



EVERY DAY

pioneerlocal.com

EVERY DAY

JULY 24, 2008 ★ A PIONEER PRESS PUBLICATION ★ \$1.25



Inside!
Today's
New Homes

24/7 COVERAGE
Daily news from
Your Local Source

ODE TO OAKTON
8000 North puts you
at street level

MOVIES
Reel Time blog with
Bruce Ingram

Heard in the Halls
athletics blog

NILES HERALD-SPECTATOR



FLAME THROWER

Tom Kondilis, of Des Plaines, fires up the saganaki Friday at the annual Big Greek Food Fest at St. Haralambos in Niles. **PAGE 12.** PHOTO BY ERIC DAVIS/FOR PIONEER PRESS

THIS WEEK

NEWS



MARYVILLE MILESTONE

Maryville celebrates
125 years.

PAGE 5

NEWS

POWER STRUGGLE

ComEd earns passing
grade on reliability.

PAGE 13

IMAGES

ODE TO OAKTON

Oakton Driving Range a
'hidden gem.'

PAGE 51

SERVING OUR READERS SINCE 1951 ★ YOUR LOCAL SOURCE

NILES IL 60714-3025
6960 W OAKTON ST
NILES PUBLIC LIBRARY DIST
NILES PUBLIC LIBRARY DIST
#536148 C005 0000011
*****CAR-RT LOT#KC-005

BIRKENSTOCK
Annual Summer Sale
Wednesday, July 30th - Sunday, August 3rd

10%-40% off
select items

Edens Plaza - 3232 Lake Avenue, Wilmette • 847-251-7130
Monday-Friday 10-8 • Saturday 10-6 • Sunday 12-4

01194922-68770118



MARINO REALTORS
5800 Dempster - Morton Grove
(847)967-5500
(OUTSIDE ILLINOIS CALL 1-800-253-0021)
www.century21marino.com



MAGNIFICENT "MORTONAIRE" LOCATION!
Morton Grove...Just Listed! Jumbo Mortonaire 7 rm
BI-level w/light, airy floor plan. Cathedral ceilings,
large kit w/eating area & window overlooking private
yard & patio. Huge master br suite w/walk-in closet &
master bath. Lovely family rm w/sliding glass doors
leads out to yard. Attached 2 car garage w/direct
entry.....\$374,500



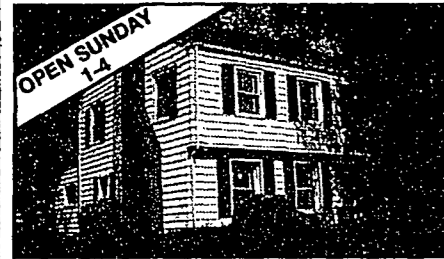
LOOK NO FURTHER!
Morton Grove...Clean, Sharp & well maintained
7 rm brick Ranch on huge 60'x129' lot! Oak floors in
living rm, dining rm & 3 bds. Euro style eat-in kitchen.
Finished bsmt w/family rm, bar & bath with new vanity
& toilet. Golf School District 67! Large fenced yard &
garage. Located convenient to shopping, restaurants,
Hynes School & more! Mint!.....\$320's



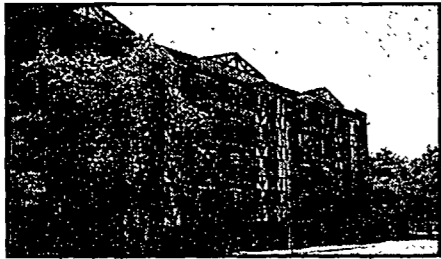
RARE OPPORTUNITY!
Skokie...New Listing! Oakton Terrace! Superb Location
across from Library & 2 blocks to Downtown Skokie!
Pristine 2 br-2 bath end unit. All new carpeting, light
fixtures, kitchen appliances & countertop. Fresh neutral
decor. Spacious liv rm & kit opens onto private balcony.
Formal dining rm & huge master br suite w/walk-in
closet. 1 car garage.....\$234,500



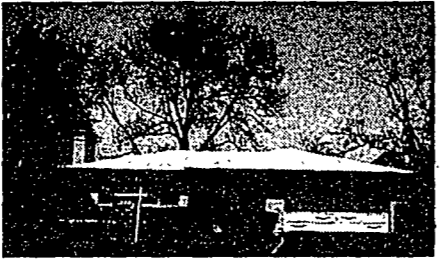
ARCHITECTURAL MASTERPIECE!
Park Ridge...One of a kind! Contemporary in town
designed townhome! Only 2 years new-Designer
decor-Superb finishes w/Brazilian cherry hardwood
floors, marble bath, cathedral ceilings & Granite
kitchen. Exquisite master BR/Bath-2 car attached
garage-Huge patio off dining rm. Small intimate gated
complex-Nothing else compares!



CLASSIC COLONIAL CHARM!
Morton Grove...Super fabulous custom Colonial priced to
sell! Huge prof landscaped lot! Solid oak floors
throughout! Living rm w/FP & built-in bookcases. Formal
dining rpg, main flr family rm & gourmet kit. Huge fin
bsmt w/gas FP rec rm, laundry/utility & outdoor exit.
Located near shops, schools, bike trails & forest
preserve! 2 car gar.....\$320's



ONE OF OUR BEST OFFERINGS!
Morton Grove...Super spacious 6 rm Condo in sought
after "Coventry" Location! Giant rooms. 20' Living
rm + huge dining rm. 2 full baths + family room.
16' kitchen with separate breakfast area. In unit laundry
rm. Indoor heated garage parking space. Sliding glass
doors from living room & kitchen to 22' balcony.
Superb quiet upper floor!.....\$260's



"SUNSET PARK" BEAUTY!
Glenview...Tremendous opportunity to own a
beautiful brick Ranch on prime cul-de-sac location in
"Sunset Park" Liv rm w/stone FP 3 bds & 2 1/2 baths.
Huge updated eat-in kit w/large eating area opens to
19' sunroom. Master BR w/full bath. Huge bsmt w/FP
wet bar, bath & extra storage. Attached 2 car garage.
Close to everything location!.....\$544,850



EASY TO OWN!
Niles...Magnificent custom deluxe 2nd floor Condo with
every amenity! Living rm w/formal dining area. Huge
eat-in kitchen w/sliding doors to balcony with scenic
view. 17' master br w/master bath. In-unit laundry w/extra
storage. 1 car garage. Low monthly assessment includes
pool, tennis courts, exercise rm & more. Located near
shopping, trans, schools & more!.....\$160's



BE THE FIRST TO MOVE IN!
Morton Grove...Great 2-story Woodlands Townhome
in Heart of MG Near Forest Preserve & Bike Trail.
New Hardwood Flrs throughout. eat-in gourmet kit w/42"
cabinets, Coan counters, new appls & ceramic flr. Huge
MBR w/bath, walk-in Closet, Lrg 2nd br, 2nd Flr Laundry.
Prof finished. Full Basement. 2 car att garage. Close to
Schools, Parks, Shopping & Trans.....\$367,950



INCREDIBLE OPPORTUNITY!
Morton Grove... Massive 99'x124' landscaped lot!
Sub-dividable R-2 Zoned lot. Super solid brick Ranch
with many updates: roof, windows & central air. Wooded
lot with many of the finest perennials, shrubbery,
trees & organic garden. Finest "East Morton Grove"
Prof finished - Park View school #70, pool, trails & more!
Value in land! Call for more information & appt.



NOW THIS IS LIVING!
Morton Grove...Spacious 5 rm Penthouse Condo in
beautifully maintained building. Lite, brite Western
exposure. Tree top views from huge balcony. Neutral
carpeting & blinds. White ceramic tile foyer & hall floor.
Huge Master bedroom Suite w/separate dressing area
+ many closets. 3 ceiling fans. Prime Location! Close
to shops, transportation & fitness clubs.....\$182,500



NEAR OLD ORCHARD SHOPPING!
Skokie...Impressive solid brick 8 rm BI-level near
Niles North High School & Old Orchard. Newer high
end kitchen & baths. Original owners pride + Joy.
Hardwood floors. Attached garage. Huge family room
plus large storage room. Prime location. Convenient to
movie theatres, restaurants, transportation, parks &
schools. Mint condition!! Ask.....\$380's

Visit our website www.century21marino.com

MORTON GROVE
5500 LINCOLN - \$125,000 - Why pay rent! 4 room
Condo-Living rm w/bay window-Low assessment
5510 LINCOLN - \$138,900 - Completely redone 4 rm
Condo-New kit w/maple cabinets-New bath-Balcony
5506 LINCOLN - \$144,900 - Edens Point 4 room
Condo-Freshly painted-Separate dining rm-Floor-Mint
8520 WAJUEGAN - \$208,900 - "Morton Grove Estates",
6 rm Condo-Garage-Near shopping & more
9344 SAYRE - \$250's - Huge 57'x150' Lot-3 br Ranch-
Eat-in kitchen-2 car garage-Golf School District 67
9032 MCVICKER - \$280's - Solid brick Ranch-Large
eat-in kitchen-Full bsmt w/family rm & wet bar-Garage
9047 CENTRAL - \$280's - Super 6 rm Ranch-Main floor
family rm-Updated kitchen-Full bsmt-2 car att gar
8000 MANGO - \$319,000 - Quality built brick Ranch on
huge corner lot-Finished attic-2 car garage-Location
7528 EMERSON - \$295,000 - Fabulous 3 br 2 bath
Split-level-Huge 62'x120' lot-1/2 bath to Onole Pool
9103 MANSFIELD - \$360's - Remodeled 3 br-2 bath
Split-level-Kitchen w/breakfast bar-Family rm w/FP
7847 CHURCH - \$387,000 - "Mortonaire 8 rm Split-level-
Updated kitchen-LL family rm-2 car attached garage
8931 SCHERER - \$380's - Custom built 7 rm BI-level-
School Dist 67-3 bds & 2 baths-Family rm-Att garage
8331 MANGO - \$380's - 9 rm Ranch-Updated kitchen-
Master w/bath-Full finished bsmt-Attached garage
5901 CAROL - \$390's - Charming brick Bungalow-
Hardwood flrs-Main floor family rm-Fin bsmt-2 car garage

8543 MARIMORA - \$419,000 - Well maintained brick Ranch
in prime location-3 br-Main floor family room
6057 CRAIG - \$420's - 2 Raised brick Ranch Duplexes with
oak floors & attached garages-45'x177' scenic lot
5707 CAPRI - \$420's - Totally updated 8 rm Split-level in
Golf Dist. 67-Family rm w/FP-Oak flrs-Updated bath
3218 MARION - \$595,000 - New construction! Finest quality
& craftsmanship-Oak floors-Granite kit-Master br suite
CHICAGO
3749 SUNSET - \$309,000 - Charming 8 rm Bungalow with
many updates-Separate dining rm-Full fin bsmt-2 car gar
4881 NEWCASTLE - \$340's - Updated 6 rm brick Ranch-
Vaulted ceiling & skylites-Full bsmt w/FP, fam rm & bath
8554 RASCHER - \$895,000 - Rarely available 6 unit
building-2/3 bds-3/2 bds-1 1/2 bds-Call for more
information
DES PLAINES
9342 LANDINGS - \$160's - Fabulous 2 br Condo in
"Landings" Updated kitchen & bath-Across from pool
656 PEARSON - \$309,999 - Built 2006! 5 rm "Metropolitan
Square" Condo-End Unit-High ceilings-In-unit laundry
1153 WILSON - \$324,900 - Spacious brick BI-level-
Formal dining rm-Full fin bsmt-2 car garage
8544 DRAKE - \$360's - 3 br brick BI-level in School Dist
73-5-Oak floors-Updated baths-Huge rooms-Family rm
9103 LINDER - \$370's - 78'x123' lot-Classic 7 rm Colonial-
Oak flrs-Boy windows-Built-in kit w/Island-Fin bsmt
9423 LEAMINGTON - \$370's - Total Rehab-New windows-
Kit w/granite & hardwood flrs-Freshly painted-2 car gar
7536 KILDARE - \$390's - Updated 4 br brick BI-level-New
kitchen-Family rm w/new carpet-Hard floors-Garage

8021 LARAMIE - \$390's - Turn of the Century Farmhouse
in Lorel Park-Granite kit w/bk bar & 42" cabinets-Bmt
5155 MADISON - \$437,500 - Rare Penthouse with 700 sq
ft roof top terrace-3 gar spaces-Granite kit-Extra's Galore
5707 CAPRI - \$420's - Totally updated 8 rm Split-level in
Golf Dist. 67-Family rm w/FP-Oak flrs-Updated bath
3218 MARION - \$595,000 - New construction! Finest quality
& craftsmanship-Oak floors-Granite kit-Master br suite
CHICAGO
3749 SUNSET - \$309,000 - Charming 8 rm Bungalow with
many updates-Separate dining rm-Full fin bsmt-2 car gar
4881 NEWCASTLE - \$340's - Updated 6 rm brick Ranch-
Vaulted ceiling & skylites-Full bsmt w/FP, fam rm & bath
8554 RASCHER - \$895,000 - Rarely available 6 unit
building-2/3 bds-3/2 bds-1 1/2 bds-Call for more
information
DES PLAINES
9342 LANDINGS - \$160's - Fabulous 2 br Condo in
"Landings" Updated kitchen & bath-Across from pool
656 PEARSON - \$309,999 - Built 2006! 5 rm "Metropolitan
Square" Condo-End Unit-High ceilings-In-unit laundry
1153 WILSON - \$324,900 - Spacious brick BI-level-
Formal dining rm-Full fin bsmt-2 car garage
8544 DRAKE - \$360's - 3 br brick BI-level in School Dist
73-5-Oak floors-Updated baths-Huge rooms-Family rm
9103 LINDER - \$370's - 78'x123' lot-Classic 7 rm Colonial-
Oak flrs-Boy windows-Built-in kit w/Island-Fin bsmt
9423 LEAMINGTON - \$370's - Total Rehab-New windows-
Kit w/granite & hardwood flrs-Freshly painted-2 car gar
7536 KILDARE - \$390's - Updated 4 br brick BI-level-New
kitchen-Family rm w/new carpet-Hard floors-Garage

EVANSTON
720 OAKTON - \$214,900 - 2 bedroom-2 bath corner unit-
Outdoor pool and patio-Fabulous View-New Metro Train
2317 BRADLEY PL - \$270's - 3 br brick Ranch on quiet
cul-de-sac! Full basement-Located near Main St shopping
GLENVIEW
10373 DEARLOVE - \$134,900 - Large 4 rm Condo-Large
living rm w/balcony overlooks green space-Sep din rm
3925 TRIUMVERA - \$129,000 - 2 bedroom-1 bath ground
floor unit-Finest clubhouse w/indoor/outdoor pool
600 NAPLES - \$159,000 - Deluxe Condo- New carpeting
& decorating-One of a kind clubhouse-1 car garage
3925 TRIUMVERA - \$179,000 - Incredible 9' floor city
skyscraper! Newly decorated-2 br-2 bath-Garage parking
4000 TRIUMVERA - \$180's - Contemporary end unit-2 br
& 2 baths-Beautiful views of grassy area from patio
241 GLENDALE - \$290's - Huge 39'x147'x145'x111
Lot-Cul-de sac Location-Area of high-end construction
3956 VENICE CT - \$290's - Sensational "Triumvers" 3 br-2
1/2 bath-Living rm w/FP-Bonus bsmt storage-Garage
2210 COLFAX - \$319,900 - Best "Manor Park" Location-
Superb Colonial Split-Oak floors-50' lot-Attached garage
LONG GROVE
4510 RED OAK LANE - \$899,000 - Rare offer-Long Grove
Woods-4 acres-5 bds-4 baths-4 fireplaces-Fam rm & rec rm
NILES
7948 HARLEM - \$320's - Charming 7 rm Brick Ranch-
Never eat-in kitchen opens to main flr family rm-2 car
gar

(847) 967-5500
"Our 36th Year"

News

24/7:
Check out
pioneerlocal.com
for more
HOROSCOPE
In the stars
Check out this week's
horoscope online.
www.pioneerlocal.com

ODE TO OAKTON



Golfing gold
Our series continues with
a profile of Oakton Driv-
ing Range in Park Ridge.
www.pioneerlocal.com/

FOOD



Bottoms up
Summer drinks with fresh
fruit go down easy.
www.pioneerlocal.com/

SUBURBODDITY

Crazy crimes
Find out about wacky
crooks and their crimes.
www.pioneerlocal.com



LASSOED LADY
Daniella Lopiccolo, 3, of Niles, takes
part in a show by Brad Weston in Oak Park July 11. Weston is a
highly physical entertainer who combines juggling, theater, com-
edy, magic and circus-style entertainment.

STACIA TIMONERE/FOR PIONEER PRESS

District 64 board
OKs tentative budget

By ANDREW SCHNEIDER
aschneider@pioneerlocal.com

A tentative budget was
approved July 14 by the
board of Park Ridge-Niles
School District 64. A public
hearing on the budget has
been set for Sept. 22.
The total budgeted for
expenses for 2008-09 is \$61
million, with anticipated
revenues of \$69.2 million.
Revenues are expected to
be up 15 percent next year
budget, primarily due to
the property tax increases
approved by last year's refer-
endum. Property taxes
represent about 83 percent
of the district's revenues.
Expenses are expected to
increase by 8 percent, in-
cluding "life safety" proj-

ects being undertaken by
the district. If those proj-
ects are excluded, spending
would increase by an esti-
mated 5.5 percent.
The district is also
budgeting revenues of
more than \$200,000 which
it expects to receive from
the city of Park Ridge
through an agreement to
share revenue from a Tax
Increment Financing (TIF)
district in the Uptown area.
The district's fund bal-
ance has also grown suffi-
ciently that tax anticipation
warrants most likely will
not be needed this fall, even
if tax revenues are delayed.
The Cook County Board of
Review announced earlier
this month that it had com-
pleted its property assess-

ment cases — in years
when that board's work
was delayed, it has affected
determining the final tax
bills.
If tight fiscal controls
are maintained, the school
district forecasts that it will
be able to hold the line on
any new tax increases for
two years past the referen-
dum's promise of 2018, to
2020.
The budget that was ap-
proved July 14 is likely to
change as data comes in
over the summer. That in-
cludes final enrollment
data as well as the costs of
benefits for employees. The
district has budgeted a 15
percent increase in health
benefits and a 6 percent in-
crease in dental benefits.

Budget approval set for Aug. 21

The board of Niles
Township High School
District 219 signed off on
a second draft of the
2008-09 budget Monday
and set Aug. 21 as the
date for final approval.
Under the budget's
second draft the district
is planning on expenses
of \$117,339,797, up 5.9
percent from \$116,663,261
in the first draft and around
\$108 million last year. Total
revenue for the year
is expected to be
\$129,830,907.

Following approval by
the board, the budget will
go on public display,
available for review
through the district and
at all public libraries
within the district.

In other board news:
The board of Niles
Township High School
District 219 held its first
"paperless" board meet-

ing Monday and took a
variety of actions.
Approved two inter-
governmental agree-
ments with Niles Town-
ship School District for
Special Education 807
(NTSDSE) for educa-
tional services at the Ju-
lia Molloy Education
Center. During the 2008-
09 school year the dis-
trict expects services
from NTSDSE to reach
\$152,571, up from
\$139,063 in 2007-08.
Approved security
upgrades to the district's
buildings as part of an
ongoing project at a to-
tal cost of \$90,229.
Approved an inter-
governmental agreement
with several other school
districts to form the
Niles Township English
Language Learners Par-
ent Center for the pur-
pose of enhancing com-

munication with parents
who are learning the
English language.
Authorized Law
Firm Franczek Sullivan
P.C. to act on the dis-
trict's behalf and in-
tervene in several property
tax appeals pending in
circuit court including,
Old Orchard Shopping
Center, currently as-
sessed at \$59,043,700,
FC Skokie, LLC, 4901
Searle Parkway, valued
at \$7,048,897 and Rand
McNally & Company,
8255 Central Park Ave.,
valued at \$4,498,482.
The law firm estimates
that a 15 percent reduc-
tion in the value of the
three properties could
cost the district
\$680,622 and a 25 per-
cent reduction could
cost \$1,134,371.
Comment: pioneerlocal.com

Radio causes bomb
scare at bank

While it turned out to
be a false alarm, a Niles
bank was evacuated for a
short time July 17 after a
suspicious radio was dis-
covered outside, according
to a police report.

A small blue and black
radio was found unat-
tended outside a Citibank
branch at 8400 W. Demp-
ster St.

The radio was sitting
on top of a cement railing
that divides the drive-up

portion of the bank from
the walk-up lobby en-
trance, police reported.
Investigators deter-
mined that the radio was
suspicious and Niles po-
lice contacted the Cook
County Bomb Squad, and
evacuated the building.
The bomb squad later
cleared the radio and the
bank was reopened.

By Tony Bertuccia
Comment: pioneerlocal.com

Sights and Sounds
For enhanced coverage of people and places in your com-
munity, check out Pioneer Press' videos at
www.pioneerlocal.com.

Starters

Library program more than play time

By **TONY BERTUCA**
tbertuca@pioneerlocal.com

Damian Farejowicz is going to be the next Tom Cruise.

At least, that's what he says.

But before the 17-year-old Notre Dame student can master the skies as a maverick flying ace or hustle big money playing pool, he has to be content with the "Awkward Turtle."

That's one of the roles he played in the Niles Public Library's July 26 production of "Danny and the Fableworld." He was also a dragon and a wizard.

"The turtle is my favorite," Damian said. "He gets in the way and he's just funny."

The play was entirely written, produced and performed by a team of five teenagers. Well, Katherine Szczepanski, who plays an owl, is technically not a teenager, yet; she's 12, but she said she'll be 13 by summer's



TYLER STOFFEL/PIONEER PRESS

John Depa, Michaela Laws, Damian Farejowicz and Natasha Laws, from left, perform a short play Saturday at the Niles Public Library.

end.

"We had a lot of ideas," she said. "The lesson of the play is to not let evil people take control of your life. Just keep doing what you like to do."

The theater group met three times every week for more than a month to flesh out ideas.

Donna Block, a refer-

ence librarian who runs the program, said the youngsters seemed to learn a lot from their collaborative efforts.

"We improvised bits as we went," she said. "I think it's a lot of fun for them. It's a big time commitment. But at this age, where else can they write their own play and put it

on for people?"

The play that took shape was about a young boy named Danny, who has lost touch with the world of make-believe. He is then magically transported to Fableworld, where he encounters an assortment of animals whose voices have been stolen by an evil wizard.

The other players include Michaela Laws, 15, who was cast as a lion, her sister Natasha, 14, who played both a kitten and lamb, and John Depa, 13, who starred as Danny.

"Danny is your average teenager," John said. "He doesn't like learning about animals. He has a fight with his mother. But then, he finds himself in a living fable."

John said he and his friends had a good time creating their own world and bringing people into it.

"I just love acting," he said. "It's exciting to entertain people."

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

www.pioneerlocal.com

INDEX	LETTERS	9	
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING	C1	MOVIE REVIEW	B1
CROSSWORD	B20	OBITUARIES	57
DIVERSIONS	B1	PEEK	52
FIXER	11	PAUL SASSONE	9
FOOD	54	POLICE BLOTTER	12
FORUM	9	SHOWTIME	B5
IMAGES	51	SPORTS	61

WEB UPDATE
The Niles Board of Trustees was slated to discuss a controversial expansion to Assi Plaza at its Tuesday meeting. Assi Plaza is bordered by Milwaukee Avenue, Dempster Street, Ballard Road and Washington Street. It is home to a Ko-

rean grocery store and several retailers.
Owner Michael Kim has proposed an \$80-million expansion on the 12.1-acre site, but some nearby residents oppose to the project.
Go to www.pioneerlocal.com for an update.

NILES HERALD-SPECTATOR

PHONE (847) 696-3133
FAX (847) 696-3229
E-MAIL parkridge@pioneerlocal.com
WEB www.pioneerlocal.com

SUBSCRIPTIONS (847) 486-9300
CLASSIFIED ADS (847) 998-3400
DISPLAY ADS (847) 486-7300
BILLING (847) 486-9200

Mail: Niles Herald-Spectator 130 S. Prospect, Park Ridge, IL 60068

MANAGING EDITOR NEWS Nicole Wagner (847) 696-3248	MANAGING EDITOR SPORTS Rick Hibbert (708) 524-4440	DISPLAY AD REPRESENTATIVE Rick Branham (847) 486-7283
--	---	--

PRESIDENT AND PUBLISHER: Larry Green (847) 486-7201
ADVERTISING VICE PRESIDENT: Peggy Cunniff (847) 486-7317
CIRCULATION DIRECTOR: Jay Beaton (847) 486-7208
EDITOR IN CHIEF: Jeff Wisser (847) 486-6848
CLASSIFIED SALES MANAGER: Frank Gaziano (847) 486-7247
DISPLAY ADVERTISING MANAGERS: Mike Shallin (847) 486-7326

ADVERTISING TERMS AND CONDITIONS
Acceptance of all advertising orders by Publisher is expressly conditioned on and subject to the following terms and conditions. As used in these paragraphs, "Publisher" means this publication, its parents, subsidiaries and affiliates. Advertiser agrees that Publisher's liability in relation to any act, omission, failure to publish, mistake, and/or error in the printing/publishing of any advertisement shall not exceed the amount paid for such advertisement; and in the event of an error shall, at Publisher's option, be limited to the actual cost of the space occupied by the error, or cost of insertions for preprints in which the error occurred. Under no circumstances shall Publisher ever be liable for any indirect, consequential or special damages, and/or any other costs arising out of or related to any act, omission, failure to publish, mistake, and/or error in the printing/publishing of advertising.
It is the sole responsibility of the Advertiser to check the correctness of each insertion of an advertisement. Advertisements submitted after the deadline for proof service are submitted at the Advertiser's own risk, and Publisher shall have no liability for errors or omissions in such advertisements. Publisher assumes no responsibility for the repetition of errors in advertising ordered for more than one insertion, unless notified timely before the printing closing time on the same day an error occurs. Publisher reserves the right to limit the amount of advertising, to edit, revise or reject any advertising copy, and to cancel any advertising at its sole discretion without notice or reason.
Advertiser agrees to indemnify and hold Publisher harmless from and against any and all liability, loss or expense (including reasonable attorneys fees and similar expenses) arising from any claims, including but not limited to, libel, unfair competition, unfair trade practices, plagiarism, infringement of trademark, trade names or patents, or copyrights or violation of rights of privacy resulting from publication by Publisher of the Advertiser's advertisements. Position may be requested on any page, but all positions are at the option of Publisher. Under no circumstances can any claim for adjustment, refund or re-insertion be allowed because of the position in which an advertisement has been published or inserted.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

North Shore Festival of Art set for weekend

By **MIKE ISAACS**
misaacs@pioneerlocal.com

The works of more than 150 eclectic artists will be on display this weekend at Skokie's North Shore Festival of Art at Westfield Old Orchard.

Artists will come from Canada, Israel and across the United States to participate in the popular event, which is sponsored by Amdur Productions for the first time.

"We're excited and honored to have the opportunity to work in conjunction with the Village of Skokie and the Skokie Chamber of Commerce

and to produce the festival this year," said Amdur Productions President Amy Amdur.

The festival, which has been held in the area for 18 summers, has attracted a loyal audience. It will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at the shopping center.

The North Shore Festival of Art, which has no entrance fee, will feature a full array of two- and three-dimensional art media from painting and jewelry to fiber and photography, from sculpture to furniture.

Displayed work will include batik pieces by award-winning Los Ange-

les-based and Israeli-born Amos Amit; rich acrylic floral still life paintings by Canadian artist Oleg Sceniov; wood lamp creations by Kyle Dallman of Oshkosh, Wis.; gold and silver jewelry by Israel's Stacy Givon; and vibrant oil paintings by New York-based David E. Gordon.

Givon lived in Skokie until age 15 and went to Sharp Corner Day School and Old Orchard Junior High School.

"I moved to Israel with my family after my first year at Niles North High School," she said. "Old Orchard shopping center was one of my favorite places and I spent a lot of

my free time there shopping with friends."

Other local artists include fiber artist Joanna Alot, whose returning customers include Hillary Clinton, the NBC Channel 5 News Team, and Juanita Jordan; and color photography artists Jerrold Goldberg and Loel Martin.

Visitors this weekend can enjoy continuous live music and food from local restaurants. Families can also collaborate on art projects in the National City Family Art Tent and paint on a real car at the Fields Auto Paint-A-Car tent.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

Maryville Academy marks 125th year

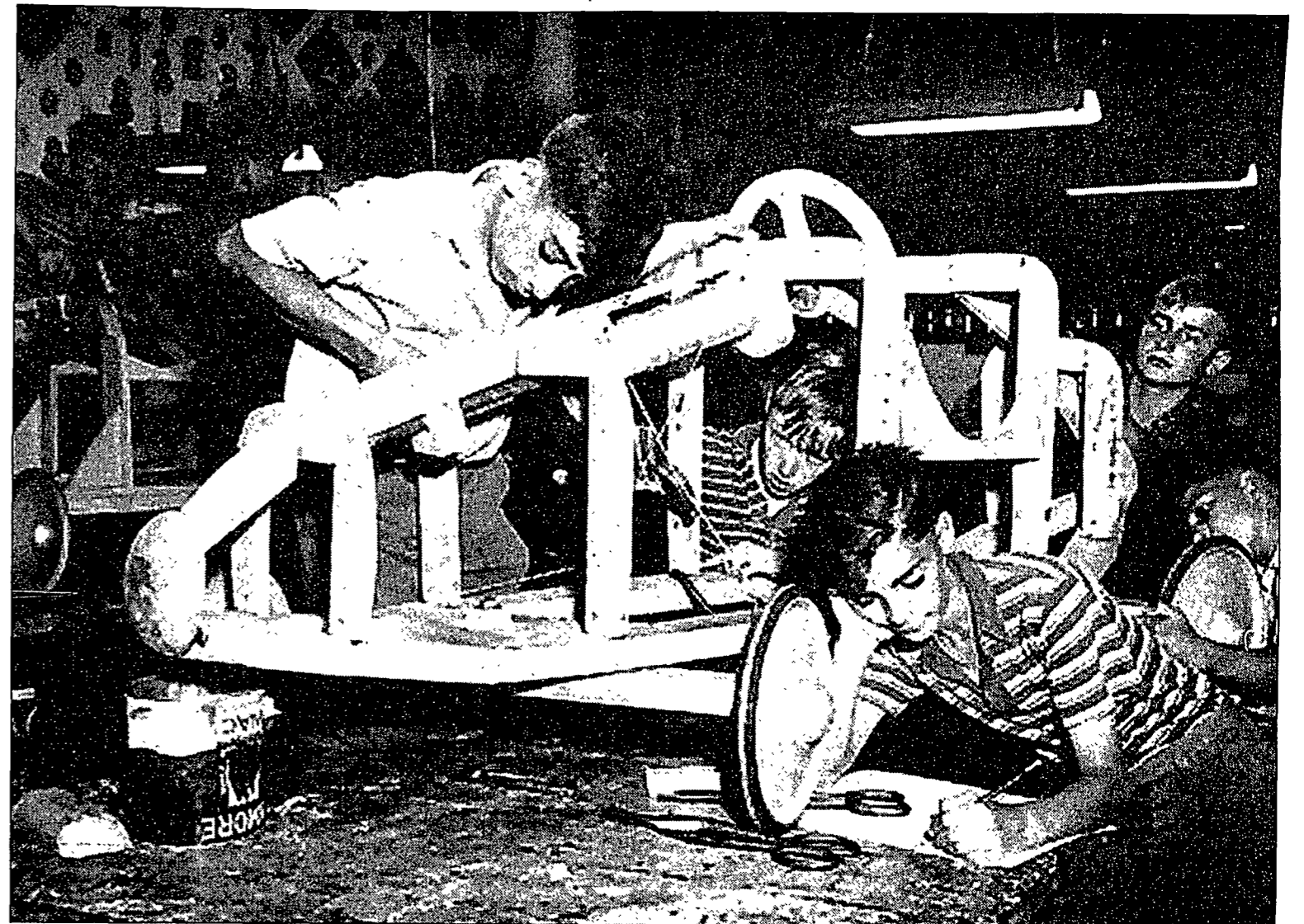
Cardinal Francis George, archbishop of Chicago, will help Maryville Academy commemorate its 125th year with the celebration of an anniversary Mass at 4:30 p.m. Saturday at the academy's Des Plaines campus, 1150 N. River Road.

The Mass will be followed from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. by a reception with light refreshments.

"The Archdiocese of Chicago was most instrumental in our founding and has been supportive of our work through our long history," said Sister Catherine M. Ryan, OSF, executive director of Maryville, in a news release. "We hope that everyone will feel free to join us for this landmark occasion."

Founded in 1883 by Archbishop Patrick A. Feehan as St. Mary's Training School for Boys — a home and refuge for homeless youths — Maryville has continued to serve children and has adapted to the needs of children as an orphanage, refuge and provider of specialized services for children and their families, according to the release.

Maryville now offers programs at sites, includ-



Boys work on their Soap Box Derby car in the early 1950s.

PHOTO COURTESY OF MARYVILLE

ing its main campus in Des Plaines; the Scott Nolan Center; a psychi-

atric hospital; Eisenberg Campus in Bartlett; the Farm Campus in Durand;

and Crisis Nursery and Healthcare Center for Children, in Chicago.

For more information, including parking options for the anniversary event,

go to www.maryvilleacademy.org, or call (847) 294-1982.

School stands tests of time, toil, tragedy

By **RONNIE WACHTER**
rwachter@pioneerlocal.com

From one campus with 880 acres — a large parcel even for rural Cook County 125 years ago — Maryville Academy has expanded its reach across Illinois, today encompassing 21 outposts with more than 10,000 clients.

And it has continued to survive despite tragedies of fire and ice, as well as a depression that sent it a rush of customers in need of its services.

Tests, PAGE 6



PHOTO COURTESY OF MARYVILLE
Archbishop Patrick Feehan founded St. Mary's Training School for Boys.



PHOTO COURTESY OF MARYVILLE
Sister Catherine M. Ryan, OSF, has been Maryville's executive director since 2004.

MOVE with EDITH!
Your Realtor 4 Life!

8524 Skokie Blvd
2 Great Skokie Offerings!

Condo with Lovely 2 br-1 1/2 ba. 3rd fl. corner unit, hdwd, lg. closets, 1 heat. gar! sm. balcony recent conversion! Tree top views-Must See! **\$229,000**

Move In Condition! End Unit off private Alley 2 br - 1 1/2 ba, fin. bmt, rec. rm., hdwd, remod. baths, kit, new roof, nice, bright unit lovely courtyard, 4 park sp. no assessments! price **\$248,900**

(847) 609-3949
edithsellshomes@century21.com
edithdoestright@yahoo.com

Free Market Evaluations with & without home visits
Daily e-mails of all avail. listings - Just Call!

Crime ring targeted suburban banks, police say

Mount Prospect man's identity used in fraud

By **JENNIFER JOHNSON**
jjohnson@pioneerlocal.com

Two men suspected by police of being members of an organized Polish crime ring were arrested last week in Des Plaines, accused of defrauding several suburban banks by using stolen identities and falsified paperwork to obtain car loans.

Grzegorz Glod, 41, of 5125 W. Addison St., Chicago, and Artur Bledowski, 41, of 8901 Western Ave., unincorporated, Maine Township, have been charged with four counts each of bank fraud, identity theft, forgery and felony theft in Des Plaines. They are accused of stealing more than \$100,000.

Glenview police have also charged Glod with identity theft, forgery and theft by deception in con-

nection with a loan obtained from a Chase Bank branch that was used to purchase a 2008 Lexus from a local car dealership. Police in Niles, Chicago, and Island Lake are also investigating similar crimes.

Des Plaines police said Glod and Bledowski obtained car loans from banks using altered vehicle titles, bogus sale bills from dealerships, and the identities of other individuals. Once the loans were approved, the checks were deposited into a bank account and the money was used to purchase expensive cars, jet skis, all-terrain vehicles or recreational vehicles. The vehicles were then shipped to Poland, police said.

It was not until after the loan had been defaulted on that the banks discovered the paperwork submitted was fraudulent, said Des Plaines Police Cmdr. Dan Niemann.

"We're pretty sure the fraudulent paperwork

they are using is for bogus companies that are being used as fronts for them and their scams to get money from banks," Niemann said. "As far as we know, we don't have a legitimate business that has any ties to them."

Police took Glod and Bledowski into custody on July 17 after the men attempted to obtain a loan from First Bank, 678 S. Lee St., in Des Plaines, Niemann said.

Niemann said area banks that had fallen victim to similar frauds had sent out alerts, and an employee at First Bank became suspicious about a loan applied for by a man later identified as Glod.

The three other Des Plaines Banks allegedly targeted by the pair were U.S. Bank, 750 S. Lee St.;

Fifth-Third Bank, 510 Metropolitan Way; Citi-corp, 1525 Ellinwood St.

Glod was the individual who applied for the loans, while Bledowski accompanied him and acted as a translator, Niemann said.

One of the identities allegedly used to obtain a loan belonged to a Mount Prospect man who told police he did not know Glod nor Bledowski and was unaware of how they had accessed his personal information.

Bond for Bledowski was set at \$750,000 for the Des Plaines charges, and bond for Glod totals \$1 million for both the Des Plaines and Glenview charges, Niemann said.

Both men were also ordered to surrender their passports, Niemann said.

Des Plaines police are also working with investigators from the Kane-Cook Auto Theft Task Force and the National Insurance Crime Bureau.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

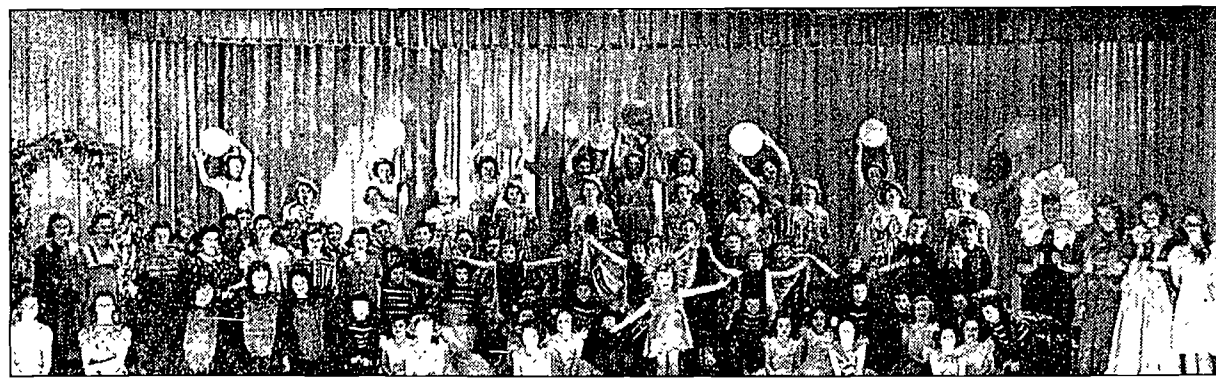


PHOTO COURTESY OF MARYVILLE

Children put on a stage production in the late 1930s or early 1940s.

Tests

Continued from PAGE 5



PHOTO COURTESY OF MARYVILLE
The Rev. John Smyth was executive director of Maryville from 1970 to 2003.

— and from its inception welcomed boys of every race and religious background that Chicago had at the time.

Detractors criticized the school's rustic location and nature, and gained traction shortly after its founding, when five boys froze to death one frigid night. Then, another tragedy struck in 1899,

when a fire destroyed every building on the campus.

But the Catholic community saved the school by donating the funds to rebuild. The campus welcomed its first girls in 1911, but once again came into desperate need in the 1930s, when the Great Depression sent whole families into the streets.

St. Mary became Maryville Academy in 1950 and, like its monikers, its mission has gone through adjustment.

Grade schools and high schools came and went, and Maryville today works closely with state government to address the many needs of children disadvantaged by mental disorders, criminal backgrounds or abuse.

— Information for this story was provided by Maryville's Web site, and spokesmen for Des Plaines Historical Society and Mount Prospect Public Library.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

Time to buy.

Home choices have never been better! Baird & Warner's integrated Family of Services provides you with all the tools you need to realize your dreams of home ownership... all under one roof! That includes in-house mortgage experts to help guide you to the very best home financing opportunities available. Isn't it time you made a move today?

Time for Baird & Warner.

For complete info on ALL our "Open Houses" this weekend, visit our website.

bairdwarner.com

Multiple Photos | Robust Details | Dynamic Mapping | e-Mail Alerts



<p>Park Ridge \$1,499,000 Dramatic 2 story round foyer. Showplace kit. Custom interior. 4br. 4.1ba. Pool. ID#84718149 Shirlee Ehlers 847-823-1855</p>	<p>Lincolnwood \$639,000 Sprawling ranch in the "Terrace" on a 90' wide lot, beautiful hdwd floors ID#84408035 Phyllis Kouzoukas 773-467-3338</p>	<p>Skokie, 9505 N Le Claire Ave \$529,000 Spacious 3br, 2.1ba Georgian on huge park-like lot. Large rms. Remodeled kit ID#84408142 Nicole Flores 773-775-1855</p>	<p>Lincolnwood \$499,900 rehabbers/developers! Red face brick split level on expansive corner 66x124 ID#84408072 Imelda Bennett 773-775-1855</p>	<p>Lincolnwood \$494,900 Bright, updated with neutral decor bi-level with great size rooms. ID#84408130 Karolina Ljubic 773-775-1855</p>
<p>Morton Grove \$475,000 Rarely avib 3BD/3BA condo/Woodlands! Top of the line upgrades! Qlty thru out ID#83158025 Shella Doyle 847-724-1855</p>	<p>Lincolnwood \$459,900 Great Lincolnwood location! 3 br. Brick georgian with many, many updates. ID#84408115 Mera Wei 773-775-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$459,900 Luxury 3BD 2BA w/quiet forest views, granite, cherry, indr pool, pets OK. ID#83108127 Theo Shaw 847-491-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$450,000 Renovated ranch-4 bed, 2.2 bths. Entirely new kitchen! Refinished oak flrs. ID#83108085 John Creighton 847-491-1855</p>	<p>Morton Grove, 7230 Suffield St. \$409,000 Updated 3bed home w/hrwd flrs. Gourmet Eat-in Kitchen. Fam Rm, 2.5car gar. ID#83158101 Barbara Palmer 847-724-1855</p>
<p>Chicago \$389,000 Luxury Lkvw 2BD condo steps to Lake Mich. Upgrades galore! 25K prking inclrd ID#847241855 Bryan Chung 847-724-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$385,000 Rock solid 4BR VNTG bungalow quiet st, spoolless, FNCD YD w/gardens 2c gar. ID#83108114 Julie Naumiak 847-491-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$379,900 Wonderful, clean all brick english. 1st floor fam rm. Eat-in kitchen. ID#84408126 Karolina Ljubic 773-775-1855</p>	<p>Arlington Heights \$359,900 Delightful 5plit w/3br,2ba.New appl,hdwd flrs t/o, 2-1/2 car gar.Great loc. ID#84718126 Gina Purdy 847-823-1855</p>	<p>Skokie, 5221 Greenwood St \$358,000 Cheerful 3/4BR 1.5BA Brk Rnch w/Lg yard, 2Car, updated! New roof, Dist #68 ID#83108069 Julie Naumiak 847-491-1855</p>
<p>Lincolnwood \$349,000 Charming brick Cape Cod nestled on tree lined street. Entertain in lge rms ID#84408164 Pauline Dreuth 773-775-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$328,000 Solid well maintained 3br 1.1 baths fin bsmt. 1st time on mkt since 1950's. ID#83108070 Bobbi Chasin 847-491-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$264,900 Lincoln Ridge corner unit. Open fl plan, heated gar. Lndry in unit. Elev & bal. ID#74717145 Jill O'Malley 847-823-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$260,000 Elegant Optima bldg 1BR/1BA condo nr evrything. Full amenity bldg! ID#83158009 Vesna Glisovic 847-724-1855</p>	<p>Des Plaines \$259,900 3 br condo w/great views from balc. Eat-in kit + DR. 2 full ba. In unit W/D. ID#84718135 Majja Zalmins 847-823-1855</p>
<p>Morton Grove \$259,000 Spacious 2br 2ba unit. Eat-in kit, newer appl. Balc w/great view, ldy in unit. ID#84718027 Mary Andriotis 847-823-1855</p>	<p>Skokie \$224,000 Spacious 2B/1.1BTH BRK TWNHS W/PRKG Most convenient locale, no assessments. ID#83108130 Terry Toton 847-491-1855</p>	<p>Chicago \$214,000 Top flr rehab '06. Wood flrs t/o. Kitchen: 42" maple cabs, gmt counters & SS. ID#73157253 Nanci Shirrell 847-724-1855</p>	<p>Chicago \$195,000 Spacious & updated 2BD/1BA mvt bldg w/east exp! 24HR doorman/granite kit! ID#83158011 Shella Doyle 847-724-1855</p>	<p>Niles \$119,900 Largest 1 br condo w/huge sunken LR. Updated kit opens to lg DR. Balc, pool. ID#74717140 Donna Bolas 847-823-1855</p>

To learn more about any of the homes shown above, simply enter the ID Number in our homepage "Quick Lookup" box.

LEADING REAL ESTATE COMPANIES OF THE WORLD

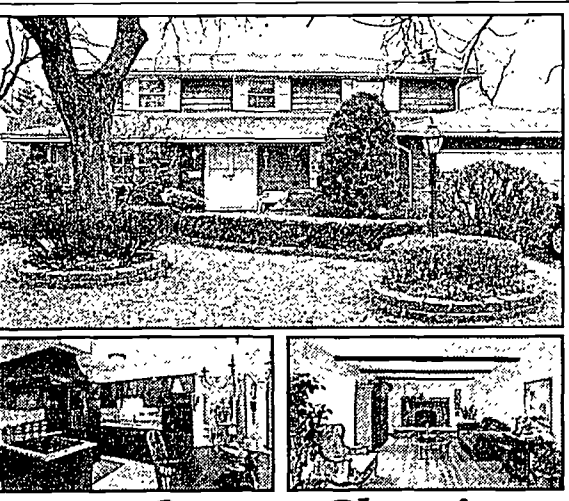
Baird & Warner

Win a pair of tickets to Kiddieland Amusement Park or Donley's Wild West Town!

Every 10th person to become a kidwinks.com member AND join our mailing list will win!

www.kidwinks.com

*Promotion runs July 10th - August 10th
Click on blue Contest tab @ www.kidwinks.com for more details.



2751 Covert, Glenview

- ◆ Updated home
- ◆ Hardwood floors throughout
- ◆ 1st Floor bedroom/office
- ◆ Granite counters in kitchen
- ◆ Large room sizes
- ◆ Private fenced yard
- ◆ Finished LL with full kitchen

Offered at \$649,000

Missy Jerfita
847-510-5100

www.thekeytohomes.com

Koenig & Strey Real Estate

VIEW OVER 100,000 LISTINGS ksgmac.com

Koenig & Strey GMAC
Real Estate
Glenview • 1009 Waukegan Road
847.729.0330 • glenview@ksgmac.com
The Glen • 2630 Valor Drive
847.510.5000 • theglen@ksgmac.com

Windsor Mortgage • Fort Dearborn Land Title, LLC • Insurance • Home Warranty • Commercial • Relocation



6918 N Laramie.com Skokie
Completely rehabbed designer Colonial in desirable Skokie Towers. Incl lg family rm w/iplc & wet bar, new hardwood floor, doors, baths, kitchen, crown molding in every room. 4 bed/2.5 bath. \$799,000
Jessica Diamond 773.435.4300



5261 W Farwell.com Skokie
Skokie Towers! Stunning Colonial with 2-story granite foyer & oak bridal staircase. Inviting liv rm adjacent from rm w/wbpl, hdwd flr, beautiful appl kit w/sep eatin area. 4 bed/3.5 bath. \$739,000
Iris Perea 773.775.4000



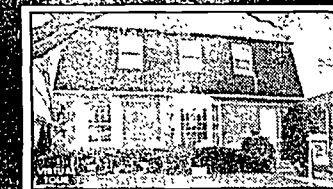
6020 W Crain St.com Morton Grove
2-story home in Parkview/Nilas West school district. Incl front porch, sep din, spacious liv rm, w/bpl, French doors to huge deck. New windows, roof, electricity, zoned heat, a/c. 6 br/3 ba. \$599,900
Iris Perea 773.775.4000



4749 Babolink Ter.com Skokie
Gut rehab jumbo Ranch home on oversized lot w/prvt golf course views. Incl SS appls, lg island, fam rm, newer addition. Formal din rm & lg liv rm w/wbpl, hdwd, recessed lights. 4 bed/3 bath. \$550,000
Michael Shenfeld 773.360.3000



9233 Nagle Ave.com Morton Grove
Beautiful end-unit Townhouse in Delaine Farm. 1st flr mstr ste, lg liv rm, din rm, hdwd flr throughout. 1st flr Kit w/eatin area. Lrg second flr loft. Beautiful fin ll w/steam bath. 3 bed/3.5 bath. \$515,000
Lily Hosseini 847.272.0330



7620 N Tripp Ave.com Skokie
Owner assisted financing! Stunning 5 bed room/2.5 bath Colonial open & spacious flr plan. Full in basement. 2-car garage. This seller is offering many financing options. Call for details. \$478,900
Honore Frumentino, CRS 847.945.8200



9327 Overhill Ct.com Morton Grove
Cul-de-sac loc. Awesome hdwd flr. Updated lat, canned lights, oak cabs. Newer roof, yard w/patio, updated baths. Possibile 2-car gar. Close to school & park. Spacious home! 3 bed/2 bath. \$469,000
Mary Lou LeBoeuf 847.362.6200



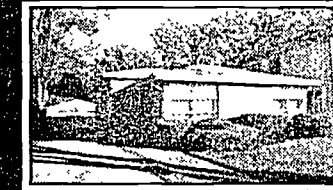
7220 N Karlov.com Lincolnwood
Spitless & sunny brick Lincolnwood split-level ready for your ideal! Great layout with slate foyer. Lrg eatin kitchen with new tear-off roof & windows. Walk-out basement. 3 bedroom/2.5 bath. \$428,000
Suzannah Martin 847.492.9660



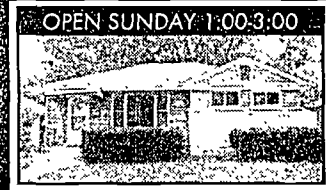
6837 Beckwith.com Morton Grove
Lovely Cape Cod in mint condition. 2.5-car garage. Full bsmt, huge inviting kit w/loads of cabs, newer appls. Cozy liv rm w/iplc & hdwd flr. In main level is very inviting. 4 bed/2 bath. \$399,900
Cathy Freedman 847.729.0330



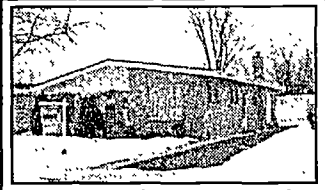
8340 Calle 8402.com Morton Grove
Spacious and elegant in like-new condition. Lots of upgrades. Granite, maple cabs, SS appliances. Radiant heat under floor. Extra storage room and 2 garage spaces. Decorator colors. 3 br/2 ba. \$399,500
Belh Ford O'Grady, GRI, ABR 847.729.0330



8714 East Prairie.com Skokie
Brick 3 bedroom, 2 bath blevel with side drive to 2.5-car brick garage. Hardwood floor, plaster walls, newer kitchen w/granite. Newer roof, a/c, hot water heater. Move-in condition! \$375,000
Patricia Joseph 847.729.0330



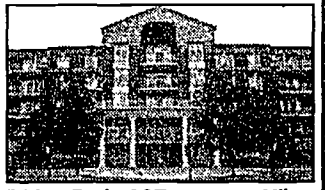
8941 Austin.com Morton Grove
A perfect starter home with possibilities to add. Nicely remodeled Ranch in desirable Morton Grove. Hardwood floor, full in bsmt, granite countertops, maple cabs. 2 bed/1.5 bath. \$339,000
Joanna Koda 773.435.4300



8529 W Normal Ave.com Nilas
Affordable brick Ranch in great loc! Cathedral ceil, hdwd flr, sunny eatin kit with updated cabs & newer appls. Formal din rm. Newer roof. 2.5-car gar w/new door. Park Ridge schools. 3 br/1.5 bath. \$289,900
Jean Meyer 847.823.4144



9286 N Woodland.com Nilas
Move right in! Original owner, immaculate condition. Hdwd flr, new furnace, disposal. Laundry rm w/storage. Close to transportation. Bright & spacious. Home sweet home. 3 bed/1.5 bath. \$286,900
Doris Schyman 847.272.0330



7031 W Touhy 207.com Nilas
Desirable Renaissance. Only one bdrm with huge 16'x14' patio. All appliances, in-unit laundry, garage and storage. 1 bedroom/1 bath. \$224,000
Sandy Lynch 773.360.3000

LINCOLNWOOD
\$800,000 - 6514 N Kilbourn Ave.com
Calm updated Ranch h. 4 br/2.5 ba.
Theresa Anderson 847.510.5000

SKOKIE
\$725,000 - 6510 N Keating.com
Incredible opportunity! 4 bed/3.5 bath.
Genie Birch 312.944.8900

SKOKIE
\$485,000 - 4440 Greenleaf.com
Sprawling Ranch, near park. 3 bed/2 bath.
Michael Stern 847.492.9660

SKOKIE
\$459,000 - 3830 W Estes.com
Brick split-level in mint condition! 3 br/2.5 ba.
Natalia Grebenshikov 773.435.4300

SKOKIE
\$289,900 - 3711 Pratt.com
Cozy Lincolnwood duplex. 2 bed/1 bath.
Fariba Rezaian 773.435.4300

MORTON GROVE
\$437,250 - 8719 Central.com
Largely maintained. Attractive decal. 3 br/2.5 ba.
Georgia Pyne 847.441.6300

SKOKIE
\$419,900 - 7825 Lake St.com
Original owner, loads of updates. 3 br/2 ba.
Mia Leslie Kuhn 847.945.8200

SKOKIE
\$290,000 - 5701 Main St.com
Meticulously maintained home. 2 bed/1 bath.
Marie Neutz 847.362.6200

SKOKIE
\$159,900 - 8620 Waukegan Rd 108.com
Rehobbed to the max! 1 bed/1 bath.
J. Suttner/J. Rizzo 847.510.5000

SKOKIE
\$275,000 - 7120 N Milwaukee 702.com
Top-floor corner Penthouse. 2 bed/2 bath.
Mary Belme 773.775.4000

SKOKIE
\$714,000 - 8000 W Davis St.com
Outstanding stone/brick home. 5 bed/3 bath.
Maria Morell 847.510.5000

SKOKIE
\$580,000 - 7150 W Seward St.com
Solid brick Ranch in great loc. 3 bed/1.5 bath.
Kathy DiValerio 847.823.4144

SKOKIE
\$235,900 - 6660 W Woodrider Dr 101.com
2 balconies, assigned parking! 2 bed/2 bath.
Angie Mrowiec 773.775.4000

SKOKIE
\$375,000 - 8128 Crawford Ave.com
Well-designed home, double lot! 3 bed/2 bath.
Michael Shenfeld 773.360.3000

SKOKIE
\$374,000 - 7736 Kenneth.com
Brick raised Ranch remodel. 4 br/2.5 ba.
Debra Hatchett 847.729.0330

SKOKIE
\$295,000 - 9265 Courtland.com
Gorgeous updated duplex. 3 bed/3 bath.
Iris Agran 847.272.0330

SKOKIE
\$285,000 - 7027 W Carol Ave.com
Fabulous Townhouse, great loc. 3 bed/2.5 bath.
Sheryl Rue-Borden 847.748.2800

SKOKIE
\$349,900 - 8301 N Ridgeway Ave.com
Loads of potential! 3 bed/1 bath.
Patricia Campbell 847.823.4144

SKOKIE
\$238,900 - 5251 Galitz St 312.com
Totally renovated condo. 2 bed/2 bath.
Honore Frumentino, CRS 847.945.8200

SKOKIE
\$219,000 - 8161 Nilas Center Rd 333.com
Rehobbed condo. 2 bed/1.5 bath.
Susan Tash 847.492.9660

Opinion

WE SAY Maryville: many faces at age 125

The communities near O'Hare Airport have long hosted more than their share of orphanages or facilities for children from troubled homes over the years. But the one known the best and in place the longest is Maryville.

Maryville is celebrating an important anniversary this month, 125 years, with a visit for Cardinal Francis George for a 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday (July 26). But the anniversary comes in an era when Maryville's mission is less secure than it was for most of its existence.

Founded in rural Cook County on the outskirts of Des Plaines in 1883, the original St. Mary Training School for Boys offered both home and training in a trade for homeless boys from the Chicago area. While its modern name also was drawn from St. Mary, its nickname for many years, Feehanville, evolved from the interest which Archbishop Patrick Feehan gave to the project, which was started during his time in office. The school became open to girls in 1911.

As with many charitable institutions taking on the weight of the world to care for young people in dire circumstances, it has been a balancing act over the years to take unhappy, lonely or angry youngsters, give them a steady home, caring guidance and a positive example, and send them out prepared for an independent future. The Maryville alumni tend to be a loyal group, and a separate group of enthusiastic and prominent donors have helped the archdiocese to keep the Maryville programs funded through the

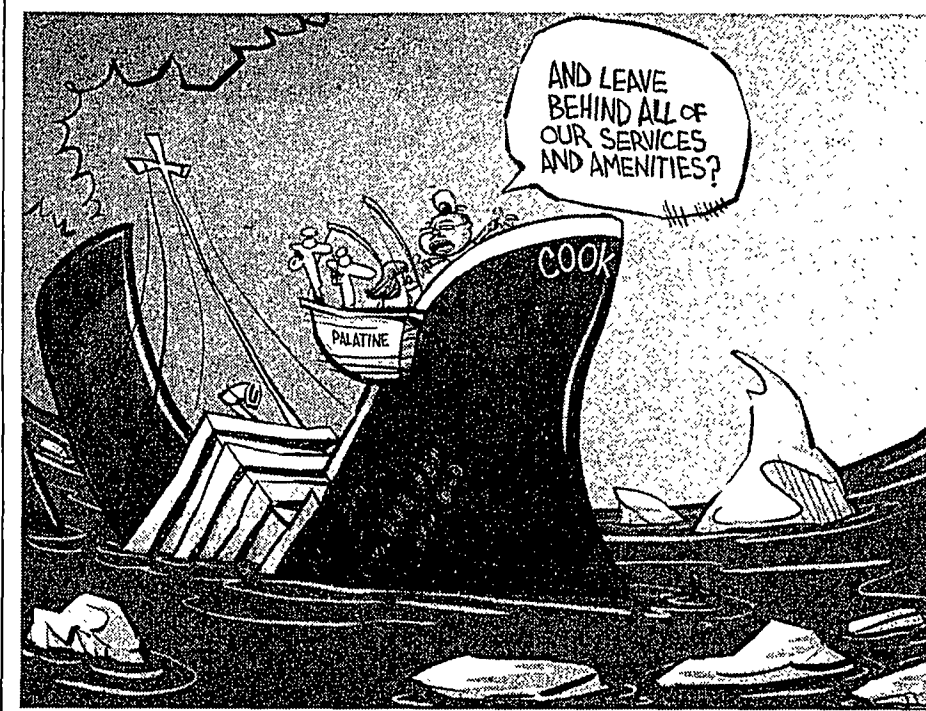
years.

A key figure at Maryville's campus for many years was the Rev. John Smyth, who was asked over and over to extend Maryville's long reach and add one more facility after another to the Maryville network. No longer was it just one institution. Many more troubled young people arrived at Maryville's doors. And eventually even the state realized that one organization and one individual could not be expected to successfully solve all these problems on the state's terms.

Sister Catherine M. Ryan, OSF, is now the executive director. Maryville's administration and programs and missions continue to evolve as the state reevaluates what it wants to require and expect of institutions to whom it entrusts young people. Reconfigurations of how best to use Maryville, City of Youth, have been in the works for several years, but its other programs continue in locations across the Chicago area.

And meanwhile the people whom Maryville has helped go out into the community and become a part of it. Maryville is no longer an isolated institution, miles from anything. It has become a neighbor, welcoming others to use parts of its campus. For many groups that choose it as a gathering place — from the Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine worshippers to the Chicago area's annual SS Crocifisso di Cominna celebration to immigration activists and archdiocesan events — it continues to share a message of courage and support.

1000 WORDS



Confessions of a villainoholic



PAUL SASSONE

- My Batman suit — XX with the elastic waist — is at the cleaners, so I couldn't go see "The Dark Knight" over the weekend.
- The movie is getting raves for the late Heath Ledger. I heard one critic say Ledger's Joker was the best villain in movie history.
- That really intrigues me because I am a villainoholic. If a movie has a great bad guy/gal performance the movie is a success, as far as I am concerned.
- I have my favorite villain performances, as I'm sure you do.
- By villain, I don't mean just a rotten character, but the character
1. Robert Mitchum, "Night of the Hunter."
 2. James Cagney, "White Heat."
 3. Gene Hackman, "Unforgiven."
 4. Henry Fonda, "Once Upon a Time in the West."
 5. Bette Davis, "The Little Foxes."
 6. John Huston, "Chinatown."
 7. Robert Mitchum, "Cape Fear."
 8. Chris Cooper, "Breach."
 9. Edward G. Robinson, "Key Largo."
 10. Sydney Greenstreet, "The Maltese Falcon."
 11. Richard Widmark, "Kiss of Death."
 12. Joseph Cotten, "Shadow of a Doubt."
 13. Daniel Day-Lewis, "Gangs of New York."
 14. Robert Walker, "Strangers on a Train."
 15. Laurence Olivier, "Spartacus."
 16. Orson Welles, "Touch of Evil."
 17. Basil Rathbone, "The Adventures of Robin Hood."
 18. Christopher Plummer, "The Silent Partner."
 19. Helen Mirren, "Excalibur."
 20. Peter O'Toole, "Night of the Generals."
 21. Robert Ryan, "Billy Budd."
 22. Joe Pesci, "Goodfellas."
 23. Wes Studi, "Last of the Mohicans."
 24. Barbara Stanwyck, "Double Indemnity."
 25. Charles Boyer, "Gaslight."
- I know I've left out some great performances. Who are your favorite movie villains? Drop me a line and I'll share your favorites. E-mail me at psassone@pioneerlocal.com. Or write me a line at Pioneer Press, 1140 Lake St., Oak Park IL 60301.

YOU SAY

Hope is out there

The increase in cost of living, oil shortages, and loss of many jobs do scare us and public confidence, of course, suffers. Perhaps a review of the economy for the last 25 years will help dispel some of the gloom.

In the last 25 years, we saw the greatest period of prosperity in human history. More people than ever before were delivered from poverty, unemployment was kept below 5 percent, there was more wealth created (IRAs, stocks, funds, 401Ks, etc.), all with a huge economic growth in the USA and the world. This meant a longer and better quality of life for all. Many positive thoughts were brought to bear by Harvard graduate Patrick Toomey in his address at Hillside College in Michigan.

Much of this progress was the result of these three important factors: broad expansion of trade and economic freedom here and worldwide; major deregulation (less government, lets people run their own business); reduction in marginal tax rate — this incentive encourages more spending and economic activity, resulting in more sales tax income, construction, etc.

The 1996 statistics show that 75 percent of people in this nation owned a car, many owned two. Of all households in this nation, more than 90 percent owned a color TV. The poor in this country fare much better than elsewhere in the world.

Two important steps that the next president should take are drilling for more oil and keep taxes low. Reduce government spending rather than add to the tax burden.

Letters, PAGE 14

Exclusive Affiliate of
CHRISTIE'S
GREAT ESTATES

For a complete list of open houses visit ksgmac.com. View photos, descriptions and virtual tours.

HISTORY. PRESTIGE. SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY. AND THE FINEST PATIENT CARE.

— *It's the least you should expect* —
from the academic affiliation of two of
Chicago's most respected organizations.



We're proud to announce the affiliation of ENH with The University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine. As the number-one ranked multispecialty independent research hospital in Illinois, ENH is partnering with a medical center whose research funding is in the top one percent in the nation to create both a uniquely powerful teaching force and agenda-setting science. With almost 200 years of combined experience and a shared commitment to connecting patients to the very best treatments and protocols, ENH and U of C's Pritzker School of Medicine will usher in a new generation of healthcare on the North Shore and beyond.

Better Connections. Better Care.

ENH Hospitals | ENH Medical Group | ENH Research Institute | ENH Foundation

www.enh.org

©2008 Envision Healthcare Holdings



PATRIOTIC PROJECT Students from Children's Learning World, a Montessori School in Niles, created a flag made of plastic cups for the Fourth of July holiday.

Board of Review reports record property assessments appeals

On July 7, Cook County Board of Review Commissioners Joseph Berrios, Brendan Houlihan, and Larry R. Rogers, Jr. transmitted the Cook County Board of Review's final decisions for the 2007 Northern (Cook) Triennial reassessment and closed its session after hearing the most appeals in the 69 years that the county appeals process has been in place.

There was a 25 percent increase in actual appeals filed in 2007. The Board of Review heard, analyzed, and processed 277,443 parcels in 2007 which passes the totals for both appeals and parcels reviewed from the 2006 City of Chicago re-assessment. Moreover, the record 2007 volume is 65 percent higher than the total parcels appealed in the last Northern reassessment in 2004. Residential appeals

had a substantially higher success rate in 2007 with 81 percent of appellants receiving a reduction in assessment when compared to the last Northern triennial when there was a 66 percent overall success rate. In 2007 the commissioners added several new technology initiatives that they said bolstered accuracy and reduced processing time, allowing the agency to do more with a smaller budget and fewer staff.

In light of the sub-prime mortgage crisis, lending fraud, and a downturn in the housing market, the Board of Review Commissioners partnered with Chicago Mayor Richard Daley in reopening closed townships and extending filing deadlines for pending townships. The response to the reopening from the citizenry resulted in more than 85,000 new appeals

that were filed. Berrios said, "Mayor Richard Daley's extraordinary efforts to identify and address the ongoing economic distress in the city afforded our agency the opportunity to hear thousands of new appeals from taxpayers who would not have otherwise had a remedy."

Houlihan said, "Internal automation initiatives at the board have taken much of the burden off of the residential homeowner in assembling evidence which corresponds to greater access for taxpayers and a clear decision. We are committed to improving the agency and the essential services that it provides to taxpayers."

For more information about the Board of Review, contact Chief Deputy Commissioner Scott M. Guetzow at (812) 603-4166.

CAMPUS CLOSE-UP

Ava Socik of Niles has been awarded an Illinois Association of Mortgage Professionals Educational Foundation's Red Farrell Memorial Scholarships. A \$1,250 award was presented to Socik June 9 at the Fox Run Golf Course in

Elk Grove Village. The IAMPEF Scholarship Award was established in honor of industry leader Ted Farrell to recognize outstanding students throughout Illinois who have demonstrated academic ability, as well as

a commitment to learning, achievement and community service. The scholarship assists young students in their pursuit of higher education and their desire to achieve a leadership role after post-secondary graduation.

How Illinois lawmakers voted in Congress

Week ending July 18

Major roll call votes in the Senate

Bush Medicare veto: Voting **70-26**, senators joined the House (below) in overriding President Bush's veto of a bill to continue Medicare payments to doctors at their current level this year and raise them by 1.1 percent in January. A yes vote was to override Bush's veto and enact HR6331. **Sen. Richard Durbin: Yes;**
Sen. Barack Obama: Not voting

Global AIDS funding: Senators authorized, **80-16**, \$50 billion over five years for U.S. support of global programs to combat HIV/AIDS, malaria and tuberculosis. A yes vote was to pass a bill (HR5501) that would fund programs in sub-Saharan Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe and Latin America. **Sen. Richard Durbin: Yes;**
Sen. Barack Obama: Not voting

Major roll call votes in the House

"Use it or Lose it": Members failed, **244-173**, to reach a two-thirds majority needed to pass a bill giving oil firms a "use it or lose it" mandate to either drill on 68 million acres of federal land and offshore tracts they have leased or give up their right to do so. A yes vote was to pass HR6515.

Spy budget, energy: Members refused, **200-225**, to send the 2009 intelligence budget (HR5959) back to committee, where it would be changed to require an estimate of the impact of global energy conditions on U.S. security. A yes vote backed the GOP bid over arguments it was a delay tactic.

Bush veto override: Members voted, **383-41**, to override President Bush's veto of a bill (HR6331) that would cancel the administration's 10.6 percent cut in Medicare payments to doctors. A yes vote was to enact a bill that sharply cuts spending on the privatized Medicare Advantage program.

