church every Wednesday (except during the Minnesota State Fair) to share lunch, exercise, make crafts and socialize.

Members of the St. Anthony Park Leisure Center toasted the group's 45th anniversary on June 17. Many of the seniors who participate in the Wednesday activities today are the children of the people who started the group in 1970.

Nancy Wenkel of Falcon Heights has been involved in the center since she was a teen. Her father, who was a member of the Methodist church, encouraged her to attend and work with seniors on some of the crafts. She's still working on crafts with her fellow seniors. The group holds a bazaar at Thanksgiving to help support some of the Leisure Center's activities.

The Leisure Center was organized by five area churches: St. Anthony Park United Methodist, St. Anthony Park Lutheran, Corpus Christi Catholic, St. Matthew's Episcopal and St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ. Despite its affiliation with the churches, no church membership is required to participate and there are no membership dues.

Wednesdays at the church begin at 9 a.m. with coffee and tables set up for crafting or cards. Some members come to the exercise class run by St. Anthony Park Area Seniors from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. A blood pressure

clinic is held from 11 a.m. to noon, and then there's lunch.

Mary Markgraf has been cooking the weekly lunches for the last five years. She learned about the group through her mother, who was a frequent participant. "She met so many wonderful people who connected us to the neighborhood," she said.

The center offers a meal each week for \$6. Reservations are required. Call Markgraf at 651-415-0527 to leave a reservation on her answering machine.

You don't have to be a senior to participate in the lunches, says Mark Chapple, who learned about the Leisure Center during his career as a vice president at Park Midway Bank (now Sunrise banks).

"I remember when it started," he said. "I'd see everyone walking by the bank down to the church for lunch." He soon learned how good the lunches were and began frequenting them. Chapple now serves as vice president of the Leisure Center's board.

The Leisure Center hosts special holiday lunches. St. Patrick's Day includes corned beef and cabbage and live Irish music, and the week before the center shuts down for the State Fair, Markgraf serves a State Fair lunch complete with pronto pups, Sweet Martha cookies and a few other things that may or may not come on a stick.

In August, the Leisure Center will be the honored organization at Park Perks, the coffee bar at Sunrise Bank on Como Avenue. Proceeds

from the coffee sold through the month will go toward the Leisure Center.

The center invites area seniors to join in. As the group's brochure says, "The coffee pot is always on."

At right, the 45th anniversary meal in June included a toast to the longevity of the program. Mary Markgraf cooks the meal served each week at the center.

Below, an exercise class concentrates on stretching, toning and strengthening muscles from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. each Wednesday. *Photos by Kristal Leebrick*



Vandalia Tower theater company brings social issues to the stage

By Kyle Mianulli

A new organization in the Creative Enterprise Zone is working to transcend traditional dinner table conversations about difficult issues with an innovative approach to theater and collaborative creativity.

Savage Umbrella cooperates as a

company to create new works of theater, constantly striving to engage artists and audiences in vital discourse. The organization hopes to use its new 20,000-square-foot space in First and First's Vandalia Tower, 550 Vandalia Ave., to support a wide array of talent, while engaging audiences in critical conversations

about social issues.

"Our basic thrust is for us to be a home both for artists and audiences," says artistic director Laura Leffler-McCabe.

Founded in 2007 as a nontraditional collaborative theater

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Laura Leffler-McCabe as Jocasta (center), Michael Ooms as Creon, surrounded by the ensemble in the March/April 2015 Savage Umbrella production of "These Are the Men." *Photo by Carl Atiya Swanson*

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EDITORIAL

Murray tutoring program needs your help

A seven-year-old tutoring program at Murray Middle School has been cut from the 2015-16 school budget due to changes in federal Title 1 funding and Principal Stacey Theien-Collins has launched a fundraising effort to reinstate the program.

St. Anthony Park resident Cindy Thrasher started the Pilot One-on-One program in 2008. The program brings tutors into Murray every day to work one-on-one with underachieving middle-schoolers who are failing in the core subjects.

Thrasher says the impetus for the program was her realization that children who misbehave in the classroom often have multiple challenges in their lives that are beyond their control. The challenges include divorce, alcoholism, abuse, hunger, abandonment and more. When faced with these struggles, it's difficult for the students to stay on track in school.

In the last school year, 70 adult tutors came to Murray each week and worked with 60 students.

The program works. By the end of the 2014-15 school year students in the program made As, Bs or Cs in 83 percent of their core classes. This happened because of the dedicated tutors who cared about the students and showed up each week, Thrasher says. The program also includes parent coaching and home visits.

"The students experienced academic success and realized for themselves that they were very capable of doing well in school by working hard,"

Thrasher says.

"For too long we have heard and read about the achievement gap in our public schools. While this is but one program in one school, we have been able to begin to successfully address this issue at Murray. It should be a program that is present in every public school in St. Paul."

The school needs to raise \$82,500 to keep the program going for another year, and it has until Friday, July 31 to do it. Bill Sands, a 1956 graduate of Murray High School, has challenged Murray's past, current and future families and friends to help fund this program in the coming year. He will match up to \$20,000 in gifts from the community, dollar for dollar.

You can donate to the program by sending a check to Murray Middle School, 2200 Buford Ave., St. Paul, MN 55108 (be sure to note "One-on-One" on the memo line) or by going to givemn.org/fundraiser/Murray-Junior-High-School-1.

Want to take the St. Anthony Park Garden Tour again?

On a blog called streets.mn, Walker Angell walks us through the July 11 St. Anthony Park Garden Tour. He highlights a number of St. Anthony Park landmarks; even the Bugle gets a mention.

Go to streets.mn/2015/07/15/see-a-garden-meet-a-neighborhood/ to check it out.

COMMENTARY

The Park Bugle welcomes letters and commentaries from our readers. Send your submissions to editor@parkbugle.org or to Editor, Park Bugle, P.O. Box 8126, St. Paul, MN 55108. The deadline for the September issue is Wednesday, Aug. 5.

Moving toward a more resilient future

Editor's note: Transition Town—All St. Anthony Park is a group of neighbors working to help mitigate climate change and adapt to its effects by reducing the neighborhood's carbon footprint and better prepare for severe weather and possible economic instability. The following is a draft of the group's 2040 Plan—a vision of life in the community 25 years from now—submitted by the organization's planning group.

How might our community make a positive, local response to climate change? We began collecting ideas after receiving a grant from the St. Anthony Park Community Foundation last fall.

Ideas poured in after a December Bugle notice, during a February "Envision St. Anthony Park in 2040" meeting and in 281 responses to the "Responding to Climate Change" survey in March

and April.

The following draft of five general visions gleaned from these responses reflects our community's hope that we can evolve in a constructive way.

Small footprint. Strong community.

In 2040:

- St. Anthony Park is a diverse but cohesive community of people with various backgrounds, income levels and ages, where many participate locally in education, government, commerce, services and other activities that benefit the community and wider world.
- We live in a "20-minute neighborhood," with many of our needs met within a short walk or transit ride. Exemplary neighborhood pockets are found throughout St. Anthony Park,

with a variety of housing options, green space, urban farms and gardens, shops, schools, services and public places to meet, work, learn, play and linger year round.

- Businesses, industry, organizations and residents continue to reduce their energy use, even though most electricity and natural gas now comes from renewable sources. Small local businesses fill many of these needs.
- Low-impact modes of transportation are the norm, organic materials are composted nearby and waste is minimized through thoughtful shopping, reuse, upcycling, sharing and recycling.
- Life is satisfying and we do not worry about severe weather events because the local effects of severe weather have been

mitigated. People know where to turn if they have trouble.

There's more. To read more specific visions on 14 topics ranging from energy to food to healthcare, visit the 2040 Plan page at TransitionASAP.org.

What do you think? Have we missed something? Is there a topical vision statement you would like to help flesh out for the 2040 Plan?

Please reply to visions@transitionasap.org.

The writing group for this piece includes Marilyn Benson, Kit Canright, Janet Dieterich, Ranae Hanson, Len and Mimi Jennings, Mindy Keskinen, Barry Riesch, Ginner Ruddy, Michael and Regula Russelle, Allie Rykken, Pat Thompson and Tim Wulling, with help from Mike Blandford, Jay Dregni and Meredith Sommers.

LETTERS

Let's talk about development

I would like to open up dialogue about emerging real estate development in St. Anthony Park in the near future.

It appears that most of us all know about Ned Wesenberg's plans to knock down the Healy Building and the adjacent building as well in late 2015 or early 2016. I have discussed this matter with other St. Anthony Park residents and most of these people say that this new development of a three-and-a-half-story apartment building with an underground garage on Como

Avenue is a welcome prospect to the community. Some residents say that the small local businesses here are struggling with lower sales as many consumers are now buying everything online instead of supporting local stores.

