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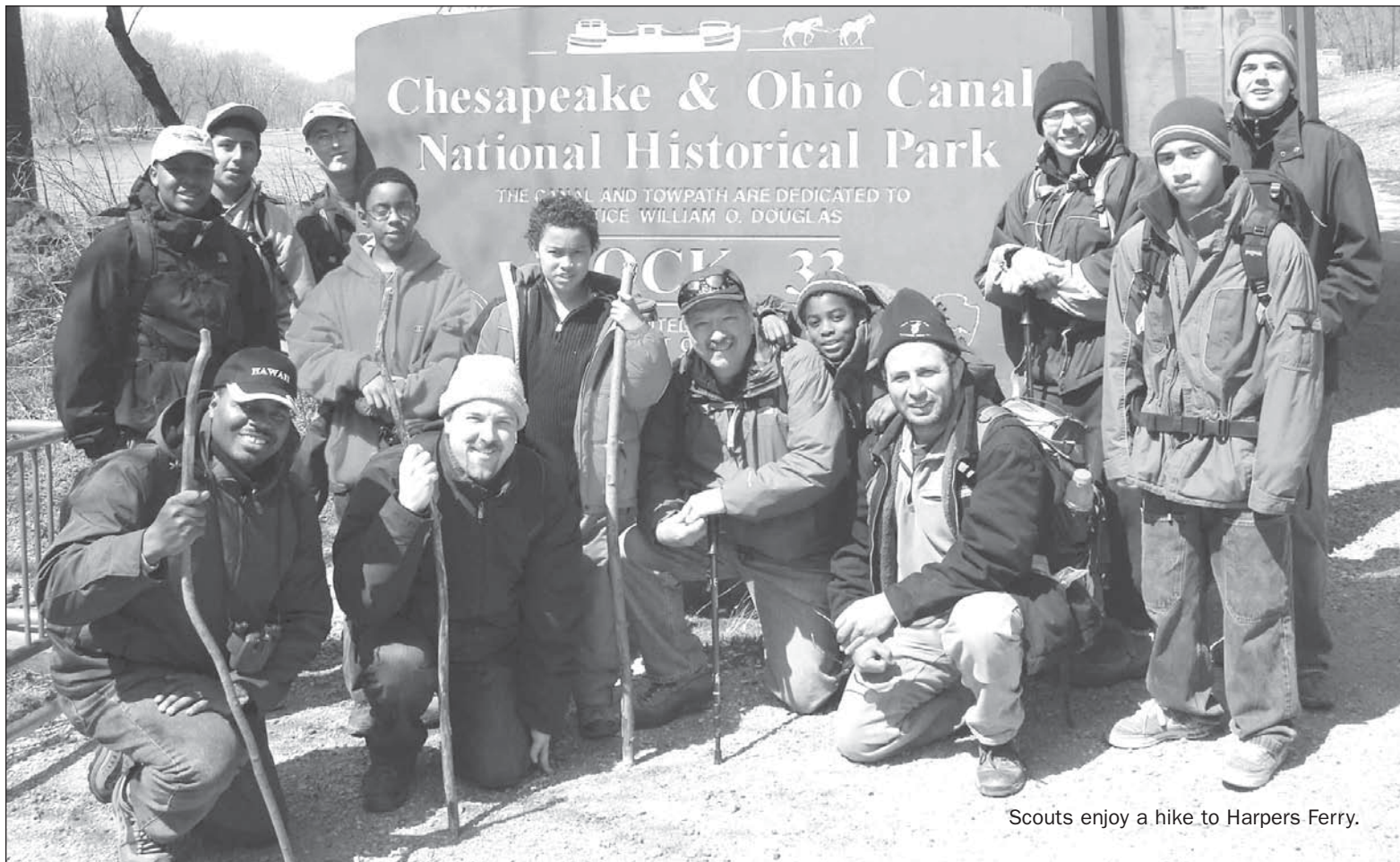
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Scouts enjoy a hike to Harpers Ferry.

## Beltsville Briefs

### Greenbelt Nursery School Silent Auction & Wine Tasting

The Greenbelt Nursery School (GNS) will hold its annual silent auction at the Greenbelt Arts Center, 123 Centerway, Greenbelt on Saturday, May 3 from 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. The Greenbelt Arts Center is located with the Roosevelt Center in old Greenbelt, adjacent to the Co-op Grocery Store. Included in the \$15 ticket price is wine tasting, delicious hors d'oeuvres and desserts prepared by Greenbelt's own Chef Lou. The event is for adults only. For tickets or information, contact the GNS office at 301.474.5570 or gnsk@greenbelt.com.

### Prince George's Choral Society Presentation

The Prince George's Choral Society, under the direction of Ron Freeman, will present a beautiful concert: Haydn's "Mass In Time of War" on Saturday, May 3,

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## Troop 1033 Takes a Hike

By Gary Bauman, Scoutmaster, Troop 1033

The Boy Scouts in Troop 1033 went camping at the Manidokan Methodist Retreat Center near Harpers Ferry in March. The Troop

hiked a total of 10 miles from the campground along the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to historic Harpers Ferry. This was a special trip for 3 young Cub Scouts, Chris Walker, Grant Sowels, and Chaim Johnson, who along with their fathers Bob

Walker and Andre Johnson, came along on their first campout with the Boy Scouts. The highest award a Cub Scout can earn is the Arrow of Light and one of the require-

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### Congratulations

Special Congratulations are in order for St. Joseph's 7th Grade student John Butler. He was our representative to the "Maryland Geographic Bee" (for the 4th year in a row) with a very impressive showing by finishing second in the State out of 100 finalists! The person at left in the photo is Mr. Brock, our middle school History Teacher; at right is Mrs. O'Brien, our Resource Teacher who instituted an excellent weekly Geography Quiz for all our students.



### BELTSVILLE DAY CELEBRATION

Friends and neighbors, come and enjoy Beltsville Day with us on Sunday, 18 May 08 from noon to 5:00 p.m. at the Beltsville Community Center. Check out the games, live music, food, and entertainment.

With the assistance of the Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission employees,

Beltsville Recreation Council members have planned for a day of recreation and fun for the Beltsville community.

To reduce parking problems, free shuttle buses will operate from the Francis Fuchs Center, Beltsville Elementary School and the Beltsville Library. Come and enjoy!

## NEXT ISSUE:

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May 21

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May 29

## On the Agenda

By Karen Coakley, President, Beltsville Citizens' Association



The State Highway Administration is holding a Public Forum on Route 201 (Kenilworth Avenue) extended from Greenbelt to Laurel on Thursday May 15th. They will have maps and displays showing the various alternatives being considered. No-Build, Widening Route 1 to 6 lanes plus several alignments along Edmonston Road to Van Dusen and Contee Roads. The forum will be at Beltsville Elementary School on Wicomico Avenue from 5:30-8:30 p.m.


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The Citizens' Association meeting will be on Wednesday, May 21st at 7:00 p.m. We will review a proposal for speed humps on Sellman Road between Route 1 and Rhode Island Avenue.

Please let me know if you have a specific community concern that you would like to discuss at a future meeting. I can be reached at 301.937.0157 or karenmcoakley@msn.com.





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## 25 Years Ago in the Beltsville News

By Phil Whitman

*Extracted from the May  
1983 Issue*

### British Visit Beltsville A.R.C.

Members of the House of Commons' Agriculture Committee inspected "water core" problems with apples at the Research Laboratory at the USDA's Agricultural Research Center in Beltsville.