Impeachment bid: Members referred, **238-180**, to the Judiciary Committee a bid to impeach President Bush based on the reasons he gave for invading Iraq. The panel has ruled out impeachment but may hold hearings on the Bush presidency. A yes vote was to dispatch HR6345 to committee.

Backup paper ballots: Members failed, **248-170**, to reach a two-thirds majority needed to authorize \$75 million in grants to help state and local officials buy backup paper ballots for use in this year's elections if electronic systems break down. A yes vote was to pass HR 5803.

For a more detailed description of the issues, see our Web page at www.pioneerlocal.com and pick your hometown paper, click on News and click on Politics.

	1	2	3	4	5
Bobby Rush, D-1st	NV	NV	NV	NV	NV
Jesse Jackson Jr., D-2nd	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dan Lipinski, D-3rd	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Luis Guterrez, D-4th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Rahm Emanuel, D-5th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Peter Roskam, R-6th	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Danny Davis, D-7th	Yes	No	NV	Yes	Yes
Melissa Bean, D-8th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Jan Schakowsky, D-9th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mark Kirk, R-10th	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Jerry Wellier, R-11th	No	Yes	Yes	No	MP
Jerry Costello, D-12th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Judy Biggert, R-13th	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Bill Foster, D-14th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Timothy Johnson, R-15th	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Donald Manzullo, R-16th	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Philip Hare, D-17th	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ray LaHood, R-18th	No	No	Yes	No	No
John Shimkus, R-19th	No	Yes	Yes	No	No

Analog-to-digital switch not perfectly clear



STEPHANIE ZIMMERMANN
THE FIXER - Chicago Sun-Times

Dear Fixer: In a recent column, you mentioned that TVs that are already hooked up to cable will not have to do anything more when broadcasting switches to digital in February 2009. Yet Comcast insists that I will need digital converters. If at all possible, please clear this up.
Dorothy Schultz

Dear Dorothy: You're not the only one who finds the whole analog-to-digital switch confusing. We asked

Rich Ruggiero, vice president of communications and public affairs at Comcast, and he said there are two separate things going on here: first, the government-mandated transition of the broadcast channels, and second, a programming change at Comcast.

What you were probably hearing about is the change within Comcast in which two of the channels previously on basic cable, Comcast Network (a local channel with high school sports and other programming) and Leased Access, will require either a digital set-top box or a TV with a digital tuner or a CableCARD.

As far as the February 2009 transition to digital, if all your TVs are connected to Comcast, you're all set to receive your local broadcast channels just as

you do now. More info is at www.comcast.com/dtv.

For Fixer readers who watch their analog TVs using a rooftop antenna or "rabbit ears," you can either get a government coupon to help buy a digital converter box, buy a new TV that has a digital tuner, or break down and get cable.

Getting the runaround about a consumer problem? Tell it to The Fixer at www.pioneerlocal.com, where you'll find a simple form to fill out. You can also mail a brief description of your problem, along with your name, address and telephone number, to: The Fixer, 3701 W. Lake Ave., Glenview IL 60026. Don't send original documents. Letters are edited for length and clarity. Contributing: Liza Roche, Piet Levy

The Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce would like to congratulate Avon Products, Inc. for being chosen as the Chamber's Member of the Month for July 2008

Avon Products, Inc
6901 Golf Rd.,
Morton Grove
847-470-5630
www.avon.com



847.965.0330 www.mgcci.org
6101 Capulina • Morton Grove, IL 60053



The Niles Chamber of Commerce Reminds you to Shop Locally

Call the Chamber office for referrals on businesses in the area

(847) 268-8180

www.nileschamber.com

Visit us at our new location
8060 Oakton Street
(Inside the NorthSide Community Bank)

Big crowd at Big Greek Food Fest

The Big Greek Food Fest hosted by St. Haralambos Greek Orthodox Church in Niles was a huge success, festival workers reported.

The three-day celebration attracted about 20,000 people the past weekend.

"We really thought we wouldn't have so many people with the economy and the chance of rain," said Tom Andrews, a parishioner who helped organize the festival. "We had a little rain but people came."

Andrews said it must have been the food.

"The food was excellent," he said. "The loukoumathes were really great."

It is not yet known how much money the



A crucial link to the gyro-making process, Katerina Kiriazopoulos, of Des Plaines, and her college roommate, Angela Schrubbe, of Wisconsin, add ingredients to the Greek staple during the annual Big Greek Food Fest Friday at St. Haralambos in Niles.

festival raised, but Andrews said the church will use the funds to-

ward the construction of a grade school on its property.

— By Tony Bertuca

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

POLICE BLOTTER

The following incidents were listed among official reports of the Niles Police Department. An arrest does not constitute a finding of guilt. Only a court of law can make that determination.

BATTERY

■ Russell Reynolds, 43, of 8890 N. Prospect Ave., Niles, was charged with domestic battery July 18 on the 8900 block of North Prospect Avenue. He was released on \$20,000 bond and is due in court Aug. 4.

DUI

■ Andres Cajigal, 54, of 8642 W. Golf Road, Des

Plaines, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol July 17 on the 8600 block of West Golf Road. He was released on \$1,000 bond and is due in court Aug. 12.

■ Daniel Gibbons, 39, of 26 N. Prindle Ave., Arlington Heights, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol July 17 on the 8400 block of North

Milwaukee Avenue. He was released on \$1,000 bond and is due in court Aug. 7.

■ Seong Yun, 34, of 7932 N. Waukegan Road, Niles, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol July 20 on the 7100 block of West Oakton Street. He was released on \$3,000 bond and is due in court Aug. 7.

THEFT

■ Alicia Vega, 29, of 5156 S. Paulina St., Chicago, was charged with retail theft July 18 of \$197 worth of merchandise

from a store on the 400 block of Golf Mill Center. Her court information was not available.

■ Theresa Muehlenbeck, 43, of 481 W. Edward Court, Des Plaines, was charged with theft July 15 of a woman's purse containing \$100, a cell phone valued at \$300 and a gold chain valued at \$200. She was released on \$5,000 bond and is due in court July 24.

■ A car was stolen July 19 from a parking lot on the 8200 block of West Oak Avenue.

the vein care center

Solutions Without Surgery®
Treatment of:
• Varicose Veins • Leg Swelling
• Spider Veins • Leg Discomfort

- Full spectrum of therapies available • 15 yrs experience
- Ultrasound guided laser therapy
- Board Certified University Affiliated staff
- Voted one of Americas "Top Doctors"
- We accept most major insurance plans including Medicare



Visit us at
www.theveincarecenter.com



Non-Invasive Solutions for:
• Sun Damage • Age Spots
• Uneven Color Tone
• Rough/Dry Skin • Acne • Wrinkles
• Unwanted Hair

Now pleased to offer:

Complimentary Skin Care consultation by a medically trained licensed aesthetician.

Full line of skin care products tailored to fit your needs.

Convenient locations in
Oak Park and Old Orchard
1-866-204-5100

ComEd earns passing grade on system reliability

But problem pockets exist for some customers

By RUTH SOLOMON
rsolomon@pioneerlocal.com

The vast majority of ComEd customers never have to throw away a freezer full of food or sit for days in the dark: More than 1.2 million ComEd customers had no outages in 2006; another one million had only one outage.

But tell that to customer number "L 431," who went through five

consecutive years with excess outages, losing power seven times in 2006. In 2006, L431 was one of 360 ComEd customers who had gone more than three years with excess outages and one of 1.5 million customers with more than one outage a year, according to the latest annual report ComEd is required to file with the Illinois Commerce Commission, which regulates utilities.

And ComEd's own customer satisfaction survey for 2006 showed a doubling in the number of outages for ComEd customers systemwide was about one per year in

suffered monetary damages due to outages, mostly by throwing away spoiled food.

There is no centralized, publicly available data comparing the reliability of electrical utility companies. But data pieced together from utility filings in several states indicates ComEd earns a fair grade on overall reliability, when compared with other utilities in the Midwest. When major storms are factored out, the average number of outages for ComEd customers systemwide was about one per year in

2006, lasting an average of 82 minutes. The average number of non-storm outages increased to 1.3 a year in 2007, but they only lasted 70 minutes, ComEd officials said in a July 1 interview at Pioneer Press offices in Glenview.

The company says its strategy is to improve reliability systemwide, not circuit by circuit.

"Our investment plan is designed for our system as a whole. This strategy is appropriate because our goals of reliability and customer satisfaction apply systemwide," ComEd

said in its 2006 report to regulators.

Systemwide, the utility has had a 29 percent reduction in the frequency of outages since 1998, said Mike McMahon, vice president of engineering. And when outages do occur, they are 30 percent shorter, he said.

After a storm last August, the utility spent \$50 million to restore power. In 48 hours, 90 percent of those without power, or 600,000 customers, had their lights back on.

During such storms, the utility makes use of a mutual assistance pact,

mobilizing linemen from as far away as Tennessee, Kentucky and Missouri. ComEd employees made up only about 30 to 40 percent of the workers in that August storm, utility officials said.

Asked whether the company has enough maintenance workers in the field on a non-emergency basis, ComEd representatives say efficiency has improved and that their improved reliability figures show their workforce levels are adequate, even though the company has fewer workers than a decade ago.

Many customers learn lesson, invest in backup generators

By TODD SHIELDS
tshields@pioneerlocal.com

Commonwealth Edison officials refer to last summer's angry cloudburst as the "August Blast" — when 634,000 customers lost power for up to three days. Many learned a lesson: Get your own backup power.

In a press release, ComEd described the Aug. 23 event "as the first devastating storm of the 21st century in the Chicagoland area."

But it doesn't take a storm of historic proportions to disrupt power. A typical hard downpour knocks out 90,000 ComEd users.

Since August, some suppliers of permanent home backup generators — priced at \$8,000 to \$20,000 — have seen a dramatic increase in sales. At Steiner Electric Co., located in Elk Grove Village, 327 were sold after the August Blast, compared to 99 from January to July.

"Residential sales are very weather-related, but in storms like last August, our sales have tripled," said David Easler, senior vice president at Steiner.

"We have a lot more re-

liable power than most parts of the Midwest, but we're not immune to what can happen when bad weather comes," he said.

Ken Stevens, owner of Breakwater Electric in Alsip, also said more homeowners are investing in permanent generators.

"Over time, it's not a lot of money to install a generator, when faced with emptying a food freezer several times during outages," he said.

At large retail stores, purchases of portable generators were storm-driven, said Jen King, a Home Depot spokesman in Atlanta, citing a June 7 tornado that destroyed homes in south suburban University Park.

"We do see a spike for portable sales during storms, but we have not seen a trend in buying and selling more in the Midwest or northern Illinois," she said.

For critical emergency services and operations, such as hospitals, computer-reliant offices and fire and police stations, the need for backup electricity was evident and in some cases are required under the law.

"Events like hurricanes

Katrina and Wilma showed many firms just how catastrophic a loss of power can be," said Jalane Kellough, executive director of Electrical Generating Systems Association, Boca Raton, Fla.

In 1996, Schaumburg Village Hall was connected to an automatic switchover power grid owned by ComEd that operates during emergencies, said village manager Ken Fritz.

Though utility companies are responsible for delivering reliable power, hospitals are expected to be ready with very reliable emergency systems.

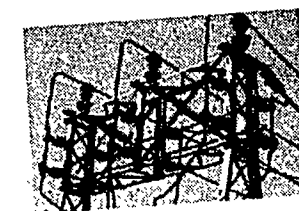
Medical facilities fall under "the recognized doctrine of force majeure" — meaning a major force of weather or an act of God, said David Overbye, dean of university administration for DeVry University, in Oakbrook Terrace.

"The courts will expect you to take additional steps — backup generators, redundant systems and so on. As we saw with Katrina, many of these proved to be inadequate," he said.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

ComEd reliability

ComEd's record of power outages, both length and frequency, was about average for utilities covering major cities in the Midwest in the year 2006, the last year for which data is available. Exact comparisons are difficult due to such factors as amount of overground versus underground equipment, rural versus urban customer base, and calculations that do or do not include storms. The federal government has no uniform method for



collecting data on reliability, leaving it up to individual state commissions, which vary in whether they require data with or without major storms. ComEd said its own internal comparisons with its peers across the U.S. put it in the top 40 percent in reliability.

	Without major storms		With major storms	
	Average duration (in min.)	Customer average number	Average duration (in min.)	Customer average number
ComEd: systemwide	82	1.87	1.06	1.49
city of Chicago	74	1.65	0.82	1.51
north, northeast and near west suburbs	76	1.75	1.06	1.30
south suburbs	87	2.05	1.37	1.82
far northwest suburbs	94	1.89	1.10	1.24
Indianapolis Power & Light Co.	98.01	—	1.07	—
Cleveland Electric	124.95	—	1.20	—
Ohio Edison	88.98	—	1.44	—
Toledo Edison	86.28	—	0.91	—
Xcel Energy (Northern States Power), Wisconsin	—	—	—	116
We Energy (WEPCO), Wisconsin	—	—	—	103
Alliant Energy (Wisconsin Power & Light)	—	—	—	98
Wisconsin Public Service Corporation	—	—	—	234
Madison Gas & Electric	—	—	—	179

— Indicates data not available

Explanation of headings:
Average duration = Customer Average Interruption Duration Index (CAIDI) the sum of customer interruption durations in minutes divided by the annual number of customer interruptions
Customer average number = Customer Average Interruption Frequency Index (CAIFI) the average number of interruptions experienced by customers who experienced at least one interruption during the year
System average number = System Average Interruption Frequency Index (SAIFI) the total annual number of customer interruptions divided by the average total number of customers served a year

Sources: Illinois Commerce Commission, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin, Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, Public Utility Commission of Ohio
Pioneer Press / chc

NEXT WEEK

- Worst-performing circuits
- Sleeping in the store, during storms

MORE ON THE WEB

- www.pioneerlocal.com
- Expanded versions of these stories
- Technology ComEd plans to deploy

Save on cooling costs
with a high efficiency system —
great savings available.
Call now.
847-967-2200
Free estimates on
new equipment



We're Family-owned and
Operated for 40 years.

**Skokie Valley
Air-Control**
Heating & Air Conditioning, Sales & Service

\$ Pay Cash for Gold, Platinum, Silver. \$
Larger Diamonds wanted
1 1/2 to 7 Carats.





**Call Dennis or
Gary DaValle
for details at:**
(708) 867-8200

North Shore Location Available
Call (847) 767-4844

DaValle Jewelers
FAMILY OWNED SINCE 1914
5116 North Harlem
Harwood Heights
(Just South of Foster)
(708) 867-8200
Visit us on the web at: www.davalle.com

Her birthday party lasts an hour.
The memories last a lifetime.



Come spend a day she'll never forget!

American Girl Place
CHICAGO

111 E. Chicago Avenue • Across from Water Tower Place

Call 1-877-AG-PLACE to make your birthday party and gift reservations. Visit american.girl.com for information on planning an unforgettable birthday party for your special girl.

Letters

Continued from PAGE 9

Nobody can tell a person who lost their job that this is not a recession, but there is much to be thankful for; this has happened before, there is help and hope out there. Pray for and vote for good leadership to guide us through it.

**Bill McNutt
Des Plaines**

Townships provide strong social programs

When considering the elimination of townships ("Do townships serve a purpose?" July 10), we should consider the strong social programs they provide. I cannot think of another agency providing the same services as the Niles Township Food Pantry (NTFP) for the hungry people in my community.

Not only does it provide emergency food as-

sistance, but it's also a central place for residents to help their neighbors directly by donating necessities. Without our township's pantry, where would the 19,300 people they served last year go for help?

In a period of economic downturn, we should make every effort to make sure we maintain the best social services possible for our community.

**Cynthia Changyit Levin
Morton Grove**

Sox fan pulls no punches

I loved your "we say" column concerning the White Sox and especially their fans. Being a life-long Sox fan I have done everything in my power to stay quiet and composed, but your article was the one that did it.

I became very ill earlier this week when I read an editorial in the Tribune about naming a street after Ron Santo. Lest we forget, his beloved Cubs shipped him away in 1974

to finish his career with the White Sox. In 1975 the Cubs sent another Cub immortal, Billy Williams, to the Oakland As. The Cubs: What an honorable organization at a time when teams held onto their so-called legends.

Back to the point, that inferiority complex you speak of is jealousy on your part as a Cub fan. We have this banner hanging that says 2005 World Series Champions — Chicago White Sox! The discussion has ended from a Cub perspective. We may have less fans but our team is a winner and has delivered. Pity the poor lost souls who line up to enter Wrigley much like sheep to an eventual slaughter.

I believe the most popular team in Chicago is the Bears. Don't their followers still talk of 1985? Talk about living in the past. There is a pattern here. Bears and Cubs are of the same ilk much like their fans.

I would welcome a city series. The Sox have a long way to go as they have overachieved this season. The Cubs were supposed to be as advertised in the weak minor league know as the "National" one. Yet the story is the Cubs. I love the build up. Visions of the 2007 playoffs vs. Arizona, 2003 vs. Marlins, 1989 vs. Giants, 1984 vs. Padres, 1969 — thank Ron Santo's heeling clicking for that. Those are the kind of actions that rub peers the wrong way, blow large leads, and keep you out of the Hall of Fame.

Yes, I hope for a city series. The Sox would be underdogs and their fans would carry that immortal chip on their shoulders. I like our chances. After all, we are playing the Cubs! History is on our side.

As I tell all my Cub fan friends, let me know when you win something, I will be dead and gone.

**John Ostrowski
Morton Grove**

Diversions

PIONEER PLUS CLICK LIST

Go to www.pioneerlocal.com, select a community and click on Entertainment.



» STAGE »

Robert Loerzel reviews Starlight Theatre's controversial production of "Ragtime." Centre East reveals its 2008-'09 season schedule. Local actors discuss their roles in Steppenwolf Theatre's production of Tracy Letts' "Superior Donuts."

» MUSIC »

Dorothy Andries reviews Dame Kiri Te Kanawa's farewell performance in Chicago at Ravinia.

» BLOGS »

In Entertaining Ideas, Jennifer Thomas writes about upcoming WTTW "Soundstage" concerts with Stevie Nicks and Matchbox 20.

» GAMES »

Erik Stein reviews "NCAA Football '09," "Final Fantasy Tactics A2" and "Alone in the Dark."

» HOROSCOPE »

Check online for this week's forecast.

» MOVIE TIMES »

Updated movie times can be found online on Fridays.

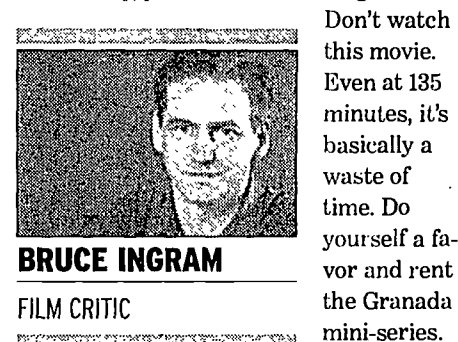
'Revisited' is a redo to reject

By **BRUCE INGRAM**
bringram@pioneerlocal.com

Brideshead Revisited ★ ★
Here's the bad news: On a point by point comparison with the superb 1981 miniseries adaptation of Evelyn Waugh's "Brideshead Revisited," this new version suffers on all counts.

Here's the good news. It only takes two hours to watch this mediocre, severely altered "Brideshead," compared to 11 hours for the really, really good one. So, if you're in a hurry, and you want a shot of Britlit culture and you don't really care if Waugh's complex characters and sophisticated dialogue have generally been dumbed down for easy access...

Actually, you know what? Forget that.



BRUCE INGRAM

FILM CRITIC

Don't watch this movie. Even at 135 minutes, it's basically a waste of time. Do yourself a favor and rent the Granada mini-series. Watch it over five nights. You'll be glad you did.

Waugh, who made his reputation as an acidly comic novelist satirizing upper class British society, wrote "Brideshead Revisited" during the latter part of World War II, in which he served as an officer. The novel tells the story of Charles Ryder, Waugh's alter-ego, an aspiring painter who becomes involved with the aristocratic Flyte family in the 1920s while studying at

Oxford. Ryder is initially attracted to the childish, tragic, charming and doomed Lord Sebastian Flyte. Through Sebastian, the young atheist, Ryder comes to know all of the Flytes, whose lives are governed, to varying degrees, by Catholicism — and gradually falls in love with Lady Julia, Sebastian's sister. Much of the novel is devoted to the vanishing way of life of England's aristocracy and the rise of various odious modern trends — much abhorred by Waugh — observed by Ryder with melancholy detachment. "Brideshead Revisited" is also intended to illustrate the complexities of religious faith, particularly the Catholic faith, which Waugh had embraced before the war.

Director Julian Jarrold, best known for lighter fare such as "Becoming Julia" and "Kinky Boots," and screenwriters Jeremy Brock ("The Last King of Scotland") and Andrew Davies ("Bridget Jones' Diary") had the unenviable task of trying to boil the dense, complicated plot of

"Brideshead" down to the running time of "Speed Racer." They only had two choices: Fast-forward through a reasonably complete and faithful adaptation at triple speed or reduce the story to its essentials. Fortunately, they chose the latter, but they also took some

'Revisited,'
PAGE B4

**Chicago's
Newest Indoor
Waterpark,
Resort & Spa**

Book rooms online
at www.keylimecove.com

**Key Lime
Cove**

Reservations 1-877-360-0403



Right Across
From Six Flags

\$25 OFF
ANY
SPA SERVICE

RELAX & REJUVENATE
PARADISE MIST SPA

Bring this coupon in to receive \$25 off any service. One coupon per customer, not good in conjunction with any other promotions. Offer Expires 8/7/08 • PromoCode: STNG
(224) 656-8130

Buy 1 Burger. Get One

**FREE
BURGER**

Treat yourself and a friend to D.W. Anderson's mouthwatering hamburgers with all the fixins! Offer Expires 8/7/08 • PromoCode: STNG
(224) 656-8101

FAMILY FRIENDLY

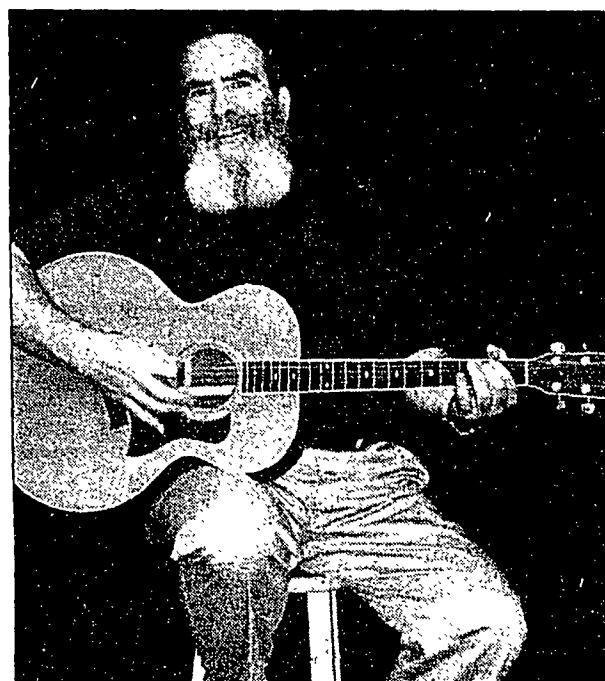
Musical magic gives spider a big surprise

BY MYRNA PETLICKI
Contributor

With his full beard and broad smile, Allan Lieberman bears a slight resemblance to Santa. The Parents' Choice award winning singer/songwriter also brings kids a gift — the joy of music. Lieberman will present "Feeling Good and Singing Good," for ages 3-8, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Friday, July 25, at the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St.

Lieberman likes to involve his young fans. "The most important thing is that the kids are singing and moving," he said. If his audience consists mostly of preschoolers, Lieberman will primarily sing familiar songs — with a unique twist.

When he leads, "The Itsy Bitsy Spider," Lieberman said, "I make believe



Allan Lieberman performs at the Skokie Public Library.

that they turn the spider into a larger spider and they turn the larger spider into an octopus. I conveniently forget the secret word to turn the octopus

back into a spider. Then I ask for a volunteer with a large van to take him to the lake for me."

If the audience mainly consists of kids 5 and up,

Lieberman will concentrate on original songs from his creative collection.

Pick up free tickets at 10 a.m. For details, call (847) 678-7774.

Tales and tunes

Children will join Neil Whitham onstage to sing familiar songs and provide sound effects for original numbers when the singer, storyteller and guitarist performs from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 31, at Prairie View Park, 6834 Dempster St., Morton Grove. Admission is free but audience members are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items for the Niles Township Food Pantry.

For details, call (847) 965-1200.

A little bit country

You'll feel like you're down on the farm at the Wildwood Nature Center, 2701 Sibley Ave., Park Ridge, during the Country Farm Fair, noon-3 p.m. Saturday, July 26. The free event features a pie-eating contest, potato sack races, tug of war and water balloon toss. There will also be a petting zoo, \$3 pony rides and 50 cent hayrides. Popcorn, ice cream and hotdogs will be sold.

For details, call (847) 692-3570.

Star quality

A miniature world will come to life when Dave Herzog's Marionettes perform at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 30, at Lorel Park, Cleveland and Lockwood, Skokie. Audiences will enjoy an intergalactic experi-

ence during "Stringing on a Star," featuring Zork, captain of the Starship Puppetron. Performance is part of the Skokie Park District's Magical Merry Go Round summer series.

For details, call (847) 674-1500.

Wheel adventure

X-Games medalist Matt Wilhelm will perform amazing stunts and talk about bicycle safety at the Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St., 2-3 p.m. Sunday, July 27. He will tell how he didn't let a bully keep him from becoming a champion. Wilhelm will also encourage young people to avoid drugs and set worthwhile goals.

For details, call (847) 827-5551.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

SUMMER CONCERTS

Arlington Park, 2200 W. Euclid Ave., Arlington Heights. www.arlingtonpark.com. Miller Lite Party in the Park, Friday afternoons. First race and first song at 2:30 p.m. - July 25: 0-1011 Up and Coming Artists Show. Aug. 1: A Kangaroo Court (alternative rock). Aug. 8: Elevation (U2 tribute). Aug. 15: 01011 Up and Coming Artists Show. Aug. 22: Soda (classic rock). Aug. 29: Bucket Number Six (classic rock). Sept. 5: Libido Funk Circus ('70s rock). Sept. 12: Members Only ('80s pop). Sept. 14: Steve Arvey & the Saxtells (rock). Sept. 19: R-Gang (Motown, R&B). Also, live bands play between or after races on selected dates. (847) 385-7500. Aug. 9, 11:45 a.m.-6 p.m. (between races): 7th Heaven. Bluesmobile Cruise Nights sponsored by the Mount Prospect Downtown Merchants Association will feature music on selected Saturday nights in the METRA west parking lot, corner of Route 83 and Northwest Highway. (847) 398-6155. Aug. 9: Graffiti Unlimited. Chicago Botanic Garden, 1000 Lake Cook Road, Glencoe. (847) 835-5440. www.chicagobotanic.org. Admission is free. Parking is \$15; free for members. Carillon Concert Series - Through Aug. 25, 7 p.m. Mondays, featuring music from the carillon bell tower located on Evening Island. Concerts feature carilloneers from all over the world, in addition to the garden's resident carillonneur, Wylie Crawford, who serves as president of the World Carillon Federation. Visitors can pick up dinner and a bottle of wine from the Garden Grille

or bring a picnic dinner. Picnicking is permitted on the lawn by McGinley Pavilion on Evening Island and near the Buehler Enabling Garden. Carillon tours start at 5:30 p.m. Music on the Esplanade - Through Aug. 26, 6-9 p.m. Tuesdays. Spanish guitar, jazz and big band artists will perform. Light fare will be available for a variety of prices. Hot Summer Nights - Through Aug. 28, 6-9 p.m. Thursdays. Light fare will be available for a variety of prices. July 24: The Chicago Cajon Aces. July 31: Talengyi (David) Gweshie & the Boterekwa Dance Troupe. Aug. 7: Chicago con Clase with Saladeen Alamin. Aug. 14: The Silver Beams. Aug. 21: Big City Wing with Lesley Byers & the Jazz Cats. Aug. 28: The Chicago Cajon Aces. Evanston's 2008 Startlight Concert Series, held through Aug. 26 at James Park, Dodge Avenue at Mulford; Dawes Park, along the lakefront, Sheridan Road at Church Street; Twigg's Park, at Simpson Street and Dodge Avenue; and Harbert Park, east of Canal and just south of Dempster Street. Rain sites are the Levy Center, 300 Dodge, for James and Dawes Park concerts, or the Fleetwood-Jourdain Center, 1655 Foster St., for Harbert and Twigg's Park concerts. Up-to-date information available at (847) 448-8058. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. for each concert. Free admission. July 24: Reggae Cowboys at James Park. July 29: Ken Arlen Orchestra, 15-piece band and vocalists, at Dawes Park. Aug. 5: Patrick De Santos, West African vocalist, at Dawes Park. Aug. 12: Bakelite 78, vaudeville, American folk, early jazz, at Dawes Park. Aug. 19: Ruby Jane, 13-year-old fiddle prodigy, at Dawes Park. Aug. 26: Buster

Keaton Silent Movie Night at Dawes Park; David Drzen plays original scores. Family Fun on Thursdays. Morton Grove Park District presents free children's entertainment from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on the lawn of Prairie View Park, 6834 Dempster. In inclement weather, shows will take place in Prairie View Community Center. Information: (847) 965-1200. July 24: Mark Nichols Puppet Theatre. July 31: Neil Whitham (interactive music). Free children's concert with Dave Rudolf from noon-1:30 p.m. Aug. 2 at the Pavilion Gazebo, Biesterfeld and Wellington, Elk Grove Village. (847) 437-9494. Free summer concerts at 7 p.m. at Pavilion Gazebo, Biesterfeld and Wellington, Elk Grove Village, unless otherwise noted. In inclement weather, concerts will be held in the Pavilion Multipurpose Gym. (847) 437-9494. Aug. 3: Déjà Vu. Hot Summer Nights, Cool Music concerts at 7 p.m. Sundays and 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at North School Park, Eastman Street and Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights (unless noted otherwise). Bring a blanket or lawn chair. Alcohol and dogs not allowed. In the event of inclement weather, concerts are canceled. Hotline: (847) 577-3003, ext. 1. July 27: Groundspeed (bluegrass). Aug. 6, 7 p.m.: U.S. Air Force Band of Mid America (tentative). Aug. 13: Arlington Heights Community Concert Band. Lake Summer Entertainment Series, 7 p.m. at Lake Park Memorial Pavilion,

go, PAGE B8

STAGE

Whole cast savors success of 'Donuts'

'SUPERIOR DONUTS'

Steppenwolf Theatre
Downstairs, 1650 N. Halsted St.,
Chicago. 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays-
Sundays, Sunday evening
shows through July 27 only; 3
p.m. Saturdays-Sundays; 2 p.m.
July 30, Aug. 6 and 13. Runs
through Aug. 24. Post-show
discussions after every
performance. \$20-\$68. (312)
335-1650. www.steppenwolf.org.

By LILLI KUZMA
Contributor

James Meredith, an Evanston native now living in Oak Park, plays the role of a Chicago policeman, Officer James Hailey, in Steppenwolf Theatre Company's new production, "Superior Donuts." But the "cop in a donut shop" stereotype ends there.

"I never get to eat a donut in the course of the show!" said Meredith 37, voicing his only complaint about the world premiere comedy, written by Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award-winning ensemble member, Tracy Letts. Meredith is making his fifth Steppenwolf appearance.

Of course donuts are not the point, Meredith explained. The play is about the dynamics of the relationships, problems, and friendships, of a diverse group of people, who happen to cross paths at a run-down donut shop in Chicago's Uptown neighborhood, and Letts captures the spirit of this group. "Tracy has a precision to his language, it's so crisp, but everyday speak," said Meredith.

The play boasts a big star, Michael McKean, whose credits include "Laverne & Shirley," "Saturday Night Live," "Spinal Tap," "Best in Show" and "A Mighty Wind," among others. He plays the donut shop owner and a strong cast of accomplished actors backs him up. Di-



MICHAEL BROSILOW PHOTO

Yasen Peyankov (left) and Evanston native James Vincent Meredith go nose to nose in "Superior Donuts" at Steppenwolf Theatre.

rected by ensemble member, Tina Landau, "Superior Donuts" has had an excellent first run, and will continue through August 24.

Everyone works

Meredith also has praise for the show's director: "Tina (Landau) — she's one of those supporters of (many) viewpoints in the rehearsal process, the only director I know that's done that," he said. "It got the cast centered. Everybody is so good. And everyone knows they're good, so we just concentrate on the work. And Kate (Buddeke, his cop partner in the play) is a blast!"

Buddeke, who grew up in Wilmette and is now living in New York City, noted some of the challenges of her role: "A friend of mine is a female Chicago cop, and I talked to her for a really long



MICHAEL BROSILOW PHOTO

Waukegan native Jon Michael Hill (from left), with Cliff Chamberlain and Robert Maffia, formerly of Morton Grove, have a serious discussion in "Superior Donuts."



MICHAEL BROSILOW PHOTO

Kate Buddeke, a former Wilmette actor (left), writes up Yasen Peyankov in Tracy Letts' "Superior Donuts."

Wicks, who is a "whirlwind of intelligence and energy. He shakes things up, and his playfulness hooks the (donut shop) owner into hiring him," said Hill.

Hill previously appeared at Steppenwolf in

"The Unmentionables." He performed with Yale Repertory Theatre in 2007, and played Puck in a "A Midsummer Night's Dream" right out of college for the Public Theater's Shakespeare in the Park in New York.

"My ultimate goal (in acting) is breaking down barriers of conventional theater," said Hill. "I want to give the voice of small towns like Waukegan a voice in the theatre. Here at Steppenwolf, Tina's (Director Landau) attention to detail is unparalleled. She is the best collaborator I know, letting the actors find their way through a play."

Robert Maffia, formerly of Morton Grove, and now based in Los Angeles, is also excited to be in this play and back to Chicago. The veteran actor, recipient of multiple Jeff citations from his Chicago days, has a long list of television and film credits. But he didn't think twice about leaving Hollywood for this role.

"I've always wanted to work at Steppenwolf," said Maffia. "I did over 35 shows in Chicago, and got my Screen Actors Guild card here. This is a great opportunity, working with Tina and the cast, and there's a lot of respect for Chicago theater. Out in L.A., I've gotten work solely on my theater resume from Chicago."

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

go.

What to do.
This week and beyond.

YOU WANT IN? HERE'S HOW.

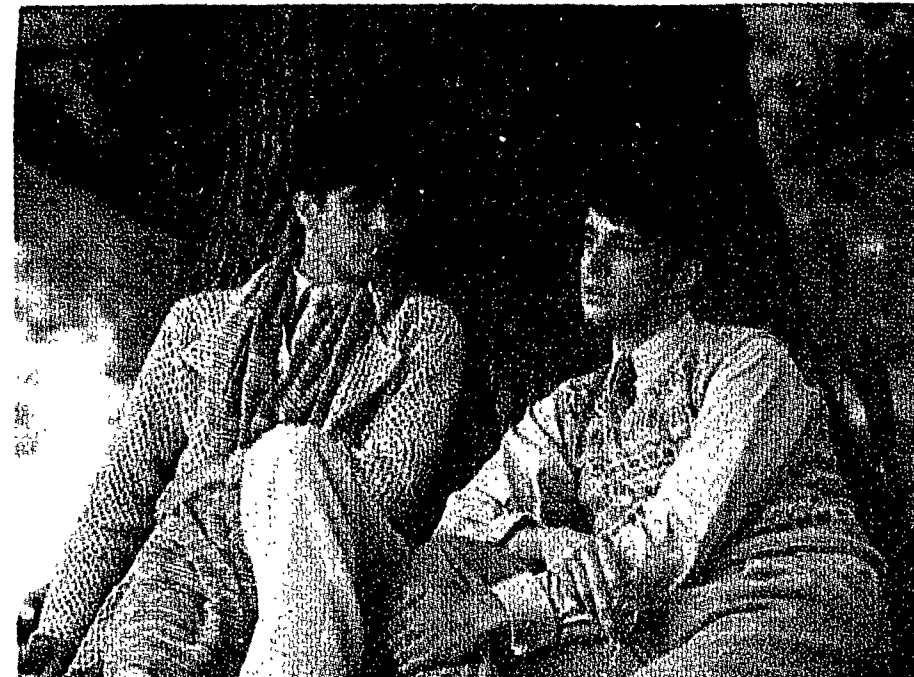
- » Submit go. events one week prior to the date of publication.
- » Entries must be typed. We're sorry, but we can't take it over the telephone. We prefer e-mail submissions, please.
- » go. listings are free. Include brief description of the event, time, date, address, price and phone number.
- » By mail: go. c/o Pioneer Press, 291 Dunton Ave., Arlington Heights IL 60004. E-mail: go1@pioneerlocal.com. FAX: (847) 797-5151.

'Revisited'

Continued from PAGE B1

questionable liberties.

When Charles (Matthew Goode, satisfactory, but lacking the gravitas Jeremy Irons brought to the role) meets Sebastian (Ben Whishaw, whose petulance is no substitute for the tragic dimension Sebastian requires) at Oxford, their attraction to each other is portrayed in more explicitly romantic terms than it is in either the novel or the Granada mini-series. That seems to me to be a sound, if not particularly subtle, decision. It's more honest and direct and it demonstrates, when Charles shows just a hint of reserve when they kiss one day at Brideshead (Sebastian's ancestral home) that they're not entirely on the same page about where their friendship is going. The new "Brideshead" makes a serious mistake,



Tawdry love triangle minus one: Ben Whishaw and Matthew Goode in the new adaptation of Evelyn Waugh's "Brideshead Revisited."

however, when it proceeds to collapse much of Waugh's story by contriving a tawdry love triangle between Sebastian, Charles and Julia (Hayley Atwell). After writing Julia into a trip to Venice with Charles and Sebast-

ian, Brock and Davies suggest that it's Sebastian's heartbreak when Charles transfers his affections that precipitates his subsequent downfall into alcoholism and ruin — and not his tortured relationship with his mother

(played here with a more obvious poisonous streak by Emma Thompson). At this point, the new "Brideshead" loses its credibility as an adaptation and probably becomes only marginally interesting for anyone unfa-

miliar with the story — because the story begins to play like a Masterpiece Theater production crossed with a telenovela.

There are other problems. The new "Brideshead" is heavy-handed in its foreshadowing of Sebastian's doomed status and in its portrayal of his mother as a psychotherapist's goldmine ("Be a good boy for God and Mummy," she says to the cowering undergrad). The film also takes a surprisingly dark view of the religious life of the Flyte family, underscored by its omission of an essential revelation at the end of the story. Most surprisingly, it suggests that Charles is essentially a jumped-up social climber and opportunist, who is motivated primarily by his desire to claim Brideshead and all it represents.

The worst thing, though, is the way this new adaptation mixes tan-

talizing samples of Waugh's dialogue, so perfect in its representation of the time and class of his characters, with truly banal attempts at faux sophistication. Consider this admittedly rough approximation of the exchange that takes place between Charles and Julia when they meet on an ocean liner after a long separation.

Julia: "You're married now."

Charles: "Yes. So are you."

Julia: "How ridiculous... Tell me this is fate!"

That last line is uttered with great passion before the long-frustrated pair leap into a nearby bed — and it probably would have driven Waugh completely bonkers. One slight misstep by Goode and Atwell and it would have played like a scathing parody of upper-class English affectation. Which is the sort of thing Waugh did better than anyone else.

IT'S SHOWTIME

Movie times are effective Friday and are compiled from information available on Tuesday. Please note that theater schedules are subject to change.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

Arlington Theaters

53 S. Evergreen St.
(847) 483-0123

X-FILES: I WANT TO BELIEVE (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:50-3:00-5:10-7:20-9:30

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:20-12:20-2:30-3:30-5:40-6:40-8:50-9:50

MAMMA MIA! (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:10-2:30-4:50-7:10-9:30

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:15-2:30-4:45-7:00-9:15

KIT KITTREDGE: AN AMERICAN GIRL (G)
Fri-Thurs: 11:10-1:15-3:20-5:30

HELLBOY II: THE GOLDEN ARMY (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 7:30-9:50

OPEN SEASON (PG)
Tues. Wed. 10 a.m.
Camp Hollywood Family Film Series
Admission: \$1

HELLBOY II: THE GOLDEN ARMY (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 7:30-9:50

WANTED (R)
Fri-Thurs: 7:20-10:00

LONG WAY DOWN (NR)
Thurs: 7:30

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Thurs: 11:50-1:05-2:20-3:40-4:50-7:00-9:35

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:45-2:45-4:45-6:45-8:45

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:50-3:05-5:20-7:35-9:50

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:55-2:50-4:45-6:40

MAMMA MIA (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:05-2:30-4:55-7:20-9:45

HELLBOY II: THE GOLDEN ARMY (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 8:35

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 12:20-2:30-4:40-6:50-9:00
Thurs: 12:20-2:30-4:40-9:00

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:00-2:15-4:30-6:45-9:00

ULTRAMARATHON MAN (PG)
Thurs: 7:00

THE PIRATES WHO DON'T DO ANYTHING (G)
Wed: 10 a.m.
Wednesday Morning Movie Series
Admission: \$1

HELLBOY II: THE GOLDEN ARMY (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:15-2:00-4:55-7:45-10:35

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 11:55-2:15-4:35-6:55-9:15

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:25-12:50-2:05-3:30-4:45-6:20-7:30-9:00-10:10

MONGOL (R)
Fri-Thurs: 9:20

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:25-2:35-4:55-7:10

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:20-12:10-1:00-2:45-3:35-4:25-5:15-6:10-7:00-7:50-8:40-9:35-10:25-11:15
Sun-Wed: 11:20-12:10-1:00-2:45-3:35-4:25-5:15-6:10-7:00-7:50-8:40-9:35-10:25-11:15

STEP BROTHERS (R)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-4:30-7:10-10:00

I WANT TO BELIEVE (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-4:30-7:10-10:00

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:45-12:15-3:10-3:40-6:30-7:00-9:50-10:20



Girl power: Ice Cube and Keke Palmer in "The Longshots."

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Thurs: 11:50-1:05-2:20-3:40-4:50-7:00-9:35

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:45-2:45-4:45-6:45-8:45

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri-Thurs: 1:00-4:00-6:40

HELLBOY II: THE GOLDEN ARMY (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 9:30 p.m.

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 1:45-5:00-7:40-10:30

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:00-3:50-6:20-9:00

GET SMART (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:30-3:20-6:10-9:10

HELLBOY II (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:40-1:20-4:20-6:10-9:10-10:10
Mon-Thurs: 12:00-4:20-6:10-7:10-9:10-10:10

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG) 3-D
Fri-Sun: 11:15-1:50-4:15-6:50-9:45
Mon-Thurs: 1:50-4:15-6:50-9:45

HANCOCK (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 11:40-2:20-4:40-7:15-9:30
Mon-Wed: 2:20-4:40-7:15-9:30
Thurs: 2:20-4:40

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Sun: 10:30-11:0-3:50-6:20-9:00
Mon-Thurs: 11:0-3:50-6:20-9:00

WANTED (R)
Fri-Thurs: 9:40

GET SMART (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:10-12:45-4:30-7:40-10:20
Mon-Thurs: 12:45-4:30-7:40-10:20

SEX AND THE CITY (R)
Fri: 5:00-8:00
Sat, Sun: 2:00-5:00-8:00
Mon-Thurs: 4:15-7:00

INDIANA JONES AND THE KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL (PG-13)
Fri, Mon-Thurs: 7:00
Sat, Sun: 2:00-7:00

IRON MAN (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 4:30-9:15
Sun-Thurs: 4:30

RENAISSANCE PLACE
1850 2nd St.
(847) 258-7282

ELSA AND FRED (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 12:30-3:00-5:30-8:10

CSNY: DEJA VU (R)
Fri-Thurs: 1:00-3:30-6:10-8:30

TELL NO ONE (NR)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-5:00-8:00

THE VISITOR (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:45-3:15-5:45-8:15

FUGITIVE PIECES (R)
Fri-Thurs: 12:50-3:10-5:50-8:20

MOUNT PROSPECT

Randhurst

101 Euclid Ave.
(847) 590-9788
www.amtheatres.com

The theater did not provide information. Call for titles and times.

NILES

Show Place 12

301 Golf Mill Center
(800) 326-3264, 11643
www.kerasotes.com

X-FILES: I WANT TO BELIEVE (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:00-12:40-4:00-6:45-9:45
Mon-Thurs: 12:40-4:00-6:45-9:45

STEP BROTHERS (R)
Fri-Sun: 11:00-1:40-4:30-7:40-10:15
Mon-Thurs: 1:40-4:30-7:40-10:15

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 11:50-12:20-12:50-3:40-4:10-6:30-4:40-6:50-6:30-7:00-8:00-9:20-9:50-10:20-10:50-11:20-12:40

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:20-1:00-3:45-6:40-9:20
Mon-Thurs: 1:00-3:45-6:40-9:20

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri-Sun: 10:10-12:30-2:50-5:00-7:20
Mon-Thurs: 12:30-2:50-5:00-7:20

HELLBOY II (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:40-1:20-4:20-6:10-9:10-10:10
Mon-Thurs: 12:00-4:20-6:10-7:10-9:10-10:10

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG) 3-D
Fri-Sun: 11:15-1:50-4:15-6:50-9:45
Mon-Thurs: 1:50-4:15-6:50-9:45

HANCOCK (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 11:40-2:20-4:40-7:15-9:30
Mon-Wed: 2:20-4:40-7:15-9:30
Thurs: 2:20-4:40

WALL-E (G)
Fri-Sun: 10:30-11:0-3:50-6:20-9:00
Mon-Thurs: 11:0-3:50-6:20-9:00

WANTED (R)
Fri-Thurs: 9:40

GET SMART (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 10:10-12:45-4:30-7:40-10:20
Mon-Thurs: 12:45-4:30-7:40-10:20

SEX AND THE CITY (R)
Fri: 5:00-8:00
Sat, Sun: 2:00-5:00-8:00
Mon-Thurs: 4:15-7:00

INDIANA JONES AND THE KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL (PG-13)
Fri, Mon-Thurs: 7:00
Sat, Sun: 2:00-7:00

IRON MAN (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 4:30-9:15
Sun-Thurs: 4:30

RENAISSANCE PLACE
1850 2nd St.
(847) 258-7282

ELSA AND FRED (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 12:30-3:00-5:30-8:10

CSNY: DEJA VU (R)
Fri-Thurs: 1:00-3:30-6:10-8:30

TELL NO ONE (NR)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-5:00-8:00

THE VISITOR (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 12:45-3:15-5:45-8:15

FUGITIVE PIECES (R)
Fri-Thurs: 12:50-3:10-5:50-8:20

STEP BROTHERS (R)
Fri: 1:00-3:20-5:40-8:00-10:20
Sat, Sun: 10:45-1:05-3:20-5:40-8:00-10:20
Mon-Thurs: 12:45-3:00-5:20-7:40-9:50

THE X-FILES: I WANT TO BELIEVE (PG-13)
Fri: 12:00-2:30-5:00-7:30-10:00
Sat, Sun: 11:50-2:30-5:00-7:30-10:00
Mon-Thurs: 12:30-2:50-5:10-7:30-9:45

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri: 12:30-2:15-4:05-5:30-7:15-8:45-10:30
Sat, Sun: 11:00-12:30-2:15-4:00-5:30-7:15-8:45-10:30
Mon-Thurs: 12:30-2:00-3:45-5:15-7:00-8:30-10:00

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri: 12:30-2:15-4:05-5:30-7:15-8:45-10:30
Sat, Sun: 11:00-12:30-2:15-4:00-5:30-7:15-8:45-10:30
Mon-Thurs: 12:30-2:00-3:45-5:15-7:00-8:30-10:00

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri: 2:10-4:40-7:20-9:50
Sat, Sun: 11:45-2:10-4:40-7:20-9:50
Mon-Thurs: 2:00-4:30-7:00-9:30

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri: 1:15-3:15-5:10-7:10-9:10
Sat, Sun: 11:20-1:15-3:15-5:10-7:10-9:10
Mon-Thurs: 2:10-4:10-6:15-8:15

HELLBOY II (PG-13)
Fri: 4:30-9:30
Sat, Sun: 11:30-4:20-9:30
Mon-Thurs: 2:30-4:30-4:45-7:20-9:40-9:45

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG)
Fri: 12:00-3:30-5:45-7:50-10:10
Sat, Sun: 11:10-12:00-3:30-5:45-7:50-10:10
Mon-Thurs: 1:15-3:30-5:40-7:50-10:10

HANCOCK (PG-13)
Fri-Sun: 1:00-3:00-5:20-7:40-9:45

WALL-E (G)
Fri: 12:10-2:20-4:30-7:00-9:20
Sat, Sun: 11:55-2:20-4:30-7:00-9:20
Mon-Thurs: 2:20-4:40-7:10-9:20

WANTED (R)
Fri-Sun: 2:00-7:00
Mon-Thurs: 1:50-7:15

X-FILES (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:30-2:00-4:30-7:10-9:45-12:20
Sun: 11:30-2:00-4:30-7:10-9:45-12:20
Mon-Thurs: 2:00-4:30-7:10-9:45

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:40-12:30-1:10-2:10-3:30-4:20-5:20-6:50-7:20-8:20-9:30-10:00-11:30-12:45
Sun: 11:40-12:30-1:10-2:10-3:30-4:20-5:20-6:50-7:20-8:20-9:30-10:00
Mon-Thurs: 12:30-1:10-2:10-3:30-4:20-5:20-6:50-7:20-8:20-9:30-10:00

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri, Sat: 11:10-1:40-3:40-6:20-8:50-11:10
Sun: 11:10-1:40-3:40-6:20-8:50
Mon-Thurs: 1:40-3:40-6:20-8:50

HELLBOY II (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 1:15-4:15-7:15-10:10

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG) 3-D
Fri, Sat: 11:00-1:30-4:00-6:40-9:10-11:50
Sun: 11:00-1:30-4:00-6:40-9:10
Mon-Thurs: 1:30-4:00-6:40-9:10

HANCOCK (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 12:10-3:00-5:30-8:10-10:35
Sun-Thurs: 12:10-3:00-5:30-8:10-10:35

WALL-E (G)
Fri, Sat: 12:40-2:00-3:20-6:10-9:00-11:40
Sun-Thurs: 12:40-2:00-3:20-6:10-9:00

WANTED (R)
Fri-Thurs: 1:50-4:50-7:45-10:40

GET SMART (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:45-2:20-5:00-7:40-10:15-12:50
Sun: 11:45-2:20-5:00-7:40-10:15-12:50
Mon-Thurs: 2:20-5:00-7:40-10:15

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:45-12:15-3:10-3:40-6:30-7:00-9:50-10:20
Sun-Wed: 11:20-12:10-1:00-2:45-3:35-4:25-5:15-6:10-7:00-7:50-8:40-9:35-10:25-11:15

STEP BROTHERS (R)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-4:30-7:10-10:00

I WANT TO BELIEVE (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 1:30-4:30-7:10-10:00

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:45-12:15-3:10-3:40-6:30-7:00-9:50-10:20

HELLBOY II (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:15-2:00-4:55-7:45-10:35

JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH (PG)
Fri-Thurs: 11:55-2:15-4:35-6:55-9:15

MAMMA MIA! (PG-13)
Fri-Thurs: 11:25-12:50-2:05-3:30-4:45-6:20-7:30-9:00-10:10

MONGOL (R)
Fri-Thurs: 9:20

SPACE CHIMPS (G)
Fri-Thurs: 12:25-2:35-4:55-7:10

THE DARK KNIGHT (PG-13)
Fri, Sat: 11:20-12:10-1:00-2:45-3:35-4:25-5:15-6:10-7:00-7:50-8:40-9:35-10:25-11:15
Sun-Wed: 11:20-12:10-1:00-2:45-3:35-4:25-5:15-6:10-7:00-7:50-8:40-9:35-10:25-11:15

Today's New Homes

NORTH EDITION ■■■■ JULY 23-25, 2008

Communities for first-time buyers

By Marcy Marro
SPECIAL TO SUN-TIMES NEWS GROUP

Looking for your first new home? A number of communities throughout the Chicagoland area offer great condominiums, townhomes or single-family homes for first-time buyers. Here's a closer look at some of them.

Belden Place

Located in Mundelein, Belden Place by The Dearborn-Buckingham Group features 90 low-maintenance rowhomes designed with unique features and a level of flexibility not normally associated with townhome living. The newest floor plan, the Delaware, features two covered decks, giving this home a level of luxury and panache normally associated with a luxury single-family semi-custom home.

Belden Place features a 17-acre neighborhood with five floor plans ranging from 1,600 to 2,000 square feet now available. Pre-construction base prices start from the \$240s. Decorated and furnished models will grand open soon. For a limited time, Belden Place buyers can take advantage of special incentive offers on the new Delaware floor plan, as well as additional savings up to \$10,000, with complete details available at the sales center.

The townhomes at Belden Place have three complete levels of finished living area, two to four bedrooms and a loft, per plan, that can be configured into an extra bedroom.

The Belden Place sales center is in



The new Dearborn-Buckingham Group floor plan highlights two private covered decks, making this a unique home.

Butterfield Plaza at 724 S. Butterfield Road and is open Thursday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday and Monday from noon to 5 p.m. For more information, call (847) 680-7711 or visit dbghomes.com.

Aspen Pointe

Jacobs Homes has opened another phase with newly reworked designs

at Aspen Pointe, a community of 132 rowhomes in Vernon Hills. Taking some of the best elements of the floor plans offered in the first phase, Jacobs has honed the plans to continue to attract a wide range of buyers.

The maintenance-free rowhomes feature three-story brick and cast limestone exteriors. Buyers can choose from two floor plans with three

bedrooms, two-and-a-half baths, attached two-car garages and 2,300 to more than 2,400 square feet. The three-story designs feature sunny breakfast rooms, dual master suites, spacious great rooms, home offices, hobby rooms and the ability to personalize floor plans are all featured in the

■■■■ Turn to FIRST TIME, 4

inside

DS Development begins new-construction townhomes in Wilmette.

Page 6

Jameson Realty Group has a myriad of affordably priced new-construction and rehabbed condominiums.

Page 2

If you're looking for your first home, the buyer's market

makes this a perfect time to purchase. Read **Don DeBat**,

Page 3



Couples take advantage of **Buschman Homes'** townhome trade-in offer.

Page 7

online

Market news, expert advice, neighborhood profiles. Visit:



searchchicago.com/homes

For mortgage rates and payment calculators visit searchchicago.com/homes

TOWN & COUNTRY HOMES' GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY



THIS WEEKEND ONLY
On A Limited Selection Of Homes

Tag your calendar for up to **\$80,000*** in savings on a DesignerEXPRESS™ home or townhome with upgrades already built in! Dash over to a Town & Country Sales Center this **Saturday, July 26th or Sunday, July 27th**—these savings won't last!



Sales Centers Open Daily: 11am - 6pm

VOLO-The Townes At Remington Pointe
Townhomes from \$165,995
(866) 902-6323

WAUCONDA-Liberty Lakes
Single-family Homes from \$234,995
(866) 902-6324

HUNTLEY-Cider Grove
Single-family Homes from \$268,995
(888) 547-0356

ELGIN-Providence
Stonington Townhomes from \$179,995
Blackstone Single-family Homes from \$279,995
Semi-custom Estate Homes from \$399,995
(866) 902-6325

OSWEGO-Churchill Club
Single-family Homes from \$269,995
(888) 547-0353

OSWEGO-Hunt Club
Single-family Homes from \$229,995
(866) 902-6765

See these communities for closeout specials:

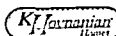
OSWEGO-Stoepelchase Active Adult
Only 3 Remain!
Designer Duplexes from the \$190s
(866) 902-6859

McHENRY-The Oaks at Irish Prairie
Single-family Homes from \$279,995
All Options Included!
Call to schedule an appointment
(866) 902-6323



TOWN & COUNTRY HOMES
Engineered Smart.
BUILT RIGHT™

Proud to be a member of the K. Hovnanian family of builders



Brokers Welcome Broker must accompany and register client on first visit.
*See New Home Specialist for details. Offer good only on new home purchase agreements written 7/26 - 7/27/08. Offer valid only on DesignerEXPRESS™ Quick Move-In Homes. Not good with any other offer. Town & Country Homes reserves the right to change or omit features and options. Offer and pricing subject to change without notice. All rights reserved Town & Country Homes

For models, floorplans, directions and happy homeowners' stories, visit

TownAndCountryHomes.com

JAMESON REALTY GROUP

Budget-conscious condo shoppers have choices

CHICAGO SUN-TIMES NEWS GROUP

Budget-minded first-time home shoppers hunting for an affordably priced new or renovated condominium should take a tour of several projects being marketed by Jameson Realty Group.



Two-bedroom condos are priced from \$179,900 at The Grove on Greenleaf, 1358-1366 N. Greenleaf in Rogers Park.

"You don't need to drain your savings to buy a condominium in Chicago," said Charles Huzenits, president of Jameson Realty Group. "There are plenty of units on the market priced around \$250,000 or less — some as low as \$179,900 — and many of them are available for immediate occupancy."

"If you buy a condo priced at \$250,000 or less, you may end up owning a home for about the same price you're paying for monthly rent, but you would also be building up equity," he added.

"One of the best things about these affordable residences is that they have many of the amenities found in more expensive developments — hardwood floors, granite kitchen countertops and stainless-steel appliances," Huzenits said. "All are typically included in the purchase price."

"We're seeing more and more

empty-nesters returning to the city after raising their families out in the suburbs," he said.

Here is a look at some of the affordable condominium choices offered by Jameson Realty Group:

■ **The Yellowstone.** This 27-unit renovated vintage courtyard condominium at 1667-1673 W. Farwell in the Rogers Park neighborhood on the North Side is 70 percent sold, but there still is a nice selection of affordable units available.

The simplex and duplex condos have two to three bedrooms, one to two baths, and are base priced from \$209,900 to \$349,900.

The development features a landscaped courtyard. All of the condos have diagonal wood flooring and kitchens have granite countertops and a stainless-steel appliance package.

Other standard amenities include marble baths with whirlpool, in-unit washer and dryer, storage locker and rear deck. The model is open from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

■ **The Grove at Greenleaf.** More than 80 percent of units have been sold at this vintage courtyard condominium development at 1358-1366 N. Greenleaf in Rogers Park. The two-bedroom condos are priced from \$179,900. All of the beautifully rehabbed residences have Brazilian cherry flooring throughout plus kitchens with cherry cabinetry, granite countertops and a stainless-steel appliance package. A furnished model is open from 1 to 4 p.m. Sundays.

■ **Paulina Ridge Court.** Only one two-bedroom, one-bath residence priced at \$214,900 is available at this beautifully rehabbed vintage condominium of 43 units at 5909 N. Paulina in the Edgewater

neighborhood.

All of the condos have private balconies, oak hardwood flooring, marble baths and kitchens have granite countertops and a stainless-steel appliance package. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **3016 W. Belle Plaine.** Only one two-bedroom, two-bath duplex residence is available at this 11-unit vintage rehabbed condominium development in the Albany Park neighborhood. It is priced at \$214,900. The kitchen has granite countertops, 42-inch cabinetry and a stainless-steel appliance package. Other highlights include hardwood flooring, natural stone baths, in-unit washer/dryer and central heating and air-conditioning systems. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **Andersonville Place.** This vintage rehabbed condominium in the Andersonville neighborhood at 4835-4839 N. Ashland has 17 completely renovated condominiums with one bedroom or two bedrooms and is already 70 percent sold. Base prices for the remaining units range from \$232,900 to \$239,900. Some of the highlights included in the purchase price are new private balcony, ceiling heights up to 9 feet, oak hardwood flooring through-

out, recessed lighting in living room, kitchen and hallways, intercom system, washer/dryer hook-ups, all new plumbing and electricity, prewiring for telephone and cable and a large, individual storage area per unit.

Kitchens include 42-inch maple cabinets, 1.25-inch-thick granite countertops, microwave, double-bowl stainless-steel sink and a stainless-steel appliance package. Bathrooms have Travertine tile flooring and tub surround, maple vanity with 1.25-inch-thick granite countertops and a mirrored medicine cabinet.

A model open house is scheduled from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sundays. For information, contact Jameson Realty Group's Ted Nash at (312) 335-3258.

■ **Winthrop Terrace Condominiums.** Only one two-bedroom, 2.5-bath duplex residence is available at this vintage condominium building located at 4936-4938 N. Winthrop in the Uptown neighborhood. The unit is priced at \$205,900. Condos at the 19-unit development feature new wood decks, hardwood floors, marble baths and kitchens with granite countertops and a stainless-steel appliance package. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **3016 W. Belle Plaine.** Only one two-bedroom, two-bath duplex residence is available at this 11-unit vintage rehabbed condominium development in the Albany Park neighborhood. It is priced at \$214,900. The kitchen has granite countertops, 42-inch cabinetry and a stainless-steel appliance package. Other highlights include hardwood flooring, natural stone baths, in-unit washer/dryer and central heating and air-conditioning systems. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **Andersonville Place.** This vintage rehabbed condominium in the Andersonville neighborhood at 4835-4839 N. Ashland has 17 completely renovated condominiums with one bedroom or two bedrooms and is already 70 percent sold. Base prices for the remaining units range from \$232,900 to \$239,900. Some of the highlights included in the purchase price are new private balcony, ceiling heights up to 9 feet, oak hardwood flooring through-

out, recessed lighting in living room, kitchen and hallways, intercom system, washer/dryer hook-ups, all new plumbing and electricity, prewiring for telephone and cable and a large, individual storage area per unit.

Kitchens include 42-inch maple cabinets, 1.25-inch-thick granite countertops, microwave, double-bowl stainless-steel sink and a stainless-steel appliance package. Bathrooms have Travertine tile flooring and tub surround, maple vanity with 1.25-inch-thick granite countertops and a mirrored medicine cabinet.

A model open house is scheduled from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sundays. For information, contact Jameson Realty Group's Ted Nash at (312) 335-3258.

■ **Winthrop Terrace Condominiums.** Only one two-bedroom, 2.5-bath duplex residence is available at this vintage condominium building located at 4936-4938 N. Winthrop in the Uptown neighborhood. The unit is priced at \$205,900. Condos at the 19-unit development feature new wood decks, hardwood floors, marble baths and kitchens with granite countertops and a stainless-steel appliance package. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **3016 W. Belle Plaine.** Only one two-bedroom, two-bath duplex residence is available at this 11-unit vintage rehabbed condominium development in the Albany Park neighborhood. It is priced at \$214,900. The kitchen has granite countertops, 42-inch cabinetry and a stainless-steel appliance package. Other highlights include hardwood flooring, natural stone baths, in-unit washer/dryer and central heating and air-conditioning systems. Contact Jameson at (312) 751-0300 for an appointment to tour the unit.

■ **Andersonville Place.** This vintage rehabbed condominium in the Andersonville neighborhood at 4835-4839 N. Ashland has 17 completely renovated condominiums with one bedroom or two bedrooms and is already 70 percent sold. Base prices for the remaining units range from \$232,900 to \$239,900. Some of the highlights included in the purchase price are new private balcony, ceiling heights up to 9 feet, oak hardwood flooring through-

out, recessed lighting in living room, kitchen and hallways, intercom system, washer/dryer hook-ups, all new plumbing and electricity, prewiring for telephone and cable and a large, individual storage area per unit.

Sperling, Walker receive major promotions within Sun-Times News Group

The Sun-Times News Group has promoted Michael Sperling to senior director, automotive and builder advertising.

This promotion adds sales strategy for Today's New Homes, the Sun-Times News Group's vibrant, comprehensive real estate print publication launched in June, to Sperling's automotive sales management duties.

Also, the Sun-Times News Group has promoted Rita Walker to builder advertising sales manager, building on her sales experience with homebuilder and retail advertisers.

"Mike and Rita have taken leadership roles in launching new product offerings for the Sun-Times News Group, and they continue to provide the strong leadership skills needed to move the group's exciting new print and online products forward," said Barbara Swanson, group vice president, advertising and marketing for the Sun-Times News Group. Sperling will report to Swanson. Walker will report to Sperling.

"Last month, we took the bold step of launching a new Sun-Times News Group-wide builder section in the midst of a very tough housing market," said Swanson. "The reps and managers who sell to builders pulled together as a team to produce this great new section bundled with a fantastic online component. It solidified our belief that this category of business is still extremely viable and in need of a sales group that collaborates in meeting the unique needs of this important group of advertisers and their agencies."

Sperling, 37, will take a leadership role on developing advertising strategies for auto and homebuilder clients in print and online. Sperling led the creation, launch and expansion of the Sun-Times News Group's SearchChicago Autos print section earlier



Michael Sperling Rita Walker

this year. He and Walker will work with sales managers on staff to continue to build SearchChicago's home Web channels, working closely with the Sun-Times News Group's on-line advertising managers and representatives.

Sperling joined the company in 1995. He has held a variety of sales and sales management roles, including as a local sales representative for the Chicago Sun-Times, national sales representative in New York, West Group sales manager in Oak Park and most recently, Sun-Times News Group director of automotive advertising. Sperling is a graduate of Bradley University and resides with his family in Northbrook.

Walker, 28, joined the Sun-Times News Group in 2003. She has sold local retail advertising for the company's Pioneer Press and Midwest Suburban Publishing groups of suburban newspapers. In July 2007, she joined the Sun-Times News Group's homebuilder advertising team as supervisor and in January 2008 took on managing a local retail sales team. Walker is a graduate of Southern Illinois University with a degree in advertising and marketing. She and her family live in Thornton.

Sperling, 37, will take a leadership role on developing advertising strategies for auto and homebuilder clients in print and online. Sperling led the creation, launch and expansion of the Sun-Times News Group's SearchChicago Autos print section earlier

in Thornton. Walker, 28, joined the Sun-Times News Group in 2003. She has sold local retail advertising for the company's Pioneer Press and Midwest Suburban Publishing groups of suburban newspapers. In July 2007, she joined the Sun-Times News Group's homebuilder advertising team as supervisor and in January 2008 took on managing a local retail sales team. Walker is a graduate of Southern Illinois University with a degree in advertising and marketing. She and her family live in Thornton.

Buyer's market could be a great opportunity for first home purchase

It's now the best time to buy if you are shopping for your first home or condominium, or should you wait until the housing market recovers?

"It's a buyer's market out there," says Nicholas S. Gouletas, chairman and president of American Invsco. "Now is the time to take advantage of the current market and make a solid investment for your future."

Gouletas, the nation's condominium-conversion king, must know something. He has converted 40,000 apartments to condominium ownership since the early 1970s, and some experts say he is responsible for creating much of the ownership stability in Chicago's lakefront neighborhoods.

The housing recovery may already be underway because the excess supply of for sale homes finally beginning to shrink, analysts say. The U.S. Commerce Department reported that the number of new homes for sale nationwide stood at 456,000 units in April



Don DeBat ON THE HOME FRONT

of 2008. That's 93,000 units below a year ago. Although housing prices have declined sharply in other markets, prices in the Chicago-area appear to be stabilized and experts say sales activity here is on the rise.

The Illinois Association of Realtors (IAR) reported an upswing for home sales in May from April of 2008 in Chicago. Total home sales — both single-family homes and condos — were up 13.7 percent to 6,927 units in May from 6,096 units in April.

The IAR also reported that the median home-sale price in May was \$251,000, off only slightly from \$252,200 during the same month a year ago.

With an abundance of new and existing home and condominium listings on the market, now could be the best time in decades to stop collecting rent receipts and step across the threshold of your first home, experts say.

And, home-loan interest rates are holding in the low 6-percent range, about 1 percentage point above a 40-year bottom. First-time buyers who can qualify for a 1-year adjustable-rate conventional mortgage will pay an average of 5.17 percent interest now, compared with 5.71 percent a year ago.

In addition, some developers are also buying-down the interest rate on home loans to attract buyers. If you can qualify for a Federal Housing Administration-insured home loan your down payment can be as low as 3 percent.

Also, the current buyers'

market is forcing developers of new homes and condos to give serious purchasers some of the best deals in decades. Nearly all developers will offer some sort of perk to entice a buyer to sign a contract. Perks include free upgraded finishes, free parking and free condo assessments.

So, where does a first-time buyer find the best deal on those first digs?

"One of the best places to shop is the renovated condo market," said Charles Huzenits, president of Jameson Realty Group.