There may be some merit to this point as regards more apartment residents as prospective buyers with St. Anthony Park retailers: Finnish Bistro, Dunn Bros. Coffee, the Little Wine Shop, Bibelot, Micawber's Books, Carter Ave. Frame Shop and other vendors. However, the jury is

out in terms of whether or not future residents of local apartment buildings will indeed become local St. Anthony Park retail buyers.

At any rate there should be some kind of dialogue about these matters as the nearby Dinkytown community did not think much about development in their community and now there are way too many seven-story apartment buildings with no foresight as to local planning of such tall buildings and the destruction and relocation of small businesses in Dinkytown

proper.

To conclude, I suggest that we open up dialogue in regard to future development so we can preserve the very special "small-town" Mayberry community on Como Avenue in 2015—2020.

Robb Quast
St. Anthony Park

COMMENTARY

The empty nest

One man's tale of his postpartum retooling

By Adam Granger

My younger son and his boyfriend moved out of the house last month, marking the end of a whopping 38-year continuous span in which I have had a child or children under my roof. When my older son was born, I was 27 years old; I am now 65. I have absolutely no memory of what it's like to be in a childless home.

We, of course, want our children to grow up and move out and live their own lives, if not for our well-being, then for theirs. It is a rite of passage and, unless we adopt the traditional European model of multiple generations living under one roof, it is the way things are supposed to go. But when one has had progeny under his roof for two-fifths of a century, there is some postpartum retooling to be done.

I knew I would miss having kids under my roof, but I didn't realize how much. Son Number One (S1) has been out of the house for decades, but Son Number Two and his partner (S2+) are vivid and happy recent memories. They and their goofy, funny, brilliant friends trooped in and out of our house in an unending parade, eating our food, watching our TV, using our electricity and bivouacking on our couch or our guest bed or any other horizontal surface at hand, and I loved almost every minute of it.

They talked about the latest and

best techno-nerd devices, movies and Reddit items and generally spoke in 21st-century terms I seldom understood but always enjoyed. And, because they are furies—recreational wearers of full-body animal suits—I would sometimes come home to find a living room full of fantastical and improbable wildlife lounging about (S2 and his partner are both foxes, but not foxes like you've ever seen).

In sum, I felt more like the housemother of a geeky fraternity than any sort of normal father. Throw in 24-hour tech support and there's a lot to miss.

As would be expected, this filial desertion has wrought a variety of changes. In the area of noise-abatement, suffice it to say that the house is now very, very still. I sit in the living room and the only thing I can hear is the cat breathing. Our home economics are also in flux. When we straighten and clean the house, it stays straightened and cleaned. We run the washing machine and dishwasher one quarter as much as before, we buy half the groceries we used to, and based on the absence of the boys' 24/7 NSA-quality computers, we're anticipating a measurable drop in our electric bill.

And finally, I find myself looking for replacements for the parenting I did—however minimal that may have been—when the boys were under my roof. This is evincing itself in bizarre and inappropriate ways, which I'm having to work hard to control.

I've resisted the urge to dress the dog in kid's clothes, and last week I called the local school and started setting up a Parent Portal for the cat, but got a grip on myself and hung up before they got my name.

Another change is that we now have a room to repurpose. In a three-bedroom house, this is an asset of no small value, and there are strong

interests lobbying and jockeying for this space. The top two contenders are a sewing room for the wife and a repository for my collections, which currently reside in the basement. I suspect that the result will be a combination of the two, with a guest bed thrown in as a bonus.

Before any such decisions are acted upon, however, there's work to be done because, of course, the room is not actually empty. Kids don't just move everything out at once. They take the stuff they most want, and that which best fits the space into which they're moving, and leave the rest. What to do with it? As sure as I throw something away, S2 will ask for it: "What did you do with that half-jar of chutney I left in my closet?"

It's a dodgy familial question: When does a child's room stop being that child's room? If we had a large house, we could simply enshrine S2's room, maybe even sealing the door, time-capsule-style. As attractive as that sounds, it's not an option we have, so this week I will box up my son's remaining possessions and put them in the garage. (For the record, I have his blessings in this endeavor. I think he's relieved that I'm not making him do it.)

I don't remember exactly how long it took me to get everything out of my parents' house, but it was years, so I'm assuming this agglomeration will be displacing my car in the garage for a while, but it's OK. I miss my son, and it will remind me of him and it will keep him coming back to retrieve things on an as-needed basis. And, if it takes him long enough, he can deal with my stuff at the same time.

Adam Granger lives in St. Anthony Park with his wife and dog, Molly, and is a regular contributor to the Park Bugle.

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St. Anthony Park Lutheran to vote on solar installation

By Mary Mergenthal

Members of St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church will vote on Sept. 20 on whether or not to install a solar photovoltaic system on the church roof. If the vote is affirmative, this system will offset about half of the church's energy usage.

The cost of a 40kW system is \$120,000, and the church has received commitments of \$42,000 in donations toward the project. The congregation has also received a \$73,800 Made in Minnesota (MiM) grant, which will be divided equally over the next 10 years. It is based on \$0.15 per kW generated by the array.

The church's Solar Committee members are hopeful that this installation will help promote community discussion on lowering its environmental footprint.

Congregational president Andy Sackreiter listed what a 40kW system would do:

- Save 73,800 pounds of carbon dioxide per year, the same as 3,950 trees

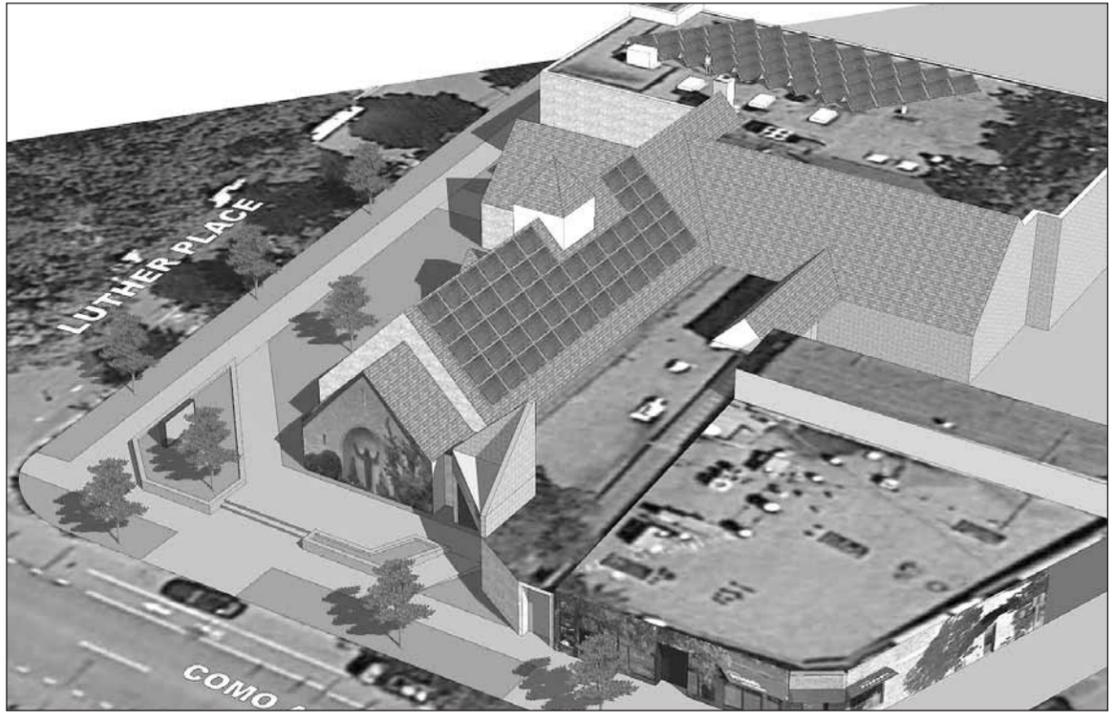
- Offset 1,100 tons of carbon dioxide over a 30-year span

- Generate half of St. Anthony Park Lutheran's energy consumption
- Save the church \$257,000 in energy costs over 30 years

In preparation for the September meeting, the Solar Committee is executing a fundraising campaign, investigating and recommending financing options, and preparing to recommend the size of the solar array.

Readers wishing more up-to-date information on the proposed project and on crowd-funding plans are invited to go to saplc.org/solar.