### Capitol Tech Breaks Ground

Construction of new buildings for Capitol Tech, comprising 49,500 sq. ft., was planned on the site of the old Beltsville Speedway.

### High Point Senior Wins Scholarship

Carla Anzelone received a \$1,500 scholarship from Yorktowne Business Institute.

### 90th Birthday Celebration

Elsie G. Ziepol of St. John's Episcopal Church celebrated her 90th birthday on February 28, 1983.

### Service News

Navy Seaman Recruit Elroy H. Ceballos completed his recruit training at the Naval Center, Great Lakes, IL.

Pvt. John S. Griffin completed one station unit training at Ft. Benning, GA.

Navy Seaman Recruit Timothy F. Kemper completed his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, CA.

Gilbert P. Valdes, Jr. was promoted to Sergeant, U.S.A.F.

Marine PFC James P. Parrish participated in multi-national training in northern Norway.

Marine Sgt. Arthur E. Parry was promoted while serving at Cherry Point, NC.

Marine Lance Cpl. Brian E. Lister returned from deployment to Fort Pickett, VA.

### Eugene Steps Up

Doris Eugene was named Vice President-elect of the national Federation of Urban Suburban School Districts for the 1983-84 year.

### Simms Named Outstanding Educator

Dr. Simms, Principal of Calverton Elementary School, was one of 15 recipients of the Prince George's Outstanding Educator's Award

### Mr. Chotiner Plans Retirement

This outstanding principal of High Point Senior High School

planned to retire after 32 years of outstanding service.

### Local Flutist in Action

Hannah Meurer of Beltsville appeared on March 26, 1983 during a special Master class with world famous flute instructor, Geoffrey Gilbert.

### New Arrivals

Mark Henderson Mitchell, son of William H. & Julia H. Mitchell of Beltsville, was born on March 26, 1983.

Kyle James Lewis, son of Margie & Lance Lewis, was born on April 23, 1983.

Maggie Jean Peters, daughter of Cathy & Bob Peters, was born on April 18, 1983.

Pamela Jean Hobbs, daughter of Brian & Patricia Hobbs was born on March 29, 1983.

Lora Claire Anderson, daughter of Ellen & Ronald Anderson was born on April 28, 1983.

### Obituaries

Mrs. Connie B. Vaught, 87, died on April 17, 1983. She settled in Beltsville in 1938 and was the wife of the late Frank L. Vaught.

Kenneth Harold McDonald, 54, died and was survived by his wife, Marjorie Ruckmann McDonald.

Lelia (Spicky) Mayo died on April 18, 1983 in Kissimmee, FL. She was the wife of Jim Mayo. They had resided in Beltsville for 31 years.

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## Neighbors in the News



### Bob's Bed

A bed of daffodils lies at the end of Howard Road at one of the entrances to the Beltsville Recreation Park. Bob Young tended this bed every spring for some seven years prior to his death on February 1, 2007. His friends and neighbors affectionately refer to it

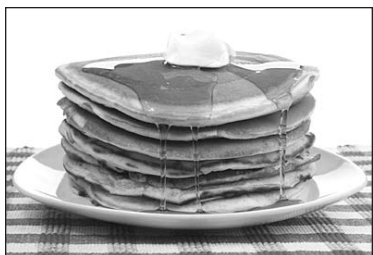
as "Bob's Bed."

Bob Young was a member of the Beltsville Lions Club for 41 years and 10 months. Over that period he contributed his leadership and outstanding efforts to all of the Club's projects. He was named the Club's Lion of the Year, received the International President's Certificate of Apprecia-

tion, the Membership Key Award, and was a Melvin Jones Fellow. Beyond that, he was a pleasure to be with and was totally committed to helping Beltsville residents who needed help from time to time. Seeing these daffodils in full bloom reminds us of Bob Young and his good work for the people of Beltsville.

## Successful Fundraiser for Special Olympics

The sixth annual pancake-eating contest for Maryland Special Olympics Prince George's County was held at the College Park Hampton Inn on the evening of April 4, 2008. Fundraising co-chairman Kevin Kennedy kicked things off at 7:15 p.m. by welcoming everyone, including former Redskin running back Larry Brown, former Washington Bul-



let's star Aubrey Nash, Director of Maryland Special Olympics Bob Janus, his assistant Dave Gill, and Hyattsville Chief of Police Doug Holland.

Ten contestants took their places. They included College Park Mayor Steve Brayman, Laurel Mayor Craig Moe, President of the University of Maryland student body Andrew Friedson,

Everest Beral from Benito's Brick Oven Italiano (Kevin's place), and Beltsville Lion Andy Rolle. Everyone wondered whether Mayor Brayman would be able to win his sixth pancake-eating crown in six years. As it turned out, it would be close.

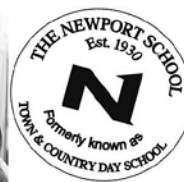
Brayman had downed 23 and his nearest competitor, Andrew Friedson finished 22. It was that close.

With two minutes to go, Brayman surged ahead by downing his 25<sup>th</sup> pancake. Friedman struggled to reach 23, and that's the way it ended. Brayman remained the undefeated pancake-eating wizard.

The 10 contestants downed a total of 148 pancakes in the 30-minute period, with Brayman and Friedson accounting for 48 of them.

Mr. Geoff Trout of College Park IHOP generously provided the pancakes, syrup, and drinks, and the owner of the College Park Hampton Inn provided space for the contest.

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# College Park Post & Unit Volunteers Out in Force for Special Olympics

By Ivy Christoffers.

April is a big month for the Special Olympics of Maryland. It began on April 4th with the 31st Annual Special Olympics Prince George's County Invitational Swim Meet for school-based and individual athletes. This meet was directed by Ron Lyst, an aquatic specialist from Jessie B. Mason

Regional School and was held at the Lanham Sports and Learning Complex. There were approximately 10 schools participating. In addition to the athletes who gave their all in the competition and wore their ribbons proudly, there were 30 volunteers who assisted the staff in keeping things moving along nicely. A special thank you to the swim team from Bowie High School who served as timekeepers and lane monitors. Several members of the American Legion family were on hand to assist where needed. This was a very satisfying event for all concerned.

That same evening there was a fundraiser held at the Hampton Inn for Special Olympics. The annual pancake-eating contest ended with the usual winner, Mayor Steven Brayman of College Park. I am sure there is another article in this paper on that event, (as a certain editor of the Beltsville News was observed taking notes) so I will close with this thought: Where does that gentleman put all those pancakes? Unit 217 had many volunteers at this event; even one of our newest Junior members who joined us just last month was on hand to help out. That's the spirit, Tianna Hudson, and thanks for bringing your Mom, Judy, along.

On Saturday morning it was once again time to cheer on the special athletes at their annual Bowling Tournament held at Ft. Meade. Although 169 were registered only 140 bowled. Mary Ann McNally of the "Candoers" out of Annapolis was the "all-around" winner for the girls with a total score of 437. For the fellows, Jeff Ward, of Prince George's County took the top honors with a total score of 482. Way to go, Athletes! This day began with Wayne Miller of American Legion Post 136 singing the National Anthem, Amy

Babuta administered the Athlete's Oath and Michael North led the Pledge of Allegiance. All athletes received ribbons, medals and trophies. There were seven sets of unified bowlers and the rest were all individual bowlers. There were 65 volunteers on hand who had just as much fun as the athletes. Many of these stalwart individuals were from Post and Unit 217. We are fortunate to have so many dedicated and caring individuals in our Legion Family. You should stop in to our Post some day to take a look at our wall dedicated to the many plaques and awards we have received for our participation in and dedication to our Special Athletes and their events. After chairing this event for many years, our good friend Dottie Sheldon says she must step down and pass the torch to someone new next year. We will miss you, Dottie. You have been an inspiration to all who have had the privilege to work with you. Their annual Bowling Banquet will be held at Post 217.

