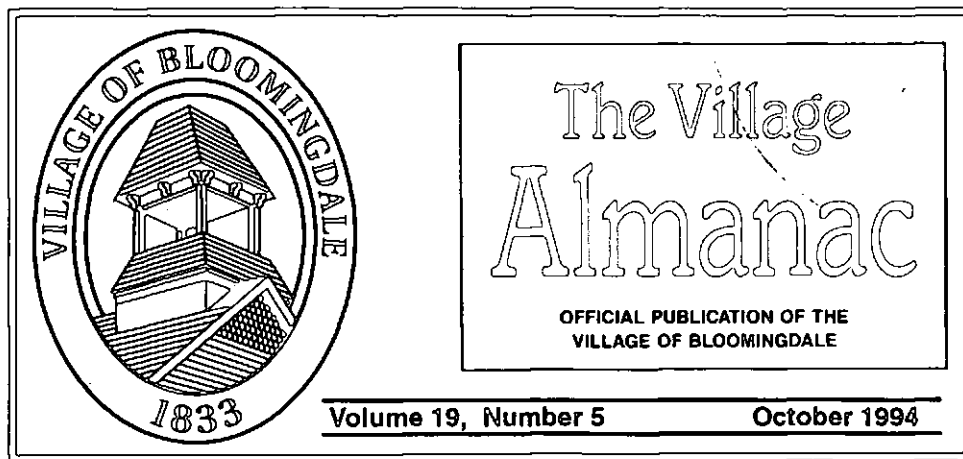


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## LIBRARY REFERENDUM ON NOV. 8 BALLOT

At the Tuesday, November 8th election you will be presented with a choice that concerns you personally. The ballot will contain a question asking for the approval of \$3,600,000 of bonds to be issued by the Village of Bloomingdale to expand, remodel, and improve the library. A Citizens' Referendum Committee is working so that you can make an informed choice.

The Library Board has been planning this project since 1988. They have witnessed growth and change in the Village of Bloomingdale that has increased use and placed new demands on the library.

Over the last ten years, the population of Bloomingdale has grown 58% to the present 19,992. During that same time, the number of library patron visits per day has increased 93%. Attendance at library programs has soared 751%. Our student population, as well as adults, have expressed a need for Sunday hours. Additionally, the li-

brary is faced with mandates for improving the facility to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

If the referendum is approved, the project will provide you with:

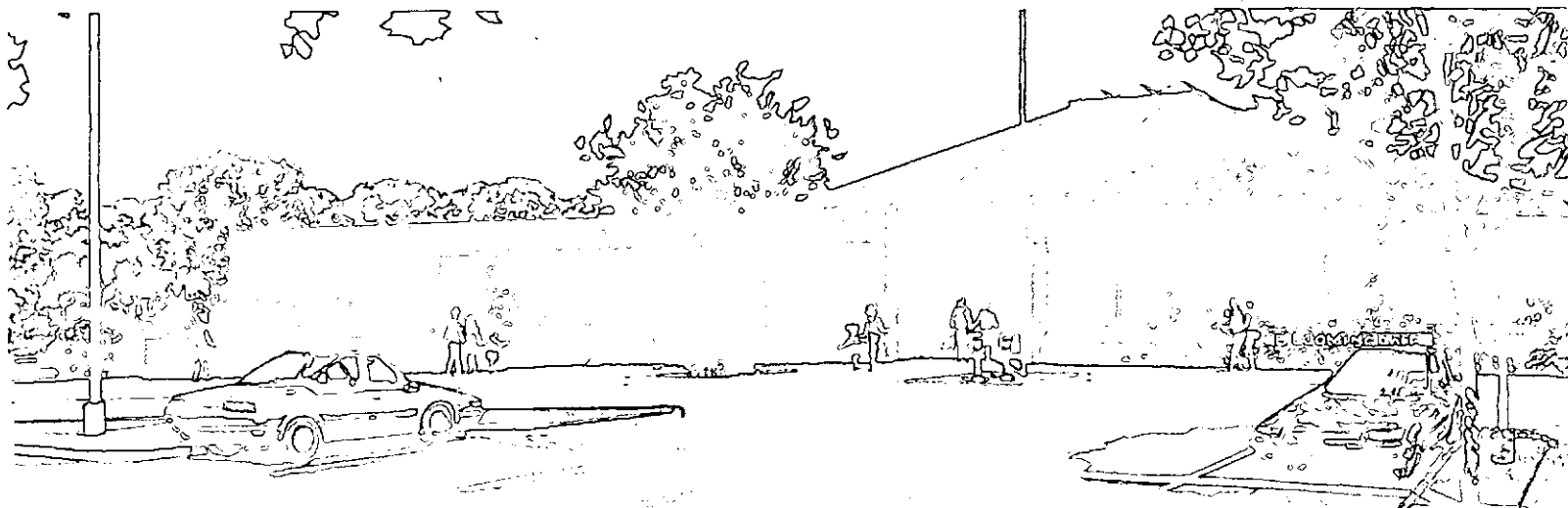
1. Sunday hours during the school year.
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4. Additional meeting room space for groups and organizations.
5. Space for specialized equipment and personal computers.
6. Lower shelves, wider aisles, and other improvements that comply with guidelines established by the Americans With Disabilities Act.
7. An enhanced security system to protect library materials.
8. A centralized check-out system for more efficient circulation.

The planned expansion will increase the size of the library building by 15,000 square feet, bringing the total square footage to 35,000. All of the areas used by patrons will be larger compared to what exists now. The facilities serving both the adults and the youth will be expanded almost 70%. Architectural drawings of the proposed expansion are on display at the library.

Cost projections indicate the library tax rate, currently .2329, will increase by .0300 to .2629 for the bond issue. This new tax rate means a family with a \$150,000 home will pay \$13.95 more next year, or \$1.16 per month.

We encourage everyone to get out and vote. If you want to vote in the November 8th election you must be registered. The deadline for voting absentee by mail is Thursday, November 3rd.

Your library is a part of the investment you place in your community, your home, and yourself.



## 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 pm — Village Hall

### ETHICS COMMITTEE

1st Wednesday in May  
7:30 p.m.

### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1st, 2nd and 4th Mondays  
of every month  
7:30 pm — Village Hall

### PLAN COMMISSION

1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month  
7:30 pm — Village Hall

### BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

3rd Thursday of every month  
6:00 pm — Village Hall

### POLICE PENSION BOARD

Quarterly beginning in January  
1st Wednesday  
7:00 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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## DRISCOLL HIGH SCHOOL HELP-A-THON

On Thursday October 6, 1994, the Village of Bloomingdale hosted 30 volunteers from Driscoll High School during their third annual HELP-A-THON.

Twenty-eight students and two teachers participated in landscaping projects under the direction of Larry Slavicek, Village Forester, at various municipal sites.

Thank you, Driscoll High School for a job well done.

## *Pace Routes Change*

Pace, the suburban transportation service, will be adjust the southern portion of Route 407 Bloomingdale-Roselle beginning Monday, October 31, 1994.

Route 407 will serve Glengary Club and Stratford Place Apartments near Stratford Square Mall as well as Country Club Estates, Chateau Lorraine, Bloomfield Club Estates, Heritage at Stratford and Summerfields. But, the route will no longer serve Fairfield and Westlake.

For info and a copy of the schedule, call Pace at (708) 364-7223.

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## Lincoln Mortgage Moves To Bloomingdale

Lincoln Mortgage has moved from Roselle to Bloomingdale "because we like the atmosphere here" according to Harold Sumerdon. The company, which has served the community for seven years, has a staff of 14 people who are highly qualified to help applicants obtain residential mortgages, commercial loans and equity lines.

Lincoln Mortgage works with 30 banks, each of which has its own program. But Lincoln Mortgage tailors its services to each applicant's needs. It takes just 20 minutes to pre-qualify an applicant and the company is proud of its 99% success ratio, according to Sumerdon. To begin the pre-qualification process, call 894-4800.

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## HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS From the Bloomingdale Neighborhood Watch

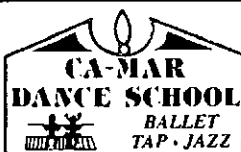
1. Never eat anything until after you are home and the treats have been examined.
2. Throw away any unwrapped items.
3. Check the wrappers of any treats for signs of tampering.
4. Notify the Police Department if any items appear to have been tampered with.
5. Keep costumes simple.
6. Costumes should be made of light-colored materials, so that they are easily seen at night.
7. At least one person in the group should carry a flashlight while trick or treating.

Have a fun and safe Halloween. For further information on Neighborhood Watch, contact Detective Gary Fuchs at 529-9868.

**Trick or Treat Hours 3-8 pm**

### Complaint Investigation

It is the policy of the Bloomingdale Police Department to receive and investigate all complaints related to internal discipline in a manner that will assure the community prompt, corrective action when Police Department personnel conduct themselves improperly, while also protecting Police Personnel from unwarranted criticism pursuant to the discharge of their duties. It is recommended that citizens who wish to report bona-fide complaints against police personnel do so in person at the Police Department to police supervisors. However, complaints will be taken by telephone or by mail. All allegations of misconduct or violations of procedure will be investigated and, upon conclusion, citizens will be advised of the findings.



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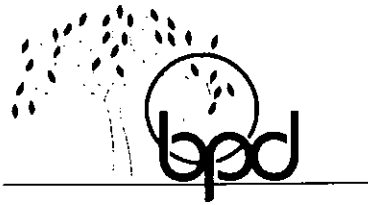
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## THE BLOOMINGTON PARK DISTRICT MUSEUM PRESENTS:

"**QUILT NATIONAL**", a traveling exhibition  
of art quilts from around the country *through*  
*October 23rd.*

"**BLOOMINGTON ARTISTS IV**" *November*  
*5th thru December 4th.* Call the park district  
office for information and/or an entry form  
or stop by the museum during our open hours to pick one up.  
*The public is invited to attend an artist's reception for this show on*  
*Friday, November 4th from 7:00 to 8:30.*

"**YOUTH ART COMPETITION**" *December 17th thru January 15th.*  
For area students in grades 3 thru 12. Entry forms are available  
at the office or the museum.

The Bloomington Park District Museum is located at 108 South  
Bloomington Road. *Open hours are Wednesday thru Friday -*  
*12:30 to 4:30, Saturday - 11:00 to 4:00 and Sunday - 12:00 to 4:00*  
(also Tuesdays 12:30 - 4:30 for the Quilt National show only).

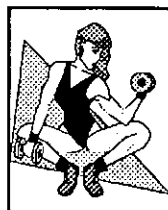
## ADULTS

❑ **Men's Sunday Basketball League** is starting soon (November 13th) so  
register now for our 5 on 5 league. For more information on this program,  
call Kelly at the office. Deadline for registration (both returning teams and  
new players) is October 28th.

❑ It's that time of year again! The Park District's annual **Water  
Tower shopping trip** will be on **Thursday, December 8th.** The  
bus leaves at 9:00 am and returns at 4-ish. Sign up soon while  
space is still available! Cost - \$7.00 for in-district.

❑ Do you want to **IMPROVE YOUR HEALTH AND PROMOTE  
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more. You'll become a better educated and thus healthier  
consumer after this class. **UNDERSTANDING NUTRITION  
LABELING** meets on Tuesday, November 1st and 8th.

❑ The Park District offers many **aerobic  
and exercise classes** both in the  
morning and the evening. **Our next  
session of classes begins the week of  
November 15th** except for the Jazzercise



program which is ongoing. Please call the Park District  
office for details.

❑ Gain strength, endurance and improve your overall  
circulation with our **Pregnancy Fitness Class.** Taught by  
Sherri McNeeley, RN - the one-hour class will meet twice weekly  
and guide you through this special time with tips, information and  
healthy exercise. This is an on-going program (through January  
25th) that you may enter **at any time.** The class meets on Monday  
and Wednesday at Erickson school. Call us for all the details and  
get ready now for that big day.

## YOUTH

❑ **YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE** begins the week of **December**  
**5th!** We have both a girls league, a co-ed league and a traveling  
team. Call the Park District office for all of the details but don't  
forget - **registration deadline is November 1st (at the close of**  
**our business day)!**

❑ Something new - **Mother/Daughter Craft Night** which will  
meet on Tuesday evenings. A different craft project will be made  
on October 18 (Stuffed Ghost), November 15 (Thanksgiving  
Centerpiece) and December 6 (Bleach Bottle Santa). You can sign  
up for one or all three! Stop by the Park District office to see the  
samples and to register.