The Solar Committee consists of David Brostrom, Bjorn Gangeness, Ev Hanson-Florin; Jason Langworthy, Bill Lorimer, Mary Mergenthal, Andy Sackreiter, John Seppanen, Sara Skovholt (chairperson) and Pastor Glenn Berg-Moberg. Clara Sorensen is the youth liaison.



This drawing shows solar units on both the pitched sanctuary roof at St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church and on the flatter roof of the education unit. *St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church*

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Some of the girls currently living at the Blue House orphanage in Kazo, Uganda. Photo by Karen Lilley

September African Dinner Gala to commemorate orphanage founder

Hope Multipurpose Inc. (HMI) will hold an African Dinner Gala to commemorate Beatrice Garubanda's legacy on the 10th anniversary of her death and to benefit the girls who live at the Blue House orphanage in Kazo, Uganda, which Garubanda helped found and HMI sponsors.

The gala will be held from Saturday, Sept. 19, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the North Star Ballroom in the University of Minnesota St. Paul Campus Student Center, 2017 Buford Ave., and will feature an African market, music, dinner and an auction.

Garubanda, her husband, James, and their young children moved to St. Paul from their native Uganda in 1987 so James could attend the University of Minnesota. Garubanda, who was a teacher and childcare worker, also continued her education at Luther Seminary. She was an active member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in St. Anthony Park.

In 2001, Garubanda returned to Uganda and visited Kazo, where the number of children whose immediate family members had been killed by the HIV/AIDS pandemic stunned her. It is estimated that 2.2 million children have lost one or both parents in Uganda to AIDS.

In Kazo, Garubanda saw caregivers in charge of 20 or more children or children who headed households, and she became particularly concerned about the fate of the orphaned girls. Without adequate nutrition, shelter, clothing, healthcare and education—much less, caring adults—the girls faced a dire future. Garubanda wanted to establish a home for girls to give them a safe childhood and help them learn life skills, attend school and, later, contribute to their society.

Upon returning to St. Paul, she promoted her idea and acquired enough funds to purchase living quarters for the girls. In 2004, she established HMI, a nonprofit in St. Paul and a nongovernmental



Beatrice Garubanda

organization (NGO) in Uganda to operate the home. Initially, the residence housed about a dozen girls

and one housemother. It was named the Blue House because for Garubanda, blue was the color of hope.

Just a year after the organization was established, Garubanda died at age 49 of a heart attack.

Early-bird tickets for the African Dinner Gala are \$45 and must be purchased by Aug. 29. The cost is \$55 after that date. The deadline for buying tickets is Sept. 8.

You can order online or mail in a check. HMI is also looking for donations for the auction.

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enactment group, the Society for Creative Anachronism. After an embarrassing equipment failure involving his store-bought fiberglass bow when he was about 13, he experienced a revelation: "I was like, fine, I'll make my own bow."

Prophetic words. That's more or less what Christian-Weir has been doing ever since. Working out of his home, he fashions his historically authentic long bows from wood—yew is a particular favorite, because, says Christian-Weir, "it tells you what it wants to be." But he also uses hickory, wenge and ash, among others. He spends from 20 to 60 hours making each bow, tailoring it to the user's height and strength.

"The rule of thumb is that the bow should be the height of the archer plus 3 inches," he notes, and the average draw of a bow is 35 to 55 pounds, although "a fit, strong guy" like Christian-Weir himself can handle up to 120 pounds. Arrows, which he also makes by hand, are "fletched" with white turkey feathers.

Depending on the work involved, his bows sell for anywhere from \$200 to \$3,000 per weapon. "I'm getting to the point where I could support myself by bow-making" he says, although he hasn't given up his day job as a security guard yet.

Just don't get Christian-Weir started on the differences between his long bows and the modern fiberglass compound bow. Although his clients do use bows for target shooting and occasional hunting trips, they—like him—normally have their attention fixed on a different scene altogether.

Crecy, Poitiers, Agincourt. For most of us, those are half-remembered names of long-ago battles. For Christian-Weir and his customers, they are the whole point. They represent archery's finest hour, when the fabled long bowmen of Britain defeated ("No, annihilated!" he interjects) the French cavalry during the Hundred Years War. He quotes Shakespeare's "Henry V" from memory, "We happy few, we band of brothers," ostensibly in praise of the English archers of 1415, but a listener suspects he would be just as happy to apply the words to his comrades (and sometime



Emily Donovan holds her dye palette with samples of her plant-based dyes that she has made. Photos by Lori Hamilton



Donovan sometimes steeps plants in jars to create her dyes.

Emily Donovan, dye maker

Emily Donovan wants your weeds. She's also interested in tree bark, and she allows, "even dead-heads are acceptable."

Donovan is an artist who chooses her palette from natural plant-based dyes, which she makes herself.

This summer she's working on a project she calls Ornaments of a Minnesota Growing Season. Supported by a grant from the Minnesota State Arts Board, she's printed up a stack of fliers describing her project and inviting gardeners to share their bounty with her. When she sees a plant whose color she covets, she leaves a card for its owner.

Not that she always needs to present a written invitation. On a recent afternoon, she noticed a public works crew from the City of Falcon Heights pulling some "interesting yellow weeds on Larpenteur Avenue." When asked if she could have "some weeds" for her project, the bemused crew offered her the entire truckload.

When she gets some new plant material, she says, "I chop them up and boil them down" in enamel tubs, which she keeps outside at her Como Park home. According to Donovan, the dyes that emerge from this process are "richer, not as vibrant [as chemical dyes] but more nuanced. They're also not as consistent."

Homemade dyes, she contends, have a long tradition in American life. "Recipes for dyes were listed in the back of cookbooks up until the 1940s," she says.

As an artist, "I like the idea of handmade, and I like the processes," she says. "The chemicals used in printmaking and oil paint are so bad

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"I'm famous in the [reenactment] Kingdom of Northshield," Christian-Weir admits modestly.

Still, glory isn't the only, or even the main, motivation for Christian-Weir's work.

"It's the smile on people's faces," he says, "when you hand someone a bow that you've made for them and it works right. It fits them. It responds to them. It's like an extension of their arm. They get this goofy smile on their face."



Dave Lee's guitar-making avocation has become his vocation. Photo by Lori Hamilton

for us—the idea of finding and foraging transfers to my work and inspires me.”

Donovan enjoys the potential for variation and the subtle shades that natural dyes give her paper-based art. She dips the paper in successive layers of different-colored dyes and uses wax-based batik technology to create abstract paintings. Eventually, the paintings she's creating now will be part of a one-woman show that's scheduled for the Bloomington Center for the Arts in June 2017.

She admits that her all-time favorite natural dye is black walnut, which she describes as a “rich, saturated brown” that is not without a few drawbacks. “If you get it on your hands, it can dye them for a month.”

There's also a personal connection with black walnut.

“I come from a family of growers and bakers,” she says, adding that her mother grew up on a farm where black walnut juice was used to “cover the scent of human hands” on the traps that were set for animal predators.

This summer Donovan is on the lookout for lupine, red yarrow, bee balm and marigolds, but she's not about to turn anything away. An important part of her project is experimentation.

“I'd like to expand the palette of what colors you can achieve,” she says.

As an artist whose work is mostly abstract, Donovan relishes the chance to make a human connection with nature-loving neighbors, when she forages for dye plants.

“Minnesota winters are so long,” she says. “When it's summer, I try to be outside. People do amazing things with their gardens.”

If you want to share your garden with Emily Donovan, you can visit her website at www.emaluna.com or contact her at emilydonovan@msn.com.

Dave Lee, guitar maker

When St. Anthony Park resident Dr. Dave Lee retired in early 2014 from his radiology career at age 57, he knew exactly what he wanted to do next. In fact, he'd been planning the

second act of his working life for at least 20 years.

Lee now builds acoustic guitars from straight-grain redwood, myrtle and walnut as well as more exotic woods like zebrawood and rosewood. Since retiring, Lee has produced a dozen guitars in his home basement workshop. He says he's “shooting for” a production schedule of two dozen a year.

Lee, who played upright bass as a kid and “grew up refinishing furniture,” has always known his way around the wood shop. Nearly two decades ago, he decided he wanted to do something with woodworking, but “I didn't want to do cabinetry because the pieces are too big.”

He began to lay the groundwork for a second career as a “luthier”—the formal name for a maker of stringed instruments and the word he uses on his business cards—in 2005. He bought the woodworking tools that he'd need and began taking guitar lessons to better understand the concerns of his future customers.

Tired of the constant overnight shifts that radiology required Lee opted to retire early from medicine. “But there was no midlife crisis,” he says. “I planned guitar making as an avocation, but because I left medicine sooner than I thought I would, it became a vocation.”