For example, in such North Side Chicago neighborhoods as Andersonville, Edgewater, Rogers Park and Albany Park, there are dozens of vintage units in courtyard buildings, and prices range from \$179,900 to less than \$250,000, with immediate occupancy available.

Today's New Homes

NORTH EDITION is produced by Fox Valley Publications, 495 North Commons Drive, Suite 200, Aurora, Illinois.

Editorial

Tammy Matthews, PIONEER PRESS (847) 486-7312; tmatthews@pioneerlocal.com

Advertising

Jessica Santilippo (847) 599-2132; jsantilippo@pioneerlocal.com

Click Walters (708) 524-4428; dwalters@pioneerlocal.com



Exclusive Wooded Lots

Starting at \$99,900. Private Cul-de-sac Roads • 35 up to 4 1/2 acres • Walk-Outs Available • Minimal Restrictions • Low Tax Rate

Build Your Dream Home Be Inspired Endless Possibilities. Near Prairie Springs Park & Lake, Sports and Ice Plex. Minutes to I-94 Exit Hwy. 50 East to Hwy. H, South to Bain Station Rd. 414-406-1924 www.ener-con.com

Jameson Realty Group. Your Source for New Developments | Chicago's Best Real Estate Web Site www.jameson.com. PEARSON ON THE PARK, LOWE STREET HOMES, 50 E. CHESTNUT, 2105 W. CONCORD, 2016 W. BERTEAU CONDOMINIUMS, MARQUETTE ROW, WINTHROP TERRACE, 33RD STREET SQUARE, 154 W. HUBBARD, 3016 W. BELLE PLAINE, CLARK 36, PAULINA RIDGE COURT, THE YELLOWSTONE, CHASE PARK COMMONS, NORTH BEACH LOFTS, THE FLATS ON FULTON, GROVE ON GREENLEAF, ODYSSEY LOFTS.

optima Still Curious? Visit our new models. Open daily 10am to 5pm. Immediate occupancy. From \$260's to \$1 million. 847.583.4700 optimaweb.com. 9645 Woods Drive, Skokie. Just west of I-94 between Golf & Old Orchard Roads.

Renter's Advantage Program*. With Centex, it's easier than ever to say goodbye to your landlord! Centex.com. Bring in your current lease agreement and when you purchase a new Centex Home, we will credit you \$100 for every month you have been renting your apartment, up to \$2,400.** Find a map of all our locations at: WWW.CENTEX.COM/ILLINOIS Or call us toll free at 877.677.5458 for more info. Centex

First time FROM PAGE 1



Jacobs Homes has opened another phase with newly reworked designs at Aspen Pointe, a community of 132 rowhomes set in Vernon Hills.

rowhomes at Aspen Pointe. An onsite sales center and furnished models are currently open. For more information on Aspen Pointe, please call (847) 362-4700. Call (847) 945-6500 or visit the online gallery at www.jacobshomes.net.

The Trails of Dawson Creek

Gerstad Builders is proud to introduce two new two-story floor plans at The Trails of Dawson Creek in Poplar Grove. The addition of the 2,844-square-foot Madison and the 3,177-square-foot Georgian brings the number of available floor plans to 12. Base priced at \$270,990 and \$285,990 respectively, the three- or four-bedroom homes feature particle basements and will be set on quarter-acre home sites.

Dawson Creek has 200 single-family homes with basements, and offers four additional two-story plans providing 1,921 to 3,177 square feet of living space base priced from \$223,490 to \$246,990. Six ranch homes with 1,560 to 2,170 square feet are also available, base priced from \$192,490 to \$289,990.

The Trails of Dawson Creek is in Poplar Grove. The sales center is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call (815) 547-0800 or visit them online at www.gerstadbuilders.com.

Stone Gate Condominiums

Newport Builders' community of luxury residences, Stone Gate Condominiums in Des Plaines offers a wide variety of exciting and thoughtfully designed floor plans. Buyers can choose from 11 distinctive designs, each named after an exquisite gemstone: the Sapphire, Ruby, Diamond, Coral, Emerald, Topaz, Crystal, Turquoise, Opal, Garnet and Jade.

Each residence boasts one to three bedrooms, one or two baths, expansive living and dining rooms, fully appointed kitchen and laundry room, den (per plan), private balcony and one parking space and one private storage space in the heated garage.

Units are base priced from the \$240s to the \$370s, and are 1,124 to 1,994 square feet. A variety of quick delivery homes are available, as well as units that are waiting for a buyer's personal color and material selections.

Stone Gate Condominiums is located

mile west of Route 47. The Welcome Center for the townhomes is on Route 47 just north of Lucas Road. Call (815) 337-3900 for the single-family Welcome Center. (815) 337-3600 for the townhomes or visit kirkhomes.com.

Rockwell Place is a 272-acre master-planned community that will include 479 single-family homes and 482 townhomes when complete. Located down the road from Lakemoor golf course, there are three professionally decorated townhome models and four single-family home models open for viewing.

The Fields of Rockwell Place offers six single-family floor plans ranging from 1,644 to 2,322 square feet with three to five bedrooms, up to 3 1/2 baths. The Towns of Rockwell Place include three home designs that range from 1,248 to 1,583 square feet with two to three bedrooms and up to 2 1/2 baths.

Call (815) 578-0625 for the single-family homes, and call (815) 578-1188 for the townhomes, or visit them online at www.kirkhomes.com.

Lakewood Prairie

First-time buyers at Lakewood Prairie, Lakewood Homes' clubhouse community located in Joliet, have on-site amenities and the outstanding customer service experience that Lakewood provides. The community will feature 214 attached-style Country Homes priced from \$179,900. More than 550 single-family homes are in a wide range of styles and sizes, starting at \$219,990. Decorated and furnished models of the various series are open daily for tours.

The Country Home series are attached single-family homes sized from 1,250 to nearly 1,900 square feet, with prices starting in the \$180s. These homes offer the benefits of single-family living with private yards, two-car attached garages and optional basements.

The Country Homes are available in both ranch and two-story designs and feature two to three bedrooms, up to 2 1/2 baths, spacious master bedroom suites with walk-in closet and private or shared access baths, two-car attached garages and much more.

Lakewood Prairie has a great selection of 15 single-family homes sized from more than 1,600 up to nearly 4,000 square feet. Four Premier Series plans are priced from the \$220s and four Classic Series homes priced from the low \$230s. These homes are two-story designs with three to four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, luxury master suites, basements and attached two-car garages.

Seven large Executive Series homes start in the \$260s. Executive Series plans are two-story homes with up to four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, luxury master bedroom suites, large family rooms, basements and two or three-car attached garages as included features. Some of the plans include second floor family rooms.

Lakewood Prairie is on Ridge Road, one mile south of Caton Farm Road in Joliet. The sales center is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. or by appointment. Call (815) 439-5777 or visit www.lakewoodhomes.com.

Distinctive Companies

Distinctive Companies is offering a unique stimulus offer worth tens of thousands to new homebuyers. In an unprecedented move, The Orlando-based homebuilder will pay the principal and interest for 18 months for 10 buyers at its Butternut Ridge community of single-family homes in Manliattian and 10 buyers at its Residences at The Shorewood Towne Center single-family home community in Shorewood.

As an added bonus, buyers at the Butternut Ridge community located in the Lincoln-Way High School District are enticed by the recently unveiled economic stimulus package offered by the Village of Manliattian. The village will present a \$5,000 check at closing to each of the first 200 buyers of new construction single-family homes within its boundaries.

The Residences at Shorewood Towne Center features 15 exceptional designs, ranging in size from 1,825 to 4,000 square feet, and base priced from \$259,990 to \$389,990. Three units are available for immediate delivery, including The Princeton ranch priced at \$399,990; The Georgetown priced at \$379,990; and The Aspen III priced at \$309,990.

Butternut Ridge features 155 single-family homes in 16 different ranch, two-step ranch and two-story designs featuring three to five bedrooms and approximately 1,500 to 4,000 square feet. Base prices range from \$259,990 to \$375,990.

To reach The Residences at The Shorewood Towne Center, take I-55 south and exit on Rt. 52; head west three miles to the models. Call (815) 744-7701 or visit www.distinctive.biz.

Take I-80 to the Briggs Street exit, south to Smith Road; east on Smith Road to Cedar Road and proceed a half mile south to Butternut Ridge. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily (closed Wednesday and Thursday). Call (815) 478-0700 or (708) 479-7700, or visit www.distinctive.biz.

LAKEWOOD HOMES

New division to help navigate changing housing market

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions will consult for builders, developers, Realtors, lenders

Lakewood Homes, one of Chicagoland's largest independent homebuilders, has announced the formation of a new division: Lakewood Real Estate Solutions. According to Lakewood president Buz Hoffman, the new division has been formed to help builders, land developers, real estate professionals, construction executives, lenders, municipal decision makers and others navigate the ever-changing housing market in the Chicago area.

Lakewood is leveraging its position as one of the largest builders in Chicagoland to provide consultancy services to companies that need assistance with the challenges that are facing them today.

"Lakewood Real Estate Solutions was borne out of the need for industry professionals to remain successful in today's changing market environment. When I talk to colleagues today, I hear the same simple request from many of them: 'We're looking for solutions,'" said Buz Hoffman, president of Lakewood Homes. "We took the approach of applying our depth of involvement in many aspects of real estate and using the solutions that have worked for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to assist them on a consultancy basis to solve their problems and find solutions.

"Many people might think we're giving away our secrets to our competitors, but I believe that we are all in the same boat, and we all have a responsibility to do the right thing and keep the boat afloat. If we can help out our competitors, it ends up being good for the entire industry that a home-builder is prospering and selling homes in these difficult economic conditions," said Hoffman.

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervi-

work for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to assist them on a consultancy basis to solve their problems and find solutions.

"Many people might think we're giving away our secrets to our competitors, but I believe that we are all in the same boat, and we all have a responsibility to do the right thing and keep the boat afloat. If we can help out our competitors, it ends up being good for the entire industry that a home-builder is prospering and selling homes in these difficult economic conditions," said Hoffman.

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervi-

work for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to assist them on a consultancy basis to solve their problems and find solutions.

"Many people might think we're giving away our secrets to our competitors, but I believe that we are all in the same boat, and we all have a responsibility to do the right thing and keep the boat afloat. If we can help out our competitors, it ends up being good for the entire industry that a home-builder is prospering and selling homes in these difficult economic conditions," said Hoffman.

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervi-

work for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to assist them on a consultancy basis to solve their problems and find solutions.

"Many people might think we're giving away our secrets to our competitors, but I believe that we are all in the same boat, and we all have a responsibility to do the right thing and keep the boat afloat. If we can help out our competitors, it ends up being good for the entire industry that a home-builder is prospering and selling homes in these difficult economic conditions," said Hoffman.

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervi-

work for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to assist them on a consultancy basis to solve their problems and find solutions.

"Many people might think we're giving away our secrets to our competitors, but I believe that we are all in the same boat, and we all have a responsibility to do the right thing and keep the boat afloat. If we can help out our competitors, it ends up being good for the entire industry that a home-builder is prospering and selling homes in these difficult economic conditions," said Hoffman.

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervi-

work for us over the years and offering this knowledge and experience to be used as a resource by other companies."

Lakewood Homes is building clubhouse neighborhoods in Plano at Lakewood Springs, in Joliet at Lakewood Prairie and in Hampshire at Lakewood Crossing. Saddle Ridge is a single-family and townhome community in the St. Charles area and Easton Park in Carol Stream features luxury row style townhomes.

For more information on Lakewood Real Estate Solutions, call the Lakewood Corporate Office at (847) 884-8800 or visit lakewoodrealestatesolutions.com.

Advertisement for Wolf Ridge and Gateway Estates. Features: MAINTENANCE FREE LIVING... YOU DESERVE IT! INDOOR HEATED PARKING WITH STORAGE, IN-UNIT LAUNDRY ROOMS, PRIVATE BALCONIES, UPSCALE AMENITIES, FULLY APPLIANCED KITCHENS, CLOSE TO TRAINS AND EXPRESSWAYS! Includes contact info for Wolf Ridge and Gateway Estates.

Advertisement for Wilmette Park Townhomes. Features: ONLY THREE PRIME END UNITS LEFT! PRE-CONSTRUCTION PRICING BEGINS AT \$299,900! WILMETTE PARK TOWNHOMES. Seven Luxury Townhomes in Wilmette's Village Center. Each unit features outstanding finishes found in the area's finest new homes. Open floorplans, finished lower levels, private 2-car garages & landscaped yards. Visit our On-Site Sales Presentation on Sunday, July 27th from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

PASQUINELLI HOMES The right move THE RIGHT PRICE. Introducing The Expressions series Single-Family Homes from the \$160's - \$190's. Practical, Personalized & Perfectly Priced. Features: ASPEN EXPRESSIONS* 3 Bedrooms, BIRCH III EXPRESSIONS* 3 Bedrooms, WHITE PINE EXPRESSIONS* 4 Bedrooms, SEQUOIA II EXPRESSIONS* 4 Bedrooms. THE RIGHT TIME, THE RIGHT PLACE, THE RIGHT PLAN. 21 WAYS TO HELP YOU. PASQUINELLI.COM. Building Quality Homes throughout Chicagoland for Over 50 Years. JOLIET • PLAINFIELD • HAMPSHIRE • YORKVILLE • HARVARD • ROMEOVILLE • ROUND LAKE.

PASQUINELLI HOMES The right move. Introducing The Expressions series Single-Family Homes from the \$160's - \$190's. Practical, Personalized & Perfectly Priced. Features: ASPEN EXPRESSIONS* 3 Bedrooms, BIRCH III EXPRESSIONS* 3 Bedrooms, WHITE PINE EXPRESSIONS* 4 Bedrooms, SEQUOIA II EXPRESSIONS* 4 Bedrooms. THE MEADOWS OF COUNTRYBROOK SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES \$160'S to \$170'S. THEODORE'S RIDGE SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES \$170'S to \$190'S. THE ESTATES AT CEDAR CREEK SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES \$170'S to \$190'S. All Featured at PASQUINELLI.COM. Building Quality Homes throughout Chicagoland for Over 50 Years. JOLIET • PLAINFIELD • HAMPSHIRE • YORKVILLE • HARVARD • ROMEOVILLE • ROUND LAKE.

First time FROM PAGE 1



Jacobs Homes has opened another phase with newly reworked designs at Aspen Pointe, a community of 132 rowhomes set in Vernon Hills.

rowhomes at Aspen Pointe. An onsite sales center and furnished models are currently open. For more information on Aspen Pointe, please call (847) 362-4700. Call (847) 945-6500 or visit the online gallery at www.jacobshomes.net.

The Trails of Dawson Creek

Gerstad Builders is proud to introduce two new two-story floor plans at The Trails of Dawson Creek in Poplar Grove. The addition of the 2,844-square-foot Madison and the 3,177-square-foot Georgian brings the number of available floor plans to 12. Base priced at \$270,990 and \$285,990 respectively, the three- or four-bedroom homes feature partial basements and will be set on quarter-acre home sites.

Dawson Creek has 200 single-family homes with basements, and offers four additional two-story plans providing 1,921 to 3,177 square feet of living space base priced from \$223,490 to \$246,990. Six ranch homes with 1,560 to 2,170 square feet are also available, base priced from \$192,490 to \$289,990.

The Trails of Dawson Creek is in Poplar Grove. The sales center is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call (815) 547-0800 or visit them online at www.gerstadbuilders.com.

Stone Gate Condominiums

Newport Builders' community of luxury residences, Stone Gate Condominiums in Des Plaines offers a wide variety of exciting and thoughtfully designed floor plans. Buyers can choose from 11 distinctive designs, each named after an exquisite gemstone: the Sapphire, Ruby, Diamond, Coral, Emerald, Topaz, Crystal, Turquoise, Opal, Garnet and Jade.

Each residence boasts one to three bedrooms, one or two baths, expansive living and dining rooms, fully appliances kitchen and laundry room, den (per plan), private balcony and one parking space and an optional private storage space in the heated garage.

Units are base priced from the \$240s to the \$370s, and are 1,124 to 1,994 square feet. A variety of truck deliveries are available, as well as units that are waiting for a buyer's personal color and material selections.

Stone Gate Condominiums is located

just north of Western Avenue and Northwest Highway. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays and noon to 4 p.m. on Sundays, or by private appointment. Call (847) 699-9606 or visit www.newportbuilders.com.

Four by Cambridge Homes

Cambridge Homes has added four exterior elevations to each of its Horizon Series single-family plans in Cambridge at Heatherstone in Beach Park. Cambridge Lakes in Pingree Grove, Kilbourn Woods in Kenosha, Wis. and Symphony Meadows in Volo. Buyers can choose between eight different elevations per Horizon series plans at each of these communities.

The new Horizon series elevations include covered front entries, architectural detailing around the windows and roof pitches and some incorporate stone or brick. Prices range from \$4,405 to \$16,424 for the 36 new elevations offered among the nine total Horizon series home designs. The new elevations for the ranch-style design are priced from \$5,171 to \$8,753. The optional elevations are priced the same at all of the Horizon series communities where they are offered.

The Horizon series features eight different two-story plans ranging from 1,715 to 3,018 square feet.

The nine Horizon series plans in Cambridge at Heatherstone are base priced from \$223,000 to \$260,000. Call (847) 984-4671. The nine Horizon series plans in Cambridge Lakes in Pingree Grove are base priced from \$238,000 to \$274,000. Call (847) 984-4883.

mile west of Route 47. The Welcome Center for the townhomes is on Route 47 just north of Lucas Road. Call (815) 337-3900 for the single-family Welcome Center. (815) 337-3600 for the townhomes or visit kirkhomes.com.

Rockwell Place is a 272-acre master-planned community that will include 479 single-family homes and 482 townhomes when complete. Located down the road from Lakemoor golf course, there are three professionally decorated townhome models and four single-family home models open for viewing.

The Fields of Rockwell Place offers six single-family floor plans ranging from 1,644 to 3,232 square feet with three to five bedrooms, up to 3 1/2 baths. The Townes of Rockwell Place include three home designs that range from 1,248 to 1,583 square feet with two to three bedrooms and up to 2 1/2 baths.

Call (815) 578-0625 for the single-family homes, and call (815) 578-1188 for the townhomes, or visit them online at www.kirkhomes.com.

Lakewood Prairie

First-time buyers at Lakewood Prairie, Lakewood Homes' clubhouse community located in Joliet, have on-site amenities and the outstanding customer service experience that Lakewood provides. The community will feature 214 attached-style Country Homes priced from \$179,900. More than 550 single-family homes are in a wide range of styles and sizes, starting at \$219,990. Decorated and furnished models of the various series are open daily for tours.

The Country Home series are attached single-family homes sized from 1,250 to nearly 1,900 square feet, with prices starting in the \$180s. These homes offer the benefits of single-family living with private yards, two-car attached garages and optional basements.

The Country Homes are available in both ranch and two-story designs and feature two to three bedrooms, up to 2 1/2 baths, spacious master bedroom suites with walk-in closet and private or shared access baths, two-car attached garages and much more.

Lakewood Prairie has a great selection of 15 single-family homes sized from more than 1,600 up to nearly 4,000 square feet. Four Premier Series plans are priced from the \$220s and four Classic Series homes are priced from the \$230s. These homes are two-story designs with three to four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, luxury master suites, basements and attached two-car garages.

To reach The Residences at The Shorewood Towne Center, take I-55 south and exit on Rt. 52; head west three miles to the models. Call (815) 744-7701 or visit www.distinctive.biz.

Seven large Executive Series homes start in the \$260s. Executive Series plans are two-story homes with up to four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, luxury master bedroom suites, large family rooms, basements and two or three-car attached garages as included features. Some of the plans include second floor family rooms.

Lakewood Prairie is on Ridge Road, one mile south of Caton Farm Road in Joliet. The sales center is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. or by appointment. Call (815) 439-5777 or visit www.lakewood-homes.com.

Distinctive Companies

Distinctive Companies is offering a unique stimulus offer worth tens of thousands to new homebuyers. In an unprecedented move, the Orland-based homebuilder will pay the principal and interest for 18 months for 10 buyers at its Butternut Ridge community of single-family homes in Manhattan and 10 buyers at its Residences at The Shorewood Towne Center single-family home community in Shorewood.

As an added bonus, buyers at the Butternut Ridge community located in the Lincoln-Way High School District are enticed by the recently unveiled economic stimulus package offered by the Village of Manhattan. The village will present a \$5,000 check at closing to each of the first 200 buyers of new construction single-family homes within its boundaries.

The Residences at Shorewood Towne Center features 15 exceptional designs, ranging in size from 1,825 to 4,000 square feet, and base priced from \$259,990 to \$389,990. Three units are available for immediate delivery, including The Princeton ranch priced at \$399,990; The Georgetown priced at \$379,990; and The Aspen III priced at \$309,990.

Butternut Ridge features 155 single-family homes in 16 different ranch, two-story ranch and two-story designs featuring three to five bedrooms and approximately 1,500 to 4,000 square feet. Base prices range from \$259,990 to \$375,990.

To reach The Residences at The Shorewood Towne Center, take I-55 south and exit on Rt. 52; head west three miles to the models. Call (815) 744-7701 or visit www.distinctive.biz.

Take I-80 to the Briggs Street exit; south to Smith Road; east on Smith Road to Cedar Road and proceed a half mile south to Butternut Ridge. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., daily (closed Wednesday and Thursday). Call (815) 478-0700 or (708) 479-7700, or visit www.distinctive.biz.

LAKEWOOD HOMES

New division to help navigate changing housing market

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions will consult for builders, developers, Realtors, lenders

Lakewood Homes, one of Chicago's largest independent homebuilders, has announced the formation of a new division: Lakewood Real Estate Solutions.

According to Lakewood president Buz Hoffman, the new division has been formed to help builders, land developers, real estate professionals, construction executives, lenders, municipal decision makers and others navigate the ever-changing housing market in the Chicago area.

Lakewood is leveraging its position as one of the largest builders in Chicago and to provide consultancy services to companies that need assistance with the challenges that are facing them today.

"Lakewood Real Estate Solutions is a watershed moment in homebuilding in the Chicago area. Instead of going head-to-head as a competitor, Lakewood's new division will avail itself to the needs of other builders, land developers and industry professionals to remain successful in today's changing market environment. When I talk to colleagues today, I hear the same simple request from many of them, that is, we're looking for solutions," said Buz Hoffman, president of Lakewood Homes.

"We took the approach of applying our depth of involvement in many aspects of real estate and using the solutions that have worked for us over the years and offering this knowledge and expertise to be used as a resource by other companies."

Services provided by Lakewood Real Estate Solutions include land use planning (including zoning, due diligence analysis and municipality communication), engineering design and site development (includes project management and civil engineering tasks), positioning, design/cost/value engineering (including feasibility studies, architectural engineering and product evaluation), sales and marketing (training, pricing and management) (including general contracting, subcontractor management, field supervision and customer warranty supervision).

Lakewood has kept its management team intact during the recent industry downturn and is positioned to achieve even greater success in the coming upturn.

"One reason we have managed so well in the current conditions is because we are a privately-owned firm with a deep local heritage and we are able to better serve the needs of our customers and can do so quickly and more effectively than the large national firms that are mired with layers of management and red tape. With Lakewood Real Estate Solutions, we can offer our clients responsive service with the practical and real-world solutions they are looking for," Hoffman said.

Lakewood Real Estate Solutions can provide companies or individuals with quantifiable action steps to achieve success, all on a project basis. Whether it's for a recently closed company with a partially built development or a fore closure impacted neighborhood owned by a bank, Lakewood can help.

Lakewood Homes is building clubhouse neighborhoods in Plano at Lakewood Springs, in Joliet at Lakewood Prairie and in Hampshire at Lakewood Crossing. Saddle Ridge is a single-family and townhome community in the St. Charles area and Easton Park in Carol Stream features luxury row style townhomes.

For more information on Lakewood Real Estate Solutions, call the Lakewood Corporate Office at (847) 884-8800 or visit lakewoodrealestatesolutions.com.

Advertisement for Wolf Ridge, Trafalgar Square, and Gateway Estates. Features include: MAINTENANCE FREE LIVING... YOU DESERVE IT!, INDOOR HEATED PARKING WITH STORAGE, IN-UNIT LAUNDRY ROOMS, PRIVATE BALCONIES, UPSCALE AMENITIES, FULLY APPLIANCED KITCHENS, CLOSE TO TRAINS AND EXPRESSWAYS!

Advertisement for Wilmette Park Townhomes. Features include: PRE-CONSTRUCTION PRICING BEGINS AT \$149,900, Seven Luxury Townhomes in Wilmette's Village Center, Each unit features outstanding finishes found in the area's finest new homes, open floorplans, finished lower levels, private 2-car garages & landscaped yards.

PASQUINELLI HOMES The right move THE RIGHT PRICE. Introducing The Expressions series Single-Family Homes from the \$160's - \$190's. Practical, Personalized & Perfectly Priced. 21 WAYS TO HELP YOU PASQUINELLI.COM

PASQUINELLI HOMES The right move. Introducing The Expressions series Single-Family Homes from the \$160's - \$190's. Practical, Personalized & Perfectly Priced. All Featured at PASQUINELLI.COM. Building Quality Homes Throughout Chicago and For Over 50 Years.

DS DEVELOPMENT

Construction begins on Wilmette Park Townhomes

By Marcy Marro
SPECIAL TO SUN-TIMES NEWS GROUP

Located in the heart of Chicago's North Shore, Wilmette is one of the area's original transit oriented communities. Now, for the first time in almost a decade, Wilmette will be getting a new construction townhome development.

Developed by DS Development, the Wilmette Park Townhomes will consist of seven single-family attached homes in two buildings. The first building will contain five units with more than 2,800 square feet of living space that includes an 800-square-foot finished two-car garage. The second building is a two-unit rowhome with 3,040 square feet of living space, including an 875-square-foot finished lower level and a 400-square-foot third floor retreat. The rowhomes come with a detached two-car garage.

"It's important for us to make these units feel as much like a detached single family home as possible," said David Schwartz, co-owner of DS Development. "That's why we took great pains to design them so all the garages and main living spaces are at grade level. Residents won't have to walk up a flight of stairs to get their groceries into the refrigerator and they'll be able to walk right from their main living area to their private back yard. We could have designed tighter, more vertical floor plans, but we felt our buyer was looking for a more traditional single family home experience."

Owners can choose between four different floor plans with three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and 500-square-foot professionally landscaped private yard. Homes include 9- or 10-foot first floor ceilings, gracious living and dining rooms that open to a chef's kitchen, a great room with French patio doors, 36-inch wood

Find out more

Wilmette Park Townhomes are located at 1314-1318 Wilmette Ave. Call (773) 878-5555 or visit www.dsdevelopment.com.

burning fireplace, natural stone surround and oak mantel, looking over the landscaped rear yard. Master bedroom suites have cathedral ceilings, a walk-in closet, a lavish master bath and French patio doors leading to a private terrace. A nook in the master bedroom or a second-floor loft may be a bonus space per plan. Kitchens include granite countertops, 42-inch custom-designed cabinets with crown molding, center island and stainless steel appliances.

"Each unit will feature all of the updated design and luxury finishes of today's single family new construction, but delivered in a more efficient package," Schwartz continued. "Since the rowhome style residences do have a finished third floor, they will be offered with in-unit private elevators."

Wilmette Park Townhomes will also include a number of environmentally friendly features, including Energy Star-rated appliances throughout, high efficiency 13 SEER air conditioner condenser and 93 percent efficient furnaces and programmable multi-stage thermostats; ultra-low-flow toilets and water saving faucets; and high performance insulated and lead deflecting Low E glass windows and skylights. Renewable bamboo flooring material is available, in addition to optional compact tankless water heaters.

Landscaping will include stringent tree preservation practices, indigenous drought resistant plants, oxygenating yards and drainage plans to effect storm water management with rain gar-



Construction has begun on the Wilmette Park Townhomes with delivery expected in the winter. Preconstruction pricing on the townhomes begins at \$749,000 with the end-units starting at \$819,000. Two rowhome units are priced at \$849,000.

den surface detention areas.

"Wilmette is a unique community with an extremely loyal population," said Derek Schiller, co-owner of DS Development. "We feel this project will give downsizing empty nesters an opportunity to stay in their community while at the same time providing new people looking to enter the community for the first time access to new construction in a prime North Shore location at a relatively affordable price."

"The location is truly the heart of the North Shore," Schwartz said. "Not only is it a short walk to everything in downtown Wilmette, it's within a five minute drive of the area's best attractions including Downtown Evanston, Old Orchard Shopping Center and the Lakefront."

Only 16 miles north of downtown Chicago, Wilmette has easy access to the Edens expressway, Metra, CTA and Pace bus service. Wilmette Park Townhomes are also two blocks from Wilmette's Village Center that has a movie theater, post office, public library and plenty of quaint boutiques, restaurants and coffee shops.

Canal Crossing Condominium
2318 S. Canal Street, Chicago, IL 60616

OVER 50% SOLD

January 09 Occupancy

Granite Countertop 9 Ft. Ceiling
Private Balconies Heated Garage
2 Bedrooms / 1.5 Bath from \$ 240,000 3 Bedrooms / 2 Bath from \$ 260,000

Developer: Emerald Homes II, LLC
Telephone: 312-360-0808 312-360-1818
Sales Center: 2301 S. Archer, Chicago, IL 60616

BUSCHMAN HOMES

Single-level living on one-acre sites at StoneCreek Crossing

To visit this community

The adage "Necessity is the mother of invention" played an important role in deciding on the addition of two new ranch plans at StoneCreek Crossing, a semi-custom home community of 82 single family homes on one-acre sites in McHenry County.

Impressed with the large home sites and the country atmosphere intrinsic to the peaceful prairies of Spring Grove, many visitors requested larger single-level living and complete customization.

Always in tune with the pulse of the market, Buschman Homes added two ranch styles to its existing product lineup. Three important buyer hot buttons were private master suites on one side of the home separated from the secondary bedrooms, 10-foot ceilings for an open, airy feeling, and distinctive exterior elevations.

"The Claridge and Bayport floor plans include everything our buyers want and much more," said Gary Buschman, vice president of sales and marketing.

All the ranch homes have become top sellers because mature adults want the convenience of single-level living, in part because it eliminates having to walk up and down stairs. Comfort and relaxed living is their first priority, but these homebuyers also want spare bedrooms for when their kids are home from college. Other empty nesters are interested in a home large enough for their grandchildren's frequent visits.

In addition to the benefits of one-level living, younger buyers are attracted to the architectural design inherent in the ranch plan. High ceilings throughout the home and open floor plans establish a feeling of spaciousness. Separate bedroom areas provide much needed personal space. In addition, eight new exterior facades feature contemporary,

traditional and country architecture to please many buyer preferences.

At StoneCreek Crossing, ranches can be as spacious as two-story homes and expand to 4,000 square feet. Large basements are perfect for creating a spacious recreational room for teenagers, or they could be transformed into in-law quarters with a full bath.

"Out-of-town guests can remain for an extended stay, and you can keep your privacy," said Buschman. "Ranches are also more suitable homes when in-laws need a temporary or permanent residence."

The largest ranch at 2,390 square feet is the Bayport with three bedrooms and two full baths. From the charming front porch with its four decorative columns, one enters a central foyer. To the right are two bedrooms and a spacious kitchen with a bay window and center island. Straight ahead are an 18-by-15-foot family room with a fireplace and two stately pillars separating it from the foyer and an additional two pillars leading into the dining room. The master bedroom at the back of home has his and her walk-in closets and a deluxe double-bowled master bath. With its three-car garage, this home is priced from \$325,790.

Turn to STONECREEK, 8

BUSCHMAN HOMES

Townhome trade-in helps couples purchase dream homes

During the recent period of sluggish home sales, some builders have discovered innovative ways to help potential customers sell their existing homes. When it came time to purchase a new home, Ken and Annie Johnson found a builder that made them an offer they simply could not refuse.

The Johnsons were looking for a single family home in Lake County, but had a tough time selling their Fox Lake townhome. One day they received an offer that piqued their interest from Buschman Homes. In a letter, Gary Buschman said he would pay fair market value for their current home if they purchased a new home at his StoneCreek Crossing subdivision in Spring Grove.

"We were stunned by the offer and decided to visit the community and take a look at the homes," said Ken.

What cinched the deal was running into another couple who had just made a successful trade-in transaction with Buschman.

"They told us they got what they expected for their townhome. We also liked the quality of construction evident in their homes which was far superior to the townhome we were living in," said Ken.

"Our initial meeting with Gary confirmed that he was very upfront and straightforward," said Ken. "He gave us a fair price for our townhome—a little over market value—and we were thrilled," added Annie. "Gary cared about our being happy about our new home," she said. He actually talked them out of doing some upgrades in order to keep within their budget.

The couple enjoyed a comfortable and satisfying experience with the Buschman Homes team which educated them on the construction process every step of the way. When it came time to make their selections, the Johnsons worked with Ann Kennedy, a certified kitchen and bath designer for Buschman Homes.

"The process was great, and Ann showed us computer-generated images of our kitchen and bath. She did an excellent job of selecting the things we would not have thought about, like special lighting over the kitchen island."

Since Buschman Homes is a custom

builder, the Johnsons selected the three bedroom, two-bath Tremont model and were able to customize the home to suit their lifestyle. They changed the three-car garage to a side-load version, enlarged and reconfigured the master bath and enhanced the front elevation to improve the overall appearance of their home.

What do the Johnsons love about their new home? It has a huge one-acre yard and great school district and a large island in the kitchen. In addition, the neighborhood is super friendly.

"From the moment we moved in, neighbors stopped by to say hello. Eight months ago when our son Luke was born, they brought us delicious meals," added Annie.

As far as the amenities go, Ken enjoys the peacefulness and tranquility of the community and likes gazing at the farm land outside his back window. The Chain O' Lakes State Park is close by offering numerous recreational opportunities like picnicking, nature walks, boating and fishing.

Relatives become neighbors

Since the Johnsons had such a great trade-in and new home purchase experience, they invited their cousins to become their neighbors. Joe and Becky Miller took Gary upon a trade-in offer too. The Millers negotiated a townhome deal and chose the four bedroom, two-bath Kensington model, which is under construction.

When referring to the Johnsons, Joe says that they're not just relatives, they're great friends, too. They love to go fishing in Lake Elizabeth, which is only 10 minutes from his new home.

"It felt too good to be true," said Joe regarding the townhome trade-in offer from Gary. "He paid us our asking price, so we saved Realtor fees which enabled us to purchase the home of our dreams. It's within our price range, sits on a large lot and is close to our cousins. This is where we want to live for the next 30 years."

"I'm thrilled that I could help both couples turn their dream of single-family homeownership into reality," said Gary Buschman, vice president of sales and marketing. "I will pay top dollar for any

townhome trade-in located in either McHenry or Lake counties. Since we also have a remodeling division, we are qualified to fix up any townhome that may need renovation prior to placing it on the market for resale."

Buschman Homes is building StoneCreek Crossing, a semi-custom home community of 82 large single family homes on one-acre sites in McHenry County. Buyers can enjoy single level or two-story living and complete customization.

Only three homesites remain, but buyers can choose from nine plans including ranches and two-story models priced from \$320,300 to \$385,400. Homes live large with 2,022 to 3,124 square feet of space and have expansion possibilities.

Two lavishly decorated models are open for touring. The stately 2,322 square foot Tremont model has a large two-story foyer with an impressive stairway featuring wrought iron balusters. It opens to the living room/dining room combination. Straight ahead is a large kitchen with center island and breakfast room. Mahogany colored maple cabinets in 42" heights are glazed in ebony and topped in granite. Appliances include a stainless steel Kitchen Aid 36-inch built-in refrigerator, six-burner cooktop, and built-in wall oven. Adjacent to the kitchen is the two-story family room with optional fireplace.

The second-floor master bedroom includes a lavish bath with corner soaker tub and his and hers walk-in closets. A fourth bedroom may be added above the family room. Radiant heat floors are a nice addition to the garage which is shown with a storage area and built-in workshop.

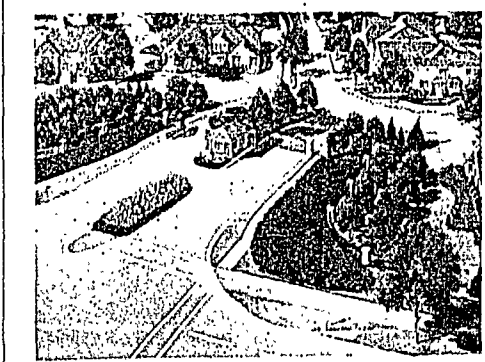
Buschman Homes has opened a second community featuring 32 similar one-acre homes nearby at Heartland Crossing in Spring Grove. Both communities are being sold from the StoneCreek Crossing Sales Center. Take Route 12 (Rand Road) north; turn right on Richardson/Bliven Road for 1/4 miles. The sales center is open Monday, Tuesday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., and by appointment only on Wednesday and Friday. Call (815) 675-6650.

Homes are up! Now accepting appointments for hard hat tours. Call today!

THE ADDRESS YOU WANT...THE LIFESTYLE YOU DESERVE.

Seven minutes to 294...five minutes to 94...and...steps to Whole Foods, Starbucks and more. Onsite sales center located at the corner of Techy Rd. and Founders Drive. Just west of Waukegan Rd. Sales hours: M,W-F: 11:00-6:00. Tuesday by appt. Sat. & Sun.: 12:00-5:00.

FROM \$495K



Call or Email today (847) 559-0500
www.MeadowRidgeNorthbrook.com

KZF development Kogen-Zivin-Friedman
Sales by: **GIBSON & JAMES** MEADOW RIDGE Properties, Inc.

REAL ESTATE SEALED BID FINAL SALE

SALE EVENT: AUGUST 24, 2008



12 New Construction Homes In Chicago

PREVIOUSLY PRICED AS HIGH AS \$1,150,000
GUARANTEED TO BE SOLD
SUBJECT TO MINIMUM BIDS STARTING AT \$495,000

Today's marketplace has created the opportunity of a lifetime!

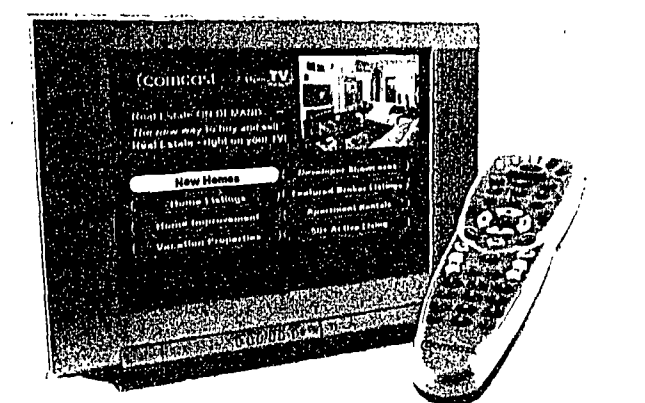
- Up to 6-bedroom luxury single-family homes with premium finishes throughout
- Edgebrook/Forest Glen, Old Irving Park, Portage Park locations
- Convenient to Metra, CTA, shopping and expressway access

OPEN HOUSES
July 27
Aug. 3, 10, 17
1-3 pm

For terms of sale and information call (773) 240-7644
Special terms on houses sold prior to event.

Broker Cooperation Welcome - 2.5%

CA DEVELOPMENT GARRISON PARTNERS CONSULTING
Licenses #1545229 Strategic Planning, Residential Marketing & Sales



PUT YOUR HOME IN MORE THAN A MILLION OTHERS.

Welcome to the next generation of Real Estate advertising:
On Demand from Comcast

- It's easy to use, works 24/7
- FREE to watch!
- Features Chicagoland's newest properties and developments
- Broadcast-quality videos
- Reaches more than one-million Chicagoland homes

To watch: Press 0-8-8 on your remote and select "Real Estate"
*Must have Comcast Digital Cable

"Video On Demand from Comcast offers high-quality media production at a reasonable cost, with flexibility to target different geographic markets."
- Roger Gerstad, Gerstad Builders

"Video On Demand from Comcast provided CMK Companies with the unique opportunity to utilize a media format that had previously been too costly to justify within our advertising budget. We have realized excellent results from Comcast - a measurable increase in qualified prospects and heightened brand awareness."
- Scott Hoskins, President & Managing Broker, CMK Realty Corporation

View properties from Centrum Properties, Kirk Homes, Coldwell Banker, Mesa Development, MCL, New West Development, Gerstad Builders, Century 21/Sussex & Reilly, Ricker Murphy Development, CMK and others.

To learn more, visit: ComcastSpotlight.com/RealEstate
or call Steve Schwartz at 773.332.3762

Comcast SPOTLIGHT.

A NICHE PUBLICATIONS ADVERTISING SUPPLEMENT :: JULY 24, 2008 N

SEARCHCHICAGO autos

SearchChicago.com/autos

THURSDAY

SLK 350

inSIDE 

The perfect summer ride

The 2009 Mercedes-Benz SLK350

THE EXCHANGE

A Division of Semersky Enterprises, Inc.



2300 Skokie Valley Rd. • Highland Park, IL
(847) 266-7000
www.4porsche.com



Magna Society

2490 Skokie Valley Rd. • Highland Park, IL
(847) 432-5020
www.audiexchange.com



Mark of Excellence Award

1 Sherwood Terrace, Lake Bluff, IL
(847) 615-1111
www.saabexchange.com

WE'LL BEAT ANY PRICE BY \$1000!



0% X 72 MONTHS ON ALL 2008'S

PLUS... \$10,000 OFF ALL NEW '07 CHEVY SILVERADOS, TRAILBLAZERS & IMPALAS'

AND... \$8,000 OFF ALL NEW '07 CHEVY MALIBUS, COLORADOS & HHR'S'



NO CREDIT SCORE TOO LOW!
Our 10 Credit Experts CAN GET ANY CREDIT APPROVED!
Call Mr. Green at 847-276-8018

23 ACRES OF MEGA SELECTION!

Rockenbach MEGASTORE
LOCATED ON RTE 120 JUST WEST OF THE TRI-STATE IN GRAYSLAKE

We Speak Spanish, Polish & Russian!

888-FUN-CHEVY
rockenbach.com

AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Year	Model	Price
90	OLDSMOBILE REGENCY ac, pw, pl, cruise, tilt, split bench, #1803078	\$795
92	FORD EXPLORER XLT 4x4 pw, pl, lthr, sunroof, tow pkg, #180505C	\$975
02	FORD TAURUS pw, pl, power seat, ac, cd, #10331B	\$1,150
82	FORD F-150 custom, auto, ac, abs, power steering, #271795B	\$1,950
88	PONTIAC FIERO formula coupe, ac, i-tops, alloy wheels, #271470B1	\$2,495
86	CHEVY PICKUP pw, pl, cd, 1 owner, #271711B	\$2,995
94	PONTIAC BONNEVILLE pw, pl, lthr buckets, cd, #180571B	\$3,450
94	CHEVY SUBURBAN 4x4 pw, pl, rear ac, 3rd seat, alloy wheels, #280478A	\$3,650
02	FORD F-150 8 cyl, pl, ac, tilt, cruise, cd, #470072B	\$4,350
85	GMC PICKUP SLE 4x4 ac, pw, pl, low pkg, bedliner, #370036B	\$4,750
93	MITSUBISHI MONTERO SR 4x4 4 dr, pw, pl, lthr buckets, cd, #271730C	\$4,950
00	CHEVY CARGO VAN 8 cyl, auto, ac, buckets, am/fm stereo, #280305A	\$4,995
99	CHEVY UTILITY 5.7 v8, auto, ac, cruise, am/fm, 1 owner, #470111B	\$5,650
96	FORD CONVERSION VAN pw, pl, cruise, tilt, roof rack, boards, #271522B	\$5,950
94	GMC PICKUP SLE ac, remote start, bedliner, 6 cd changer, #180371B	\$5,995
02	DOODGE GRAND CARAVAN SPORT pw, pl, rear ac, 3rd seat, roof rack, #10179B	\$6,750
01	CHEVY SILVERADO 2.7 LT 4x4 loaded, pwr heated lthr, tow pkg, #270932A	\$6,995
01	CHEVY VENTURE WB cd, lthr, tv/cd, 3rd row, low pkg, #280167A	\$7,995
06	DOODGE STRATUS pw, pl, cd, buckets, alloy wheels, #10300A	\$8,995
03	CHEVY PICKUP LS 4x4 EXT CAB pw, pl, pwr split bench, bedliner, #271113B	\$9,495
03	CHEVY SILVERADO 4x4 6 cyl, ac, bedliner, cruise, tilt, 1 owner, #271128A	\$9,650
02	FORD EXPLORER XLT 4x4 sunroof, loaded, 8 cyl, cd, #180374A	\$9,650
02	CHEVY PICKUP LS 4x4 pw, pl, pwr bucket, bedliner, ext cab, #280702A	\$9,650
02	PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GT pw, pl, pwr buckets, sunroof, 1 owner, #180331A	\$10,650
02	FORD RANGER EDGE 4x4 yellow, auto, ac, cd, #180591A	\$10,950
01	CHEVY SILVERADO LS 4x4 pw, pl, low pkg, ext cab, 1 owner, #271490A	\$10,995
03	CADILLAC DEVILLE loaded, htd leather, cd, alloy wheels, #271472B	\$11,350
03	CHEVY S-10 4x4 pw, pl, ac, tow pkg, cd, #10335A	\$11,350
07	CHEVY PICKUP 6 cyl, ac, auto, cruise, bedliner, 1 owner, #280129A	\$11,895
02	GMC YUKON 4x4 pw, pl, pwr buckets, rear ac, low pkg, #10157A	\$12,750
04	CHEVY PICKUP LS 4x4 8 cyl, pw, pl, pwr buckets, ext cab, #280507A	\$12,750
05	CHEVY COLORADO 5 cyl, ac, auto, cd, 1 owner, #10420A	\$12,950
05	CHEVY COLORADO 2WD 4 cyl, auto, ac, pw, pl, cd, bedliner, #180593A	\$12,995
92	CHEVY CORVETTE COUPE auto, leather, loaded, sunroof, #10355B	\$13,650
01	CHEVY SUBURBAN 2.7 4x4 pw, pl, heated lthr, rear ac, tow pkg, #280070B	\$13,995
02	DOODGE PICKUP SLT 4x4 4 dr, pw, pl, alloy wheels, #280635A	\$13,999
06	CHEVY HHR LT 4 cyl, pw, pl, cd, alloy wheels, 1 owner, #280849A	\$14,995
05	FORD EXPLORER LTD 4x4 pw, pl, lthr, sunroof, tow package, #10222C	\$15,650
07	CHEVY MALIBU LTZ loaded, lthr, alloy wheels, 1 owner, #180499A	\$15,995
95	FORD PICKUP 4x4 6 cyl, ac, cruise, tilt, cd, tow pkg, #271279A	\$15,995
07	CHEVY EQUINOX LT fwd, pw, pl, cd, alloy wheels, 1 owner, #10333A	\$16,450
05	BUICK RENDEZVOUS pw, pl, heated lthr, 3rd seat, 1 owner, #10425A	\$16,950
07	FORD MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE auto, pw, pl, cd, alloy wheels, #10478A	\$18,950
04	CHEVY SUBURBAN 2.7 4x4 lthr, heated leather, rear ac, sunroof, #270163A	\$18,995
05	CHEVY MONTE CARLO SS onstar, pw, pl, lthr, remote start, #10485A	\$19,495

WHEN A GREAT DEAL MATTERS, SHOP ROB PADDOR'S... EVANSTON SUBARU END-OF-MONTH SALE #1 SUBARU DEALERSHIP[†] IN ILLINOIS FOR ALL OF 2008!

ALL NEW 2008 SUBARU IMPREZA 2.5I SEDAN
• ALL-WHEEL DRIVE •
Air Conditioning, Power Windows & Locks, CD Player, ABS, 170-hp Subaru Boxer Engine, All Wheel Drive & More! MSRP \$17,640, 8JA, #4161

27 MPG Hwy

OWN IT FOR...
\$16051

0% APR FINANCING OR **\$11900/MO.**
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT!
36 month lease, \$2,397 due at signing.
Don't Be Fooled! Our Leases Include \$595 Acquisition Fee

DEMO SALE ON NEW '08 SUBARUS

2008 SUBARU OUTBACK 2.5I ~~\$24,995~~ **\$21,995**
Silver, #4022

2008 SUBARU OUTBACK 2.5I ~~SOLD~~ **\$24,995**
Black, #3798

2008 SUBARU 2.5I OUTBACK LTD. ~~\$24,995~~ **\$24,995**
Silver, #3799

2008 SUBARU TRIBECA LTD. ~~\$26,495~~ **\$26,495**
Silver, 5 Passenger, #3898

2008 SUBARU TRIBECA LTD. ~~\$22,495~~ **\$22,495**
Black, 7 Passenger, Navigation + DVD #3977

2008 SUBARU IMPREZA 2.5I PREM. ~~\$18,895~~ **\$18,895**
White, Sedan, #4018 8JD

2008 SUBARU IMPREZA 2.5I PREM. ~~\$19,295~~ **\$19,295**
Black, 5-Door #4215 8LD

2008 SUBARU IMPREZA OUTBACK ~~\$19,995~~ **\$19,995**
Sport, Silver 2-tone, 5-Door #4235 8LK

ALL NEW 2008 SUBARU IMPREZA WRX SEDAN
• ALL-WHEEL DRIVE •
17" Alloys, CD, Turbo 224-hp, All Wheel Drive, Wheel Locks, Auto Dimming Mirrors & Compass, & Much More! MSRP \$25,229, 8JO, #3741

OWN IT FOR...
\$22,155

0% APR FINANCING OR **\$16900/MO.**
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT!
36 month lease, \$2,347 due at signing.
Don't Be Fooled! Our Leases Include \$595 Acquisition Fee

ALL NEW 2008 SUBARU OUTBACK WAGON
• ALL-WHEEL DRIVE •
Air Conditioning, Power Windows & Locks, CD, ABS, 170-hp Subaru Boxer Engine, All Wheel Drive & More! MSRP \$22,640 8DA, #4169

26 MPG Hwy

OWN IT FOR...
\$18,495

0% APR FINANCING OR **\$17900/MO.**
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT!
36 month lease, \$2,357 due at signing.
Don't Be Fooled! Our Leases Include \$595 Acquisition Fee

50 ALL NEW 2009 SUBARU FORESTER 2.5X
to Choose • ALL-WHEEL DRIVE • to Choose
Air Conditioning, VDC, Traction Control, CD, ABS, 170-hp Subaru Boxer Engine, Side Curtain Airbags, Keyless Entry & More. MSRP \$20,843 9FA, #4348

26 MPG Hwy

OWN IT FOR...
\$19900

0% APR FINANCING OR **\$29900/MO.**
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT!
36 month lease, \$2,882 due at signing.
Don't Be Fooled! Our Leases Include \$595 Acquisition Fee

2.5X, PREMIUM, XT & LIMITED MODELS -- ALL IN STOCK!

ALL NEW 2008 SUBARU TRIBECA 5-PASS. LIMITED
• ALL-WHEEL DRIVE •
Leather, Sunroof, Splash Guards, Luggage Cover, All Weather Mats, Auto Dimming Mirrors, Auto, 8-Way Power Windows, Locks & Seat, Alloys, ABS, CD/MP3, Keyless, Front/Side Airbags, MSRP \$33,798, 8TB, #4296 NOT a base car!

23 MPG Hwy

OWN IT FOR...
\$26,995

0% APR FINANCING OR **\$29900/MO.**
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT!
36 month lease, \$2,983 due at signing.
Don't Be Fooled! Our Leases Include \$595 Acquisition Fee

IMPORTS & DOMESTICS

'07 Volvo S40 ASR.....Sunroof, Silver, Auto, Air 21K, #P3124. \$17,995
'05 Toyota Camry XLE Auto, V-6, Sunf., Leather, Alloys#55412A..... \$16,995
'04 Honda CR EX.....Auto, Sunroof, Air, ABS, 44K #4261A. \$14,995
'07 Mazda 5.....Automatic, Sunroof, Alloys, Blue, P3152. \$15,495
'07 Mazda 3 4-Door.....Red, Automatic, Air, Alloy Wheels#P3129. \$14,995
'07 Nissan Versa SL Sedan 4-Door, Auto, Air, Sunroof, 12K P3130. \$14,995
'08 Nissan Sentra S.....4-Door, Auto, Air, Silver 15K, #P3123. \$14,995
'08 Nissan Versa Sedan 4-Door, Auto, Air, Black, Like New#3167. \$14,995
'05 Nissan Xterra 4X4.....Auto, Silver, 20K, #4211A. \$14,495
'07 Toyota Corolla CE.....Auto, Air, Full Power, Blue, #P3148. \$13,995
'05 Nissan Xterra S 4X4.....Auto, Solar Yellow, 27K, #P3156. \$13,995
'04 Nissan Pathfinder LE 4X4 Plat. Edtn, Auto, Mint, 33K, #P3059. \$13,995
'06 Nissan Altima 2.5S.....Sunroof, Alloys, Smoke, #P3064. \$13,495
'05 Mazda 3 2.3L Sedan.....Automatic, Air, Silver, Alloys, P3154. \$12,995
'07 Subaru Forester X.....Automatic, Air, AWD, Beige, 18K, P3136. \$14,995
'03 Mazda Protege 5.....Auto, Air, Full Power, AM/FM/CD #P3149. \$9,995
'01 Audi A4 1.8 Turbo AWD Auto, Air, Lthr, Sunroof, Quattro, #4091A. \$9,995
'04 Nissan Sentra 1.8 S Automatic, 4-Dr., Spoiler, Silver, 47K, P3153 \$8,995

SUBARU TRIBECAS

'07 Tribeca Ltd. Nav/DVD.....7-Pass., Lthr., Sunr., #P3086/87/89/90. \$24,995
'07 Tribeca Ltd. 7-Passenger, Leather, Sunroof, Black, #P3017/3021. \$22,995
'07 Tribeca Ltd. 7-Passenger, Leather, Sunroof, Beige #P3140. \$21,995
'06 Tribeca.....Leather, Sunroof, 5-Passenger, Silver, 32K, #4255A. \$19,995

SUBARU IMPREZAS

'07 Subaru WRX.....5-Speed, Mint, Gray, 5k, #P3101. \$21,495
'08 Impreza Prem. Auto, Ti. Con., Alloys, 8k, Red or Grey, #P3141/42. \$16,495
'07 Subaru Impreza Auto, Snrt, Alloys, Must See, Black, 4k, #P3025. \$16,995
'08 Nissan Versa Sedan 4-Door, Auto, Air, Black, Like New#3167. \$14,995
'05 Subaru WRX Wagon.....5-Speed, Turbo Gauge Booster, #4235B. \$14,995
'05 Subaru Impreza RS Sedan.....Automatic, 30K, Black, P3155. \$12,995

SUBARU FORESTERS

'07 Forester X Prem. Auto, Sunroof, Leather, Alloys, Silver P3150. \$16,995
'08 Subaru Forester 2.5X.....Automatic, Air, White, P3044. \$16,495
'06 Nissan Altima 2.5S.....Sunroof, Alloys, Smoke, #P3064. \$13,495
'04 Forester XS Prem. Auto, Sunroof, Leather, 41K, Black, P3158. \$15,995
'07 Subaru Forester X.....Automatic, Air, AWD, Beige, 18K, P3136. \$14,995
'03 Subaru Forester X.....Automatic, Air, AWD, White, 21K, P3135. \$14,495
'05 Subaru Forester 2.5X Auto, Air, Full Power, AM/FM/CD, #4350A. \$9,995
'03 Subaru Forester X.....Automatic, Air, AWD, Silver, 4328A. \$8,995

SUBARU LEGACY / OUTBACKS

'07 Subaru Outback Limited.....Lthr, Snrt, Auto, White #P3113. \$20,495
'06 Subaru Legacy GT Limited Leather, Auto, Silver, 28k, #4187A. \$20,995
'05 Outback 3.0 LL Bean.....Auto, Sunroof, Leather 38K #4290A. \$18,995
'08 Subaru Outback.....Auto, Air, Full Power, Low Miles #P3115. \$18,495
'07 Subaru Outback 2.5I.....Automatic, Air, AWD, Green, 10k, #P3139. \$17,995
'08 Legacy SE Sedan.....Sunroof, Leather, Auto, Black, 13k, #P3144. \$17,995
'08 Subaru Outback 2.5I Auto, Air, Full Power, Low Miles #3095/97 \$17,495
'07 Outback Ltd. Auto, Air, Leather, Sunroof, 6-Disc CD, #4327A. \$17,995
'07 Subaru Outback 2.5I.....Automatic, Air, AWD, White, 23k, #P3138. \$16,995
'08 Legacy 2.5I S.E. Sdn.....Auto, Air, Alloys, Sunroof, Blue, #P2989. \$16,995
'05 Subaru Outback LL Bean.....Auto, Leather, Sunroof, #3886A. \$16,995
'07 Legacy SE Sedan Sunroof, Leather, Auto, White, 17k, #P2860/3052. \$16,495
'06 Subaru Outback 2.5I.....2-to-Choose, Blue #P3026/#4210A. \$16,495
'03 Outback Ltd. Auto, Sunroof, Leather, 43K, White, P3157. \$14,995
'03 Outback H6 LL Bean Lthr, Sunr., Auto, 6-Cyl. Beige, 53K #P3161 \$14,995
'03 Subaru Legacy SE Sdn.....Sunroof, Auto, Air, Alloys, #4262A. \$9,995

EVANSTON SUBARU

Check out our Weekly Internet Specials at www.EvanstonSubaru.com

Call Toll Free **1-888-473-1606**

Ask about: College Graduate Program- email: dnewman@evnsi.com

715 CHICAGO AVE. IN EVANSTON

BBB MEMBER CHICAGO & NORTHERN ILLINOIS

*Add tax, title license and \$150 doc fee rebates applied. Lease on approved credit score. Lease, 10k miles per year, 15 cents after. Lessee responsible for excess wear and early termination of lease. Option to purchase; WRX \$15,137.40, Forester \$12,505.80 Impreza \$10,584.50, Outback \$11,772.80, Tribeca \$17,912.94. **Finance on approved credit score, subject to vehicle insurance and availability. †New Subaru retail sales, in Illinois, 2008 year to date. All offers end in 3 days.

URGENT

TRUCK & SUV DISPOSAL EVENT

WE MUST SELL 60 TRUCKS AND SUV'S IMMEDIATELY! ONCE THIS GOAL IS MET, NISSAN IS GOING TO GIVE US A BONUS OF \$300,000 THAT WE ARE CHOOSING TO PASS ALONG TO YOU. THIS MEANS YOU'LL

GET AN EXTRA \$5000 OFF!

HURRY INTO ONE OF THE 2 LOCATIONS LISTED BELOW AND RESERVE YOUR TRUCK TODAY!

<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN XTERRA</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$24,840 OUR DISCOUNT -1,223 MFG. REBATE -3,000 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$15,617*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$189 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$9,223</p>	<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN QUEST</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$26,050 OUR DISCOUNT -1,849 MFG. REBATE -3,500 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$15,701*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$249 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$10,349</p>
--	--

<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN PATHFINDER</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$26,905 OUR DISCOUNT -1,662 MFG. REBATE -2,500 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$17,743*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$186 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$9,162</p>	<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN TITAN</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$28,045 OUR DISCOUNT -2,545 MFG. REBATE -5,000 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$15,500*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$229 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$12,545</p>
--	--

<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN FRONTIER</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$24,145 OUR DISCOUNT -1,239 MFG. REBATE -2,500 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$15,406*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$153 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$8,739</p>	<p>NEW 2008 NISSAN ARMADA</p> <p>ORIGINAL M.S.R.P. \$41,880 OUR DISCOUNT -3,811 MFG. REBATE -5,000 NISSAN BONUS CASH -5,000</p> <p>\$28,069*</p> <p>OR LEASE FOR \$383 PER MO. FOR 36 MOS. \$0 DOWN</p> <p>TOTAL SAVINGS: \$13,811</p>
--	---

OFFERS ONLY AVAILABLE AT THESE 2 LOCATIONS:

BERMANS MID-CITY NISSAN 800-508-9684
BERMANS STAR NISSAN 866-309-0409

4444 W. IRVING PARK CHICAGO
 5757 W. TOUHY AVENUE NILES

midcitynissan.com starnissan.com

All offers to qualified buyers. All incentives & rebates applied. *Plus tax, title, lic. & doc. fee. **MSRP may not be actual selling price within the trade area. †Must be willing to wait to take delivery of vehicle once the sales goal is met. ‡Sales goal is not met. Berkmans will refund any deposit immediately. See dealer for details. Dealer will not honor pricing errors in this ad. No prior sales. Unless end 3 days from pub.

DOLLARS & SENSE **HYUNDAI**

MPG! McGrath Price Guarantee

We'll Beat Any Deal on Any Hyundai!

\$500 Military Rebate

The All New 2009 Hyundai Genesis Has Arrived!

New 2008 Hyundai ELANTRAS \$1500 Factory Rebate*

33 Hwy, 25 City

Award-Winning Hyundai Quality Backed By America's Best Warranty™

- 10-Year/100,000-Mile Powertrain Protection
- 5-Year/60,000-Mile Bumper-to-Bumper Coverage
- 5-Year/Unlimited Miles 24-hr. Roadside Assistance

New 2009 Hyundai SONATAs \$2000 Factory Rebate*

New 2008 Hyundai SANTA FEs \$2500-\$3500 Factory Rebate*

22 City 32 Hwy **18 City 24 Hwy**

Our Pick 10 Family Comes First

CHICAGO'S LARGEST CERTIFIED PRE-OWNED INVENTORY

2001 DODGE RAM VAN, 57K1 SIK, #H3541A \$4,990*	2005 HONDA PILOT, 51K1 SIK, #H17174 \$12,990*
2001 MERCURY SABLE, 80K1 SIK, #Y1432A \$4,990*	2006 KIA AMANTI, 14K1 SIK, #Y1657A \$12,990*
2003 GRAND PRIX, 74K1 SIK, #Y1831A \$7,990*	2005 HONDA CIVIC 2DR COUPE, 24K1 SIK, #H4342A \$12,990*
2004 HYUNDAI ELANTRA GLS, 28K1 SIK, #H4154A \$7,990*	2004 HONDA ODYSSEY LX, 59K1 SIK, #H1702 \$13,990*
2006 CHEVY COBALT LS, 40K1 SIK, #Y1506 \$9,491*	2007 HYUNDAI SONATA, 30K1 SIK, #Y1515 \$14,490*
2001 BMW 525I WAGON, 31K1 SIK, #H4161B \$9,990*	2003 BMW 325i, 56K1 SIK, #H308008 \$14,490*
2006 MITSUBISHI LANCER, 36K1 SIK, #Y1527 \$9,990*	2006 FORD MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE, 21K1 SIK, #Y1538 \$15,490*
2004 JEEP CHEROKEE LTD, 61K1 SIK, #H4931A \$10,990*	2007 HYUNDAI SANTA FE GLS, 18K1 SIK, #Y1552 \$15,990*
2004 DODGE DURANGO, 33K1 SIK, #Y1781A \$10,990*	2005 HONDA ACCORD EXL V6, HAY, 45K1 SIK, #H1547 \$16,990*
2005 CHEVY EQUINOX LT, 44K1 SIK, #Y1480 \$10,990*	2004 HONDA FIT SPORT, 23K1 SIK, #H1712 \$15,990*
2007 CHEVY MALIBU LS, 30K1 SIK, #Y1532 \$10,990*	2007 HYUNDAI AZERA, 22K1 SIK, #Y1538 \$15,990*
2004 MITSUBISHI GALANT GTS V6 SIK, #Y1549 \$11,990*	2006 HONDA ACCORD EXL, 40K1 SIK, #H1659 \$17,990*
2005 NISSAN ALTIMA, 57K1 SIK, #H4191A \$11,990*	2007 TOYOTA SIENNA LE, 28K1 SIK, #Y1534 \$17,990*
2007 HYUNDAI ACCENT GLS, 34K1 SIK, #Y1874A \$11,990*	2005 HONDA CRV EX 4WD 26K1 SIK, #H1642 \$18,490*
2006 CHRYSLER SEBRING, 45K1 SIK, #Y1547 \$11,990*	2008 HONDA CIVIC LX, 1500 Miles SIK, #H1760 \$18,990*
2002 AUDI A4 QUATTRO, 68K1 SIK, #H1822A \$11,990*	2007 TOYOTA AVALON, 14K SIK, #Y1548 \$21,490*

Problem Credit...Don't Sweat It.

McGrath City has the sources to get you the loan you need.

Formerly Jacobs Twin

McGRATH CITY HYUNDAI

Where Fullerton Meets Grand!

6750 W. Grand Ave. Chicago **888-636-6557**

www.mcgrathcityhyundai.com

When You do the Math, You Choose McGrath!

Dealer will not honor errors in this advertisement. Photos for illustration purposes only. See dealer for details. Prices expire 3 days from publication. *Must be a comparably equipped Hyundai, in stock. Retail sales only. In stock models only. Excludes Hyundai Genesis. Must present current ad/written quote. -To qualified buyers with approved credit on select models. *See dealer for LIMITED WARRANTY details. †Plus tax, title, license and doc fee.

STEVE FOLEY Cadillac of Northbrook

Life. LIBERTY. AND THE PURSUIT.

GM 300,000 MILE WARRANTY 5-YEAR POWERTRAIN

2008 models. Whichever comes first. See dealer for limited warranty details.

The Best Cadillac Offers

YOU'LL EVER SEE!

Plus Drastic Reductions on our Entire Inventory!

0% APR FOR 60 MOS.² **2008 MOTOR TREND Car of the Year**

0% APR FOR 72 MOS.¹

ON EVERY New 2008 Cadillac ESCALADE

Every Option, Every Color

OVER 60 TO CHOOSE FROM! **If You're Looking for it, We've Got it!**

Plus 0% APR for 36 Months³ on Every New 2008 DTS, SRX, STS & XLR in Stock!

Get \$10,000 to **\$14,000 OFF** MSRP ON EVERY NEW 2008 ESCALADE MODEL IN STOCK!⁵

Pre-Owned Cadillac SUMMER SELL-OFF!

<p>2004 DEVILLE 6429B \$12,995</p>	<p>2003 CTS 8091B \$16,995</p>	<p>2007 DTS P8913 \$24,995</p>	<p>2008 DTS II P9153 \$27,995</p>	<p>2007 CTS-V P9053 \$37,995</p>
<p>2008 DEVILLE P8991A \$13,995</p>	<p>2005 DEVILLE 8525A \$19,995</p>	<p>2005 STS P9096 \$26,995</p>	<p>2006 ESCALADE PLATINUM 8355A \$28,995</p>	<p>2008 SRX V8 AWD P9133 \$37,995</p>
<p>2004 SEVILLE SLS P9001A \$14,995</p>	<p>2004 ESCALADE AWD P8819 \$21,995</p>	<p>2005 ESCALADE ESV 8165A \$26,995</p>	<p>2007 ESCALADE AWD 8303A \$35,995</p>	<p>2008 STS V8 AWD P9145 \$38,995</p>

1.9% GMAC FINANCING ON SELECT CERTIFIED PRE-OWNED CADILLACS

100 Skokie Blvd. NORTHBROOK, IL 60062
 one block west of the Edens between Lake Cook & Dundee roads

800.295.3576

Your First Choice for Cadillac

STEVE FOLEY

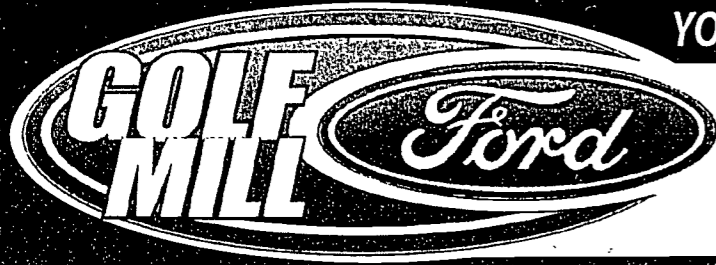
Cadillac of Northbrook

visit us at stevefoley.com

SALES HOURS
Monday-Thursday 9am-9pm
Friday and Saturday 9am-6pm

SERVICE HOURS
Monday-Friday 7:30am-6pm

*Please add tax, title, license and \$150 doc fee. Sales price includes all applicable rebates and in lieu of financing. Financing subject to credit approval and insurability and in lieu of rebates. Finance rate varies based on credit worthiness of customer as determined by GMAC. Some customers will not qualify. 1) 0% for 72 months available on New '08 Escalade, ESV & EXT. Ex: 72 mos @ \$13.89 per mo per \$1000 financed with \$0 down. 2) 0% for 60 months available on '08 CTS. Ex: 60 mos @ \$16.67 per mo per \$1000 financed with \$0 down. 3) 0% for 36 months on new '08 DTS, SRX, STS & XLR. Ex: 36 mos @ 27.28 per mo per \$1000 financed with \$0 down. 4) 1.9% APR available on certified pre-owned Cadillacs only. 5) Savings off MSRP includes all applicable incentives and in lieu of financing. Remainder of savings is Steve Foley discount. Valid on in stock vehicles only. Offer not available on prior purchases & subject to change without notice. See dealer for details. Offer expires 7/31/08.