❑ Also for Moms - **Mom and Son Night Out**  
will be on **Friday, November 4th.** There will  
be pizza and popcorn, a movie and lots of fun  
for the whole evening! Sign up soon!

## ❑ The Park District's 11th Annual HALLOWEEN HAPPENING

*is just around the corner. This year's event  
will be on Saturday, October 29th from 5:30  
to 8:00 pm. We'll have games and  
refreshments, an indoor pumpkin jump, a free  
bag of treats for every child (kindergarten  
through 5th grade) and many other exciting  
things to do! Please note: this year's event will  
be held at Westfield Junior High School on  
Fairfield Way.*



*There's still time to volunteer for Halloween Happening!  
Please call Becky at the Park District office if you can help out.*

The Bloomington Park District's main facility is located at 172  
South Circle Ave. (the Johnston Rec Center) though programs  
are held throughout the community. **Our office hours are**  
**Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 4:30.** Please feel free  
to call us at any time during those hours to get information  
on the above programs. Our office number is 529-3650.

## Gift Giving Just Got Easier

Special occasion gift giving has gotten a whole lot easier for residents in Bloomingdale now that **Names and Verses** has come to town.

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#### MICE



One of the most frequently encountered domestic pests are mice. The house mouse and sometimes the long-tailed field mouse seek the warmth and shelter of buildings for nesting sites and food.

Traps and poisons may solve the problem temporarily, but building them out is the only long range answer.

The first thing to do if you have a mouse problem is to remove potential shelters and food supplies. Mice like to live near sheds, piles of trash or leaves, or any unclean area. Keep piles of leaves, wood, newspapers or trash well away from the house

You must be especially careful to keep them out of the house. Check every possible entrance. Keep floor drains closed to prevent them from climbing in through the sewers. Stuff the holes around water pipes with steel wool. Patch all cracks and holes in the walls with plaster mixed with steel wool. Holes larger than one-fourth inch should be covered with sheet metal or wire mesh screens.

Standard snap traps or glue traps baited with peanut butter, nuts bacon, cheese or chocolate can be very effective. Proper placement of the traps is crucial. Mice usually travel along the walls. If you can't determine their favorite paths, sprinkle some flour or talcum powder in suspected areas and look for tracks. It is important to check the traps frequently.

Poisons should be used as a last resort following all the instructions.

#### BIRDS

At one time or another, every homeowner is faced with unwelcome guests, some of them nonhuman. As suburban areas grow, wild animals find their territories being taken over by large two-legged creatures who chop down trees and make a lot of noise. The animals must perish, move, or adapt to the changed environment. Birds are the animals which are affected the most.

Taking steps to effectively control the nesting of birds in and around your property demands proper timing, persistence, and a willingness to experiment. You must take steps to deter the birds from nesting. Bird populations are more vulnerable during the nesting season.

Homeowners should be aware that birds will seek shelter from the wind, rain, snow and anything that may cause them danger. You should insure your furnace chimney, fireplace chimney, sewer stacks and dryer vents are covered to prevent birds from entering to build a nest. Outside lights that are under eaves are another area birds like to build nests. These should be removed and relocated to a tree. Control measures must be continued as long as the birds remain. If one form of control does not work, try another. Sometimes a combination of techniques is necessary for good results. Some proven techniques which have been used successfully are noisemakers, sticky repellants, pie plates hung from the eaves, inflated paper bags, balloons and imitation snakes.

\*Information on wildlife pests behavior and control has been provided by the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County, Willowbrook Wildlife Center. Further information can be obtained from fliers at the Bloomingdale Village Hall located at 201 S. Bloomingdale Rd. You can also call the Willowbrook Wildlife Center for more information at 708-790-4900.



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## Get Away With Murder

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Get Away with Murder was rated the #1 mystery company by the Tribune in 1992. For more information call 924-8330 or stop by the Old Town location, 130 W. Lake Street.

## Rooster's

**Rooster's Barn & Grill**, 122 W. Lake Street has just opened in Old Town under the new ownership of Frank Cook and Tom Runkle. With combined 27 years experience in the industry, these gentlemen are "hands-on managers" who know quality and service is what will bring patrons back again and again.

The lunch and dinner menus are priced to attract family diners. All their soups, sandwiches and entrees are prepared from scratch. One of Rooster's featured dinners is slow-cooked marinated flame-broiled chicken which can be ordered with one of three marinade blends.

When you stop in, be sure to check out the extensive collection of hot sauces. This collection serves both as a conversation piece, and for use by patrons. Roosters offers a free appetizer to anyone who brings in a brand of hot sauce they don't have.

Roosters is open seven days a week. Dress is casual and reservations are taken for groups of eight or more. For details call 307-9995.

## Bloomingtondale's New King And Queen

Twenty-one year old Christine Cusack was named Queen at the Bloomingtondale Septemberfest. She attends Elgin Community College, majoring in psychology with a minor in criminology. She hopes to eventually counsel in a youth home. She has been involved with the St. Charles Park District working with youngsters for a number of years and has a great interest in helping children.

King Tony Silva is a junior at St. Francis High School where he is active in several sports, as well as in the drama department. Tony is also involved in a Leadership Hockey program that teaches youth how to play hockey. The National Honor student also volunteers at the Bloomingtondale Pavilion.

First runner-up Karen Applehoff is a 17-year Lake Park senior who has been active in a variety of activities from choir to student council to swim team. She has also participated in several service projects through her church group.

Scott Smith, first runner-up, is a student at Marquette University majoring in mechanical engineering. The 20-year old has consistently achieved excellent academic success while remaining

active in both school and church activities. He continues to be active in Milwaukee charitable endeavors while at college.

Second runner-up Ken Carollo is a nineteen-year old sophomore at St. Norbert College majoring in business, minoring in communications. Second runner-up Taryn Hettlinger is a senior at Lake Park High School who is active in theatre and volunteers her time to a number of civic endeavors.