Lee says that the most appealing thing about his new line of work is the knowledge that “I'm leaving a musical instrument that will create enjoyment. I like the creative process.”

He notes that in his life as a doctor, “you might read 100 to 200 X-rays a night,” but each guitar takes about 40 hours of work, which allows him more time to focus on

“the steps along the way.”

And then there's the patience required in his new craft. “You measure four or five times and you cut once. If you make one mistake, you could ruin 20 hours of work.” Not that he's complaining: “There's a difference between guitars and radiology,” he says. “Mistakes I make [with a guitar] won't kill anybody.”

As a self-taught craftsman, Lee owes a lot to the Internet. “If I get stuck [on a technical problem],” he says, “the first place I go is YouTube. People so graciously put [solutions] on YouTube.”

At the moment, Lee is better at making his guitars than at selling them, but he hopes that will change as he gets used to the social dimension of what is basically a solitary pursuit.

“The financial goal is a goal, but it's not the primary goal,” he explains, noting that he's changed some professional habits now that he's left medicine.

“Nobody wanted my business card when I worked at night as a trauma radiologist. Now, though, I give my card out at weddings, baptisms, bar mitzvahs.” Anyplace, in other words, where people gather, perhaps with music on their mind.

He's also planning to show off his craft at the Park B4 Dark event on the evening of Thursday, Aug. 20. “And I'm amenable to having people come see the shop and play the guitars.”

You can find out more about Lee's guitars at www.leeacoustics.com.

Judy Woodward is a reference librarian at Roseville Library and a regular contributor to the Park Bugle.

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SUMMER SCENES

Just in case you missed some of the summer fun in Bugleland, here are a few photos from the Fourth in the Park celebration in St. Anthony Park on July 4, Lyngblomsten's Mid-Summer Festival—a part of the three-day Como Fest—on July 11, and some of the cast from the June 19 performance of William Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream," adapted and directed by Sam Bardwell and performed by a cast of 13 youth who spent two weeks preparing for their debut. The performance was held outdoors behind Gullixson Hall at Luther Seminary.



Owen Root shows his patriotic colors at Langford Park. *Photo by Lori Hamilton*



Uncle Sam takes a walk in the children's bike brigade. *Photo by Lori Hamilton*



One of the many vintage cars in the July 4 parade. *Photo by Lori Hamilton*



The Wild Goose Chase Cloggers at the multicultural, live musical and arts entertainment. *Nash*



The St. Anthony Park Community Band plays at the bandstand at the Fourth in the Park celebration. *Photo by Lori Hamilton*

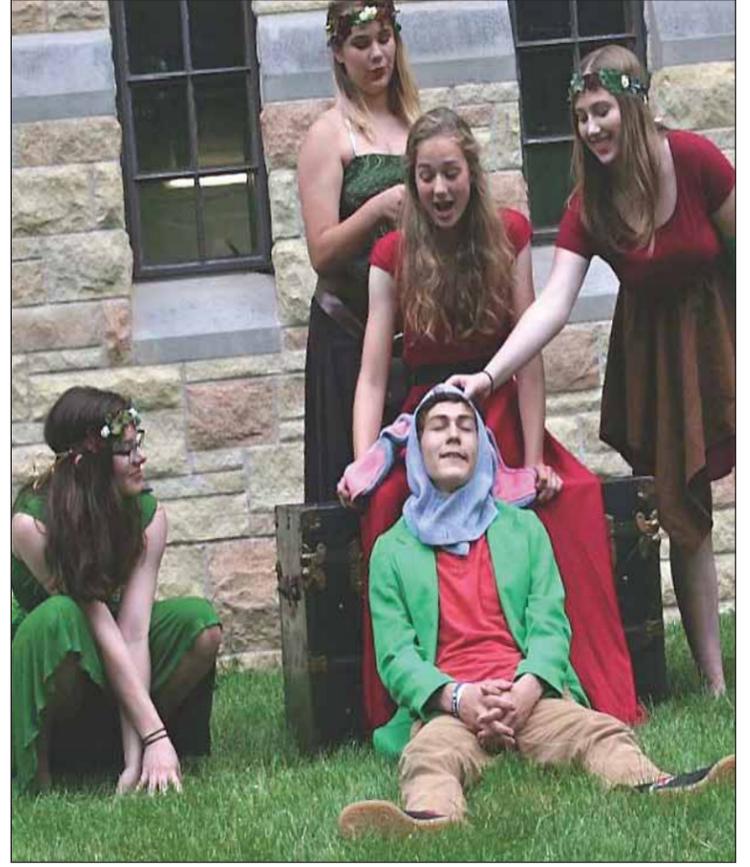


From arts activities like mask-making and clay sculptures, to artist demonstrations with pottery and screen printing, there were creative opportunities for all ages to experience at the Lyngblomsten festival. *Photo courtesy of Lyngblomsten*





Members of Transition Town—All St. Anthony Park take the bus down Como Avenue during the Fourth in the Park parade. *Photo by Lori Hamilton*



The Fairy Queen sleeps: from left, Rory Kranz, Grace Commers, Anna Clements, Amelia Schucker and Ellen Carlson. *Photo by Jennifer Bowen Hicks*



...glomsten Mid-Summer Festival were just one of many events at the celebration of arts for all ages. *Photo by James*



Fiona McKenna played the role of Puck in the June 19 performance of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." *Photo by Jennifer Bowen Hicks*

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Have you ever become so fascinated by a subject that you followed every available resource, each path leading to another branch—and another and another? That happened to Nancy Lorimer when she lived in India and became captivated by Indian architecture, culture and history.

The result is a series of six books about the Moghul Empire that use fictionalized accounts to depict more than 200 years of the Indian dynasty.

Lorimer grew up in Indiana and completed all her schooling there, attending Valparaiso University, Indiana University and Notre Dame for graduate work. After receiving her doctorate in biology (with a concentration in entomology) she and her husband, Bill, lived and worked first in Kenya and then in Delhi, India, a year in each location. They used that opportunity to travel around India, and Nancy became more and more interested in the architecture and religions of the country.

When they returned to the United States, the Lorimers settled in

St. Anthony Park and Nancy took a job with the U.S. Forest Service lab at the University of Minnesota, but she continued to pursue her interest and began to accumulate materials (mostly books) about India. (She became very familiar with the Ames Library of Southeast Asian History at the University of Minnesota and the inter-library lending system.)

Eventually, the sheer amount of information Lorimer accumulated forced her to ask herself what she should do with it all, she said. She wanted to share her information with others and had always been a writer, keeping journals and attending classes at the Loft Literary Center but knew she was not a historian and couldn't write a history book with all the required footnotes and attributions. She could, on the other hand, write fiction that would delve into all the areas that she had researched, she said.

The first two books she wrote concern Emperor Akbar, who was contemporaneous with Queen

Elizabeth I of England and who reestablished and consolidated the Moghul Empire (and was the grandfather of the builder of the Taj

architecture and religion in such a way that it was integral to the plot.

All the characters are historical except for some peripheral figures such as serving maids or merchants.

She used ancillary characters to show aspects of nonroyal lives and to talk about skills such as bricklaying and inlay work. She used primary sources, even some by scribes who reported about the palace and its rules in real time.

The six books cover the time from the beginning of the Empire, under Emperor Babur, in 1526, to when the British took over and the last ruler, Emperor Bahadur Shah, was exiled to Burma (now Myanmar) in 1857.

Lorimer wanted to share what she had learned with others, but had no luck selling her books to a traditional publisher. By this time she had typed them all into her computer, so it was possible to self-publish and sell the work as e-books on Amazon.com. She spent months formatting the books to Amazon's specifications, designing covers, establishing a publishing company and registering it with the state and purchasing an

ISBN number.

The books sell for 99 cents each (making money was not the prime goal) and may be downloaded to a computer or to a Kindle.

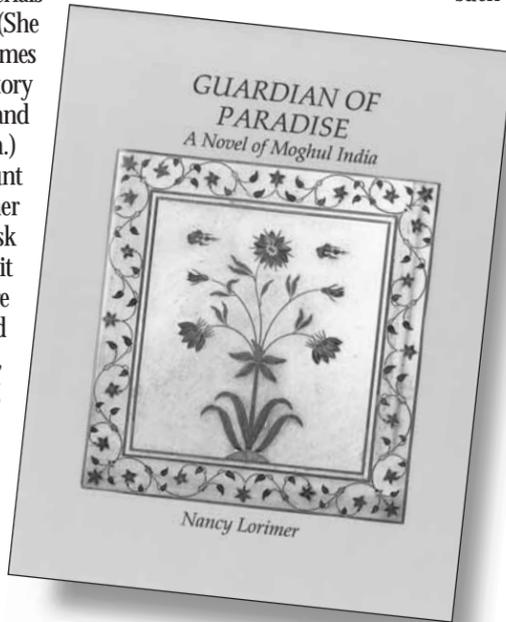
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Lorimer receives 30 percent of the money for each book sold; although she has sold only 430 books she is satisfied that at least some others have read what she has written, and it is interesting for her to see in which countries her readers reside.