The next Special Olympics event will soon be upon us. The Annual Spring Games will be held at the Sports and Learning Complex on May 7th where approximately a thousand special athletes from 52 schools will be competing. This is a magnificent event and well worth the time invested to become a sponsor or "hugger." If you would like to know how to go about it, we are only a phone call away. Call 301.441.2783 and ask for K.C. or Glenn.

If you are eligible to become a member of the American Legion or American Legion Auxiliary, we are always on the lookout for new members. We do have a lot of fun and fellowship while serving the needs of our community, our veterans and our youth.

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## VBS at First Baptist Church

Your friends at FBC Beltville, 4700 Odell Road, would like to invite you to set sail with us for Outrigger island. This is a FREE Vacation Bible School adventure where we will learn about God's unshakable truth. Children ages 3 years old through 6<sup>th</sup> grade can join us on June 23-27, 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. for Bible stories, cool crafts, motivating music and a light lunch. Help us welcome our VBS with a big ALOHA on Saturday, June 21, 1:00-5:00 p.m. Come enjoy island hopping with games, refreshments, and time for pre-registration. For any questions, please contact us at 301.927.7771, or [www.fbcbeltville.org](http://www.fbcbeltville.org).

## Augsburg Academy Announces Scholarship Contest

The Augsburg Academy, a Christian day school serving children in kindergarten through seventh grade, announces its first "Full Tuition Scholarship Contest." One lucky student will receive a full-tuition scholarship to the Academy for the 2008-2009 school year. The best part of the contest is that anyone in the state of Maryland can apply simply by registering at the Academy's web site ([www.AugsburgAcademy.net](http://www.AugsburgAcademy.net)), or by completing an entry form at the display located

at The Gardens Ice House (13800 Old Gunpowder Road, Laurel), or sending a postcard with name, address, phone number, email address, and name and age of students in the family (PO Box 140, Beltville MD 20704-0140). One entry per household is permitted, and no application to the Academy is necessary in order to win.

"We are excited to make this available to our community," says Pastor Art Hebbeler, head of schools of the Academy. "We are expanding to include grades five, six and seven for 2008-2009. In 2009-2010, we plan to add eighth and ninth grades, with the balance of the high school grades coming in the following years." Augsburg students come from all over the greater Washington DC area, and receive a world-class education in an environment of small classes, enthusiastic teachers, and outstanding support facilities.

Located within The Gardens Ice House complex, students have access to all the ice sports provided (figure skating, ice hockey, speed skating, and curling), as well as the facilities of the Fairland Regional Park's gymnastics, swimming, and tennis center.

Augsburg Academy is an educational ministry of Augsburg Evangelical Church, a non-denominational congregation in the Lutheran tradition. For more information about the Scholarship Contest or the Academy in general, please visit the Academy web site at [www.AugsburgAcademy.net](http://www.AugsburgAcademy.net).

## The Chesapeake Chorale Presents A Chesapeake Psalter

The Chesapeake Chorale under the direction of Dr. Jesse Parker, artistic director, will present "A Chesapeake Psalter" on **Satur-**

**day, May 10, 2008, 8:00 p.m.** at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church, 14900 Annapolis Road, Bowie, Maryland.

The centerpiece of the concert will be Igor Stravinsky's *Symphony of Psalms*. Also featured are psalm settings by Mendelssohn, Bloch, Rutter, and many more. One highlight will be C. Hubert Parry's "I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me," a piece that became a worldwide sensation after it was premiered at the wedding of Prince Charles and Lady Diana.

Ticket prices for the show are \$15 for adults and \$12 for Senior/Student/Groups of 10 or more. Please contact 301.249.7689 for more information or visit our website at [www.chesapeakechorale.org](http://www.chesapeakechorale.org).

## Central Maryland Chorale Presents Duruflé "Requiem"

The members of the Central Maryland Chorale, directed by Monica Otal, invite you to join them for their annual Spring Concert on Saturday, May 17, at 8:00 p.m. at the Glenmont United Methodist Church, 12901 Georgia Avenue, in Silver Spring, Maryland. The featured work is the "Requiem" by Maurice Duruflé, a twentieth-century French composer. Another French work to be presented is the "Cantique de Jean Racine" by Gabriel Fauré. The soloists are Courtney Cacopardo, soprano; Yvette Smith, mezzo-soprano; Pat Mason, tenor; and Robert Burner, baritone-bass. Tickets are \$20 general admission, \$15 for students/seniors. For tickets and information, call 301.317.9646 or see [www.centralmarylandchorale.com](http://www.centralmarylandchorale.com).

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6th Graders at St. Joseph's School created designer bags that were sold throughout the school. The designs by the 6th Grade were incorporated and sewn into bags by Mrs. Weaver, mother of Kimberly Weaver, a 6th Grader. Mrs. Weaver has been inventive and resourceful when it comes to projects for her daughter's class to be involved with. She has given the class rich entrepreneur experience throughout the years, and has also helped with choosing where the donated earnings go as well. The proceeds this year from the designer bags were contributed to a place that takes in unwanted or hurt animals for special care and attention. The animals are then given as pets or released back into the wild (where they originally came from, if that's the case) when they are strong and healthy enough.



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## Neighbors in the News

# Joseph Neil Delauter, II Graduates from U.S. Coast Guard Academy

Ensign Joseph Neil DeLauter, II, a 2003 graduate of Pallotti High School in Laurel, MD, graduated on May 21, 2008 from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in New London, CT. He is the youngest grandson of Pat and Warren Allen of Beltsville, MD and the son of Mark and Carolyn Nacewicz of Eldersburg, MD, formerly of College Park, MD.

Ensign DeLauter hails from a family that has included nine Coast Guard members during the last half century. He is the first to attain commissioned officer status and the first to graduate from the Coast Guard Academy, the smallest of the five U.S. federal military academies and the only one that does not require Congressional nomination. This highly selective institution provides at no cost a comprehensive education that includes Academics, Physical



Fitness, Character, and Leadership. Each year, more than 3,000 applications are received for fewer than 300 available slots. About 63 per cent of Cadets continue on to

graduate.

Between Pallotti High School and the Coast Guard Academy, DeLauter successfully completed a ten-month course of instruction with the Naval Academy Preparatory School at Naval Station Newport, RI.

Graduating from the Academy with a 4-year Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering, Ensign DeLauter will report to his first assignment in the Engineering Department aboard U.S. Coast Guard Cutter *Victorious* (WMEC-627) in Cape May, NJ. He will join the 80-person crew aboard this 210 foot Medium Endurance Cutter that plies the waters from the North Atlantic to the Caribbean to perform a multitude of missions including security, counter-drug, migrant, and search and rescue operations. He will be at sea an average of 185 days per year during about four deployments that average 5,000 nautical miles each.

## Garden Speaker Series at Behnke Nursery

### Sunday Mornings with John Peter

This is a new gardening forum series for spring, and will be moderated by John Peter Thompson. The Sunday Mornings series is designed to be interactive and includes extensive question and answer time with various gardening experts. There is no set agenda and any gardening topic is open for discussion. Sessions are free and take place at 11:00 a.m. each Sunday at Behnke's Garden Center in Beltsville. Light refreshments are included. No pre-registration is required.