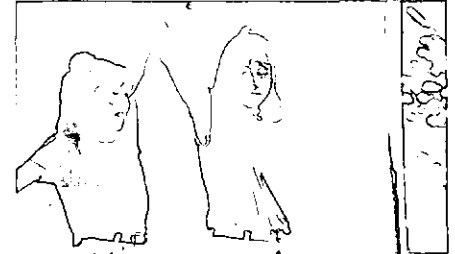
Third runners-up were Ryan Rushton, Lake Park senior and nineteen year old Jennifer Gosmire, a pediatric nursing student at Indiana University. Fourth runners-up were Rich Clark, College of DuPage student who also works at the Bloomingtondale Library and Lori Voelker, a Northern Illinois sophomore majoring in nursing.



**King Tony Silva and Queen Christine Cusack**



**MacGruff made a personal appearance**



**Amanda Krause and Stephanie Bartuch performing in the talent show.**

## Police Auction

On October 15 the Bloomingtondale Police Department will conduct a bicycle and unclaimed property auction at the Carol Stream Village Hall, 500 N. Gary Avenue. Property will be available for public viewing from 9-10 a.m. For more information call Sergeant Turner at 529-9868 from 3-11 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday.

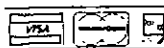
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## 1995 TREE PLANTING PROGRAM

The Village Board has again allocated funds for this very successful program which was started in 1982. The program provides trees, including planting, at a 50/50 cost sharing with the Village. The trees will be planted next Spring and are available for parkways or front yards.

The following are the guidelines of the program:

1. Since the budget is limited, the program will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Requests should be submitted by December 1, 1994. No money is needed at this time. Bills will be sent about February 1, 1995.
2. Trees will be 2-1/2" caliper, unless stated otherwise. Trees will be quality nursery stock but not specimen plants.
3. The Village reserves the right to disapprove requests based on conflicts, safety, or proper spacing.
4. Each parcel will be limited to two trees per year.
5. Participants will be given the opportunity to mark the desired location for the tree, however, the Village retains the right to change the location, if necessary.
6. We anticipate the cost of the trees to be between \$200 and \$300 each, with the Village paying half of the amount.
7. Trees will be guaranteed for one year. Participants are responsible for all watering which will be described in instructions furnished by the Village.

If further information is desired, contact Larry Slavicek, Urban Forester, at 708-529-5865 extension 19.

### TREE PLANTING PROGRAM REQUEST FORM

PLANTING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

DAYTIME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

#### INDICATE NUMBER OF EACH SPECIES DESIRED:

##### PARKWAY

\_\_\_ **Shantung Maple** (*Acer truncatum*)  
Small maple native of China with round crown of dark green leaves which turn orange-red in fall. Tolerant of urban conditions. Grows slowly to 25'.

\_\_\_ **Turkish Filbert** (*Corylus colurna*)  
Pyramidal when young; becoming broadly conical with age. Hairy green leaves which turn yellow in fall. Grows moderately to 50'.

\_\_\_ **Pyramidal Hornbeam** (*Carpinus betulus* 'Fastigiata')  
Crown is oval when young, becoming pyramidal with age. Dense foliage of dark green corrugated leaves which turn yellow in fall. Grows slowly to 35'.

\_\_\_ **Dancer Pear** (*Pyrus betulaefolia* 'Southworth')  
Broadly ovate crown and white flowers before leaf emergence. Leaves are bright green above and silvery green beneath. Fruit 3/8" diameter and limited. Grows moderately to 40'.

\_\_\_ **London Planetree, 'Bloodgood'** (*Platanus x acerifolia* 'Bloodgood') Large tree with broadly ovate crown. Large light green leaves which turn yellow-brown in fall. Exfoliating bark which reveals green-gray inner bark. Grows fast to 70'.

\_\_\_ **Homestead Elm** (*Ulmus* 'Homestead')  
Complex Hybrid Elm with upright arching crown of dark green leaves. Good urban tree which is resistant to Dutch Elm Disease. Grows fast to 60'.

##### FRONT YARD

- \_\_\_ **Shantung Maple** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **Pyramidal Hornbeam** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **Dancer Pear** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **Turkish Filbert** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **London Planetree, 'Bloodgood'** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **Homestead Elm** See Parkway  
\_\_\_ **Freeman Maple, 'Marmo'** (*Acer x freemanii* 'Marmo')  
Hybrid of Silver and Red Maples. Ovate crown. Silver maple shaped leaves turn orange-red in fall. Grows fast 60'.

\_\_\_ **Crabapple, 'Prairifire'** (*Malus* 'Prairifire') Reddish-pink blooms. Small red-purple, persistent fruit. Red-purple foliage matures to dark green with red-purple veins. Disease resistant. Grows moderately 20'.

\_\_\_ **8' Multi-Stem Crabapple, 'Prairifire'** See above

\_\_\_ **6' Douglas Fir** (*Pseudotsuga menziesii*) Evergreen with symmetrical pyramidal shape. Soft, flat, dark green, sometimes bluish needles. Grows moderately to 50'.

\_\_\_ **American Yellowwood** (*Cladrastis lutea/kentukea*) Attractive ornamental with round crown of light green compound leaves which turn yellow-brown in fall. Grows moderately fast to 40'.



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## Welcome Bertucci's Pizza!

On hand to inaugurate the grand opening of the new Bertucci's Brick Oven Pizzeria on Gary Avenue (left) were Carole Pankau, state representative, Jerry Gordon, School District 13 superintendent, Jill Doppelt, Bertucci's vice president of marketing, Gloria Reyes Ball, village trustee, Rick Pernal, restaurant manager and Branka Poplonski, Bloomingdale Chamber of Commerce president.



### DMS Design Resource Will Be In National Publications

DMS Design Resource, located in Old Town Bloomingdale, will be represented in the revised editions of two national publications: The Guerrilla Marketing Handbook and Green at Work.

*The Guerrilla Marketing Handbook* is a guidebook for successful direct marketing techniques. A mammography promotion created by DMS for GlenOaks Hospital and Medical Center in Glendale Heights was selected on the basis of its winning results. The promotion, a postcard format featuring the headline "A Mammogram Can Take Fifteen Minutes. Breast Cancer Can Take Your Life", and an impressionistic illustration of a woman, netted a 300% increase for the hospital in the number of mammograms performed over a fifteen week period in 1991.

*Green at Work*, a comprehensive guide to corporate jobs oriented toward protecting the environment, profiles business professionals from a wide variety of disciplines who are involved in corporate environmental initiatives as part of their jobs. Denise Steinberg, principal of DMS Design Resource, was chosen as the result of her firm's work with the Office of Environmental Affairs of Baxter, International in Deerfield, IL.