Lorimer has bags and boxes of books and materials about India that she has collected over the years that no institution is interested in or capable of acquiring, so she would like to find a suitable home for them. Readers?

Lorimer says that she is not interested in writing any more books—"that itch has been scratched"—but she is now involved in tracing her family's genealogy, collecting photos and stories as well as lists of her ancestors. Well, maybe one more book.

Michelle Christianson is a piano teacher, musician and longtime contributor to the Park Bugle.



Mahal). The first book, *Nineteen Fires*, was written in longhand. It took 18 months to write and revise (the longest of any of the six). She spent much time concentrating on the characters' motivations, the themes that should belong in each book and how to present information about gardens, art, harems, elephants, theology,

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company where artists could produce and act in each other's works, Savage Umbrella has since served as a home to a long string of artists looking to push the boundaries in both structure and content of the theatrical realm.

"I think that what we make together is better than what we could make by ourselves," says Leffler-McCabe. "One person's vision is never as big as that of a roomful of people."

Those big visions have led to works that ask audiences to confront some difficult, yet imperative questions. One 2011 work, "Ex Gays," threw audiences into the perilous world of reparative therapy camps. Actors played the role of camp counselors who were "recovered gays," while the audience members were the campers coming to be "treated" at the camp.

"It put the audience in this uncomfortable position of being implicated in the camp and all that that meant," Leffler-McCabe says.

The audience often plays an integral role in Savage Umbrella's productions. "We're equal parts trying to serve the artists we work

with and the audiences," Leffler McCabe says. "We like to talk about creating space for critical conversation."

By leveraging the avenues art can create to discuss challenging subject matter, Savage Umbrella is able to breach topics in a meaningful way not easily achieved, otherwise.

"Art allows you to transcend that normal dinner table conversation," says Hannah K. Holman, managing director with Savage Umbrella.

Savage Umbrella has a knack for surprising audiences into reflecting on big questions. Their recent work, "These are the Men," reimagines the Oedipus myth, broaching feminist themes of agency, hegemony and power structure. By telling the story in a nonlinear fashion, producers were also able to simultaneously hint at ideas of time and fate.

It was a fortuitous turn of fate in 2014 that elevated Savage Umbrella to a new level, ultimately driving them to St. Paul and the Creative Enterprise Zone. During Give to the Max Day, Minnesota's statewide day of giving, Savage Umbrella received a Golden Ticket, which turned a \$10

donation into a \$20,000 windfall.

The company had already been considering the possibilities a brick-and-mortar location could provide. When news of the good fortune came down, "it allowed us to take the leap and make it a reality," Holman says. "The idea is to fill [the space] with as many artists as we can, as often as we can."

Only a couple of months in, Savage Umbrella is already leasing out the space to a plethora of improvisation groups, costume and set designers, even yoga classes. "We really wanted to have a place that is affordable and that is always available for artists," Holman says.

The emerging model is still a grand experiment, of sorts, that is allowing the group of artists to dream big. They're gearing up for an ambitious upcoming season, including the launch of a mentor series for younger collaborative theater makers, as well as a new project based on the serialized progression of short segments that model a television sit-com. This Halloween, audiences can also catch a boutique performance of a horror thriller called "Sweet Dreams, Alfie."

For now, Savage Umbrella is happy to have landed in St. Paul at what appears to be a pivotal time for the arts in Minnesota's Capitol city. "It does feel like there's something exciting happening in St. Paul, right now," Holman says. "Something is bubbling up creatively."

You can find out more at www.savageumbrella.org.

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Business News

New massage school coming to Front Street in Como Park

By Alex Lodner

When Alexei Levine and Valerie Hood began searching for a location for their third massage school, the building at 801 Front Ave. in the Como Park neighborhood seemed like a perfect fit. The building had been home to a Baptist church.

"When we were first looking at properties in the Twin Cities, we saw the potential of the building on Front Avenue," Hood explained. "It was our best option in terms of classroom configuration, parking and accessibility for our students. We learned more about the neighborhood: its close-knit, looking-out-for-one-another community mindedness. That made our choice seem even more suited to us, to our philosophy and to the students we tend to attract."

Levine, who has worked as a massage therapist in Los Angeles and Massachusetts, is no stranger to Minnesota. He received his undergraduate degree from the University of Minnesota and a master's degree in physical therapy at St. Catherine's University. After a variety of career moves that included



Alexei Levine and Valerie Hood plan to open a massage school at 801 Front Ave. this fall.

work in the film industry in Los Angeles, Levine felt massage therapy was where he belonged. For her part, Hood spent decades searching for her true calling, she said. After finding herself raising two young children on her own, she looked into massage therapy but found the cost of schooling to be prohibitive.

"I was interested in healing—massage therapy in particular," she said. "Schools were very expensive

and required full payment up front. With two children to raise, I just didn't have the wherewithal. So that dream died in the bud."

After meeting Levine and hearing of his goal of opening an affordable massage school, Hood said she was instantly on board.

"We were determined to open the kind of school that I wished had been available to me: a low-cost, practical program where students can graduate and start making a living right away, doing work that is meaningful and true to their nature," she said. "Our mission was to make this incredibly powerful healing modality available to more people by making the education affordable and accessible."

Levine brought his years of experience in massage therapy to their mission, and together they opened a massage school in Massachusetts.

"I was a massage therapist in Los Angeles, where the massage scene was unbelievably rich and diverse. I decided I wanted to learn more about how to help people work towards

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Smallest Museum is open

By Kristal Leebrick

WORKHORSE COFFEE BAR, 2399 W. University Ave., had a full house on June 17 for the mayoral ribbon-cutting of its Smallest Museum in St. Paul.

In his opening remarks, St. Paul Mayor Chris Coleman said the diminutive museum housed in a 2-by-3-foot former fire hose cabinet just outside the establishment's doors adds to the list of things that make St. Paul a great city.

What makes a city interesting is the "surprises" one finds when turning a corner on a city street, Coleman said, like the tiny museum.

WORKHORSE proprietors Shannon Forney and Ty Barnett were awarded a \$5,000 grant from the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation as part of the St. Paul Arts Challenge, to create and curate a micro-museum outside the shop door. They issued a call for proposals for artists, historians and makers to suggest their best curatorial idea.

There were three criteria for proposals: relate to local, engage the audience and not "too fussy" (no items of high value). A panel of local arts leaders and community members reviewed all proposals and chose the top 12, who will each create a month-long exhibit over the next year.

The August exhibit is "Read the Fine Print," micro-printing by Ruthann Godollei. The list of upcoming shows through next June include:

September: Jill Waterhouse, Cabinet of Wonder—community objects

October: Yousif Del Valle, Green Line Train Film

November: Abigail Allan, Frog Specimens

December: Joshua Murray, Digital History of the Security Building

January 2016: Taylor Rose, Medicine Cabinet

February: Anne Preston, Crocheted replica of WorkHorse Coffee Bar

March: Dick Wenkel, "Undiscovered" Species of Minnesota

April: Richard Chin, Skyscrapers

May: Aleah Vinick, Minnesota Historical Society Teen Council Project

June: Andy Singer, Bicycle Zines & Pedestrian Comics



Mayor Chris Coleman cuts the ribbon at the Smallest Museum in St. Paul as St. Paul City Council chair Russ Stark and proprietors Shannon Forney and Ty Barnett look on. Photo by Kristal Leebrick

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the eat beat

Cozy's expands and improves menu at Como Golf Course

By Alex Lodner

Last year, Prom Catering took over the clubhouse concessions stand at Como Golf Course and introduced Sparky's, a limited-menu restaurant with items such as salads and hot dogs. This season, the company has responded to the community's request for fresher food by offering an expanded menu that includes a long list of burgers, sandwiches and highly addictive French fries.

The name and logo have also been changed: the moniker Cozy's Pub brings to mind a quaint community gathering spot, and the new logo is more reflective of the

beautiful surroundings that make the restaurant so appealing to golfers and neighbors alike.