YOU'RE GONNA SAVE MUCH MUCH MORE AT GOLF MILL FORD!



VOTED ONE OF THE TOP 100 FORD DEALERS IN THE COUNTRY 2 YEARS IN A ROW!



NEW 2009 FORD FLEX IS HERE! AVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY!

JUST ANNOUNCED! EMPLOYEE PRICING PLUS... \$3,000 FORD REBATES PLUS \$3,000 OWNER LOYALTY ON F-SERIES TRUCKS!

VISIT US 24/7 AT WWW.GOLFMILLFORD.COM

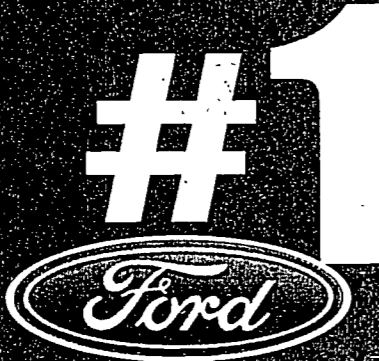
BRAND NEW 2008 FORD F-150. 3.9% APR! \$11,688. \$189 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #81330, FULLY FACTORY EQUIPPED.

BRAND NEW 2008 FORD FOCUS. 2.9% APR! \$11,835. \$189 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #82010, ALL NEW BODY STYLE!

BRAND NEW 2008 FORD FUSION. 1.9% APR! \$13,793. \$229 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #81755, TOTALLY NEW FORD FUSION! FULLY FACTORY EQUIPPED!

BRAND NEW 2008 FORD ESCAPE. 1.9% APR! \$14,389. \$239 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #80774, ALL NEW BODY STYLE! 6 HYBRIDS IN STOCK, FULLY FACTORY EQUIPPED! NAVIGATION SYSTEM!

BRAND NEW 2008 FORD MUSTANG. 3.9% APR! \$15,871. \$289 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #82035, POWER WINDOWS, POWER LOCKS, ALLOY WHEELS, LOADED!



DEALER IN ILLINOIS & THE ENTIRE MIDWEST 0% APR X 60 MOS. AVAILABLE!

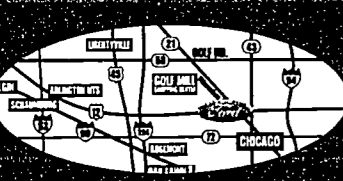


BRAND NEW 2008 FORD EDGE. 0% APR X 60 MONTHS! \$21,791. \$369 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN. #80653, V6, 6-SPD, AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, ABS BRAKES, SAFETY CANOPY, FRONT & SIDE AIRBAGS, NAVIGATION SYSTEM, LOADED!

2008 SHELBY GT/GT 500. IN STOCK & AVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY!

MANAGER'S SPECIAL! THE #1 DEALER GIVES THE #1 DEALS! OVER 60 SUPERDUTYS TO CHOOSE FROM!

2008 FORD F-250 SUPER DUTY. AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, AC, ALLOY WHEELS, LONG WHEEL BASE, FULLY FACTORY EQUIPPED! \$19,781 or \$339 PER MONTH W/\$500 DOWN.



SALES HOURS: MON-FRI 9AM-9PM, SAT 9AM-7PM. SERVICE & PARTS HOURS: MON-THURS 7AM-10PM, FRI 7AM-6PM, SAT 8 AM-5PM

STOP BY, WE SPEAK YOUR LANGUAGE, SPANISH • POLISH • RUSSIAN • GREEK • GERMAN • ENGLISH • FILIPINO • ASSYRIAN. 9401 N. MILWAUKEE AVE. NILES. JUST SOUTH OF GOLF ROAD. 1-800-500-CARS (2277) 847-470-9800

SERVICE DEPT. OPEN LATE! OPEN UNTIL 10PM! YOUR AUTHORIZED QUICK LANE DEALER. BBB, BPN, Quick Lane logos.

294 COMING FROM THE NORTH EXIT GOLF RD. EAST TO MILWAUKEE SOUTH. 294 COMING FROM THE SOUTH EXIT DEMPSTER EAST TO MILWAUKEE NORTH. 94 FROM THE NORTH OR SOUTH EXIT DEMPSTER WEST TO MILWAUKEE NORTH. *Prices plus tax, title, license and DOC fee. ...

YOU'RE GONNA SAVE MUCH MUCH MORE AT GOLF MILL FORD! VISIT US 24/7 AT WWW.GOLFMILLFORD.COM

6 YEAR/100,000 MILE WARRANTY



ON ALL CERTIFIED PRE-OWNED VEHICLES! OVER 2,000 CARS AND TRUCKS TO CHOOSE FROM!

Grid of vehicle offers including 04 CHEVY MONTE CARLO SS, 00 JEEP WRANGLER SAHARA 4X4, 02 GMC ENVOY 4X4, 06 FORD E-250 CARGO VAN, 07 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GXP SUPER CHARGED.

OVER 400 QUALITY PRE-OWNED VEHICLES AVAILABLE FOR EVERY BUDGET!

Grid of vehicle offers categorized by CARS, TRUCKS/VANS, SUVs, LUXURY, and SPECIALS. Includes models like 04 PONTIAC SUNFIRE COUPE, 03 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GT, 06 FORD F-150 SUPER CAB, etc.

SALES HOURS: MON-FRI 9AM-9PM, SAT 9AM-7PM. SERVICE & PARTS HOURS: MON-THURS 7AM-10PM, FRI 7AM-6PM, SAT 8 AM-5PM

STOP BY, WE SPEAK YOUR LANGUAGE, SPANISH • POLISH • RUSSIAN • GREEK • GERMAN • ENGLISH • FILIPINO • ASSYRIAN. 9401 N. MILWAUKEE AVE. NILES. JUST SOUTH OF GOLF ROAD. 1-800-500-CARS (2277) 847-470-9800

294 COMING FROM THE NORTH EXIT GOLF RD. EAST TO MILWAUKEE SOUTH. 294 COMING FROM THE SOUTH EXIT DEMPSTER EAST TO MILWAUKEE NORTH. 94 FROM THE NORTH OR SOUTH EXIT DEMPSTER WEST TO MILWAUKEE NORTH. *Prices plus tax, title, license and DOC fee. ...

Shepard CHEVROLET

AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION

IT'S TRADE-IN TIME!

REBATES FROM \$500 UP TO \$6000

0% X 72 MONTHS!

DISCOUNTS UP TO \$10,600

DISCOUNTS UP TO \$18,000

BRAND NEW 2008 TAHOE 0% APR X 72 OR \$6000 BONUS CASH**	BRAND NEW 2008 SILVERADO 0% APR X 72 OR \$5000 BONUS CASH**	BRAND NEW 2008 AVALANCHE 0% APR X 72 OR \$5000 BONUS CASH**	BRAND NEW 2008 SUBURBAN 0% APR X 72 OR \$6000 BONUS CASH**
--	--	--	---

GET AN EXTRA REBATE

08 Chevy Cobalt	\$500	08 Chevy Colorado	\$1000
08 Chevy Impala	\$750	08 Chevy Avalanche	\$3000
08 Chevy HHR	\$750	08 Chevy Silverado	\$3000
08 Chevy Trailblazer	\$1000	08 Chevy Tahoe	\$4000
08 Chevy Equinox	\$1000	08 Chevy Suburban	\$4000

Hybrids excluded. Must Qualify. Rebates in lieu of financing.

ARRIVING SOON!

'00 Chrysler Town & Country #P9787A	\$4,999	'07 Ford Escape #P9930	\$14,999	'07 Chevy Cobalt SS #P9954	\$18,999
'98 Ford Ranger Ext. 2WD #N1031A	\$6,999	'05 Toyota Camry LE #P9735	\$15,999	'07 Toyota Rav 4 #P9857	\$19,999
'01 Nissan Quest #P9804A	\$7,999	'08 Chevy Cobalt Sport #P9934	\$16,999	'05 Chevy Tahoe Z71 #N999A	\$23,999
'05 Jeep Liberty #P9823	\$11,999	'06 Hummer H3 #P9959	\$17,499	'07 Chevy Tahoe LTZ #N302A	\$25,999
'07 Ford Focus SE #P9928	\$12,999	'06 VW Jetta #N422A	\$17,999	'05 Chevy SSR #P9985	\$33,999
'04 Chevy Express 2500 Cargo Van 22K Miles	\$13,995	'05 Toyota Highlander #N867A	\$18,999	'06 Range Rover Sport #N872A	\$45,999
2004 CHEVY SILVERADO C-1500 5 AVAILABLE	\$13,999				

NOW OPEN FOR SERVICE ON SATURDAYS 8AM - 12PM

Waukegan Rd. (Rt. 43) At Rt. 176 in LAKE BLUFF NEXT TO DOMINICKS!

Hours: Sales M-F 9-9 Sat 9-6 Service M-F 7-6 Sat 8-12

Where We Always Beat Your Best Deal! **847-234-7900**

Shepard CHEVROLET

AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION

FIND WHAT YOU ARE LOOKING FOR!

www.shepardchevrolet.com

Add tax, title, license, & \$150 doc fee to all advertised prices. Pictures are for illustration purposes only and may not depict actual sale vehicles. Dealer will not honor errors in this advertisement. See dealer for complete details. 0% X 72 on select models to qualified buyers. Terms vary. In stock only. Must own any 1999 or newer vehicle to qualify. All rebates & incentives applied must qualify.

"As always with The Autobarn, you can assume we'll have a great selection at a great value!"

the Autobarn limited

Just Minutes Away... in Evanston
We are located in downtown on Chicago Street

mazda

The Autobarn will give you the best price on your new Mazda or it will be...FREE!

#1 Volume Mazda Store in Illinois for 2006 & 2007

JUST ANNOUNCED: 0% FINANCING ON ALL MODELS**

20 More Available At Similar Savings

New 2008 MAZDA3 ITR Sedan
MSRP \$18,145, Automatic, iPod, Adaptive P/Windows, Locks, Cruise, CD, Alloy Wheels, A/C, Lock Brakes, Side Air Bags, Stock #s E25313, E25215, E25267, E25317, E25323, E25214, E25216, E25176

Lease for: **\$129** for 24 mos.*

\$2323 due at lease signing. No security deposit required.

13 More Available At Similar Savings

New 2008 Mazda CX7
MSRP \$24,335, Stock #s E25670, E25687, E25697, E25506, E25507

Lease for: **\$179** for 24 mos.*

\$2323 due at lease signing. No security deposit required.

11 More Available At Similar Savings

New 2008 Mazda CX9
MSRP \$30,050, Stock #s E26508, E26448, E26354, E26527

Lease for: **\$249** for 24 mos.*

\$2323 due at lease signing. No security deposit required.

Test Drive a Mazda Today!

the Autobarn Mazda

1015 Chicago Avenue Evanston
847-866-9666
www.mazdaofchicago.com

Das Auto: Volkswagen

0% APR FINANCING FOR UP TO 72 MOS. ON ALL 2008 VW's

0% APR Available on all new 2008 models. 0% financing for 72 mos on New Beetle Convertible & GTI available thru VW Credit with approved credit. 0% APR financing for 36 mos on Rabbit, R32, New Beetle, Jetta, Passat, EOS, Tiguan & Touareg with VW Credit with approved credit. Offer ends 07/31/08. See dealer for details.

Autobahn for All Summer Event

3 Leases Under \$199 mo.

2008 Volkswagen Rabbit S
Lease for \$189 mo./36 mos.*
\$1999 due at signing includes 1st mos payment, acquisition fee & down payment. No security deposit required. (Tax, title, license extra). Offer ends 07/31/08.

2008 Volkswagen New Beetle S
Lease for \$198 mo./36 mos.*
\$1999 due at signing includes 1st mos payment, acquisition fee & down payment. No security deposit required. (Tax, title, license extra). Offer ends 07/31/08.

2008 Volkswagen Jetta S
Lease for \$198 mo./36 mos.*
\$1999 due at signing includes 1st mos payment, acquisition fee & down payment. No security deposit required. (Tax, title, license extra). Offer ends 07/31/08.

*Closed end lease with qualified credit thru Volkswagen Credit. \$450 security deposit. \$1500 down payment. \$1500 at signing on Touareg. Lessee may be responsible for excess wear, tear and/or mileage. Add tax, title, license and doc fee. 0% APR for 72 mos. = \$13.88 per \$1000 financed with approved credit on 2008 New Beetle Convertible & GTI. 0% APR for 36 mos. = \$27.78 per \$1,000 financed with approved credit on Rabbit, R32, New Beetle, Jetta, Passat, EOS, Tiguan & Touareg.

the Autobarn Volkswagen

1033 Chicago Avenue Evanston
847-866-7600
www.vwofevanston.com

NISSAN

Nissan Truck Month

New 2008 Nissan Pathfinder 4X4
\$10,000 Off MSRP

New 2008 Nissan Xterra 4X4
\$10,000 Off MSRP

New 2008 Nissan Quest
\$10,000 Off MSRP

New 2009 Nissan Murano
\$4,500 Off MSRP

Add tax, title, license and doc fee.

the Autobarn Nissan

1012 Chicago Avenue Evanston
847-475-8200
www.autobarnnissan.com

Always Over 300 Pre-driven Suburban Vehicles Available.



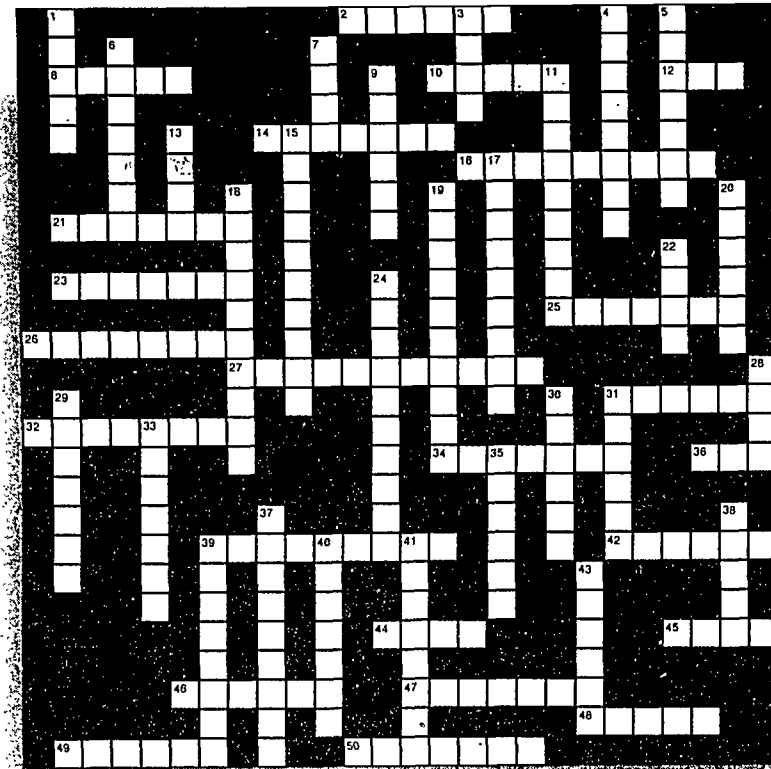
GM and Clean Energy work to expand hydrogen infrastructure

DETROIT, MICH. AND SEAL BEACH, CALIF. - General Motors Corp. and Clean Energy Fuels Corp. announced Clean Energy will open a hydrogen fueling station in Los Angeles with support from GM. The two companies also announced that they are exploring further opportunities to expand the hydrogen infrastructure.

As the first step in this effort, a hydrogen fueling station will be developed and located at Clean Energy's compressed natural gas facility near Los Angeles International Airport. The hydrogen station will be used by drivers taking part in Chevrolet's Project Driveway, the world's largest market test of fuel-cell vehicles. It is expected to be operational by early fall.

GM and Clean Energy are discussing potential opportunities to expand this first station into a network of hydrogen fueling stations by leveraging Clean Energy's natural gas fueling expertise and the real-world customer experience gained by fueling more than 14,000 vehicles daily at more than 170 CNG stations across North America.

The LAX station will help both companies better understand the synergies between hydrogen and natural gas fueling.



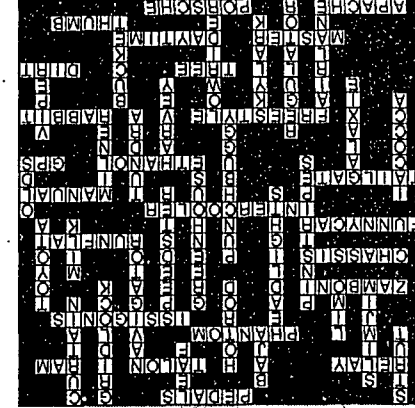
ACROSS

- 2. Power-adjust option
- 8. Saturn or race type
- 10. Eagle coupe
- 12. World's fastest pickup
- 14. A ghost of a Rolls
- 16. Mini creator
- 21. Great on ice
- 23. Frame and suspension
- 25. Tire works without air
- 26. Dragster class
- 27. Turbo assistant
- 31. Auto use-and-care guide
- 32. Party platform
- 34. Sometimes mixed with gasoline
- 36. Global Positioning Satellite system
- 39. A swim-event Ford?
- 42. Pre-golf
- 44. Three on the _____
- 45. Outlaws' track surface
- 46. Cylinder type
- 47. _____ running lights
- 48. Hitchhike term
- 49. 1960s Chevy pickup
- 50. 912, 924, 928, Cayman S

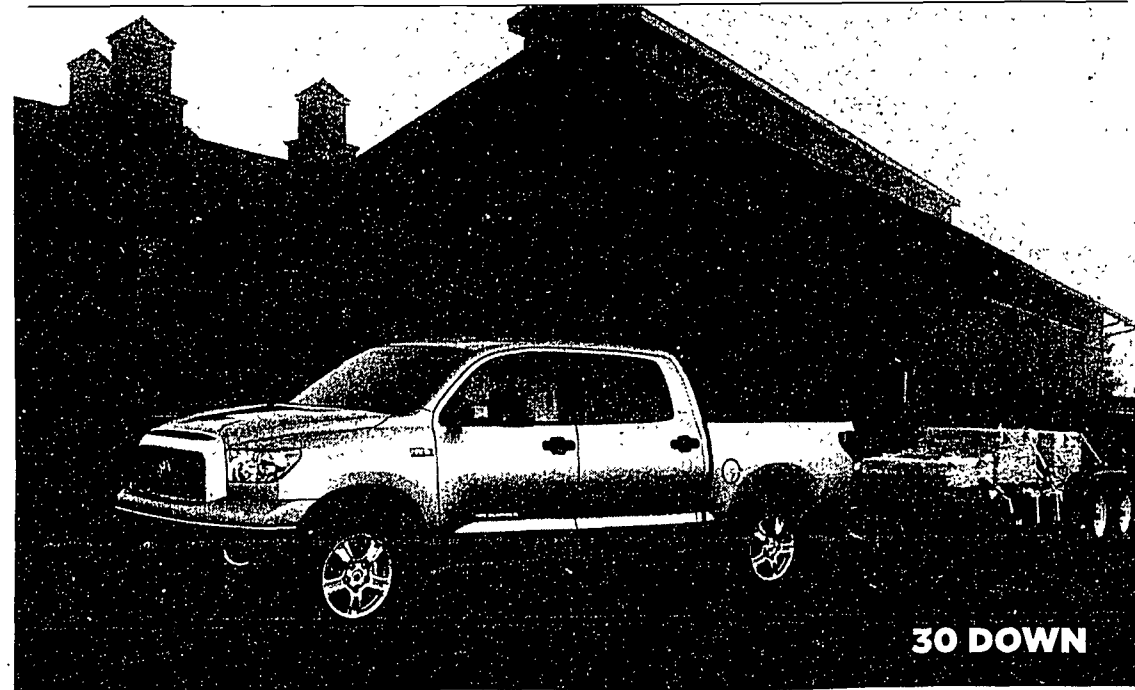
DOWN

- 1. Suspension part
- 3. Spring type
- 4. a.k.a. traffic jam
- 5. Airbag type
- 6. Car-theft tool
- 7. Subaru named after a part of Mexico
- 9. Gearhead's Mag
- 11. Rally-team member
- 13. This one's a "stretch"
- 15. Can be set "high" or "low"
- 17. Porsche variant
- 18. Trim option
- 19. Window area as it relates to the cabin
- 20. MR2 maker
- 22. Indy beverage
- 24. Kids' Beetle-spotting game
- 28. Began car company in 1897
- 29. Ex-Chrysler boss
- 30. Sequoia-related
- 31. Route 66 star with Maharis
- 33. Big Ford introduced in 1959
- 35. Tire-maker Mr. Firestone
- 37. Voltage controller
- 38. Fast snake
- 39. A fine Ford with flair
- 40. This Buick was a bird.
- 41. Hydraulic-suspension auto
- 43. Model-T rod

ANSWERS



COPYRIGHT WHEELBASE COMMUNICATIONS



30 DOWN

The Midwest's #1 Volume Ford Truck Dealer!

FORD of FRANKFORT

0% x 72 Months Available!



NEW 2008 FORD FOCUS Stk. #F1024 \$11,395*	NEW 2008 FORD FUSION Stk. #F571 \$13,293*	NEW 2008 FORD MUSTANG Stk. #F506 \$15,398*	NEW 2008 FORD TAURUS Stk. #F478 \$19,383*	NEW 2008 FORD ESCAPE Stk. #F1227 \$14,084*	NEW 2008 FORD EDGE Stk. #F276 \$20,899*

Finance with Ford Credit Take \$500 Off+ College Grad Take Additional \$500 Off+ Owner Loyalty Take \$2000 Off+ Finance with Ford Motor Credit Take Additional \$500 Off+ Owner Loyalty Take \$3000 Off+ Finance with Ford Motor Credit Take Additional \$500 Off+ College Grad Take Additional \$500 Off+ Competitive Rebate for Non Ford Owners Take Additional \$1000 Off+*

WE'LL BEAT ANY DEAL ON ANY NEW FORD EVERY TIME!

Employee Pricing on all F-Series-

NEW 2008 FORD EXPLORER XLT Stk. #E776 \$19,587*	NEW 2008 FORD RANGER Stk. #R611 \$10,894*	NEW 2008 FORD F-150 Stk. #F299 \$11,194*	NEW 2008 FORD F-150 Super Cab Stk. #F277 \$16,798*	NEW 2008 FORD F-250 Super Duty Stk. #F235 \$18,793*	NEW 2008 FORD EXPEDITION XLT Stk. #D345 \$24,892*

Owner Loyalty Take \$3000 Off+ Finance Thru Ford Credit Take Additional \$500 Off+ 68 Rangers In Stock At Various Prices College Grad Take \$500 Off+ Finance Thru Ford Motor Credit Take \$1000 Additional Off+ Owner Loyalty Take \$3000 Off+ Finance Thru Ford Credit Take Additional \$1000 Off+ Finance Thru Ford Motor Credit Take \$500 Off+ Finance Thru Ford Motor Credit Take Additional \$750 Off+

OVER 600 PRE-DRIVEN VEHICLES AVAILABLE!

6 YEAR/100,000 mi WARRANTY 2.9% APR Financing Available on Certified Pre-Owned Vehicles!

UNDER \$8,000	TRUCKS, VANS & SUVs	CARS
1995 OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS CIERA 5L Stk. #2821 \$3,850*	2002 FORD WINSTAR LX Stk. #F758 \$7,450*	2002 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GT Stk. #2829 \$9,450*
2000 FORD TAURUS SEL Stk. #2895 \$5,695*	2004 FORD ESCAPE XLT 4WD Stk. #2823 \$8,450*	2004 CHEVROLET IMPALA Stk. #F747 \$9,650*
2001 FORD EXPLORER SPORT XLT 4WD Stk. #2837 \$5,695*	2005 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY TOURING Stk. #2810 \$9,650*	2005 DODGE NEON SXT Stk. #2820 \$9,975*
2001 FORD EXPEDITION XLT Stk. #28348 \$6,695*	2003 JEEP LIBERTY SPORT Stk. #F5712 \$9,750*	2004 FORD MUSTANG DELUXE Stk. #28106 \$10,350*
2003 CHEVROLET CAVALIER Stk. #28493 \$6,795*	2002 CHEVROLET TRAILBLAZER LT 4WD Stk. #F5726 \$9,850*	2006 CHEVROLET COBLALT LS Stk. #28669 \$10,450*
2002 FORD ESCAPE XLT 4WD Stk. #2858 \$6,795*	2003 FORD ESCAPE XLT 4WD Stk. #2852 \$9,850*	2007 CHEVROLET AVEO LT Stk. #2827 \$10,550*
2001 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO 4WD Stk. #F468 \$7,295*	2002 SATURN VUE Stk. #2852 \$9,975*	2005 MITSUBISHI GALANT LS Stk. #28462 \$12,250*
2001 DODGE DAKOTA SPORT Stk. #F7474 \$7,395*	2003 MAZDA TRIBUTE LX Stk. #2823 \$10,450*	2006 FORD FOCUS ZX4 SE Stk. #F57265 \$12,650*
2003 FORD WINDSTAR Stk. #28512 \$7,395*	2004 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO 4WD Stk. #28452 \$10,950*	2004 CHRYSLER 300M Stk. #F5754 \$12,650*
2004 CHEVROLET IMPALA Stk. #F57456 \$7,950*	2003 DODGE RAM 1500 SLT CREW CAB Stk. #28234 \$11,250*	2003 NISSAN MAXIMA GLE Stk. #F5743 \$12,895*
1997 FORD F150 SUPER CAB XLT 4X4 Stk. #28241 \$7,950*	2004 MITSUBISHI ENDEAVOR XLS AWD Stk. #28236 \$11,450*	2006 FORD FUSION S Stk. #2854 \$12,950*
2004 NISSAN SENTRA 1.8S Stk. #F5722 \$7,950*	2004 GMC YUKON SLT 4WD Stk. #2865 \$14,650*	2007 HONDA CIVIC EX VTEC Stk. #F5740 \$14,850*
	2005 CHRYSLER PT CRUISER LIMITED Stk. #28553 \$16,295*	2008 NISSAN MAXIMA 3.5 SE Stk. #F5751 \$24,495*
	2007 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY TOURING Stk. #F57401 \$16,250*	2008 FORD MUSTANG GT Stk. #28523 \$25,550*
	2007 MITSUBISHI ENDEAVOR LS Stk. #F5727 \$16,450*	2008 INFINITI G35X AWD Stk. #F57472 \$30,950*
	2004 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE 4WD Stk. #F5736 \$16,550*	
	2006 MITSUBISHI RAIDER DUBO CROSS CREW CAB 4X4 Stk. #F5726 \$16,650*	
	2005 FORD EXPLORER SPORT TRAC XLT Stk. #2815 \$16,950*	
	2005 FORD FREESTYLE LIMITED AWD Stk. #F5762 \$17,975*	
	2004 LINCOLN AVIATOR PREMIUM AWD Stk. #F5751 \$18,450*	
	2008 CHEVROLET TRAILBLAZER LS 4WD Stk. #F5728 \$19,950*	
	2005 CHEVROLET AVALANCHE Z71 CREW CAB 4X4 Stk. #2820 \$20,250*	
	2005 FORD EXPLORER SPORT TRAC ADRENALINE 4WD Stk. #F5729 \$20,450*	
	2003 BMW X5 AWD Stk. #F57243 \$20,450*	
	2002 FORD F350 CHASSIS LX DUMP TRUCK 4WD Stk. #F5706 \$22,950*	
	2006 VOLVO XC90 2.5T AWD Stk. #F5746 \$24,450*	
	2006 FORD LOW CAB FORWARD (LFC) W/ 14' BOX Stk. #28513 \$24,850*	
	2005 FORD F250 LARIAT CREW CAB 4X4 Stk. #2824 \$25,550*	
	2008 HUMMER H3 4WD Stk. #F5724 \$25,950*	

MADE MISTAKES? GET FORGIVEN AND DRIVE HOME TODAY!

24 HOUR CREDIT HOTLINE 800-260-0500 APPLY ONLINE AT... www.fordoffrankfort.com

Currie Motors NICE PEOPLE TO DO BUSINESS WITH Sales & Service Open until 10pm! 9423 W. LINCOLN HIGHWAY FRANKFORT, IL 60423

FORD of FRANKFORT

866-YES-FORD 866-937-3673

www.fordoffrankfort.com

*Plus tax, title, license & doc fee. Includes factory rebates when applicable in lieu of financing offers. **To qualified buyers with approved credit. Photos for illustration purposes only & may not reflect the actual vehicle. Dealer not responsible for pricing errors in this advertisement. Prices and offers expire 2 days from publication date. -Employee Price excludes taxes, title, license and documentary service fees. Employee pricing available on 2008 F-Series Pickups through F-350, excluding chassis and Harley models. Take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 7/31/08. -Based on Executive Information System Dealer Readiness for Ford Lincoln All All Retail Truck dealers for 2007. -†Must be an identical equipped vehicle in stock. Dealer reserves the right to verify deal. All offers apply only to new retail deliveries taken from dealer stock within the applicable advertised time period. Offers do not apply to lease, wholesale or prior sales. -*See Dealer for Details. -**Offer available to current owners of '08 or newer Ford vehicles with valid proof of ownership. Trade-in not required. Not available on Fleet/Lease. Take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 7/31/2008. See dealer for complete details. -+Must Qualify and Finance through FMC to receive rebate. -***Customer must show proof of ownership of a Non-Ford vehicle are eligible for the Competitive rebate. -+Financing subject to credit approval and availability. 0% financing for 72 months on 2008 Ford Expeditions in lieu of rebates to qualified buyers and ends 7/31/08. -72 months at \$13.89 per month per \$1,000 financed at 0% (per 1) with \$0 down on 2008 Ford Expeditions. Finance rate varies depending on credit worthiness of customer as determined by Ford Motor Credit Company. Some customers will not qualify.

FACTORY CARS SPECIAL SALE

FINAL DAYS
 WE'RE KEEPING OUR DOORS OPEN LATE SO YOU'LL HAVE TIME TO SHOP AND SAVE DURING THE FINAL DAYS OF THIS EXCITING OFFER!

CHRYSLER CREDIT

REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PREMISES FOR INSTANT CREDIT APPROVAL

200 CARS OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC REGARDLESS OF PROFIT

BRAND NEW 2008 JEEP®
PATRIOT
 SAVE ON GAS!
28 MPG
 HWY
\$15,995
 Stk# 7211J-8 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

FINAL DAYS
\$2.99
GAS
 GUARANTEE
 CHRYSLER Jeep
 OFFER ENDS JULY 31

BRAND NEW 2008 JEEP®
COMPASS
 SAVE ON GAS!
28 MPG
 HWY
\$16,995
 Stk# 6058J-8 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

BRAND NEW 2008 CHRYSLER
PT CRUISER
 Stk# 1010-8
 Automatic Air Conditioning
\$13,995
 Only...

BRAND NEW 2008 CHRYSLER
SEBRING SEDAN LXI
 Stk# 5020-8
\$16,995
 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

BRAND NEW 2008 CHRYSLER
TOWN & COUNTRY
 Stk# 7206-8
\$17,995
 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

BRAND NEW 2008 JEEP®
LIBERTY
 Stk# 2077J-8
\$17,995
 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

BRAND NEW 2008 CHRYSLER
300
 Loaded, V6, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, tilt, cruise.
\$19,995
 Stk# 2008-8 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

BRAND NEW 2008 CHRYSLER
SEBRING CONVERTIBLE
 TOURING EDITION Loaded, MYGIG multimedia entertainment system, V6, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, tilt, cruise.
\$22,895
 Stk# 9032-8 Only...
 LIFETIME POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

1998 DODGE AVENGER Loaded, V6 automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks. ONLY... \$5995	1998 HONDA PASSPORT EX 4X4 Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, Triple Black. ONLY... \$5995	2001 CHEVY IMPALA LS Loaded, moonroof, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, red and ready! ONLY... \$6995	2002 HYUNDAI ELANTRA Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, 46k miles. ONLY... \$6995	2002 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE 4X4 Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, keyless entry, full power. ONLY... \$7995	2004 CHRYSLER SEBRING Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, tilt, cruise. ONLY... \$7995	2000 PONTIAC FIREBIRD Loaded, auto, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, tilt, cruise. ONLY... \$7995
2004 CHRYSLER PACIFICA AWD Loaded, leather interior, moonroof, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, chrome wheels, navigation! ONLY... \$9,995	2000 BMW 323CI Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, auto, air, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, aluminum wheels, black w/ tan leather! ONLY... \$10,995	2004 PONTIAC GRAND AM GT Loaded, moonroof, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, keyless entry. ONLY... \$10,995	2004 CHEVY IMPALA LS Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, automatic, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, keyless. ONLY... \$11,995	2004 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LIMITED 4X4 Loaded, leather interior, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks. ONLY... \$11,995	2005 DODGE STRATUS RT COUPE Loaded, V6 automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD. ONLY... \$12,995	2004 TOYOTA SOLARA Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks. ONLY... \$14,995

WE WILL FINANCE YOU

- 1ST TIME BUYERS • NO CREDIT • SENIOR CITIZEN • SINGLE • WIDOWED • DIVORCED • MARRIED
- NEW TO THIS COUNTRY • NO PROOF OF INCOME • SELF-EMPLOYED • A USED CAR FOR EVERY BUDGET

EVERYBODY DRIVES REGARDLESS OF CREDIT

18 OR OLDER NO CO-SIGNER

2005 SCION TC Loaded, leather interior, moonroof, auto, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, one owner, low miles. ONLY... \$14,995	2007 VOLKSWAGEN BEETLE Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, automatic, air, full power, keyless entry, remainder of factory warranty. ONLY... \$14,995	2005 MITSUBISHI GALANT GTS Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, auto, air, power windows, power locks, one owner. ONLY... \$15,995	2006 BUICK LUCERNE CXL Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, power windows, power locks. ONLY... \$15,995	2007 JEEP LIBERTY LIMITED 4X4 Loaded, V6 automatic, power windows, power locks, 14k certified miles. ONLY... \$15,995	2005 LEXUS ES 330 Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, heated seats, power windows, power locks. Stk# 6-730P-8 ONLY... \$16,995	2007 DODGE DAKOTA SLT QUAD CAB 4X4 Loaded, auto, air, full power, low miles, like new. ONLY... \$16,995
2007 FORD FUSION SEL Loaded, moonroof, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, remainder of factory warranty. ONLY... \$16,995	2008 DODGE AVENGER Loaded, moonroof, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, keyless entry, factory certified. ONLY... \$16,995	2008 SATURN AURA XE Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, keyless entry, tilt, cruise. ONLY... \$16,995	2004 JEEP WRANGLER SPORT 4X4 Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, only 28k miles, running boards, hard top-soft top, tilt, cruise. ONLY... \$17,995	2005 CADILLAC CTS Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, 3.6 V6 automatic, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, keyless. ONLY... \$17,995	2005 DODGE RAM 1500 QUAD CAB SLT 4X4 Loaded, auto, air, full power, chrome wheels, bedliner, one owner! ONLY... \$17,995	2006 DODGE CHARGER Loaded, moonroof, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, factory certified, 24" chrome wheels. ONLY... \$17,995
2007 TOYOTA COROLLA S Loaded, automatic, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, remainder of factory warranty. Stk# 6-751P-8 ONLY... \$18,995	2005 HONDA ACCORD EX Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, heated seats, full power, 16k certified miles. Stk# 6-750P-8 ONLY... \$19,995	2004 CADILLAC ESCALADE 4X4 Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, power windows, power locks, keyless entry, running boards, chrome wheels. ONLY... \$21,995	2006 CADILLAC STS Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, navigation, automatic, full power, black beauty! ONLY... \$21,995	2005 AUDI A4 2.0T QUATTRO Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, automatic, air, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD. ONLY... \$23,995	2006 DODGE CHARGER R/T Fully loaded, leather interior, moonroof, auto, air, power windows, power locks, am/fm/CD, factory certified. ONLY... \$23,995	2007 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE SRT-8 Fully loaded, 6.1L HEMI V8, leather interior, moonroof, navigation, full power. ONLY... \$36,995

4630 W. 95th St. Shop 24/7 at MANCARI.com 4630 W. 95th St.

MANCARI'S OAK LAWN CHRYSLER ★ JEEP® 888-423-0910

WE ACCEPT ILLINOIS RELAY CALLS FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED.

*Let's Refuel America Bonus Cash Program available on new 2008 Chryslers & Jeeps, \$2.99 per gal. gas based on 12,000 miles/year, must have valid VISA/MC, \$2.00 additional fee per fill-up (excludes Wranglers, Crossfires & SRTs), new car advertised price in lieu of apr and gas card, air, taxes and incentives assigned to dealer, see dealer for details, offer ends July 31st, 2008. Manufacturer offers subject to change without notice. Add tax, title, lic. & doc. fee to all advertised prices. Dealer will not honor errors in this advertisement. Photos for illustrative purpose only.

the ROSEN
AUTOMOTIVE
family *great cars great people*

ROSEN HONDA



"What Can I Say, I'm A Giver."

MODEL YEAR-END CLEARANCE

0.9%* APR AVAILABLE

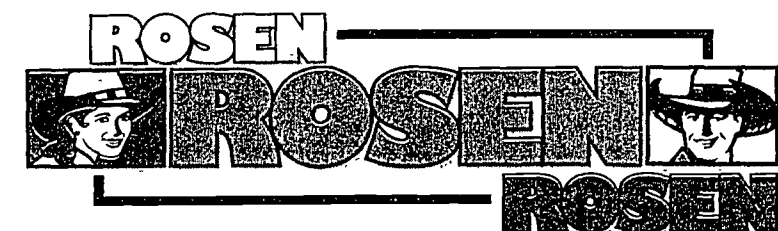
LOW PRICES, SPECIAL FINANCING & LOW LEASES AVAILABLE NOW
ROSEN HONDA is offering massive savings on massive inventory for a limited time during this MODEL YEAR-END CLEARANCE EVENT. All buyers have the opportunity for incredible savings, low leases and low financing. While supplies last. SHOP EARLY FOR BEST SELECTION.

MAXIMUM CASH PAID FOR ALL TRADE-INS

We will pay the maximum cash value on all trade-in vehicles regardless of condition or mileage. Buyers and appraisers will be on site to pay you cash regardless of what is owed on your vehicle.

MASSIVE INVENTORY WILL BE SOLD - DON'T MISS IT!

• ACCORDS • CIVICS • PILOTS • CR-VS • ODYSSEYS • ELEMENTS • RIDGELINES • S2000S • FITS PLUS WE HAVE A HUGE SELECTION OF CERTIFIED PRE-OWNED HONDAS



ROSEN HONDA IN GURNEE
7000 Grand Avenue Just Off I-94,
Half Mile West of Gurnee Mills



SHOP 24/7/365
AT ROSENHONDA.COM

CALL 888-300-0113

RECREATION

- S- 5 AIRPLANES
- S-10 BOATS POWER
- S-11 BOATS SAIL
- S-12 BOATS SUPPLIES
- S-20 SEASONAL SPORTS
- S-22 RECREATIONAL VEHICLES
- S-25 MOTORCYCLES SCOOTERS

S-10 BOATS POWER

Two '02 YAMAHA GP1200 PWC w. dbl. trailer, 2 Nds. motor, Fast Sale \$4200 708-267-3778

FISHING EQUIP

Down Riggers, rod holders rod reels transom bar & tackle \$1-\$300 312-771-8839

'89 27 ft. CHAPARRAL

twin V6 Merc. aft. cabin w/trailer & gas, \$10,000 obo. 708-614-4566

S-22 Recreational Vehicles

Itasca 2005 Meridian MH 40' 3 slides & loaded w/ luxury Excellent cond. 16K Miles MUST SELL due to health 60% off New Only \$126,000 Champaign, IL (217) 369-0068

S-25 MOTORCYCLES SCOOTERS

KAWASAKI '07 1500 FI-Bik 500mi, New '08, under warranty, windshield, handbags, rack, sissy bar, \$8700 713-919-0590

HARLEY DAVIDSON '04 ROADKING

Low Mi. exc. cond. Many Extras's. Mint Cond. \$15,000/Obo. 773-719-9227

Suzuki GS500F '07

\$3,950 800-567-0926

HARLEY '78 Davidson-Sportster

Roy, for summer fun. Runs & like gd. tires \$3500 obo. 630-372-7006

Automotive

- T- 5 FOR SALE IMPORTS
- T- 6 CUSTOM MODIFIED
- T- 7 SERVICE
- T- 9 ANTIQUE CARS
- T- 10 VANS
- T- 11 SUV
- T- 12 TRUCKS
- T- 13 TRAILERS
- T- 14 RENT
- T- 15 LEASE
- T- 16 FINDERS SERVICE
- T- 17 SERVICE REPAIR
- T- 18 TOWING
- T- 19 PARTS AND ACCESS
- T- 21 LOANS
- T- 22 INSURANCE
- T- 23 AUTOS WANTED
- T- 25 FOR SALE DOMESTIC
- T- 26 LIMOUSINES

T-5 FOR SALE IMPORTS

ACCURA '97 2.6 TL 4dr. runs like, exc. cond. \$11,995 773-615-9019

'03 Audi A8

#VU02934 \$9,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

Audi '99 A8

#K6056 \$8,995 CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

BMW '99 740Li silver. Navl. sys.

sunr. cd. lthr. 19" sport whis. full loaded. exc. cond. \$9,500. Call 708-612-4588

HONDA '07 CIVIC HYBRID

4dr. runs like grt. all pwr. ac. 4dr. 57MPG. under wtry. runs grt. \$21,000 obo. 219-455-8309

'03 Honda Civic SI

#S082144 \$7,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

HONDA '99 ACCORD EX Auto.

Red. 2 DR. Lthr. Smr. Cold A/C. Full Pwr. Beauty. \$3,900. 773-271-4029

HONDA '99 CIVIC EX Bk.

2 DR. Smr. Full Pwr. Exc. MPG. Must Sell \$2,300. 773-729-9639

HONDA '97 CIVIC DX silver. 2dr.

stick. alloys, runs excel. gas saver. Must Tyl. \$1,600. 773-989-0102

HONDAS FOR \$500!

Police Impounds! For Listings 800-473-7523 x3436

HONDA '95 CIVIC

4 dr. auto. blue. 92K mi. \$2,950. 773-612-5802

HONDA '92 ACCORD EX

Beige. auto. full pwr., 25K mi. cln. runs grt. \$1,650 512-217-1608

HONDA '91 ACCORD

4 dr. full power, good cond. auto., \$1,595. 773-394-8122

HYUNDAI '01 SONATA

very cln. runs well, all options. \$1,700. Call 708-698-3150

HYUNDAI '01 XG300L silver & blk.

lthr. cd. cass. pwr. seats, sunr. 7th. 1 owner. car. left. extra clean. \$4800. 847-312-0883

'05 Infiniti G35X

#VU1187 \$18,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

INFINITI '97 J30.

Very Clean. Fully Loaded, Ice Cold A/C. Rebuilt Tyle. \$3,600. 773-742-8013

Kia Rio '05

#S70254 \$5,995 800-567-0926

KIA '02 RIO auto., 4dr., 4

cylsdr. Boat., Asking \$2500 Firm. 773-615-9019

Lexus GS430 '05

#X6048 \$21,995 800-567-0926

MAZDA '96 Protogo LX

4dr. runs like, exc. 4cyl. V6. Very dndbl. \$1850 obo. 773-615-9019

'08 Mazda Rabbit

#VU1183 \$15,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

MITSUBISHI '93 DIAMANTE 4 DR.

Runs like, Exc. Stereo, Alloy. Pwr. A/c. Shiny. \$1,850. 773-621-0411

Nissan Sentra '06

#P140668 \$5,995 800-567-0926

Nissan '01 Maxima

#P142484 \$6,889 CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

NISSAN '01 SENTRA SE

4cyl. runs like grt. all pwr. ac. 4dr. Habo Espanol. \$3,900 773-209-4936

'08 Nissan Altima

#S2928 \$6,981 866-407-1351

NISSAN '99 ALTIMA GXE 90K

mi. blk. 4dr. stick. cold A/C. Full pwr. alloys. \$1,700. 773-989-0102

NISSAN '99 MAXIMA 4 dr. auto.

loaded. lthr. smr. spoiler. 75K. CD. A/C. ABS. cln \$5350. 773-587-3542

Nissan '97 Sentra

#381414A \$2,995 Call 888-679-2244 GlendaleNissan.com

NISSAN '96 ALTIMA cln in &

out. cold A/C. 2nd owner. runs like new. \$1,375. 708-804-8081

NISSAN '96 SENTRA-115K mi.

4 Drs. Xtr. cln. cold a/c \$2700 Obo. 708-257-7148

'93 Nissan Maxima 4DR

Nissan. Air. Clean. Runs Great. Gas Saver \$1995 Midway Motor 708-656-5756

NISSAN '93 MAXIMA. Auto.

Tan. 4 Dr. Lthr. Alloys. Exc. MPG. Must Sell \$900. 773-729-9639

\$500! Police Impounds!

Cars from \$500! For Listings 1-800-473-7523 XC436

SAAB '96 900 S- 4dr., 4cyl.

auto. gas saver, alloys, stereo. lks new. \$1,350 obo 773-764-1022

SUBARU '02 IMPREZA WRX

70K mi. \$7,900 obo. Call 773-934-5535

'07 Toyota Matrix

Webb Chevy \$15,450 866-455-0684

'05 Toyota Solara

#VU1193 \$13,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

TOYOTA '97 CAMRY LE

Auto. 4 Cyl. A/C. New Bat. & Brakes. Great Cond. Low Mi. \$3,900 Obo. 773-272-1234

TOYOTA '95 CAMRY LE Cpe.

runs like, exc. cond. Sun. Clean. 113K. \$3,500. Call 708-932-4658

TOYOTA '93 COROLLA 83K

auto. blk. 4 dr. alloys, gas saver. Must Tyl. \$1,500. 773-271-7246

TOYOTA '92 CAMRY LE 4 DR.

4dr. runs like, exc. 4cyl. V6. Gas Sav. \$1,375 obo. 708-804-8081

Volvo S60 '02

#R00224 \$9,995 800-567-0926

VW '02 GOLF TOI S spd.

50 MPG. \$4,995. Call 708-935-3988

VW '99 PASSAT GLS 90K all

pwr. mfr. blk lthr. A/C, nrs. trans., \$2,300. 773-209-4936 Habo Espanol

VW '96 PASSAT GLX V6 auto.

73K mi. 4dr. blk. smr. alloys. Must Sell \$1,700. 773-907-2261

VW '95 PASSAT GLX 4dr. runs

excl. 98K ong. mi. excl. MPG. no rust/dents. all pwr. \$1,800 obo. 773-440-7975/ 773-499-6934

T-9 ANTIQUE CARS

CHEVY '57 BELAIR -2DR. HT. re-stored, frame off, show car, 21 options, including factory AC ong. Texas car, no rust. 350 auto. \$45,000 773-638-1768

FORD '72 MUSTANG GT. Bumper

To Bumper Restoration. Too Much To List. \$25K. 630-235-8501

BUICK '53 SPECIAL 4 dr. 18. AT.

powder blue-white, beautiful car, moving. \$9,500 obo. 708-856-5595

PONTIAC '54 4 DR. Auto.

All Orig. Fully Restored. Runs Exc. \$4,600 Obo. 773-407-1629

PLYMOUTH '66 FURY 4 dr. VIP.

new rebuilt motor, new lthr. inter. \$2,800 obo. Call 773-294-7835

T-10 VANS

CHEVY '06 EXPRESS 2500 76K. \$11,800. White. grt cond. 815-888-4554

CHEVY '05 Express Cargo -lo

mi. excl. cond. Custm. shelving. alarm. \$14K obo. 630-405-4948

CHEVY '02 EXPRESS CARGO

1 Owner. Exc. Cond. New Trans. \$2,800 Obo. 773-563-3920

CHEVY '02 Venture LS dual pwr.

sliding drs. all pwr. CD. 3rd row seat. \$4,600. 773-209-4936 Habo Espanol

'00 Chevy Astro Conv. Van

Loaded. \$5,995 888-355-5031

CHEVY '97 ASTRO VAN LT

7 Pass. Brown. Full Pwr. Alloys. Brand New. \$2,000. 773-907-2276

'96 Chevy Astro Conv. Van

Loaded! \$2,495 888-355-5031

CHEVY '93 SUBURBAN

By Starcraft, 4x4, 7 Pass. 4 Dr. Wht. Lthr. Full Pwr. Alloys. Must Sell \$1,500. 773-729-9639

CHRYSLER '02 Twn & Cntry

7 pass. lthr. pwr drs. 1 owner. excl. cond. \$5900 obo. 708-663-2638

Chrysler '00 Grand Voyager

gold. 117K mi. \$3,300 out the door. Call 773-822-4179

HONDA '04 Odyssey EXL

Mini Van. silver. loaded w. leather & new Michelin tires. gar. kept. in mint cond. \$15,700 708-425-7855

Chrysler '95 Eagle Summit

4cyl. auto. very gd. cond. low mi. \$750 obo. Call 773-679-0032

Dodge '05 Caravan SE

CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

Dodge '05 Grand Caravan SE

CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

DOODGE '05 GRAND CARAVAN 5XT

MINT COND. 57K PW/POL/CD AC \$8400 OBO 773-830-0301

Dodge Caravan '02

#B50204 \$5,995 800-567-0926

Dodge '02 Ram Conv. Van

#84095 \$6,989 CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

'00 Dodge Ram 1500 Conv. V6

80K mi. One Owner. Auto. Great on Gas. Fully loaded w/ CD changer \$1900 773-403-0760

DOODGE '99 GRAND CARAVAN

SPORT. Fully Loaded. Dual Sliding Doors. Front & Rear Air. Runs & Looks Exc. \$2,300. 773-562-8435

DOODGE '98 GRAND CARAVAN SE

91K. A/C. Cond. Gar. Kept. Clean. Pkg. Loaded. \$3,775. 847-383-3714

Dodge '98 Conv. Van

#81155A \$3,995 Call 888-679-2244 GlendaleNissan.com

DODGE '98 Grand Caravan SE

4dr. lks/drives like new. CD. A/C. grt on gas. \$1,900. 773-964-8491

FORD '05 E250 CARGO VAN

1500. runs like exc. dndbl. shape. \$6,900 firm. \$47-691-1625

FORD '04 E250 van grt. alum.

A/C. lthr. rack. perf. dndbl. \$4,400 Habo Espanol 773-209-4936

'01 Ford Windstar

LTHR. PWR. 00ERS. TILT \$6,995 888-355-5031

*Ford '01 Windstar Sport SE *

blk. lthr. ht. all pwr. fully loaded. nrs/ lks excl. \$3,900 obo. 773-627-2571

Ford '98 E-250 Cargo Van

#47728 \$4,989 CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

T-11 SUV
FORD '94 Explorer 2 Dr. Sport, auto, 4x4, ec, all pwr, moon roof, Low mileage, \$14,000 Obo 708-925-1663
FORD '94 Explorer leather interior, sun roof, CD player, \$1600 OBO 708-523-3625
GMC Acadia '07 #P80462A \$24,995 800-567-0926
'03 GMC Yukon WebB Chevy \$13,950 866-455-0684
GMC '02 ENVOY 4x4, Exc. Cond. 6 Cyl, 39,400 Obo. Call 773-968-0319
GMC '02 ENVOY SLT Lthr. Int. 4x4, CD Pwr, Front & Rear A/C, Exc. Cond. 1 Owner. 68K, Kept. \$7,700 Obo. 773-433-0291
GMC '99 SUBURBAN 4x4, Clean in & Out, Runs Exc. \$3,700 Obo. 773-499-0150
GMC '98 ENVOY 4x4, 4 DR. Blk. Lthr. Cold A/C, Alloys. Full Pwr. Runs Perf. Must Sell \$3,300. Call 773-907-2261
GMC '96 JIMMY 4x4, Lthr. CD, A/C, lks & runs ext. \$2,000. 773-615-6315
'95 GMC Jimmy 4WD, PDL, P.W. Cruise \$2,495 866-355-5031
'05 Hyundai Sante Fe GLS WebB Chevy \$12,450 866-455-0684
INFINITI '99 QX4 4x4, tan, lthr. strif. 5 CD chng, pwr. seat, 12K, new tires. 1 Owner, gar. kept. \$5,800 Obo. 773-603-9045
'02 Jeep Liberty #H51184 \$7,981 866-407-1351
JEOP '01 CHEROKEE SPORT 4x4, 4 DR, 5K, Green, 4 Cyl, 1 Owner, Extra Clean, \$4,500. 773-322-3976
Jeep Wrangler '00 #P10187A \$5,995 800-567-0926
JEOP '99 GRAND CHEROKEE Laredo, 4x4, green, 4 dr., leather, full pwr, alloys, clean, perfect. \$3,200. Call 773-907-2276
Jeep '99 Grand Cherokee Laredo 4x4, v6, gty, lthr. CD, casset, pwr. seats, new tires, 84K, 1 owner, gar. kept. \$4,300. Call 773-312-0883

JEEP '98 CHEROKEE SPORT. 4x4, Blk, 4 DR, Snrf, Full Pwr, CD, Alloys, Must Sell! \$1,200. 773-907-2276
JEOP '86 GRAND CHEROKEE LTD. 4x4, Silver, Snrf, Lthr, Fully Loaded, Exc. Cond. \$5,500. 708-912-4589
JEOP '97 CHEROKEE Laredo, 4x4, 4 dr., full pwr, runs exc. cold air. \$2,450 obo. 708-529-3665
Jeop '96 Grand Cherokee Laredo 4x4, Excel. Cond., Sunroof, \$2,700. Call 773-949-6047
JEOP '95 GRAND CHEROKEE 4x4, lks & drives like new. CD, A/C, \$2,200. 773-964-9451
JEOP '93 CHEROKEE-4 dr. gtd. cond., very low mi., gar. kept. \$2100 773-246-1470
Land Rover '98 Range Rover 4WD, 4.0, lthr. snrf, Low Mi, Loaded, exc. cond., \$5,900, 708-203-4800
'02 Mazda Tribute #R8241A \$10,581 866-407-1351
Mazda '01 Tribute 4WD, runs/nls gtd, spectacular cond. in & out, 68K mi., \$7,200 obo. 630-562-6594
MERCEDES '01 ML320 3.0 V6 Loaded, New Tires, 70K MI, Auto, Exc. Cond. \$9750 Obo 708-927-3076
'05 Mercury Mountaineer #H9251A \$13,981 866-407-1351
Mitsubishi '02 Montero 4x4 #P12968H \$5,789 \$8,000 NOW! 888-695-7313
'94 Mitsubishi Montero elderly driven, runs new, sunroof \$3,400 773-936-9676
'09 Nissan Murano #P6655 \$29,981 866-407-1351
PONTIAC '02 AZTEK v6, cd, runs gtd, all pwr, cd, cold AC, \$4,300 773-209-4936 Hablo Espanol
'01 Subaru Forester AWD, AUTO, AC, ROOF \$6,595 888-355-5031
SUZUKI '00 GRAND VITARA 4x4, Green, 4 DR, Full Pwr, CD, Alloys, Gorgeous. \$2,500. 773-271-4029
TOYOTA '96 ARUNNER SRT auto, 5 dr, lthr, cd, 25MPG, excl. cond., \$4,300. 773-370-7416
'07 Volvo XC70 Cross Country #VU1143 \$24,995 Grossinger Volvo 800-783-9489

T-12 TRUCKS
'01 Chevy Silverado #B3050A \$6,981 866-407-1351
CHEVY '99 5-10 PICKUP 90K mi., silver, slick, CD, gas saver, Must Sell \$2,700. 773-989-0102
CHEVY '97 LUMINA Runs, selling cheap \$1,399. Call 773-330-9583
'96 Chevy Silverado #M4101A \$5,981 866-407-1351
CHEVY '96 SILVERADO Ext. Cab Pickup, 271 Offroad, Exc Shape, Good Work Tite, New Toolbox, Must Sell, \$2,400 obo. 773-563-3820
CHEVY '96 TAHOE 1500 LS 4dr., blue, full pwr, CD, alloys, georgeous. \$3,500 773-989-0102
'95 Chevy C1500 2WD, AUTO, AC, PW \$2,995 888-355-5031
CHEVY '95 TAHOE 1500 LS, blk., full pwr, CD, best must see, \$1900 773-274-4029
CHEVY '95 TAHOE 1500 LT 4x4, Low Mi, Green, 4 DR, Lthr, Full Pwr, Alloys, CD, Gorgeous, Must Sell \$3,700. 773-729-9639
CHEVY '94 1500 Silverado Pick Up 68Kmi, maroon, alloys, nice body, Must Try! \$1,900. 773-907-2261
CHEVY '94 1500 PICKUP W/Camper, Red, Lthr, Alloys, CD, Runs Great. \$1,900. 773-259-9639
CHEVY '94 STAKE BED C3500 Ext. Cab, auto, ac, 6.5 Turbo diesel. \$3700 Obo. 630-532-3130
DODGE '01 DAKOTA SLT Pick Up w/cargo cover, air cab, blk, full pwr, alloys, georgeous, \$3,900. 773-271-7246
'95 Dodge Ram 1500 AWD, AC, AUTO, \$2,695 888-355-5031
'04 Ford Ranger 4x4 #R5282A \$7,981 866-407-1351
Ford Ranger '02 #570115A \$5,995 800-567-0926
FORD '00 F150 XLT 4 X 4 runs & looks gt, cold AC, all pwr. \$3600 Hablo Espanol. 773-209-4936
FORD '00 XLT 150 runs & looks like new, all pwr., cold AC, tonneau cover \$4400 Hablo Espanol. 773-209-4936
FORD '99 RANGER XLT Super cab, low miles, very clean, a/c, cruise, Cargo cap, \$5,500 obo. Call 773-789-4687
FORD '96 BRONCO XLT Cust. Paint, Kenwood Sound Sys, Tires, Lys, Rides Good, \$2,500 obo. 815-409-8916

T-19 PARTS AND ACCESS
'67-'72 CAMARO/NOVA/ CHEVETTE body panels, new ropes, fenders, hoods, wheel houses, and SS emblems. \$20-\$300. 708-903-2474
GM AUTOMATIC TRANS F75 \$100 & 3800 ENGINE \$350, 2 WHEEL DILLY \$500. 708-370-1557
17" GM 2007 & Up, American Racing rims & tires, 6 bolts. \$650. 773-259-1297
Transmissions & Engines New & Used, Low Mileage, \$250-\$3,000. 708-728-1175
24 in. Rims & Tires. 6 Bolt. Fits GM & Chevy Truck, Good Cond. \$2,000 Obo. 773-430-2770
T-21 LOANS
Best Rates on Car Loans
sunriseEZloans.com
 car loans made EZ

T-23 AUTOS WANTED
Call The Junk Car King
 24/7 Weekends & Nights
 Any Condition Dead or Alive
 If Running Up To \$500
 Free Pick Up at Any Location
708-489-KING (5464)

Get Cash Now!
A & B Pay
\$500-\$25,000
Cash!
 24/7 For your car

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 with or without titles!
708-829-9644

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O Titles
 Running or Not
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

MIKE'S JUNKING
 We Buy Junk Cars w/ or w/o titles
708-296-0631

\$\$\$ TOP CASH \$\$\$
 For your Junk Cars, Trucks, Vans
 Free Tow 708-692-6199

CASH FOR JUNK CARS DEAD OR
 ALIVE! LOST TITLES OKAY!
773-392-6273

WE PAY BIG CASH FOR JUNK
 CARS PICK UP SAME DAY
773-934-6213 CELL 7 DAYS

CASH FOR JUNK CARS & TRUCKS. Same Day Pick-up!
 773-677-5978 or 312-226-8012

\$\$\$ Most Cash Guaranteed For
 Your Vehicle! **708-963-JUNK 5665**

T-26 FOR SALE DOMESTIC
Buick Lacrosse Cert. '08
 #B70195A \$18,995 800-567-0926

'08 Buick Lacrose CXS WebB Chevy \$18,950 866-455-0684
BUICK '01 LaSabre- exc! fully loaded. No rust or dents. \$2500 773-776-5127
Buick 1999-2006
 For More Selection and Better Prices Go To TIMESDEALS.COM
'98 Buick LaSabe \$2300
'96 Olds Sierra \$1600
'93 Pontiac Bonneville \$1100
 3377 N. Millwaukee 773-282-1098
 visit samsautochicago.com
Buick '96 LaSabre fully loaded, ac, lthr, 4 dr, lthr. snrf, 68K mi. \$2800 Obo 773-552-9699
Buick '96 Park Avenue #380421B \$1,595 Call 888-679-2244 GlendaleNissan.com
Buick '96 Park Avenue Ultra White, 4dr lthr, snrf, CD. Must Sell \$1,500. 773-989-0102
Buick '94 Park Ave 4 dr., good cond., full-power. \$1,595. Call 773-384-8122
'Buick '84 LESABRE LTD. 4dr. super cin. V6, 95K mi, all orig. 2nd owner. \$1,500. 708-653-7229
BUICK '84 REGAL 350 Chevy motor, 4dr, 4 doors, TV/Radio, duals, sounds, dubs, complete body wrk. \$3,500. 773-932-4308
BUICK '65 ELECTRA 225 classic mini cond., 4 dr. 45,000 all orig. \$10,000/obo. Must Sell 847-933-3417
***CAD. '00 DEVILLE * pearl** white w/blue top. Fully loaded, A/C, 108K, looks & runs like new. \$4,800. 773-526-9690
CAD. '98 DEVILLE CONCORSE loaded. CD, A/C, chrome whls, lks /runs exc!. \$3,200. 773-629-4159
CAD '97 SEVILLE Sil., 4dr., mnt cond. all lthr, mnt. AC, heat, CD changer, runs & lks gtd. \$3,100/obo. 503-710-7926
CAD. '95 DEVILLE Runs Good, A/C, Clean. \$1,800 Obo. 773-543-5179
CAD. '90 DEVILLE fully loaded, lthr, snrf, ment cond. \$2K mi., \$1,400 obo. 630-201-5435
CAD. '87 SEDAN DEVILLE Wht. 4 DR, Red, Lthr, Full Pwr, Runs Outstanding. Must Try! \$1,000. 773-259-9639
Cadillac CTS Cert. '05 #K6154 \$16,995 800-567-0926
'05 Cadillac STS WebB Chevy \$18,950 866-455-0684
Cadillac '97 Deville #380389A \$2,995 Call 888-679-2244 GlendaleNissan.com
'97 Cadillac Deville \$695 down + TTL \$69 weekly! Call Shery. 630-295-8000
CADILLAC '93 Sedan Deville- Gold, runs/lke, gtd, gar. Must Sell \$1250. 708-407-5061
'06 Chevrolet Impala LT WebB Chevy \$18,950 866-455-0684

Auto Loan
HAVE YOU BEEN TURNED DOWN BY A BANK, CAR DEALER OR FINANCE COMPANY?
WE CAN HELP YOU!
 Bad Credit, Slow Credit, Reposs, Judgements OKAY!
WHY BUY A LEMON? OWN A 2008 TODAY!
 Ask For Kevin
630-832-9894
Howard
 Buick • Pontiac • GMC • Hyundai
AUTO GROUP
 MONTANA ROE POLSKI/SERVIABLE ESPANOL

GET APPROVED NETWORK
 WE OWN THE FINANCE COMPANY
 At **Bill Kay** in Midlothian
 WE WILL GET YOU APPROVED!
 GOOD CREDIT? BAD CREDIT? NO CREDIT?
 ALL APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED!
 APPLY ONLINE AT
www.GetApprovedNetwork.com
 OR CALL OUR 24 HOUR HOTLINE...
877-438-7366
Bill Kay Ford • Midlothian • 14633 S. Cicero Ave.

Call Today Drive Today
 Yes! You can drive TODAY!
 Yes! We Can Finance Almost ANYONE!
 Yes! It Just Takes a PHONE CALL
We Own The Finance Company
708-597-8800

NEED CASH NOW?
 Highest Price paid for Junk Cars Running or Not W/ or w/o Titles
 Amis Transport 773-269-9836

WE PAY CASH FOR JUNK CARS
 W/ or W/O Titles
 Running or Not
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 with or without titles!
708-829-9644

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 GET CASH NOW!!!
 R & K TOWING 773-544-2852

WE PAY THE BEST FOR JUNK CARS & TRUCKS!
 Free Same Day P/U!
708-656-9831 / 708-795-8815

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 RUNNING OR NOT
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 RUNNING OR NOT
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 RUNNING OR NOT
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 RUNNING OR NOT
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

WE BUY JUNK CARS!
 W/ or W/O TITLES!
 RUNNING OR NOT
 Will pick up TODAY!
708-289-8490

Visit Us Online At ParkPlazaDodge.com

FREE GAS IF YOUR NOT APPROVED FOR A NEW DODGE!

HUNDREDS OF NEW DODGES AVAILABLE!

LIFETIME WARRANTY

'08 CHALLENGER 3 IN TRANSIT - 2 IN STOCK! GET YOURS TODAY!

2.99! PER GALLON! GAS! GUARANTEE!

<p>NEW DODGE CALIBER SE</p> <p>PW, PL, AC, STK#8357</p> <p>29 MPG</p> <p>\$209 PER MONTH*</p>	<p>NEW DODGE GRAND CARAVAN</p> <p>POWER STEERING, AC, PW, PL, TILT, STK#8077</p> <p>24 MPG</p> <p>\$275 PER MONTH*</p>	<p>NEW DODGE NITRO SXT</p> <p>V6, AC, PW, PL, CD, STK#8129</p> <p>22 MPG</p> <p>\$295 PER MONTH*</p>	<p>NEW DODGE JOURNEY SXT</p> <p>6-DISC CD W/DVD & MP3, PW, PL, TILT, CRUISE, AC, STK#9011</p> <p>25 MPG</p> <p>\$312 PER MONTH*</p>	<p>NEW DODGE RAM 1500 QUAD CAB SXT</p> <p>4.7L V8, AUTO, AC, CHROME WHLS, PWR EVERYTHING! STK#8447 MSRP=\$31,330*</p> <p>ADDITIONAL \$1,000 REBATE (LIMIT FINANCED THROUGH CHEVROLET)</p> <p>\$10,000 OFF MSRP!</p>
--	---	---	--	--

LUXURY, IMPORTS, DOMESTIC USED VEHICLES WITH LOW MONTHLY PAYMENTS!