DMS Design Resource's offices are located in Old Town Bloomingdale. The firm was founded in 1985 by Ms. Steinberg and specializes in design and communication strategy for business.

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## DOMINIC FROIO ART COLLECTION DONATION

The Board of Trustees and staff of the Bloomington Public Library invite the public to preview the Dominic Froio Collection Exhibit on display through October in the Bloomington Public Library, 101 Fairfield Way, Bloomington, Illinois.

The exhibit includes unique and original Mexican art, pottery, sculptures, porcelain figurines, carvings and collectibles. All items on exhibit are for sale, and all proceeds from items sold will be donated to the Library. Local resident Dominic Froio generously donated his collection of around 647 pieces stating, "it's a way for individuals to acquire unique and original art and to benefit the Library."

One outstanding feature of the exhibit is the collection of twenty-two original paintings by Spanish artist Jaime Oates Coris. After attending fine arts schools in Barcelona and London, he moved to Mexico and became a naturalized citizen in 1953. He is the founding member of Mexico's society of Water Color Painters. His paintings have been exhibited in galleries internationally.

The items on exhibit may be previewed and purchased any time during regular library hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:30 am-9 pm, Friday-Saturday, 9:30 am-5 pm. All sales are cash only and final. For more information, call the Library at (708) 529-3120.

## HOLIDAY HOURS

November 24 — Thanksgiving

**LIBRARY CLOSED**

November 25

9:30 a.m. - 5 pm

November 26

9:30 a.m. — 5:00 p.m.

## FRIENDS TO HOLD BOOK SALE

The Friends of the Bloomington Public Library are sponsoring a "Bag O' Books" sale on Saturday, November 19 from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm, at the Bloomington Public Library. Used books, magazines and records will be for sale, all at bargain prices. Donations for the sale may be left at the Library any time before November 19th. For more information, call the Library at 529-3120.

## BLOOMINGDALE COMMUNITY TREE

Once again the Village of Bloomington and the Bloomington Public Library will be co-sponsoring the Village of Bloomington community tree at Brookfield Zoo. Two ornament-making workshops will be held at the Library on Saturday, November 5: from 1 pm-2 pm and from 2:30 pm-3:30 pm for children ages 3 and up.

During the workshop, children will make Christmas tree ornaments which will be used to trim the Village of Bloomington community tree that will be on display at Brookfield Zoo through January 1, 1995. Join us for a fun afternoon and help make Bloomington's seventh community tree "extra special." Refreshments will be served. To register, call 529-3120.

All children who make ornaments for the tree are invited to help trim the tree at Brookfield Zoo on November 26th at 2 pm. The zoo will be giving us a very limited number of Admission and Parking Passes. A drawing will be held this year to distribute the passes. Registration for the drawing will be on November 5, during the two workshop sessions. For more information about the zoo tree-trimming event, call the Library at 529-3120.

## ICE CREAM SOCIAL THANK YOU

The Library's Ice Cream Social held on August 11th was very successful. Around 500 people attended. The Friends of the Bloomington Public Library and the Bloomington Public Library would like to thank Gary and Valerie Braun of Braun Enterprises for donating the tent and other supplies for our event, and Bob Braun of Imperial Midways for providing the children's jungle gym. We'd also like to thank the Village of Bloomington for sponsoring the musical entertainment, Chuck Little of the Blooze Brothers for providing the sound system, and the Health Spring Medical Group for sponsoring the kangaroo. Thanks also to Dennis Szafran and Mike Gully from Public Works for their assistance. All of these contributions helped to make our event extra special.

## CELEBRATE CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK

November 14-20, 1994

**LIONS & TIGERS & BOOKS—OH, MY!**

# YOUTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT FALL PROGRAM

## CELEBRATE READING!

Congratulations to all who participated in the Youth Services CELEBRATE READING! Summer Reading Program! A total of 790 young people were registered, and 534 completed the program. Younger readers read at least 10 books. Young Adult readers read at least 6 books. The total number of books read was 19,906 including young adults. The total number of people attending CELEBRATE READING! Summer Reading programs was 3,916.

The Ice Cream Social/Finale was sponsored by the Friends of the Bloomingdale Public Library and was held on Thursday, August 11 at 6:30 - 9:00 PM. An enthusiastic crowd of 350 people enjoyed the lively entertainment provided for them both inside and outside the large Braun Enterprises tent! Children were treated to games, a playground on wheels, face painting, a Pocket Lady, and more. Inside the tent, eatable treats included popcorn, ice cream and pop. After hearing this summer's reading statistics, it was show-time! The exciting line-up included comic juggler Andy Head, the much awaited Red Ranger and the ever popular Blooze Brothers! What a great time!

The Youth Services Department would again like to thank all the local merchants who generously contributed to the Summer Reading Program. Their support helps make the Summer Reading Program a grand success each year!

## CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK NOVEMBER 14 THRU 20

To celebrate Children's Book Week, November 14 - 20, 1994, the Youth Services Department is planning a **FAMILY NIGHT**. The second in a series of programs for families this Fall, it is called **FAMILY TALL TALE NIGHT**. Families are invited to sign-up at the Library for this special event. Take home a handout explaining the program - an evening of original family tall tales based on real experiences! With suggestions for creating a tall tale, families will prepare to read, tell or act out their story at **FAMILY TALL TALE NIGHT** on November 17 at 7:00 - 8:00 PM. **All are welcome - story tellers AND interested guests; refreshments will be served.**

Our theme this year for CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK is "Lions & Tigers & Books - Oh, My!". Plan to visit the Library to see our special display. A drawing for prizes displaying this year's theme will be held at **TALL TALE NIGHT** on November 17 at 7 PM. You may enter the drawing between November 14 and November 17 at 7 PM.

You do not have to be present to win!



## HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Library will once again host its annual Halloween Party on Saturday, October 29 at 1:00 - 3:30 P.M. This popular event is for all ages. Children come in costume for a Halloween parade and a variety of games and prizes under a large Braun Enterprises tent! Don't miss the fun! Registration taken by telephone in the Youth Services Department. Call 529-3120.