"Our main goal is to provide more for the neighborhood," manager Don Siggelkow said. "We've done well with golfers. We kept a lot of the grab-and-go items like hot dogs that the golfers like, but we are seeing more and more families come in. We've switched from frozen to fresh; we now use fresh hamburger meat for our burgers, for example."

The executive chef from Prom Catering has developed a menu that is conducive to the small kitchen space but still offers interesting choices, such as the Firehouse Burger

with hot pepper cheese, jalapenos and red pepper sauce. The restaurant has also switched to full table service instead of counter service and new furniture has been added, both inside and out, to "spruce the place up," Siggelkow said.

Hours have been extended and a simple, reasonably priced weekend breakfast menu has been added. The restaurant is open Monday-Friday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.

"We are trying to be the place in the neighborhood that everyone wants to come to," Siggelkow said.

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wellness," he said. "My experience with the medical system in the wellness arena was that it was broken and inappropriate for the health challenges that most of us face, such as the effects of a bad diet and inactivity."

Levine and Hood opened the Massage School in Amherst, Mass., in 2001. It was an immediate success, they said. Their second location, in Boston, was opened in 2013.

"We teach a blend of massage techniques, in a curriculum filled with tons of hands-on practice," Levine said. "We've had a lot of success with our methods, and our graduates are highly sought after in Massachusetts."

To Hood, making the school affordable was key.

"We structured our program to bypass the federal financial aid trap that the big corporate schools use," she said. "We really dislike that model of for-profit education that indentures students to a large loan that is hard to repay and makes success so much harder for a new

therapist just starting out," she said.

But that model made it difficult for the two owners to make a good living, much less save toward retirement.

"Because we give most of our profits back to the students in the form of scholarships, we knew that we'd have to open more schools if we were ever going to have any financial security for ourselves," Levine said. "I always felt that we would do well in the Twin Cities, because the people are so great. The Midwestern work ethic, and a kind of wholesome goodness, is a real thing here, not just a stereotype."

The program, which is 750 hours long, should take a year to complete. Once students complete the first portion of the program, they begin practicing in the student clinic. Concurrently, students will continue taking classes in anatomy and physiology, kinesiology and pathology, and business and ethics. Classes will be on Tuesday and Thursday evenings and all day Saturday. The clinic will be open on

Wednesday, Friday and Sunday.

Levine and Hood hope to open the school this fall, but the to-do list is long and funding is tight.

"The building was built in 1959 and it's a little tired," Hood said. "What we can't do right away will go on our list of projects to do later when we start to generate some income."

Both Levine and Hood say they are thrilled to be a part of the Como Park community.

"Already we have met some great people, been to an outdoor spinning class, met the charming councilwoman, talked to a yoga teacher, visited with a local potter and stayed at the beautiful B&B on the lake," Hood said. "We feel so lucky to have landed on this little piece of the best of America."

To learn more about the Massage School, go to themassageschool.org.

Alex Lodner lives in Como Park and is a regular contributor to the Park Bugle.

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Robert Carlson

Robert Hess Carlson, 92, died surrounded by family on July 13.

He was a 1942 graduate of St. Paul Central, where he served as class president. Bob attended the University of Minnesota before enlisting in the U.S. Army Air Corp in 1943. After the war, he married Nancy Samuels and began a sales career with Utica and later Straus Knitting Mills. In 1958, Bob joined his brother-in-law in the LP gas business.

Bob served on the board of Roseville State Bank and was a member of Triune Summit Masonic Lodge No. 3, St. Paul Scottish Rite, Osman Shrine and St. Paul Court No. 9 Royal Order of Jesters.

He is survived by his wife of 66 years and children, Teri Shipp, Robert Jr., David and Bruce; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

His funeral was held July 20 at Falcon Heights United Church of Christ, with interment at Roselawn Cemetery.

William Deuberry

William Carson Deuberry, 66, died unexpectedly June 25. Bill was a 1966 graduate of Cretin High School, a 1970 graduate of St. John's University and a longtime agent with State Farm.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Neenan; and wife of 38 years, Colleen. He is survived by his children and grandchildren and by his siblings, twin sister Laura Deuberry and brother, Greg (Patricia).

Memorial Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated July 1 at St. Cecilia Catholic Church in St. Anthony Park, with inurnment at Resurrection Cemetery.

Wendell Frerichs

Wendell Wallace Frerichs, 89, retired Luther Seminary professor, died June 23.

Wendell was born in Iowa to Wallace and Alma Frerichs. He graduated from Worthington, Minn., High School in 1943, St. Olaf College in 1948, Luther Seminary in 1951 and the University of Basel, Switzerland, in 1966 with his doctorate. During these years he served in the U.S. Navy and at two parishes (Cleveland, Ohio, and Stevens Point, Wis.).

He married his college classmate Jeanne Opsahl in 1948.

He served 40 years as a much-loved professor of Old Testament at Luther Seminary.

The family is thankful for the love and support of many friends, especially Jeanne, who read scripture and prayed with him hundreds of times, and for Health Partners' hospice, especially Dr. Maag, Mark, Fidel and Kristi.

After 66 1/2 years of marriage, he will be dearly missed by his wife and their five children: Wendy

Bachman, Rachel (Jim) Larson of St. Anthony Park, Heidi Frerichs, Grant (Julie) Frerichs and Daniel (Monika) Frerichs. He is also survived by six grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother-in-law. He is survived by his sisters, Beatrice Thompson, Phyllis (Jerry) Scribner and Janet (Larry) Hughes and brother, Donald (Dianne) Frerichs.

A memorial service was held at St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church July 16. Ashes were placed in the Memorial Garden at Luther Seminary.

Rolf Hanson

Rolf G. Hanson, 91, of Roseville, died July 11.

Rolf was a World War II Navy veteran serving in the Pacific Theatre from 1942 to 1946. He was a graduate of South Dakota State University and Luther Seminary. Rolf was a longtime Lutheran pastor serving a number of parishes in Minnesota and Montana, including St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church

(1971-91). He retired from active ministry in 1991.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Paul, James and John. He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Esther; children, Rolf (Linda) Hanson, Kristine (Gerald) Larson, Else (James) Carlson, Karen (David) Benton, Peter (Kay) Hanson and Grete (Charles) Hanson; 18 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

His funeral service was held July 17 at Cross Lutheran Church in Maplewood. Interment followed at Trinity Lutheran Cemetery, Spring Grove, Minn.

Margaret Kampa

Margaret Marie "Marge" (Knowlan) Kampa, 82, graduated with honors from Murray High School in the Class of 1950.

Marge was preceded in death by her husband, Donald Kampa; son, Paul Kampa; son-in-law, Scott Lis; and brother, Edward Knowlan. She is survived by her children, Karen Lis of Lexington, Mich.; Glen Kampa

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(Diane) of Lino Lakes; and Kent Kampa (Carol) of St. Paul; brother, Edward Knowlan; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held July 10 at Anderson Funeral Home, with interment at Roselawn Cemetery.

Monica Kline

Monica V. Kline, 94, died in her sleep on June 12. She was a founding member of St. Anthony Park Leisure Center and was active there for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl, and is survived by her children, Lynda Parker, Ronald (Debbie), David (Roberta) and Chuck; nine grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated June 23 at Corpus Christi Catholic Church in Roseville, with interment at Resurrection Cemetery.

Gerald McNabb

Gerald J. "Jerry" McNabb, 80, died June 18 after a long and hard-fought illness.

Jerry was proud to serve his country as a Marine, loved golf, fishing, the Green Bay Packers and his Philadelphia Phillies (only when they were winning).

He was preceded in death by his sister Claire and daughter Patty Lynn.

He is survived by Marian, his wife of nearly 60 years; sisters, Kathleen and Mary Alice; sons, Jay and Kevin (Amy Graber); and daughters, Mary Ellen (Ed Kieger) and Kelly (Mike Carlson); and nine grandchildren.

Funeral Mass was celebrated on June 23 at Holy Childhood Catholic Church in Como Park, with interment at Roselawn Cemetery in Roseville.

Carol Jean Osip

Carol Jean Osip, 73, died peacefully surrounded by her family and friends on July 9. She died of pancreatic cancer.

Street racing from 1

vehicular homicide and served three years in prison.

The detail will not target people for driving supped-up cars.

"What we're going to be focusing on is behavior that is not normal," Paulos said.

"What it really boils down to is driving conduct—when they're zigzagging in and out of traffic, cutting you off and going through the neighborhoods at a high rate of speed. It's all about safety."

The majority of St. Paul's street racers range in age from late teens to early 30s and appear to be coming in from outside the city, Paulos said.