### Saturday Garden Speaker Series

All seminars take place at Behnke's Garden Center in Beltsville. They are free and start at 1:00 p.m. each Saturday, unless noted otherwise. Call 301.937.1100 for details and to pre-register.

### May 3 Easy Care Roses

David Kinderdine, Velvet Touch Rose Service. Roses are one of the most popular plants. Find out the best varieties for your landscape.

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ies Perennial Buyer. Most folks buy plants in bloom, which means their gardens tend to be showiest in late spring. Extend your garden display with summer bloomers, available now but not yet in color.

### May 17 Hostas: Bold Foliage for the Shade Garden

Randy Best (Mr. Hosta), Behnke Nurseries Staff. Hosta breeders have been busy! Big leaves, small leaves, leaves with hints of orange, and stems of red. Mr. Best will present his favorites of the new hostas and the old reliables, and tell you his secrets for growing spectacular plants.

### May 24 Potomac Bonsai Society Meeting and Auction

Local Bonsai collectors offer plants at this society auction. Both the meeting and the auction are open to the public.

### May 31 Guided Tour through the Nursery

Behnke Perennial and Woody Plant Specialists. Groups of 12 will be guided through the sales area for about an hour. Behnke specialists will discuss their favorite plants, explaining their features and needs, and will answer questions. Rain or shine; dress for the weather!



## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James and Annie Bradley of Ellicott City are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen L. Bradley, to James R. Murray. Jimmy's parents are Tim and Karen Murray of Laurel, MD.

Jimmy is a 1999 graduate of Our Lady of Good Counsel High School and currently attends the Steamfitters Local 602 apprenticeship school while employed by Boland Corp. in Rockville.

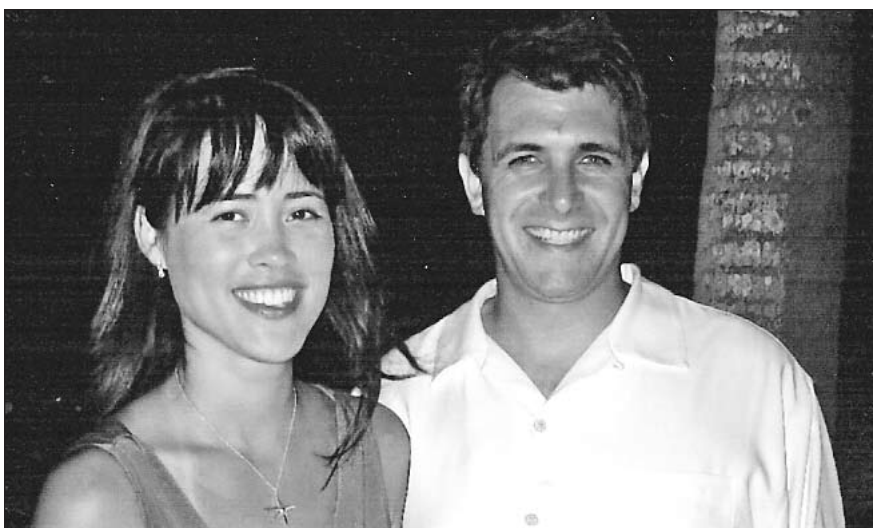
Katie is a 1999 graduate of Elizabeth Seton High School and a 2005 graduate of the University of MD, College Park with a degree in Special Education. She currently works as a special education teacher in Howard County and is a proud mother of her 7-year-old son, Drew.

A September wedding is planned at the University of MD Chapel in College Park.



## Wedding

### Frankie Williams & Narissa Johnson Wed



Frank William "Frankie" Adams of Adelphi and Narissa Johnson of Southern California were married on April 19<sup>th</sup> in Austin Texas. Frankie moved to Austin with Narissa two and one-half years ago. He is the Director of Ives Tools and Narissa is the Director of Communications with SafePlace, a shelter for battered and homeless women.

## A Letter of Thanks

The Debarwa Library is now open and is now fully operational. It has over 5,000 books on different subject matters including medical and nursing books. It also owns an audiovisual lab with three boxes full of recorded subject matter audiocassettes and about 150 VHS cassettes, a tape recorder, a kombi television with video and DVD players and two computers in good condition. It is open six days a week, Monday through Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday is open for educational video viewing. The Library serves 14,000 inhabitants of Debarwa town and 80,000 people of the Debarwa Sub-Zone. It is now self-sustaining with four employees working in two shifts. We are looking for a qualified librarian to start working as soon as possible.

Therefore, the citizens of Debarwa Town and the Administration of the Debarwa Sub-Zone would like to thank the following organizations, institutions, groups and individuals who contributed in one way or another in establishing and making the Library fully operational.

- Mr. Teelu Ghebrehiwet of

Asmara and Debarwa for initiating the book collection process, transporting the books and other equipment from Asmara to Debarwa. He was also responsible for repairing and setting up all the equipment and still following up on the smooth running of the Library.

- The British Council of Asmara, for the valuable advice, encouragement, donation of the first set of books and a computer with library software, and for providing a 10-day free training of the librarians.
- The Michael family of Beltsville in the USA and Asmara for initially donating money used for the salaries of two librarians for one year, for collecting books and audio visual equipment and materials, organizing and coordinating the fundraising activity, expediting the transport of the books and other materials from their home in Beltsville USA to Asmara and paying the import tax and port duties in Eritrea. Later for buying the Library

a power adaptor for the TV, a tape recorder, and funding the repair cost of the computers.

- The Beltsville News for running the article for the book donation.
- The Beltsville Community Center, Laurel Regional Hospital and the Beltsville Baptist Church for allowing their facilities to be used as book

### THANKS

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## Obituaries

### Beauchert, Jean P.

Jean P. Beauchert passed away on Wednesday, March 26, 2008. She was the beloved wife of the late Carl E. Beauchert, Jr. and loving mother of Carl E. Beauchert, III, Christine M. Traub and Lori J. Campanella. She was the grandmother of Amy, Carrie and Benjamin, and is also survived by eight great grandchildren. Relatives and friends called at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, MD on Monday, March 31. Funeral service was held at Saint Stephen Lutheran Church, 11612 New Hampshire Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20904 on Tuesday, April 1 at 11:00 a.m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Saint Stephen Lutheran Church or Hospice of the Chesapeake.

### Beyer, Mary Ellen

Mary Ellen Beyer of Beltsville passed away on Saturday, March 29, 2008. She was the beloved wife of George L. Beyer, Jr.; devoted mother of Kathryn (George) Yoder and Jean (Dave) Rogers; grandmother of Stephen, Anne, Katie and Becky. Funeral service was held at Donald V. Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, MD on Friday, April 11 at 10:00 a.m. with Deacon Steven officiating. Interment George Washington Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

### Bond, Walter Wayne

Walter Wayne Bond of Beltsville, MD died at his residence on Thursday, March 27, 2008. He was the beloved husband of Gladys M. Bond and the father of Kenneth W. and Ronald W. Bond. Four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren also survive him. Funeral service was held at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, MD on Monday, March 31 at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Daniel Mejia officiating. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery, Brentwood, MD. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Canaday, Grace L.

