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Family Fest – A Four-Day Extravaganza

June 25, 26, 27, 28

Ladies and Gentlemen, Boys and Girls...

Step right up to Bloomingdale's Family Fest, scheduled to be held June 25, 26, 27 and 28. Originally designed to be the Village's official Independence Day celebration, the occasion has grown and taken on an identity that is traditional in its fireworks display put on by the Park District and the Village of Bloomingdale with an exciting array of entertainment, food, rides, and more food to keep the interest of toddlers to seniors in Bloomingdale and the surrounding communities.

This delightful event offers continuous free entertainment, children's attractions, games and rides, food, etc., and will be held at Lake Street and Springfield Drive.

Everyone who plans to attend should know that shuttle buses are available from the parking lots at DuJardin School, Winnebago School, Stratford Junior High and Indian Lakes Resort.

The opening of Family Fest '92 will start with a festival sneak-a-peek on Thursday evening, June 25, from 6 pm to 10 pm with carnival rides and games only. The Fest will open full-scale on Friday, June 26 at 4 pm.

This year's entertainment will include The Guess Who, Peter Noone and the Association on the main stage. The garden stage entertainment includes Johnny Star & The Meteors, The Blooze Brothers, and The Banjo Buddies Dixieland Band among others.

While at the children's stage, see the Guerrero Family High Wire and Motorcycle Globe Acts which will perform both Friday evening and Saturday afternoon.

Saturday and Sunday will be filled with activities for boys and girls. Windy City Amusement Inc. carnival rides and games will delight young and old throughout the four days. But there's much more...elephant and pony rides, a petting zoo, face painting by Bob Graf, clown/stiltwalker Joel Taylor and balloon sculpturing to name a few.

Other spectacular SPECIAL events will include TITLE CHAMPIONSHIP WRESTLING MATCHES, KARAOKE and THE ULTIMATE WAVE by RECORD-A-HIT, INC.

And, the food will be out of sight! We've got root beer floats, funnel cakes, flavored shaved ice, egg rolls, deep dish and thin crust pizzas, hot dogs, roasted corn, brats, curly fries, salads and much, much more to whet your pallet!

The Festival will climax Sunday with a spectacular fireworks display, a favorite attraction for Festival-goers.

Bring your chairs and blankets as limited seating will be available in the beer garden. And, join us at a Family Fest that is definitely one of the best in the Western Suburbs.

For your convenience, discounted tickets are available (for rides only), at the Village Hall. Plan ahead, and save. But, in any event, be sure to join us at this year's Family Fest, June 25-28.

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REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

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7:30 PM -- Village Hall

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7:30 PM -- Village Hall

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1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month
8:00 PM -- Village Hall

BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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6:00 PM -- Village Hall

POLICE PENSION BOARD

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E.S.D.A.

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7:30 PM -- Village Hall

OLD TOWN COMMISSION

4th Tuesday of every month
7:30 PM -- Village Hall

LIBRARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2nd Wednesday of every month
7:30 PM -- Library

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Board of Directors Meeting
1st Thursday of every month
8:00 AM -- Indian Lakes -
On The Pond Restaurant

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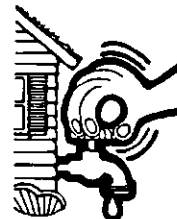
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Water/Sewer Rate Increase

With the advent of Lake Michigan Water, the Village is now financially responsible to the DuPage Water Commission for the water residents and businesses use in Bloomingdale. Our total operating and maintenance costs for water have increased 58 percent with Lake Michigan water.

Obviously, **water rates** have to increase to keep up with these rising costs. In addition, one of the plans the Village is implementing includes a \$3 million grant from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for the improvements to our wastewater treatment plant. A requirement for obtaining this grant involves the conformity of the **sewer rate** for both residential and commercial users. For years, the business community has paid nearly twice as much as residents for both water and sewer.

Originally, a 70% rate increase in the water and sewer bills was projected for the "average" residential user (9,000 gallons per month or 18,000 per bill), and a 47% increase in the bills for the "average" commercial user (24,000 gallons per month). This kind of burden on water & sewer users was not acceptable to the trustees.

After several meetings and many hours of staff reworking plans and options at the trustees' urging, the Village Board has voted to adopt a three-phase plan which will increase water/sewer bills each May 1 for three years, beginning this year. The Board opted for a three-year plan so as not to burden consumers with one large increase and to minimize the total increase required by subsidizing the rates and by spreading out capital improvements over a longer time period. These new rates will be applied to all water consumption after May 1, 1992.

The approved plan considers projected costs for operations and for capital improvements over an eight-year period. The rates were established such that no increases beyond the initial three-year phases are anticipated. We have no control as to our costs for water delivered by the City of Chicago to the DuPage Water Commission, therefore, any water increases from the City of Chicago will have to be passed along to our users.

Costs for major capital improvements for such items as additional water storage facilities, increased EPA sewer treatment requirements, water transmission lines and replacement of old failing sewer systems are covered by the eight-year program and will not re-

quire any additional bonding or rate increases. Cost for inflation have, with the exception of water from the City of Chicago, have been factored into the water/sewer costs for the next eight years.

Following is a chart to give water and sewer users some idea of how the increases might affect them financially.

RESIDENTIAL

<u>Water usage in 2-month billing period</u>	<u>\$Increase</u>	<u>New Water& Sewer Bill</u>	<u>Old Water& Sewer Bill</u>
0 - 5000 gallons	No Increase	\$35.80	\$35.80
10,000 gallons	\$6.36 per bill	\$56.56	\$50.20
14,000 gallons	\$11.46 per bill	\$73.18	\$61.72
18,000 gallons	\$16.55 per bill	\$89.79	\$73.24
20,000 gallons	\$19.09 per bill	\$98.09	\$79.00
25,000 gallons	\$23.66 per bill	\$116.45	\$92.79

The percentage of increase varies by the amount of consumption, but using 18,000 gallons per two-month bill as a middle ground, we have a current 23% increase, 1993 will be a 23% increase and 1994 a 7% increase.

