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JULY 4TH CELEBRATION

Bloomington's annual 4th of July celebration is slated for Tuesday, July 4 in a **NEW LOCATION**. This year's festivities will take place at Lake Street and Springfield Drive.

The day's events kick off at 11 a.m. with Cooky and Wizzo from WGN TV's Bozo Show. After some on-stage hijinks, the pair will greet youngsters individually. Bring your camera.

Beginning at 1:30 p.m. and running until 4 p.m., the Master Comedy Clown troupe will entertain with magic, antics and balloons. Family games will take place 2-4 p.m.

Beginning at 3:30 p.m. The Great Pretenders present their energetic and visually exciting show. They are masters at transporting the audience back to the days of Brylcreem, 3-D movies, poodle skirts and drive-ins. Highlights of their show include tributes to The Beach Boys, The Monkees and more.

At 5:30 p.m. American English takes to the stage presenting one of the finest tribute shows to the Beatles, including imitating the vocal harmonies that popularized the Beatles. It's more than just music. The group makes the audience feel the excitement of what it was like to see the Beatles "Live."

At 7:30 festgoers will be treated to the Trent Carlini Show with the Fabulous Ambassadors. The Ambassadors were at Bloomington's July 4 celebration two years ago and brought the house down right before the fireworks. They're back again, this time not only with their crowd-motivating show, but also backing Europe's Number One Elvis stylist, Trent Carlini.

Carlini was born in Chicago, then lived in Italy from the age of four. As a teen he formed a group which enjoyed tremendous local popularity. He went on to record a song which made it to the top of European charts.

His resemblance of Elvis and his ability to perform his songs so well, led Trent Carlini to create a tribute to Elvis as his act which was performed all over Europe. He is now considered Europe's #1 Elvis stylist.

This is the second summer this exciting, young performer has brought his magic to the U.S. audiences. His talent, charisma and energy combined with the outstanding sounds of the Fabulous Ambassadors will make this a show to long be remembered.

Games with prizes and the kiddie train will be featured during the event. Food, pop, beer and wine coolers, plus ample seating will also be offered.

The entire day will be capped off by the traditionally fabulous fireworks display sponsored by the Bloomington Park District. This year the fireworks will take place at Springfield Park, just adjacent to the festival site.

The July 4th Committee is very grateful to those businesses who have generously donated funds to help offset the upfront costs of the festival. Those in by press time are listed. All will be publicly acknowledged in the August issue of the Almanac. We urge all residents to thank these generous sponsors by patronizing their businesses.



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Limited parking will be available at the Barnes property, just east of Tony Spavone's, enter off Lake Street. Parking is also available at Stratford Square. Shuttle bus service will begin at 11 a.m. and continue until approximately 11 p.m.

Plan to spend the 4th with family and friends here in town.



**MORE JULY 4TH ACTIVITIES AND
DETAILS ON PAGES 4 AND 5.**

VILLAGE BOARD & COMMISSION MEETINGS

The public is encouraged to attend all Board & Commission meetings.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

2nd and 4th Monday of every month

7:30 P.M. — Village Hall

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1st, 2nd and 4th Mondays of every month

7:30 P.M. — Village Hall

PLAN COMMISSION

1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month

8:00 P.M. — Village Hall

BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

3rd Thursday of every month

7:00 P.M. — Village Hall

POLICE PENSION BOARD

Quarterly beginning in January

1st Wednesday

7:00 PM - Village Hall

E.S.D.A.

1st Tuesday of every month

7:30 P.M. — Village Hall

OLD TOWN COMMISSION

4th Tuesday of every month

8:00 P.M. — Village Hall

LIBRARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2nd Wednesday of every month

7:30 P.M. — Library

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Board of Directors Meeting

1st Thursday of every month

8:00 A.M. — Indian Lakes -

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NOTICE

During the summer months of June, July and August, the Village Hall will be closed on Saturday. Regular Saturday hours will begin again after Labor Day.

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VILLAGE BOARD NEWS



Mayor Tenuto is sworn in for his third full-term.

The Bloomingdale Unity party won all seats up for election on April 4. Sworn in were incumbents Mayor Sam Tenuto, Village Clerk Marie Tayfel and Trustee Bob Iden. Assuming four-year trustee terms were Douglas Trent and James Gebis. Dorothy Lester won a two-year trustee term.



Jim Gebis takes the oath of office of trustee.



Mayor Tenuto and Trustee Bill Horvath share a joke, as attorney Ron Cope looks on.

Trustees Buzz Puccio, Bill Horvath and Don Carollo were honored with resolutions of appreciation for their outstanding performance and contributions during their terms of office, and were presented plaques as they stepped down from their positions.



Trustees Buzz Puccio, Bill Horvath and Don Carollo received plaques in appreciation.

**THE DEADLINE
FOR THE
AUGUST ISSUE
IS JULY 20**

RECYCLING CENTER

Anyone interested in recycling newspaper, glass and aluminum, may bring these items to Bloomingdale's Wastewater Plant, Glen Ellyn Road & Edgewater Drive. It is open 7 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday - Friday and 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. Saturday & Sunday. You can assist the recycling center by rinsing containers and bundling newspapers. For more information about volunteer recycling call the Village Hall at 893-7000.