<p>01 CHEVY MONTE CARLO STK#8487A \$98/MO</p> <p>06 CHEVY MALIBU STK#X1479 \$98/MO</p> <p>04 PONTIAC GR AUTO GT STK#X1958A \$114/MO</p> <p>07 KIA RONDO STK#X1529 \$180/MO</p> <p>07 CHRYSLER SEBRING STK#X1822 \$198/MO</p> <p>08 NISSAN VERSA STK#X1569 \$207/MO</p> <p>07 KIA SPORTAGE STK#X1624 \$213/MO</p> <p>05 CHRYSLER 300C STK#X1577 \$213/MO</p> <p>07 CHEVY IMPALA STK#X1622 \$213/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE CHARGER STK#X1622 \$213/MO</p> <p>06 CHEVY MONTE CARLO STK#X1622 \$213/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE MAGNUM SXT STK#X1629 \$213/MO</p>	<p>07 FORD RANGER STK#X1442 \$157/MO</p> <p>07 CHRYSLER PT CRUISER STK#X1628 \$163/MO</p> <p>04 PONTIAC EXPLORER SPORT TRAC STK#X483A \$163/MO</p> <p>04 DODGE RAM 1500 QUAD CAB STK#X1492 \$221/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE CHARGER STK#X1628 \$229/MO</p> <p>07 HUNDAI SONATA STK#X1587 \$229/MO</p> <p>08 PONTIAC GR PRIX STK#X1505 \$229/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN SXT STK#X1591 \$229/MO</p> <p>07 HYUNDAI TUCSON STK#X1606 \$229/MO</p> <p>07 KIA RONDO STK#X1605 \$229/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE CHARGER STK#X1605 \$229/MO</p> <p>08 JEEP COMMANDER STK#X1635 \$229/MO</p>	<p>06 CHEVY IMPALA STK#X1600 \$179/MO</p> <p>07 CHEVY EQUINOX STK#X1617 \$179/MO</p> <p>05 FORD EXPLORER XLT STK#X1642 \$179/MO</p> <p>08 CHEVY MALIBU CLASSIC STK#X1567 \$229/MO</p> <p>07 MITSUBISHI GALANT STK#X1620 \$229/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE CARAVAN STK#X1523, SE \$239/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE CHARGER STK#X1599, SE \$245/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE DAKOTA STK#X1496, QUAD CAB \$245/MO</p> <p>08 PONTIAC G6 GT STK#X1538, PRS-DRIVEN \$246/MO</p> <p>09 CHEVY MALIBU STK#X1586 \$246/MO</p> <p>07 LINCOLN TOWNCAR LTD STK#X1624 \$246/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE DURANGO STK#X1618 \$246/MO</p>	<p>06 RAM 1500 QUAD CAB STK#X1553 \$179/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE MAGNUM R/T STK#X1599 \$180/MO</p> <p>08 KIA SEDONA STK#X1604 \$180/MO</p> <p>07 CHRYSLER PACIFICA STK#X1620 \$246/MO</p> <p>07 CHRYSLER PACIFICA STK#X1620 \$246/MO</p> <p>08 NISSAN ALTIMA STK#X1590 \$246/MO</p> <p>07 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY STK#X1622, EX \$252/MO</p> <p>07 DODGE NITRO STK#X1389 \$254/MO</p> <p>07 TOYOTA HIGHLANDER STK#X1577 \$264/MO</p> <p>05 CHEVY SUBURBAN Z71 STK#X1529 \$280/MO</p> <p>08 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN STK#X1522 \$309/MO</p> <p>06 DODGE CHARGER R/T STK#X1633, 22" WHEELS \$345/MO</p>
---	---	---	--

WE BACK • 8/80 MILE WARRANTY • 125 POINT INSPECTION • 3 MO/3K MILE MAX CARE LTD WARRANTY
WHAT WE SELL • 24 HOUR ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE • RENTAL CAR ALLOWANCE • CARFAX VEHICLE REPORT

SALES: M-F 9AM-9PM • SAT 9AM-6PM | SERVICE: M-F 7AM-7PM • SAT 8-NOON | PARTS: M-F 7:30AM-5:30PM • SAT 8AM-NOON

PARK PLAZA DODGE SPRINTER

WE SPEAK: POLISH, SPANISH, TURKISH & RUSSIAN

7911 W. Roosevelt Rd. Forest Park (Just West of Harlem)

(888) 600-7776

CALL TODAY! 888-427-7309

WE CAN HELP YOU! • \$79 DOWN PAYMENT* • VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE • CURRENT UTILITY BILL

INSTANT CREDIT APPROVAL!
 BANK DIFFICULTIES?
 NO CREDIT? BAD CREDIT?
 LATE PAYMENTS? REPOS?
WE CAN HELP YOU!

Plus tax, title, license & DOC fee. New car prices include applicable incentives & rebates. **On select models. See dealer for details. ***\$25 gas card. With a good down payment. May require a co-signer. *On select models. In lieu of special financing. *****With approved credit on select models. In lieu of rebates. Ex: \$13.89 per \$1000 financed with 30 down. If low car payments based on 72 months at 6.99% with \$3000 down. Used car payments based on 72 months at 6.99% with \$3000 down. With approved credit. Plus tax, title, license & due fee. New car payments include applicable incentives & rebates. 11th certified vehicles. +With approved credit, Ex: \$10,000 financed with \$79 down at 9.99% x 60 months = \$210.30. + + +On new Dodges off MSRP. On any advertised price, includes applicable incentives & rebates. -Off MSRP. MSRP may not be price at which vehicle is sold in trade area. Dealer will not honor any pricing errors in this advertisement. Prices are good 2 days from date of publication. Pictures are for illustration purposes only. See dealer for details.**



Readers add their ideas to Vinikour's new rules of the road

Al Vinikour's Driver's Side Diatribe ("Musings from a traffic jam") last week elicited quite a response from readers. Here's what you said:

I have my SouthTown delivered every day but never paid much attention to the SearchChicago-Autos section as I'm not in the market for a car... but the headline in the 14 July edition "Musings from a traffic jam" caught my eye.

In a nutshell, Al Vinikour is my kinda guy. I swear, if the SouthTown had a "Drivers Only Sound Off" section, you'd fill two pages - every day.

In my 47 years of driving (one disputed ticket) the ineptitude of some drivers amaze me. I still remember the words of my high school driver instructor - "don't watch the car in front of you, watch the one in front of him - drive defensively as anything can happen at any time."

Don't moan about those big-rig trucks as they literally saved my life. A reckless driver cut me off while on the southbound Interstate 294-Interstate 80 merge that sent my car into a frightening 360-degree spin. The big rigs saw it, swerved out and blocked all three lanes of traffic behind me. When my car stopped after two complete circles I was facing, head on, two idling Macs and a Peterbilt. Shaken but safe, I pulled off onto the shoulder. - Clarence Nowicki

Dear Clarence: Few things make my day, but you just made my MONTH! Thanks so much for taking the time to express your feelings about my column and to share your views on truckers. I have always been of the mind that the

unsung heroes of the highway are the long-haul class eight truckers. When I was a kid growing up in Valparaiso, Ind., my family owned East Gary Auto Parts. We used to get a lot of over-the-road truckers who would stop in and buy car radios for their rigs (that was long before the interstate highway development). I would marvel at how "cool" these guys were when they'd park their Macs, K-Whoppers, Brockways, International Emeryville diesels, etc. I either wanted to be like them when I grew up or I wanted to operate a Caterpillar D7 bulldozer pulling an earthmover. Instead, I became a journalist. Go figure! - Al

More rules for the road:

1. Drivers who stop short of the intersection or the car in front of them and then creep up during the red light.

2. Drivers, intent on making a left turn, who stop at the white line instead of pulling into the intersection and wait for a chance to turn, thereby ensuring that drivers behind them will not have time to make the turn. Even worse is when they sit there and never turn.

3. Drivers who back into parking spaces. Backing into the space is more difficult than backing out and they are not pulling out of the pits at Indy. What the hell is that all about?

This last one is not about cars and drivers; it is about traffic signals that do not recognize motorcycles. I'm sick of sitting through red lights because the sensors in the ground fail to recognize anything smaller than a tank. I end up having to wait until a car shows up or, hoping no cops are around, I run the light. - John Bercau

Great article on the new rules! Here is one of my favorites: Anyone driving a vehicle in the left-hand lane, with traffic backing up behind them, and vehicles constantly passing to their right, needs to get their head out of the clouds and move into the right-hand lanes. "Slower traffic - keep right" needs to be reworded to "Slower-thinking drivers - keep right." Just thought I would add my two cents worth. Keep the great articles coming. I read the SearchChicago-Autos section of the Waukegan News Sun. Thanks again. - John Frost

Dear John: Thanks for your kind words and your two cents worth. Two cents isn't a lot but you're right on the money. There should be a roving Sikorsky sky crane that prowls the skies above freeways and looks for the exact type of driver you mentioned. When seen they should be whisked from the road and deposited in the next work camp for two months. I've got so much hate in me, John, that I could write a daily column. I'll add your name to "Al's Army," the code name for my loyal readers. Take care and again, thanks for writing. - Al

Here is one for you to consider. Anyone who changes lanes without warning in front of you, not using their turn signal, should be FORCED to try that in front of a M-1A1 Abrams main battle tank at 50 miles an hour. - Anonymous

SEARCHCHICAGO autos

AUTOMOTIVE DIRECTOR advertising
MICHAEL SPERLING :: 312.321.2176
msperling@suntimes.com

NICHE PUBLICATIONS director
DAN CAHILL :: 312.321.2775
dcahill@suntimes.com

SEARCHCHICAGO-AUTOS online editor
JILL CIMINILLO :: 312.321.2685
jcciminillo@suntimes.com

NICHE PUBLICATIONS publications designer
JOHN LEMEIN :: 312.321.3094
jlemein@suntimes.com

contact us @
p. 312.321.2685 | e. autos@searchchicago.com

SEARCHCHICAGO-AUTOS
350 N. Orleans St. 10-N Chicago, IL 60654

SearchChicago-Autos is featured in these Sun-Times News Group publications:

CHICAGO SUNTIMES

WHEELER NEWS-SUN

BeaconNews

PIONEER PRESS

The CourierNews

HeraldNews

Naperville Sun

SOUTHTOWNSTAR

NISSANCHICAGO.COM TWO LOCATIONS

NISSAN PRICE DROP EVENT

SPECIAL ADVERTISING VEHICLES AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC AT ONE TIME ONLY DISCOUNT PRICES!

NEW 2008 NISSAN VERSA



NEW 2008 NISSAN SENTRA



NEW 2008 NISSAN ALTIMA



NEW 2008 NISSAN ROGUE



Year	Model	Stk#	MSRP	Sale Price
NEW 2008	VERSA	8719	\$13,925	\$11,595*
NEW 2008	VERSA	N2341	\$15,300	\$12,861*
NEW 2008	VERSA	N2156	\$15,300	\$12,861*
NEW 2008	VERSA	8150	\$15,230	\$12,931*
NEW 2008	VERSA	N2290	\$15,505	\$13,066*
NEW 2008	VERSA	8592	\$15,505	\$13,066*
NEW 2008	VERSA	8613	\$15,505	\$13,066*

Year	Model	Stk#	MSRP	Sale Price
NEW 2008	SENTRA	7298	\$16,830	\$13,643*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	N1596	\$16,830	\$13,643*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	N1601	\$17,080	\$13,980*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	7895	\$17,710	\$14,075*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	7789	\$17,290	\$14,190*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	N1594	\$17,545	\$14,566*
NEW 2008	SENTRA	N1392	\$18,395	\$14,804*

Year	Model	Stk#	MSRP	Sale Price
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	7650	\$21,515	\$17,995*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	N2023	\$21,615	\$18,095*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	7781	\$21,685	\$18,165*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	7905	\$21,685	\$18,165*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	7372	\$22,390	\$18,750*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	N1531	\$22,480	\$18,840*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	7886	\$21,825	\$19,305*
NEW 2008	ALTIMA	N2031	\$21,825	\$19,305*

Year	Model	Stk#	MSRP	Sale Price
NEW 2008	ROGUE	N1402	\$20,120	\$18,495*
NEW 2008	ROGUE	8327	\$20,300	\$18,675*
NEW 2008	ROGUE	N2450	\$23,850	\$20,778*
NEW 2008	ROGUE	8337	\$27,770	\$24,120*

MID-CITY NISSAN
4444 W. IRVING PARK - CHICAGO
888-590-8666
midcitynissan.com



STAR NISSAN
5757 W. TOUHY AVENUE - NILES
888-598-7491
starnissan.com

SUBARUCHICAGO.COM



SUMMER SUBARU SELLOFF!

SAVE ON YOUR SUBARU NOW!
OVER 250 TO CHOOSE FROM!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

NEW 2008 SUBARU IMPREZA 2.5i Model 81A #SU1950
\$16,051*
\$217** PER MO.
THIS IS NOT A LEASE!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

NEW 2008 SUBARU LEGACY 2.5i Model 84C #SU1956
\$18,444*
\$249** PER MO.
THIS IS NOT A LEASE!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

NEW 2008 SUBARU OUTBACK Model 85A #SU1956
\$18,555*
\$249** PER MO.
THIS IS NOT A LEASE!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

NEW 2009 SUBARU FORESTER 2.5X Model 87A
\$19,936*
\$269** PER MO.
THIS IS NOT A LEASE!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

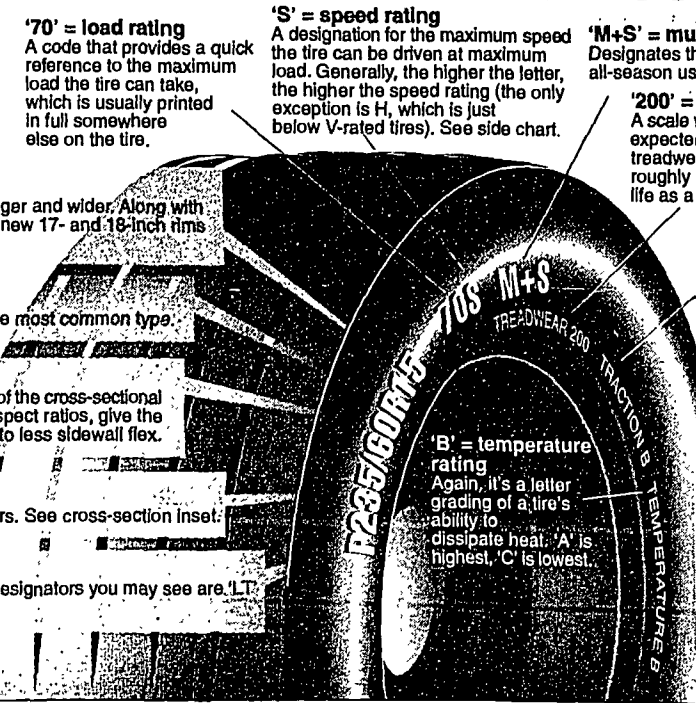
NEW 2008 SUBARU TRIBECA 5 PASS. Model 87A
\$24,295*
\$349** PER MO.
THIS IS NOT A LEASE!

0% APR FINANCING AVAILABLE

MID-CITY SUBARU
4330 W. IRVING PARK - CHICAGO
888-598-7467
subaruchicago.com

Decoding the numbers and letters on a tire

There's a lot of information to go around... and around... and around.



'70' = load rating
A code that provides a quick reference to the maximum load the tire can take, which is usually printed in full somewhere else on the tire.

'S' = speed rating
A designation for the maximum speed the tire can be driven at maximum load. Generally, the higher the letter, the higher the speed rating (the only exception is H, which is just below V-rated tires). See side chart.

'200' = treadwear rating
A scale with 100 being average expected tire life. A tire with a treadwear of 200 would have roughly double the treadwear life as a tire with a 100 rating.

'M+S' = mud and snow
Designates the tire for all-season use.

Speed ratings
Speed rating of passenger tires originated in Europe, where highway speeds can exceed 100 mph. The speed rating indicates the maximum speed a properly inflated tire will withstand for a predetermined time.

Symbol	mph	km-h
M	81	130
N	87	140
P	93	150
Q	99	160
R	106	170
S	112	180
T	118	190
U	124	200
H	130	210
V	149	240
W	168	270
Y	186	300

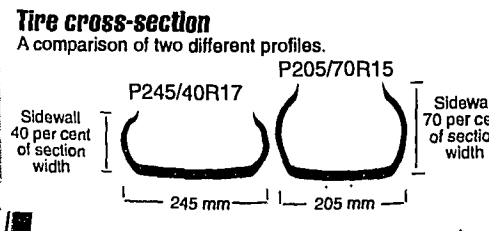
'B' = traction rating
Think of this as a letter grading for traction. An 'A' rating is the highest (some tires are rated 'AA'), with 'C' being the lowest. The rating takes into account only straight-line stopping on wet pavement.

'60' = aspect ratio
Sidewall height expressed as a percentage of the cross-sectional width. Shorter sidewall heights, or lower aspect ratios, give the tire better responsiveness to steering due to less sidewall flex.

'15' = rim diameter
Over the years, wheels have become bigger and wider. Along with common 14- and 15-inch-diameter rims, new 17- and 18-inch rims are being more widely used.

'R' = tire construction
R indicates radial construction, which is the most common type.

'P' = tire type
P indicates passenger-car tire. Other designators you may see are 'LT' for light truck and 'T' for temporary.



Slick and sleek



on **SEARCHCHICAGO** autos.com

autoREVIEW

AUTOSPECS

2009 MERCEDES-BENZ SLK 350

ENGINE: 300-horsepower 3.5-liter V-6
TRANSMISSION: seven-speed manual
BASE PRICE: \$50,825
AS TESTED: \$57,425
FUEL ECONOMY: 18 city/26 highway
WEB SITE: www.mbusa.com



by **JILL CIMINITELLO**
 SearchChicago Autos Editor
 jciminitello@suntimes.com

Mercedes' SLK350 makes summer cruisin' a breeze

haul with a restyled front grille, front and rear fascias, side mirrors, taillights, exhaust pipes and steering wheel.

One of the bigger changes for 2009, however, is power increase for the non-AMG models. The entry model is now the SLK 300, which replaces the SLK 280, and it is powered by a 228-horsepower V-6 engine. The SLK 350, a k a the test vehicle, has a 3.5-liter V-6 "sport" engine that delivers 300 horsepower.

The extra horsepower in the SLK 350 does make a difference; you can definitely feel the power when merging with traffic or passing on the highway.

As you would expect from an automaker like Mercedes-Benz, ride and handling in the SLK 350 is downright sublime. The 3,318-pound curb weight and short 161.5-inch length really allow you to flight this car around corners and maneuver through traffic. It's easy to drive and parallel parking has rarely been easier.

Though I didn't do too much top-up driving, I didn't notice any unwieldy blind spots. You do have a small spot over your shoulder that is a bit difficult to see, but that's what side mirrors are for.

I really like pretty much everything about the SLK, with a couple of exceptions.

The first issue I have is with the lumbar support—or, should I say, lack of lumbar support. The test vehicle included the optional premium one package (\$2,950), which supposedly included four-way lumbar adjustment. But I'll be darned if I could get enough support so that I noticed it existed. If I were going to own this car, I would need to buy some kind of pillow or support pad, which I refuse to do with a car that costs

\$50,000.

The other issue I have is with the cup holders. In theory they are well-placed above all the dials on the center stack. They don't interfere with the armrest or the gearshift. But they do hinder visibility out the front and to the right.

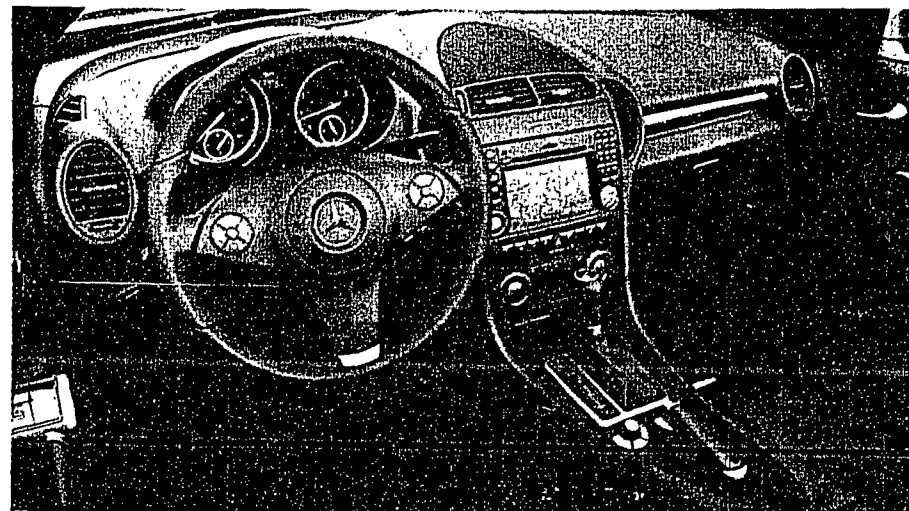
The test vehicle didn't have the optional navigation system, which was fine with me because I'm not a fan of the Mercedes-Benz system. Without the optional navigation system, the standard audio interface was simple and intuitive. I like the small digital screen that mimics an old-fashioned analog dial.

The entire interior is classic. In fact, if you've been in one Mercedes model, you won't see anything radical in the SLK 350. The silver-rimmed gauges behind the wheel are attractive and the

digital info screen between the speedometer and tachometer is easy to read and use.

For such a tiny car, the SLK 350 is packed with standard safety features. You have the expected front dual-stage airbags, front and rear crumple zones, anti-lock brakes and electronic stability control. The unusual standards include knee airbags, acceleration slip regulation, dual integrated roll bars and head thorax airbags that are integrated into the seat backrest.

The SLK 350 is one of those cars that you can easily drive every day during the summer in Chicago. And it's great for a weekend away. But you might rethink those long road trips if you're going to cart a lot of luggage. There's just no where to put it.



T-25 FOR SALE DOMESTIC

- '08 Chevrolet Malibu
Webb Chev \$14,950
866-455-0684
- '07 Chevrolet 300 Touring
Webb Chev \$15,450
866-455-0684
- '07 Chevrolet Cobalt LT
Webb Chev \$12,950
866-455-0684
- '07 Chevrolet Impala LT
Webb Chev \$14,950
866-455-0684
- '06 Chevrolet Cobalt LS
Webb Chev \$11,950
866-455-0684
- '06 Chevrolet Impala LT
Webb Chev \$13,950
866-455-0684
- '06 Chevrolet Malibu LS Maxx
Webb Chev \$12,950
866-455-0684
- '06 Chevrolet Malibu LS
Webb Chev \$11,450
866-455-0684
- '05 Chevrolet Impala
Webb Chev \$10,950
866-455-0684
- '05 Chevrolet Malibu LS
Webb Chev \$11,950
866-455-0684
- '05 Chevrolet Monte Carlo
Webb Chev \$14,950
866-455-0684
- Chevy Impala LT Cert. '08
#X6148 \$15,995
800-567-0926
- Chevy '07 Avoe LS
#14258 \$9,999
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313
- Chevy '05 Impala
#7705A \$7,989
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313
- Chevy '05 Impala
#14337 \$9,489
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313
- '05 MALIBU auto, grey,
4dr, CD, pwr, A/C, lt. blk., 180 mi.,
\$4,653 obo. 708-715-1997
- CHEVY '03 MALIBU
like new cond., 61K mi., silver,
\$5,400. Call 773-909-5554
- CHEVY '02 CAVALIER 4 DR.
All Pwr. CD, A/C, Runs Grt. Looks
Good. \$2,400 obo. 708-297-3283
- CHEVY '02 MALIBU LS 4dr.
V6, full pwr., auto, cd player,
89K mi., 1 owner, gar. kept, xtra
cin. \$4,800 obo. 773-322-3976
- CHEVY '01 CAVALIER Red.
2 Dr. Cold A/C, Alloy, Gas Saver.
Must Sell \$1,900. 773-725-9039
- CHEVY '00 MONTE CARLO SS
2dr. Loaded. Wtr. proof. CD. 207
Choppers. \$5,500. 773-629-4159

Chrysler 1999-2006
 For More Selection and
 Better Prices Go To
TIMESDEALS.COM

Corvette 1999-2006
 For More Selection and
 Better Prices Go To
TIMESDEALS.COM

'07 Dodge Charger
Webb Chev \$14,950
866-455-0684

Dodge Charger '06
#X6113 \$12,995
800-567-0926

Dodge Neon '04
#P60229A \$5,995
800-567-0926

Dodge '01 Stratus
#3810388 \$3,995
Call 888-679-2244
GlendaleNissan.com

'99 Dodge Stratus 4DR
Auto, Air, Extra Clean. Runs
Great. Bargain! \$2495
Midway Motor 708-656-6756

DODGE '99 STRATUS low mi.
4dr, gm, full pwr, gas saver,
gorgeous. \$2,300. 773-989-0102

Dodge '96 Stratus
#8418A \$4,998
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

Chevy 1999-2006
 For More Selection and
 Better Prices Go To
TIMESDEALS.COM

'99 Chevy Monte Carlo
Red. No rust/dents. Dependable Tran.
\$999 773-870-7170

DODGE '00 NEON LX Silver.
4 Dr. Full Pwr. Cold A/C, Alloy,
Gorg. \$2,700. 773-271-4029

'99 Dodge Stratus 4DR
Auto, Air, Extra Clean. Runs
Great. Bargain! \$2495
Midway Motor 708-656-6756

DODGE '99 STRATUS low mi.
4dr, gm, full pwr, gas saver,
gorgeous. \$2,300. 773-989-0102

Dodge '96 Stratus
#8418A \$4,998
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

CHEVY '98 Cavalier LS- 4dr
runs lks grt. stereo, 4cyl, gas
saver. \$2,500 obo 773-764-1022

CHEVY '98 LUMINA 4dr, silver,
50K, A/C, runs & looks like new,
well kept. \$2,000. 773-961-5636

DODGE '94 INTREPID ES
blk, 4dr, full pwr, alloy, grt.
Must Sell \$1,000. 773-989-0102

'99 Chevy Monte Carlo
Red. No rust/dents. Dependable Tran.
\$999 773-870-7170

DODGE '94 INTREPID ES
blk, 4dr, full pwr, alloy, grt.
Must Sell \$1,000. 773-989-0102

'06 TAURUS SE 11,700 mi.
fully loaded, gas svr, moving out of
the city. \$11,000. 708-434-5889

FORD '05 MUSTANG GT
ext cond., loaded, low mi
auto, tints, side scoops
red ltr seats \$19,000
Call Phil. 630-632-2565

Web Id# 774809

'05 Ford Mustang GT
Webb Chev \$17,950
866-455-0684

FORD '05 TAUROS SE runs & lks. like
new. 4dr, all pwr, cold ac, cd, \$6,600.
Call 773-209-4936 Hablo Espanol

FORD '05 TAUROS SE 50K mi..
4dr, like new cond. all pwr. CD,
cold A/C, gar. kept. Hablo
Espanol. \$6,200. 773-782-7951

'05 Ford Taurus
Webb Chev \$17,950
866-455-0684

FORD 2002 CROWN VICTORIA
\$599,999. 22 good running cars
available. 153 W. Hubbard St.
847-732-7681. Call Anytime.

Ford Mustang GT Convrt
'02 #X6115 \$12,995
800-567-0926

Ford '02 Taurus Wagon
fully loaded, clean interior
\$3,500 obo call 773-981-4341

Web Id# 773027

Ford '01 Focus
#381456A \$3,995
Call 888-679-2244
GlendaleNissan.com

Ford '01 Focus ZTS
#6429B \$5,989
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

FORD '00 TAUROS
4dr, A/C, all pwr opt., lks & runs,
excl., \$2,800. 773-629-4159

Ford 1999-2006
 For More Selection and
 Better Prices Go To
TIMESDEALS.COM

FORD '99 TAUROS LX 4 dr, V6,
runs/lks grt. stereo, alloy, like new,
shiny, gar kept. \$1700. 773-282-1022

FORD Escort 98, silver blue
89K miles. Auto, rust proof
cond., \$2,200. 847-401-1116

Web Id# 774444

FORD '96 TAUROS G. Great
Runner. Nice Whit. Clean Int. P/W,
P/L. \$1,500 obo. 773-783-2158

FORD '95 TAUROS
Looks/Runs Grt. 65K! 1 Owner,
Cold Air, Well Maint. Must Sell!
\$2,350. Call 708-489-6409

FORD '86 GT MUSTANG
Convertible. \$4,000 obo.
Call 708-743-3307

'96 Gnt. Cherokee \$3300
'95 Ford Windstar \$3400
'94 Astro Van \$1200
4031 N. Elston Ave 773-478-2552
Visit samsautochicago.com

INFINITI '97 I30 Blk, lthr.,
sunfr. Pwr. wndws, drs/seats,
exc. cond. \$3500 708-203-4800

Lincoln LS '02
#C80371A \$8,995
800-567-0926

'96 Merc. Gr. Marq 4DR
Auto, Air, Extra Clean. Runs
Great. A Beauty \$2195
Midway Motor 708-656-6756

MERCURY '98 GRAND MARQUEE
4dr, wll, cold ac, runs etc. well kept.
Must Sell \$1300 773-865-7239

'96 Pontiac G. Prix \$1600
'94 Pontiac G. AM \$1300
'93 Pontiac Bonneville \$1500
4031 N. Elston Ave 773-478-2552
Visit samsautochicago.com

PONTIAC '95 BONNEVILLE 4dr.
PDL, PW, lthr, V6, sunfr, A/C, nice.
Must Sell \$975. 773-253-1500

SATURN '99 SL1 4 cyl, gas saver,
4 dr, new cd, cold ac. \$2500 Call
773-209-4938 Hablo Espanol

'99 Toyota Corolla \$ 3300
'96 Nissan Altima \$1900
'95 Toyota Camry \$2600
3377 N. Milwaukee 773-282-1098
visit samsautochicago.com

REPROCESSED CARS
 Just like taking over payments!
 Contact Niki at
 708-343-0022

MERCURY '92 COUGAR
2dr, auto, full pwr, mart. ice cold
A/C, 1 owner, gar kept, 100%
rust & dent free, non smoker.
Must Sell! \$1,950. 773-440-5511

MERCURY '92 GRAND MARQUIS
Blue. 4 DR. Full Pwr. Runs Grt.
Must Sell. \$1,100. 773-271-4029

OLDS '02 ALERO
1004 mi., 4dr, V6
\$3,500 obo. 708-969-1000

OLDS '96 ACHEVA GOLD EDT.
2 dr 4cyl. 4 cyl. B&K, newer eng
& trans., \$1450. 708-296-3528

OLDS '94 CUTLASS SUPREME
V6, 4dr, full pwr, runs & lks
gd., \$1,675. 773-430-2770

OLDS '93 CUTLASS SUPREME
super cin, very low mi., 1 owner. A
Must Sell \$1,900 obo. 708-536-3459

OLDS '86 CUTLASS SUPREME
BROUGHAM V6, 307 5.0, 100K
mi. \$2,100 obo. 708-284-0724

OLDSMOBILE '00 ALERO GL
runs/lks grt. \$2,500 773-764-1022

Oldsmobile '98 Cutlass GLS
#P14284A \$3,989
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

OLDSMOBILE '98 EIGHTEIGHT
runs lks excl., dprndl, mfrl., fully
ided. \$2500 773-615-9019

Pontiac Grand Prix Cert. 08
#X6122 \$13,995
800-567-0926

Pontiac '05 Grand Am SE
#P13883A \$8,889
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

PONTIAC '02 GRAND PRIX
Maroon, 4 DR. Full Pwr. CD, Cold A/C,
Must Sell \$1,700. 773-989-0102

PONTIAC '00 SUNFIRE
Red, 4dr., 4 cyl., spoiler, lks/run
gd., only \$1,650. 708-407-5061

Pontiac 1999-2006
 For More Selection and
 Better Prices Go To
TIMESDEALS.COM

Pontiac '97 Grand Am SE
#P14143A \$2,989
CALL NOW! 888-695-7313

PONTIAC '97 SUNFIRE SPORT
new brakes & exhaust, runs grt.
\$1,450 obo. 630-201-5435

'96 Pontiac G. Prix \$1600
'94 Pontiac G. AM \$1300
'93 Pontiac Bonneville \$1500
4031 N. Elston Ave 773-478-2552
Visit samsautochicago.com

PONTIAC '95 BONNEVILLE 4dr.
PDL, PW, lthr, V6, sunfr, A/C, nice.
Must Sell \$975. 773-253-1500

REPROCESSED CARS
 Just like taking over payments!
 Contact Niki at
 708-343-0022

SATURN '99 SL1 4 cyl, gas saver,
4 dr, new cd, cold ac. \$2500 Call
773-209-4938 Hablo Espanol

'99 Toyota Corolla \$ 3300
'96 Nissan Altima \$1900
'95 Toyota Camry \$2600
3377 N. Milwaukee 773-282-1098
visit samsautochicago.com

REPROCESSED CARS
 Just like taking over payments!
 Contact Niki at
 708-343-0022

100,000 VEHICLES
 520 DEALERS
 Find your next new car
 at DriveChicago.com

DriveChicago.com
 Virtually Every Vehicle In Town™

Black Book Online
 Value your trade

AutoCheck
 vehicle history reports
 Search vehicle titles



#1 LARGEST DODGE DEALERSHIP FOR 8 YEARS!



ShermanTimesDeals.com

NEW 2009 DODGE JOURNEY **25 MPG**

2.9L GAS 196 AVAILABLE

3 AT THIS PRICE 62 AVAILABLE

PURCHASE FOR: \$16,995

• 2.4L 4cyl. • Century Key Alarm System • Advanced Multi-Stage Airbags • Air Conditioning • Pwr Heated Mirrors • Tire Pressure Monitoring System

• 4 Speed VLP Transmission • Anti-Lock Brakes • PWPL • Traction Control • Telescopic Tilt Wheel

NEW 2008 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN SE **26 MPG**

2.9L GAS 196 AVAILABLE

BUY FOR: \$16,977

• SAVE \$5,893

• 3.3L OHV Engine • Power Windows • Tire Pressure Monitoring System • Rear Window Defroster • Power Locks • Int. Windshield Wipers • Advanced Multi Stage Airbags • Tilt • 4 Speakers • 20 Gallon Tank

NEW 2008 DODGE CALIBER **29 MPG**

2.9L GAS 196 AVAILABLE

BUY FOR: \$12,495

• Illuminated Cup holder • Sentry Theft Deterrent System • Dunlop Brand Tires • Rear Wiper • Variable Intermittent Wipers • AM/FM/CD Player

• Tire Pressure Monitoring System • 13.6 Gallon Fuel Tank • Sliding Armrest with Cell Phone Holder • Halogen Headlamps • Rear Spoiler • Solar Control Glass

NEW 2008 DODGE CHARGER **26 MPG**

2.9L GAS 196 AVAILABLE

PURCHASE FOR: \$17,997

• Automatic • Air Conditioning • CD Player • Keyless Entry • Rear Window Defogger • Tilt Telescopic Wheel • Driver 1-Touch

• Power Windows • Power Locks • 4 Wheel Disc Brakes • Variable Interm. Wipers • Illuminated Entry • Power Mirrors • 2.7 Liter V-6

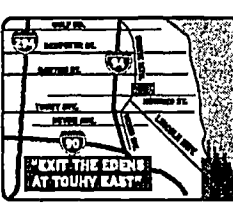


YOUR BUSINESSLINK DEALER
Call Walter Salcedo For A FREE Demo At Your Door!

7601 N. CICERO AVE.
(866) 386-9928

Hours: Mon-Fri 9AM-9PM
Extended Hours Sat 8:30AM-7PM
Service and Parts Hours:
Mon-Fri 6AM-7PM Sat 8AM-5PM

WE SPEAK POLISH,
SPANISH, RUSSIAN, YIDDISH,
GREEK & ENGLISH!



*MSRP plus tax, title, license & \$120 doc. fee. All in-state rebates and incentives applied. MSRP based on 11,000 miles. Selling based on a dealer's inventory. Savings based on previous rates of similar model vehicles. All rebates and incentives applied. Chicago residents: tax additional. See dealer for terms and conditions. Financing subject to credit approval and interest rate. Some may not qualify. Buy \$2,999 per gallon for up to the first 12,000 miles in each of the next three years. How amount of gallons per year varies by model. \$1.00 per gallon diesel fuel only. Credit and required. Allow at least six weeks for delivery of a new vehicle. Other restrictions apply. See dealer for details. Price may not represent actual vehicle.

Authorized Dealers

New Car Buyers Guide

Acura

JOE RIZZA ACURA 8150 W. 159th Street
Orland Park 888-261-8642 rizzacars.com

Audi

AUDI OF TINLEY PARK 8021 W. 159th St.
866-379-5929 audiotinleypark.com

Laurel Audi of Westmont 276 E. Ogden Ave.
866-383-3044 www.laurelaudi.com

BMW

BILL JACOBS BMW 1564 W. Ogden Ave.,
Naperville, IL 1-866-516-8015 www.billjacobsbmw.com

BMW of Orland Park 8470 159th St.
Orland Park, 888-500-2369 bmwop.com

ELMHURST BMW 466 W. Lake St., Elmhurst 888-287-6555 www.elmhurstbmw.com

FIELDS BMW NORTHFIELD 700 Frontage Rd.
866-401-7678 www.fieldsauto.com

Buick

Grossinger Buick 6900 N. McCormick (Kimball)
Lincolnwood 800-775-9843 www.grossinger.com

Loren Buick/Pontiac 1610 Waukegan Road,
Glenview 847-729-8900 www.lorenautogroup.com

Cadillac

AL PIEMONTE CADILLAC 1611 E. Main (North Avenue-Rt. 64) St. Charles
630-513-5353 piemontecadillac.com

Bill Jacobs Cadillac 2001 W. Jefferson St., Joliet
800-540-0731 www.BillJacobsAuto.com

Bill Jacobs Cadillac 1507 W. Ogden Ave.,
Naperville, 630-355-2700 www.napervillecadillac.com

Frank Shirey Cadillac 10125 S. Cicero
Oak Lawn, IL 1-800-DEVILLE www.shireycadillac.com

Grossinger Cadillac 6900 N. McCormick
Lincolnwood 800-775-9843 www.grossinger.com

HERITAGE CADILLAC 303 W. Roosevelt rd.,
Lombard 630-629-3300 www.heritagecadillac.com

Cadillac (cont')

STEVE FOLEY CADILLAC 100 N. Skokie Blvd.
Northbrook 866-372-3654 www.stevefoley.com

Chevrolet

ADVANTAGE CHEVROLET 155 & Route 53,
Bolingbrook 888-655-5359 www.advantagechevy.com

Advantage Chevrolet LaGrange & Joliet
Roads, Countryside Auto Mall 800-961-7609
www.advantagechevy.com

Apple Chevrolet in Tinley Park (708) 429-3000
8585 W. 159th www.applechevy.com

Bill Jacobs Chevrolet 2001 W. Jefferson St.,
Joliet 800-507-6841 www.BillJacobsAuto.com

Bill Kay Chevrolet 601 Ogden & I-355
Downers Grove/Lisle 630-968-2900 billkaychevrolet.com

Bredemann Chevrolet 1401 W. Dempster
St. Park Ridge 847-698-1234 Next to Lutheran General
Hospital www.bredemann.com

Currie Motors Chevy Forest Park 7901 W. Roosevelt Rd.,
Forest Park 888-294-3409

Chevrolet (cont')

JACK PHELAN CHEVY "You Gotta See Jack"
4000 S. Harlem, Lyons 877-206-1111 jackphelan.com

Larry Roesch Chevy 866-235-0505
333 W. Grand Ave., Bensenville www.larryroesch.com

Phillips Chevrolet Rtes. 30 & 45,
Frankfort 866-281-0769 www.phillipschevy.com

Rizza Chevrolet 8200 S. Harlem,
Bridgeview, (888) 560-7799 www.rizzachevy.com

Skyway Chevy 8650 S. Commercial Ave.,
Chicago 888-496-5471 skywaychevy.com

Sunrise Chevrolet 147th & Cicero
SunriseDeals.com (866) 892-0836

Chrysler

ADVANTAGE CHRYSLER JEEP DODGE
77 Rand Rd., Des Plaines 888-504-5048
www.advantagecdj.com

Chevrolet (cont')

ED NAPLETON HONDA South Side's #1 Hon-
da Dealer - 6701 W. 95th St., Oak Lawn 866-430-0044

Honda City 4950 S. Pulaski, Chicago
773-582-5000 www.hondacitychicago.com

Honda on Grand 300 W. Grand
Elmhurst 630-833-7700 www.hondaongrand.com

McGrath City Honda 6750 W. Grand Ave.,
Chicago 888-614-4422 www.mcgrathcityhonda.com

O'Hare Honda River Rd & Oakton, Des
Plaines. For The Lowest Prices. Call 888-750-1130

Planet Honda 157 & Rt. 30, MATTESON AUTO
MALL www.planethondaonline.com 800-780-4139

River Oaks Honda 1951 River Oaks Drive,
Calumet City 800-928-5630 www.riveroakshonda.com

Schaumburg Honda - Automobiles "A Bob
Rohman Dealership" 750 E. Golf Rd. 847-88-HONDA

Honda

CARR'S HONDA 6600 N. WESTERN AVE.
CHICAGO 773-274-7777 www.carshonda.com

Castle Honda 6900 W. Dempster, Morton
Grove (847) 965-7070 www.castlehandcars.com

Joe Rizza Kia 159th & 80th Ave.,
Orland Park, 708-403-0300 rizzacars.com

Kia of Schaumburg 910 W. Golf Road
800-604-7549

Lexus

BREDEMANN LEXUS IN GLENVIEW 2000
N. Waukegan Rd. 847-729-6000 www.bredemann.com

Lexus of Orland 8300 W. 159th 708-342-6475
www.lexusforland.com

McGrath Lexus of Chicago Kennedy at
Division 877-866-3887 www.mcgrathlexus.com

Lincoln-Mercury

BERMAN'S MID CITY LINCOLN MERCURY
4330 W. Irving Park Rd. Chicago 800-509-0391

Lexus

JOE RIZZA LINCOLN/MERCURY 2055 West
Ogden, Naperville, IL 888-753-4262 rizzacars.com

Mazda

AUTOBARN MAZDA Countryside 6060 S.
LaGrange Rd. 800-921-0931 www.mazdaguys.com

Mercedes-Benz

AUTOHAUS ON EDENS 1600 Frontage Rd
Northbrook 800-716-6517 autohausonedens.com

Loeber Motors 4255 W. Touhy Ave. Lincolnwood
60712 800-952-5988 www.loebermotors.com

Mercedes-Benz Naperville 1569 W. Ogden Ave
888-769-5484 - mbofnaperville.com

Mercedes-Benz of Orland Park 8430 W.
159th St., 866-259-6000 www.mercedesforland.com

Mercedes-Benz

AL PIEMONTE NISSAN 401-11 E. North Ave.,
Northlake (708) 343-3800 www.apnissan.com

Mercedes-Benz

AUTOBARN NISSAN OF EVANSTON 1034
Chicago Ave. 847-475-8200 www.theautobarn.com

Berman's Mid City Nissan 4444 W.
Irving Pk. Rd. Chgo. 888-590-8669 midcitynissan.com

Berman's Star Nissan 5757 W. Touhy,
Niles (888) 601-2789 www.starnissan.com

Gerald Nissan 1575 W. Ogden Naperville 630-355-3337
188 & Orchard Rd., N. Aurora 630-907-0800
www.GeraldNissan.com

Kelly Nissan 4300 W. 95th St.
Oak Lawn 708-499-1000 www.kellynissan.com

Martin Nissan 5240 Golf Road, Skokie
866-838-2300 www.martinnissan.com

Nissan of South Holland 708-333-2000
94nissan.com 159th & I-94 on Van Dam Rd.

Pontiac

ARNIE BAUER PONTIAC/BUICK/GMC
Matteson Auto Mall Rt 30 & I-57 1-708-720-1900
TOYOTA 800-639-8696 www.oaklawtoyota.com

Bill Kay Buick Pontiac GMC 2300 Ogden,
Downers Grove 630-969-0022 billkaypontiac.com

Grossinger Pontiac 6900 N. McCormick (Kimball)
Lincolnwood 800-775-9843 www.grossinger.com

Loren Buick/Pontiac 1610 Waukegan
Road, Glenview 847-729-8900 www.lorenautogroup.com

Joe Rizza Porsche 8130 W. 159th Street,
Orland Park 708-364-2400 rizzacars.com

Loeber Motors Porsche 7101 N Lincoln So. of
Touhy, Lincolnwood 800-952-6831 www.loebermotors.com

Land Rover

BILL JACOBS LAND ROVER
300 E. Ogden Ave Hinsdale, IL 60521 866-516-8045
1051 W. Higgins Road Hoffman Estates, IL 60169
866-516-8035 billjacobs.com

Land Rover Chicago AT HOWARD ORLOFF
KENNEDY EXP AT ARMITAGE 888-820-3229

Land Rover Winnetka 80 Green Bay Road,
Winnetka, IL 866-538-4421 www.fieldsauto.com

Laurel Land Rover Tinley Park 1-800-509-7439
Now Open! 8031 W. 159th St. laurellandrover.com

Patrick Land Rover 1559 W. Ogden Ave. Naperville
630-300-5000 www.landroverofnaperville.com

Scion

BREDEMANN SCION 1301 W. Dempster,
Park Ridge (847) 698-3700 www.bredemann.com

Midtown Scion 2700 N. Cicero, Chicago, IL
60639 773-622-6300

Northbrook Scion 1530 Frontage Rd
800-734-3205 www.northbrookscion.com

Volkswagen

Autobarn Volkswagen Countryside
6191 Joliet Rd. 800-768-4803 (Only 15 minutes from
Downtown Chicago) www.wvochicago.com

City Volkswagen 5330 W. Irving Park Rd.,
Chicago 866-717-6611 www.cityvwchicago.com

Jennings Volkswagen 201 Waukegan Rd.
Glenview www.jenningsvw.com 866-729-9503

VW of Orland Park 8920 W. 159th St.
877-444-9167 vworland.com Sat Service 8-2

Volvo

FIELDS VOLVO 1121 S. Milwaukee Ave.,
Libertyville 847-362-9200 www.fieldsauto.com

Grossinger Volvo 6747 N. Lincoln Ave.,
Lincolnwood 800-783-9489 www.grossingervolvo.com

Howard Orloff Volvo www.orloff.com
KENNEDY EXP. AT ARMITAGE 888-820-3229

Laurel Volvo of Tinley Park 8031 W.
159th St. 866-339-4583 St. laurelvolvo.com

Smart Center Lincolnwood 4255 W. Touhy
Lincolnwood 800-952-4539 www.loebermotors.com

Smart

Smart Center Lincolnwood 4255 W. Touhy
Lincolnwood 800-952-4539 www.loebermotors.com

Subaru

AUTOBARN SUBARU 6070 S. LaGrange Rd.,
Countryside (15 minutes from Downtown Chicago)
800-490-1668 www.theautobarn.com

Berman's Mid City Subaru 4300 W.
Irving Pk. Chgo 888-599-7467 subaruchicago.com

Evanston Subaru #1 Subaru Dir in Illinois,
715 Chicago Ave., Evanston 60602 1-888-473-1603

Gerald Subaru 1210 E Ogden, Naperville
630-355-3900 188 & Orchard Rd. N. Aurora
630-907-0800 www.GeraldSubaru.com

Grand Subaru York Rd. & Grand Ave., Elmhurst,
Bensenville www.GrandSubaru.com 630-595-0250

Suzuki

Grossinger Suzuki 6900 N. McCormick (Kimball)
Lincolnwood 800-775-9843 www.grossinger.com

Jack Phelan Suzuki You Gotta See Jack
7050 W. Ogden, Berwyn 888-400-1847

Suzuki of Elmhurst 334 W. Grand Ave.,
Elmhurst 630-532-5600 www.suzukiofelmhurst.com

Toyota

BREDEMANN TOYOTA 1301 W. Dempster,
Park Ridge 847-698-3700 www.bredemann.com

Chicago Northside Toyota 5625 N. Broadway
773-728-5000 chicagotoyota.com

Elmhurst Toyota "The Low Price Leader"
888-205-8340. http://www.elmhursttoyota.com

Grossinger City Toyota 1233 N. Wells
Chicago 800-783-9315 www.grossingercitytoyota.com

Grossinger Toyota North 7225 N. Cicero Ave.,
Lincolnwood 800-782-2649

Libertyville Toyota Scion 1180 S. Milwaukee
Av. Libertyville 877-311-3817 www.libertyvilletoyota.com

Northbrook Toyota 1530 Frontage Rd.
800-734-3205 www.northbrooktoyota.com

Oakbrook Toyota in Westmont 550 E.
Ogden Ave. 630-789-9600

Oak Lawn Toyota 4320 W 95th St. 800-NEW
TOYOTA 800-639-8696 www.oaklawtoyota.com

Orland Toyota/Scion 8505 W. 159th St.
Tinley Park, IL 708-342-6429 www.OrlandToyota.com
www.OrlandScion.com

Planet Toyota 157 & Rt. 30, Matteson Auto
Mall, 800-625-7012 www.planetttoyotaonline.com

Toyota Scion on Western 6941 S. Western Ave. Chicago
773-884-7200 www.toyotaonwestern.com

Porsche

JOE RIZZA PORSCHE 8130 W. 159th Street,
Orland Park 708-364-2400 rizzacars.com

Porsche

Loeber Motors Porsche 7101 N Lincoln So. of
Touhy, Lincolnwood 800-952-6831 www.loebermotors.com

Pontiac

ARNIE BAUER PONTIAC/BUICK/GMC
Matteson Auto Mall Rt 30 & I-57 1-708-720-1900
TOYOTA 800-639-8696 www.oaklawtoyota.com

Bill Kay Buick Pontiac GMC 2300 Ogden,
Downers Grove 630-969-0022 billkaypontiac.com

Grossinger Pontiac 6900 N. McCormick (Kimball)
Lincolnwood 800-775-9843 www.grossinger.com

Loren Buick/Pontiac 1610 Waukegan
Road, Glenview 847-729-8900 www.lorenautogroup.com

Joe Rizza Porsche 8130 W. 159th Street,
Orland Park 708-364-2400 rizzacars.com

Loeber Motors Porsche 7101 N Lincoln So. of
Touhy, Lincolnwood 800-952-6831 www.loebermotors.com

Land Rover

BILL JACOBS LAND ROVER
300 E. Ogden Ave Hinsdale, IL 60521 866-516-8045
1051 W. Higgins Road Hoffman Estates, IL 60169
866-516-8035 billjacobs.com

Land Rover Chicago AT HOWARD ORLOFF
KENNEDY EXP AT ARMITAGE 888-820-3229

Land Rover Winnetka 80 Green Bay Road,
Winnetka, IL 866-538-4421 www.fieldsauto.com

Laurel Land Rover Tinley Park 1-800-509-7439
Now Open! 8031 W. 159th St. laurellandrover.com

Patrick Land Rover 1559 W. Ogden Ave. Naperville
630-300-5000 www.landroverofnaperville.com

Scion

BREDEMANN SCION 1301 W. Dempster,
Park Ridge (847) 698-3700 www.bredemann.com

Midtown Scion 2700 N. Cicero, Chicago, IL
60639 773-622-6300

Northbrook Scion 1530 Frontage Rd
800-734-3205 www.northbrookscion.com

Volkswagen

Autobarn Volkswagen Countryside
6191 Joliet Rd. 800-768-4803 (Only 15 minutes from
Downtown Chicago) www.wvochicago.com

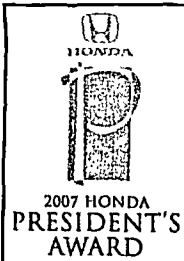
City Volkswagen 5330 W. Irving Park Rd.,
Chicago 866-717-6611 www.cityvwchicago.com

Jennings Volkswagen 201 Waukegan Rd.
Glenview www.jenningsvw.com 866-729-9503

VW of Orland Park 8920 W. 159th St.
877-444-9167 vworland.com Sat Service 8-2

Volvo

FIELDS VOLVO 1121 S. Milwaukee Ave.,
Libertyville 847-362-9200 www.fieldsauto.com



Shop On-Line At www.muller-honda.com

Yes! We Can...

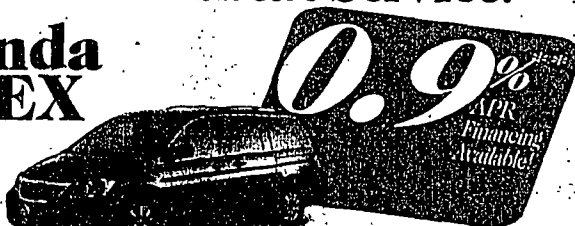
Save You More Than Ever!

- Extensive Inventory! • Get The Most For Your Trade!
- MORE MPG! • Great Service! • HUGE Incentives!



2008 Honda Odyssey EX

Automatic,
Stk#H20925,
Model#RL3848EW



Lease For

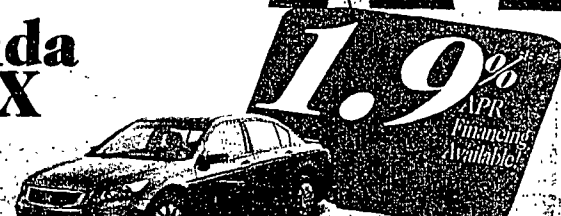
\$259

*Per Month For 24 Months

Total due at lease inception is \$1,999. Includes first payment. Plus tax, title, license and doc fee

2008 Honda Accord LX

Automatic,
Stk#H21280,
Model#CP2638EW



Lease For

\$219

*Per Month For 36 Months

Total due at lease inception is \$1,999. Includes first payment. Plus tax, title, license and doc fee

2009 Honda Pilot EX 4WD

Automatic, Stk#H21252, Model#YF4849EW



Lease For

\$369

*Per Month For 42 Months

Total due at lease inception is \$1,999. Includes first payment. Plus tax, title, license and doc fee

Don't Wait!!

97 Nissan Pathfinder LE
Cobalt Green, Takes Regular Gas, Stk#9808B
\$4,726*

00 Dodge Durango Sport
X-Clean, Good Miles, Stk#H21033A
\$6,526*

97 Buick LeSabre Custom
4 Dr., Reg Gas, Clean, Low Miles, Stk#H21128A
\$6,726*

00 Pontiac Sunfire 2Dr
Sharp, Great On Gas, X-Clean, Stk#H20990A
\$6,726*

98 Ford Mustang
Low Miles, 5 Spd, Good on Gas Stk#H21004A
\$7,526*

01 Toyota Sienna LE
Reg. Gas, Room For The Family, Stk#H21133A
\$7,626*

01 Mazda 626 LX
Gas Saver, X-Clean, Stk#H20292B
\$7,926*

97 Toyota Camry LE
Reg Gas, Runs Great, Stk#H20758A
\$8,426*

02 Chevy Monte Carlo LS
Sharp, Reg Gas, Low Miles, Stk#P41144A
\$8,619*

01 Honda Accord LX
4 Dr., Reg Gas, Clean Car, Stk#H20918A
\$8,726*

00 Landrover Discovery II
Very Low Miles, X-Clean, Stk#P4433A
\$9,926*

00 BMW 323i
Black, 74,000 Miles, Takes Regular Gas, Stk#H19963A
\$10,426*

03 Honda Element
Nice Car, Reg Gas, Stk#H20585A
\$11,426*

04 Mitsubishi Galant LS
X-Clean, Reg Gas, Good Miles, Stk#H21130B
\$11,726*

01 Honda Odyssey EX Navi
Nice Van, Reg Gas, Stk#H20518A
\$11,926*

03 Acura MDX Touring
Takes Regular Gas, Stk#H20543A
\$13,926*

05 Honda Accord LX
4Dr., 15,000 Miles, Stk#P4479
\$13,426*

05 Honda Pilot EXL NAVI
4X4, Clean, Takes Regular Gas, Stk#P4423
Great Price! \$17,926*

Many More To Choose From!



847-831-4200

MULLER HONDA

Highland Park

550 Skokie Valley Road



Based on closed end leases. To qualified buyers with approved credit. 12,000 allowable miles per year, 15¢ for each additional mile. All lease vehicles require tax, title, license & \$150.00 doc fee due at lease signing. 08 Odyssey: Residual: \$18941, 08 Accord: Residual: \$13077, 09 Pilot: Residual: \$17620. Additional options extra. Lessee is responsible for excess wear/tear, maintenance and insurance. Subject to early termination penalty. **To qualified buyers with approved credit through Honda Motor Credit. Example 0.9% APR financing for 36 months = \$28.16 per month, per thousand borrowed. On select models: Financing in lieu of any other offers. See dealer for details. Honda Financial Services' standard credit criteria apply. Higher rates apply for buyers with lower credit ratings. Valid three days from publication. Dealer will not honor errors in this advertisement. Not available with any previous offers.

**EDENS TRAFFIC OK
Off Peak Weekdays And Saturdays!**

Vacation Better!



THE
Cyclone

**Extreme Waterslide
New in 2008!**

**Wisconsin Dells #1
Waterpark Resort Experience!**

877-772-4852 • chulavistaresort.com • Wisconsin Dells, WI

\$200 Million Dollars Better!

27 Waterslides stretching over 1.5 miles long!

World's Fastest Indoor Water Coaster!
- The Fly'n Mayan -

200,000 sq. ft. of Indoor and Outdoor Waterpark Fun!



877-772-4852 ♦ www.chulavistaresort.com ♦ info@chulavistaresort.com

Luxurious Condominiums

1, 2 and 3 Bedroom units for sale!

Hundreds of acres & hundreds of activities!

- ♦ Over 600 guest rooms, villas and condos
- ♦ Located on the beautiful Wisconsin River
- ♦ World class dining - 5 restaurants
- ♦ 18 hole redesigned golf course
- ♦ Spa Del Sol day spa and much more

For Chula Vista Real Estate Opportunities call 866-332-6636

Perfect Packages!

Offering
Wisconsin Dells
ONLY Inclusive
Package!



**Over 10 Wisconsin Dells
Value Packages**

check them out at
www.chulavistapackages.com



Inclusive Package*

- Great room accommodations
- All meals, drinks and snacks (at five of our great restaurants)
- Unlimited water activities
- Free Tommy Bartlett tickets

*Restrictions Apply. Rate listed are mid-week and based on double occupancy. Rates vary. Call or go online for details.

*Starting at \$150/person

Kids Play Free

Includes 2 childrens tickets to the following attractions:

- Tommy Bartlett's Sky & Stage Show
- Mini-Golf at Superstition Springs
- Robot World & Exploratory
- Chalet Lanes Bowling
- Original Wisconsin Duck Tour
- Jet Boat Adventure Tour
- Knuckleheads Family Center
- Timber Falls Flume Ride
- Wizards Quest

*Restrictions Apply. Available for select dates only. 2 night minimum required. Call for details.

*Starting at \$199/night

Vacation Value Package*

Stay four consecutive nights in any room style & receive

- \$100 Resort credit - to use anywhere at Chula Vista!
- Free Tommy Bartlett Tickets

*Restrictions apply. Valid July and August 2008. Not valid with any other discount or promotion. Nights must be consecutive. Resort credit valid during dates of stay only. Must make advanced reservations and present this voucher at check in to apply credit. Call for details.

*\$135 value!

Vacation Better!



THE Cyclone

Extreme Waterslide
New in 2008!



Wisconsin Dells #1 Waterpark Resort Experience!

go.

Continued from PAGE B2

Lee Street from Howard to Touhy Avenue. Des Plaines. Rain location: Prairie Lakes Theater, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. Call (847) 391-5705, ext. 3. For weather updates. July 24: The Lennys (rock).

Magical Merry Go Round children's concerts will be held 7 p.m. Wednesdays at various Skokie parks. (847) 674-1500. July 30: Dave Herzog's Mariottes at Lorel Park, Cleveland and Lockwood. Aug. 6: Carole Peterson (music) at Oakton Park, Oakton and Skokie Boulevard. Aug. 13: Gary Kantor (magic) at Schack Park, Coyle and Laramie.

Midsummer Downtown Block Party sponsored by the Mount Prospect Chamber of Commerce will present The Fairlanes (rock) at 8 p.m. July 26 at Emerson Street and Busse Avenue.

Mount Prospect Community Band free summer concert series is held at 7:30 p.m. Mondays in the Lions Park Veterans Memorial Band Shell, 211 S. Maple St., Mount Prospect. In the event of rain, concerts will be held in the Lions Park gym. Call (847) 640-1000 for information. July 28: 15th annual "Do-It Yourself Sousa" concert with John Phillip Sousa enactor Michael Golemo.

Mount Prospect Veterans Memorial Bandsell, 411 S. Maple, presents concerts sponsored by the Mount Prospect Park District at 7 p.m. Thursdays. In the event of rain, concerts move inside the Lions Recreation Center. July 24: British Export (Beatles). July 31: Popology (swing).

Niles Park District sponsors free family concerts at 7:30 p.m. Fridays at Oak Park, Lee and Ottawa streets. Each concert preceded by children's entertainment at 6:30 p.m. Food will be sold. Bring lawn chairs and blankets. (847) 967-6631. July 25: ABBA Salute. Aug. 1: Lesley Byers and the Jazz Cats (swing). Aug. 8: Soul Cookin'. Aug. 15: 215 West (rock/pop). Aug. 22: Final Say (rock).

Norridge Park District concerts will be held at 4631 N. Overhill (Lawrence and Overhill), at 7 p.m. Thursdays. If it rains, shows will be held in the Recreation Gymnasium. Food and beverages available for purchase. (708) 457-1244. July 24: Glassworks (jazz/blues). July 31: Johnny Russler & the Beach Bum Band (Buffet, Caribbean). Aug. 7: Barefoot Hawaiians.

Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony performs at 8 p.m. Fridays at Hodges Park on South Prospect Avenue, under the direction of Barbara Schubert. (847) 604-0026 or www.prfas.org. July 25: "Broadway Bonanza" with soprano Diane Penning and featuring the works of George Gershwin, Jerome Kern, Stephen Sondheim and Andrew Lloyd Webber. Other bands - Aug. 1: The Brian Patti Big Band presents a tribute to

other chocolate person in the building, they were cleaning the bathrooms," said U-Deen.

For director Joy, Simone's unwavering belief in her vision hits close to the bone. At 16, Joy auditioned for Julliard. Her appearance, she believes, had everything to do with the rejection. As a senior at Evanston Township

High School in 1998, Joy estimates she weighed "in the 400s."

Song

Continued from PAGE B7

High School in 1998, Joy estimates she weighed "in the 400s."

Inspired by icon

Joy thought of Simone picking herself up after being denied admission to Curtis, and moved to New York City anyway. She enrolled in the American Music and Dramatic Academy, wrote her first

wrote "Mississippi God-damn" in response to the 1963 Klan bombing that killed four Alabama school girls praying at Birmingham's 16th Street Baptist Church. She tackled the taboo topic of African American skin color gradations in "Four Women."

Northwestern faculty and staff: \$10 for students. Call (847) 491-7282. "Dangerous Beauty," at 8 p.m. July 25-26, July 31, Aug. 1-2, Aug. 7-9 and Aug. 14-16; and 2 p.m. July 27 and Aug. 3, 10 and 17, in Northwestern University's Ethel M. Barber Theater, 30 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. A world premiere musical. "Dangerous Beauty" tells the tumultuous tale of Veronica Franco, a notorious courtesan and poet of 16th century Venice. Tickets: \$30; \$27 for senior citizens and Northwestern faculty and staff; \$10 for students. Call (847) 491-7282.

"Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde," presented Sept. 17-Oct. 26 at Northlight Theatre, located at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. Performances on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. (except Oct. 7 and 21); Wednesdays at 1 p.m. (except Sept. 17 and 24) and 7:30 p.m. (except Oct. 8); Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.; Fridays at 8 p.m.; Saturdays at 2:30 p.m. (except Sept. 20) and 8 p.m.; and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. (except Oct. 5, 19 and 26). Previews: Sept. 17-24, \$25-\$49. Regular run: \$25-\$55. Opening night, Sept. 25. \$75 includes a post-show reception with the company. (847) 673-6300 or www.northlight.org.

"Election Day," presented by ensemble113 at 8 p.m. July 24; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. July 26; and 2 p.m. July 27 at the Skokie Theatre, 7342 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Tickets: \$20; \$15 in advance and for senior citizens; \$10 for students. (847) 677-7761 or www.skokietheatre.org.

Fleetwood-Jourdain Theatre 2008 Reading Series. "Powerful Playwrights Under 30," featuring plays by emerging African American writers from around the country. Readings are presented at 3 p.m. the second Saturday of each month at the Evanston Public Library, 1703 Orrington St. Free. For information, call (847) 448-8260, ext. 109, or e-mail enjoy@cityofevanston.org. Aug. 9: "A False Moment" by Monique Simpson. Sept. 13: "Juneenth Street" by Reginald Duneant. Oct. 11: "Ode to the Washermen" by Andre R. Hogan II. Nov. 8: "The Broken Sun" by S.K. Memphis. Dec. 13: "The Skinny" by Samantha Irby.

"Footloose," presented by ArtReach Educational Theatre and Spotlight Theatre Production Company at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 1; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Aug. 2; and 2 p.m. Aug. 3 at Stage One Theatre, 620 Lee St., Des Plaines. Tickets are \$13 in advance; \$16 at the door. Reservations are recommended. Group discounts are available. For tickets, call (630) 808-5852 or visit www.artreachspotlight.com.

"Rent," presented by Up and Coming Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 1-2 and 7-9 and 2:30 p.m. Aug. 3 and 10 at the Forest View Educational Center, 2121 S. Goebbert Road, Arlington Heights. www.uactheatre.com.

"Tolane," by Gilbert and Sullivan, presented by Light Opera Works at 8 p.m. Aug. 16, 22 and 23, and 2 p.m. Aug. 17, 20 and 24 at Cahn Auditorium, 600 Emerson St., Evanston. Tickets: \$85, \$65 and \$45 for main floor; \$65, \$45 and \$29 for the balcony. Half-price tickets for ages 21 and younger. Call (847) 869-6300 or visit www.LightOperaWorks.org.

"Nina Simone: Between the Keys," presented by Fleetwood-Jourdain Theatre July 26-Aug. 10 at the Noyes Cultural Arts Center, 927 Noyes St., Evanston. Performances at 7 p.m. Saturdays; 3 p.m. Sundays. Tickets: \$15; \$10 students; \$7 senior citizens. Call (847) 448-8260.

"Picnic," presented by St. Patrick Summer Theatre Aug. 10 in the Stahl Family Theatre, 5900 W. Belmont Ave., Chicago. Performances at 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays; 2 p.m. Sundays. Tickets: \$10; \$8 for students. Visit www.stpatrick.org or call (773) 286-8470.

"repeat w/Mainline," presented by Blue Heron Theatre through Aug. 14, at 7 p.m. Monday-Thursday, Tuesday and Thursday performances will be at Fausto's Italian Kitchen and Catering, 16 S. Evergreen (in Evergreen Plaza), Arlington Heights. Monday and Wednesday performances will be at Noble Tree Cafe, 2444 N. Clark, Chicago. Tickets: \$10. For reservations or information, call (773) 502-0227.

"Seussical," a musical for all ages, will be presented by St. James Community Theatre through July 26 in the Prospect High School theater, 801 W. Kensington Road, Mount Prospect. Performances are at 7:30 p.m. Friday and 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday. Tickets are \$15 in advance; \$17 at the door. For information, visit www.stjamesah.org/play or call (847) 253-6305, ext.178.

"Speedlight the Musical" at 10 p.m. Saturdays, through Aug. 30, at Metropolitan Performing Arts Centre, III W. Campbell St., Arlington Heights. Suggested rating: R for adult language and content. Tickets: \$16.50, (847) 577-5212 or www.MetropolisArts.com.

Allstate Arena, 6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-1212; the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. The information line is (847) 635-6601. Dec. 4, 7:30 p.m.: Soprano Sarah Brightman. Tickets: \$45-\$250.

National High School Music Institute concerts, featuring high school musicians from around the country, are held on Northwestern University's Evanston campus at Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, 50 Arts Circle Drive, and Lutkin Hall, 700 University Place, as noted below. All concerts are free and open to the public. For information, call (847) 491-5441 or visit www.pickstaiger.org. July 24, 7:30 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Jazz Ensemble and NMSM Jazz Combos. In

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 26, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Wind Ensemble and Honors Chamber Ensemble Recital. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 27, 1 p.m.: NMSM Solo and Chamber Music Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 28, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Honors Solo Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 29, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Evening of Strings, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Voice Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Piano Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 31, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Composition Recital, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. July 31, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Jazz Combos, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. Aug. 1, 2 p.m.: NMSM Gala Finale. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, Choral works will include Robert Schumann's "Zigeunerleben"; Anton Bruckner's "Os Jusli"; and Alberto Grau's "Kasar mie la gajl." The orchestra will perform Mendelssohn's "Hebrides Overture" and J.S. Bach's Toccata and Fugue in D Minor. The wind ensemble's program will include Malcolm Arnold's "English Dances" and "Tam O'Shanter."

Opera in Focus, Rolling Meadows Park District Central Facility, 3000 Central Road. Puppets performing scenes from popular operas at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; doors open a half-hour before the performance. \$12, \$11 for senior citizens, \$7 for children. Reservations required. (847) 818-3220, ext. 116, or www.operafocus.com. Through Aug. 16: A Tribute to Master Puppeteer and Costume Designer Paul Guerra (1944-2007), featuring scenes from "Turandot" by Puccini; "La Traviata" by Verdi; "Thais" by Massenet; and Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 26, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Wind Ensemble and Honors Chamber Ensemble Recital. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 27, 1 p.m.: NMSM Solo and Chamber Music Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 28, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Honors Solo Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 29, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Evening of Strings, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Voice Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Piano Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 31, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Composition Recital, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. July 31, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Jazz Combos, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. Aug. 1, 2 p.m.: NMSM Gala Finale. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, Choral works will include Robert Schumann's "Zigeunerleben"; Anton Bruckner's "Os Jusli"; and Alberto Grau's "Kasar mie la gajl." The orchestra will perform Mendelssohn's "Hebrides Overture" and J.S. Bach's Toccata and Fugue in D Minor. The wind ensemble's program will include Malcolm Arnold's "English Dances" and "Tam O'Shanter."