## JUNIOR FRIENDS

The Youth Services Department would like to thank the following Junior Friends for donating their time, energy and talents to help with the CELEBRATE READING! Summer Reading Program:

Chris Aden  
Andrew Argyrakis  
Tina Artos  
Bradley Chalifoux  
Sara Chalifoux  
Matthew Croll  
Nicole Davey  
Erin Frain  
Susan Freund  
Karen Fuller  
Jason Hammed  
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Brad Schafer  
Sara Soden  
Sufyan Sohel  
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Jackie Wojcik  
Amber Samuelson  
Sarah Sharifi  
Tricia Howard

The Junior Friends contributed a total of 106 hours during the summer. They helped prepare craft materials, put up & take down chairs, and assisted at programs. All Junior Friends were given Surprise Packages in appreciation for their help.

## Chess Team Wins 1st Place!

3-PEAT Mania!! has come to Bloomingdale. Congratulations are in order for the victorious Bloomingdale Public Library's Summer Chess Club. The Chess Club won first place for the third year in a row at the Inter-library Chess Tournament Championship on Saturday, August 6, against 5 other area libraries.

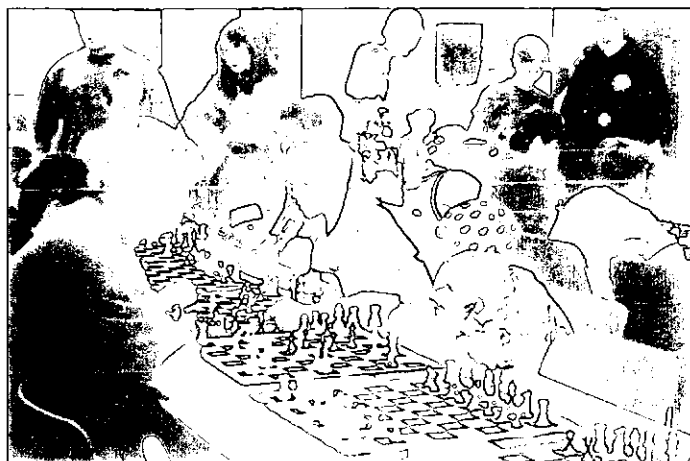
The final team scores were:

Bloomingdale — 29	Glenside — 21
Lombard — 19	Poplar Creek — 18.5
Bartlett — 13.5	

The winning team in Ranked Order was:

Blair Machaj, Paul Raso, Craig Cochran, Sean Luster, Eddie Patel, Jeff Schafer, Stephen Bernsee, Brad Schafer, Pat Karney, Dave Dixon, Andy Argyrakis, and Tom Plis.

A special thanks goes to Joe Gebis, who served as team coach.



## UPCOMING ADULT PROGRAMS

Registration is necessary for these free programs. Please call the Library at 529-3120.

### THE JOB OF SEARCHING FOR A JOB

Wednesday, October 19 from 7-9pm. Looking for a new job but not sure how to proceed? This third program of a three part series offered by Patricia Bach of SMAHRT, Inc. will discuss Job Search psychology, market research, employment networking, as well as general job searching tips and much more.

### MAKING GRAPE VINE WREATHS AND CORN HUSK DOLLS

Thursday, October 20 from 6:30 to 9 pm. Learn how to create beautiful decorations for your home. Tobi Star Abrams will offer a free "hands on" program where you will learn to make wreaths from fresh grapevines and dolls from corn husks. Come and see how easy it is to be creative. Attendance limited.

### GLOBAL INVESTING

Wednesday, November 2 from 7:30 to 9 pm. Learn how investing globally can enhance your portfolio returns while minimizing your risks. Malcolm W. Proudfoot of Dean Witter Reynolds will be on hand to explain Global Investing and provide practical ideas in an easy-to-understand format.

### COUNTRY TIN PUNCH DECORATION

Thursday, November 10 from 6:30 to 9 pm. Tobi Star Abrams returns and offers another free "hands on" program to teach us this historic American decorating art. Create an ornament, coaster, or window decoration. Be sure to bring your imagination. Attendance limited.



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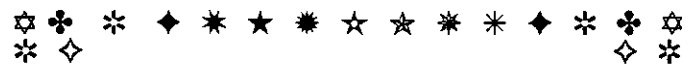
### Adult Summer Reading Program

The Adult Summer Reading Program was a great success. A total of 436 books were read this summer by adult and young adult readers in this summer's adult reading program. We had 59 Adults and 70 Young Adults for a total of **129** participants in the Adult Summer Reading Program this summer. 33 adult readers completed the program by reading 5 books and were entered into the prize drawing.

The prize drawing winners were:

Jo Achille, Complimentary Dinner at T.G.I. Friday's  
Sophia Apostolopoulos, Book For All Seasons Certificate  
Steve Apostolopoulos, Marshall Field Gift Certificate  
Bonnie Baselt, Marshall Field Gift Certificate  
Bonnie Baselt, Indian Lakes Sunday Brunch  
Jane Batte, Arlington Race Course Free Admission  
Karen Berndt, Marshall Field Gift Certificate  
Elizabeth Freund, Clover Leaf Tower Restaurant Dinner  
Kristine Frydendall, Olive Garden Gift Certificate  
Sue Henry, Indian Lakes Sunday Brunch  
Jeannie Jadran, Tower Records and Books Gift Certificate  
Joan Johnson, Tower Records and Books Gift Certificate  
Catherine Kamper, Indian Lakes Sunday Brunch  
Eileen Lechner, Complimentary Dinner at T.G.I. Friday's  
Margaret O'Connor, Olive Garden Gift Certificate  
Bob O'Loughlin, Olive Garden Gift Certificate  
Ruth Ann Olson, Marshall Field Gift Certificate  
Mary Beth Panfil, Platt Hill Nursery Gift Certificate  
Karen Petrus, Tower Records and Books Gift Certificate  
Marina Riemenschneider, Indian Lakes Sunday Brunch  
Grier Whitney, Marshall Field Gift Certificate

The Library would like to extend a special THANKS to all the local businesses who donated prizes. The Adult Summer Reading Program's continuing success depends on the support of our local business community.