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Commission, Septemberfest Commission

Dorothy E. Lester

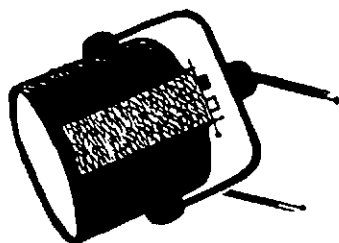
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Commerce and Community Affairs,

Old Town Commission,
4th of July Commission

Douglas P. Trent

Legal and Finance, Park District,
Septemberfest Commission

SPOTLIGHT



Dorothy Lester, one of the newly elected trustees, has been a resident of Bloomingdale for 19 years. She decided on our Village because of the Westlake townhomes' appeal to her as a single parent. Her long-term commitment to the Village is evidenced by the numerous ways in which she has served the community: as a member and former chairwoman of the Old Town Commission; as a member of the Westlake Townhome Owners Association Board of Directors and the maintenance committee, and presently as the liaison for the Village Board with the Fourth of July committee and the Old Town Commission. She is also part of the planning process for the introduction of the Pace bus program, a service for seniors, to our Village.

Dorothy is not only kept very busy with her commitments to the Village, but also keeps pace with a full time position at the Amoco Transport Company, a marine subsidiary of the Amoco Corporation. Here she is responsible for buying spare parts for their ocean fleet. She is working toward an MBA in international business, so is very often taking a course to reach that goal. She is presently attending a series of seminars which provide information and support for individuals working toward further education.

"These seminars are beneficial to me as a trustee because they reinforce working with people and help one learn how to deal with lots of information quickly and effectively."

"When I have some free time I enjoy walking, bicycling, and reading." Dorothy, who has six weeks of vacation time each year, also enjoys traveling — especially windjammers in the Caribbean. Some of her vacation time this year will be spent with her new grandchild, due any day now to her daughter Cheryl and her husband, who live in Naperville.

Dorothy is also an officer and charter member of the Circolo Culturale Italiano Club formed by those taking conversational Italian at College of DuPage. The organization "allows its members to speak Italian at their get-togethers, which include such things as an annual

August picnic, attending operas, dining at Italian restaurants, and watching movies, cartoons, etc. in Italian." Membership in the club is open to anyone in the area which is covered by College of DuPage, and the organization presently has about 50 active members.

Dorothy, who is "very proud of the Village of Bloomingdale and how we have maintained the quality of the Village while growing at a phenomenal rate" hopes by serving as a Village Trustee she might help "to insure that our future growth and goals are in concert with the residents of our Village." She is "concerned about the wants and needs of the residents of our community" and hopes to "work with them to achieve their goals."

GRASS CLIPPINGS CAN BE HAZARDOUS

Improper storage of grass clippings can produce disastrous results... specifically, fires.

When clippings are stored and tightly sealed in garbage sacks, the grass begins to decompose causing spontaneous heat. The heat produces methane which, when elevated to a high temperature causes fire.

Fire can ignite within hours to a few days, depending on the dryness of the grass. The damage is compounded when these bags are stored in a garage or set up against the side of the house as the fire could do serious damage to the entire structure.

The Bloomingdale Fire Department recommends that bagged grass clippings be kept outside and away from any buildings. One suggestion is to leave the clipping bags left open until garbage day when the tops are rolled down and crimped for pick up.

SEPTEMBERFEST PLANS

Plans are well under way for Bloomingdale's 17th annual Septemberfest celebration, scheduled to be held Sunday, Sept. 10 from 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. in Old Town Bloomingdale. Rain date has been set for Sept. 17.

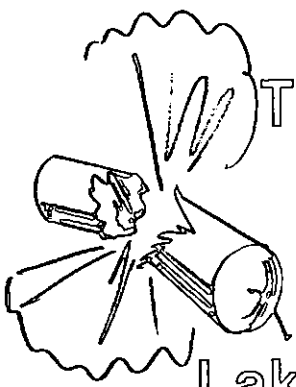
Applications for booth space are now available. Each space is 6 x 10 ft. and the space fee is \$25.00. The \$5.00 increase reflected in this year's space fee will be placed in the Septemberfest Committee's scholarship fund. Completed applications are due prior to Aug. 1. Exhibitors must provide their own tables and chairs.

After exhibitors have made \$200 in profit, a donation of 10 percent of remaining profit is to be given to the Septemberfest Committee by Nov. 1, 1989. This is to enable the commission to have start-up money for the 1990 Septemberfest. Applications may be picked up at the Village Hall and Bloomingdale Library. For more information on booth space, contact Vi Morrisroe, chairperson, at 980-7723, or leave a message at the Village Hall, 893-7000.

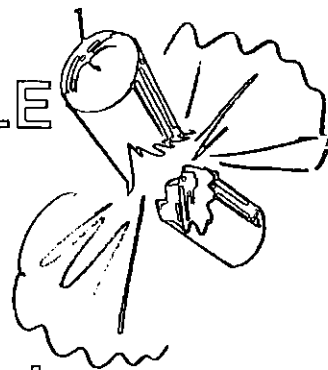
Also at this year's Septemberfest will be a Talent Show featuring some of the homegrown talent yet undiscovered. Anyone in the surrounding area that is interested in participating in the talent show may send a description of their act, along with their name, address and phone number by August 10th to: Joanne Horvath, 143 Hingham Lane, Bloomingdale, or call 980-3873. Please note, the acts must be non-professional and must be performed on the stage area. Prizes will be awarded. Try-outs will be sometime in August. Applicants will be notified.