Grace L. Canaday, formerly of Beltsville, MD, passed away on Friday, March 28, 2008. She was the beloved wife of David C. Canaday and loving mother of Judy Shaffer, Jerry Canaday, Audrey Carroll, Ann Taylor and Janet Graham. She was the sister of Norman Lassiter, Dorothy Clayton, Joe Lassiter and Roy Lee Lassiter. Many grandchildren and great grandchildren also survive her. Relatives and friends called at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400

Powder Mill Road, Beltsville on March 31, and the service was held there on April 1<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Interment Four Oaks Cemetery, Four Oaks, NC.

### Keane, William Henry

William Henry Keane, beloved husband of Ethel M. Keane, passed away on Tuesday, April 1, 2008. He was the devoted father of Bill (Wendy), Vince (LeAnne) and the late David Keane. He was the brother of James, Joseph and Michael Keane, grandfather of Tyler, Billy, Tommy, Michael, Matthew, and Allen. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 11007 Montgomery Road, Beltsville, MD on Saturday, April 5 at 10:00 a.m. with Father Ming officiating. Interment private.

### Lawrence, Kurt Emile

Kurt Emile Lawrence, 46, died March 14 at his home in Laurel, MD. He previously lived in Beltsville and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Kurt was born on October 26, 1961 in Cheverly, MD. He was the son of John P. Lawrence and the late Margaret Lawrence. He graduated from DeMatha Catholic High School and Prince George's Community College and was pursuing a degree from the University of Maryland.

Kurt had been employed by Reliable Home Appliances as a manager and Iconics. He was a Microsoft Certified Professional. His father, John, and his brother, Lesley E., survive Kurt.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church, Montgomery Road, Beltsville, MD 20705

Funeral service was private.



### Mather, Herbert John

Herbert John Mather of Beltsville, 97, passed away on Sunday, April 13, 2008. He was the beloved husband of Teresa Mather and the late Irene Mather. Devoted father of Gary D. Mather and wife, Tina, of McLean, VA; stepdaughters Wanda Reyes and the late Lana Bauserman; grandfather of Christopher and Michael Mather, and Kristen Weeks; brother of George Mather, Margorie Vizard and the late Dorothy Palmer; uncle

of Dorothy Toth, Garna Wenger and George Mather, Jr. He retired from Pan Am after 30 years as a Manager of Data Processing. He traveled the world extensively. He was a member of The Beltsville Lions Club for 16 and one half years and was recognized as Lion Of The Year in 2002 and was on the Board Of Directors for six years. He set a club record during his two years as White Cane Chairman by collecting over \$5000 each year. The club has not come close since then, and Lion Herb's record will stand for many years. Memorial services were held at Money and King Funeral Home, 171 W. Maple Ave., Vienna, VA on Sunday, April 20 at 2:00 p.m. Interment private. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Beltsville Lions Foundation, P.O. Box 252, Beltsville, MD, 20704. Contributions may also be made to Vitas Hospice Charitable Foundation, 1604 Spring Hill Rd., Suite 450, Vienna, VA 22182.

### Millan, Carlos

Carlos Millan died on Tuesday, March 25, 2008. He was the beloved husband of Pamela S. Millan, loving son of Mercedes Millan and the late Carlos Millan, father of Myra Millan Lewis, brother of Hereka Martinez, Awilda Millan, Agnes Tauscher and Steve Cruz, and grandfather of Ashley and Kenneth Lewis. Relatives and friends called at St. Luke Lutheran Church, 9100 Colesville Road, Silver Spring, MD on Saturday April 5<sup>th</sup> where the service was held at 11:00 a.m. Interment private. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Luke Lutheran Church.

### Mortfield, Mary Lee

Mary Lee Mortfield, formerly of Beltsville, MD, passed away on April 1, 2008. She was the beloved wife of the late William Louis Mortfield, mother of Mary E. Williams, William M. Mortfield, Susan M. Mortfield, Brenda L. Cherba and M. Hannah Jenkins. She was the sister of Loudell Wright and Audrey Gaither. Seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren also survive her. Funeral service was held at Donald V. Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, MD on Saturday, April 5 at 10:00 a.m. with the Reverend Dr. William Moyer officiating. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Holy Cross Homecare and Hospice, 11900 Tech Road, Suite 240, Silver Spring, MD 20904.

### Reap, Daniel R.

Dan Reap of Adelphi died at his home on Saturday, March 29,

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# Rosapepe's Report to Beltsville

By Senator Jim Rosapepe (D-21)

## Finally, Some Good News on Laurel Hospital

After years of effort, particularly by Delegate Barbara Frush, during the recently concluded state legislative session, we finally were able to put in place a road to recovery for Laurel Hospital. As a member of the House Health Committee, Delegate Joseline Pena-Melnyk play an important part, as well.

The bill we passed will keep the hospital open and create a state/county authority to develop a financial plan for its future. The authority would solicit bids from major hospital systems such as Johns Hopkins and the University of Maryland to take over Laurel and our other Prince George's hospitals. The goal is a world-class hospital system providing health care in our area.

## Helping Working Families Protect Their Futures

Recognizing the financial difficulties many families face with rising electric, gasoline, and medical costs, Delegates Frush, Pena-Melnyk, Barnes and I worked together to protect the basic services the working and retired people rely on. Specifically, we voted to:

- Continue increasing state aid for **our local schools**
- **freeze tuition rates** once again for local students at the University of Maryland
- Create strong new protections for **homeowners threatened with foreclosure** and to crack down on predatory lending
- Provide **health insurance to help senior citizens** cover the "donut" hole in Medicare's drug benefit
- Expand unemployment insurance to **cover part time workers**
- Promote investment in **conservation and renewable energy** to hold down electric rates,



Senator Jim Rosapepe

reduce pollution, and fight global warming.

## Improving Our Quality of Life

- In addition, we all voted to:
- Enact **strong environmental laws** to limit development near the Chesapeake Bay and increase state funding for Bay clean up efforts
  - Continue state funding for **stem cell research**
  - **Ban panhandling** on roads in Prince George's, improving public safety

Two causes I worked for — caps on carbon emissions, which cause **global warming** and **scrapping electric rate deregulation** — were blocked by powerful financial interests. But I'm not giving up — I'll be back on the case next year.

## Getting Sidewalks on Powder Mill Road

Local citizens' efforts to get sidewalks on MD 212 (Powder Mill Road) are beginning to pay off. In response to your, and our, initiatives, the State Highway Administration (SHA) is moving forward to build sidewalks between Roby Avenue and Odell Road.

The final design is completed and the SHA secured all right-of-entry agreements from the adjacent property owners along this

segment of MD 212. To get these agreements, SHA needed to modify the project's design. They are now waiting for the final environmental permit from the Maryland Department of Environment. Construction of the sidewalks is expected this summer. We'll keep pushing.

## Reducing Traffic Congestion on Route 1

In addition to voting for more transportation funds for MARC commuter rail and bus service to reduce the need for so many people to drive on Route 1, we continue to believe that upgrading Kenilworth Avenue (Route 201) is critical to Beltsville. At the suggestion of Karen Coakley at the Beltsville Civic Association's April 15 meeting, we are contacting the State Highway Administration to find out why they recommended limiting it to four lanes instead of the possible six lanes originally contemplated. Route 1 is already too crowded. We need alternatives.

## College Scholarships for Beltsville Students

My scholarship committee expects to consider a second round of scholarship applications this summer, so if you missed the April 2 deadline, you can still apply. To apply for a Senate scholarship, students should email 21stscholarship@gmail.com or call 301.858.3141 to request an application. Information on other financial aid for Maryland college students can be found at [www.mhec.state.md.us](http://www.mhec.state.md.us).