### Contest to Create "Holiday Magic"

The Village's Business Promotion and Cultural Development Committee, in conjunction with the Public Library's Christmas "Create Some Magic" theme, is sponsoring a Christmas Decorating contest. A prize will be awarded in three categories for residential decorations and in two for business decorations. Applications will be available in sponsoring stores as of Friday, November 25. Completed applications must be accompanied by a receipt from a Bloomingdale business for the purchase of an item used for the decorating and a \$10 application fee which will be donated in entirety to a needy cause in the community.

Winners will be announced the week of December 19 and plaques will be awarded at the December 28 Village Board meeting. Watch for more details in the local papers as the season approaches. Businesses interested in becoming a sponsor should call the Village Hall, 893-7000.

## CREATE MAGIC THIS HOLIDAY SEASON IN BLOOMINGDALE — PARTICIPATE!

The Bloomingdale Public Library and the Village of Bloomingdale in conjunction with the St. Nicholas Christmas Workshop expect to create some magic this holiday season. They hope to encourage area businesses, service groups and individuals to participate in an array of community-oriented holiday festivities.

Although the oncoming holiday season appears a long way off, there is a lot of planning and hard work ahead to create a truly unique and nostalgic celebration. We welcome volunteers. Call the Library for details:

### SANTA CLAUS SCHOOL

November 5-6, 9-5 pm, Bloomingdale Public Library  
A workshop that will train Bloomingdale individuals. Character and integrity are emphasized via lecture, demonstration, film, photographs and actual work.

### HOLIDAY ENTERTAINING

Nov. 30, 7:30-10pm, Bloomingdale Public Library

### LIBRARY HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE & VILLAGE TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY

December 1, 6:30-9 pm, Bloomingdale Public Library  
Lights, Luminarias, Carolling, Magic, Santa Claus, and much more!

### BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

December 3, 9-10:30 am, Glendale Golf Course  
Children and adults have breakfast with Santa and Mrs. Claus. Activities range from photographs to storytelling to wagon rides, (weather permitting).

### HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

December 6, call 529-3120 for details  
Learn and explore some of the traditions of St. Nicholas from around the world. Crafts, Storytelling and much more.

### RESIDENTIAL AND BUSINESS DECORATING CONTEST

Sponsored by the Business Promotion and Cultural Development Committee. (See Page 12)

### PHONE CALLS FROM SANTA

The goal is to start a Santa tradition followed by several other towns across the U.S. Volunteers needed to call young children whose parents participate in the program.

## LIBRARY CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

- 15 Mystery Dinner ..... 6:30-10pm
- 18 Celebrate Fall, Grades 4-6 ..... 4-5pm
- 19 "The Job of Searching for a Job"  
—Patricia Bach SMAHRT, Inc. .... 7-9pm
- 20 "Making Grape Vine Wreaths and Corn Husk Dolls"  
—Tobi Star Abrams ..... 6:30-9pm
- 22 Saturday Workshop  
—grades 1-4 ..... 10:30-11:30am
- 26 Writer's Workshop ..... 7-9pm
- 29 Halloween Party ..... 1-3:30pm

### NOVEMBER

- 2 "Global Investing"  
—Malcom Proudfoot ..... 7:30-9pm
- 3 Adult Book Discussion ..... 7-9pm
- 4 "Santa Claus School" part 1 ..... 9am-5pm
- 5 "Santa Claus School" part 2 ..... 9am-5pm
- 5 Brookfield Zoo Ornament Workshop ..... 1-2pm  
..... or 2:30-3:30pm
- 8 ELECTION DAY
- 9 Home Alone  
—grades K - 6 ..... 4:14-5:15pm
- 9 Library Board Meeting ..... 7:30pm
- 10 Home Alone  
—grades K - 6 ..... 4:15-5:15pm
- 10 "Country Tin Punch Decoration" ..... 6:30-9pm
- 12 Writer's Workshop ..... 9:30am-Noon
- 14-20 Children's Book Week
- 17 Family Tall Tale Night ..... 7-8pm
- 19 Friends of the Library Bag O' Book Sale  
..... 9:30am-4pm
- 22 Celebrate Fall, grades 4-6 ..... 4-5pm
- 4 THANKSGIVING DAY ..... LIBRARY CLOSED
- 28 Writer's Workshop ..... 7-9pm

### DECEMBER

- 1 Holiday Open House ..... 6:30-9pm
- 3 Breakfast With Santa Claus ..... 9-10:30am
- 10 Writer's Workshop ..... 9:30 am - Noon
- 10 Saturday Workshop  
—grades 1-4 ..... 10:30-11:30am
- 13 Celebrate Fall, grades 4-6 ..... 4-5pm
- 14 Library Board Meeting ..... 7:30pm

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## Culture Club

The next general meeting of the Culture Club will be on October 18 at 7 pm. at the Bloomingdale Park District Museum, 108 S. Bloomingdale Rd. The members will "Show and Tell" their art work. This is a great opportunity to share and learn from each other. New members are welcome. Guest fee \$5. For more information, contact Karen Akins, 279-3314.

## Bloomingdale Women's Club

October 22 is Make A Difference Day, and the Bloomingdale Women's Club will be holding a garage sale to raise money for the Bloomingdale Township Food Pantry. The garage sale will be held on October 22 from 9 am to 3 pm at the Christ the Redeemer Church, 241 E. Army Trail Rd., Bloomingdale. The sixty members of the club will donate clothing, household goods, toys and miscellaneous items that will be sold at bargain prices. Come shop our giant garage sale and help support the Food Pantry. For further information call Debby at 894-8309 or Kathy at 351-5886.

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## Alzheimer's Support At Trinity Lutheran

An Alzheimer's Support group meets monthly at Trinity Lutheran Church in Roselle for caregivers and families of loved ones with Alzheimer's or related disorders. The group meets on the first Monday of the month in the Church Library-Activity Room at 7:30 pm.

The meetings are open to all. There is no fee. For more information on the Roselle group, call Marilyn Dau, group leader, 980-8616, or the Chapter Helpline at 933-1000.

## Thank You, Lions!

Many thanks to the Bloomingdale Lions Club! Their generous donation of \$4,000 to the Park District has made possible the construction of a new signboard that will be located in front of the Park District Museum. Because of their gift, many community groups will have the opportunity to promote their events and activities. Thank you, Lions, for helping Bloomingdale stay in touch!