Most gatherings are organized through social media sites like Twitter, Snapchat, Facebook and Instagram.

Street racing's popularity in St. Paul varies from year to year,

Carol is survived by her sisters, Chris (Andy) Pasternak, Cathy (Denny Carlson), Cyndi (Mike Turner), Joni and Jeanie. She is also survived by her second family of friends, including Elaine, Louise, Joy and many others who enjoyed her love of travel, sports, movies, casinos, bowling and community service.

Carol was born and raised in Allen Park, Mich. She was a nun in the Order of the Sister Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary in Michigan for 10 years.

After receiving a degree at the University of Illinois, she worked as a school psychologist for St. Paul Public Schools. She loved her work and colleagues.

She was a proud supporter of the DFL and was in the League of Women Voters for many years.

She was dedicated to service and worked as a volunteer at the airport, Minnesota History Center, driving seniors and visiting shelters with her dog, Lily.

A Memorial Mass of Christian Burial was held July 18 at St. Cecelia Catholic Church in St. Anthony Park.

Boyd Varberg

Boyd E. Varberg, Lauderdale, 81, died June 18.

He is survived by his wife, Doris; brothers, Dale and Richard; daughter, Cheryl; and sons, David, Mark and John.

His memorial service was held at Rosehill Alliance Church July 2.

Alice Veiman

Alice Irene Veiman, 80, longtime Como Park resident, died June 18.

She is survived by her daughters, Jacqueline Veiman, Susan Hitchens (Ron Petrusson), Lynn (Dan) Flaherty and Lee (Rick) Peters; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and her beloved dog, Murphy.

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated June 25 at the Cathedral of St. Paul, with burial at Calvary Cemetery.

Paulos says, but many point to Hollywood blockbuster movies that glamorize the activity as causing a rise in recent years.

Residents who hear street racing in their area are encouraged to call the St. Paul Police nonemergency number at 651-291-1111.

If street racing is encountered while out on the roads, drivers are encouraged to stay a safe distance behind, and "don't try to keep up," Paulos says.

If you feel your safety is being threatened when encountering racing first-hand, it is appropriate to call 911, Paulos added.

The St. Paul Police Department is keeping the timeline for increased enforcement flexible, Paulos says, and the crackdown will continue for the foreseeable future.

AUGUST Events

Venue information is listed at the end of the calendar. Send your events to calendar@parkbugle.org by Wednesday, Aug. 5, to be included in the September issue.

2 SUNDAY

Ancient Wisdom/Ancient Mysteries, local branch of the Theosophical Society, will host a potluck vegetarian picnic near the band shell on Lake Harriet in Minneapolis, noon-2 p.m. Bring a dish to share and your own plates, cups and forks. Look for tables with balloons.

3 MONDAY

Artful Expressions: the second class in this series is a weaving workshop taught by Chiaki O'Brien, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10 a.m.-noon. Class is limited to nine participants. Call the St. Anthony Park Area Seniors, 651-642-9052, to register.

4 TUESDAY

Microsoft Excel Basics for Building Job Skills-Part 1, St. Anthony Park Library, 10 a.m.-noon. Register at 651-642-0411.

Summer Spark (library summer reading program): Dazzling Dave, the Yo-Yo Master, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

5 WEDNESDAY

English Conversation Circles, every Wednesday, St. Anthony Park Library, 4-5:30 p.m.

St. Anthony Park Book Club, "The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics" by Daniel James Brown, St. Anthony Park Library, 6-8 p.m.

6 THURSDAY

Caregiver Support Group, first Thursday of each month, St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 10-11:30 a.m.

Preschool Mandarin Chinese story time, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Microsoft Excel Basics for Building Job Skills-Part 2, St. Anthony Park Library, 10 a.m.-noon. Register at 651-642-0411.

10 MONDAY

Ancient Wisdom/Ancient Mysteries, the local branch of the international Theosophical Society, will sponsor a mini-workshop on tarot and tarot reading with Marlene DeLott, Spirit United Church, 7-9 p.m., \$10 suggested donation.

11 TUESDAY

Summer Spark (library summer reading program): Bruce the Bug Guy, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-

11:30 a.m.

13 THURSDAY

Learn Chinese Folk Dancing, morning exercise free and open for adults, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

St. Anthony Park Area Seniors Cinema Series, "Annie," St. Anthony Park Library, 2-4 p.m.

17 MONDAY

Community Sing, Olson Campus Center, Luther Seminary, 6:30 p.m.

18 TUESDAY

Summer Spark (library summer reading program): Storyteller Paulino Brener, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

20 THURSDAY

Preschool Mandarin Chinese story time, St. Anthony Park Library, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Lauderdale Farmers Market, Community Park, 1885 Fulham St., 4-7 p.m.

Park B4 Dark, St. Anthony Park Como Avenue business district, 5-8 p.m. Food, music, shopping and family activities.

24 MONDAY

Artful Expressions: the third class in this series is a silk scarf-dyeing workshop by Chiaki O'Brien, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church. Class is limited to 10 participants. Call St. Anthony Park Area Seniors, 651-642-9052, to register.

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26 WEDNESDAY

Beat Boxing: Children in grades K-6 can work with a professional beat box and hip hop artist to learn how to transform your voice into drums, trumpets, cymbals and even violins, St. Anthony Public Library, 2-3 p.m. Class is limited to 25 participants. Call 651-642-0411 to register.

28 FRIDAY

Co-ed drum circle, Women's Drum Center, 6:30 p.m. All levels of experience are welcome and encouraged to attend. Cost is \$10 at the door. Drums provided.

30 SUNDAY

Sunday Afternoon Book Club, "The Blazing World" by Siri Hustvedt, Micawber's, 2:30 p.m.

SENIOR EXERCISE ST. ANTHONY PARK AREA SENIORS

Tuesdays and Fridays, St. Anthony Park Library, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Mondays and Thursdays, Lauderdale City Hall, 2-3 p.m.

COMO PARK/FALCON HEIGHTS BLOCK NURSE PROGRAM

Tuesdays and Thursdays, Falcon Heights Town Square Senior Apartments, 9:30-10:30 a.m. and Arbor Pointe Senior Apartment, 11 a.m.-noon

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Wednesdays, St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 11:30

a.m.-noon

COMO PARK/FALCON HEIGHTS BLOCK NURSE PROGRAM

Third Thursdays, Arbor Pointe Senior Apartments, 10-11 a.m.

Fourth Thursdays, Falcon Heights Town Square Senior Apartments, 11 a.m.-noon

VENUE INFORMATION

Arbor Pointe Senior Apartments, 635 Maryland Ave. W.

Falcon Heights Town Square Senior Apartments, 1530 W. Larpenteur Ave.

Lauderdale City Hall, 1891 Walnut St., 651-631-0300

Micawber's Books, 2238 Carter Ave., 651-646-5506

Olson Campus Center, Luther Seminary, 1490 Fulham St.

Spirit United Church, 3204 Como Ave. SE, Minneapolis, 651-235-6645

St. Anthony Park Library, 2245 Como Ave., 651-642-0411

St. Anthony Park United Church of Christ, 2129 Commonwealth Ave., 651-646-7173

St. Anthony Park United Methodist Church, 2200 Hillside Ave., 651-603-8946

Women's Drum Center, 2242 University Ave. W., www.womensdrumcenter.org

St. Anthony Park Area Seniors' Senior Cinema Series

"Annie (2014)" 2 p.m. Thursday, August 13th, at SAP Library

Ever since her parents left her as a baby, little Annie (Quvenzhané Wallis) has led a hard-knock life with her calculating foster mother, Miss Hannigan. However, all that changes when hard-nosed billionaire and mayoral candidate Will Stacks (Jamie Foxx) takes her in on the recommendation of his advisers (Rose Byrne, Bobby Cannavale). Stacks believes that he's Annie's guardian angel, but the plucky youngster's confidence and sunny outlook may mean that Annie will save Will instead. PG, 118 minutes.



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Neighbors

Local girl performs in Circus Juventas' summer circus show

Karla Heaton, daughter of Jennifer Heaton and Sigrid Ellis of St. Anthony Park, will perform in the Circus Juventas' summer show "1001 Nights" as a street rat. Heaton, who has been with Circus Juventas for eight years, will perform on the bike. She will be in seventh grade this fall and is home-schooled.

"1001 Nights" will be performed Friday, July 31, through Sunday, Aug. 16, at Circus Juventas Big Top, 1270 Montreal Ave., St. Paul. Tickets are \$15-\$40. You can order the tickets by calling the box office at 612-343-3390 or online www.ticketworks.com.