COMMERCIAL

<u>Water usage in 1-month billing period</u>	<u>\$Increase</u>	<u>New Water& Sewer Bill</u>	<u>Old Water& Sewer Bill</u>
0 - 5000 gallons	No Increase	\$39.22	\$39.22
10,000 gallons	\$1.96 less per bill	\$61.96	\$63.92
18,000 gallons	\$5.11 less per bill	\$98.33	\$103.44
20,000 gallons	\$5.89 less per bill	\$107.43	\$113.32
24,000 gallons	\$7.46 less per bill	\$125.62	\$133.08
30,000 gallons	\$9.82 less per bill	\$152.90	\$162.72
40,000 gallons	\$10.75 less per bill	\$198.37	\$212.12

Using 24,000 gallons as a middle ground, commercial rates will decrease by 6% this year, increase by 18% in 1993 and increase by 15% in 1994.

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SPRINKLING REGULATIONS

Here are some highlights on the water conservation ordinance, which is in effect from May through September, annually.

The following allows for sprinkling **ONLY** between the hours of 5 and 9 a.m. or between the hours of 5 and 9 p.m.:

Single family homes with **odd numbers** sprinkle **Monday, Wednesday and Saturday**

Single family homes with **even numbers** sprinkle **Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday**

Commercial, office and multi-family residential sprinkle **Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday**

Permits for sprinkling newly sodded or seeded lawns for thirty (30) consecutive days are available from the Director of Village Services

Hand-held watering devices are permitted without restriction as long as they are not left unattended.

Road Construction – 1992

Greenway Drive Reconstruction

The Village is planning to reconstruct Greenway Drive from Bloomingdale Road to west of 159 Greenway Drive during the summer of 1992. This project includes removal of the existing pavement including curbs and gutters and road base and replacement with new base, surface and curbs and gutters. The new road will be the same width as the existing road; no widening is planned. All work is funded 100% by the Village.

The project is scheduled to begin during the first week of July and will take approximately 3 months to complete. During construction the road will be closed to through traffic. If you live in the construction zone, or on one of the six adjacent streets (Sutherland Lane, Norton Lane, Bridgewater Lane, Surrey Lane, Plymouth Lane or Hempstead Lane) you will be permitted to proceed past the barricades to reach your residence.

All other through traffic should follow the posted detour route. The detour route is Greenway Drive to Bloomingdale Road to Edgewater Drive to Greenway Drive or the reverse route (Greenway to Edgewater to Bloomingdale to Greenway).

As part of this project, the Village will be installing a depressed curb at each driveway on Greenway Drive. This means the "bump" at the curb of each driveway is being eliminated, and a smooth transition from the street to each driveway will be constructed. The Village will also be reconstructing the driveway aprons, that is, the concrete driveway between the sidewalk and the curb, as part of the project.

If you have any questions regarding this project you may call Scott

Reisinger, Senior Engineering Inspector, Engineering Division, at 893-7000.

Overlay Maintenance

The Village is planning to perform overlay maintenance on Creekside Drive, Brookdale Drive, Terry Lane, Morningside Drive, Dawn Court, Dee Court and Starling Court during the summer of 1992. All work is funded 100% by the Village.

New overlay construction consists of repairing curbs which do not drain properly, repairing failed pavement areas and installing a new asphalt surface over the entire road. We will not be repairing cracked curbs unless the failed curb is impeding drainage.

During this project, the streets will remain open to traffic. There will be brief periods when certain sections of the road are temporarily closed while work is taking place at a particular location. This work will begin in July and will take approximately 3 weeks to complete.

If you have any questions regarding this project, you may call Larry M. Slavicek Senior Engineering Inspector at 893-7000 Ext. 238.

Any construction project of this type will create some inconvenience to the neighborhood. We appreciate your patience and cooperation during the construction process and will make every effort to minimize the disruption.



Increase

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To recap, the water rates must increase due to the higher costs incurred from Lake Michigan water and the sewer rates are changing to come into conformity with EPA requirements in order to meet the requirements of the \$3 million grant.

This is the first Village water rate increase since 1988. We will continue to subsidize our water rates by allocating a portion of the property tax revenues to the water system.

On page 2 you will find some water conservation tips. As can be seen from the above charts, the new rate structure has been developed to encourage conservation. By conserving water, the effect of the increase can be minimized. This is important to keep in mind when watering lawns this summer.

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Effective July 1, 1990, yard waste material (i.e. grass clippings, leaves, brush trimmings and tree trimmings) are no longer accepted at any landfill in the State of Illinois.

As many residents know, Browning Ferris picks up yard waste as part of the Village's yard waste program. Yard waste is to be placed curbside in either 33 gallon or less containers or in biodegradable paper bags. Yard waste stickers must be applied regardless of the method used.

Yard waste stickers are \$1.05 each and are available at the Village Hall or at the following local businesses: Ace Hardware, True Value Hardware, Dominicks, Jewel/Osco, EconoMart and Bloomingdale Pharmacy. They may also be purchased directly from BFI. Remember, a yard waste sticker must be applied to each container or bag used.

BFI will also pick up bundled branches if a yard waste sticker is affixed to each bundle. Bundles should be no longer than four (4) feet and weight less than 50

pounds. Branches may not exceed three (3) inches in diameter.

All yard waste should be placed at the curb at least four feet away from your other waste on your scheduled garbage pickup day. Any containers that contain a mixture of yard waste and other garbage will be left at the curb in order to comply with the State law.

The Village has received many questions about alternatives to placing numerous containers curbside. Purchasing a lawn mulcher is one option. Rear yard compost piles are allowed, but the burning of leaves and other yard waste is not permitted by the Village's municipal code.