Opera in Focus, Rolling Meadows Park District Central Facility, 3000 Central Road. Puppets performing scenes from popular operas at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; doors open a half-hour before the performance. \$12, \$11 for senior citizens, \$7 for children. Reservations required. (847) 818-3220, ext. 116, or www.operafocus.com. Through Aug. 16: A Tribute to Master Puppeteer and Costume Designer Paul Guerra (1944-2007), featuring scenes from "Turandot" by Puccini; "La Traviata" by Verdi; "Thais" by Massenet; and Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall at Northwestern University, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. Information: (847) 491-5441; tickets: (847) 467-4000. www.pickstaiger.org. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. July 27, 7:30 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Chorus will perform Morten Lauridsen's "Lux Aeterna" and P.D.Q. Bach's "The Seasonings," as edited by Professor Peter Schickele. \$7/\$5/\$4. July 29, 7:30 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Orchestra, featuring clarinetist Kristin King. The program includes Mozart's Clarinet Concerto in A Major and Brahms' Symphony No. 4 in E Minor. \$7/\$5/\$4. July 30, 7 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Band, featuring euphonium player Kathryn Acremann. The program will include works by Ralph Vaughan Williams, Gustav Holst, Franz Schubert, Ron Nelson, Dmitri Shostakovich and others. \$7/\$5/\$4.

Regenstein Recital Hall at Northwestern University, 60 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. (847) 467-4000. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. July 29, 7 p.m.: Faculty recital with Charles

Vernon, trombone. Free.

POP/FOLK/JAZZ

The Abbey Pub, 3420 W. Grace St., Chicago. (773) 478-4408. www.abbeypub.com. Sundays: Traditional Irish Session with Devin Shepherd, 4 p.m. Tuesdays: Open Mic Night with Nick Gonzales, 8 p.m. Wednesdays: Sweet-water Meltdown, 9 p.m. Thursdays: MHB Band, 8 p.m. July 25, 9 p.m.: Forte (blues/rock) in the pub. July 25, 9 p.m.: Z-Trip. Verbal Kent, The Aristocats. Abstract Giants \$20. July 26: The Mudflaps in the pub. Aug. 1, 9 p.m.: Drop The Lime (aka Curses). Sston, Aleks & the Drummer, Murderbot, \$15. Aug. 1, 9 p.m.: Dan Whitaker (classic country). Aug. 2, 10 p.m.: Devlin & Darko, Heartsrevolution, Franki Chan, Hollywood Holt, \$16 in advance; \$18 at the door. Aug. 6, 9 p.m.: Tilly & The Wall, The Ruby Suns, \$15. Aug. 7, 9 p.m.: El Vez For Prez Tour with Lysa Flores, Big Time, \$15. Aug. 8, 9 p.m.: We Are Scientists, Oxford Collapse, \$15. Aug. 9, 9 p.m.: Steed Lord, Million \$ Mano, Hey Champ, \$12. Aug. 10, 9 p.m.: Hieroglyphics, Souls of Mischief, Pep Love & Casual, Blue Scholars, Knobody, Musab, Prince Ali, \$20.

Allstate Arena, 6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-1212; the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. The information line is (847) 635-6601. Sept. 25: Janet Jackson, "Rock Witchu Tour." Oct. 4 and 24, 8 p.m.: New Kids on the Block, \$35, \$55, \$75. Oct. 6: Tina Turner. Bill's Blues, 1029 Davis St., Evanston. (847) 424-9800. www.billsbluesbar.com. Cover charges vary. Sundays, 9 p.m.: Lilfest Open Mike. Mondays, 9 p.m.: Frank Bang & the Secret Slash (blues/rock). Tuesdays, 8:30 p.m.: Blues Jam hosted by The TFB Band, Wednesdays, 8 p.m.: Pro Jazz Jam with Mike Finnerty. July 24, 6 p.m.: Big Time Entertainment (rock). July 24, 11 p.m.: Racecar (hip-hop). July 25, 5:30 p.m.: Prohibition Orchestra of Chicago (jazz). July 25, 9 p.m. Mr. G & the Mystery Band (blues). July 25, 11:45 p.m.: The Half Effect (blues). July 26, 3 p.m.: Big Time Entertainment (rock). July 26, 8:30 p.m.: Melvin Taylor & the Slack Band (blues). July 27, 7 p.m.: Ed Holstein (folk). July 31, 10 p.m.: Prob Cause (hip-hop). Aug. 1, 5 p.m.: First Friday Party (jazz). Aug. 1, 8:30 p.m.: Aron Burton and The TFB Band (blues). Aug. 2, 3 p.m.: Big Time Entertainment (rock). Aug. 2, 8:30 p.m.: LV Banks Band (blues). Aug. 3, 7 p.m.: Luke Sayers (folk/rock). \$10; \$25 for reserved seats and two drink tickets. Tickets available at ETix.com. Aug. 7, 7 p.m.: 14 Miles To Empty (folk/rock). Aug. 8, 6 p.m.: The Sidemen Big Band Jazz. Aug. 8, 8:30 p.m.: The Johnny B. Moore Blues Band. Aug. 9, 3 p.m.: Big Time Entertainment (rock). Aug. 9, 8:30 p.m.: The Eric Davis Blues Band.

Regenstein Recital Hall at Northwestern University, 60 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. (847) 467-4000. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. July 29, 7 p.m.: Faculty recital with Charles

Vernon, trombone. Free.

CLASSICAL

Allstate Arena, 6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-1212; the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. The information line is (847) 635-6601. Dec. 4, 7:30 p.m.: Soprano Sarah Brightman. Tickets: \$45-\$250.

National High School Music Institute concerts, featuring high school musicians from around the country, are held on Northwestern University's Evanston campus at Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, 50 Arts Circle Drive, and Lutkin Hall, 700 University Place, as noted below. All concerts are free and open to the public. For information, call (847) 491-5441 or visit www.pickstaiger.org. July 24, 7:30 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Jazz Ensemble and NMSM Jazz Combos. In

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 26, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Wind Ensemble and Honors Chamber Ensemble Recital. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, July 27, 1 p.m.: NMSM Solo and Chamber Music Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 28, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Honors Solo Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 29, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Evening of Strings, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Voice Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 30, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Piano Recital, in Lutkin Hall. July 31, 1:30 p.m.: NMSM Composition Recital, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. July 31, 7:30 p.m.: NMSM Jazz Combos, in Pick-Staiger Concert Hall. Aug. 1, 2 p.m.: NMSM Gala Finale. In Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, Choral works will include Robert Schumann's "Zigeunerleben"; Anton Bruckner's "Os Jusli"; and Alberto Grau's "Kasar mie la gajl." The orchestra will perform Mendelssohn's "Hebrides Overture" and J.S. Bach's Toccata and Fugue in D Minor. The wind ensemble's program will include Malcolm Arnold's "English Dances" and "Tam O'Shanter."

Opera in Focus, Rolling Meadows Park District Central Facility, 3000 Central Road. Puppets performing scenes from popular operas at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; doors open a half-hour before the performance. \$12, \$11 for senior citizens, \$7 for children. Reservations required. (847) 818-3220, ext. 116, or www.operafocus.com. Through Aug. 16: A Tribute to Master Puppeteer and Costume Designer Paul Guerra (1944-2007), featuring scenes from "Turandot" by Puccini; "La Traviata" by Verdi; "Thais" by Massenet; and Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall at Northwestern University, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. Information: (847) 491-5441; tickets: (847) 467-4000. www.pickstaiger.org. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. July 29, 7 p.m.: Faculty recital with Charles

Vernon, trombone. Free.

Regenstein Recital Hall at Northwestern University, 60 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. (847) 467-4000. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. July 29, 7 p.m.: Faculty recital with Charles

STAGE

Centre East announces 2008-2009 season



Broadway star Mandy Patinkin sings at Centre East Dec. 27 and 28.

Tony Award-winner Mandy Patinkin returns to the Centre East stage for the 2008-2009 season, which features 15 presentations showcasing a broad spectrum of music, dance, theater, comedy and family entertainment. Other evenings include comedy from Susan Essman of "Curb Your Enthusiasm" and the outspoken Jackie Mason, dance by Gus Giordano Jazz Dance Chicago and Chicago's River North companies, and for kids, "School House Rock Live!" Performances begin Saturday, Oct. 25 and continue through Saturday, May 9 at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts in Skokie, 9501 Skokie Blvd. Subscriptions are currently on sale; single tickets go on sale Saturday, Sept. 6 at 10 a.m. Tickets to all performances can be obtained by calling the Centre East Box Office at (847) 673-6300.

Dudu Fisher: "Jerusalem," The singer celebrates the 60th anniversary of Israel with Broadway music, traditional Hassidic, Yiddish and cantorial music. 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, \$72.

"Defending the Cave-man," Rob Becker's exploration of the gender gap. 5 and 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 1, \$44

Susie Essman, the celebrated comedian brings a range of comedy to the stage. (May include language not suitable for younger or more sensitive audience members) 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, \$60.

Mandy Patinkin in Concert, with Paul Ford on piano, one of the great interpreters of theater music and popular standards. 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 28, \$85.

Civic Ballet of Chicago's "The Nut-



Broadway star Mandy Patinkin sings at Centre East Dec. 27 and 28.

cracker." The holiday fairy tale told in dance, colorful costumes with Tchaikovsky's magical music. 3 p.m. Saturday Dec. 13 and Sunday, Dec. 14, \$34.

Elvis Birthday Tribute to celebrate the King's 74th, featuring tribute star Shawn Kush and others. 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 8, \$49.50.

Capitol Steps satire arrives just in time to celebrate another inauguration. 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 22, \$44; 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 23, \$46; 5 and 8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, \$48 and 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 25, \$46.

Chinese Golden Dragon Acrobats bring their Cirque D'Or, a display of breathtaking skills and beautiful routines to entertain the whole family. 2 and 5 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 1, \$32.

Giordano Jazz Dance

STAGE

Centre East announces 2008-2009 season



Susie Essman brings her raucous comedy to Centre East on Nov. 15.

Chicago makes its Centre East Debut with a special Valentine's Day concert. 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 14, \$46.

"I Love You, You're Perfect...Now Change," a musical comedy revue celebrating the highs and lows of dating, romance and marriage. 5 and 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 21, \$46.

"School House Rock Live!" TheatreBam's lively kids' show that teaches history, grammar, math and science to a new generation via fun and music. 1 and 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 28, \$18.

"Get Back!" The cast of Beatlemania recreates the era and music of the Fab Four. 8 p.m. Saturday, March 14, \$42.

River North Chicago Dance Company presents a show that speaks to the heart of its audience through works that are spiritual, emotional and entertaining. 8 p.m. Saturday, April 18. Call for prices.

Junie B. Jones performs silly songs that provide insight into her first grade experiences, based on Barbara Park's children's books. 1 and 3 p.m. Sunday, April 19, \$18.

Jackie Mason in his 8th and final one-man show and an outrageous take on politics. 7:30 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, April 21-23, \$72.

"The Rat Pack Is Back" Comment: pioneerlocal.com

I'm here to help you save money on homeowner's and renter's insurance.

670 S. Roselle Rd. | Schaumburg | 630-671-0600
Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-9pm • Sat 9am-2pm

Homeowner's and renter's coverages are written through non-affiliated insurance companies and are secured through Insurance Crossroads Inc., the GEICO Property Agency, d/b/a business as GEICO Insurance Agency in CA, WA, MA, MI, NY, OK, SD, UT. Homeowner's and renter's insurance are not available in all states. Government Employees Insurance Co. • GEICO General Insurance Co. • GEICO Indemnity Co. • GEICO Casualty Co. These companies are subsidiaries of Berkshire Hathaway Inc. GEICO auto insurance is not available in Alaska. The GEICO logo design © GEICO 1999-2008. GEICO, Washington, DC 20076. © 2008 GEICO

4610 North Harlem Avenue
Harwood Heights
Phone: 708-867-4072

MONDAYS MARGARITA MADNESS 1/2 PRICE

Mondays, regular small house margaritas 1/2 price with the purchase of any Mexican dinner entree.

go.

Continued from PAGE B8

Black Ram Steakhouse, 1414 Oakton St., Des Plaines. (847) 824-1227. www.blackramsteakhouse.com. Fridays and Saturdays, 8-11:30 p.m.: Live jazz and dance music.

The Celtic Knot Public House, 626 Church St., Evanston. (847) 864-1679. www.celticknotpub.com. No cover unless noted otherwise. Mondays, 8 p.m.-midnight: Bluegrass and roots music with the Mudflaps. Tuesdays, 7-10 p.m.: Irish music session. Aug. 2, 10 p.m.: Henhouse Prowlers. Aug. 16, 10 p.m.: Bluegrass Advocates. Aug. 24, 8 p.m.: Andy White. Aug. 30, 10 p.m.: The Black Oil Brothers.

Chambers, 6881 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. (847) 647-8282. www.thechambersonline.com. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 7-10:30 p.m.: Buddy Charles, pianist/singer. Thursdays, 8:30 p.m.-midnight: Jazz Jam with John Bary, Charlie Braugham and Don Stille. Sunday music is from 5-9 p.m.: Friday-Saturday music is from 9 p.m.-1 a.m.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dppl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 3, 2 p.m.: The Nevery Brothers will present rock n' roll. Aug. 6, 7 p.m.: Indie rockers The High Strung will present a one-hour music set, followed by a 30-minute improv session where they'll write a song from scratch with the help of the audience.

Famous Freddie's Roadhouse, 1799 S. Busse Road, Mount Prospect. (847) 593-2200. www.famousfreddiesroadhouse.com. Shows start at 9 p.m. Fridays and 10 p.m. Saturdays. July 25: Jaktripper. July 26: 7th Heaven (dance to alternative/originals). Aug. 1: 80oz On Tap ('80s covers). Aug. 2: Tramp Stamp. Aug. 8: Rock of Ages ('70s to current). Aug. 9: Liquid 7 (party rock). Aug. 15: The Walk-Ins (pop/rock/acoustic). Aug. 16: Kashmir (Led Zeppelin tribute). Aug. 22: J.P. & the Cats. Aug. 23: Covergurl. Aug. 29: Rebel Highway. Aug. 30: Drunken Skunk.

Irish American Heritage Center, 4626 N. Knox Ave., Chicago. (773) 282-7035. www.irishamhc.com. Entertainment at 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays in the Fifth Province Lounge, no cover - July 25: Matt Stedman Band. July 26: The Paddy Homan Band. No scheduled bands in August.

Josephine Louis Theater at Northwestern University, 20 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. Aug. 15, 8 p.m.: Songwriters Showcase, featuring lyricists and performers from across the country presenting an evening of original music. Tickets: \$15. (847) 491-7282.

Kafein Espresso Bar, 1621 Chicago Ave., Evanston. (847) 491-1621, Mondays, 8:30-10:30 p.m.: Open mic event for musicians, poets, and light comedy sketches. Sign-up starts at 8 p.m.

Metropolis Performing Arts Centre, 111 W. Campbell St., Arlington Heights. (847) 577-2121. www.metropolisarts.com. Through Aug. 24, 3 p.m. Sundays: Ron Hawking in "A Tribute to the Men and Their Music." The show celebrates the music of Bobby Darin, Ray Charles, Frankie Valli and others. Tickets are \$50; \$60 for stage tables.

Na Mele Aloha, the Hawaiian music ensemble from Oakton Community College, performs at 7:30 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at The Tiki Terrace, 7597 Lee St., Des Plaines; and at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Thursday of the

month at Cheeseburger in Paradise, 1472 Market St., Des Plaines. For information, call Earl Essig, (847) 272-0762, or e-mail earlessig@aol.com.

The Park Ridge Chorale presents its summer concert, "From Tony to Oscar," at 7 p.m. July 26 at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 205 N. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. The program includes music from "Hairspray," "Dreamgirls," "Sweeney Todd" and more. There will also be a raffle. Tickets in advance are \$14; \$12 for senior citizens. Tickets at the door are \$16; \$14 for senior citizens. Admission is free for children under 18. For information, call Kyle Cartwright, (847) 825-5499 or Patti Bonk, (847) 825-2216. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgepubliclibrary.org. Aug. 3, 2 p.m.: Dave Rudolf's Beach Party, featuring Rudolf performing Jimmy Buffett tunes.

Pick-Staiger Concert Hall at Northwestern University, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. Most ticket prices listed in three categories: general public; senior citizens and NU faculty and staff; and student rate. Information: (847) 491-5441; tickets: (847) 467-4000. www.pickstaiger.org. July 24, 7:30 p.m.: Northwestern University Summer Jazz Ensemble and NMSM Jazz Combos in a program featuring music by Count Basie, Thad Jones and Bill Holman, with a guest appearance by jazz pianist Joan Hickey. Free. Aug. 16, 8 p.m.: Johnny Mercer Celebration Concert, with guest artist Heather Headley presenting Mercer's Broadway musical favorites. The evening also includes performances by composer/lyricist Andrew Lipa, Nashville recording artist Lari White, the cabaret act of Beckie Menzie and Tom Michael, and students of the Northwestern Music Theatre Program. Tickets: \$30. (847) 491-7282.

Sears Centre, located in the Prairie Stone Complex on Interstate 90 between the I-59 and Beverly Road exits, Hoffman Estates. (888) 732-7784. www.SearsCentre.com. Aug. 5, 7:30 p.m.: Rod Stewart with Bryan Adams. Tickets: \$27, \$127, \$97, \$52. Aug. 10, 7 p.m.: "The Unforgettable Tour," a show of Bollywood songs, dance and costumes. Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m.: Carrie Underwood. \$55, \$45, \$35.

Skokie Theatre Music Foundation presents concerts in the Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Call (847) 677-7761 or visit www.skokietheatre.com. Concert tickets \$15 in advance; \$20 at the door. July 25, 8 p.m.: Bruce's Blues All Star Jam starring Jimmy Johnson.

S.P.A.C.E., 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. (847) 492-8860. July 24: Natalia Zukerman. July 26: Deep Blue Organ Trio. July 31: Untwelve. Aug. 1: Daniela Cotton. Aug. 2: David McMillin. Aug. 15: Anna Fermin's Trigger Gospel and Bunkertown. Aug. 21: An Evening with Trever Garrod of Teal Leaf Green. Aug. 23: Long Gone Lonesome/Flying Nowakowski Bros.

WFMT Midnight Special Folk Festival, 3-7 p.m. Sept. 28 at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. The all-ages festival will air live over WFMT 98.7 FM, with a simultaneous live webcast at www.wfmt.com. Artists performing include singer-songwriter Tom Paxton, Grammy Award-winning duo Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer, Anne Hills, Small Potatoes and Vance Gilbert. General admission tickets are \$35 and \$50. VIP tickets, at \$100 each, include premium seating and admission to a private lounge to meet the artists. Call (847) 673-6300 or visit www.northshorecenter.org.

ART GALLERIES

Art + Science Salon, 811 Church St., Evanston. Gallery hours: 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Fridays; 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays. Through Aug. 23. Block Museum documents will lead free tours of the galleries that begin in the museum lobby. Reservations are not necessary. Docent-Led Group Tours, by appointment. The museum offers free docent-led tours to groups of eight or more. The 45-minute to hour-long tours are available each day the museum is open. Scheduled tour requests should be made at least four weeks in advance. Through Aug. 24: "Design in the Age of Darwin: From William Morris to Frank Lloyd Wright." The exhibit explores the relationship between evolutionism and English and American decorative arts during the half-century following the publication of Charles Darwin's *Origin of the Species* (1859). Aug. 7, 6 p.m.:

As You Like It Gallery, 825-B Chicago Ave., second floor, Evanston. (847) 864-3101. www.asyoulikeitsalon.net. Through October: "An Art Odyssey," paintings by Pal Rose, including figure, landscape and still life.

Block Museum of Art at Northwestern University, 40 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston. (847) 491-4000. www.blockmuseum.northwestern.edu. Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Wednesday-Friday; noon-5 p.m. Saturday.

Gallery Talk. Block Museum curator Corinne Granof will present a talk about "Design in the Age of Darwin." Dittmar Memorial Gallery at Northwestern University's Norris Center, 1999 Campus Drive, Evanston. (847) 491-2348. www.dittmar.northwestern.edu. Gallery hours are 10 a.m.-10 p.m. daily. Admission is free. Through Aug. 10: Laurie Rubin photography exhibition. Evanston Art Center, 2603 Sheridan Road. (847) 475-5300. www.evansontonartcenter.org. Through Aug. 17: Biennial Adult Student Exhibition, a juried exhibition showcasing the work of Evanston Art Center adult students in ceramics, digital arts, drawing, painting, fiber, figure sculpture, jewelry, metal sculpture, mosaic, photography and printmaking. Frame Warehouse, 814 Dempster St., Evanston. (847) 869-5210. Aug. 1-8:

Paintings by Andi Steinberg. Artist's reception from 7-9 p.m. Aug. 1. Irish American Heritage Center, 4626 N. Knox Ave., Chicago. (773) 282-7035. Gallery hours are 1-4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. Through July 27: "Irish Cottage and Castle Birdhouses," featuring decorative and garden birdhouses modeled on cottages and castles throughout the Irish countryside. Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 N. Lincoln Ave., Lincolnwood. Gallery hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Contact Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator. (847) 674-3806. Through July 31: "Circles," graphite on canvas and paper plus acrylic on canvas. Mitchell Museum of the American Indian, 3001 Central St., Evanston. (847) 475-1030. www.mitchellmuseum.org. Admission to events is included with an entrance donation to the Mitchell Museum. Suggested donation is \$5 for

adults; \$250 for senior citizens, students and children. Maximum admission per family is \$10. Through Sept. 4: "Transfusion," an exhibit of contemporary paintings, photography and sculpture by four Native American artists, including Craig George, who is of Navajo and Thai descent; John Joe, who is Navajo, Zuni and Irish; Chris Pappan, who is Osage (Kaw), Cheyenne River Sioux and Scottish; and Debra Yepa-Pappan, who is Jemez Pueblo and Korean.

Oakton Community College, Koehnline Museum of Art, 1600 E. Golf Road, Des Plaines. (847) 635-2633. www.oakton.edu/museum. Through Aug. 28: "Nuances of Printmaking." Various printmaking methods, from etching and lithography to woodcut and linocut, are the focus of the exhibition. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St. (847) 673-7774. www.skokieilibrary.info.

Through July 30: KIDS Global Network Inc. presents "Connecting Continents," a photographic exploration of a rural South African community by Jon Lowenstein. Students and teachers at Manyeleti Primary School in Gothenburg, South Africa, are featured. Tucker Gallery, 1939 Central St., Evanston. (847) 570-9825. www.tucker-gallery.com. Through Aug. 14: Local Artist Show, featuring works by Sallie Stanley, Bonnie Zak, Jordan Scott, Dennis O'Malley, Meta Joultras, Eileen Jorgensen and others. Noyes Cultural Art Center Gallery, 927 Noyes St., Evanston. (847) 491-0266. Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily. Through Aug. 31: "Galesburg," photographs by Chris Verene, on display in the first floor gallery. Through Sept. 9: "Photographic Compositions in E Major," works by

go., PAGE B12

THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER

"MAMMA MIA! IS THE MOST FUN TO BE HAD AT THE MOVIES THIS SUMMER."

Everyone will be having a rollicking good time and dancing in the aisles to ABBA's irresistible songs. Meryl Streep is sensationally good in one of her most entertaining performances ever. There's not an audience anywhere that won't be smiling. This is the winner that will take it all!

Ray Bennett

MERYL STREEP PENELOPE WILTON COLIN FIRTH STELLAN SKARSGÅRD JULIE WALTERS DOMINIC COOPER AMANDA SEYFRIED CHRISTINE BARANSKI

MAMMA MIA! THE MOVIE

www.mammamiainmovie.com

MOBILE USERS: For Showtimes - Text MAMMAMIA with your ZIP CODE to 4301X (435-431)

CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS FOR THEATRES AND SHOWTIMES

FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TALLADEGA NIGHTS AND ANCHORMAN

WILL FERRELL JOHN C. REILLY

STEP BROTHERS

They grow up so fast.

STARTS FRIDAY, JULY 25
CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS FOR THEATRES AND SHOWTIMES

"ONE OF THE FINEST SHOWS IN RECENT SEASONS, NOT JUST IN CHICAGOLAND BUT IN ALL OF AMERICA."

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

EXTENDED BY POPULAR DEMAND!
MUST CLOSE AUGUST 17TH!

847-242-6000 WRITERSTHEATRE.ORG

THE LION IN WINTER
BY JAMES GOLDMAN DIRECTED BY RICK SNYDER

WT WRITERS' THEATRE

Best in Entertainment Presents
Chicago Legends of the Stars
 Tribute to:
The Beatles, Elvis, Neil Diamond, Tom Jones
Tuesday July 29, 2008
 At 8 PM.
Pepsi Skyline Stage At Navy Pier
ticketmaster Box Office
(312) 595-5022
(708) 338-2222

go.

Continued from PAGE B11

Evanston artist Steven Godfrey, on display in the second floor gallery.

AUDITIONS & OPPORTUNITIES

STAGE

The Evanston-based Savoyaires Theater Company will hold auditions for all voice parts for Gilbert & Sullivan's "The Pirates of Penzance" from 1-4 p.m. Aug. 2 and 6-9 p.m. Aug. 3 at the First Congregational Church House, 1417 Hinman Ave., Evanston. All roles are available, including chorus parts. Those auditioning are asked to prepare one song, preferably by Gilbert & Sullivan. An accompanist will be provided. Performance dates are Oct. 10-19 at Chute Auditorium in Evanston. Call (773) 764-3313 for an audition appointment. Rising Stars Theatre Co. will hold open auditions for Rodgers and Hammerstein's "The King and I" from 1-5 p.m. Aug. 10 and 7-9 p.m. Aug. 11 at 6850 W. Addison, Chicago. Seeking men and women ages 16 and up for principal roles and ensemble. Also, two boys ages 12-15 for the roles of Louis and the Prince, plus children ages 6-12. Prepare 32 bars of a song, preferably from the show, and bring sheet music in your key. Accompanist and score from the show provided. Those auditioning may be asked to dance or read from the script. All roles open, no appointment necessary. There is no pay. Performance dates are Nov. 8-23 at the Stahl Family Theatre, 5900 W. Belmont, Chicago. For information, call (773) 736-2490 or visit www.risingstarsco.org.

North Shore Players seek actors and singers for a new musical. Stage experience a plus. Performances in October. Call (847) 502-8916 for information. The Open Door Ensemble invites those age 55 and over to join its group of area seniors in creating, directing and producing one-act plays and monologues. The ODE meets at the Levy Senior Center, 300 Dodge Ave., Evanston, regularly throughout the year. Playwriting and acting classes taught by professional instructors are also available. Most of the staged readings are performed in public libraries, schools, community and senior centers, and retirement and nursing homes at no charge. In addition, a more complete showcase of juried plays and monologues is presented annually. Call Norm Bowers, (773) 274-1981, or Colleen Keaveny, (847) 272-7148.

MUSICIANS

Evanston Symphony Orchestra will hold auditions for all strings at 7 p.m. Sept. 2. The ESO is an all-volunteer orchestra under the direction of Maestro Lawrence Ecklering that performs four regular series concerts along with a holiday concert and a pops concert. For information and to schedule an audition, call Paula Fisher, (847) 679-3898.

Canzonetta Youth String Chamber Orchestra, under the direction of Hilel Kagan, begins its third season Sept. 6-7. Training Ensemble (ages 7-11) meets from 1:30-2:30 p.m. Saturdays; Intermediate Ensemble (ages 10-14) meets from 3-4:30 p.m. Sundays; Senior Ensemble (ages 13-18) meets from 1-3 p.m. Sundays. All practices take place at the Wilmette Recreation Center, 3000 Glenview Road, Wilmette. For information, call Hilel Schramm, (847) 328-0570, or Wendy Shelton, (847) 251-0781.

SINGERS

Bjornson Male Chorus invites male singers to join in four-part choral singing. They rehearse at 8 p.m. Thursdays in the Park Ridge VFW Hall, Higgins Road and Canfield Avenue. September-June, and sing American and Scandinavian selections at various locations. Call (847) 741-4210 or (847) 546-2050.

Chicago Swedish Glee Club male chorus is seeking experienced singers who

enjoy performing four-part choral music. The club annually performs a Christmas concert, spring classical concert and many summer Swedish events. There is no need to be of Swedish heritage. The group rehearses from 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays, September through June, at Diemasters, 2100 Touhy Ave., Elk Grove Village. Singers must be age 18 or older. Prospective members may attend a rehearsal and arrange an audition with the music director, Steve Burke. For information, call Waller Magnuson, (773) 631-4534.

Des Plaines Harmonies welcome singers to join them from 9:15-11:15 a.m. Thursdays at Good Shepherd Church, Howard and Lee streets, Des Plaines. No audition needed. Call Alberta Fischer, (847) 699-0546.

Irish Heritage Singers rehearse at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Irish American Heritage Center, 4626 N. Knox Ave., Chicago. The singers are a mixed choral group performing in the Irish-American tradition. Call Mary Grimes, (773) 282-7035.

Mellotone Senior Chorus rehearses at 1 p.m. Tuesdays at Merrimack Park, 6343 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. Senior citizens age 55 and older are encouraged to join the four-part mixed chorus, which sings a variety of Broadway, patriotic, sacred, Hawaiian and holiday songs. For information, call Rudy Oliva, (773) 777-4226.

Mount Prospect Community Chorus seeks singers. No auditions or experience required. The chorus meets from 7:15-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Mount Prospect Park District Rec Plex, 420 W. Dempster St.

The North Shore Chamber Orchestra, an Evanston-based nonprofit organization, has openings in all string sections. No audition is necessary, but orchestral experience is preferred. The NSCO is a "teaching and learning" orchestra, whose conductors, soloists, coaches and composers are students at Northwestern University's School of Music. Rehearsals are held from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the lower level rehearsal room of Alice Millar Chapel on the campus of Northwestern University. Call Harvey Treger, (847) 864-2288.

North Suburban Symphony, under the direction of Ron Arden, is a community volunteer orchestra performing out of the Gorton Auditorium in Lake Forest. The symphony seeks to fill spaces in all strings, trombones and bassoons. Call Arden, (847) 746-3472, or Marc Needelman, (847) 948-8996.

Northwest Symphony Orchestra, Paul Vermel, music director, seeks string players. Rehearsals are from 7:30-10 p.m. Mondays in Maine West High School, 1755 S. Wolf Road, Des Plaines. Call June Gordon, (847) 965-7271.

The Oakton Jazz Band is seeking new members. Musicians interested in joining the band must have some previous performing experience and may audition by appointment. Music will be provided, and students also may prepare their own piece. Call Carey Polacek, (847) 635-1937, or e-mail cpolacek@oakton.edu.

ARTISTS

Tonti Council Knights of Columbus seeks artists, crafters and vendors for its 12th annual Art in the Park, to be held Sept. 20-21 at Portage Park, Chicago. Fee is \$55 per booth if paid by Aug. 1; \$80 after that date. For an application, call (773) 405-8983.

Seeking crafters for the GLWC Craft Fair, to be held from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Oct.

enjoy performing four-part choral music. The club annually performs a Christmas concert, spring classical concert and many summer Swedish events. There is no need to be of Swedish heritage. The group rehearses from 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays, September through June, at Diemasters, 2100 Touhy Ave., Elk Grove Village. Singers must be age 18 or older. Prospective members may attend a rehearsal and arrange an audition with the music director, Steve Burke. For information, call Waller Magnuson, (773) 631-4534.

Des Plaines Harmonies welcome singers to join them from 9:15-11:15 a.m. Thursdays at Good Shepherd Church, Howard and Lee streets, Des Plaines. No audition needed. Call Alberta Fischer, (847) 699-0546.

Irish Heritage Singers rehearse at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Irish American Heritage Center, 4626 N. Knox Ave., Chicago. The singers are a mixed choral group performing in the Irish-American tradition. Call Mary Grimes, (773) 282-7035.

Mellotone Senior Chorus rehearses at 1 p.m. Tuesdays at Merrimack Park, 6343 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. Senior citizens age 55 and older are encouraged to join the four-part mixed chorus, which sings a variety of Broadway, patriotic, sacred, Hawaiian and holiday songs. For information, call Rudy Oliva, (773) 777-4226.

Mount Prospect Community Chorus seeks singers. No auditions or experience required. The chorus meets from 7:15-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Mount Prospect Park District Rec Plex, 420 W. Dempster St.

The Northmen Singing Society is looking for singers who enjoy four-part choral singing. The group performs throughout the year singing Norwegian and American songs and coordinates a festival of song each spring. The chorus also participates in a bi-annual "Sangerfest," which is held in different locations around the country. Rehearsals are held from 8-10 p.m. Tuesdays at the Estonian House in Lincolnshire, September to June. Call Chuck Kessell, (773) 481-5941, or Karj Tanageros, (773) 631-9682, or visit www.norwaysingers.org.

The Oakton Community College A Cappella Chorus is looking for those who enjoy singing, with or without experience. No auditions. Chorus meets from 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays at the Des Plaines campus, 1600 E. Golf Road. Call Michael Adamczyk, (847) 635-1937.

Paul Lindblad Choristers, a concert children's choir for ages third grade and older, promotes musical literacy, performs quality repertoire with a high level of artistry, and offers a concert series. Choristers' 19th season will begin with a choir day camp in August. In addition to choral music, vocal technique (breathing, posture), stagecraft, stage presence, improvisation, musicianship (ear training, music reading, sight singing), and principles of drama are also taught. Call (847) 420-9200 or visit www.pichoristers.org.

Skokie Concert Choir has openings for all voice parts, especially tenors, baritones and basses. Rehearsals are 7-9 p.m. Mondays in Old Orchard Junior High, 9310 Kenton Ave., Skokie. There are no auditions; prior singing experience is a plus. Call (847) 674-3219.

CHILD'S PLAY

Allstate Arena, 6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-1212; the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. The information line is (847) 635-6601. Aug. 9-10, 1:30 p.m. and 5 p.m.; "Pop Go the Wiggles Live!" \$18-\$38.

Center for Musical Development, 8201 N. Karlov, Skokie. Kindermusik classes offered are Village (0-17 months); Our Time (1 1/2-3 years); Imagine That! (3-5 years); and Young Child (5-7 years). For information, contact Pat Heinemann-Vernon at (847) 679-5121 or phvcmd@aol.com.

Creative ceramic classes and workshops for children 5 to 13 years old will be offered in artist Laurey Fisher's studio in Skokie. Summer classes available weekdays and weekends. Projects will emphasize self-expression and imagination while teaching handbuilding and glazing techniques. No experience necessary, all materials and fir-

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

BOOKS & POETRY

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

CHILD'S PLAY

Allstate Arena, 6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-1212; the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. The information line is (847) 635-6601. Aug. 9-10, 1:30 p.m. and 5 p.m.; "Pop Go the Wiggles Live!" \$18-\$38.

Center for Musical Development, 8201 N. Karlov, Skokie. Kindermusik classes offered are Village (0-17 months); Our Time (1 1/2-3 years); Imagine That! (3-5 years); and Young Child (5-7 years). For information, contact Pat Heinemann-Vernon at (847) 679-5121 or phvcmd@aol.com.

Creative ceramic classes and workshops for children 5 to 13 years old will be offered in artist Laurey Fisher's studio in Skokie. Summer classes available weekdays and weekends. Projects will emphasize self-expression and imagination while teaching handbuilding and glazing techniques. No experience necessary, all materials and fir-

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

Late Nite Catechism
 by Mike Quade
 8 p.m. Fridays, 8 p.m. Saturdays

Sunday School Cinema
 by Mike Quade

Put the NUNS in Charge!
 by Mike Quade

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

ALICE
 LOOKING GLASS THEATRE COMPANY
 151 W. WALTER WALKER SQUARE
 MICHIGAN AVE AT PEARSON
 PER TICKETS CALL 773-445-1000
 FOR VISIT WWW.LOOKINGGLASSTHEATRE.COM

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

ALICE
 LOOKING GLASS THEATRE COMPANY
 151 W. WALTER WALKER SQUARE
 MICHIGAN AVE AT PEARSON
 PER TICKETS CALL 773-445-1000
 FOR VISIT WWW.LOOKINGGLASSTHEATRE.COM

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

ALICE
 LOOKING GLASS THEATRE COMPANY
 151 W. WALTER WALKER SQUARE
 MICHIGAN AVE AT PEARSON
 PER TICKETS CALL 773-445-1000
 FOR VISIT WWW.LOOKINGGLASSTHEATRE.COM

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

ALICE
 LOOKING GLASS THEATRE COMPANY
 151 W. WALTER WALKER SQUARE
 MICHIGAN AVE AT PEARSON
 PER TICKETS CALL 773-445-1000
 FOR VISIT WWW.LOOKINGGLASSTHEATRE.COM

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

ings included. Call (847) 674-1191 for information and registration.

Des Plaines Park District's Live at the Lake summer entertainment series for families. All performances take place in the Lake Park Memorial Pavilion on Lee Street, north of Touhy Avenue. In the event of rain, entertainers will perform on the Prairie Lakes Theatre Stage, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. For information, call the hotline after 6 p.m. the day of the performance at (847) 391-5705, #3. July 24, 7-8:30 p.m.; The Lennys, family rock and roll band. Title of completion: a résumé or curriculum vitae; an artist's statement; self-addressed stamped envelope if slides/prints returned are to be returned; and a \$15 non-refundable submission fee made payable to Brickton Art Center. Submissions will be held until reviewed by gallery jury panel. Call (847) 823-6611.

Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 Lincoln Ave., seeks artists to exhibit their works. Call Shirley Engelstein, fine arts coordinator, at (847) 674-3806.

MISCELLANEOUS

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is seeking volunteers to assist the nonprofit organization with its decent program, arts educational programs working with students in classroom, and administrative work. Training sessions are informal and informative. No knowledge of art required. The Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park is located on the north channel of the Chicago River separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. Showcasing the large-scale work of more than 60 artists throughout two miles of riverbank park, the sculpture park combines outdoor recreation with the aesthetic and intellectual enjoyment of fine art. The sculpture park is run by a volunteer board of trustees and is funded through public, private and corporate contributions. For information, call (847) 679-4265 or visit www.sculpturepark.org.

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood St. (847) 376-2787. www.dpl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. Aug. 5, 10 a.m., *Suite Française* by Irene Nemirovsky, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m.: Discussion of *Finn* by John Clinch. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 825-3123. www.parkridgelibrary.org. Aug. 26, 7 p.m.: Daniel P. Smith will discuss his nonfiction book, *On the Job: Behind the Stars of the Chicago Police Department*.

ALICE
 LOOKING GLASS THEATRE COMPANY
 151 W. WALTER WALKER SQUARE
 MICHIGAN AVE AT PEARSON
 PER TICKETS CALL 773-445-1000
 FOR VISIT WWW.LOOKINGGLASSTHEATRE.COM

Golden Boy
 Written & Directed by Corey Wright
 Produced by Jackie Taylor
 tickets: \$20.00

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATER
 4320 North Beacon Street 773-769-4451

SUMMER FLING

DINE-IN SPECIALS

LAKE SUPERIOR WHITEFISH

OR

PRIME TOP SIRLOIN \$12.95

Includes salad and our real mashed potatoes!

Hurry...Like summer, this special is fleeting!

Better than us!

Johnny's

KITCHEN & TAP

And, what a deal!

1740 Milwaukee Avenue (at Lake Ave.) • Glenview (847) 699-9999

AMICI

RESTAURANT

PATIO OPEN!

LUNCH Mon.-Fri.

CATERING

PARTY ROOM - up to 80 Guests
Dinner 7 days a week

(847) 967-0606

7620 N. MILWAUKEE, NILES
2 Blocks South of Oakton
www.amicifood.com

go.

Continued from PAGE B13

Camp." Aug. 11-13, which covers jazz, tap, hip-hop and ballet. To register for camps, call (773) 481-8114 or e-mail dprosser@cacc.edu.

Wunder Studios Performing Arts Conservatory offers classes in the Pickwick Building in Uptown Park Ridge, 3 S. Prospect Ave. Visit www.wunderstudios.com or call (847) 685-2030. Offerings include group musical theatre, guitar and drum classes for children 5 and older, as well as private music lessons for all instruments. There are also Musikgarten classes that build music and movement skills for infants, toddlers and preschoolers.

The YADI Club (Youth Arts/Dance International) holds dance classes for teens and younger students at the Jefferson Park Field House, 4822 N. Long. Classes meet at 1:30 p.m. Saturdays and 6:15 p.m. Wednesdays and are conducted by Tina Mangos Dance. Learn salsa, swing, cotillon dances, big band and more. (773) 282-5108 or www.tinamangosdance.com.

COMEDY

Apollo Studio Theater, 2540 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago. (773) 935-6100. www.ApolloChicago.com. Fridays at 10:30 p.m.: The Blu Mic: Stand-Up Comedy Performances. Niles resident Nick Lullo hosts a diverse lineup of comedians in an intimate theater setting. \$10. No drink minimum. Ages 17-plus. See www.NickLullo.com for talent schedule.

Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. Tickets are available at www.ticketmaster.com or (312) 559-

1212: the ticket prices listed below do not include service fees. For more information about the theater, call (847) 671-5100. Oct. 24, 6 p.m.: Carlos Mencia "At Close Range." \$43.50. Nov. 1, 8 p.m.: "An Evening of Classic Lily Tomlin." \$37.50, \$55, \$75.

Silvie's, 1902 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. (773) 871-6239. July 30, 8 p.m.: Skokie resident Debbie Sue Goodman presents a comedy performance based on her books. *Still Single and Still Dating*. Cover charge \$5.

DANCE

GROUPS & LESSONS

Barefoot Hawaiian Inc., 1401 E. Oakton St., Des Plaines, offers dance and music classes. Classes include hula for youth and adults; Tahitian, beginners and advanced; Tahitian drumming Maori; ukelele; Pilates; and swing dancing. Call (847) 699-7336.

Chicago's Windy City Jitterbug Club holds dances to the music of the '50s, '60s and more, from 8 p.m.-midnight at the American Legion Hall, 9757 W. Pacific Ave., Franklin Park, unless otherwise noted. Admission to club dances is \$5 for members; \$10 for nonmembers. Proper attire required: no blue jeans or shorts allowed. Must be 21 or older. Call (773) 467-0177 or visit www.jitterbugchicago.com. Aug. 2 and 16: Regular dances.

The Chicagoland Chapter of USA Dance, the national organization representing amateur ballroom dancers. Lesson begins at 7:30 p.m.: general dancing begins at 8:15 p.m. Admission: \$8 members; \$10 nonmembers; \$6 college students with ID. Call (847) 426-7978 for more information. Dance music for all swing, Latin and ballroom dances. Partners not required - singles

welcome. Beginning dancers encouraged. The Chicagoland chapter of USA Dance is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting ballroom dancing as a healthy recreational activity and as a competitive sport known as DanceSport. www.chicago-abda.com. Aug. 2, 7-11 p.m.: USA Dance is co-hosting an event at the Interclub Academy of Dance, 7350-52 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. Aug. 9, 7 p.m.: "Summer Swing" at The Center at North Park, 10040 Addison, Franklin Park. The featured lesson, West Coast Swing, will be taught by Angie and Paul Cameron.

Chicago Dance Club, (847) 622-4466. Dance to DJ music from the '50s to today from 7:30-11:30 p.m. Saturdays at American Legion Hall, 8664 W. Grand Ave., River Grove. Mostly swing dancing, some ballroom. Latin and line dancing. Open to ages 21 and older. \$5 members; \$9 nonmembers. Membership fee \$25. Upcoming dates: July 26; Aug. 9 and 23; Sept. 13 and 27; Oct. 11 and 25; Nov. 8 and 22; Dec. 13.

The Dance Academy, 5721 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. (773) 736-6677. Offers beginning through advanced classes for ages 3 through adult in jazz, tap, ballet/pointe, modern, exercise dance, and hip-hop. Call for a complete schedule and list of prices.

Dance Center Evanston, located in Evanston Plaza, 1934 Dempster St., Evanston. (847) 328-6683. Accepting registration for the summer session of dance classes, camps and workshops. A six-week session of classes are available for children ages 3-18 in Tippy Toes, ballet, modern, jazz, tap, hip-hop, character and pointe. Special classes are available just for boys. Adult classes are designed for beginning, continuing and advanced dancers in ballet, tap and jazz. Camps and workshops are offered for ages 6-18.

DanceSport Center, 999 N. Elmhurst Road (Randhurst Shopping Center), Mount Prospect, offers ballroom and Latin dance classes for children age 5 and older and adults. No partner is necessary. Call (847) 342-0567 or visit www.chicagodancesport.com.

Denim and Diamonds hosts line dances from 7-10:15 p.m. Tuesdays at the White Eagle Banquet Hall, 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. All ages. Beginners lessons given at 7:30 p.m. Retro Night is on third Tuesday. Admission of \$6. \$4 for those 17 years and under. Includes weekly lessons and review. Call (847) 965-6353.

Friskie Senior Center, 52 E. Northwest Highway, Des Plaines. Mondays: Big Band Night, 7-9 p.m., dance to big band music; \$3 for members, \$5 nonmembers. Tuesdays: Line dancing from 10-11 a.m.; \$2.50 for members, \$3 nonmembers; square dancing, 12:30-2:30 p.m., \$3 per person. Wednesdays: Square dancing, 10 a.m.-noon; \$1.50 for members, \$2 nonmembers. Fridays: Round dancing, 9:30-10:30 a.m. for beginners, 10:30 a.m.-noon for regulars; \$3.50 for members, \$4 nonmembers. Call (847) 7688-5944.

Happy Twirlers Dance Club provides round and square dancing on the second Saturday of the month, September-May, in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Thacker and Lee streets, Oes Plaines. Rounds begin at 7:30 p.m. Call (847) 827-6500 or (773) 685-0407.

International folk dancing from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Mondays at the Lake Street Church, Lake Street and Chicago Avenue, Evanston. Beginners are welcome and no partner is needed. \$5. Call (847) 492-9393.

It's Thursday! dance nights, July 24, July 31, Aug. 7, Aug. 14 and Aug. 21 outdoors at the 909 Davis Plaza, Maple Av-

I'm here to help you save money on homeowner's and renter's insurance.

GEICO Local Office

670 S. Roselle Rd. | Schaumburg | 630-671-0600

Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-9pm • Sat 9am-2pm

Homeowner's and renter's coverages are written through non-affiliated insurance companies and are secured through Insurance Counselors Inc., the GEICO Property Agency, doing business as GEICO Insurance Agency in CA, MA, MI, NJ, NY, OK, SD, UT. Homeowner's and renter's insurance are not available in all states. Government Employees Insurance Co. - GEICO General Insurance Co. - GEICO Casualty Co. These companies are subsidiaries of Berkshire Hathaway Inc. GEICO auto insurance is not available in Mass. The GEICO gecko image © GEICO 1999 - 2008. GEICO, Washington, DC 20078, © 2008 GEICO

2ND ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL

18-MONTH CD

4.25% APY*

BELMONT BANK & TRUST

*Annual Percentage Yield (APY) assumes principal and interest remain on deposit until maturity. Interest is paid quarterly. This rate is effective as of 7/01/08 and is subject to change without notice. A penalty may be imposed for early withdrawal. A minimum opening deposit of \$10,000 is required to obtain APY. Offer does not apply to Public Funds or Brokered Deposits. This offer cannot be combined with other offers. Customer must open a Belmont Bank & Trust checking account, with direct deposit, in order to receive the rate of 4.25%. The APY is valid only for customers who compound their interest. If the customer would like to receive interest by check, then the interest rate paid will be based on a 4.15% APY.

CALL (773) 589-9500

WWW.BELMONTBANKTRUST.COM

FDIC Member FDIC

see ART

love ART

get ART

North Shore Festival of Art

JULY 26 & 27

10am-5pm

Westfield Old Orchard
Skokie Blvd. & Golf Rd., Skokie, IL

150 Artists | National City Family Art Tent | Live Music | Free Admission | Festival Food

AMDR PRODUCTIONS | Skokie Chamber of Commerce | 847-926-4300 | amdurproductions.com

CLTV | PIONEER PRESS | BLICK

MOVIES

MUSIC

ART

DanceSport Center, 999 N. Elmhurst Road (Randhurst Shopping Center), Mount Prospect, offers ballroom and Latin dance classes for children age 5 and older and adults. No partner is necessary. Call (847) 342-0567 or visit www.chicagodancesport.com.

Denim and Diamonds hosts line dances from 7-10:15 p.m. Tuesdays at the White Eagle Banquet Hall, 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. All ages. Beginners lessons given at 7:30 p.m. Retro Night is on third Tuesday. Admission of \$6. \$4 for those 17 years and under. Includes weekly lessons and review. Call (847) 965-6353.

Friskie Senior Center, 52 E. Northwest Highway, Des Plaines. Mondays: Big Band Night, 7-9 p.m., dance to big band music; \$3 for members, \$5 nonmembers. Tuesdays: Line dancing from 10-11 a.m.; \$2.50 for members, \$3 nonmembers; square dancing, 12:30-2:30 p.m., \$3 per person. Wednesdays: Square dancing, 10 a.m.-noon; \$1.50 for members, \$2 nonmembers. Fridays: Round dancing, 9:30-10:30 a.m. for beginners, 10:30 a.m.-noon for regulars; \$3.50 for members, \$4 nonmembers. Call (847) 7688-5944.

Happy Twirlers Dance Club provides round and square dancing on the second Saturday of the month, September-May, in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Thacker and Lee streets, Oes Plaines. Rounds begin at 7:30 p.m. Call (847) 827-6500 or (773) 685-0407.

International folk dancing from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Mondays at the Lake Street Church, Lake Street and Chicago Avenue, Evanston. Beginners are welcome and no partner is needed. \$5. Call (847) 492-9393.

It's Thursday! dance nights, July 24, July 31, Aug. 7, Aug. 14 and Aug. 21 outdoors at the 909 Davis Plaza, Maple Av-

ene and Church Street, Evanston. Dance instruction from 6:30-7:15 p.m. and live band plays from 7:30-9 p.m. Each week features a different dance style, including R&B, salsa, oldies, ballroom, New Orleans and rock/pop classics. Free: all ages welcome. For information, visit www.evmark.org. July 24: Professor John Band presents Chicago R&B with a New Orleans twist. July 31: Angel Melendez y Su Orquesta present Latin dance music.

Kaleidoscope Dance & Movement Center, 3944 Church St., Skokie, offers classes in ballet, jazz, hip-hop, tap, and modern. Call (847) 679-7842 or visit www.kaleidoscopedance.com.

Karen's School of Acrobatics and Dance, 805 N. Northwest Highway, Park Ridge. (847) 292-0255. Offering professional instruction in acrobatics, tumbling, jazz, hip-hop, ballet, tap, and musical theater. Competitive Dance classes and one-day "Flip" clinics for cheerleaders also available. Karen's is also offering adult group and private dance instruction for singles and couples. Professional ballroom dance Instructor Patricia Kassanits offers group classes in social dance, salsa dance, ballroom dance and swing dance. Kassanits also specializes in preparing wedding couples for their "first dance" and is available by appointment for private or group instruction; call (630) 306-1761 or (630) 671-9407 for information.

Leaning Tower YMCA, 6300 Touhy Ave., Niles, offers ballroom dance classes in the Skyline Room on Tuesdays. Levels 1 and 2 meet 6:45-8:15 p.m.; Levels 3 and 4, 8:15-9:45 p.m. Singles and couples welcome. Dance parties are held 7-10 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month in the Skyline room; cost is \$10; \$7 for Y members. Register by calling (847) 410-5118.

Leikarringen "Heimhug" dancers welcome those age 16 and older interested in Scandinavian folk dance to join them from 8-9:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the First United Methodist Church of Des Plaines, 666 Graceland Ave. No prior dance experience or partner necessary. Call (847) 823-7596 or (847) 692-6616.

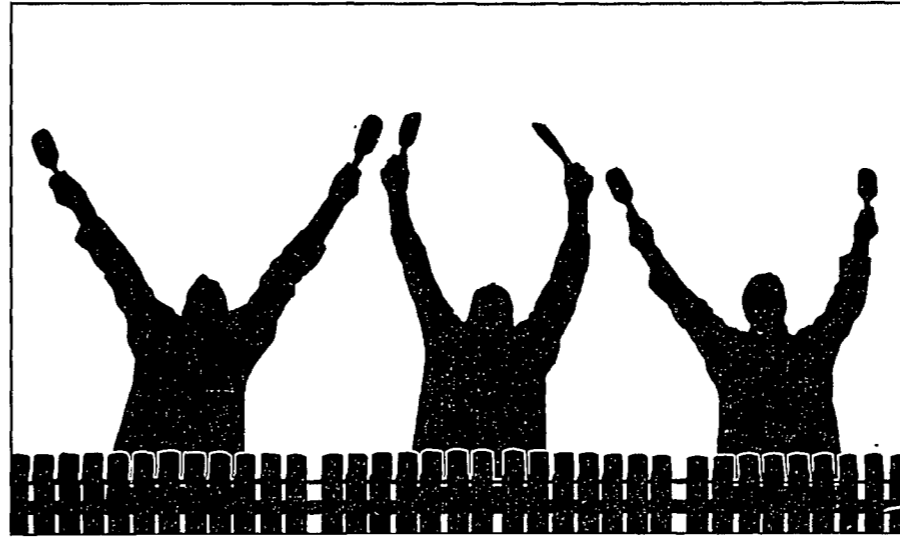
Lynette's School of Dance, 517 Talcott Road, Park Ridge, offers classes in ballet, pointe, tap, hip-hop, jazz and tumbling, beginners to advanced, for ages 3 to adults. All teachers are certified degree instructors. Call (847) 823-7334.

May I Have This Dance, 5246 N. Elston Ave., Chicago. (773) 635-3000. www.mayihavethisdance.com. S.O.S. (Swing on Sundays) for basic and intermediate levels, every Sunday. Basic and intermediate levels. All ages welcome and no partner is necessary. Hustle lesson from 6-6:30 p.m.; West Coast Swing lesson from 6:30-7 p.m.; open dancing to contemporary music from 7-9:30 p.m. TGIF dance parties on first, third and fifth Fridays of the month. All ages welcome and no partner necessary. Beginners to experienced dance sessions, 7:30-8 p.m.; basic lesson from 8-8:30 p.m.; intermediate/advanced lesson from 8:30-9 p.m.; open dancing to ballroom, salsa, swing, hustle, cha-cha, waltz, fox trot from 9-11 p.m.; late night jam after 11 p.m. \$15 before 9 p.m., \$10 afterward.

North Shore Dance Center, 8401 Crawford, Skokie. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, ballet, jazz, tap, modern, ballroom, musical theater and drama for ages 3 to adult. Call (847) 674-2216 or e-mail nscskokie@aol.com.

Picture Us Different Dance Studio, 1011 N. Northwest Highway, Park Ridge.

go., PAGE B16



Blue Man Group and Chicago Cubs team up to present this special offer.

Mention this ad and present your Cubs ticket stub at the box office when purchasing Blue Man Group tickets and receive a free Cubs hat and Blue Man Group t-shirt.*

BLUE MAN GROUP

Box Office 773.348.4000
ticketmaster.com
Group Sales 773.348.3300

Tue-Thu 8pm, Fri 7pm
Sat 2, 5-8pm, Sun 4-7pm
Schedule subject to change

UBS

3133 North Halsted Chicago | 1.800.BLUEMAN bluemanager.com

*Some restrictions apply. Valid through Blue Man Group box office only.

Let us help you **Celebrate!**

Announce Your Special Family Events:

- Anniversaries
- Birthdays
- Bar and Bat Mitzvahs
- Engagements
- Birth Announcements
- Graduations
- Weddings

EACH 3.1" x 5.9" ANNOUNCEMENT WITH PHOTO \$50
EACH 3.1" x 2.8" ANNOUNCEMENT \$35
EACH ADDITIONAL PAPER \$10

Any Orders of two or more towns will receive a FREE print suitable for framing!

For more information contact:
Liz Maier at 847-486-7230 or celebrate@pioneerlocal.com

Submit your ads online at www.pioneerlocal.com "Send Us Your News"

PIONEER PRESS YOUR LOCAL SOURCE
The Doings

Sample Ad:

It's a Boy!

Connor Lynn Murray
March 22, 2008 4:30 a.m.
8 pounds, 4 ounces • 22 inches

Connor is the first child born to Lindsay and Justin Murray, the fifth grandchild to Larry and Susan Murray and the first grandchild to Robert and Margit Verdoorn. Connor is a welcomed addition to the family as well as the cutest anti-sleep device for his loving parents. According to his father, he has the ability to fly & wants to be a ninja turtle when he grows up. His parents are both very proud & eager to introduce him to the rest of their family and friends.

Congratulations to his loving parents Justin & Lindsay Murray

"A witty, seductive, live-wire and greatly entertaining dark comedy that you just don't want to end and you just don't want to miss!" — *Chicago Tribune*



Superior Donuts

by ensemble member Tracy Letts
directed by ensemble member Tina Landau

featuring ensemble members Jon Michael Hill, James Vincent Meredith and Yasen Peyankov with Jane Alderman, Kate Buddeke, Cliff Chamberlain, Michael Garvey, Robert Maffia and Michael McKean

Arthur, the Polish-American owner of a decrepit donut shop in Chicago's Uptown neighborhood, hires Franco, a black teenager who wants to change the shop for the better. This world premiere comedy from ensemble member Tracy Letts, the Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award-winning author of *August: Osage County*, explores the challenges of embracing the past and the redemptive power of friendship.

Now Playing!

TWENTY \$20 TICKETS

available day of performance, after 11 a.m., in person or by phone. (Limit 2 per person)

JONES DAY Jones Day is the exclusive sponsor of 20 for \$20

steppenwolf

buy online at www.steppenwolf.org
or call 312-335-1650

Production Sponsor of Superior Donuts: **UNITED**
It's time to fly.

go.

Continued from PAGE B15

(847) 692-3600. Professional and non-professional classes for ages 3 to adult in tap, jazz, hip-hop, lyrical ballet and classical ballet/pointe.
Portage Park Center for the Arts, 5801 W. Dakin St., Chicago, offers belly dance classes on Mondays: Classical Egyptian, 6-7 p.m.; or American Tribal, 7-8 p.m. \$10 per class. Call (773) 205-0151.

Squares Sunday Evening Club holds ballroom dances from 7:30-10:30 p.m. the first and third Sunday of the month at the American Legion, 9757 Pacific Ave., Franklin Park. Admission is \$8 for members; \$9 guests. Call (847) 965-5730. Aug. 3: Music by Chuck and Friends. Aug. 17: Music by the Dick Elliot Orchestra.

Square Spares & Pairs, a nonprofit square dance club, dances the second and fourth Mondays of the month all year long at the Park Ridge Senior Center, 100 S. Western Ave., Park Ridge. Rounds start at 7:30 p.m., with squares from 8-10 p.m. Admission: \$5 for members; \$6 for visitors. Square dance lessons are held from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Glen Park Center, Room 201, 2400 Chestnut Ave., Glenview. First lesson is free. For information on lessons, call (847) 663-0116 or (847) 398-8087.

Studio of Dance & Drama, 6126 Northwest Highway, Chicago, (773) 631-7373. Offering dance and theater programs for children and adults, including Fairy Tale Ballet, Little Starz, Dance Like a Star and Tap Happy, with hip-hop and jazz. The schedule also includes both day and night classes in classical ballet training in Russian technique, including pointe, for children and adults.

Swing 'N' Country Dance Club offers dances and lessons in couples country western and swing dances. Dance lessons are offered on Wednesdays every month: 7:30 p.m. for beginners; 8:35 p.m. for intermediate dancers. Cost for monthly lessons \$30 for members; \$40 nonmembers. Dances are held the first and third Friday of every month. Doors open at 7:15 p.m.; open dancing from 9 p.m.-midnight. Admission is \$6 for members; \$12 for nonmembers. All lessons and dances are held at Centre at North Park, 10040 W. Addison, Franklin Park. For information, visit www.swingncountry.org or call (847) 638-7621.

FAIRS & FESTIVALS

North Shore Festival of Art, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. July 26-27 at the Westfield Old Orchard Shopping Center in Skokie. The event includes continuous live music, food by local restaurants, and art projects in the National City Family Art Tent. Free admission and parking. For information, visit www.amdurproductions.com.

Annual Ice Cream Social, 1-4 p.m. July 26 on the grounds of the the Evanston History Center's Charles Gates Dawes House, 225 Greenwood St., Evanston. Featuring The Rideville Band at 1 p.m.; a circus entertainer from the Actor's Gymnasium at 1 p.m.; Keith Cobb's Magic and Comedy Show at 2 p.m.; musician Jim Kendros demonstrating historical instruments at 3 p.m.; and face painting by Amanda Cohen from 1-4 p.m. A neighborhood architectural walking tour departs at 3 p.m. from the Dawes House. Free. Call (847) 475-3410 or e-mail jenny-thompson@northwestern.edu.

Lakeshore Arts Festival, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Aug. 2-3 at Oawes Park, Sheridan Road at Church Street, Evanston. The event features works by 125 juried artists, entertainment by Jacob Hertzog, jazz guitarist, Emily Hurd, vocalist/pianist, juggler/magician Andy Head, performers from Actors Gymnasium and Angela Allyn/Pirate Girl, a children's craft tent, a silent art auction each day, and food by local restaurants. Admission is free. Call (847) 448-8058 or visit www.cityofevanston.org/arts.

"Rev Up for Summer Fun," 1-4 p.m. Aug. 3 on the grounds of the Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Featuring a display of "muscle cars" from 1-4 p.m., and "beach party" music by Dave Rudolf from 2-3 p.m. Food will be available. (847) 825-3123 or www.parkridgelibrary.org.

Malott Japanese Garden Summer Festival, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Aug. 16-17 at the Chicago Botanic Garden, 1000 Lake Cook Road, Glencoe. Activities include a tea ceremony demonstration at 10:30 a.m., taiko drumming at 12:30 p.m., traditional folktales told by storyteller Anne Shimajima at 1:30 p.m., and koto (Japanese harp) music by the Chicago Koto Group at 2:30 p.m. Hands-on activities such as writing haiku, raking miniature dry gardens, trying chopsticks, and practicing calligraphy will be available. Children can take part in traditional craft projects such as making uchiwa paper fans, Japanese kites and origami paper lanterns. Visitors can also pick up a self-guided tour activity card in the Shoin House in the Malott Japanese Garden or at McGinley Pavilion during the day or take a guided tour at 3:30 p.m. Admission is free. Parking is \$15; free for members. Call (847) 835-5440 or visit www.chicagobotanic.org/torfamilies.

FILM

Block Cinema, in the Pick-Laudat Auditorium at the Block Museum of Art, Northwestern University, 40 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston, (847) 491-4000, www.blockmuseum.northwestern.edu/block-cinema. July 31, 7 p.m.: Screening of rare films from the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y. The two-hour program will include commentary by David Filipi, film and video curator at Wexner Center for the Arts, Ohio State University. Free. Block Cinema will present a summer outdoor movie series on the East Lawn adjacent to Norris University Center, 1999 Campus Drive. Admission is free. In the event of rain, films will be shown at Norris University Center's McCormick Auditorium, 1999 Campus Drive. July 30, 8:30 p.m.: "The Simpsons Movie." Aug. 6, 8:30 p.m.: "Touch of Evil." Aug. 13, 8:30 p.m.: "Inherit the Wind."

Canine Lovers Cinema, 2 p.m. Aug. 10 at the Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. A series of short films featuring dogs as the main characters will be shown. Admission: \$10 in advance; \$12 at the door. Tickets can be ordered online at www.skokiethatre.com. A percentage of the proceeds will benefit CARE (Community Animal Rescue Efforts) in Evanston. For information, contact Marilyn Goler at (847) 987-8755 or mgoler@sbcglobal.net.

Evanston Art Center, 2603 Sheridan Road, (847) 475-5300, www.evanstonartcenter.org. Cinema Under the Stars, held behind the Evanston Art Center, between the lake and the mansion. Shows begin at dusk. Free. July 25: "Harry Potter and Soccer's Stone." Aug. 22: "Willy Wonka." "Long Way Down," a documentary

featuring Ewan McGregor and Charley Boorman riding motorcycles through 20 countries from Scotland to South Africa, will be shown at 7:30 p.m. July 31 at the Niles Showplace, 301 Golf Mill Center, Niles. Tickets are available at the theatre box office or online at www.fathomevents.com.

Capannari Ice Cream, 10 S. Pine St., Mount Prospect, (847) 392-2277, www.capannari.com. Aug. 12, dusk: Outdoor Moovie Night series featuring "Hairspray."
Mitchell Museum of the American Indian, 3001 Central St., Evanston, (847) 475-1030, www.mitchellmuseum.org. Admission to events is included with an entrance donation to the museum. Suggested donation is: \$5 for adults; \$2.50 for seniors, students, children. Aug. 3, 1 p.m.: Independent producer-director Michelle Danforth, an Oneida Indian from Green Bay, Wis., will screen and discuss her new television documentary, "The Oneida Speak." The video includes interviews with contemporary Oneida historians, cultural preservationists and elders, plus dramatic re-enactments of incidents related by Oneida elders who took part in a Depression-era oral history project funded by the federal Works Project Administration.

Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge, (847) 825-3123, www.parkridgelibrary.org. Films @ the Library - No registration needed. Doors open for seating one-half hour before show time. July 24, 7 p.m.: "Charlie Wilson's War," rated R. July 31, 7 p.m.: "Into the Wild," rated R. Aug. 12, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.: "Enchanted," rated PG. Aug. 7, 7 p.m.: "Raise the Red Lantern," rated PG. Aug. 14, 7 p.m.: "The Counterfeiters," rated R. Aug. 21, 7 p.m.: "The Orphanage," rated R. Aug. 28, 7 p.m.: "Persepolis," rated PG-13. *Travel films*, at 2 p.m. Thursdays - July 31: Alaska's Denali Wilderness. Aug. 7: Beijing. Aug. 14: Germany. Aug. 21: Spain. Aug. 28: Iran.

Portage Theater, 4050 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, (773) 736-4050, www.portagetheater.org. July 26: Classic horror/sci-fi double feature, including "Godzilla vs. The Smog Monster" at 7:45 p.m. and "Forbidden Planet" at 9:30 p.m. \$10 for admission to both films. Doors open at 6:45 p.m. for collectibles sale in the lobby.
Silent Film Society of Chicago's 2008 Silent Summer Film Festival, held Fridays through Aug. 22 at the Portage Theater, 4050 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago. For more information, visit www.silentfilmchicago.com. "WarGames," the 1983 cyber-thriller film starring Matthew Broderick, will be screened at 7:30 p.m. July 24 at the Niles Showplace, 301 Golf Mill Center, Niles. Tickets are available at the theatre box office and online at www.fathomevents.com.

LECTURES

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 E. Ellinwood St., (847) 376-2787, www.dppl.org. Advance registration required for activities unless noted otherwise. July 30, 7 p.m.: "The Faces and Places of China," a slide presentation by Bill Helmuth.

ORGANIZATIONS

The American Jewish Artists Club is currently accepting new members. The group, founded in the early 1920s, focuses on the broad aspects of visual art and serves to enrich the cultural fiber of the Jewish community at

go., PAGE B18

Pioneer Press, the Illinois Tollway Authority & the Illinois State Police present

Child Seatbelt Safety Day

Come on by for a Free inspection of your child's car seat and re-installation if necessary.

Did you know?
Nationally, about 80% of car seats are installed incorrectly!
Getting it done right may help insure your child's survival in an accident.

Saturday, August 9, 2008
10:00am until 2:00pm
at
Pioneer Press
(across from Glenbrook South H.S.)
3701 W. Lake St., Glenview

Refreshments by Starbucks &
Child activities by Kohl Children's Museum!

PIONEER PRESS
YOUR LOCAL SOURCE

For more information, contact Jay Beaton at (847) 486-7208 or jbeaton@pioneerlocal.com

go.

Continued from PAGE B16

large. For information, contact Lorre Slaw; (847) 272-0744 or lslaw@oakton.edu.

Des Plaines Art Guild meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month in Prairie Lakes Community Center, 515 Thacker St., Des Plaines. There is a \$3 fee for nonmembers. For information, call Margaret Newman, (847) 824-8952, or visit www.dpagg.org.

Skokie Photographic Society meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at Skokie Village Hall, 5127 W. Oakton St. All levels of photographers welcome. Call (847) 677-8324.