The traditional Queen Contest will also be a part of this year's festivities. Young ladies who are residents of Bloomingdale, between the ages of 15 and 21 are eligible to enter. Applicants will be judged on beauty, poise and a written essay. More information and an official entry form will appear in the August ALMANAC.

A train ride for children has been scheduled for the festival and other types of entertainment have been planned.



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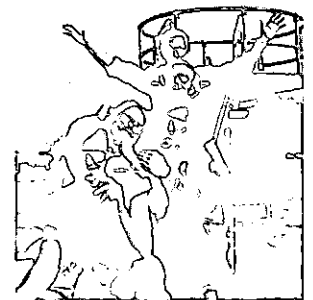
July 4

- 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **Cooky & Whizzo of WGN**
1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Master Comedy Clown
Troup - Magic and More**
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Family Games**
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. **The Great Pretenders**
5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. **American English**
7:30 p.m. - 9:15 p.m. **The Trent Carlini Show
with The Fabulous
Ambassadors**

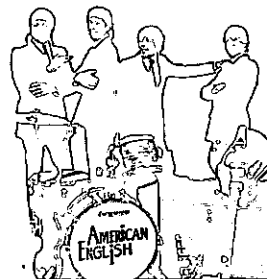
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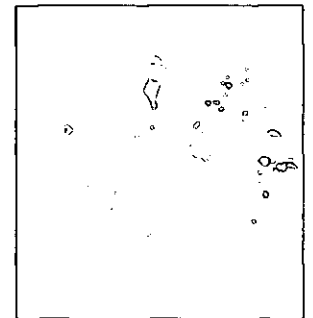
**COOKY & WIZZO
WGN BOZO SHOW**



THE GREAT PRETENDERS



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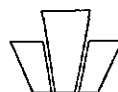
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RED, WHITE, AND BLUE DESSERT BAKE-OFF

CALLING ALL BAKERS! The Bloomingdale Fourth of July Celebration is in search of cooks of all ages with a creative flair in dessert baking. So dust off that apron and begin the search for that winning family favorite recipe! The RED, WHITE, AND BLUE DESSERT BAKE-OFF will feature 5 dessert categories: Cakes, Cookies, Pies, Breads/Sweetbreads and Biscuits/Muffins. All desserts must be made in the patriotic colors of Red, White and Blue combination or any two color combinations.

Youngsters too, can participate by entering the KIDDIE COOKIE CONTEST. Children ages 7 to 10 can mix-up their favorite cookie recipe. Cookies from recipes that are easy to read, fun to make, and tasty to eat are sure to be winners. The KIDDIE COOKIE CONTEST can be a summertime adventure plus create a new and rewarding experience for children.

Judges will be judging on appearance, creativity, taste, preparation time/skill and presentation of dessert. Prizes will be awarded for 1st and 2nd place winners, with some Honorable Mentions. Winners will be announced at 4:45 p.m. on stage at the Bloomingdale Fourth of July Celebrations. Registration information may be picked up at the Bloomingdale Library or the Village Hall. Registration deadline is JUNE 26th.



FOURTH OF JULY POSTER CONTEST

The Village 4th of July committee is sponsoring a 4th of July poster contest for children in Kindergarten through 8th grade. First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in three categories: K-2nd grade, 3rd-5th grade, and 6th-8th grade.

Children can enter the contest by creating a poster with a 4th of July theme on 12" x 18" poster board. Completed posters should be brought to the Bloomingdale Public Library, 101 Fairfield Way, by June 26, 1989.

First Prize	\$20.00
Second Prize	\$10.00
Third Prize	\$ 5.00

These cash prizes are being donated by the July 4th Festival Food Vendors.

Posters will be on display at the Festival site. Prizes will be awarded at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 4th.

Registration information may be picked up at the Bloomingdale Public Library. For more information, call the library at 529-3120.

10 YEARS FOR THE PHARMACY

Bloomingdale Pharmacy in Old Town Square Shopping Center, Schick and Bloomingdale Roads, celebrated 10 years in Bloomingdale on June 1.

After a slow start and some struggling, business grew steadily. George Theis and his son, George, also the pharmacists, attribute this to the best service in the area, as well as a friendly, personal interest in their customers' health.

The pharmacy has grown with the community. They now handle a wide selection of braces and surgical dressings. They have also become the local Diabetic Shoppe Franchise and offer a large selection of diabetic supplies, including glucose meters at very competitive prices.

"We are dedicated to being Bloomingdale's complete health care center, providing both information and goods for all our customers' needs," says the senior George.

"We appreciate the friendship and support of our customers and hope to continue serving the community as well as making new friends. We are proud of our 10 years in Bloomingdale and look forward to many more."

In honor of 10 years in town, the pharmacy will be featuring anniversary specials, as well as some health care services during the week of June 19 - 23. Among these are cholesterol and body fat testing; June 21 (there is a nominal fee for this test); blood glucose testing, June 22 (free of charge); and blood pressure screening, June 23 (free of charge).



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Founder's Park Gazebo

Bloomington Road and Fairfield Way

1:00-3:00 P.M.