Sincerely,

The Bloomingdale Park District

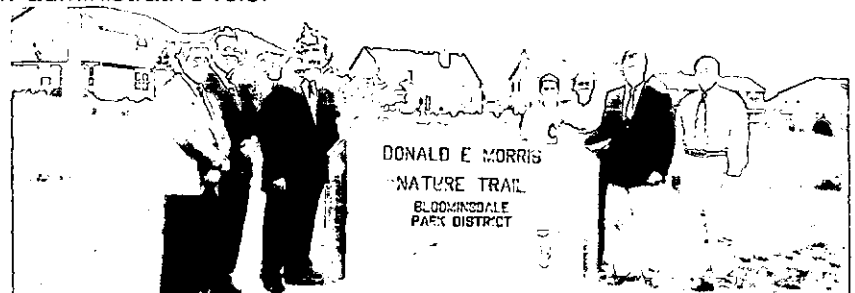
## School District 13

Bloomingdale Elementary School District 13 has appointed three assistant principals to serve each of its three schools. Kathleen Schneiter has assumed the full-time assistant principal position at Westfield Junior High, 149 Fairfield Way, while Sandra Chase and Pamela Snoeck have taken on part-time assistant principal duties in addition to their teaching positions at DuJardin School, 166 S. Euclid, and Erickson School, 227 Springfield Drive, respectively.

Schneiter received her bachelor's degree from Iowa State University, and her master's degree from Northern Illinois University. She brings to Westfield nine years of experience, including teaching general music at District 33 in West Chicago and teaching junior high school band at District 3 in Beach Park. Schneiter says her teaching background has been a fulfilling experience — one that has helped prepare her for her new administrative role.

Chase brings 18 years of teaching experience to her position, eight of which have been spent at DuJardin, teaching kindergarten and first grade. This year, Chase will divide her time between her assistant principal responsibilities and teaching sixth grade. She says her two new positions will provide a great challenge — one that promises to keep her busy.

A native of Brooklyn, Ohio, Snoeck begins her ninth year with District 13. She taught physical education at the former Central School, as well as at Erickson, and now divides her time between assistant principal functions and continuing to teach physical education. Snoeck also is involved with the Color Guard program for Roselle's Lake Park High School Marching Band. Among her plans for her new position are becoming involved with curriculum issues and successfully combining her teaching and administrative responsibilities.



*Members of the Bloomingdale Parks Foundation, along with Don Morris at the dedication of the Donald E. Morris Nature Trail.*

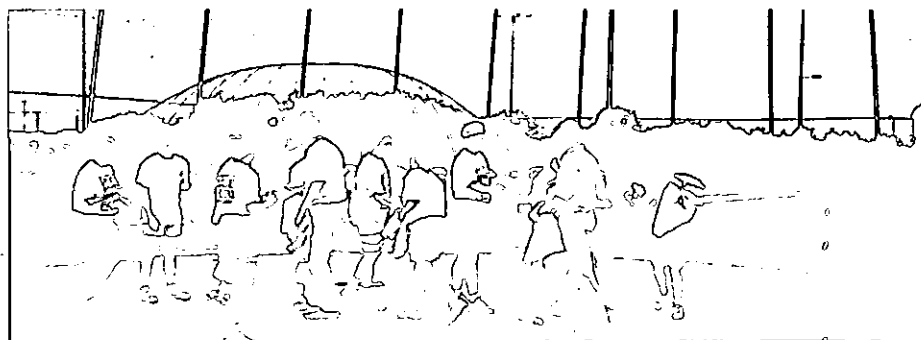
## Local People In The News

### Marklund Christmas Cards

The holiday season is just around the corner, and Marklund Home hopes you might buy your Christmas cards through Marklund Productions. Marklund Productions is currently selling Christmas cards, wrapping paper and candles specially designed by children and adults who are severely and profoundly developmentally disabled.

The Marklund Production Program provides a meaningful, goal oriented, therapeutic and developmental training program for Marklund's clients. The proceeds raised are invested into the program for supplies and adapted equipment to accommodate the special needs of the clients.

A variety pack of 24 cards is \$10, 48 cards for \$16 and 100 cards for



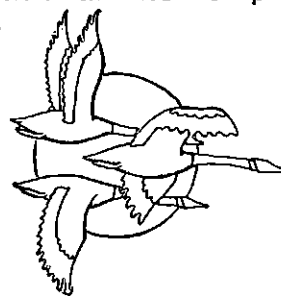
**The Park District and Village Hall baseball teams shake hands after the Wacky Softball tournament in which the Village beat the pants off the Park District 12 1/2 - 1. The tournament served as a fundraiser for the Bloomingdale Parks Foundation and will become an annual event.**

\$40. The candles range in size and are priced from \$1-\$3. Four (30x40) sheets of beautifully designed wrapping paper can be purchased for \$5.

For more information call Melissa Schaffer at 307-1882.

**Tokyo Exchange Teacher Is At St. Isidore School This Year**

The children attending St. Isidore's School this year, are learning about Japanese culture and traditions from Miwa Misawa, an exchange teacher from Tokyo. During her stay here, Ms. Misawa will teach the students about the Japanese peace ceremony, music, dance, and cooking. She is staying with the school's librarian, Marilyn Lambert, at least three months as part of the Sowing Together for Earthly Peace (STEP) International Internship Programs.



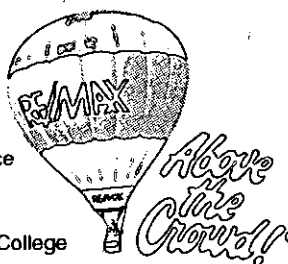
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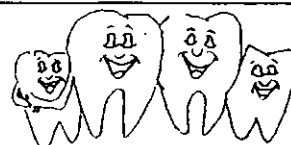
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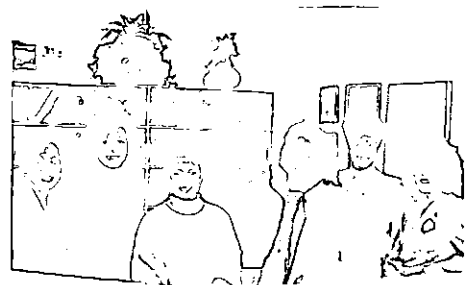


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# BLOOMINGDALE BUSINESS DIRECTORY



## Village of Bloomingdale

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### DENTIST

Frank D. Letizia D.D.S.  
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### DENTIST

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