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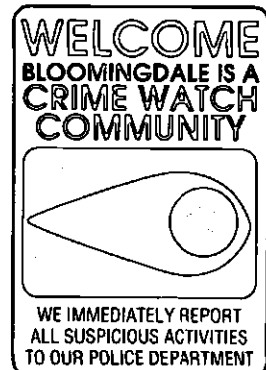


Neighborhood Watch In Action

LAW DAY 1992

Bloomingdale Police Department sponsored their 6th annual Law Day at Stratford Square on Saturday, May 9th. Twenty-six police departments set up displays regarding crime prevention and law enforcement. Block Captains from Bloomingdale's Neighborhood Watch Program worked in Bloomingdale's booth, answering questions and recruiting more Block Captains into the program.

For Information regarding the Neighborhood Watch, call Detective Scott Stick, 529-9868.



Women's Club Scholarship Winners

The Bloomingdale Women's Club is pleased to announce the winners of their 1992 scholarships.

The two \$500 high school scholarships were awarded to: Carrie Neff and Christine Imann, both honors students and seniors at Lake Park High School.

Carrie plans to attend Northwestern University majoring in Music Performance/Integrated Science. She also plays the clarinet and is involved in many extracurricular school activities.

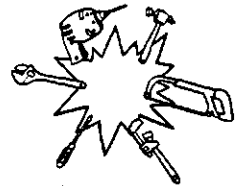
Christine plans to attend the University of Illinois majoring in International Business and German. She is on the tennis and badminton teams and is involved in student council and Earth Club.

A \$200 woman's scholarship was awarded to Debra Lynn Berger, a mother of four and also a day care provider. Debra is taking classes at the College of DuPage and hopes to complete a nursing degree.

The Bloomingdale Women's Club awards scholarships annually using funds earned through their Festival of Arts held in September in conjunction with Septemberfest.



Do I Need A Permit?



Village Residents who are planning to build or install an accessory use or structure, such as a swimming pool, fireplace, patio, deck, gazebo, fence, shed, room addition, attached/detached garage, or central air conditioning unit, should contact the Village Services - Building and Zoning Division before starting the project. The Building and Zoning Division is staffed with certified/trained personnel who will be able to determine the various codes, requirements and permits involved with the construction of your individual project.

Many times, residents are unaware that their projects may cause drainage

problems for themselves and their neighbors; that the accessory use or structure is located in a public easement; that ordinances may prohibit certain types of projects; or that the accessory is encroaching upon a neighbor's property. In addition, for some projects, the Building and Zoning Division will make sure that the design plans include the proper construction materials for your safety and, during construction, will conduct an inspection(s) to make sure that your project is being built correctly.

The Building and Zoning Division has prepared informational packets which outline the basic requirements for new accessory uses and structures. Although these packets provide the basic requirements, each project is unique and residents should consult with the Building and Zoning Division before starting the project. Packets are available for the more common projects such as fences, decks, gazebos, sheds, swimming pools, patios, room additions, attached/detached garages, re-roofing, fireplaces and residential central air conditioning units. These information packets are free of charge.

For more information, you can come into the Village Hall and speak with someone from the Building and Zoning Division or you may call 893-7000.



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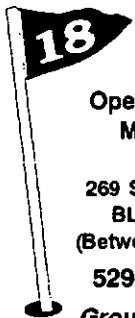
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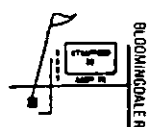
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Shannon Mores of St. Matthew School learns the ropes of video production with Charles Goodman of Art Craft Photographers.



Mayor Tenuto looks over the shoulder of Mayor Mike Kokodynsky as he chairs the mock Village Board meeting.



Tim Fischer gets a close look at the latest in tow trucks from Buzz Perdrau of the Bloomingdale Shell Station.



Dr. Jan Cernock shows Allison McDonald various computer programs available to an assistant school superintendent.

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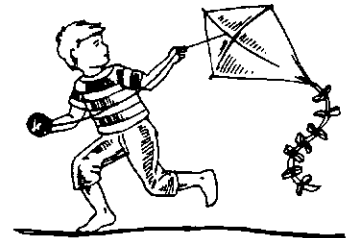
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FAMILY FEST 1992

ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

June 25 - 6 pm to 10 pm
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Children's Carnival Rides/Games Only
June 26 - 4 pm to 11 pm
June 27 - 12 pm to 11 pm
June 28 - 12 pm to 11:00 pm
Springfield Dr.

MAIN STAGE	GARDEN STAGE	CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES
JUNE 26 - FRIDAY 8:30- 9:45 THE GUESS WHO 	JUNE 26 - FRIDAY 5:00-8:00 JOHNNY STAR & THE METEORS 9:45-11:00 JUNE 27 - SATURDAY 1:30-4:30 EDDIE KOROSA JR. & THE BOYS FROM ILLINOIS 	JUNE 26 - FRIDAY 6:30-8:00 GUERRERO FAMILY HIGH WIRE AND MOTORCYCLE GLOBE ACTS 
JUNE 27 - SATURDAY 8:30-9:45 PETER NOONE 	JUNE 27 - SATURDAY 5:00 - 8:00 BLOOZE BROTHERS & 9:45-11:00 	JUNE 27 - SATURDAY 1:00-6:00 GUERRERO FAMILY Other Children's Activities 1:00-7:00 Elephant Rides/ Pony Rides 1:00-7:00 Petting Zoo 2:00-5:00 Face Painting (Bob Graf)
JUNE 28 - SUNDAY 8:00-9:00 THE ASSOCIATION 	JUNE 28 - SUNDAY 1:00-4:00 THE BANJO BUDDIES DIXIELAND BAND 	JUNE 28 - SUNDAY 1:00-8:00 GUERRERO FAMILY Other Children's Activities: 1:00-7:00 Elephant Rides/ Pony Rides 1:00-7:00 Petting Zoo 2:30-4:30 Clown/Stiltwalker, Joel Taylor, roving the crowd, balloon sculpturing. 2:00-5:00 Face Painting (Bob Graf)
	4:30-7:30 THE RATTLERS & 9:30-11:00 	