For more information, contact Circus Juventas at 651-699-8229 or www.circusjuventas.org.



Karla Heaton at Circus Juventas Photo by Dan Norman

Roseville Library marks 50th anniversary of Voting Rights Act

In recognition of a milestone of Civil Rights history, the Roseville Library is sponsoring two programs to mark the 50th anniversary of the enactment of the Voting Rights Act.

On Monday, Aug. 3, Sen. John Marty of District 66 will introduce the documentary film "Selma: the Bridge to the Ballot" at 7 p.m. at the library, 2180 N. Hamline Ave.

Historian J.B. Anderson will present "The Road to Legislation" on Thursday, Aug. 6, at 12:30 p.m. Anderson's presentation will look at the meaning of this critical milestone in civil rights history and explain the process that led to its passage.

Andersen will also share his personal memories of the struggle that preceded its enactment.

Local artist to exhibit in Hudson
Pastel drawings by St. Anthony Park artist Linda Ricklefs Baudry will be

included in an exhibit at the Phipps Center for the Arts in Hudson, Wis. An opening reception of the show will be held Friday, Aug. 7, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The work will be on view through Sept. 13.

The work includes a mixed-



Legislators host town hall forum

Minnesota House Reps. Alice Hausman and John Lesch, along with State Sen. John Marty, hosted a town hall forum on July 1 at the Hamline Midway Library. More than 100 area residents attended the forum, where the legislators gave an overview of the recent legislative session and fielded comments about what constituents would like to see happen in the next session. Pictured here are Hausman, Marty and Lesch. Photo by Grant Abbott

media installation by Dana Sikkila of North Mankato; sculpture by George G.I. Moore of Afton; assemblage by Judy Anderson of Star Prairie, Wis.; sculpture by Mary Kathleen Scott of St. Paul; photography by Brett Kallusky of Minneapolis, and prints by Beth Dorsey of Minneapolis.

Galleries hours are Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 4:30 p.m. The Phipps is located 15 miles east of St. Paul. Take Hudson Exit 1 off I-94, Hwy 35 North, and turn west on Locust Street.

MakeItOk presentation in St. Paul

A free Together We Can MakeItOk program that provides information about mental illnesses, combats stigma and offers helpful hints about how to talk about mental illnesses,

will be offered on Monday, Aug. 10, 9:40-10:30 a.m., at the Jewish Community Center, 1375 St. Paul Ave., in St. Paul. The free program, open to all, is presented by speakers from the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of Minnesota and is open to the public.

For more information, call 651-645-2948.

NAMI group helps adults recovering from mental illness

A NAMI Connection peer support group for adults recovering from mental illness meets in St. Paul. The free group is sponsored by the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of Minnesota. Trained facilitators who are also in recovery lead NAMI Connection groups. The

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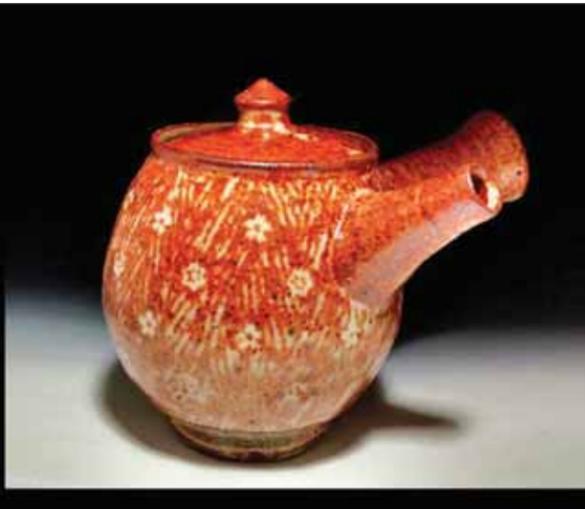
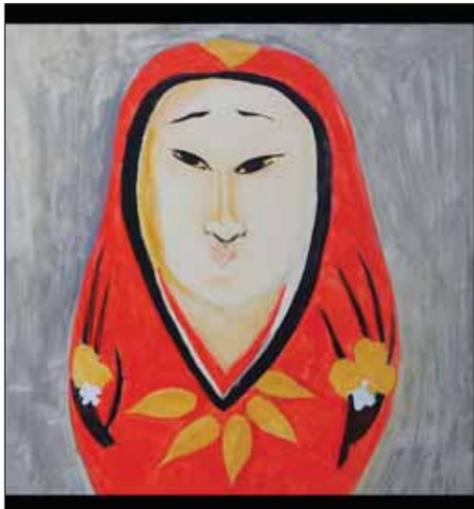
Como Docksides to host Music and Movies in August

Como Docksides at the Como Lakeside Pavilion will be hosting Music and Movies in the park every Friday in August. Music performances start at 7 p.m. and will be followed by movies at dusk. The events are free and will be held at the pavilion. The dates, bands and movies are listed below.

Aug. 7: Minneapolis soul band Southside Desire and movie "Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure." (PG)

Aug. 14: Yach rock group Tropical Depression and "Muppets From Space" (G).

Aug. 21: Midwestern folk rock/Americana group Farewell Milwaukee and "Young



The work of Jean Shannon (left) and Lee Love (right) will be shown at Raymond Avenue Gallery Aug. 28-Oct. 2.

Frankenstein" (PG).

Aug. 28: Indie-electro-garage-pop band Fort Wilson Riot and "Willow" (PG).

Raymond Avenue Gallery to host work of Lee Love, Jean Shannon Raymond Avenue Gallery, 761 Raymond Ave., will present the

pottery of Lee Love and paintings by Jean Shannon Aug. 28-Oct. 2. The opening reception for the show will be held Friday, Aug. 28, 6-8 p.m.

Lee Love was introduced to ceramics through Warren Mackenzie and the Minnesota and Wisconsin potters associated with him. "I learned to make functional pottery

for everyday use," he stated. "It wasn't until my first visit in 1993 to the town where I was born, Sakai, Japan, just outside of Osaka, that I learned that the 16th-century tea master Sen No Rikyu was also from Sakai, and had lived very close to my Japanese relatives' neighborhood. After realizing this, I knew I had to learn more about tea ceremony and the ceramics used in it."

Jean Shannon saw her first Hiroshige woodblock prints at the age of five in the hallway of Frank Lloyd Wright's Unitarian church in Madison, Wis. "After focusing almost exclusively on woodblock prints for 15 years, I've started to paint 'portraits' of some of the toys I've collected. These paintings have surprised me, made me smile, and I hope they bring a smile to their viewers too," Shannon said.

The clay, sculptures and paintings of gallery owner Joseph G. Brown will be on view in the lower level gallery.

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturday, noon-4 p.m.

Classes and events at local Park & Rec center

Summer camps and classes are in session at your local recreation center. Register at www.stpaul.gov/parks. Here is a list of classes at the rec

centers in the Bugle readership area and the phone numbers for the centers.

Langford, 651-298-5765

Soo Bahk Do, ages 6-adult

Art: How to Train Your Dragon, ages 3-5

Computer: Minecraft Movie Making, ages 7-12

Science: Flight Academy, ages 6-12

Pilates for adults

Senior gym bowling and darts

Northwest Como, 651-298-5813

Tye Dye, ages 4-9

Minecrafting Basics, ages 7-11

Minecraft Coding with Python, ages 10-15

Tye Dye, ages 4-9

Cheerleading Camp, ages 5-9

Schoolhouse Chess, ages 6-12

Flag Football Camp, ages 6-12

Gone Fishing Sewing Bag, ages 10-14

Basketball Camp, ages 7-12

Mini Hawk Camp, ages 4-7

Art Academy, ages 7-12

How to Train Your Dragon Art Class, ages 4-6

Ahoy Matey Art Class, ages 4-6

Badminton Camp, ages 14-13

Volleyball Camp, ages 8-14

Messiest Art Camp Ever Part 2, ages 6-9

Story Time Art, ages 4-6

Tae Kwon Do, ages 6+

Senior Gamers

North Dale, 651-558-2329

Robotics: Star Wars Droid Builder

Babysitting Class, ages 11+

Tae Kwon Do, ages 4-adult

Science: Grossology, ages 4-7

Senior Fitness

Yoga for adults and seniors

Pilates for adults and seniors

Senior Cards

Special Events

North Dale Movie Night: Friday, July 31, showing "Paddington," 7:30 p.m.

North Dale Summerfest: Tuesday, Aug. 11, 5-8 p.m.

Langford Movie Night: Thursday, Aug. 20, "Big Hero 6," 7-10 p.m.

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