PROGRAM

1:00-1:15

Opening Ceremony
Presentation of Colors—
Girl Scout Troup #37

1:15-1:30

Library Story Hour Rhythm Band

1:30-2:00

Misty River Music Makers,
Barbershop Women's Chorus,
Geneva, Illinois

2:00-3:00

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DISTRICT 13 HAPPENINGS

by Mike Hovde, President
Board of Education

This spring has been a very busy one for Bloomingdale Elementary School District 13. We have been developing the plans for a new school and the remodeling of two others. The Board of Education adopted a new junior high reading curriculum and approved the purchase of a microcomputer network for the junior high school. During Teacher Appreciation Week, we honored sixteen experienced employees of the District. And in May, the Board of Education discussed the possibility of selling a half acre of ground to the Village.

In March the Board of Education hired FGM/c, an architectural firm from Oak Brook, to design a new school and to remodel DuJardin School and Westfield School. During April and May, the architects met with teachers, students, parents, administrators, and the Board of Education to discuss the things that should be in the new facilities. For the last two weeks in May and the first week of June, the architects worked in the lower level of the library, drawing floor plans and elevations of the new and remodeled buildings. On June 12, the Board of Education will approve the initial plans and budget for the project. The emphasis of the process to this point has been to involve the community as much as possible.

The Task Force for the Twenty-First Century, a committee of thirty community members set the parameters for the building proposal during this past winter. During the spring the architects have been holding public meetings and have been doing the design work in the community so that all interested people can have a voice in the future of the district.

In May, the Board of Education received reports from two groups of Westfield School teachers which will lead to improvements in the educational programs at the junior high school. Seventh and eighth grade teachers, Judith Baenen and Judy Becker, presented a new literature series for reading instruction. The new textbooks published by Prentice Hall emphasize strategic reading, reinforcing the skills being taught in the elementary grades and utilizing the approach to reading instruction which research has shown is the most effective.

Also, the Board of Education has authorized the purchase of a new networked computer laboratory for Westfield School. For eight years, Westfield students have been using Commodore Sixty-Four computers to learn word processing and data base management. Those machines are now wearing out, have software limitations, and are too limited in capacity. All junior high students are required to use word processing and data base management to produce written work. To reduce frustrations of teachers and students, to provide for more adequate software, and to improve student learning, the Westfield computer teachers, Jane Gazdziak and Ken Tucker, have recommended that the district purchase an IBM Personal System/2 network of twenty-eight computers. We hope to have the new laboratory set up and running by the start of the school next fall.

During Teacher Appreciation Week, I presented length of service awards to sixteen career employees of the district. Receiving ten year awards were Ann Mariotti, Leslie Fischer, Carol Deal, Mary Grebin, Louise Caldwell, Linda O'Connor, Jerry Gordon, Diane Glen, and Deborah Bodolay. Fifteen year plaques were given to John Erickson, Janice Cernock, Rose Salemi, and Diane Duffy. Barbara Decker, Peg Muldoon, and Jane Flexman were honored for their twenty years of service to the children of Bloomingdale School District 13.

Another item of interest which the Board of Education discussed this spring is the possible sale to the Village of a half acre of the five acre Tompkins Park located at the intersection of Winston and Edgewater. The total site is currently being leased to the Bloomingdale Park District on a month-to-month basis. The Village needs this land across from the Village tower on Winston in conjunction with the Lake Michigan water system the county is developing.

The community is invited to discuss these and any other items with the superintendent, Dr. Jerry Gordon, telephone number 893-9590, or come to a Board of Education meeting. The next two meetings will be held on Monday evenings, July 24 and August 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the district offices, 181 South Bloomingdale Road, Bloomingdale.

PEG SCHMULDT OUTSTANDING EDUCATOR

Special congratulations go to Peg Schmuldt, DuJardin first-grade teacher. The young woman was awarded the prestigious Kohl International Teaching Award.

Her enthusiasm, commitment and unique approach to teaching have been lauded by many. The Kohl Award is given to teachers who are recognized as exceptional educators.

Only 13 winners were chosen from the hundreds of teachers around the world. Schmuldt was nominated by Julie Frerichs, DuJardin second-grade teacher. She also received recommendations from over 20 colleagues, parents and teachers.

The 31-year old was honored at the Kohl awards ceremony April 30 at the Hotel Nikko in Chicago. She is now a member of the International Academy of Outstanding Educators which serves as an advisory board to other teachers.

FOSTER CARE NEEDED FOR LOCAL YOUNGSTERS

There is a pressing need for foster homes for local boys and girls aged 10-17 who need temporary, emergency foster care. A community-based foster home provides a safe, caring environment that is the least disruptive to the youth's school, job, or network of support. Those individuals interested in Foster Parenting can receive more information from Kathy Thayer of Bloomingdale Township at 893-6685.

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BLOOMINGDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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STAFF NEWS

This spring has seen a number of changes in the staff at the library. On February 28, Harriet Smolla semi-retired. Harriet has been the Bookkeeper and Library Technical Assistant at the library since 1981. As of March 1st she gave up her bookkeeping duties and will be working part-time at the reference desk. Harriet is planning on spending her free time reading and visiting her granddaughter.

Celine Hovde, a resident of Bloomington, has joined the staff as the new bookkeeper. Celine and her family have resided in the area for sixteen years. Besides working part-time at the library, Celine is very active as a volunteer in the school district.