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FIREWORKS - SUNDAY, JUNE 28
9:15 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (approx. time)

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SPECIAL EVENT

Windy City Wrestling Presents:
**TITLE CHAMPIONSHIP
WRESTLING MATCHES**



5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Saturday, June 27

OTHER ACTIVITIES

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

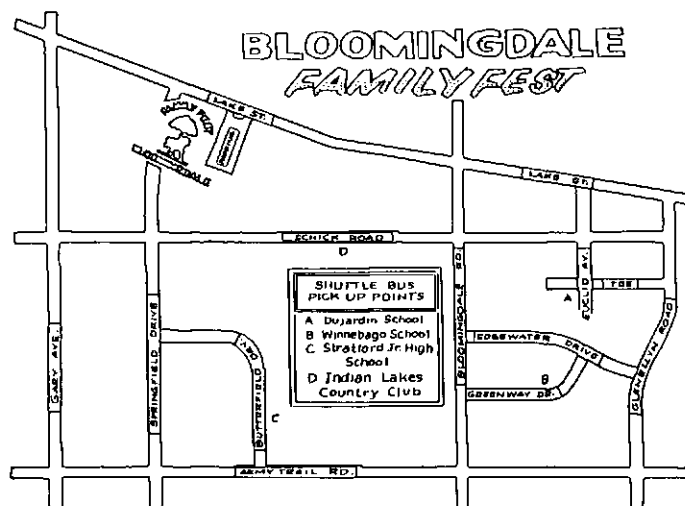
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6:00-11:00 RECORD-A-HIT, INC. presents:
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SUNDAY, JUNE 28

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6:00-11:00 RECORD-A-HIT, INC. presents:
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Bloomingdale Seeks King And Queen To Reign At Septemberfest

Even though summer is off to a slow start, it is still not too early to start thinking about completing an application for Bloomingdale's annual king and queen contest. The contest, for Bloomingdale residents between 16 and 21 years of age, is held in conjunction with the Septemberfest celebration on Sunday, September 13, 1992.

This will be the second year that the contest is open to both young men and women. Applicants are judged on appearance, poise, personality, civic involvement and communication skills. The applicants must submit a handwritten essay of 300 to 400 words that describes what contributions they feel they will make as a representative of Bloomingdale's youth. Registration forms are available from the Almanac, the Village Hall or the library and must be postmarked by August 14, 1992.



Last year, both king Tom Howard and queen Kristen Winkler, pictured here, received \$1,000 scholarships. Runners up received \$500 scholarships. The Septemberfest commission is committed to the continuation of this tradition, and has increased the cost of the booth fee to \$30 so that additional money will be available for the scholarship award this year.

Sebastian "Buzz" Puccio, the new Septemberfest chairman, emphasized that additional financial contributions are still needed for the scholarship fund, as well as gifts of merchandise for the king, queen and their courts.

If you need further information about the king and queen contest, or wish to make a donation to the scholarship fund, please contact Pat Puccio, 980-5897.

1992 Bloomingdale King and Queen Contest Official Entry Form

I am a resident of incorporated Bloomingdale, between the ages of 16 and 21 years and would like to enter the 1992 Bloomingdale King and Queen Contest.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

School _____

Age _____

I have attached a personally handwritten letter of 300-400 words in which I have given an introduction of myself and what I feel I could contribute to Bloomingdale as Mr. or Miss Bloomingdale.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN AUGUST 14, 1992.

Mail applications to
1992 Bloomingdale King and Queen Contest
c/o Bloomingdale Village Hall
201 S. Bloomingdale Road
Bloomingdale, IL 60108

Judging date to be determined; coronation date is at Septemberfest on Sunday, September 13, 1992.

ALL REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET.

OFF THE SHELF

BLOOMINGDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER



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The Youth Services Department would like to thank the following businesses for their contributions to the DISCOVER! READ! SOAR INTO SPACE! Summer Reading Program:

West Suburban Bank - DISCOVER READ! T-shirts
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These donations are greatly appreciated!



Adult Reading Program

It's not too late to begin the Bloomingdale Public Library's Adult Summer Reading Program which is being held from June 15 to August 1. Each participant will be given a "Discover! Read" passport that lists seven fiction or non-fiction subject areas. As participants complete books in each category, their "passports" will be stamped. Those who complete all seven categories will be entered in a prize lottery where they may win a gift certificate from a local restaurant. Stop by the reference desk to sign up for this free program.



Out-Of-This-World Reading Programs For Young And Old

DISCOVER! READ! SOAR INTO SPACE is the 1992 Summer Reading Program at the Bloomingdale Public Library. Join us this summer as we travel into the outer orbit and discover the wonders of space! Sign up now in the Youth Services Department and DISCOVER! READ!

There are three reading programs to choose from:

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|---------------------|--|
| READ WITH ME | Young children who do not read on their own are encouraged to participate by listening to someone read-aloud to them. They receive a prize for each group of ten books they have read to them. |
| BOOK CLUB 1 | Participants are children reading on their own with little or not help. They receive a prize for each group of ten books read. |
| Book Club II | This book club is recommended for young people grades seven and up. They receive a prize for each group of six books read. |

Registration is open for the reading program itself and other special programs. The DISCOVER! READ! brochure is available in the Youth Services Department and details all of the programs and registration requirements.

DISCOVER! READ! SOAR INTO SPACE! 1992 Summer Reading Program will begin June 15, 1992. The last day to turn titles in for credit is Saturday, August 1, 1992. There will be an Ice Cream Social/Finale sponsored by the Friends of the Bloomingdale Public Library on Saturday, August 8, 1992 from 1 pm - 3 pm. ALL participants are invited to attend the Ice Cream Social.

Join us this summer for some out-of-this-world reading fun!