Josephine Louis Theater at Northwestern University, 20 Arts Circle Drive,

Evanston, Aug. 14, 2 p.m.: "The Legacy of Johnny Mercer." Michael Kerker, music theatre director of ASCAP, will host a lecture/demonstration on the life of Mercer. The panelists will include composer and lyricist Andrew Lipa and Nashville recording artist Lari White. Admission is free with a reservation, which can be made by calling (847) 491-7282.

Park Ridge Art League meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Friday of the month in the South Park Fieldhouse, 833 Talcott Road, Park Ridge. Guest fee is \$3. Call Dorothy DuSold, (847) 825-3505.

Weavers Guild of the North Shore meets at 10 a.m. the first Thursday of the month at Trinity Lutheran Church, 3637 Golf Road, Evanston. New members are welcome. Call Lou Spedale, (773) 274-6505, or e-mail manouli@people.com.

TOURS & OUTINGS

Frances Willard House, a National Historic Landmark, 1730 Chicago Ave., Evanston. (847) 328-7500.

www.franceswillardhouse.org. Open for tours from 1-3:30 p.m. the first and third Sundays of the month. Constructed in 1865, the house was home to Frances Willard, 19th-century crusader for women's rights and temperance. Tour fees are \$5 for adults, \$3 for children 12 and under. Upcoming tours are Aug. 3 and 17.

Skokie Northshore Sculpture Park, on the north channel of the Chicago River, separating the cities of Skokie and Evanston. (847) 679-4265. www.sculpturepark.org. A series of free guided tours are offered on select Sundays, May-October, weather permitting.

Trained volunteer docents will lead informal and informative walking tours in the park. Participants will learn about a selection of the park's more than 60 large-scale, contemporary sculptures, the creative entities and forces behind the works, and the history and genesis of the sculpture park. Tours begin promptly at 1 p.m., will be approximately one hour in length and cover one section of the park. July 27: Section IV. Park and meet in the South Parking Lot between Howard and Touhy, Aug. 24: Section I. Park and meet in the North Parking Lot between Dempster and Main, Sept. 28: Section II. Meet on the northeast corner of Oakton and McCormick park in Additional Parking, Oct. 26: Section IV. Park and meet in the South Parking Lot between Howard and Touhy.

WORKSHOPS & CLASSES

ART

Chaos Glass Studio Inc., 1601 Payne St., Unit B, Evanston. (847) 328-0315. www.chaosglassstudio.com. Offering glass blowing classes in which students learn studio safety and etiquette as well as basic shapes, including cups, bowls, plates and bottles. July 28-Aug. 1: Mixed Level. Aug. 1, 7-10 p.m.: First Friday Open House.

Clayground, 617 N. Main St., Mount Prospect, a division of River Trails Park District, features classes for all ages in pottery, freehand clay, youth pottery, portrait sculpture, general ceramic, infant or toddler hand print plaque, mosaics at all levels, life sculpture, watercolor, still life, glass etching, glass

painting and saggng, drawing, pastels, charcoal drawing, photography, Teen Expression. Call (847) 342-6653.

enBeadia, 6430d N. Central Ave., Chicago. (773) 774-4600. www.enbeadia.com. Classes offered every Saturday - 11 a.m., Basic Bead Stringing, make a necklace or bracelet; 2 p.m., Basic Wire Wrapping, make three pairs of earrings using three different techniques. Specialty classes available.

Evanston Art Center, 2603 Sheridan Road, Evanston. (847) 475-5300. www.evanstonartcenter.org. Fall session runs Sept. 8-Dec. 7, offering adult classes in ceramics, digital and black-and-white photography, figure sculpture, metal welding and sculpture, jewelry making, and painting and drawing in every medium. Classes for children ages 3-16 begin Sept. 15, and include Project Runway, Web page creation,

painting, drawing and ceramics.

Kolor Me Kid Studio/Art Gallery, 8 B W. Devon Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 692-3744. Kolor Me Kid has been teaching and inspiring students for several years in local schools. Classes include cartooning, sculpting, papier maché and marionette-making. The gallery also offers a variety of adult classes and workshops.

Lincoln Terrace Art Studio, 5027 Warren St., Skokie, offers art lessons for kids and young adults. For rates and schedule, call Sonya Osseny, (847) 673-0345.

Mosaic Yarn Studio, 1585 Ellinwood St., Des Plaines, offers ongoing classes in knitting and crocheting. Call (847) 390-1013.

Skokie Art Guild Figure Drawing workshops are held from 7-9:45 p.m. Thursdays and 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays at the Devonshire Cultural Center, 4400 Greenwood St., Skokie. Fees are \$10 for Skokie Art Guild members and \$15 for nonmembers, per session. Live models, no instructor. Call Richard Wilberg, (847) 677-3461.

MUSIC

Academy of Irish Music offers adult group music classes from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Irish American Heritage Center, 4626 N. Knox Ave., Chicago. Class focus is on teaching the Irish style on violin, viola, cello, flute, piano, harpsichord and voice. A background of ensemble playing in quartets, orchestra, Suzuki-style training is helpful. Contact instructor Noel Rice at (847) 564-1338.

Bel Canto Conservatory of Music, 209 S. Main St., Mount Prospect, offers acting, piano and voice lessons for all ages and levels; private half-hour and hour lessons with qualified trained professional instructors in all styles of music. Musical theatre, pop and classical classes are Monday-Friday, scheduled on personal preference. Call (847) 707-5392.

Center for Musical Development, 8201 N. Karlov, Skokie. Kindermusik classes offered are: Our Time (ages 1 1/2 to 3 years); Imagine That (ages 3-5); and Young Child (ages 5-7). Also, Skokie Children's Choir for ages 7 and up is offered (no audition required). Contact Pat Heineman-Vernon, director, at (847) 679-5121 or phvcfmd@aol.com, or visit www.centerformusicaldevelopment.com.

Gregory Ceurvorst offers music lessons in piano, organ, drums, music theory, church music, and improvisation; all styles of music, beginning to advanced instruction, available in a downtown Mount Prospect location. Ceurvorst holds a master's degree in music from Northwestern University and is a professional church musician and teacher. Call (847) 749-4068.

Five Hands Piano Studios, 5200 W. Mulford St., Skokie, offers classical, blues, pop and jazz piano with firm foundation in theory and technique. Violin and guitar instruction also provided. Instruction for all ages. Private and group lessons, song-writing workshops, computer lab and numerous performance opportunities are a few of the features offered. Now featuring recording and podcasting capabilities. Go to www.fivehands.org or call (847) 673-2847 for a free information package.

Jack Hubble, jazz pianist, has openings for beginning and advanced students. Accent is on jazz theory and harmony. Hourly lessons are \$40 in his Skokie home. Call (847) 966-8462. Rusty Jones of Park Ridge, jazz drummer, provides drum lessons in his

home at \$40 per hour. Call (847) 698-9328.

Theresa T. Mrowka provides private piano lessons in the Harwood Heights-Norridge area. Thirty-minute instruction available for beginner and intermediate levels. Call (773) 775-7077.

Northwest Music School, 920 E. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect. (847) 394-9442. Offering lessons in guitar, bass, drums/percussion, piano, voice, woodwinds and strings. Now accepting enrollment in its Rockworks program, a rock band experience for musicians of all ages, abilities and instruments. Students can enroll singly or along with a friend, and they will be placed in a band with players of similar ages and musical interests. All bands are led by experienced teachers who direct the groups through various aspects of ensemble training, as well as help groups select repertoire, which includes both cover songs and original compositions. At the end of each eight-week session, bands participate in concerts for family and friends.

Park Ridge Recorder Society offers ongoing individual and group instructional and performance classes for all ages. Children ages 5-17 rehearse Monday afternoons and evenings; adults meet from 7-8 p.m. on the third Sunday of the month. Private instruction is scheduled on a personal basis. Call Jeanne Besetzyn, director, (847) 698-4590.

Park Ridge Strings offers violin, viola and cello one-on-one and group classes at an Uptown Park Ridge studio and St. Andrew's School, 260 N. Northwest Highway. Students ages 5 through high school learn note-reading, sight-reading, music theory and history, and present solo and ensemble performances, summer open-air concerts, and perform at local fund-raisers. Call (847) 877-0846 or e-mail play@ParkRidgeStrings.com.

George Pevovich, Suzuki specialist, offers lessons in violin, piano and voice on an individual basis in his Skokie and Glenview studios. Call (847) 674-8235.

Rhona Reagen has a few openings in her Skokie studio for violin and viola students. Reagen has been a Suzuki method instructor for more than 25 years and is a faculty member of Midwest Young Artists chamber music faculty. Parents are involved in the learning process but do not need to have prior musical knowledge. For more information, call (847) 677-4753 or e-mail violalady1@gmail.com.

Herman Reyes offers lessons in saxophone, flute or clarinet in Elmwood Park. All ages. Call (708) 583-9122.

John Temmerman, recording artist, offers individual lessons in saxophone and clarinet performance to students of all ages and skill levels in his Skokie studio. Lessons are also available in jazz improv for all instruments. Call (847) 322-6768.

Wunder Studios Performing Arts Conservatory, located in the Pickwick Theater Building, 3 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. (847) 685-2030. www.wunderstudios.com. Offering acting, musical theatre, guitar and drum classes. Instructors are also available for private music lessons for piano, voice, guitar, brass, winds and strings.

ET CETERA

"Big, Loud & Live 5," Drum Corp International's World Championship Quarterfinals, will be shown live from Indiana University's Memorial Stadium at 5 p.m. Aug. 7 at Niles Showplace, 301 Golf Mill Center, Niles. For tickets, visit www.FathomEvents.com.

www.pioneerlocal.com
Your local source 24 hours a day.
Image of a hand pointing to the website.

Chagall for children
ON EXHIBIT NOW UNTIL AUGUST 31, 2008
Kohl Children's Museum presents a hands-on exploration of renowned artist Marc Chagall. Featuring 15 interactive components, Chagall for Children is specifically geared for children ages birth to 8.
2100 Patriot Blvd, Glenview (847) 832-6600 www.kohlchildrensmuseum.org

Opening a New Business?
Then you need to advertise an "Assumed Name". Contact our legal advertising department and take advantage of our "one-stop" service for new business owners! Call (847) 486-6828
PIONEER PRESS
Classified

WE'VE BLOWN THE DOORS OFF THIS JOINT.
The new Potawatomi Bingo Casino is now open, with more table games, more slot machines and three times more space. SO IF YOU WANT TO WIN, YOUR CASINO IS READY.
DOWNTOWN MILWAUKEE PAYSBIG.COM FOR DETAILS

Tangastic!
ARGENTINE TANGO

IT WILL CAPTURE YOUR HEART FOREVER!

TICKETS ON SALE NOW

THE AUTHENTIC TANGO SHOW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 2008 - 8PM

Chicago Orchestra Hall at Symphony Center
220 S. Michigan Ave. • Chicago, IL 60604

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT CHICAGO SYMPHONY CENTER
WWW.CSO.ORG
312.294.3000
WWW.TANGASTIC.COM

PRESENTED BY




Larry Adams and Johanna McKenzie Miller in

Phantom

Book by Arthur Kopit • Music & Lyrics by Maury Yeston
Based on the novel "The Phantom of the Opera" by Gaston Leroux

JULY 10 - AUGUST 17, 2008

"Phantom is a rich, ripe, rewarding evening."

— CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Theatre at the Center Call now for the BEST seats!
219-836-3255
www.TheatreAtTheCenter.com

Professional theatre close to home!
1040 Ridge Road, Munster, IN

Free Parking! • Group Discounts & Gift Certificates Available

- | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| ACROSS | 55 Animated Olive | 91 Wilbert Harrison hit | 3 To — (perfectly) | 42 Sacred image | 79 Johnny Horton hit |
| 1 Roofing material | 56 Ppofread-er's mark | 93 Doesn't come clean | 4 Petite pooches | 43 That's the spirit | 80 WWII unit |
| 6 Litigates | 58 Word with tea or pepper | 94 Daze | 5 Builds | 44 Make tea | 81 Dock of the bay |
| 12 Director Peckinpah | 59 Get more magazines | 96 — Haven, CT | 6 Paid player | 45 Worth or Papas | 84 Put the whammy on |
| 15 Bull's babe | 61 Jack of "Flower Drum Song" | 97 Exhausted | 7 Actor Ayres | 47 Prior to, to Prior | 85 Galileo's birthplace |
| 18 Florida eleven | 62 Be — unto oneself | 100 Enigmatic sort | 8 Musical sensitivity | 48 Damp and chilly | 87 Heidi's hangout |
| 20 40th president | 63 Tear to bits | 102 Lost | 9 Past | 50 Cleaned a carp | 89 Racer |
| 21 Baudelaire's buddy | 64 Marry | 104 Essen exclamation | 10 Wagner's "—" | 51 Schwarz-enegger's birthplace | 90 Nocturnal visitor |
| 22 Nabokov novel | 65 Patti Page hit | 105 Couldn't stand | 11 Look like Hook? | 53 Cabernet color | 92 Subway unit |
| 23 Mitch Miller hit | 67 Scold | 106 First zoo? | 12 Cash stash | 57 Voice type | 95 Merit |
| 26 "Agnus —" | 69 Andrews Sisters hit | 107 Concerto — | 13 Qty. | 58 It's run of the mill? | 97 It's a long story |
| 27 Throw a line to | 73 Tenor Slezak | 111 Bachelor's last words | 14 Blend | 59 Nullify | 98 Caustic |
| 28 She's a sheep date | 74 Corporate VIP | 112 Gladys Knight hit | 15 Mamas & Papas hit | 60 Tokyo, once | 99 Conversa-tion pieces? |
| 29 Bakery display | 75 Burlap fiber | 121 — later date | 16 "Golden Boy" dramatist | 64 Power unit | 100 Gleam |
| 31 — Aviv | 76 Word on a pump | 122 Used a ewer | 17 Dress part | 66 Wayfarer's whistle wetter | 103 Excludes |
| 32 Blazing | 77 Supped in style | 123 Through the nose | 19 Turns about | 67 Stream | 106 Smith or Sandler |
| 36 Most mammoth | 80 Pasta ingredient | 124 Cartoon cry | 24 Portrait painter | 68 Earphones | 108 ER exclamation |
| 37 Elegant | 81 Government group | 125 — de guerre | 25 Is in debt | 69 Propel with a pole | 109 Painful |
| 40 Pebbles' papa | 82 Winter hazard | 126 Beethoven's "Moonlight —" | 30 Taj town | 70 Entertainer Kazan | 110 Eye appreciatively |
| 41 — Leone | 83 TV's "Scooby- —" | DOWN | 32 G-sharp's keymate | 71 Played soccer | 113 Robert of "Quincy, M.E." |
| 43 Black and white | 84 Too experi-enced | 1 Cpl.'s superior | 33 Chow | 72 Zones | 114 Sticky stuff |
| 44 Bing Crosby hit | 85 Flip | 2 Bolger/Haley co-star | 34 Creepy Christopher | 74 Third degree? | 115 Savage sort |
| 46 Service member? | 86 Sri — | | 35 Stuck fast | 75 Panel of peers | 116 La-la lead-in holiday |
| 49 Tilden's opponent | 88 Land mass | | 36 Munich mister | 77 SHAEF commander | 117 Asian abbr. |
| 51 Seize | | | 37 Kinder-garten item | 78 Letters of credit? | 119 Writer Rand |
| 52 Slip of the tongue | | | 38 Defeat | | |
| 54 Tax shelter | | | 39 Affirmative vote | | |

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
18					19						21				22		
23					24						25				26		
	27									28			29	30			
				31				32	33	34	35			36			
43								44				45		46		47	48
49																	
55																	
61																	
65																	
77	78	79															
83																	
88																	
100	101																
105																	
111																	
120																	
124																	

Answers: inside today's classified section
See the Web for the horoscope, www.pioneerlocal.com

MARYVILLE ACADEMY



125 YEARS
1883-2008

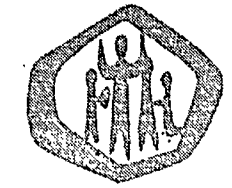
Celebrate Maryville Academy's 125th Anniversary!

At a Special Commemorative Mass With Francis Cardinal George

Saturday, July 26 • Mass @ 4:30 pm
(followed by 6:00-7:00 pm reception)

Maryville Academy Campus • 1150 N. River Road, Des Plaines

For more visit
www.maryvilleacademy.org



Maryville Academy

LAKE GENEVA WINE FESTIVAL

www.lakegenevawinefestival.com

TICKETS LATE JULY ONLINE



SEPT 4-7 2008

WISCONSIN Let's So Good travelwisconsin.com

PROUDLY SPONSORED BY:



Grand Geneva Resort & Spa



Moët Hennessy USA



OPTIMASOULSIGHT

For information visit our website or call 262. 245. 8635

Benefiting Geneva Lakes YMCA, George Williams College of Aurora University and Holiday Home Camp

CLASSIFIED

IMPORTANT INFO

Hours/Locations
 Call-In Hours: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm, Mon - Fri
 Walk-In Hours: 9:30 am - 4:30 pm, Mon - Fri
 Address: - 3701 W. Lake Ave., Glenview

Payment - We accept American Express, Diners Club, Discover, Mastercard and VISA.

Deadlines
 Private Party Ads: West & Doings - 3:00 pm Tues
 All Other Zones - 4:30 pm Tues

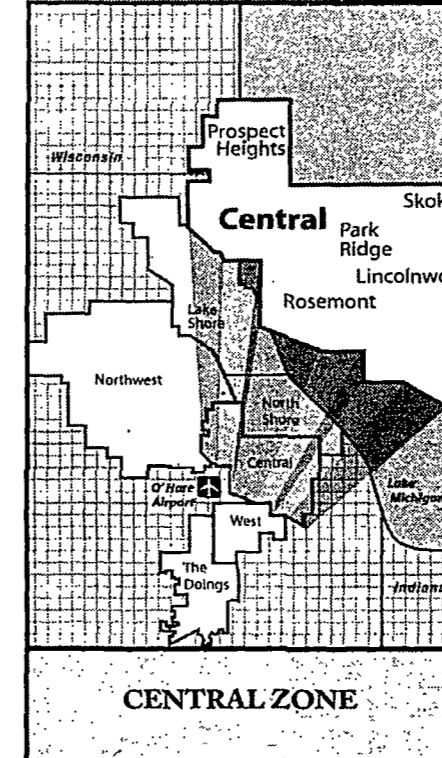
Legal Ads: 5:00 pm Monday
Classified Display Ads: 5:00 pm Mon
Logos or Artwork: 5:00 pm Mon
Commercial Ads: May vary - consult your rep

Terms
 Please check your ad: The publisher will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion. Pioneer Press Classified must be notified before the second insertion.

Acceptability: The newspaper reserves the right to edit or reject any advertisement.

Cancellations: No classified ad can be cancelled after deadline. Display ads and ads containing artwork may incur a charge if cancelled prior to first insertion.

YOUR LOCAL ZONE



ADVERTISE WITH US

Classified Ads...847 998-3400

Help Wanted
 Hotline...847 998-3404

Real Estate
 to place ads call
 North Shore, Lake Shore...847 486-7254
 Northwest, Central...847 486-7252
 West, The Doings...847 486-7252

Home Services
 to place ads call
 North Shore, Lake Shore...847 486-7251
 Northwest, Central...847 486-7239
 West, The Doings...847 486-7478

INDEX

Announcements100s
 Business Directory200s
 Homes Services300s
 Employment.....400s
 Rentals500s
 Real Estate For Sale600s
 Marketplace700s
 Sporting Mart800s
 Automobiles900s
 Legal Notices1000s

Private Party Self-Service Classifieds 24-7

Go to pioneerlocal.com, click the Classified link, and follow a few simple steps for placing your classified ad.

www.pioneerlocal.com

Call: 847 998-3400 Email: classified@pioneerlocal.com Fax: 847 486-7456

the Meeting Place

TO PLACE AN AD FOR FREE, CALL 1-888-228-9060

TO LISTEN AND RESPOND, CALL 1-900-226-1096

TO RESPOND USING YOUR CREDIT CARD, CALL 1-888-491-5625

WOMEN SEEKING MEN

LET'S SPEND SOME TIME
 Attractive, young senior, blonde/blue, average build, very youthful-looking, seeks secure SWM, 65-75, N/S, with SCH, for companionship, movies, dining out, possible LTR. #14821

WANTED
 A man with a mind is hard to find, and add to that he must be kind. Pretty, petite, North-Shore lady, married but fun, asks "can you be one?" If you're the bill, don't stand still. 69 and over will be fine!

INTERESTED?
 SBF, 35, 5'7", N/S, enjoys bowling, dining, movies. Looking for hard-working SWM, 40-45, for friendship, maybe more. #285657

TAKE A CHANCE
 DWF, 31, marriage-minded, N/S, 5'10", curvaceous, bubbly, mother of one, loves church, seeks WM, 28-41, N/S, for friendship, maybe more. #134323

LIKES TO LAUGH
 Divorced mom, 31, three kids, looking to start dating again. You must be able to accept my children as part of my life. #275171 @ ikostolaugh1

SINGLE MOM
 Fun-loving, very outgoing BF, 25, 5'11", 250lbs, would like to meet a man who likes to have fun to go out on dates with. #276969

TAKE LEAP OF FAITH
 I did. SJPF, 46, blonde, 5'8", appealing, with traditional values, bright, advanced degree, fun, passionate, ethical, eclectic interests, very, very nice. Former personal assistant to nationally syndicated advice columnist. Seeking compatible WM, late 40s-mid-60s, for permanent best friend/lover. Great kisser! #749453

SOMEONE SPECIAL
 Sweet, down-to-earth SWF, 32, in search of mature, older man who enjoys dining, movies and quiet evenings at home. #280148

DOWN-TO-EARTH
 BF, 32, looking for SM, 27-45, to hang out and spend time with, if you're out there, give me a ring. #259962

HOT, SEXY NURSE
 SWF, 34, 5'4", 120lbs, blond/brown, seeks SWM, 35-65, for LTR. New to the area. Wonderful winter fun a must. Let's get to know each other. #240633

THE BEST OF LIFE
 SBF, 29, 5'2", full-figured, shapely, attractive, N/S, looking for a spontaneous, passionate SWM, 30-38, for friendship first, maybe more. #272211

SIMILAR QUALITIES?
 SBF, 31, 5'8", full-figured, secure, N/S, social drinker, enjoys bowling, travel, weekend getaways and being spontaneous. Seeking tall, handsome, secure SM, 31-35, for dating. #274391

FRIENDS FIRST
 SHF, 31, 5'4", seeks SW/HF, 25-45, who is active, slender, polite, for friendship and companionship, dining, movies, shopping, good conversation, working out, etc. #275712

OLDER GENTLEMAN
 WWF, 5'1", 110lbs, college grad, attractive, active, 70s, caring, friendly, enjoys walks, movies, music, theater. Seeking intelligent man, 77-82, to share pleasant times together. #224825

I'M WILLING TO...
 meet for coffee if you are. SWF, 60s, blonde/blue, slender, attractive, N/S seeks gentlemanly SWM, 57-67 that's down-to-earth and wants to share good times/laughs together. #220337

LOOKING FOR THE RIGHT MAN
 Sexy SJF, 56, 5'3", 125lbs, brunette, brown eyes, NFKids, outgoing, honest, romantic, good dancer, seeks SWM, 53-65, N/S, educated, loves to travel, good manners, for friendship possible LTR. #113966

VERY GOOD WOMAN
 DBPF, 48, 6', 170lbs, N/S, N/D, spiritually grounded, respectful, considerate, outgoing, honest, likes music, walks, bowling, sports. Seeking SM, 50-60, who is morally, spiritually conscious. #269258

BEAUTY AND BRAINS
 Very attractive, well-educated DUFF seeks tall WPM, 46-54, who is emotionally/financially secure, for LTR. #217385

CALL ME
 HM, 32, looking for a good woman, 25-65, to develop a real relationship. #282531

BE SPONTANEOUS!
 Fun SBM, 25, well-built, enjoys museums, movies, dining out. Seeking SBF/BF, 30-44, for fun and friendship, maybe more. #286105

CASUAL DATING
 SWM, 31, 6'1", blond, large build, looking for fun SWF, 27-35, to hang out with. I like reading, writing, movies. #283173

NO DISAPPOINTMENTS
 SBM, 32, 6'1", 145lbs, slim build, father of two, seeks SBF/HF, 25-33, DUFF, no drama, who will be there for me. #285203

SEEKING REAL WOMAN
 SBM, 33, seeks SW/BF, 18-45, seeks SW/BF, 18-45, for friendship first, possibly more. No drama. #284610

HI GIRLS!
 SWM, 25, 5'8", 160lbs, handsome build, outgoing, entertaining, sexy, silly guy, wants SW/HF, 18-25, wanting sexy, silly, sexy girl that's hilarious, spontaneous, adventurous, fun-loving. #893093

LET'S DO LUNCH
 Good-looking, fit, financially secure WM, 5'11", 175lbs, likes dining, talking, long drives. Seeking open-minded, sexy female, 35-45, to share fun and romance. #336623

GOOD-LOOKING CPA
 Single Jewish male, 5'11", brown hair, blue eyes, physically fit, N/S, enjoys movies, plays, long walks, dining out, dancing, and sports, has great sense-of-humor. Seeking attractive single Jewish female with similar interests, 32-40, for LTR. #749098

LOOK NO FURTHER
 Divorced male, 60, N/S, medical doctor, loves to travel, dine out, movies, theater, symphony, opera. Seeking SF, 40-50, with similar interests for possible LTR. #153341

HELLO LADIES
 SWM, 60, 6'4", 260lbs, enjoys dining in/out, has markets, outdoor activities, casinos, c&w music, seeking nice SWF, 50-60, Waukegan area. #281889

MEET SOMEONE YOU CLICK WITH AT: WWW.PIONEERMEETINGPLACE.COM

Free Ads: Free ads placed in this section are not guaranteed to run every week. Be sure to renew your ad frequently to keep it fresh. Guidelines: Personals are for adults 18 or over seeking monogamous relationships. To ensure your safety, carefully screen all responses and have first meetings occur in a public place. This publication reserves the right to edit, revise, or reject any advertisement at any time at its sole discretion and assumes no responsibility for the content of or replies to any ad. Not all ads have corresponding voice messages. To review our complete guidelines, call (617) 425-2636.

GARAGE SALE SPECIALS

SIX FOR SIX - Place a six line Garage Sale ad and you pay ONLY \$6.00 per line. Get creative and come up with a tag-line, or list a few items for incentive. The Garage sale kit is on us!

"One man's trash is another man's treasure"

CALL TODAY (847) 998-3400

classified@pioneerlocal.com

The Doings PIONEER PRESS YOUR LOCAL SOURCE

Answers to Super Crossword

Answers to Super Crossword grid with words like SLATE, PLEADS, SAM, GOW, GATORS, REAGAN, AMI, ADA, etc.

Announcements

100s Birth Announcements, Disclaimers, etc.

101- Announcements

ROLL ENDS Available at our production facility...

107- Lost & Found

AN ELDERLY RESIDENT WHO APPRECIATES IT IF ANYONE HAS ANY INFO REGARDING A LOST LAWNMOWER...

108- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

109- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

110- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

111- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

112- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

113- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

114- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

115- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

116- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

117- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

118- Personals

St Judo Novono, Thank you for the prayers answered.

SERVICE GUIDE For Business and Home



Business Services

Accounting Services, Art Work, Beauty Services, etc.

200s

Accounting Services, Art Work, Beauty Services, etc.

300s

Abatement, Air Conditioning, Air Duct Cleaning, etc.

400s

Abatement, Air Conditioning, Air Duct Cleaning, etc.

500s

Abatement, Air Conditioning, Air Duct Cleaning, etc.

600s

Abatement, Air Conditioning, Air Duct Cleaning, etc.

700s

Abatement, Air Conditioning, Air Duct Cleaning, etc.

Classified Avenue -295-

ACCESS LAWSUIT CASH NOW!!! As seen on T.V. Injury Lawsuit Drugging... \$500,000 within 48hrs?

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Classified Avenue -295-

WANT TO OWN YOUR OWN FRANCHISE? www.MYFranchisePath.com

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Builders, Contractors -310-

DISCOUNTS! Windows, Roofing, Siding, Home Doctor: 773.505.9999

Decks -321-

DECK PROTECTORS COMPLETE RESTORATION Removal of Old Finish Power Washing Staining / UV Protectors Labor Day Special 30% Off 630-853-6255 847-507-3325

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Decks -321-

DECK WASHING & SEALING High Quality Lowest Cost Satisfaction Guaranteed Call Kirby 224-465-5350

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

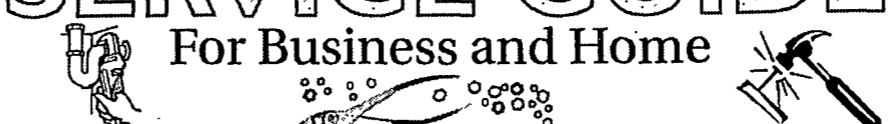
Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

SERVICE GUIDE For Business and Home



Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Gutters & Downspouts -343-

GUTTERS CLEANED OFF-DUTY FIREMEN MIKE: 847-923-5757

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Light Hauling -352-

ABLEREMOVAL.COM Remove 40yrs of Junk in 4hrs 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Painting, Papering -358-

HomeTown Painters Extensive Prep, Sanding, Scraping, Caulking, Wire Brush, Patching, etc.

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Roofing -365-

1-847-714-9200 AVONDALE Roofing • Siding Gutters • Windows www.avondarroofing.com

Window Washing -393-

MIKE'S WINDOW CLEANING Power Wash-Gutter Cleaning Free Est. 847-295-3089

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

Employment

Situations Wanted Business & Professional...405 Child Care...410 Elder Care Companion...425 Home Medical Care...412 Household...415 House Siding...416 Kids Classified...420

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

411- Seeking Employment-Elder Care/Companion

A+ Caregivers, Come & Go or 24/7 Live, Best \$\$\$ At 847-338-0588

440- Help Wanted

Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Rainbow Hospice, Inc. seeks an Accounts Receivable Specialist to perform all functions related to accounts receivable and billings, while supporting other accounting functions as well. High school diploma required, some college preferred. Healthcare insurance, excellent benefits and a wonderful working environment!

440- Help Wanted

BUILDING ESTIMATOR Must possess computer and building trades knowledge. Previous experience estimating residential and light commercial projects a plus! Apply in person at: MENARDS 4851 W. 159th Tinley Park, IL 60477 708-633-5141

440- Help Wanted

BUILDING ESTIMATOR Must possess computer and building trades knowledge. Previous experience estimating residential and light commercial projects a plus! Apply in person at: MENARDS 4851 W. 159th Tinley Park, IL 60477 708-633-5141

440- Help Wanted

BUILDING ESTIMATOR Must possess computer and building trades knowledge. Previous experience estimating residential and light commercial projects a plus! Apply in person at: MENARDS 4851 W. 159th Tinley Park, IL 60477 708-633-5141

606-Condominiums
 Skokie Wlk to Old Orchard 2BR, 2BA, Recent rehabbed. How frs thru! Only \$189,000. R&R Realtors 847-414-6540

610-Duplexes, Townhouses, Rowhouses
 Deerfield (Inverary) For Sale By Owner! Lrd 10' Downing St. 1.5 BA, L.R. Dining L. kit. (all apps), gar, newly decorated, good location. Pool nearby \$209,000. Call 847-945-1145

615-Houses-Suburban
 Mt. Prospect Old Orchard Villa, Redwood 2BR, 2BA gar. 3100 sq ft. Call 847-945-1145

616-Houses-Chicago
 MAKE MONEY - FIT IT UP 44 W. 109th St. Frome 4bdrm Tony S. 312-316-4875

Open Sun 1-3, 3B, 2B+brk Geo-Insulation, 3330 N. Plainfield Redwood, Maggia Kly 708-395-4800

PRICED TO SELL 649 E. 92nd Pl. Buy at \$65k 847-673-7097 www.urbonline.net

PROPERTY GIVEAWAY GO TO www.urbonline.net Or call 847-673-7575

Foreclosure Sales • Real Estate

626-Cemetery Lots
 ACACIA PARK- Irving Park & Cumberland Cemetery 8 plots - Garden sect. 1000 separate. \$1500 ea. 847-978-4300

Irving Park Cemetery, Lake side section, 6 lots \$1200 each or all 4 for \$4600. 1-540-972-3600 or email smern@comcast.net for further information.

MEMORIAL PARK 2 spcs- Birch spc. value \$7000 sell \$6500/obo. Joanne 847-425-3713

MEMORIAL PARK 2 lots in Monarch section. \$9,000. (847) 732-6196

Rosehill Cemetery, 6 lots for sale. Section 12, 47, 48, 49, 9, 10, 11, 12. 773-383-9006

Skokie - Memorial Park Section Memorial Lot #7, 8 graves. 847-251-2992

695-Judicial Sales
 HARWOOD HEIGHTS
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
 COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
 TCF NATIONAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. FRAGOSLAV SIMONOVIC, SUZANA SIMONOVIC, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants.
 08 CH 6695
 NOTICE OF SALE: BY GIVEN THAT PURSUANT TO A Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on June 26, 2008, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, August 26, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE entered on May 6, 2008 in Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Sales Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro Inc., 4201 Lake Cook Rd., 1st floor, Northbrook, Illinois 60062, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only. 197271

695-Judicial Sales
 JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE entered on May 6, 2008 in Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Sales Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro Inc., 4201 Lake Cook Rd., 1st floor, Northbrook, Illinois 60062, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only. 197271

695-Judicial Sales
 JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE entered on May 6, 2008 in Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Sales Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro Inc., 4201 Lake Cook Rd., 1st floor, Northbrook, Illinois 60062, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only. 197271

695-Judicial Sales
 JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE entered on May 6, 2008 in Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Sales Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro Inc., 4201 Lake Cook Rd., 1st floor, Northbrook, Illinois 60062, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only. 197271

695-Judicial Sales
 JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE entered on May 6, 2008 in Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
 Commonly known as 6621 North Hardin Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60472.
 The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence.
 Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Sales Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro Inc., 4201 Lake Cook Rd., 1st floor, Northbrook, Illinois 60062, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only. 197271

633-Out-of-State Property
 LAKE GENEVA WI For sale or rent w/intercom buy! 2BR/2BA w/Lake views, lake rights, pool, tennis, washer/dryer. \$1200/mo. 847-647-6470

650-Real Estate Wanted
 Behind on payments? www.savemefromforeclosure.com 847-217-8253

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

The Bargins
 Pioneer Press Newspapers
 The Doinas and Pioneer Press Newspapers
 Elmwood Park Open House 1826 N. 76th Ct Sun 1-3 Updated 3BR, 1 BA Hardw. Frs. 160 ready to move. ERA Corcoran 708-456-1919

LOMBARD 3Bedr, 2Bath, Fin. 1000 sq ft. Call 630-244-1833 \$274,900

MORTON GROVE OPEN SUN 1-3 4BR, 2BA, Park View-Nies W/ By Appl. (847) 965-1276 Asking \$499,500.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

Our Automotive Section has the Car you are looking for!
 Buying or Selling, Pioneer Classified is the place for you!
 (847) 998-3400
 Pioneer Classified YOUR LOCAL SOURCE

Norridge F580 5838 North Knight. Updated 3BR 1/2BA Brk Rcn. Eat-in kit w/brkfrng. Hardw. Frs. Full fin. 1100 sq ft. Call Pennyner School. 649.000 (773)837-8079

Park Ridge Open Sun 1-3pm 2000 sq ft. Luxury home on Private Lake. Must see 5 bed/3bath, spectacular views has everything. South of inter Lake home. \$1,450,000 LW Ready. Dan Delano 630-373-1125

Park Ridge Prime location, near park and grade school. Major structural repair or tear down. 847-478-0716

SKOKIE 408 W. Harvard Terrace 2 + 1/2 b. finished basement. Double lot. Must sell \$295,000. 773-671-9955.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.

695-Judicial Sales
 WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, Plaintiff.
 V. DANIEL SALIVO A/K/A DANIEL SALIVO; LUCINE OSHANA; Defendants.
 08 CH 1644
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: FISHER AND SHAPIRO INC.



Foreclosure Sales • Real Estate



695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T. Cohen at Plaintiff's Attorney, David T. Cohen & Associates, L.L.C., 10729 West 159th Street, Orland Park, Illinois 60467, 630-571-4600, 771-111040

695-Judicial Sales
 605/9(9) (1) and (9)(4). The judgment amount was \$267,007.77. Sale terms: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by cash. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
 For information call Mr. David T.

Pioneer Press Classified Auto Dealer Directory

ACURA

BOB ROHRMAN'S ARLINGTON ACURA IN PALATINE
1275 W. DUNDEE RD, PALATINE
JUST WEST OF RT. 53 ON DUNDEE
(847) 991-9000

JOE RIZZA ACURA
2055 WEST 159TH STREET,
ORLAND PARK
708-403-7770
RIZZACARS.COM

MULLERS WOODFIELD ACURA
1099 WEST HIGGINS ROAD
HOFFMAN ESTATES, IL
847-519-9550
MULLERCARS.COM

PAULY ACURA
2699 SKOKIE VALLEY ROAD
HIGHLAND PARK, IL
847-433-8200
PAULYACURA.COM

AUDI

THE AUDI EXCHANGE
2490 SKOKIE VALLEY RD,
HIGHLAND PARK
(847) 432-5020
AUDIEXCHANGE.COM

SCHAUMBURG AUDI
320 W. GOLF ROAD
SCHAUMBURG
(866) 503-8153
SCHAUMBURGAUDI.COM

BENTLEY

STEVE FOLEY BENTLEY
100 SKOKIE BLVD., NORTHBROOK
(847) 564-4090
STEVEFOLEY.COM
BENTLEY'S LARGEST BENTLEY DEALER

BMW

ELMHURST BMW
466 WEST LAKE STREET, ELMHURST
(888) 287-6555
ELMHURSTBMW.COM

FIELDS BMW NORTHFIELD
700 FRONTAGE ROAD,
NORTHFIELD
(847) 441-5300
FIELDSAUTO.COM

KNAUZ BMW KNAUZ AUTOPARK
ROUTE 41 @ RT. 176,
LAKE BLUFF
(847) 604-5000.
KNAUZ.COM

PATRICK BMW
700 EAST GOLF RD.
SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173
(866) 652-6124
PATRICKBMW.COM

BUICK

ETTLESON CADILLAC-BUICK-PONTIAC-GMC
6150 S. LAGRANGE RD.
HOODSKINS
(847) 579-5000
ETTLESON.COM

GROSSINGER BUICK
6900 N. MCCORMICK BLVD.
LINCOLNWOOD
(800) 788-7497
GROSSINGERAUTOTOPLEX.COM

KNAUZ BUICK KNAUZ AUTOPARK
ROUTE 41 @ RT. 176, LAKE BLUFF
(847) 234-2800
KNAUZ.COM

NAPLETON BUICK
501 BUSSE HWY., PARK RIDGE
(847) 825-1800
NAPLETON.COM

RIZZA BUICK
8425 WEST 159TH STREET,
TINLEY PARK
(708) 429-6000
RIZZACARS.COM

CADILLAC

ETTLESON CADILLAC-BUICK-PONTIAC-GMC
6150 S. LAGRANGE RD.,
HOODSKINS
(847) 604-5000
ETTLESON.COM

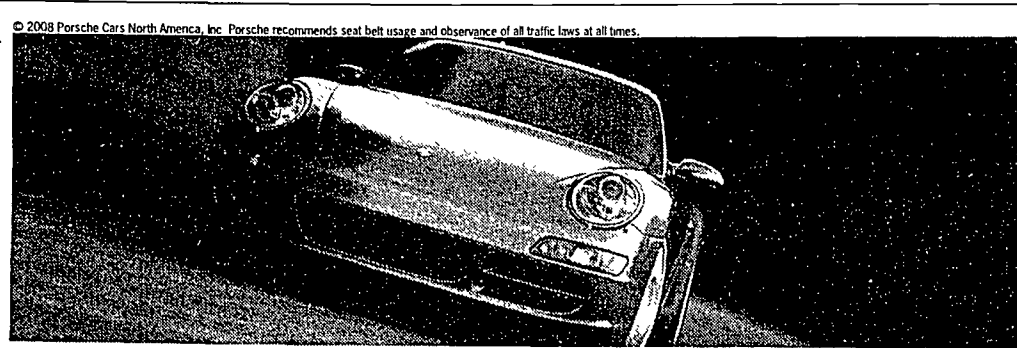
GROSSINGER CADILLAC
6900 N. MCCORMICK BLVD.
LINCOLNWOOD
(800) 729-7497
GROSSINGERCADILLAC.COM

HERITAGE CADILLAC
303 WEST ROOSEVELT RD.
LOMBARD
(630) 629-3300
HERITAGECADILLAC.COM

PATRICK CADILLAC
526 MALL DRIVE,
SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173
(866) 614-2277
PATRICKCADILLAC.COM

NAPLETON CADILLAC
501 BUSSE HWY., PARK RIDGE
(847) 825-1800
NAPLETON.COM

RIZZA CADILLAC
8425 WEST 159TH STREET,
TINLEY PARK
(708) 429-6000
RIZZACARS.COM



Your own thrill ride.

The 2008 911 Carrera.

THE EXCHANGE

(847) 266-7000
2300 Skokie Valley Rd.
Highland Park, IL 60035
www.4porsche.com
Hours M - Th 9AM - 8PM, Fri 9AM - 6PM, Sa 9AM - 5PM



HYUNDAI

ETTLESON HYUNDAI
6161 JOLIET RD,
COUNTRYSIDE
(708) 491-0200
HYUNDAI.COM

GREGORY HYUNDAI
490 SKOKIE VALLEY RD.,
HIGHLAND PARK
(800) 770-6578
GREGORYAUTOGROUP.COM

GURNEE HYUNDAI
6251 GRAND AVE
OPPOSITE GURNEE MILLS
(847) 249-1300
GURNEEHYUNDAI.COM

LOREN HYUNDAI
1620 WAUKEGAN ROAD, GLENVIEW
(847) 729-8900
LORENAUTOGROUP.COM

O'HARE HYUNDAI
1509 RIVER RD, DES PLAINES, IL
(888) 486-7151
WWW.OHAREHYUNDAI.COM

PATRICK HYUNDAI
1020 E. GOLF RD., SCHAUMBURG
(847) 519-9600
WWW.PATRICKCARS.COM

HUMMER

RIZZA HUMMER
8425 WEST 159TH STREET,
TINLEY PARK
(708) 429-6000
RIZZACARS.COM

INFINITI

FIELDS INFINITI
1121 S. MILWAUKEE AVE.,
LIBERTYVILLE
(847) 362-9200
FIELDSAUTO.COM

FIELDS INFINITI GLENCOE
TOWER RD. & I-94,
GLENCOE
(866) 435-5110
FIELDAOAUTO.COM

INFINITI OF HOFFMAN ESTATES
A Motor Werks Company
1075 W. GOLF ROAD
HOFFMAN ESTATES
(888) 823-2498
WWW.INFINITIOFFMAN.COM

INFINITI OF LISLE
RTE. 53 1 BLK. S. OF I-88
(E/W Tollway)
(630) 241-3000
WWW.THEINFINITISUPERSTORE.COM

JAGUAR

HOWARD ORLOFF JAGUAR
KENNEDY EXP. AT ARMITAGE
(888) 510-0669
ORLOFF.COM

JAGUAR ELMHURST
466 WEST LAKE STREET,
ELMHURST
(888) 287-6211
JAGUARELMHURST.COM

PATRICK JAGUAR
1559 OGDEN AVE
Naperville, IL 60540
(866) 861-9716
PATRICKJAGUAR.COM

Pioneer Press Classified Auto Dealer Directory

JEEP

FIELDS CHRYSLER JEEP DODGE
670 FRONTAGE ROAD, NORTHFIELD
(866) 419-3387
FIELDAOAUTO.COM

GREGORY JEEP
130 CEDAR AVE., LAKE VILLA
(800) 770-7582
GREGORYAUTOGROUP.COM

WALTON JEEP
5050 DEMPSTER STREET, SKOKIE
(847) 673-6700
WALTONCHRYSLERJEEP.COM

LEXUS

BREDEMANN LEXUS
2000 N. WAUKEGAN RD., GLENVIEW
(847) 729-8000
BREDEMANN.COM

MC GRATH LEXUS OF CHICAGO
1250 W. DIVISION
(800) NEW LEXUS
WWW.MCGRATHLEXUS.COM

MC GRATH LEXUS OF WESTMONT
470 E. OGDEN AVE
(800) NEW LEXUS
WWW.MCGRATHLEXUS.COM

LEXUS OF HIGHLAND PARK
3040 SKOKIE VALLEY ROAD,
HIGHLAND PARK
(847) 432-1900
LEXUSAUTOS.COM

LEXUS OF ORLAND
830 W. 159TH ST.
(708) 342-6475
WWW.LEXUSOFORLAND.COM

BOB ROHRMAN'S ARLINGTON LEXUS IN PALATINE
1285 W. DUNDEE ROAD, PALATINE
(JUST WEST OF RT. 53 ON DUNDEE)
(847)-991-0444

LAND ROVER

FIELDS LAND ROVER - WINNETKA
80 GREENBAY ROAD, WINNETKA
(847) 446-6665
FIELDAOAUTO.COM

LAND ROVER OF CHICAGO AT HOWARD ORLOFF
KENNEDY EXP. AT ARMITAGE
(888)510-0669
ORLOFF.COM

LAND ROVER OF HINSDALE
1820 E. CHICAGO ST., ELGIN
(866) 9-MACHINE
THE MAZDA MACHINE ON RT. 19
BIGGERSMAZDA.COM

LAND ROVER LAKE BLUFF KNAUZ AUTO PARK
ROUTE 41 @ RT. 176, LAKE BLUFF
(847) 604-8100
KNAUZ.COM

PATRICK LAND ROVER OF NAPERVILLE
1559 WEST OGDEN AVE.
NAPERVILLE
(630)300-5000
LANDROVEROFNAPERVILLE.COM

LINCOLN/MERCURY

HIGHLAND PARK FORD/LINCOLN/MERCURY
1333 PARK AVE WEST
HIGHLAND PARK
(847) 831-5880
HPLM.COM

JOE RIZZA LINCOLN/MERCURY
2055 WEST OGDEN AVENUE,
NAPERVILLE
(630) 355-8140
RIZZACARS.COM

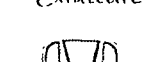
NAPLETON LINCOLN/MERCURY
828 TOUHY AVE., PARK RIDGE
(800) 931-0583
PARKROGELINCOLNMERCURY.COM



Audi



Cadillac



Honda



Lincoln



Mercury



Ford

We have a GREAT DEAL to talk about!

24 Hours A Day • 7 Days A Week

Napleton.com

MAZDA

THE AUTOBARN MAZDA OF COUNTRYSIDE/LAGRANGE
5700 LAGRANGE RD,
TINLEY PARK
(708) 354-2700
MAZDAAGUYS.COM

BIGGERS MAZDA
1820 E. CHICAGO ST., ELGIN
(866) 9-MACHINE
THE MAZDA MACHINE ON RT. 19
BIGGERSMAZDA.COM

MULLER MAZDA
150 SKOKIE VALLEY ROAD,
HIGHLAND PARK, IL
(847) 831-4100
MULLERCARS.COM

MERCEDES

AUTOHAUS ON EDENS MERCEDES BENZ
1600 FRONTAGE RD, NORTHBROOK
(800) 716-6495
AUTOHAUSONEDENS.COM

KNAUZ MERCEDES BENZ KNAUZ AUTOPARK
ROUTE 41 @ RT. 176,
LAKE BLUFF
(847) 234-1700
KNAUZ.COM

LOEBER MOTORS
LOEBERMOTORS.COM
4255 W. TOUHY AVE.,
LINCOLNWOOD
(847) 675-1000

MINI

KNAUZ MINI KNAUZ AUTOPARK
ROUTE 41 @ RT. 176, LAKE BLUFF
(847) 604-5050
KNAUZ.COM

PATRICK MINI
700 EAST GOLF RD.
SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173
(866) 370-6567
PATRICKMINI.COM

MITSUBISHI

LIBERTYVILLE MITSUBISHI
1119 S. MAWAKEE AVE, LIBERTYVILLE
(847) 916-6660
LIBERTYVILLEMITSUBISHI.COM

GROSSINGER TOYOTA NORTH
7225 N. CICERO, LINCOLNWOOD
(847)675-7100
GROSSINGER.COM

GROSSINGER CITY TOYOTA
1233 N. WELLS ST., CHICAGO
(312)707-9500
GROSSINGER.COM

LIBERTYVILLE TOYOTA
1180 SOUTH MILWAUKEE AVE.
LIBERTYVILLE
(847) 362-1500
LIBERTYVILLETOTOTA.COM

PAULY TOYOTA
1035 S. RT. 31,
ONE MILE SOUTH OF RT. 14
(815) 459-7100 (847) 658-9050

NORTHBROOK TOYOTA
1530 FRONTAGE ROAD
NORTHBROOK, IL 60062
(800) 743-9594
WWW.NORTHBROOKTOYOTA.COM

OAKBROOK TOYOTA/SCION IN WESTMONT
550 E. OGDEN AVENUE
(630) 789-9600
OAKBROOKTOYOTA.COM

ORLAND TOYOTA/SCION
8505 W. 159TH ST., TINLEY PARK
(730) 429-3900
ORLANDSCION.COM

VOLKSWAGEN

AUTOBARN VOLKSWAGEN OF COUNTRYSIDE/LAGRANGE
6191 JOLIET RD.
(Only 15 minutes from Downtown Chicago)
(708) 954-6600
THEAUTOBARN.COM

JENNINGS VOLKSWAGEN
201 WAUKEGAN ROAD, GLENVIEW
(866) 729-9505
JENNINGSVW.COM

NORTHSHORE VOLKSWAGEN
RTE. 41 & PARK AVE. WEST,
HIGHLAND Pk.
(847) 433-7900
WWW.NORTHSHORECARS.COM

BARRINGTON VOLVO
300 N HOUGH (RT. 59), BARRINGTON
(847) 381-9400

FIELDS VOLVO HIGHLAND PARK
250 SKOKIE VALLEY ROAD,
HIGHLAND PARK
(847) 831-2100

FIELDS VOLVO
1121 S. MILWAUKEE AVE.,
LIBERTYVILLE
(847) 362-9200
FIELDAOAUTO.COM

GROSSINGER VOLVO
6747 N. LINCOLN AVENUE,
LINCOLNWOOD
(800)783-9497
GROSSINGERVOLVO.COM

HOWARD ORLOFF VOLVO
KENNEDY EXP. AT ARMITAGE
(888)510-0669
ORLOFF.COM

PATRICK VOLVO
1600 E. HIGGINS RD.,
SCHAUMBURG, IL.
(847) 605-4005
PATRICKVOLVO.COM

VOLVO OF LISLE
Midwest's Largest Volvo Superstore
RTE. 53 1 Blk. S of I-88
(E/W Tollway)
(630) 852-6000
WWW.THEVOLVOSUPERSTORE.COM



Mercedes-Benz



Subaru



Volvo



Nissan



Mazda



SAAB

CONTINENTAL SCION
9950 JOLIET ROAD, COUNTRYSIDE
(708) 54-5800
CONTINENTALMOTORS.COM

FOX LAKE SCION
75 S. RTE. 12, FOX LAKE
(847) 497-9147
FOXLAKESCION.COM

NORTHBROOK SCION
1530 FRONTAGE ROAD,
NORTHBROOK
(800) 743-9594
WWW.NORTHBROOKSCION.COM

PAULY SCION
ON RTE. 14, CRYSTAL LAKE
(815) 459-7100 (847) 658-9050

SMART

smart center LAKE BLUFF KNAUZ AUTOPARK
ROUTE 41 & ROUTE 176
LAKE BLUFF
(847) 234-2800
KNAUZ.COM

SUBARU

EVANSTON SUBARU
715 CHICAGO AVE., EVANSTON
(888) 473-1605
EVANSTONSUBARU.COM

NORTH SHORE SUBARU
RTE. 41 & PARK AVE. WEST,
HIGHLAND Pk.
(847) 433-7900
WWW.NORTHSHORECARS.COM

SUZUKI

GROSSINGER SUZUKI
6900 N. MCCORMICK BLVD.
LINCOLNWOOD
(800) 788-7497
GROSSINGERSUZUKI.COM

CLASSIC TOYOTA
425 N. GREENBAY RD.,
WAUKEGAN, IL
(888) 508-2369
CLASSICDIRECT.COM

FOX LAKE TOYOTA
75 S. RTE. 12, FOX LAKE
(847) 497-9147
FOXLAKETOTOTA.COM



a local perspective.

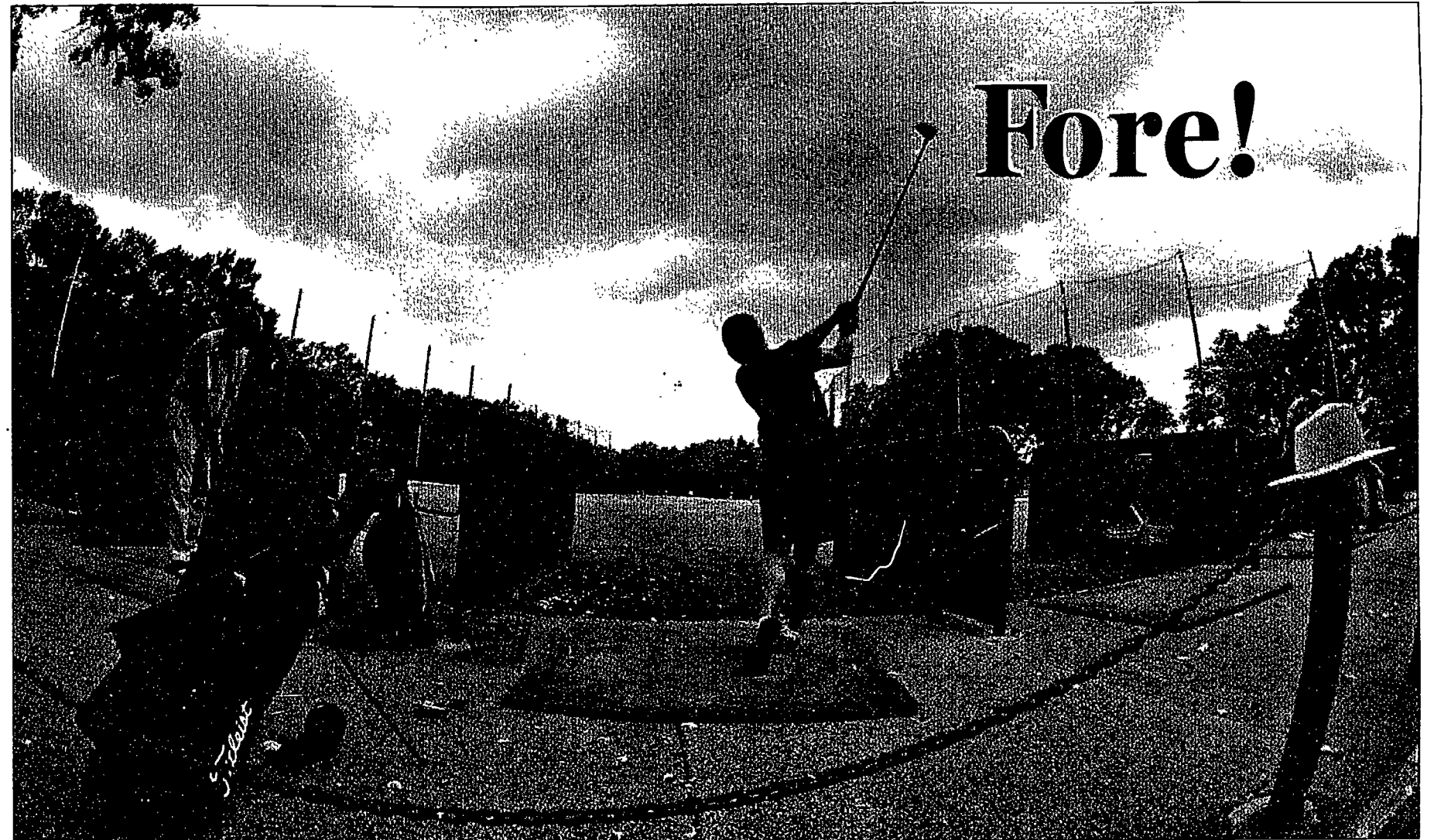
Evanston Griffin House. Photo by Pioneer Press photographer Jason Han.

PIONEER PRESS
YOUR LOCAL SOURCE

Delivering coverage of local news like no one else can.

Featuring Today's New Homes, a colorful pull out section in the paper every week. »

Call (847) 486-9300 to subscribe.



David Kwon of Park Ridge follows through with a drive at the Park Ridge Golf Range as the clouds roll in.

Oakton Driving Range a 'hidden gem' of Park Ridge

Screened behind a line of trees and perhaps even overshadowed by an ice rink and batting cages, the Oakton Driving Range, 2800 Oakton St., in Park Ridge serves more than 100 golfers each day.

"I like it because it's kind of a hidden gem," said Scott Yopchick, the range's golf pro. "The people here are great and it's a great location."

Yopchick leads classes for the Park Ridge Recre-

ation and Park District and also offers private lessons to golfers. In addition to the 29 artificial turf stalls and driving area, the range boasts a putting green and a sand trap.

"It's great, it gives every-

one a chance to do something different," Yopchick said. "There's quite a few people that go over and hack around in the sand."

Or patrons of the nearby batting cages, ice rink or pool at the Oakton Sports

Complex might decide to check out the range.

"A lot of people say, they're next to a driving range, let's take the kids and try it out," Yopchick

Golf, PAGE 52

"It gives everyone a chance to do something different.

There's quite a few people that go over and hack around in the sand."

Scott Yopchick

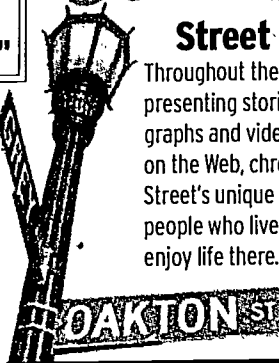
Story by Andrew Schneider
Photos by Joel Lerner

Ode to Oakton

Next installment Aug. 14: "Local flavor."

Street ballads

Throughout the year, we are presenting stories, photographs and videos, in print and on the Web, chronicling Oakton Street's unique places and the people who live, work, shop and enjoy life there.



Sometimes things go well at the range and sometimes they don't.

PEEK AT THE WEEK

DEADLINES

Submissions for Community Calendar are required 10 days preceding the date of publication. Send to: Nicole Wagner, Managing Editor, Pioneer Press, 130 S. Prospect Avenue, Park Ridge IL 60068. Information may be faxed to (847) 696-3229 or e-mailed to nwagner@pioneerlocal.com.

BENEFITS

From noon to 5 p.m. July 26, supporters, families, and friends will join at Arlington Park Race Track for WINGS' Annual Day at the Races. The day of live racing will commemorate the life of Cindy Bischof and provide support to WINGS to assist women and children fleeing domestic violence. Michael Bischof, co-president of the foundation, will kick-off the event with an opening address about legislation that will make a huge impact in the race to end domestic violence. Live-racing, a lavish buffet, open bar, silent auction and raffle complete the day. Tickets can be purchased online at www.wingsprogram.com or by contacting WINGS administrative offices at (847) 908-0910, Ext. 221. The organization is currently working to pass the Cindy Bischof Bill, which passed unanimously in the Illinois House and Senate. The bill calls for tougher enforcement for domestic violence offenders through the implementation of the "Cindy Bracelet" program — a GPS monitoring system to be worn by violators of orders of protection. To learn more about the bill, visit www.cindymemorial.org

CENTER OF CONCERN

The Center of Concern, 1580 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 310, Park Ridge, (847) 823-0453. Calendar of events includes:

Mondays through July 28 — Nutrition support group, 10 a.m.

Wednesdays through July 30 — Employment counseling, by appointment.

Wednesday, July 30 — Grief and loss support group (call first).

July 26 — Blood-pressure and blood-sugar testing, 10 a.m. to noon (no appointment needed).

Center tax counselors are available to help eligible residents apply for Illinois Circuit Breaker property-tax relief grants and license-plate discounts, Illinois Cares Rx (prescription-drug assistance), the senior citizen real estate tax deferral, and the senior citizen tax-assessment freeze.

Employment counseling and preparation of simple wills and durable powers of attorney for health care and property also are available by appointment.

Support groups for Alzheimer's caregivers, those suffering from grief and loss, and seniors seeking to improve their nutrition are available at the Center of Concern in Park Ridge. The center also offers affordable personal counseling to adults of all ages. For more information call center social worker Myrna Fogarty, (847) 823-0453. The center is at 1580 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 310, Park Ridge. The center also offers housing counseling for seniors and others seeking affordable housing, programs designed to prevent homelessness, in-home health care referrals, friendly visitors for the homebound and volunteer opportunities in the office and in the field.

COMMUNITY

Avenues to Independence will hold a sale at its Thrift Shoppe and Furniture Annex, 7700 and 7710 W. Touhy Ave., Chicago. The sale will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. July 25 and July 26. Everything is 50-percent off. Items will in-

Golf

Continued from PAGE 51

said.

At least one patron on a recent Friday was glad that the facilities are combined: Al Hain, of Chicago, brought his two sons, Chris, 15, and Tim, 19, to the sports complex. Chris loves golf and scores in the low 90s while Tim took a few extra "practice" swings at the driving range and would prefer to spend more time at the batting cages.

"We did the batting cages first, the (Chris) and I go golfing," Hain said. "Everybody's got to be happy."

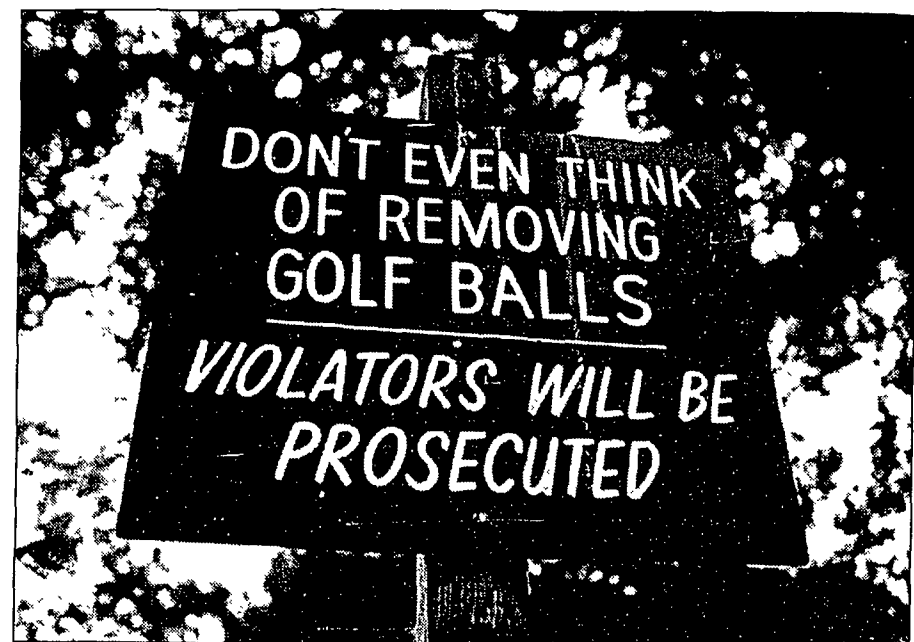
Hain said that he and his sons come to Park Ridge from Chicago because the suburb has better facilities. "Park Ridge has the best facilities for whatever you're doing," he said. "It's head and shoulders above what we have in Chicago."

Stan Aley of Niles comes to the Oakton Driving Range to stay loose, be-

clude dishes, flatware, clothing, jewelry, toys, books and games. The annex offers sofas, chairs, tables, artwork, dressers, bookcases, lamps, dining sets and carpets. All proceeds benefit Avenues to Independence, a nonprofit organization which provides residential and employment programs for adults with developmental disabilities. For more information contact Ann Marie Ehrlich, (847) 292-0870, ext. 108.

CRAFTS

Community Presbyterian Church, 407 N. Main St., Mount Prospect, will host a Fall Arts & Crafts Festival from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 4. Indoor tables are \$35 each or \$60 for two. Outdoor spaces are \$45 for a 15-foot by 15-foot space. Tables are not included for outdoor spaces. Crafters may contact the church office, (847) 392-3111, or e-mail info@epchurch.org to re-



Visitors see this sign seen reminding them of proper behavior when leaving the parking lot for the Park Ridge golf range.

cause he doesn't play as much as he used to and he likes it better than the nearby Des Plaines Golf Center.

"At the Golf Center, it's nice but it's a little bit too congested," Aley said. "I do this just to practice for the

weekend."

If Yopchick could add one thing to the range, it would be grass tees, he said, though it might be problematic.

"If we put grass tees in here they wouldn't last long," he said. "They'd get hacked up pretty bad."

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

"A lot of people say, they're next to a driving range, let's take the kids and try it out."

quest an application. Applications are due by Sept. 5.

St. Thecla Women's Council is looking for crafters with handmade items for its 2008 Arts & Craft Show to be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 18 in Falcon Hall, located across the parking lot from the church at 6725 W. Devon Ave., Chicago. Spaces (8-feet by 8-feet) are available for \$45. Tables and electricity are available for an extra fee. Reservations are being accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. Deadline for reservations is Sept. 18. For applications or information, call Rita at (773) 792-2189, or Bernie at (773) 774-6897.

The Holiday Boutique in Park Ridge, sponsored by the Center of Concern, requests participation at its Boutique and Craft show which will be from noon to 5 p.m. Oct. 18 and Oct. 19 at St. Andrews Lutheran Church, 280 N. Northwest

Highway, Park Ridge. Space rental ranges from \$20 to \$80, in addition to 10 percent of sales. Contact Jenine, (847) 823-0920 (evenings), or leave name, address and phone number to have an application sent.

Wright College is seeking artists and crafters for its annual indoor Craft Fair from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sept. 7 at the college, 4300 N. Narragansett Ave., Chicago. Tables for this no-admission fair range from \$65 to \$100. Wright's Center for Lifelong Learning sponsors the fair. Deadline for reserving a booth is Aug. 1. Tables will be assigned on a "first-applied-for, first-assigned" basis. For more information, contact Mary Dicks at (773) 481-8914. Also, a vendor application is on Wright's Web site: wright.ccc.edu.

Applications are available for Resurrection High School's fall Arts and Craft Fair scheduled for 10 a.m.

to 4 p.m. Nov. 8 from at 7500 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago. Price per space ranges from \$60 to \$80, depending upon table and electricity options. Each space is approximately 10-feet by 6-feet and includes two chairs. All spaces are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis and spaces with electricity are limited. For more information, or to request an application, call (773) 775-6616, Ext. 142, or e-mail amartorano@reshs.org.

FITNESS CENTER

Niles Family Fitness Center, 987 Civic Center Drive, (847) 588-8400, www.nilesfitness.com. There is still time to register 6 to 11 year olds in the Niles Family Fitness Center's Summer Camp Program. Activities include sports, outdoor games, swimming, crafts, field trips and more. Hours are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday

Peek, PAGE 53

Peek

Continued from PAGE 52

through Friday, for sessions: July 28 to Aug. 1, Aug. 4 to 8 and Aug. 11 to 15. Full-time one week camp fees are: \$128 for members, \$166, nonmembers; part-time, three-day week: \$86, members and \$111, nonmembers. Extended camp hours are 8 to 9 a.m. for \$5 per day or 3 to 5 p.m., \$10 per day.

Niles Family Fitness

Center offers the following Pilates classes: a nine-week program of MAT Pilates, using a series of controlled exercises that engages the mind and body to develop strong flexible muscles without building bulk. Each movement begins with the abdomen, focusing on controlling core muscles. Routines alternate stretching with strengthening. Pilates for Golf is designed to improve balance, coordination and flowing movement. This class will help with spine

and shoulder stabilization and core strength. Bring an iron to class. The Fitness Center offers classes Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Call for times and details. For those experienced in Mat Pilates private and semi private training sessions are available in the Pilates Reformer Training Room. All sessions are 50 minutes, and members and nonmembers may purchase 1-, 5-, or 10-session packages. Call Danielle Desherow, (847) 588-8410, for times and pricing options.