In the Circulation Department, Rosemary Rosen said goodbye on May 15. Rosemary and her family will be moving to Colorado Springs, Colorado, where her husband has accepted an assignment with the United States Army. To fill the vacancy at the circulation desk, Michele O'Keefe has moved up from shelver to circulation clerk.

The Children's Department will be seeing a change in the staff this summer. The Children's Librarian, Phyllis Peter, will be leaving June 30 for McPherson, Kansas. Phyllis' husband will be doing his pastoral internship at the McPherson Church of the Brethren.

The library staff wishes all these co-workers great success in their new endeavors.

DID YOU KNOW...

The Bloomington Public Library has over 200 magazine and newspaper titles! One of the most popular areas of the library is our growing periodical collection.

Popular magazines and newspapers are available in our browsing area. Back issues are kept for 5 years, which are shelved on the back stacks of the adult department, open for all to use. Children's magazines are kept by the windows across from the children's desk. All but the most current issue of a magazine may be checked out for 1 week. Back issues of newspapers which are kept for 1 month can be requested at the front desk for in-house use. Some of the more scholarly magazines used for research are available on microfilm which can be viewed and copied on our microfilm reader/printer located in the adult department.

Every year the library sponsors the Adopt-A-Magazine program where you can "adopt" a magazine title by donating a year's subscription. The Adopt-A-Magazine program has been a fun and successful way to expand our periodical collection. Let us know if you would like to take part!



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ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Bloomington Library has planned a variety of activities for the Ice Cream Social, to commemorate the Centennial of Bloomington's Incorporation, on June 17th, 1989 at the Founder's Park Gazebo from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Library staff will be face painting and registering children for summer programs. In the library, historical Village documents will be on display. Also, library story hour children will be participating in a rhythm band. (For complete program see page 6.)



Newly-elected Library Board trustee Christopher Becker is congratulated by Village Clerk Marie Tayfel after she swore him in.

SPECIAL EVENTS IN BLOOMINGTON OLD TOWN

June 22 - August 17	Kids' Day every Thursday June 29 - July 2 DuPage Children's Museum Brookfield Zoo Day in Old Town Puppet Show Pony Rides Petting Zoo
June 15 - October 19 July 8	Farmers' Market every Thursday 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Safety Day Bloomington Police Dept.'s Officer Friendly Show Ill. Sec. of State's Bike Safety Rodeo, Roselle Police Dept.'s D.A.R.E. Balloon Launch, Ill. Police Exhibit
July 15 & 16 July 22	Arts and Craft Show Lincoln Days Civil War Encampment
July 29 & 30	Antique and Collector Flea Market

SUPER SUMMER SAFARI

"Super Summer Safari" is the theme of the 1989 Summer Reading Program to be held at the Bloomingdale Public Library. This year's program will include a variety of activities to encourage reading for children pre-school through 8th grade.

Registration is now open for all programs, which include craft classes for ages 6-9, story times for pre-schoolers, and a special toddler time for ages 18-36 months.

Thursday is our special program day and readers this summer can be entertained at a juggling workshop, magic show, hobby day, music program, and a presentation featuring live snakes.

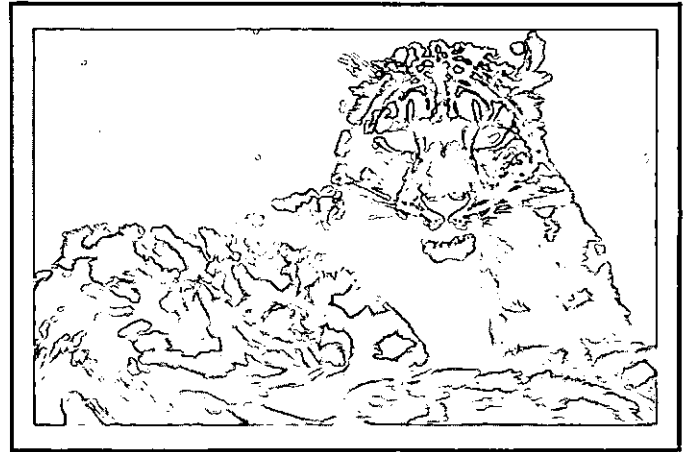
"Super Summer Safari" programs will begin June 19, 1989 and end August 5th, 1989. Help your children continue the habit and pleasure of reading throughout the summer. Contact the library at 101 Fairfield Way, or phone 529-3120 for a complete schedule of events.



Ashley, left, and Hillary Goergen help their mother, Linda Patino Goergen, put the finishing touches on the library's "Super Summer Safari" bulletin board. Linda, a commercial artist, painted this safari scene for the 4' x 11' bulletin board. It will be on display in the library throughout the summer reading program.



HELP ADOPT ME!



If the kids of Bloomingdale read 10,000 books this summer, the Bloomingdale Lions Club will adopt a Snow Leopard at the Brookfield Zoo in honor of our great Bloomingdale readers!



VACATION LOANS

Going away this summer?

Vacation loans are available for adults — if you need longer than the three-week loan period, let us know.

For kids, travel kits are available. Stop by the Children's Department to pick up an interest form for your child and return it to the library a week before you leave. We will put together a kit that will match your child's interests, and will include games to play in the car or on the plane, and special treats to keep. The books will be due two days after your return date.