LIBRARY CALENDAR

June

10	Library Board Meeting.....	7:30 pm
13	Writer's Group.....	9:30 am - Noon
15	Summer Reading Program Begins DISCOVER! READ!	
17	Chess Club Begins.....	10 am - Noon
17	Gazebo Concert — Kenning & Company.....	Noon - 1 pm
18*	Bill Hoffman's Animal Show.....	1:30 - 2:15 pm
	-or-.....	2:30 - 3:15 pm
24	Gazebo Concert — Rick Lindy.....	Noon - 1 pm
25*	Teddy Bear Picnic (18 mos - 5 yrs) Accompanied by an adult.....	Noon - 1:20 pm

July

1	Gazebo Concert — Jeff Abbott.....	Noon - 1 pm
2*	Chicago Synthesizer Duo (Ages 6 and up).....	1:30 - 3:15 pm
	or.....	2:30 - 3:15 pm
4	INDEPENDENCE DAY.....	LIBRARY CLOSED
8	Gazebo Concert — Whitey O'Day of musical note.....	Noon - 1 pm
8	Library Board Meeting.....	7:30 pm
9*	Andy Head, Juggler Extraordinaire (All ages).....	1:30 - 2:15 pm
	-or-.....	2:30 - 3:15 pm
9*	Hobby Night (All ages).....	7:00 - 8:00 pm
11	Writer's Group.....	9:30 am - Noon
15	Gazebo Concert — Blooze Brothers.....	Noon - 1 pm
16*	American Girls Tea Party (Ages 8 and up).....	2 - 3 pm
22	Gazebo Concert — Cirrus Falcon.....	Noon - 1 pm
23*	Where's Waldo? Picnic (All ages).....	12:30 - 1:30 pm

August

1	Last day to turn titles in for credit in the Summer Reading Program	
8	Writer's Group.....	9:30 am - Noon
8	Friend's of the Library Ice Cream Social — Summer Reading Finale.....	1 - 3 pm
12	Library Board Meeting.....	7:30 pm

* Registration Required

Summer Chess Club

A Summer Tradition Continues...

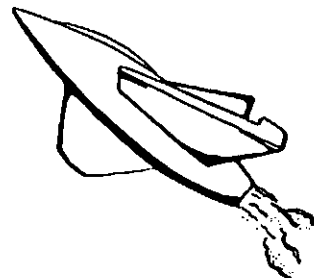
The Bloomingdale Public Library Summer Chess Club will be meeting at the library on Wednesday mornings from 10 am until noon beginning June 17. If you are eight years of age or older and now a little or a lot about the game, this is your chance to sharpen your skills. Each Wednesday players will compete with other club members and a ranking will be established. During August, the Interlibrary Chess Tournament will take place. To sign up, or for more information, call the library at 529-3120.



Vacation In Style With Library Travel Kits

Attention all vacationers! Vacation loans are available for adults who need materials for longer than the usual three week loan period. Just let the circulation clerk know when you are checking out your books.

Once again, the Youth Services Department will be offering TRAVEL KITS for children this summer. Travel kits will be available June 15 through August 8. Stop by the Youth Services Department to pick up an application for your child and return the completed application to the library at least one week before you leave. We will put together a Travel Kit that will match your child's interests. It will also include puzzles and games to play in the car or plane, etc. Travel kits are available to Bloomingdale Public Library Patrons only, limit one per child. The library materials will be due after you return from your trip. Only applications will pick up dates of June 15-August 15 will be accepted.



LIBRARY HOURS

Monday through Thursday, 9:30 am - 9 pm
Friday and Saturday, 9:30 am - 5 pm
Closed Sunday

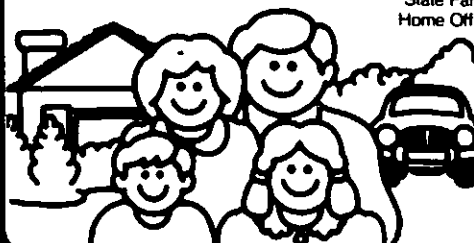
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They Keep The Library Moving Efficiently

This month the library focuses its spotlight on the Circulation/Technical Services Department. This is that special group of people responsible for the processing and circulation of all the library's holdings. They catalog, label and input into the computer each item for the patrons to check out.



Circulation/Technical Services members (left to right area: Sally Mee, Pat Rooney, Steve Slavick, Harriet Smolla, Sue Drogos, Dolores Schram, Lisa Heil, Karen Koehn and Helen Asta.

In order for patrons to check out any material, they must have a valid Bloomingdale Public Library borrower's card. A card, issued for a period of three years, can be obtained by presenting identification showing that an individual is a resident of the Village of Bloomingdale. The staff knows the Village's boundaries and most of the names of the streets. Every day new patrons are registered and the information is entered into the computer.

When a patron checks out materials, the computer keeps track of when they are due, any reserves that may be on the items, and the number of times the items have been checked out.

The Circulation/Technical Services staff are also responsible for repairing, withdrawing and shelving of the materials. Often the staff can be seen doing jobs that are not part of the official job description...finding a lost parent, giving directions to a delivery person, offering a tissue in an emergency or lending a helping hand.

The Circulation/Technical Services staff consists of the Department Head, Sally Mee along with nine clerks, two senior shelvees and four shelvees. Pat Rooney, who has been on the staff since 1982, is supervisor of the shelvees. Keeping the library statistics has been the responsibility of Dolores Schram from the time she started with the library in 1982. Sue Drogos joined the staff in 1989 and can be seen assisting at story hours as well as at the front desk. Helen Asta (1989) and Karen Koehn (1991) divide their time between the front desk and inputting into the data base. Lisa Heil, a teacher's aide in Bloomingdale School District 13, has been a staff member since 1990. Lisa is responsible for all the original graphics in the department. The preeminent member of the staff, Harriet Smolla, has had many responsibilities since starting at the library in 1981. Currently, she is cataloging and inputting the library's acquisitions.

The two senior shelvees are both college students who originally started working at the library when they were in high school. Steve Slavick attends the College of DuPage and plans to major in journalism. The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is where Tamu Spells is majoring in accounting. These two energetic young people are responsible for shelving materials as well as assisting at the circulation desk.