## Let us know how we can help you.

Please let the Delegates and me know if there are other issues you have questions or thoughts about. And, of course, feel free to be in touch if the Delegates or I can be of help to you. Just email Senator.Rosapepe@inbox.com or call 301.858.3141.

## OBITUARIES

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2008 after a long illness of emphysema. Dan was born in Berwick, PA on July 14, 1920. He was the beloved husband of Lena Reap for 61 and one-half years. Father of Dan and Denise and grandfather of Christina, Danielle, Jed and Dylan. He served in WWII in the Marine Corps as a Platoon Sergeant. Borgwardt Funeral Home made funeral arrangements. Interment at George Washington Cemetery on Wednesday, April 2,

2008 with Military Honors. "Ave Maria" was sung by Peggy Bradley and "Because" was sung by Mario Lanza on tape with Peggy as a duet. Both songs were sung on their wedding day, September 8, 1946.

## Silcott, Jacqueline Marie

Jacqueline Marie Silcott of Beltsville, MD passed away on Friday, April 18, 2008. She was the beloved mother of Allan,

Dinah, John, Kim, and the late Michael Silcott; grandmother of Ashley, Ryan, Michael, Dustin, John, Jason, Kacie, Alison and Patrick. Funeral service was held at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville on Tuesday, April 22 at 10:00 with Reverend Jack Fitzgerald officiating. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 1211 Connecticut Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036.

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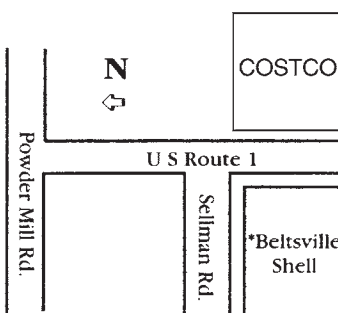


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## Club News

### Action at the Beltsville Rotary Club

By Yuksel Sagirlioglu, CTC, President

We had Tracy Gross's induction to Rotary International; now we will have James Aryee's induction. He is Branch Manager of Chevy Chase bank in Beltsville.

During the month of March and April we had some interesting speakers. First one was Past District Governor Ray, who also installed Tracy Gross, spoke about how to get new members and how to retain them. It is a general problem for service clubs and other organizations. In this ever-changing world, people move, change jobs, die and for so many other reasons leave the organization. Generally speaking, every Rotary club loses between 10-20% of membership every year. If you recruit 10% of the loss then you are staying with the same number of members that you started with. To be able to accomplish our goals, help to our community and other communities abroad, we need more members. More members make this job done better, easier, manually, financially.

One of our members Rotarian Joyce Malin had a speaker, Robert Nixon. He spoke about *Growing the Perfect Tomato*. He is a retired lawyer and now he is growing the perfect tomato as a hobby. The information was very interesting.

We also had Walter Preston as a speaker. He spoke about religious freedom. This is also an interesting subject. Members asked him a lot of questions. Discussion went from



New member induction: (L-r) Past District Governor Raymond Streib, new member Ms. Tracy Gross, Beltsville Rotary Club President Yuksel Sagirlioglu, CTC)

religious freedom in schools to government and elsewhere.

As you all know, the Beltsville community is growing. When I came to Beltsville in 1976, it was a small community and most people knew each other. Today, with a much larger population, Beltsville is a more popular place to live.

Last week's speaker was brought by our Club's Charter member Past President Karl Norris. Beltsville Police Station Commander, Major Preston, made a short visit to us before Captain Eric Wooleyhand's speech. He spoke about different kinds of crime in the Beltsville area and the ups and downs in crime statistics. Overall, the situation was assessed as better than some other communities. Of course, the police force is always trying their best to serve citizens.

Again, our Flea Market will be on Saturday, May 17. Try to

visit us there. Meet local Rotarians, and find some unique items you may not find somewhere else.

Dear Maryland citizens, please join one of our Tuesday Lunch meetings. Lunch is on us. Meet with our members. Learn about what Rotary is all about. Even if you decide not to join us as a member, please contribute your tax-deductible dollars. With your generous contributions we can help more people in our community and abroad.

As you all know, Rotary International's new project is to make peace in the world. This can happen only with your help and contributions. The Rotary International President chooses a new theme every year. Rotary International President-Elect Dong Kurn Lee has chosen *Make Dreams Real* for the Rotary year of 2008-2009. God Bless America.

## Beltsville Young at Heart

By Barbara Schofield

Well, our members have been very busy. On March 20 we celebrated St. Patrick's Day with music by The Irishman's Chorale,

a great group of singers. Hope to hear them again sometime.

Next we took a beautiful trip on the Nina Dandy to see the cherry blossoms. We were served delicious food and. I think everyone had a fantastic time.

On April 3 we celebrated our club's 42nd Anniversary. I did the decorations, prizes and games. There was *Name that Tune* and *Guess How Many Jelly Beans*. The Jellybean prize was a \$20 Gift Certificate to T.Js Restaurant donated by T.J.s, a great place to eat. Laurel Meat Market catered our dinner. They served a great meal and delicious desserts. Everyone enjoyed the food. Holland Gardens Nursery donated the beautiful, colorful potted plants. They made splendid door prizes. Everybody wanted to win

one. We wish to say a big thank you to T.J.'s Restaurant and Holland gardens for their donations.

One of our own members, Marilyn Dillan, made two wonderful baskets to be raffled off at the party. Thank you Marilyn; we need more members like you. Committee 1 was made up of Viola Hare, Livia Foley, myself and our President Marge Koebe, who kept us on track. I think we did a pretty good job and would like to thank Margaritte, Marilyn and Joan for helping us set up and clean up. This was a lot of fun for all.

Lois made us a very delectable looking fake chocolate cake. It is for bake sale donations since we can't have a bake sale anymore. I hope all will be generous since it benefits all of us in the club.





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## Club News

### Beltsville Garden Club May Meeting

By Louise DeJames, Publicity Chair

The Beltsville Garden Club will meet on Wednesday, May 28, 2008 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of the James E. Duckworth School, 11201 Evans Trail, Beltsville, MD. The guest speaker for this month will be Paul Bassett and his topic will be "RAIN GARDENS 101." He will introduce the basic principles of outdoor water management practices that help conserve and protect water resources through rain garden construction. Mr. Bassett is the president and founder of Hydro-Logix Solutions and has been involved with the irrigation industry for over 17 years.

Please join us for this informative speaker. We will have plants for the door prize table and refreshments after the meeting. The public is welcomed and admission is free.

For more information, contact Louise DeJames at 301.890.4733 or visit our website at, [www.beltsvillegardenclub.org](http://www.beltsvillegardenclub.org).

### Beltsville Garden Club May Plant Sale

By Louise DeJames, Publicity Chair

The Beltsville Garden Club May Plant Sale will be held Saturday, May 10, 2008 at High Point High School, 3601 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, Maryland. This sale will feature at reasonable prices, annuals, perennials, vegetables, shrubs and many varieties of plants from the Beltsville Garden Club greenhouse. The plant sale will be from 8:00am until 12:00 noon and will be held rain or shine. For more information call Geoff White at 301.937.1539 or visit our web site at, [www.beltsvillegardenclub.org](http://www.beltsvillegardenclub.org).

## School News

### High Point High School PTSA

Vicki Murphy-Wauschek, PTSA President

Please mark your calendar for Tuesday, May 6 at 7:00 p.m. in room 108 for the next High Point General Membership PTSA meet-

ing. All are welcome to attend this meeting to meet and greet our 21st District Delegation. They will be available to update the community on any legislative changes that have taken place this year.