1989 Summer Library Program

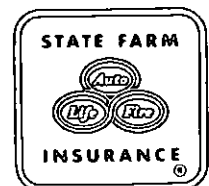
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AMERICAN RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE

The American Red Cross Babysitting Course is again being offered by the Bloomingdale Public Library for boys and girls age 11 and older, from June 14 - August 2. The Wednesday classes will be held from 3 - 4 p.m. in the lower level Meeting Room.

The course will cover the following topics:

- Responsibilities of a babysitter
- Basic growth and child development
- Selection of appropriate toys and games
- Supervision of children
- Home safety and accident prevention
- Basic first aid
- Feeding children
- Handling and diapering infants

Students who attend at least 6 of the sessions and successfully complete the handouts and final exam will be certified by the Red Cross. The fee of \$2.50 is due the first day of class, and class size is limited to 30. The instructor will be Marge Lautenschlager, Assistant Children's Librarian.

Registration can be done in person at the Bloomingdale Library located at 101 Fairfield Way, or by phone, 529-3120.

LIBRARY CARDS

BEAR-Y SPECIAL LIBRARY CARDS

During National Library Week, April 9 - 15, the Bloomingdale Public Library launched a new service for preschoolers. This new service entitles preschoolers whose parents have a Bloomingdale Public Library Card to register for a Bear-y Special Library Card. The card is a special card for local use only and has the parent's card number attached. These cards are available any time. Just stop by the Circulation Desk to get your preschool child a card!



Circulation staff member Pat Rooney presents Bear-y Special Library Cards during National Library Week. The proud recipients: Mark Douglas, Karen Fuller, Diane Fuller, Kevin Fuller and Shannon Wowrzynek.

PBS VIDEOS AND PLAYERS



This summer take time out to see some of the PBS shows that you have missed. Through a grant from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, the library has received ten PBS series, with a total of eighty-five videos. "America", "American Playhouse", "The American Short Story", "Civilization", "Great Performances", "The Jewel in the Crown", "Life on Earth", "Nova", "The Planet Earth", and "The Story of English" are the titles of the series.

If you do not own a VCR, or if yours is in the shop, the Friends of the Library have donated two video cassette players for Bloomingdale patrons to use. So, stop in the library and pick up a video and/or a video cassette player.

CHESS CLUB

The Bloomingdale Library Summer Chess Club will meet on Wednesday mornings from 10:00 a.m. till noon in the library. The first meeting will be on June 21. If you are eight years of age or older and know a little or a lot about the game, this is your chance to sharpen your skills. Each Wednesday morning players will compete with other club members and a ranking will be established. In early August an Interlibrary Chess Tournament will take place. Last year five libraries participated in the tournament and the Bloomingdale Chess Club took third place. Please call the library for more information, or to join the club.

CHILDREN'S BOOK FESTIVAL — STRATFORD



A. Denise Farrugua gets a little help with "I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly."



This juggler was only one of the many highlights of the afternoon.



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The Return of the
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This book is about a boy named Tom. All of the kids, including his brother, say he has a great brain. The kids have been swindled many times by the Great Brain. The Great Brain saved people, solved robberies and caught outlaws. Most of the time he was swindling people and doing bad things with his great brain. Kids say he was the richest kid in town. The Great Brain was so smart he skipped sixth grade. I liked this book because it was funny and enjoyable.



Elizabeth Gebis learns one of the advantages to being administrative librarian is that you can laminate your name.



LIBRARY CALENDAR

JUNE — JULY — AUGUST

June

14	Library Board Meeting	7:30 p.m.
17	Ice Cream Social	1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
	SUPER SUMMER SAFARI PROGRAM BEGINS	
19	Toddler Time (18-36 mos.)	10:00 - 10:30 a.m.
	Craft Class (6-9 yrs.)	11:00 - 12:00 Noon
	Picnic: Read-to-Me Participants	12:00 Noon
	Craft Class (6-9 yrs.)	2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
20	Pre-school Story Hour (3-5 yrs.)	10:00 - 10:45 a.m.
	Craft Class (6-9 yrs.)	2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
21	Chess Club (8 and up)	10:00 - 12:00 Noon
22	Pre-school Story Hour (3-5 yrs.)	10:00 - 10:45 a.m.
	(drop-in)	
	Craft Class (6-9 yrs.)	10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
	Juggling Workshop (9 and up)	2:00 p.m.
29	The Wonderful Whirl of Puppets (3 and up)	2:00 p.m.

July

4	Independence Day	LIBRARY CLOSED
6	Cartooning is a Funny Business	2:00 p.m.
12	Library Board Meeting	7:30 p.m.
13	Joe Taylor — Magic 'n More	2:00 p.m.
20	Hobby Day	2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
27	Bill Hooper's Active Music for Children	2:00 p.m.
	(2-10 yrs.)	

August

3	Snakes Alive! (6 and up)	7:30 p.m.
8	Friends of the Library Meeting	7:30 p.m.
9	Summer Reading Program Finale	2:00 p.m. +
		3:15 p.m.
	Library Board Meeting	7:30 p.m.



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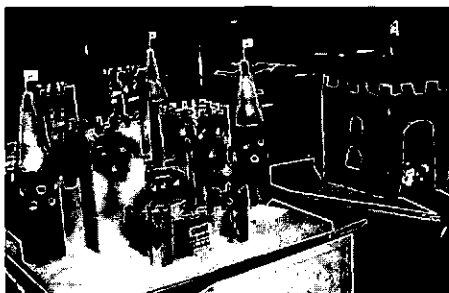
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Winnebago fifth graders designed castles as part of their medieval history studies.