From Glenbard North High School, graduating senior Kandice Krettler has been a shelvee since her junior year. Samantha Hoover is a junior at Lake Park High School, while Katie Mendygral and Laura Frazen are sophomores. All of the shelvees work throughout the entire library, shelving



Senior Shelvee Tamu Spells and Shelvees Katie Mendygral and Samantha Hoover are ready to shelve videos.



Laura Franzen and Kandice Krettler are shelvees in the Circulation/Technical Services Department.

and straightening materials as necessary. They are often called upon to help the staff in other departments on special projects.

The circulation desk is located at the entrance to the library, so it is the first and last contact that patrons have with the library and the staff endeavors to make it a pleasant experience.

BLOOMINGDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Annual Report Fiscal Year 1991-1992

Statement of Purpose

The Bloomingdale Public Library actively provides current, high-demand popular materials and useful, timely information in a variety of formats for persons of all ages in pursuit of their recreational and personal needs. The Library places special emphasis on stimulating young children's interest in reading and learning, and assists students of all ages in formal education courses.

Commitment to Service

The Library Board of Trustees and staff are committed at all times to providing excellence in library services. The trustees and staff actively work together to make the Library an open, friendly and warm place for patrons to visit.

Highlights of the Year

On April 30, 1992, Bloomingdale Public Library's fiscal year ended and the statistics revealed that 1991/1992 was Bloomingdale Library's best year ever! Our year was so successful because of the wonderful patronage of our community and the outstanding support of Bloomingdale's business community and non-profit organizations, such as the Lions Club, the Bloomingdale Women's Club, and the Friends of the Library. In addition, the fine support the Library received from the Village of Bloomingdale helped to make the Library's year very successful.

Below are highlights of FY 1991/1992.

Our Patrons -

- checked out 170,048 items (books, videos, cassettes, etc.) over the past year — almost a 10% increase over last year's 155,235 items.
- visited the library 155,452 times. This averages out to approximately 9.4 visits for each resident in Bloomingdale.
- registered for many library cards. Now 10,968 residents (55%) of Bloomingdale have registered library cards.

Our Staff -

- added 5,673 new items (books, cassettes, videos, CD's, etc.) to our collection of materials, which increased our total collection to 55,526 items.
- presented programs to 14,608 patrons: 12,134 children and 2,474 adults - a 20% increase over last year.
- answered a record-breaking number of reference questions, approximately 20,644 during the year.

The Library -

- provided rooms for community group meetings 347 times and for library programs 424 times, for a total of 771. That's an average of almost 15 activities each week.
- expanded and added the following services for residences:
 - Expanded services in the Youth Services Department in the following ways: Added another Toddler Time session to accommodate the growing demand; Increased offering of two very popular children's programs, First Aid for Little People and Home Alone, from once a year to twice a year; Started a Junior Friends, a summer volunteer organization for young adults; Started a winter reading program; Increased class visits to the Bloomingdale Public Library, as well as Librarian visits to area schools. Increased adult programming by offering a variety of programs almost weekly rather than once or twice a month. Expanded outreach to new residents by designing a new patron library information packet for distribution by the Welcome Wagon, realtors and staff. Started a writer's group, for local area writers, that meets monthly at the library. Added a new magazine service, InfoTrac, which greatly enhanced our patrons' access to magazines. Increased both the adult and children's summer reading programs.

Fiscal Year 1991/1992 was a very busy and progressive year for the Bloomingdale Public Library. The Library Board and staff extend a hearty "THANK YOU" to everyone for making it so successful.

Financial Summary Fiscal Year 1991/1992

REVENUES

Property Tax	\$789,945
Interest Income	24,413
Fines and Fees	14,059
Copy Machine Income	7,888
Meeting Room Fees	1,550
Video Fees	8,783
Grants	15,118
Reciprocal Borrowing Reimbursement	3,693
Adopt-A-Magazine	748
Donations	3,349
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$869,546

EXPENDITURES

Salaries and Benefits	\$422,692
Books, Periodicals and Audio-Visual	50,892
Supplies and Equipment	13,905
Programs and Publicity	7,161
Printing and Postage	14,254
Building and Equipment Maintenance	55,565
Telephone and Utilities	5,857
Bond and Interest Payment	197,845
Liability Insurance	14,384
Annual Audit	2,800
Building Fund	68,341
Other	73,865
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$927,561 *

The above figures are taken from the Illinois State Library Annual Report, and taken before the year end audit.

* Expenditures exceed revenues due to the use of Building reserve funds.

FROM THE FRIENDS CORNER

It's just not fair! In these days of the importance of equal rights, how can the Library allow just a small group of people to receive certain benefits? Yes, it's true.

The Friends of the Library have been hoarding the best kept secrets in Bloomington: namely, the two annual Book Sales, Septemberfest, the Halloween Party, the Ice Cream Social, and now Concerts in the Gazebo.

It is rumored that at their meetings there is a lot more going on than just planning. It is said that they have the unmitigated gall to actually enjoy making a difference in the community. Despite the best efforts of their humble, yet infinitely wise, president to finish the session on time (about 1 hour), they insist on staying a bit longer and raising one more point on how they can make an upcoming event even better.

We need your help. Join the Friends and experience the good feelings that come from this group. Now, I must warn you! Unless you have a high tolerance for laughter (for we get an abundance of laughter), it would be wiser for you to join a more serious, and less effective group.

Our next event will be selling pop at the "Sunshine Serenades" concert series in the Founder's Park Gazebo.

Each Wednesday noon, from June 17-July 22, a different group will be performing. It is the perfect location for a little entertainment, and all you have to do is bring your lunch. We will provide the rest.

Now don't forget! Join the Friends of the Library today!!!!