We will also be holding elections for the next PTSA Executive Board. Nominations are welcome for the positions of President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary. Feel free to e-mail me @ [wauschek@juno.com](mailto:wauschek@juno.com) if you are interested in one of these positions. There are several committee positions that also need to be filled

— fundraising, publicity, scholarship, Webmaster and legislative representative.

The annual PTSA sponsored Teacher Appreciation luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, May 7th in room 108. There are four lunch periods, and we will be feeding the entire school staff of 225. Any donations of food and refreshments would be appreciated.

It takes many people to run a successful PTSA.... please support our school, our teachers and of course, our children.

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## Calverton Teachers Honored



Mrs. Shirley Upchurch wins the Christa McAuliffe teacher's award.

We are very proud of two members of the Calverton family who were recently awarded prestigious county awards. Mrs. Shirley Upchurch was awarded this year's Christa McAuliffe Award and Mrs. Veda Hendricks is being honored as an excellent county support staff member.



Mrs. Veda Hendricks honored as a supreme support staff member in the County.

The Christa McAuliffe award is in honor of the former Prince George's County teacher who lost her life in the space shuttle catastrophe, an award established to recognize excellence in teaching. This award is presented annually to a teacher who has demonstrated creative and quality instruction in a county school. The teacher must be a certified teacher who has taught any grade for at least five years in the county. The winner receives a limited, signed edition of an original work of art by Patricia Walters, a former school system graphic artist, and gets her name on a plaque to be displayed in the school system's board room.

Both Mrs. Upchurch and Mrs. Hendricks were nominated by the staff who wrote letters of recommendation citing their excellent qualifications. We are extremely proud of them both. Congratulations, Mrs. Upchurch and Mrs. Hendricks.

## Writing

Calverton's writing teacher, Mrs. Wood, is thrilled to report that

# Calverton Elementary News

there are many exciting writing initiatives taking place this spring at our school. The community is welcome to attend any or all. On April 29, the Young Authors group has two poetry assemblies to celebrate Poetry Month. The fifth and sixth grade members recited their original poems as well as poems of published poets. On May 9, we will be having our own Write-a-Book assembly to honor all of the books that we wrote for the festival, including our many winning books. On May 20<sup>th</sup>, the children of Calverton E.S. will celebrate Writing Day by sharing what they have written with their fellow students. On May 28, Magic Moments (in grades 2-4) will have a presentation. The school-wide Calverton Book Festival will be held during media classes from May 12-23; students will have the opportunity to look at all of the books we have written this year.

Calverton had 29 winning books including seven first place winners. The following books were this year's winners in the county Write-A-Book Festival (all books are picture stories unless otherwise indicated):

### Pre-K:

First Place: Happy times (Mrs. Hernandez's class)

Second Place: Listen to the sounds! (Mrs. Fisher's class)

### Kindergarten:

Second Place: We are the colors of the world (Mrs. Freeman's class)

Third Place: Imagine that... (Ms. Bossler's class)

Honorable mention: Dear Mr. President (Ms. Schwartz's class)

### First Grade:

First Place: If you give a little cousin an apple (Laura Espinal, Raven Abbey, Julius Chay, Sophia Dade and Peter Gomes)

First Place: Where Oh where is my beautiful, bouncy blue ball (Mrs. Albert's class)

Third Place: We love our friends (Mrs. Miller's class)

Third Place-Poetry: What a colorful world! (Mrs. Mennell's class)

Honorable Mention: We're Great (Mrs. Mennell's class)

### Second Grade:

Third Place: The teeny, tiny toad (by Mr. Stratton's class)

Third Place-Poetry: The magic of our poetry (Mrs. Russell's class)

Honorable Mention: Come join us on our nature walk (Mrs. Russell's)

### Third Grade:

First Place: The thief who wasn't (Ms. Lentz's literature circle)

Second Place-Poetry: I believe

(Third Grade Magic Moments)

Second Place: How the elephant got its long trunk (Ms. Njoku's literature class)

Third Place-Poetry: Hidden poetry (Third Grade Poets Society)

Third Place: If I ruled the world (Mrs. Swanson's class)

Third Place: Five Tales of Tricks (George Martin, Chinonye Obi, Luis Garcia, Alex Vasquez, Gregory Reeves, Jr.)

Honorable mention: New Year's gifts from the heart (Third Grade Magic Moments)

### Fourth Grade:

First Place: What are you talking about? (Mrs. Upchurch's class)

First Place-Poetry: Nursery rhymes our way (Mrs. Upchurch's literature circle)

Second Place: The pursuit of

happiness at the end of the rainbow (Mrs. Levin's literature circle class)

Third Place: The greatest gifts of all (Mrs. Gibson's class)

Third Place-Poetry: Listen to the music of our words (Fourth Grade Magic Moments)

Honorable mention: Wilbur Wolf and his wonderful, new hat (Mrs. Fulcher's literature circle)

### Fifth Grade:

Second Place: Magic is all around us (fifth grade Young Authors)

### Sixth Grade:

First Place: The wee, wee, wee Willie Walrus story (Joy Olatunji & Anintra Evans)

Third Place: Poetry grows (Darielle Williams, Joy Olatunji, Tevon Davis, Delano Thompson, & Christian Hernandez)

The county's awards ceremony

will be held on May 4, 2009 at 5:00 p.m. at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Due to the great quantity of class books that we have, we will be having our own awards assembly on May 9.

## A Long Distance Walk

Math specialist, Mrs. Waibel, and her husband completed the

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Mrs. Gail Waibel finished the Brandywine long-distance hike.

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35-mile Brandywine Trail from Pennsylvania to Delaware on Saturday. While most of the trail followed the Brandywine River, it also went up and down hills, across fields and along roads. They were lucky that it didn't rain because parts of the trail were already muddy and slippery. They started walking at 6 a.m. and finished at 3:55 p.m.

### Earth Day

On Earth Day there was a short program on the morning announcements, then each grade level was assigned an area outside to clean up and "beautify"



Ronald McDonald visits Calverton Elementary School.

(trim bushes, pick weeds, etc.). A contest was planned to select two students from each class to help plant flowers.

### Ronald McDonald Visits

Ronald McDonald came to our school on March 31, 2008. He presented the "Book Time" show to grades 3-6. The "Book Time" show is an entertaining and inspirational show that addresses the topic of Reading in a fun way. Through the use of magic, music, puppets, student participation, and lots of laughter, Ronald McDonald brings a very powerful message to children. While Ronald was here he motivated the students to do their best on the MSA.

### Kindergarten News

Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Upchurch presented a session at

the MICCA Conference on April 30 at the Baltimore Convention Center. Their session was on using a visualizer in the classroom. Kindergartners Kelly Tran, Michael Hernandez, Ashley Martinez, and Colleen Powell were there to help demonstrate practical math, reading and "show and tell" uses for the visualizer.

The kindergartners love having people who come and help them with their schoolwork. High Point students, Ashley Givens, Kimberly Duncan, Carla Coley and Sharon Camacho have been helping Mrs. Freeman's students work with Leapfrog reading skill cards. Fifth graders, ShyAnn Filorimo, Bianca Meade, Bruce Gutierrez, Lauren Fleetwood, Karina Cortez and Antione Harrison, listened to the kindergartners read to them for 45 minutes on a recent Friday afternoon.