Village Finance Supervisor Angela Raso from Blackhawk learns the ropes from Lorraine Knapp.



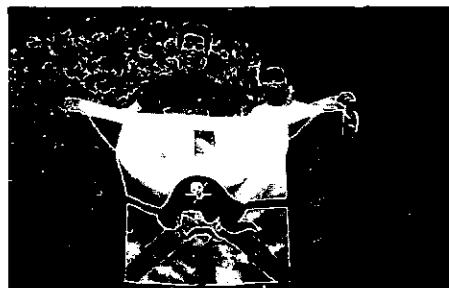
Blackhawk Young Authors and class spelling bee winners.



Robert James' ostrich was quite a hit at a Hall School assembly.



Winnebago safety patrol honors.



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NOTABLE NEIGHBOR PAUL PAOLETTI

Bloomingtondale is fortunate to have many outstanding citizens, people who are always ready to get involved, to lend a hand, to be a good neighbor. One of these neighbors, however, stands out in the crowd. He's not a big man in stature, but many will agree, Paul Paoletti may just have the biggest heart in all of Bloomingtondale.

Paul and his wife Dolly have lived in Bloomingtondale for 17 years and have three children, Paul 19, Gina 18, and Lisa 14. He has located his business, Paul Paoletti, Ltd. a retail menswear store here for eight years.

He is a charter member and past president of the Bloomingtondale Chamber of Commerce. He also served as co-chairman for the July 4th celebration for all four years the chamber sponsored the event.

Paoletti has always been a sponsor and participant in the annual Career Day during which youngsters have an opportunity to experience a position in village government, the school district or the business community. He is a supporter of all youth programs and a sponsor for local girls' softball, football and soccer.

Marklund Children's Home, another local cause he supports, presented Paoletti with their "Friendship Award" last year. In recent recognition from the Bloomingtondale Village Board, it was said, "Paul is unequalled in his love and pride of Bloomingtondale as evidenced by his numerous community activities."

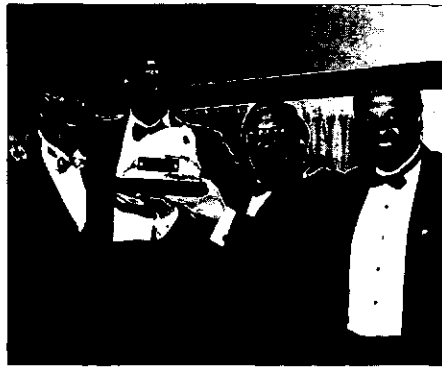
Twice Paoletti has been named "Man of the Year" in Bloomingtondale. During the sesquicentennial celebration in 1983, he was voted to receive that honor by ballots open to all residents. In 1988 he was selected as man of the year and represented Bloomingtondale at the Greater Woodfield Visitors and Convention Bureau awards.

His dedication, especially to youth, extends beyond the borders of Bloomingtondale. Paoletti is very active in the National Italian-American Sports Hall of Fame. He has been on the board of directors for eight years and has served as director of the Hall of Fame's scholarship program since its inception six years ago.

In 1987 Paoletti won the "How High Can You Fly" award from the NIASHF for his

scholarship work. He also founded the Paul Paoletti Ltd. Annual Charity Golf Tournament which donates the proceeds to special education funds for Paul Filipek, a deaf student, as well as to the Hall of Fame's scholarship program.

Just last month, Paoletti was duly honored by the NIASHF by being awarded the Don Ponte "Cup of Kindness." The award was named after one of the staunchest supporters in the early years who envisioned a hall of fame to rival all others.



His dream was cut short in 1978 by his passing, but the unfinished cup that epitomizes the Don Ponte award is left partially completed to show that his memory is still kept alive by the organization. It is the highest award annually awarded by the NIASHF and Paoletti is the 11th recipient in a long line of distinguished recipients which include Jack Brickhouse and Tommy Lasorda.

It was Brickhouse, in fact, who presented the award to Paoletti. Several

awards were presented that evening, but the applause for Paoletti was the longest, loudest, and most emotional ovation of the evening.

And if more people from Bloomingtondale had been in the audience it would have been even more so.

FARMERS MARKET

The Farmers' Market at Bloomingtondale Old Town will open Thursday, June 15, and will be open every Thursday from 7 am to 2 pm through October 19th.

It will be located next to the barn on Lake Street. The ample parking in Bloomingtondale Old Town makes it convenient for everyone.


Homemakers, aware of the different and delicious taste of farm-fresh fruits and vegetables, can look forward to coming to the market where they can choose from among many farmers' products. Farmers from Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin will participate in the market this year.