Bill Parry

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Sunday, September 13, 1992

(held in conjunction with Bloomington's Septemberfest)

**Don't miss out on this excellent opportunity
to display and sell your art!**

All booths are \$30, and proceeds will be
donated to Marklund Children's Home and the
BWC Scholarship Fund.

Applications are due by August 28, 1992.

To apply for booth space, write to
Bloomington Women's Club
P.O. Box 271, Bloomington, IL 61808
or call Pam (708/529-4232) or Barb (708/894-8280) for
further information.

The Friends of the Library work together!

Become a part of your library and community
by joining The Friends

Meetings are held at the Library at 7:30 pm

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_____ Phone _____

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_____ Organization	\$15.00
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_____ Life Member	\$50.00

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Several little hands took part in the planting of the Edgar Allen Poe Hackberry tree at the Library's Arbor Day celebration.



Senior Engineer Inspector and tree expert Larry Slavicek spreads the roots to help youngsters plant the historic seedling.

District 13 News

by Superintendent Dr. Jerry Gordon

New School Plans

With the passage of the referendum on March 17, the Board of Education began making plans for the construction of the new school on Springfield Drive. The new building will replace Central School and five portable structures now in use. The district's architectural firm FGM/c and the project architects, John Ochoa and Mary Ann O'Hara, have completed the design work and construction documents.

Bid packages for the one story, 56,000 square foot elementary school will be in the hands of potential bidders from June 15 through July 7. Bids will be opened by the Board of Education on July 7. We hope to award a construction contract at a special Board meeting on July 8. Groundbreaking is set tentatively for Monday, July 20.

Along with the actual construction of the new school, there are two side issues which are very important to our school community. As we are moving all sixth grade students from Westfield School to the elementary buildings, we will have to redraw the attendance boundaries between DuJardin and the new school. Also, the Board of Education will have to determine whether the new building will be called Central School or have a new name. Both issues will be very important to our parents. Therefore, the district will be forming two advisory committees to give the Board their recommendations. These committees made up of parents, teachers administrators and other concerned people, will be organized in September.

Faculty Committees

Major changes in District 13's programs come from in-depth studies completed by administrators and teachers of the issues involved. For two years Assistant Superintendent Dr. Janice Cernock and a committee of teachers have been studying the district's science curriculum and textbooks. In addition, they piloted two possible textbook adoptions. On June 8 the committee recommended that the district adopt new science textbooks from Scott Foresman in grades K-5 and Prentice Hall in grades 6-8. These new texts closely match the district's goals and philosophy. Their strengths contain integration of science concepts and the inclusion of many hands-on activities.

The technology committee, chaired by Chuck Swangren, Westfield's Principal, has also been very busy this year. At the May 11 meeting of the Board of Education, this committee recommended that the Board of Education install new IBM computer labs in our elementary schools over the next three years. In addition, they recommended that each of the three schools' library systems be computerized to take advantage of the electronic bulletin boards and other similar information services available today. The total cost of the new computers including software and necessary furniture would be \$250,000 to be spent over the three year period.

Service Awards

At an employee appreciation reception held on Friday, May 1, the Board of Education honored the following employees by giving them an appropriate plaque for service to the children of Bloomingdale School District 13:

10 YEARS: Mary DiCiolla, Ken Havlicek, Nancy Jeske and Donna Marino;

15 YEARS: Donna Kerr, Ann Mitchell, Charles Swangren, Mike Murray and Terri Rulon;

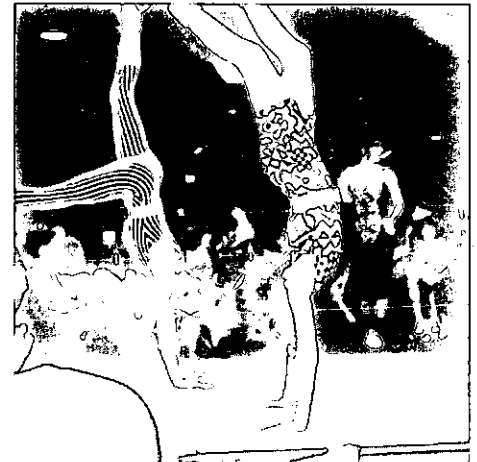
20 YEARS: Sandra Weber.

The Bloomingdale Women's Club 18th annual Fashion Show


netted \$7,471.62 for Children's Miracle Network for Children's Memorial Hospital. Fashion Show Chairpersons Pam Hagar and Lynne Richman, along with Second Vice President Dottie Nagle presented a check to the organization on the Memorial Day weekend telethon.



Mayor Sam Tenuto hams it up on the midway with club member JoAnn Serge.



There were some pretty fancy moves demonstrated by models as they show the latest in workout clothes.



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About Town

JASON FANGUSARO, 1991 graduate of Lake Park high School, was recently named Loyola University's most outstanding freshman of the year. In addition to making the Dean's List in all accelerated classes, Fangusaro will play the lead role in the school's production of "Hotel Taridiso" and is a drama and pre-medicine major.

BRENT MURDOCK, a junior at Lake Park High School, has been named Lake Park's Athlete of the Week for his performances in the Barrington High School Volleyball Tournament and subsequently was named to the All-Tournament team by competing coaches.

The following Bloomingdale residents were honored as recipients of the Human Relations Award at Lake Park High School this spring:

Seniors **CHRISTINE AMANN**, **CECILLE BALUTAN**, **LEE BERNHARD**, **PHIL GENITONI**, **HOLLY HOLTHAUS**, **KEVIN HUDZIAK**, **KEN HULATA**, **MATT KOUCHOUKOS**, **KARLA LAING**, **TONY SURMA**. Juniors **ANNAMARIE GIACOMINO**, **ANDREW MENDYGRAL**, **MIKE ROSEN**, **LISA STONER**. Sophomores **KIMBERLY GRACIOUS**, **SHANNON HEIZMANN**, **SCOTT SMITH** and Freshman **CATHERINE PRYZBYLO**.