FUND-RAISERS

The Annual Knights of Columbus Council 4338 will host its Steak-Fry Aug. 23. This year's dinner, complete with salad, baked potato and corn-amber fluid or wine and dessert will cost \$20 per person, widows and widowers discounted to \$16. The dinner will be held at St. John Brebeuf Parish Ministry Center, 8305 N. Harlem

Ave., Niles. Doors open for social hour at 6 p.m., with dinner scheduled for 7 p.m. This year the special entertainment will be provided by the talented Jodi Meehan and her great magical voice beginning at 8 p.m. Food must be ordered in advance and reservations must be received by Aug. 18. For more information contact Bob Galassi at (847) 965-0920. All proceeds will be donated to area charities.

Maine Township Regular Republican Organization will hold its annual miniature-golf fund-raiser from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. July 24 at Mountain View Mine course, located at Prairie Lakes Park, 515 E. Thacker St., Des Plaines. Tickets are \$15 for adults; \$25 per couple; \$5 for anyone younger than 18; children younger than 6 are free. Tickets include unlimited golf and a picnic dinner. Event and hole sponsorships are available, as well as an ad book. Proceeds will be used to fund the

get-out-the-vote efforts for the fall campaign by the organization. For tickets or information contact Committeeman Mark Thompson, (847) 824-8350.

HEALTH

Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago, will offer the following health programs:

For those having a hard time losing weight or who are inexplicably losing weight rapidly, a thyroid screening will take place from 8 to 10 a.m. July 28. There is a \$10 fee for lab test. Test results will be mailed. Advance registration is required by calling 1-877-737-4636.

Allergist Dr. Mark Miller will discuss various types of allergies such as bee stings, food allergies and asthma on July 31 from 7 to 8 p.m. A question and answer session will follow this free lecture. Advance registration is required by calling 1-877-737-4636.

Children ages 8 to 14

and their parents can participate in the Family Fitness Camp held every Wednesday from 5 to 6 p.m. in the ClubRes Fitness Center located in the Professional Building, entrance B, ground floor. This program focuses on family nutrition, exercise and general health and fitness. Weekly attendance is encouraged but not mandatory. A card system will allow the purchase of 10 classes (\$50) or 20 classes (\$80) to be used at anytime for up to one year. Advance registration is required by calling 1-877-737-4636.

Yoga is not only a great natural way to conquer stress but also a healthy way to relax. It improves the body physically, mentally, emotionally and spiritually. Classes meet at Resurrection Medical Center Tuesdays from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 to 10:30 a.m. The cost is \$8 per class or purchase a class card (10 classes/\$75). Call the Health Manage-

ment Department at (773) 792-5022 for details.

LIBRARY

Niles Public Library, 6960 Oakton St., (847) 663-1234, www.nileslibrary.org.

Write your own terse true tale at the Niles Public Library's Six-word Memoir Workshop at 7 p.m. July 30. Inspired by the best-selling book, "Not Quite What I was Planning," you will discover the diversity of human experience in tasty bite size pieces. Hear how Stephen Colbert, Mario Batali and Joan Rivers summed up their lives in six words. All participants are eligible to win a copy of the book that started a phenomenon.

Niles' musical historian Jack Diamond will bring to life in words and music the legendary pop singer Judy Garland (1922-1969) in a free coffee hour program at the Niles Public Library

Peek, PAGE 55

Receive a **FREE DVD PLAYER** when you open a Free Checking Account with On-line Banking.*

CD Special Plus
12 month \$5,000 Minimum
3.25% Annual Percentage Yield
when you open a Checking Account with Direct Deposit.

7460 W. Irving Park Rd., Norridge 6500 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago 4660 N. Harlem Ave., Harwood Heights
4198 N. Harlem Ave., Norridge 6000 W. Montrose Ave., Chicago 7201 N. Harlem Ave., Niles
5601 W. Belmont Ave., Chicago 379 S. River Rd., Des Plaines
3555 N. Harlem Ave., Chicago 7429 W. Grand Ave., Elmwood Park

Plaza Bank. Be part of our family.
(708) 456-3440 • (773) 625-4100 plazabankillinois.com

Your Pet Friendly Bank

Member FDIC

RE/MAX Outstanding Agents Outstanding Results

The #1 Selling RE/MAX Office in Skokie Since 1986. Serving the Entire North Shore.

Thinking of SELLING Your Home? Call for a Free Market Analysis 847-674-9797

Each office Independently Owned & Operated

4923 HULL SKOKIE Gorgeous all brick 4 fl. All finished this covered w/carpets. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, large eat-in kitchen & formal dining room. Hardwood floors. Lovely cherry 4 bedrooms all upstairs. Fenced front & rear yard. Newer furnace & hot water heater. New roof 2005. This home sits on a 50 x 145 lot zoned R-4. Also 3 car garage. Close to parks, schools & transportation. \$269,000 John Dias 847-409-2382	2033 ASHLAND EVANSTON Wonderful opportunity to own a spacious American 4 square home w/ing details. Large eat-in kitchen & formal dining room. Hardwood floors. Lovely cherry 4 bedrooms all upstairs. Fenced front & rear yard. Newer furnace & hot water heater. New roof 2005. This home sits on a 50 x 145 lot zoned R-4. Also 3 car garage. Close to parks, schools & transportation. \$269,000 Elizabeth Lindsay 847-430-3796	NILES Just listed! Best deal in town. Former model home in golden area. Immaculate condition home w/ large bedrooms & 2 story foyer. Cathedral ceilings in spacious kitchen, living & dining rooms. Large finished basement w/ full brick fireplace. Professionally landscaped w/ shaped driveway! Sam Inker 847-921-8481	9020 EWING SKOKIE/ EVANSTON Custom deck built 2 fl on one of Skokie's prettiest tree lined streets. Each unit has 4 bedrooms & 2 full baths. New kitchen & 2 story foyer. Cathedral ceilings in spacious kitchen, living & dining rooms. Large finished basement w/ full brick fireplace. Professionally landscaped w/ shaped driveway! David Braun 847-686-2000
7400 LINCOLN SKOKIE 7400 Lincoln 10 year old quality newer construction. Hardwood floors. Preferred south and east spacious corner 2 bedroom 2 bathroom unit. Spacious kitchen. Great finished basement. Large deck. Custom car cases. Fantastic 70 foot lot w/ beautiful yard. Please see the realtor before seeing this beauty. Price to sell \$180,000 Elhan Lewis 312-307-0400	GRAND IN REDVALE SKOKIE Gorgeous new \$500 sq ft. Home custom built to perfection. 2nd level w/ 4 hrs beautiful master suite plus open play rm. 1st level w/ 3rd bed & 2nd bath. Kitchen w/ granite, granite island, updated eat-in kitchen, newer appliances, updated bathrooms, all hardwood floors, vaulted ceilings & a fenced in yard. Brand new furnace & central air. \$349,900 Barry Benveniste 847-708-1149	7401 NILES CENTER RD SKOKIE Skokie Fairview Home faces Jarvis, not Niles Center. Gorgeous home! Great location! Brick ranch, corner lot, updated eat-in kitchen, newer appliances, updated bathrooms, all hardwood floors, vaulted ceilings & a fenced in yard. Brand new furnace & central air. \$349,900 Elhan Lewis 312-307-0400	TOO NEW FOR PHOTO 4850 ELM SKOKIE Huge 3BR 2 BA gut rehabbed condo! Features custom kitchen w/ breakfast bar, cherry h/w's new windows, Designer tile island granite, cherry cabinets, stone top & SS appliances. Huge master suite. Walk out closet & basement full br w/ washer dryer. 2 parking spaces included. \$239k Dan Florian

Food

HUNGRY FOR MORE?

Find more recipes on the Web www.pioneerlocal.com.

MANAGING EDITOR: Sara Burrows
sburrows@pioneerlocal.com | (847) 486-7359

Drink up the fresh flavors of summer

By DAVID JAKUBIAK
Contributor

The key to making a party-pleasing summer drink comes down to one thing and one thing alone, said Chef Juan Luis Gonzalez of Fuego Mexican Grill and Margarita Bar in Arlington Heights: fresh fruit.

"You need to use the fruit that is available in the summer and not in the winter," Gonzalez said.

A perusal of the drink menu at Fuego crystallizes the point. There are fruit margaritas, fruit martinis, fruit mojitos, fruit twists on the Brazilian rum drink, the caipirinha and fruit-loaded sangria.

The idea, he said, is to bend diner's impressions.

"A lot of people are just used to a Jose Cuervo margarita with a mix they buy at the store. But when you give them something using fresh fruit, they are amazed," he explained.

Most amazing, perhaps, is a margarita made from a fruit that overwhelms many suburban countertops in midsummer. Yes, it's the cucumber margarita.

"It's very refreshing," he said of the drink which combines seeded and blended cucumber with the lesser-know agave liquor mezcal (or mescal) and Cointreau.

The 'aah' factor

For Todd Gunderson, director of operations at Maya Dei Sol in Oak Park, refreshment should be the goal of any summertime drink.

"The most important thing is that it be nice and refreshing. It needs to be something that quenches your thirst and leaves you



BRIAN O'MAHONEY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER
Juan Luis Gonzalez, executive chef at the Fuego Mexican Grill & Margarita Bar, holds one of his Mojitos.

with a nice flavor. In the summertime that usually means something that revolves around some kind of fresh fruit," he said.

That, he said, is why all of his restaurant's fruit-inspired drinks use only fresh fruits and fresh fruit juices.

"If you use a concentrate it dilutes the quality and the intensity of the flavor. We prefer to spend a little more money and get a higher quality product."

One way to extend the life of fresh fruit flavors and add an extra complexity to cocktails, Gonzalez and Gunderson agreed, is to infuse fruit flavors into liquor.

To do this, Gonzalez said, "You take the tequila (or other liquor) and put it into a jar with the fruit for three weeks."

When pairing summer drinks, Gonzalez recommends starting up the grill.

"You can grill seafood, you can grill meat, if you grill anything out it makes a good complement to a summer drink," he recommended.

Not all summer drinks require a 21-or-up identification.

"I think of alcoholic drinks and non-alcoholic

drinks, because not everyone drinks," said Mary McMahon, pastry chef and culinary director at Now We're Cooking in Evanston. "So, as a pastry chef, I think of fun flavor combinations with seasonal fruits and I think of things like floats and milkshakes."

Blended bliss

Though people may think making shakes and smoothies is complicated, "It's really not," she said. "If you have a blender the possibilities are endless. All you need is a formula."

McMahon suggests a starting formula of half of your thickening ingredient (ice cream, fruit, sherbet, sorbet, frozen fruit) and half of your thinning ingredient (yogurt, milk, fruit juice, water).

McMahon even makes her own fruit syrups for making sodas.

"I make a cherry soda and pair that up with ice cream in the summer."

Her advice, to anyone willing to try, is to head to the farmer's market, to see what looks good, then to go home and experiment.

"Don't be afraid to experiment with flavors and flavor combinations," she said.

Cucumber Margarita

This unusually refreshing drink is adapted from the recipe used at Fuego Mexican Grill and Margarita Bar, Arlington Heights. Chef Gonzalez recommends infusing the mezcal with cucumber for at least 10 days.

1 1/2 oz. mezcal
1/2 oz. Cointreau (an orange liqueur)
1 oz. cucumber juice (made by peeling, seeding and blending cucumber pieces with a little water)
3 oz. Margarita mix

Shake and serve over ice in a margarita glass.

Sour Cherry Soda

A non-alcoholic summer drink from Now We're Cooking, Evanston

For syrup:
4 C sour cherries, washed and pitted
3/4 C sugar
1/4 C water
1/4 vanilla bean, split and scraped to remove seeds (or 1 tsp. vanilla extract)
1 cinnamon stick

5 pieces star anise
1 lemon (zest and juice)
Pinch of salt

Place all the ingredients (except the vanilla extract, if using) in a non-reactive medium pot. Boil uncovered, stirring occasionally, for 10 - 15 minutes, until cherries are soft and the mixture thickens slightly.

Strain through a fine mesh sieve, pressing as much juice out as possible. Return to the stove over low heat and allow to cook at a low simmer until reduced by half. The syrup should heavily coat a spoon when done. (If using extract, add after removing from heat.) Allow to cool before storing.

Syrup can be stored in refrigerator for 6 to 8 weeks.

For soda:
Shaved ice
Club soda
Lime wedge

Add shaved ice to a glass. Spoon syrup over ice to taste. Pour soda over ice and syrup. Serve with a wedge of lime.



BRIAN O'MAHONEY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER
Fuego Mexican Grill & Margarita Bar in Arlington Heights offers a summer variety of fruity drinks, including, (front to back): the Mojito, La Granadita, and Cucumber Margarita or Margarita de pepino.

Peek

Continued from PAGE 53

at 10:30 a.m. Aug. 6.

Niles Public Library will relive the era of the 1969 Woodstock Music Festival with its Rock Documentary Series featuring music films from the 1970s, complete with insight from Pat Wilsey, educator, musician and rock 'n' roll fanatic for more than 40 years. Head to the Niles Public Library for one of these shows. At 2 p.m. **Aug. 9:** "The Filth and the Fury: A Sex Pistols Film," winner of Chicago Film Critics Association 2001 Best Documentary, charting the rise and fall of the band that changed rock music. Registration is required. This series is "A Night at the Oscars early Registration Punch Card" qualifier and part of the free seat-cushion giveaway.

The Go Club for ages 6 to 12 usually meets the first and third Saturdays of each month on a drop-in basis.

Read a great book aloud, enter its writer's imagination and talk about it with others. Join the Niles Public Library for a Flash Fiction Break, where you may come to listen or bring a story to read. Flash/Sudden Fiction Break will be at 10:30 a.m. Aug. 5 and 1 p.m. Aug. 9. Reading is limited to 15 minutes per story. Refreshments will be provided. Registration is required.

"Benjamin Franklin, in Search of a Better World," an exhibit, will be displayed from Oct. 15 to Dec. 5 at Niles Public Library, with special programs and events for both children and adults. The exhibit is sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the American Library Association.

MAINE TOWNSHIP

Maine Township's FISH (Friends Indeed Serve and Help) is in need of volunteer drivers to provide residents free transportation

to medical facilities in and near Maine Township. Volunteers may choose how much time they wish to devote. Requirements include a current drivers license and proof of auto insurance. The program requires residents in need be mobile, or be able to use a cane or walker. FISH also asks that appointments be set three or more days in advance. To become a volunteer driver call Ed Oken, (847) 696-0761. To schedule a ride or for information call FISH coordinator Gloria Stepek, (847) 297-2510, ext. 283.

PARKS

Niles

Niles Park District offers free family concerts at Oak Park, Main and Ottawa streets, on Friday evenings. Children's entertainment begins at 6:30 p.m. with the main stage performances at 7:30 p.m. — **July 25:** Mike Mauthe (magic and juggling show); ABBA Tribute. **Aug. 1:** Dan Lemonnier (songs and storytelling); Lesley Byers & The Jazz Cats. **Aug. 8:** Ken Schultz ("The Flying Fool"); Soul Cookin' (soul and Motown). **Aug. 15:** Chuck Field (ventriloquism); 215 West (Rhythm and blues, classic rock, disco, blues). **Aug. 22:** Jeff Bibik (magic and comedy); Final Say (rock 'n' roll to today's hits).

A mini-session of camp is available for children in kindergarten through sixth grade and will include a field trip, swimming, sports, games and crafts. The two week session will begin Aug. 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The camps will be held at the Oasis Fun Center, 7877 Milwaukee Ave. Campers should bring a swimsuit, towel and a sack lunch with beverage daily. To register, come to the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard St., or call (847) 967-6633 for more details.

Parent-Child Golf will take place at Tam O'Shanter Golf Course on Aug. 3. This is an opportunity for children 7 years and older to have an enjoyable experience with the game of golf. Lunch is in-

cluded in the fee of \$55 per couple for residents and \$65 per couple for nonresidents (gas carts are not included in the fee). Tee times start at 11 a.m. To register, come to the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard St., or call (847) 967-6633 for more details.

Niles Park District is offering Drama Classes for youth this summer. Summer Theatre Camp I, ages 6 to 8, will run July 28 to Aug. 1. During this one-week camp, participants will learn every aspect of theatre while putting on a play. They will act, sing and create set, prop and costume designs. Summer Theatre Camp II, ages 9 to 14, will run Aug. 11 to 15. Students will practice acting, singing dancing and create a set. All drama students will then present a final play or skit at the end of their sessions. Registration is being accepted at Howard Leisure Center. For more information, call (847) 967-6633.

Sign up for the second session of summer camp. A wide variety of summer-camp programs for 3-year-olds through incoming eighth-graders are offered. Stop by the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard St., to register. Campers will enjoy swimming at the new Oasis Fun Center, weekly field trips, arts, crafts and sports. Call (847) 967-6633 for more information.

Relive old memories at the Park District's annual Classic Cruisers Car Shows which will take place every Thursday night, weather permitting from 7 to 9 p.m. at Pioneer Park, 7135 N. Harlem Ave.

Family Fun Nights at Pioneer Park, 7135 N. Harlem Ave., are at 5 p.m. every Friday. The \$5-per-person fee includes a round of miniature golf, a batting-cage token, and a hot dog and small drink for each family member. Call (847) 583-2746 for more information.

Golf Maine

Golf Maine Park District

Peek, PAGE 57

Board Certified Dermatologist
Dr. Julie S. Goldberg
solves skin problems!

(847) 205-0007
Medical Innovations in Dermatica in NORTHBROOK

SALE!!! SALE!!! SALE!!!

NORBERT POOLS
Patio Furniture Pools • Spas And More...
Family Owned & Operated Since 1953
South of Golf, North of Dempster
9141 N. MILWAUKEE • Niles
847-965-2222

Most major credit cards accepted • Financing available to qualified customers
www.norbertpoolandpatio.com • OPEN 7 DAYS

Quality, Value & Service In Any Language

Produce World

INTERNATIONAL MARKET • DELI • BAKERY • MEATS • SEAFOOD

FRUITS & VEGETABLES		FRUITS & VEGETABLES		FRUITS & VEGETABLES	
FARM FRESH PICKLES	SNOW WHITE CAULIFLOWER	GREEN BEANS			
49¢ LB.	59¢ LB.	59¢ LB.			
JUICY RED PLUMS	GRAPE TOMATOES	SWEET CANTELOUPE			
69¢ LB.	99¢ EACH.	3 LBS For \$1 ⁰⁰			
MEATS					
LEAN & TENDER BONELESS PORK CUTLETS (FAMILY PACK)	GRADE A FRESH BONE IN CHICKEN BREAST	USDA CHOICE BEEF SHANKS	USDA CHOICE RIB STEAKS		
\$1 ⁹⁹ LB.	\$1 ⁴⁹ LB.	\$1 ⁹⁹ LB.	\$7 ⁹⁹ LB.		
DELICATESSEN					
HEALTHY ONES CHICKEN BREAST	STELLA SHARP PROVOLONE	BLACK FOREST HAM	ARMOUR HARD SALAMI		
\$3 ⁹⁹ LB.	\$2 ⁹⁹ LB.	\$3 ⁹⁹ LB.	\$2 ⁹⁹ LB.		
DAIRY					
DEAN'S SKIM MILK	ASSORTED DEAN'S COTTAGE CHEESE	DEAN'S QUARTS BUTTERMILK	EXTRA LARGE EGGS		
\$2 ⁸⁹ EA. 1 GAL.	2 FOR \$5 ⁰⁰ EA. 24 OZ.	99¢ EACH.	99¢ DOZEN		
GROCERY/FROZEN					
TASSOS EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL	SPRATS IN OIL	ASSORTED PIAGUACCI TOMATO PUREE CRUSHED PEELLED	MARELLI GIARDINIERA HOT OR MILD		
\$22 ⁹⁹ 3 LT.	99¢ 5.6 OZ.	\$1 ⁵⁹ 28 OZ.	\$2 ⁹⁹ 16 OZ.		
ASSORTED MARELLI PASTA	GOLDEN GRAPE LEAVES	CERESOTA UNBLEACHED FLOUR	DRY WHITE OR ROSE APELIA WINE		
99¢ EA. 16 OZ.	\$2 ⁹⁹ EACH 2 LB.	\$2 ⁹⁹ 5 LB.	\$4 ⁹⁹ EA. BOTTLE		

8800 WAUKEGAN RD. MORTON GROVE, IL
CORNER OF WAUKEGAN & DEMPSTER HOURS: MON-FRI 8-9 SAT 8-8 SUN 8-7
847-581-1029
SALE DATES: JULY 24TH - JULY 30TH

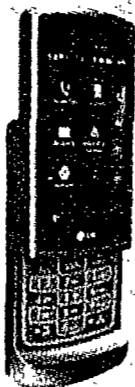
GET FREE INCOMING CALLS, TEXTS and PIX.



LG UX830 TOUCH SCREEN WITH HIDDEN KEYPAD AND MUSIC PLAYER

\$149.95

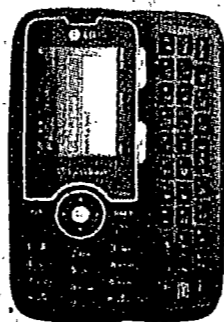
After \$50 Visa® Debit Card and unlimited easyedge™ plan purchase.



LG UX260 WITH MUSIC PLAYER AND FULL QWERTY KEYBOARD

\$399.95

After \$50 Visa Debit Card and unlimited easyedge plan purchase.



U.S. Cellular
believe in something better™

Discover the difference: Put our network, products and customer service to the test for 30 days • Change your calling plan at any time during your service agreement without signing a new contract • Renew your contract and take advantage of new phone pricing before your current contract ends

Let us help you find a location: visit uscellular.com or call **1-888-BUY-USCC**

Things we want you to know: Offer valid on plans \$39.95 and higher and with two-year service agreement. All service agreements subject to early termination fee. Credit approval required. \$30 activation fee. Roaming charges, fees, surcharges, overage charges, and taxes apply. 96¢ Regulatory Cost Recovery Fee applies; this is not a tax or government required charge. Network coverage and reliability may vary. Usage rounded up to the next full minute. Use of service constitutes acceptance of our terms and conditions. U.S. Cellular Visa Debit Card issued by MetaBank pursuant to a license from Visa U.S.A. Inc. Allow 10-12 weeks for rebate processing. The card does not have cash access and can be used at any merchant location that accepts Visa Debit Cards. U.S. Cellular Visa Debit Card valid for 120 days after issued. easyedge: U.S. Cellular-approved phone required on all easyedge plans. easyedge is a service mark of U.S. Cellular. Application charges apply when downloading applications. Promotional offer requires purchase of text messaging. U.S. Cellular not responsible for content of messages. A charge of 20¢ per outgoing message applies if no messaging package is selected or existing package limit is exceeded. By using Text Messaging you agree to be bound by all terms and conditions at www.uscellular.com/MessagingTerms. Kansas: In areas in which U.S. Cellular receives support from the Federal Universal Service Fund, all reasonable requests for service must be met. Unresolved questions concerning services availability can be directed to the Kansas Corporation Commission Office of Public Affairs and Consumer Protection at 1-800-662-0027. Contract renewals: Customers with 18 months completed on a 24-month commitment or 10 months completed on a 12-month commitment are eligible for promotional equipment pricing. See store for eligibility. Other restrictions apply. See store for details. Limited-time offer. ©2008 U.S. Cellular.

OBITUARY

Allan R. Serstad

A memorial service was held July 17 at St. Philip Lutheran Church, 1609 Pflingsten Road, Glenview, for Allen R. Serstad. The 80-year-old Glenview resident died Saturday in Watersmeet, Mich.

Born March 31, 1928, in Stoughton, Wis., he graduated in 1953 from the Uni-

versity of Wisconsin. Mr. Serstad served in the U.S. Army Air Corps from 1946 to 1949, and was founder and co-owner of Little Miss & Mr. Shops in Niles, Northbrook, Deerfield, Elk Grove Village and Round Lake Beach. He served on the Board of Directors of Golf-Mill State Bank and was a mason for 50 years.

According to family, he retired in 1986 to a life of

leisure, enjoying traveling between Glenview and South Padre Island, but especially loving his time spent at the cabin in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

Survivors include: his wife, Marian (nee Moe); two daughters, Karen (Jimmy) Elkins and Kristin (Joe) Haffner; five grandchildren, Cody and Nick Elkins and Haleigh,

Harte and Hunter Haffner; a sister, Alice (Robert) Hansen; a nephew, Neale Hansen; and a niece, Kirsten Hansen.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Philip Lutheran Church, 1609 Pflingsten Road, Glenview IL 60025, or the Salvation Army, 5040 N. Pulaski, Chicago IL 60630.

Peek

Continued from PAGE 55

is taking registrations for:

Summer Camp for kindergarten through sixth-graders. Treat your child to a summer of sports and games, arts and crafts, science and cooking projects, special events, field trips and swimming. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Before- and after-camp child care is also available. Register early.

Preschool. Sign up now for the fall 2008 semester. Early registration is urged. A five-day morning program and four-day afternoon program are offered for children turning 4 years old by Sept. 1.

For more information visit one of the Park District offices, Feldman Recreation Center, 8800 Kathy Lane (one block south of Golf Road on Western Avenue), Niles; or Dee Park, at the corner of Dee and Emerson Roads, Des Plaines; or call (847) 297-3000.

RELIGION

Theology on Tap, a summer speaker series exclusively for people in their 20s and 30s continues at St. Paul of the Cross Catholic Church, 320 S. Washington St., Park Ridge. Programs are at 7:15 p.m. in Mother Cabrini Prayer Garden (rain location is the Morello Parish Life Center). Pizza and beverages are served. July

29: "Practicing Our Faith in the World of Work," by Cook County Judge Paul Biebel; Aug. 5: "The Quest for Happily-Ever-After," with Dr. Kelly Schilder Ray, clinical psychologist. For more information contact Kelly Heus, (847) 692-6025, or e-mail kellyheus@yahoo.com.

REUNIONS

The Class of '73, St. Paul of the Cross School, Park Ridge, will hold a 35-year reunion at 7 p.m. Aug. 9 at St. Paul of the Cross Parish Life Center, Northwest Highway and Washington Street, Park Ridge. The cost is \$40; teachers are free. For reservations or more information call Luke Atwood, (847) 368-0561.

Immaculate Conception School on Talcott Avenue in Chicago is establishing an Alumni Association. In preparation for its 100th-anniversary celebration the school is searching for its missing alumni. If you attended Immaculate Conception School or know someone who did, e-mail ICalumni@icparish.net, or call the rectory, (773) 775-3833. Alumni who prefer to reach the association by mail are encouraged to send their first, maiden or last name, phone number, e-mail address, the year in which they graduated, along with their favorite IC memory and favorite IC teacher, to: IC Alumni Association, c/o Immaculate Conception Parish, 7211 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago IL 60631. Submissions may al-

so be dropped off at the IC Parish Rectory during normal business hours or after Masses on Sunday. An All-Class Reunion is planned for Oct. 4; details will be available at a later date.

St. Vincent de Paul School (Kenmore Avenue in Chicago) is planning an all-class reunion of alumni and friends Oct. 5 at the Des Plaines Elks Lodge. For more information e-mail stvincentreunion@aol.com, or call Barbara LaSpesa, (847) 390-0088.

Taft High School Class of 1978 will hold a 30th Reunion Aug. 16 in Colletti's 5707 N. Central Ave., Chicago. A cocktail reception will start at 6 p.m., with dinner at 7:30 and entertainment, dancing and Trivia contest beginning at 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$75 per person via PayPal (details to follow). For more information, contact tafths.30threunion@yahoo.com, [classmates.com](mailto: classmates.com) or rreunion.com.

Taft High School, class of June 1959, will hold a 50th reunion Sept. 24-27, 2009. For more information contact Larry Marsh at fairseas2u@cox.net, or (708) 444-6255; Pat Santell Lutz, patlutz@comcast.net, or (847) 259-0120; or Kent Meyer, carolekent@accelplus.net, (765) 362-9262. See also www.taftreunion1959.com.

The Maine South High School Class of 1988 is looking for classmates for a 20th reunion in July. To

receive an invitation, send mailing address information to Mary Gabriel MacGabhann at mmacgabhann@yahoo.com.

Tilton (GW) Elementary School Chicago will hold its annual Reunion Picnic on Sept. 6. St. Mel's "kids" are welcome and encouraged to attend. For anyone interested, or who knows the whereabouts of others, e-mail tiltonelementary@hotmail.com, or call Pat, (815) 788-0905.

Wildwood School classes of 1959 will be celebrating their 50th reunion in June 2009. January and June graduating classes will be included, as well as people who were classmates sometime between kindergarten and eighth grade, but moved away before graduation. For more information e-mail wildwood09@gmail.com, or call Kathy Anderson Walsh, (773) 775-5011.

The Lane Tech Century Foundation is planning a 100-Year Celebration Oct. 18 at the Hyatt Regency O'Hare. The event will commemorate 100 years of educational excellence with a dinner and entertainment. For more information call Lane Tech High School, (773) 534-5400, Ext. 45661, or e-mail mgrubich@cps.edu.

St. Patrick High School announces it will host class reunions in 2008 on the following dates: Class of 1963; Sept. 27; Class of

Peek, PAGE 58

It's included.

Our package prices are designed to combine our popular caskets with our uncompromised services. And, we include all of those things that usually add up to make a funeral expensive—just one of the many ways you'll be pleasantly surprised.

Complete Burial Service

- Visitation
- Funeral Service
- Quality Steel or Hardwood Casket
- Professional Services
- Concrete Vault

\$7,495

Olson Burke/Sullivan Funeral & CREMATION CENTER

6467-73 N Northwest Hwy • Chicago, IL 60631-1451 • (773) 774-3333

Please send me more information on the services you offer.

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State/Zip _____
Phone _____

There is no cost or commitment

FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED
SINCE 1922
PRE ARRANGED & PREPAID
FUNERALS AVAILABLE

Cooney Funeral Home

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

To Be Worthy
of
Your Confidence

3918 W. Irving Pk. Rd.
CHICAGO, IL 60618
Phone (773) 472-5650

625 Busse Hwy.
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068
Phone (847) 685-1002
Fax (847) 685-1005

MEMORIAL LUNCHEONS

- Banquet Room Available
- Groups of 10-200



760-452-6040

7650 W. Irving Park Road
Norridge, Illinois 60706
www.edelweissdining.com

Reasons to Advertise
TOP 5 Newspapers

REASON #2
AFFLUENT
Higher income-earning adults are more avid newspaper readers.

PIONEER PRESS
CALL 847-486-7300

Peek

Continued from PAGE 57

1968, Sept. 27; Class of 1983, Oct. 4; Class of 1978, Oct. 18; Class of 1978, Oct. 18. Reunions are in the Lowell I. Stahl Cultural Centre at Saint Patrick High School. Anyone interested in becoming a reunion representative is asked to contact Jeff Ardito, (773) 282-9563, or jardi@stpatrick.org.

MAINE SENIORS

The Maine Township MaineStreamers program offers a variety of opportunities for residents 55 and older. Membership includes a free subscription to the MaineStreamers monthly newsletter, which details activities for the upcoming month. Most activities are at Maine Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge, unless otherwise noted. For information contact the MaineStreamers, (847) 297-2510, or go to www.Mainetownship.com.

Bring the children on an intergenerational trip to Noble Horse Theatre and Lincoln Park Zoo from 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. July 25. Participants will start at Rock 'n' Roll McDonald's for lunch, then head to the Noble Horse Theatre for a performance of "Quadrille," watching the horses perform stunts, then on to the Lincoln Park Zoo. The cost is \$25 for children; \$35, adults. All day trips depart from Golf Mill Shopping Center in Niles.

A Trip to Fort Atkinson, Wis., to see "The Rock and the Rabbi" is planned from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Aug. 15. The music sets the stage as Simon, a simple fisherman, draws audiences of all ages into his story. Lunch will be served before the show and features chopped salad, roasted New York strip sirloin of beef, mushroom flan, scalloped potatoes, asparagus spears, and banana crème brûlée. Cost is \$79

for members; \$84, guests. All Day Trips depart from Golf Mill Shopping Center in Niles.

A day trip to see the Dancing Horses at Delevan, Wis., will be from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Aug. 24, and features an array of horse breeds that perform alongside trainers with a backdrop of lights and fountains. A buffet lunch is included. Participants also may visit the Baby Animal Barn and the wildlife zoo. The cost is \$73 for members; \$78, guests. All day trips depart from Golf Mill Shopping Center in Niles.

Maine Township is asking for assistance in locating good, reliable handy-men in the area. If you know of someone and would like to submit a name, contact Therese Tully, (847) 297-2510, Ext. 260, and she will forward a form to complete.

Maine Township, in cooperation with the Cook County Sheriff's Office, is collecting used cell phones to be converted for emergency 911 use for seniors. Donate phones at Maine Town Hall.

SENIORS

Retired adults who want to continue learning are invited to attend the Lifelong Learning Institute's Open House from 1 to 4 p.m. July 31 at National-Louis University's third floor Public Forum Room, 5202 Old Orchard Road, in Skokie. The Lifelong Learning Institute is a peer-led, non-traditional educational and social program covering two 15-week semesters and two five-week winter and summer sessions during the year. At the July 31 Open House, participants will have an opportunity to discover the wide variety of classes, social events and "adventures" to be offered this fall, as well meeting and interacting with current participants. For further information, contact Joan Marks at (224) 233-2366 or www.nl.edu/lifelonglearning.

SENIOR CENTER

The Niles Senior Center offers free membership to Niles residents age 62 and older, and their spouses. Only center members may register for classes or trips, or purchase tickets. Drop by the Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles, or call (847) 588-8420, for an application.

The Laughter Club, facilitated by Om Johari, "Certified Laughter Leader," meets from 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Research shows laughter has health and social benefits. Call the center for more information.

The social Scrabble group meets at 10 a.m. every Friday in Room 231, and welcomes participants.

SINGLES

Thunderbird Singles will feature a dance party with Meetup.com at 8 p.m. July 25 in the Hyatt Woodfield, 1800 E. Golf Road, Schaumburg. Admission is \$7. Call (847) 604-3446 for more information.

North Shore Singles will host a dance at 6 p.m. July 27 in the 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant, 1070 S. Milwaukee Ave., Wheeling. Admission is \$8. Call (847) 604-6518 for information.

The Single Gourmet will enjoy brunch at Sixteen in Trump Tower, 401 N. Wabash Ave., Chicago. Reception will begin at 11 a.m., with brunch at 11:30. Cost is \$99. Call (773) 772-3535 for information or reservations.

SUPPORT

Crohn's & Colitis Foundation support group meets from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. every third Thursday of the month at Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 Dempster St., Room 1063, Park Ridge. The focus is to assist patients with Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis, their families, significant others and friends in

dealing more effectively with the illness. For more information call (847) 827-0404.

The National Alliance for Mental Illness Cook County North Suburban holds monthly support groups for caregivers of children with mental illness, diagnosed or undiagnosed. Groups meet 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. the second Thursday of each month except August at Kenilworth Union Church, 211 Kenilworth Ave., Kenilworth, and 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. the third Friday of each month except August at Wilmette Public Library, 1242 Wilmette Ave., Wilmette. Groups are run by NAMI-trained facilitators and are confidential. Parents of a child suffering from school phobia, sleep disturbances, friendship difficulties, keeping it together at school but falling apart at home, rages, depression, smoking, drugs, anxiety or eating disorders are invited to share and seek help and understanding from other parents. For more information call (847) 716-2252, or go to namiccns.org.

Resurrection Medical Center sponsors a variety of free cancer-support groups for both patients and their family members. All support groups are free and meet in the Cancer Conference Room (ground floor, Entrance C). For more information contact Carol Flanagan, (773) 792-5116.

The Cancer Support Group for cancer patients, families and friends meets monthly from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. every last Wednesday.

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Family Support Group for people with leukemia, lymphoma, myelodysplastic syndrome, multiple myeloma, Hodgkin's Disease and their families meets every first Wednesday of the month.

The Butterfly Club is a support group for children ages 6 to 13 whose parent

or caretaker has been diagnosed with cancer. The group meets every first Wednesday of the month. Registration and parental consent are required.

The Us Too! Prostate Cancer Support Group meets every second Wednesday of the month.

The Teen Cancer Support Group is for teens ages 13 to 18 whose parent or caretaker has been diagnosed with cancer. The group meets every third Wednesday of the month. Registration and parental consent are required.

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group meets the last Saturday of each month in the Resurrection Rehabilitation Center of Chicago, first floor, Professional Building, Entrance C. For more information call (773) 594-7856.

Alzheimer's Support Group meets the second Tuesday of the month in the Health Management Classroom. The session is free. For more information call (847) 716-2252, or go to namiccns.org.

Afterglow Support Group for stroke survivors and their family and friends meets the second Wednesday of the month in the Resurrection Rehabilitation Center of Chicago, first floor, Professional Building, Entrance C.

Parkinson's Support Group meets the third Wednesday of the month from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Resurrection Rehabilitation Center of Chicago, first floor, Professional Building, Entrance C. For more information call (773) 594-7866.

Advocate Lutheran General Hospital is forming a support network for women living with breast cancer. The Breast Cancer Networking Group will meet from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month. The support group provides breast-cancer survivors the opportunity to share information and experiences with other women. The group will be

at Lutheran General's Center for Advanced Care, 1700 Luther Lane, Park Ridge, in the ground-floor conference room G104. For more information call (847) 723-8130.

Families Anonymous is a free, 12-step, self-help support program for family members and friends who are concerned about the substance abuse or behavioral problems of a loved one. Families Anonymous meets weekly from noon to 1 p.m. Thursdays at the Park Ridge Community Church, 100 Courtland Ave., Park Ridge; use the side entrance on Butler Place. There are no dues or fees. First names only are used at the meetings to preserve anonymity. This is a nonprofessional and nonreligious program. Advance notice is not necessary. Visitors are always welcome. For more information call the church office, (847) 823-3164, or contact Families Anonymous, 1-800-736-9805, or www.familiesanonymous.org

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago invites anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one to suicide to participate in its Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide Program (LOSS). Programs will be from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 10, Sept. 14, Oct. 12, Nov. 9 and Dec. 14, at the Catholic Charities Northwest Office, 1717 Rand Road, Des Plaines. For more information call (847) 376-2118.

Butterfly Group for Bereaved Parents meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the St. John Brebeuf rectory, 8307 N. Harlem Ave. All bereaved parents, family and friends are welcome whether their loss is recent or many years ago. Call Anna LaCorte, (847) 965-2771, or the rectory, (847) 966-8145.

Midwest Palliative & Hospice CareCenter grief support groups meet at various locations across its service area. Grief support

groups are free; donations are accepted. Call (800) 331-5484 to register or for more information. The schedule for 2008 winter/spring includes: At 2050 Claire Court, Glenview — Adult Loss, 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesdays; Daytime Spouse Loss, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. Fridays; Evening Spouse Loss, 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesdays; Sudden Loss, 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays. At 6133 N. Northwest Highway, Chicago — Families with Children Loss Group meets every third Monday, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., or in Glenview, 6:30 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. Wednesdays beginning March 19.

The Counseling Center of Advocate Medical Group offers a free Healing Our Lost Dreams (HOLD) support group twice a month for people who have experienced pregnancy and infant loss. Meetings are from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the center, 1610 Luther Lane, Park Ridge. Parents, grandparents and other adult family members are invited. For more information call (847) 795-3100.

A new Al-Anon group is being formed at Messiah Lutheran Church, 1605 Vernon Ave., Park Ridge. For information call the church office, (847) 823-6984, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. during the week.

The National Alliance on Mental Illness Cook County North Suburban invites the public to attend its Caring and Sharing monthly support group. This group is for family and friends of people with a mental illness and offers the opportunity to share problems and learn how others have overcome them. This program is free and meets from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month at the Kenton-Knox Conference Center (Rush North Shore Medical Center), 9701 N. Knox Ave., Skokie. For more information call NA-



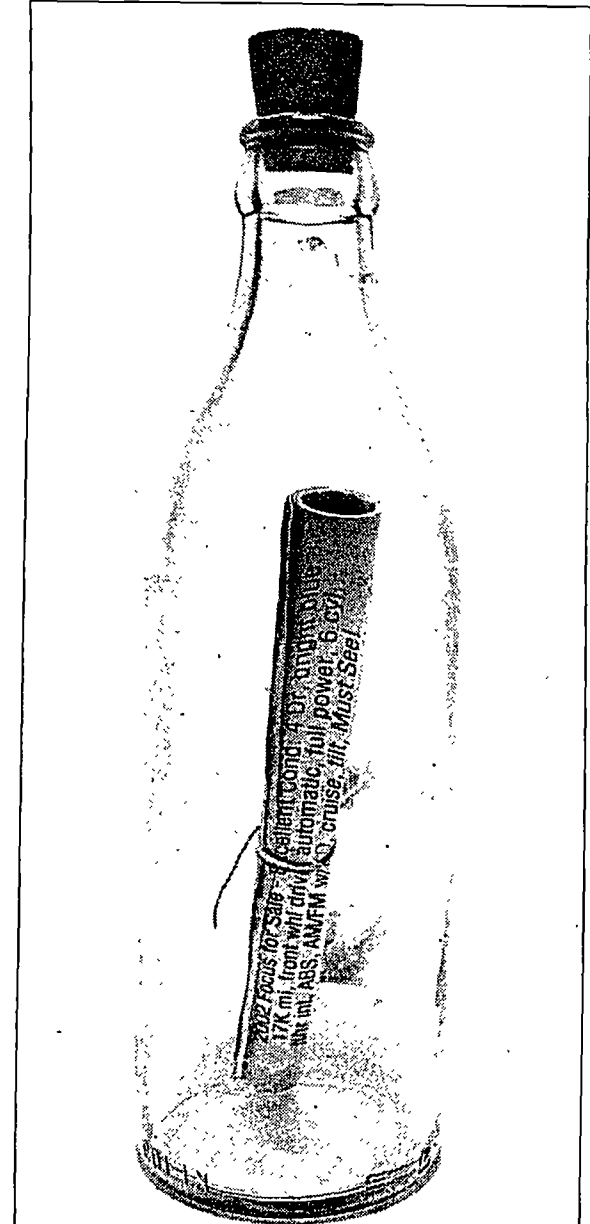
Do you feel depressed?

Announcing a medical research study for people with depression.

Depression isn't just feelings of sadness — it can affect the way you see the world. Your body may feel constantly fatigued, and your mind may dwell on thoughts of worthlessness and guilt. If you are currently depressed and not taking an antidepressant, you're invited to see if you may qualify for a medical research study to determine the effectiveness and safety of an investigational medication for the management of Major Depressive Disorder. If you qualify, you'll receive investigational study medication, medical exams and lab tests at no charge. Financial compensation for time and travel may also be available. To learn more, visit www.DoYouFeelDepressed.com or call an area physician listed below.

Contact: Ian
847-484-1900

John Zajack, M.D.
9669 Kenton Ave. Suite 209, Skokie, IL 60076 DoYouFeelDepressed.com



There is a better way
and it's as easy as 1 2 3

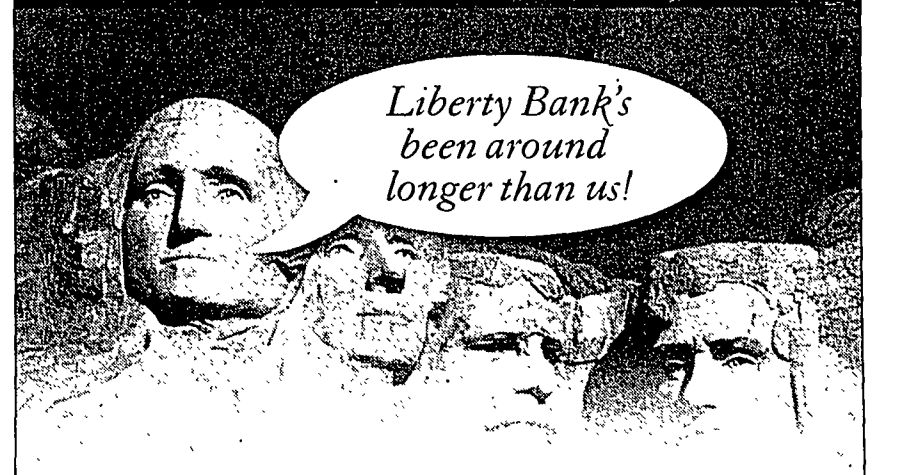
go to www.pioneerlocal.com

- 1 enter ad copy
- 2 enter contact information
- 3 enter your credit card information

Pioneer Press online classified ads are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Sample ads will assist you from start to finish. Try placing one today from our secure site, and publish it online or in any Pioneer Press newspaper. (private party advertisers only)



Rock Solid for 110 Years



Since 1898, Liberty Bank has been standing strong — safe, solid and secure. Over \$150 million in capital makes us one of the top 10% of banks in the nation. For the kind of rock solid foundation built by our country's founding fathers, come to Liberty Bank.

LIBERTY BANK
Trust & Integrity Since 1898

For more information on Liberty Bank, visit www.libertybank.com

2192 N. Milwaukee Ave. Chicago, IL 60647 773.384.0000
7111 W. Foster Ave. Chicago, IL 60656 773.792.2211
6210 N. Milwaukee Ave. Chicago, IL 60646 773.763.4560
6666 N. Lincoln Ave. Lincolnwood, IL 60712 847.674.1300
1018 W. Touhy Ave. Park Ridge, IL 60068 847.25.0693
FDIC

Peek

Continued from PAGE 59

MI CCNS, (847) 724-1460, or visit www.namiccns.org.

Northwest Suburban Interstitial Cystitis/Painful Bladder Syndrome Support Group of Illinois meets at 7 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month in Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 Dempster St., Park Ridge, Conference Room 1064. E-mail: bzarnikow@aol.com for more information, or to be added to the e-mail list for meeting announcements.

Rainbow Hospice Bereavement current support programs include the following:

General Grief - July 27, 2 p.m., Our Lady of the Brook, 3700 Dundee Road, Northbrook: Interfaith Memorial Service, an ecumenical prayer service for family and friends whose loved ones were served by Rainbow Hospice and/or

who participate in its Adult Grief groups. All community bereaved who wish to remember their loved ones are welcome. Registration is requested.

Parental Loss - Wednesdays, 7 to 8:30 p.m., Sept. 10 through Oct. 15, Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 145, Park Ridge: Adult Loss of Parent, a six-week group for adults grieving the loss of a parent. Registration is required. Fee is \$90 for six sessions. A six-week *Motherloss* group is planned for September, time, dates and location to be announced.

Spousal Loss - Wednesdays, Aug. 27, Sept. 24, 1 to 2:30 p.m., Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 145, Park Ridge: *Holding Onto Hope*, a monthly day-time group for widowed persons 55 and older who are grieving the loss of a spouse. Registration is required. Fee is \$5 per session.

Widowed Support

Group - Tuesdays, Aug. 12 and 26, Sept. 9 and 23; 7 to 8:30 p.m., Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 145, Park Ridge: An ongoing support group that addresses the losses faced by persons, as a general guideline, who have been widowed less than two years. Fee is \$5 per session.

Younger Widowed Support Group - Tuesdays, Aug. 12, Sept. 9; 7 to 8:30 p.m., Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 145, Park Ridge: An ongoing support group for younger widowed persons who have dependent children at home and/or are 55 years of age or younger. Fee is \$5 per session.

Life Transitions Group - Tuesdays, Aug. 26, Sept. 23; 7 to 8:30 p.m., Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 145, Park Ridge: An ongoing support group for those who, as a general guideline, have been widowed for one to four years.

Volunteer facilitated. Fee is \$5 per session.

The Good Mourning Children's Program - Aug. 18, 6:45 to 8 p.m., Lutheran General Family Care Center; 9375 Church St., Des Plaines: A monthly support group for children, teens and families who have lost a loved one through death. Preliminary interview required prior to registration.

Fees are waived for family/loved ones of Rainbow Hospice patients. For more information or to register, call Rainbow Hospice Bereavement Support at (847) 692-8884.

The Maryville Crisis Nursery, 4015 N. Oak Park Ave., Chicago, offers a safe harbor for children 5 and younger when parents have nowhere to turn during a family or personal crisis. It is a free, center-based program where children may stay for as long as three days. Its goal is to prevent abuse and neglect of children and help a fam-

ily stabilize its situation by providing support and resources. Examples of the crisis include domestic violence, parental stress, medical emergency or respite care. The 24-hour Help Line is (773) 205-3637.

An area Alzheimer's support group for caregivers and family members of people with Alzheimer's Disease meets at 10:30 a.m. every second Saturday at Central Baptist Village, the Commons Theater Lounge, 4747 N. Canfield Ave., Norridge. New members are always welcome. Call Jessi Lenth, group facilitator, (708) 583-8509.

Queen of All Saints hosts a weekly meeting for female survivors of sexual abuse. The meetings are from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Mondays in the Benedict Center Chapel, 6275 N. Ionia. To participate in the confidential, 12-step program, contact Queen of All Saints Rectory, (773) 736-6060, for more information. Additional meetings

are from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Fridays at St. Juliana Parish Center, 7200 Osceola Ave. Call Linda, (773) 271-2281.

TEEN CENTER

The Niles Youth Council is a group of teenagers in sixth through 12th grade who provide support and advice on Teen Center programming, develop leadership skills and work to serve the Niles community. It meets at 5 p.m. the first and third Thursday of every month. Call (847) 375-8949, for more information. The Teen Center is located at 373 Golf Mill Center in Niles. Summer hours are 2 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays, through Aug. 22.

Teen Movie Night is from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. July 25 and Aug. 22. Bring a pillow or blanket. Snacks and drinks will be available for purchase. No registration is necessary. The cost is \$3, or \$2 for center members.



BRIAN O'MAHONEY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER
Gymnastics coach Glen Marks works with 6-year-old Anthony Restivo at the Elk Grove Gymnastics School. Marks was recently presented with the Tim Rand Award, a national honor from the International Gymnastics Institute.

Marks earns national gymnastics award

By JIM EDISON
edison@pioneerlocal.com

A long time ago, Glen Marks fell in love with gymnastics. And since those days, three decades ago, Marks has dedicated himself to being the best coach, mentor and ambassador of the sport he possibly could. Now, after years of introducing and teaching gymnastics to children of every age and gender, Marks has been recognized for his accomplishments.

This spring, Marks, 49, was presented with the Tim Rand Award. The national honor is awarded by the International Gymnastics Institute to "the kindest and most supportive coach of his or her athletes." Marks received the award at a competition for Junior Olympians, held at Navy Pier.

"I was so surprised about the award," said Marks, a resident of Mount Prospect and co-owner of the Elk Grove Gymnastics School. "I said, 'Are you sure?'"

Officials of the IGI were indeed certain of their selection for the award, which was presented for the first time ever. Marks, who has been the partner and assistant coach of Hall of Fame girls gymnastics coach Betty Axelson-McClelland, was a perfect choice.

"Glen has the patience of a saint," said Axelson-McClelland, who is co-owner of EGGG. "He understands the different learning levels of the kids he works with and that is very important. Plus, I think the biggest thing that sets him apart from other coaches is his wonderful ability to make anything, even the most tedious drills, fun."

In addition to his work and EGGG, Marks has coached the United States junior team at the 1991 Pan American Games, a National Team coach in 2006 and coach for the 2007 Special Olympics World Games in China.

Marks began his long relationship with gymnastics in the mid-1970s when he was a student at Maine

East High School and competed as an all-arounder for coach Tom Gardner. It was there that he met Axelson-McClelland, who was the Demons' girls varsity head coach, and began a life-long friendship.

After graduating from East, Marks returned to the Park Ridge school as Axelson-McClelland's assistant coach. He remained in that role until 1985, when he and Axelson-McClelland opened EGGG.

One of Marks' best success stories regards Special Olympian Mark Janovics of Rolling Meadows. Janovics, 29, won several medals in China. He and Marks were featured on a number of television shows including Good Morning, America and World News Tonight.

"His biggest dream is to be on a Wheaties box someday," Marks said of Janovics. "We are so proud of him, and he will be living on his own this fall at Elmhurst College."

Comment: pioneerlocal.com

BASEBALL Cardinals split 2 games at Northern Illinois University tourney

By JIM EDISON
edison@pioneerlocal.com

The lengthy trip to DeKalb last week proved to be a journey of mixed results for the Lakeside Cardinals baseball team.

While the Cards got two solid pitching performances from their starters, hitting was a problem. The lack of offense, combined with two games being rained out, left coach Bill Palmer's squad with a record of 1-1 at the Northern Illinois University Tournament.

With just one weekend remaining for the 2008 season, Palmer is hoping his team can improve its hitting ability when it participates in the Indiana Breakers Invitational in Valparaiso, Ind.

"We had a couple of nice pitching efforts out there," Palmer said. "But we didn't hit all week (Lakeside also fell to the Kenosha Indians 9-2 on July 15). "I would really like to see us pick up the

offense and have a strong finish to the year."

Lakeside traveled to NIU July 17 and faced the Fox Valley Royals in the opening round of the 12-team competition. The Cardinals had **Michael Trotta** (recent Notre Dame graduate) on the hill and the former Don racked up seven strikeouts while scattering seven hits en route to the 2-1 victory.

tos ('08 Niles West graduate).

On Friday, Lakeside was back on the diamond, this time against the DuPage Dragons. Despite sensational pitching from Havey, the Cardinals fell 3-1.

"Havey had 10 strikeouts in five innings," Palmer said. "In one stretch, he had five (strikeouts) in a row." Unfortunately, Havey

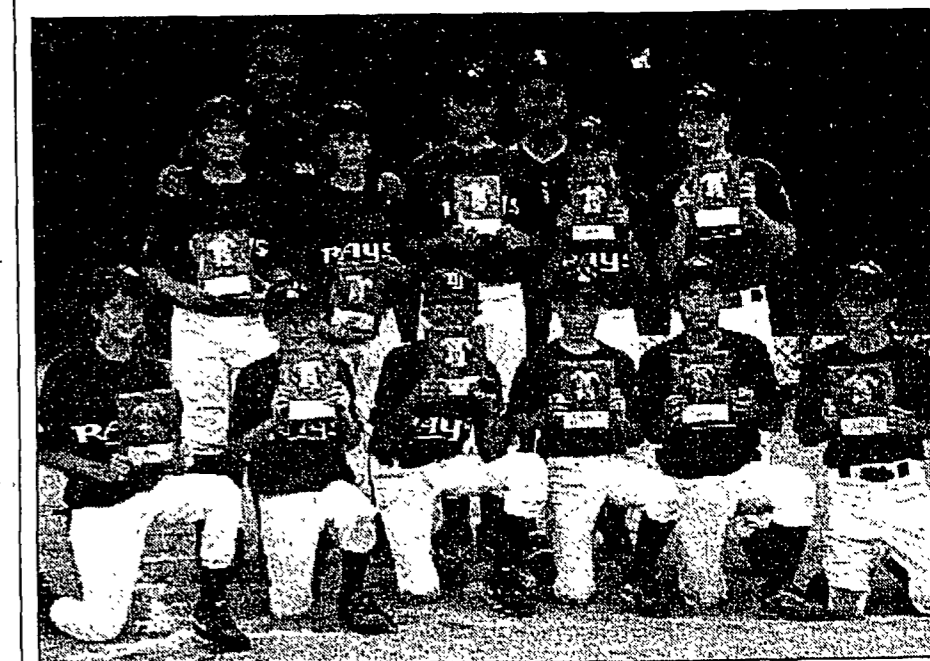
"We had a couple of nice pitching efforts out there. But we didn't hit all week."

Bill Palmer

Palmer's team went ahead 1-0 in the second inning when **Brendan Ryan** (Niles West) had an RBI-single. After Fox Valley tied the game at 1-1 in the fourth inning, the Cards went ahead for good in the sixth inning when **Jack Havey** (Loyola Academy) singled in **Chris Kon-**

reached the desired pitch-count Palmer had set for him, and left the game. The Dragons scored two runs in the final inning off relief pitcher **Andy Czerwonka** (Notre Dame '08 graduate) to win the contest.

Comment: pioneerlocal.com



RAYS OF SUNSHINE The Rays won the Niles Branco League Baseball World Series by defeating the Rockies 5-4 in the second game of the best-of-three series. The Rays, who finished with an overall record of 14-5-1, won the first game 6-5. Members of the team are: (front row, from left) Joe McCormack, David Uils, Matt Pena, Charlie Ward, Lucas Parker, Matt Infusino, (back row, from left) Gino Fassio, coach John Fassio, Bobby Dombal, James Coakley, coach Lupe Pena, Michael Liberty and David Stamate.

NorthSide Community Bank
The Very Best in Banking

GRAND SLAM RATES!

CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSITS

6-9 MONTHS 3.25% APY*
12-15 MONTHS 3.60% APY*
18-21 MONTHS 4.05% APY*

*\$5,000 MINIMUM DEPOSIT

Gurnee 5103 Washington Street 847-244-5100	Riverwoods 1155 Milwaukee Avenue 847-279-1155	Mundelein 800 North Route 83 847-837-8883	Niles 8040 Oakton Street 847-692-7500	Chicago 205 West Wacker 312-781-0670
---	--	--	--	---

www.nscbank.com

*Interest on the certificate is compounded on a quarterly basis. The disclosed APY is accurate as of 7/22/08. The disclosed annual percentage yield (APY) assumes that interest will remain on deposit. Fees or withdrawals will reduce earnings. A substantial penalty for early withdrawal for your certificate may apply. Minimum deposit of \$5000. Rates subject to change without notice.

Putting Edge Fun Center

Glow-in-the-Dark Mini Golf • Arcades • Birthdays • Groups • Team Building

See what's glowin' on at www.puttingedge.com

FREE Round of Mini Golf

Buy 1 General Birdie Green Fee at regular price & Get 1 Free

Buy 40 Tokens, get 20 TOKENS FREE

Buy 40 Arcade Tokens & Get 20 Free. A total of 60 tokens.

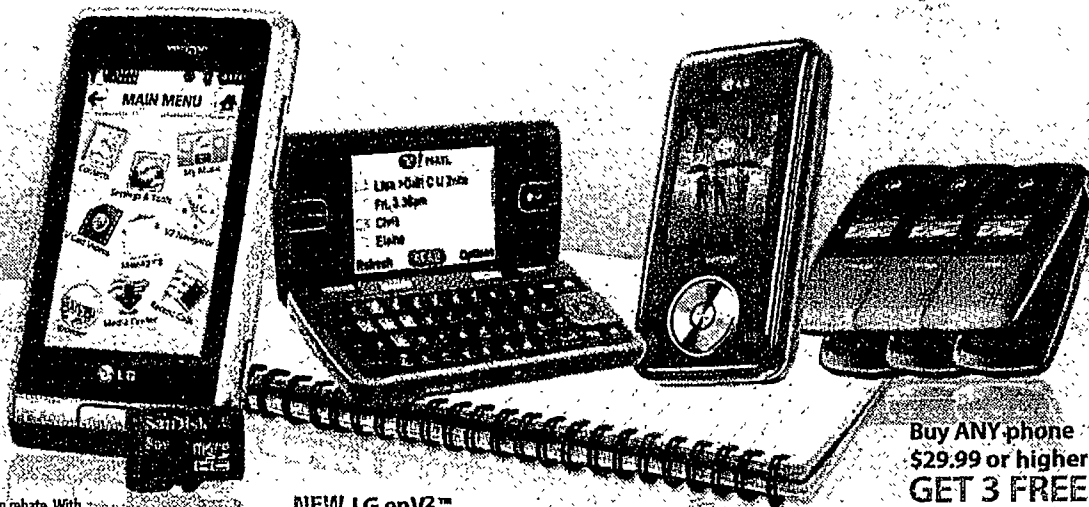
Not valid with any other offer. No cash value. August 30th, 2008.

Hoffman Estates - 2535 West Golf Rd. - 847-885-1701 City Park At Lincolnshire - 275 Parkway Dr. - 847-229-8833 Norridge Common - 4105 North Harlem Ave. - 708-457-8377	Hoffman Estates - 2535 West Golf Rd. - 847-885-1701 City Park At Lincolnshire - 275 Parkway Dr. - 847-229-8833 Norridge Common - 4105 North Harlem Ave. - 708-457-8377
--	--

Hi-tech features. Down-to-earth prices.



Save big on Verizon Wireless exclusives for back to school.



NEW LG Dare™ \$199.99

\$249.99 2-yr. price -- \$50 mail-in rebate. With new 2-yr. activation on Nationwide Calling Plan.

- ALL-TOUCH OPERATION WITH ON-SCREEN QWERTY**
- > Upload pix directly to sites
 - > Surf on a super-fast 3G network
 - > 3.2 megapixel camera with flash
 - > Multimedia messaging and IM capable

FREE 8GB MEMORY CARD
With Dare purchase and new 2-yr. activation on Nationwide Calling Plan \$79.99 or higher (\$149.99 or higher for primary line on Family SharePlan® plans).

NEW LG enV2™ \$99.99

\$149.99 2-yr. price -- \$50 mail-in rebate. With new 2-yr. activation.

- QWERTY GETS SUPER-SLIMI**
- > Fast email and Web access
 - > VZ Navigator™ ready — get weather updates

Exclusive LG Chocolate™ \$49.99

\$99.99 2-yr. price -- \$50 mail-in rebate. With new 2-yr. activation.

- LISTEN TO TUNES ON THE GO**
- > Choose from 4 hot colors
 - > Get V CAST and download songs and videos

Buy ANY phone \$29.99 or higher GET 3 FREE

LG VX5400 camera phones.
With new 2-yr. activation per phone.

Nationwide Plans start as low as
\$39.99 monthly access
With a new 1- or 2-yr. Agmt per line.
(Activation fees, taxes and other charges apply)*

- > Unlimited Nights and Weekends
 - > Unlimited calling to any Verizon Wireless customer
 - > No domestic long distance charges
 - > Basic voicemail included
- When calling from Nationwide Area.

Switch to America's Most Reliable Wireless Network.®

Call 1.877.2BUY.VZW

Click verizonwireless.com/switchnow

Visit any store

VERIZON WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS STORES All listed locations are open on Sunday (except where indicated). Call for store hours.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	138 E. Rand Rd.*	847-253-0329	CHICAGO CITY	209 S. LaSalle St.**	312-658-3900	NILES	5700 W. Touhy Ave.*	847-647-7724
AURORA	740 N. Rte. 59*	630-851-2254		1103 S. State St.*	312-291-0499		NEW! Golf Mill Mall	847-298-3047
BATAVIA	350 Randall Rd.*	630-761-2160	CHICAGO RIDGE	Chicago Ridge Mall*	708-346-9557	NORTHBROOK	Northbrook Court	847-509-8527
BELVIDERE	1912 Gateway Center Dr.	815-547-9493	CRESTWOOD	13447 S. Cicero Ave.*	708-396-9822		235 Skokie Blvd.	847-272-7770
BLOOMINGDALE	Stratford Square Mall	630-582-4707	CRYSTAL LAKE	1125 South Route 31	815-444-6080	NORTH AURORA	1852 Towne Center Dr.*	630-907-2055
	336 W. Army Trail Rd.*	630-980-4322	DOWNS GROVE	1404 Butterfield Rd.	630-953-8052	NORTH RIVERSIDE	North Riverside Park Plaza*	708-442-0755
BOLINGBROOK	224 Weber Rd.	630-226-4660	GURNEE	6543 Grand Ave.*	847-855-6019	ORLAND PARK	9264 W. 159th St.*	708-403-8200
	697 E. Boughton Rd.*	630-783-8966	HILLSDALE	2201 S. Wolf Rd.*	708-947-2500		Orland Square Mall	708-403-3122
BOURBONHAIS	Northfield Square Mall	815-936-7605	HODGKINS	9402 Joliet Rd.*	708-387-0554	PALATINE	784 E. Dundee Rd.*	847-934-8113
BRADLEY	840 Kinzie Ave.	815-929-0693	HOFFMAN ESTATES	(Also serving South Barrington)		PLAINFIELD	12632 S. Rte. 59*	815-436-7388
CALUMET CITY	1245 Torrence Ave.	708-862-0500		2734 N. Sutton Rd.*	847-645-0190	SCHAUMBURG	1249 E. Higgins Rd.	847-330-6010
CHICAGO NORTH	6451 W. Diversey*	773-836-4401	JOLIET	3330 Mall Loop Dr.	815-439-5100		Woodfield Mall	847-619-0773
	1652 N. Milwaukee Ave.*	773-489-6200	LAKE IN THE HILLS	290 N. Randall Rd.	847-458-2866	SOUTH ELGIN	596 Randall Rd.*	847-695-1667
	3620 W. Irving Park Rd.*	773-463-5364	LINCOLNWOOD	3333 W. Touhy Ave.*	847-568-1554	ST CHARLES	124 S. Kirk Rd.*	630-513-5326
	4265 N. Harlem Ave.*	708-457-1377	MATTESON	4063 211th St.	708-748-7444	VERNON HILLS	701 N. Milwaukee Ave.*	847-247-2300
	(across from the HIP)	312-397-5800	MERRILLVILLE, IN	401 W. 81st Ave.	219-736-8400	WEST DUNDEE	Springhill Mall	847-426-2177
CHICAGO SOUTH	120 W. 87th St.	773-994-9100		2109 Southlake Mall	219-756-7440	WHEATON	109 W. Geneva Rd.	630-668-2199
	3435 W. 26th St.*	773-522-9300	MT. PROSPECT	1 W. Rand Rd.	847-259-2627	WHEELING	1538 E. Lake Cook Rd.*	847-215-8788
CHICAGO CITY	500 W. Madison**	312-831-0127	NAPERVILLE	111 E. Ogden Ave.	630-420-3299	WILLOWBROOK	NEW! 7450 Kingery Hwy.	630-887-2944
	500 N. Michigan Ave.*	312-464-1390	NILES	9635 N. Milwaukee Ave.*	847-967-1150			

OR VISIT THE VERIZON WIRELESS STORE AT CIRCUIT CITY



- ALGONQUIN
- ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
- BATAVIA
- BERWYN*
- BLOOMINGDALE
- BOLINGBROOK & PROMENADE POINT
- CALLUMET CITY
- COUNTRYSIDE
- CRYSTAL LAKE
- DOWNS GROVE
- ELMWOOD PARK
- FORD CITY**
- GURNEE
- JOLIET
- KILDEER
- LINCOLN PARK*
- MCHENRY*
- MERRILLVILLE, IN
- NAPERVILLE
- HORRIDGE*
- NORTH AVE - CHICAGO
- ORLAND HILLS
- OSWEGO
- SCHAUMBURG
- SCHERERVILLE, IN
- VERNON HILLS

See store for Return/Exchange Policy.
*Se Habla Español
**Store closed on Sundays

AUTHORIZED RETAILERS Equipment prices, models & return policy vary by location. Authorized Retailers may impose additional equipment related charges, including cancellation fees.

ALGONQUIN	The Wireless Network	1072 Algonquin Rd.	847-658-0808	LAKE ZURICH	Corporate Cellular	580 W. Main St.	847-540-4440	WILMETTE	Linear Communications	3217 Lake Ave.	847-853-3500
BARTLETT	Wireless Millennium Communications	144 Bartlett Plaza	630-483-5050	OAK LAWN	The Cellular Connection	10646 S. Cicero	708-499-4088				
ELMHURST	The Cellular Connection	540 W. North Ave.	630-834-2776	ROUND LAKE BEACH	The Wireless Network	800 E. Rollins	219-947-9900				
HANOVER PARK	Wireless Millennium Communications	1178 Lake St., Unit B-12	630-213-6060	VERNON HILLS	Star Wireless	122 Hawthorne Center	847-247-0361				
JOLIET	The Wireless Network	16527 W. 159th St.	815-838-2900	WAUCONDA	Wauconda Cellular	210 W. Liberty St.	847-487-0400				
				WEST DUNDEE	The Wireless Network	625 S. 8th St.	847-426-9933				



* Our Surcharges (incl. Fed. Univ. Svc. of 11.4% of interstate & int'l telecom charges (varies quarterly), 7% Regulatory & 85% Administrative/line/mo., & others by area) are not taxes (details: 1-888-684-1888); gov't taxes & our surcharges could add 9%–33% to your bill. Activation fee/line: \$35 (\$25 for secondary Family SharePlan lines w/2-yr. Agmts).

IMPORTANT CONSUMER INFORMATION: Subject to Customer Agmt, Calling Plan, rebate form & credit approval. Up to \$175 early termination fee/line & other charges & \$1.99/MB (incl. Mobile Web ads). Offers and coverage, varying by service, not available everywhere. V CAST Music: Per song charges req'd; airtime may apply for downloads. Device capabilities: Add'l charges & conditions apply. Rebates take up to 6 weeks. Limited-time offers. While supplies last. Max 5 lines on same account. Network details and coverage maps at verizonwireless.com. ©2008 Verizon Wireless. CHOC