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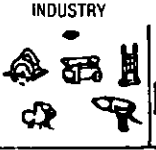
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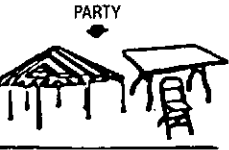
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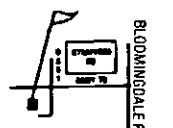
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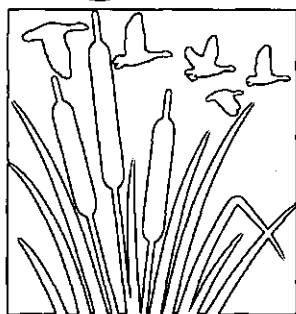
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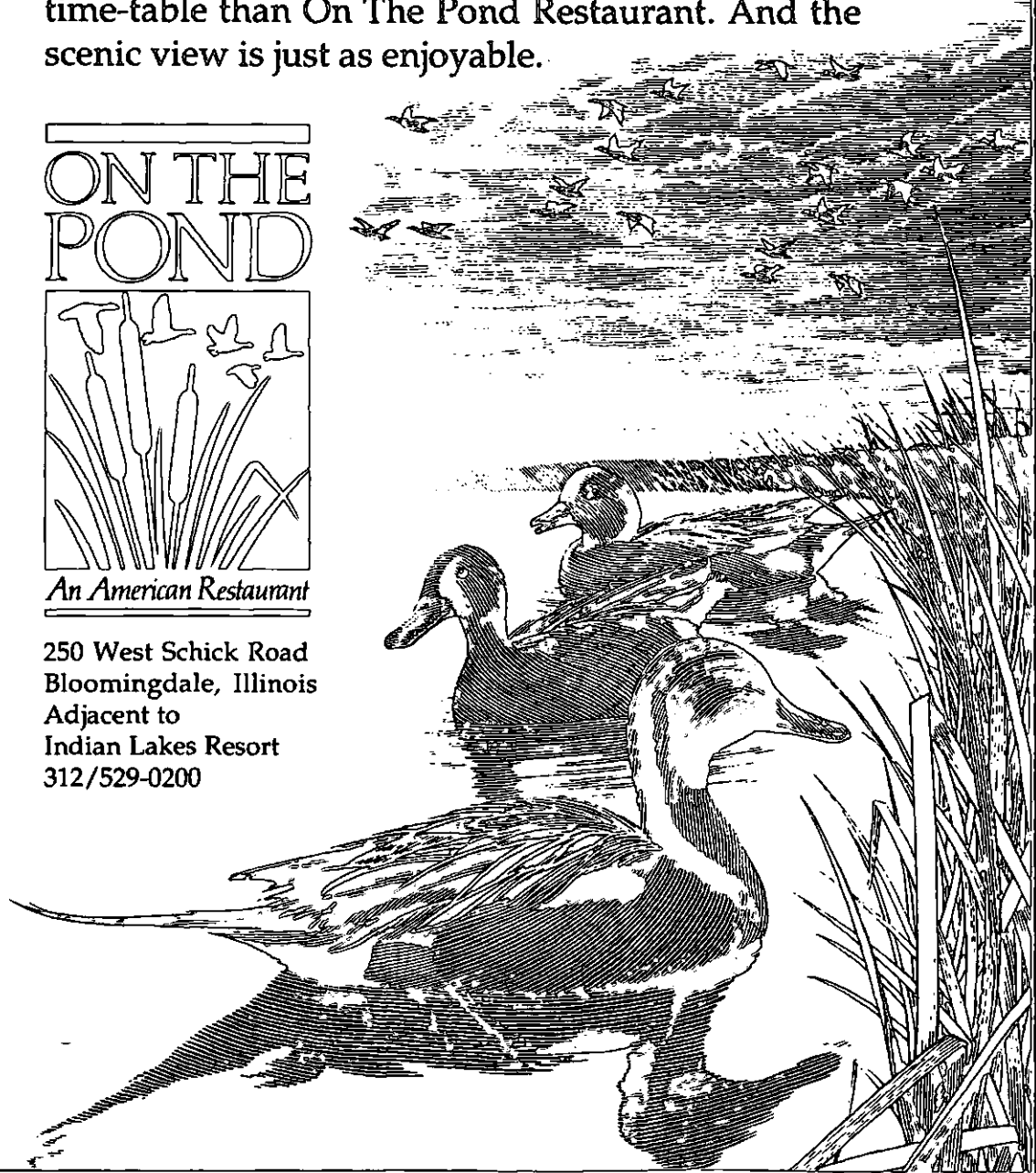
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CAREER DAY 1989

The 1989 Career Day was another tremendous success thanks to the organizational efforts of Cherly Kmiecik, DuJardin assistant principal. Students from 11 area schools took over positions in School District 13, the Village and related services, the Police Department, Fire Department, Post Office, Park District, Library and Township Committee on Youth. Members of the business community also took part: A.G. Edwards & Son, Inc., Budde' Print Shop, Comprehensive Dentistry, Ltd., Designs by Gerarde, First Chicago Bank of DuPage, Harris Bank Roselle, Indian Lakes Resort, Edward Levato, attorney-at-law, Talman Home Federal Savings & Loan, Marklund Children's Home, Mary Kay Cosmetics, Paul Paoletti, Ltd., Re/Max Group, Wag's Restaurant and Stratford Square Management Office.



Mayor Rebecca Schwartz presided over a Village Board meeting.



Postmistress Jennifer Edl examines an Express Mail envelope with Paul Alvarez.



Assistant Village Administrator Amanda Price gets a clarification from Denise Burchard.



Dan Wennerholm points out a new park site to Bryan Page, Director of Community Services.

The Village of Bloomingdale wishes to thank the following businesses who also contributed to Student Career Day. We urge all residents to patronize these businesses, as well as those who participated by sponsoring a youngster.

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