CHAMBER SCHOLARSHIPS

The Bloomingdale Chamber of Commerce awarded scholarships to Glenbard North senior Julie Spears and to Lake Park senior Scott Smith. Scott plans to study electrical engineering at Marquette and Julie will major in Psychology at the University of Iowa.

Also from Lake Park, the National Honor Society inducted the following Bloomingdale residents:

Seniors **RACHELLE SCHELLERER** and **ANTHONY SURMA**; Juniors **LAURA ALMDALE**, **SUZANNE CHLAPECKA**, **KERRY COLLINS**, **ROBERT DURKEE**, **LARA GABBEY**, **HEATHER GEANTO**, **SAMANTHA HOOVER**, **DAVID HULATA**, **INGA KALNINS**, **BRIAN KAUK**, **MICHAEL LISTON**, **ANDREW MENDYGRAL**, **DANIEL NICKY**, **TRACY PAOLELLA** and **MICHAEL ROSEN**.

The 1991-2 school year was particularly productive for the Westfield soloists and ensemble members. When they participated in the Illinois Grade School Music Association State Contest at Blackhawk Junior High School in Bensenville, both choral groups were earned unanimous first place ratings from all three judges.

Prior to that, the both the 7th & 8th grade concert choir and the swing choir took first-place ratings in the

IGSMA District 7 Choral Competition and chorus members earned 29 first-place ratings and 2 second-place ratings in the IGSMA solo and ensemble contest.

BLOOMINGDALE WAL-MART will host the second annual Wal-Mart Fundraiser for Holiday Meals-on-Wheels of DuPage County on June 13, 1992, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Attractions will be craft booths, an old car display, penny carnival for the kids, clowns, hot dogs, etc. Proceeds will go to provide weekend and holiday meals to our homebound elderly in DuPage county.

BUSINESS HOSTS PREVENTION PROGRAM

Bloomingdale Township Prevention Plus Program, in conjunction with the Bloomingdale and Roselle Chambers of Commerce, is hosting Intervention theater presented by S.S.T. Communications. Intervention Theater seeks to convey important, factual information about substance abuse and chemical dependency with live theater experience in a supportive, non-threatening way.

The presentation will be 7-9 p.m. on Monday, June 22 at Glenbard North High School. Business owners, managers and employees are invited to attend. Please RSVP by June 17 at 893-8566. Intervention Theater has given over 2000 presentations in and around Chicagoland which have proven both popular and effective.

SENIOR SERVICES

A variety of services for DuPage county Senior citizens is available through the DuPage County Division of Human Services, Senior Citizen Services' Coordination Unit. The unit provides assessments for in-home care programs for eligible residents including home-delivered meals, housekeeping/homemaker services and an outreach service to assess the needs of older persons in the community.

Also available is aid for DuPage County seniors who wish to live independently but who need some assistance with housekeeping, meal preparation or personal care. For further information call the Division of Senior Services at 682-7990 or toll-free at 1-800-640-3683.

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New Park District Director



Steve Scholten is the Bloomingdale Park District's new Director of Parks and Recreation, effective April 27, 1992. In this capacity, Scholten is responsible for

long range planning and facilitation of the policies made by the Park District's Board of Directors.

Scholten is an active member of the Illinois Park and Recreation Association. He serves on the IPRA Awards Committee and the Professional Development School Board of Regents. He also swerves on the Joint Publications committee of the Illinois Park and Recreation Association and the Illinois Association of Park Districts.

He previously was Assistant Director Leisure Services for the Elk Grove Park District for better than four years. Before that he served as Director of Glen Ellyn Park District, as Director of Medinah Park District and in various program supervisory positions with Elk Grove Park District.

Scholten holds a Bachelor degree in Recreation and Park Administration from Illinois State University and a Masters degree in Business Administration from Keller Graduate School of Management, Chicago. He also completed the Indiana University Executive Development Program.

Steve and his wife, Peggy, have four children: Katie, 10; Carly, 8; Kimberly, 8; and Scott, 6. The Scholten family lives in Elk Grove Village.

PTO/STP SCHOLARSHIPS

The DuJardin PTO and the Westfield STP selected Carrie Neff to receive their 1992 scholarships in the amount of \$250 each. Central PTO awarded its \$250 scholarship to Lisa Stoner.

Both are graduates of Lake Park High School who attended DuJardin, Westfield and Central schools. Neff will attend Northwestern University; Stoner, to Grand Valley State in Michigan.

PTO members raised the funds for these scholarships through volunteer fundraisers at the schools.

The reunion committee for Wheaton Community High School graduating class of 1957 has planned its 35th reunion for August 7-8. For more information contact Mary Thurston Vogt, (708) 469-2550.

VERY SPECIAL ARTS EXHIBIT

The Bloomingdale Park District Museum is proud to host, in conjunction with the Western DuPage Special Recreation Association, "A Very Special Arts Exhibit" from June 15 to July 10. The 43-piece display, which is created by people with disabilities, promotes "Life in America" and celebrates the 200th anniversary of the White House. The exhibit is currently working its way throughout the state this year.

A special reception will be held on Sunday, June 28 from 1-3 p.m. at the museum. Irene Kruse and Phil Reid, long-time arts program supporters and honorary chairmen, will be on hand. WDSRA serves more than 2800 children, teens and adults with over 700 annual programs, special events and trips.

Pet Rescue

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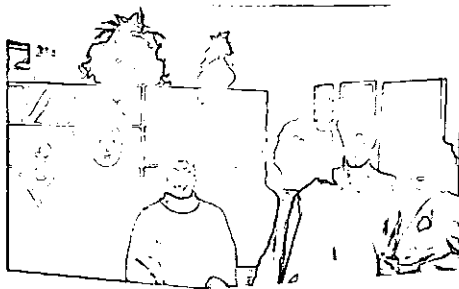
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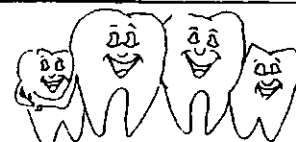
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