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## Last Concerts of the Year at Eleanor Roosevelt

The All Bands and All Orchestras Concerts at Eleanor Roosevelt High School are scheduled for May 9<sup>th</sup> and May 14<sup>th</sup>, respectively, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium at the school. Each of the four bands and the four orchestras will perform individually. Then, all of the band members and all of the orchestra members will play in a Massed Band and a Massed Orchestra concert. More than 200 musicians will perform together in these concerts. The 2008 graduates in each band and orchestra will be acknowledged for their contribution to the ensembles. As with all of the instrumental music concerts at Eleanor Roosevelt, these concerts are free and open to the public.

The spring concerts are the culmination of a great year for the instrumental music department. All of the bands, under the direction of Ms. Sally Wagner, received straight 1's at the County Band Festival and are eligible to participate in the State Festival. The

orchestras, under the direction of Dr. David Yarbrough, received a 1, 2 and 3 for the Chamber Orchestra, the Symphony Orchestra and the Concert Orchestra, respectively. The Beltsville students in the bands and orchestras are: Natalie Herder, Monica Cunanan, Brendan Cusack, Kimberly Chin, Markus Brown, Patrick McVeigh, Emily Romani, Eddie Mellott, Nicholas Smith, Calvin DaSilva, Lynitta Karley, and Ashley Kaippallil.

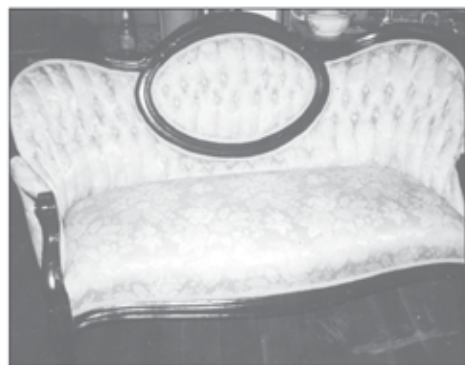
On a sad "note," Mr. Mark Fowler, the Eleanor Roosevelt High School Auditorium Manager for the past 28 years is leaving. He is retiring and moving to Montana with his brothers. Everyone in the instrumental music program wishes Mr. Fowler the best for his retirement and thanks him for his many years of keeping the auditorium at Roosevelt running smoothly. Also, Dr. Barbara Baker, the chair of the Music Department and the Choir Director, is retiring after many years at Eleanor Roosevelt. They will be missed.

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## School News

### Beltsville Elementary School Volunteers from FAR-B Add New Dimension



Megan Cruz examines a tomato worm.

Beltsville Elementary School is very privileged to have the FAR-B (Friends of Agricultural Research-Beltsville, Inc.) among their active group of community school volunteers. This group, composed of both active and retired scientists from USDA, UMD, and area agencies, spends much time planning and presenting hands-on science lessons for all of our classes in grades one through six in our gym for three days each April. They are able to bring their wealth of scientific knowledge and experience down to the level of our youngsters with their vibrant, hands on activities. Over the years, we've had all kinds of live insects, chickens, and other living specimens play a role in these meaningful science lessons.

This year's program focused

on Exploring Environmental Science with four stations: Ecology Basics, Waste generation and recycling, Plants have problems too, and Good insects/bad insects. What a way to raise awareness for our next generation of citizens!

Most students loved touching the live tomato worm too - icky.

This FAR-B program exemplifies Dr. Deasy's belief in the importance of the community's sharing in the responsibility for successful schools. They bring science to our students from a perspective and expertise level that embellishes and supports the excellent teaching by our school's dedicated teachers. Teachers and students alike look forward to the hands-on workshop each year. Teamwork with the community does enrich Beltsville!

On a class fieldtrip to Gettysburg, St. Joseph School's 8th Grade class learned about and experienced some of the adventures of the Civil War. The terrain and accommodations that soldiers encountered in their fighting impressed the students. Students became more appreciative of the hardships many soldiers went through to complete the hard-fought accomplishments required of them.



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drop off centers.

- The citizens of Beltsville, Laurel, the Laurel Regional Hospital family, Eleanor Roosevelt High School and other individuals for donating books, video and audio cassettes and computers.
- The Coor Foundation in the USA for helping with the fundraising event.
- The Eribel Club of Maryland for holding a fundraising dinner for transporting a container full of books and other equipment from the USA to Eritrea and also for sorting out and listing the books and other materials
- Those individuals who attended the fundraising dinner and donated money
- Mrs. Sergut Michael of Beltsville and Asmara for donating the material and sewing and hanging the curtains for the five windows of the Library.

Thank you all for enriching our lives and those of our children with knowledge.

Mr. Jamie Sulieman  
Administrator of the  
Debarwa Sub-Zone

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ments for this award is to camp outside with the Boy Scouts, so these Cub Scouts fulfilled this requirement. The scouts enjoyed their visit to the historic sites at Harpers Ferry but especially enjoyed visiting the candy store and eating ice cream. The Boy Scouts on the trip included Adrian Villarroel, Eric Matthews, Jamie Garcia, Sean Halper, and David Timus. The scouts

and their adult leaders including Scoutmaster Gary Bauman, Assistant Scoutmasters, Paul Villarroel and Gregory Bauman and parents Francine Bauman and Betsy Matthews took pleasure in the fresh air and vigorous hike. In addition to the Cub Scouts earning their Arrow of Light, all of the scouts earned their cold weather patch as temperatures dipped below freezing as evidenced by the icicles which formed under a bench from some water left dripping overnight.

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### BELTSVILLE EVENTS

#### STRAWBERRIES IN MAY

Spicknall's Farm Market of Beltsville has reopened for the season. Spicknall-grown strawberries will be available in the last half of May. Call 301-937-8288 for info. 12011 Old Gunpowder Rd.

#### SPECIAL HORTICULTURAL ART EXHIBIT

A special exhibit featuring floral watercolors and line drawings from rare books will start at the National Agriculture Library on May 19 and continue into the summer. Call 301-504-5876 for more info. 10301 Baltimore Avenue. The exhibit and parking are free. The visitor's lot can be accessed from the driveway entrance on Rhode Island Avenue.

#### NATIONAL CAPITAL FLOWER SHOW

Friday, May 9 to Monday, May 12. Sponsored by *Washington Gardener Magazine* to benefit Earth Share. Hosted by Behnke's Nursery at 11300 Baltimore Avenue. Call 301-937-1100 for info.

#### WOMEN'S COMMUNITY CLUB OF BELTSVILLE

Monday, May 12 at 12:30 p.m. at Emmanuel United Methodist Church, 11416 Cedar Lane. Beltsville.

#### VANSVILLE CITIZEN'S ASSOCIATION

Monday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. at Franklin Brown Building, Vansville Recreation Park, 11733 Old Baltimore Pike, Vansville.

#### BELTSVILLE CITIZEN'S ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, May 21 at 7:00 p.m. at Beltsville Elementary School located at 4300 Wicomico Avenue.

#### BELTSVILLE RECREATION COUNCIL

Monday, May 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Beltsville Community Center.

#### YOUNG AT HEART CLUB

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#### BOOK DISCUSSION

Tuesday, May 20 at 10:30 a.m. James L. Swanson's *Manhunt*

#### CHESS CLUB

Tuesdays, May 13 and 27 at 7:00 p.m. Learn to play or improve your game!

#### CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS STORYTIME

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. Ages 3 to 5.

#### MOMMY AND ME

Monday, May 5 at 7:30 p.m. and Thursday, May 8 at 10:30 a.m. Songs, fingerplays, and stories celebrating mothers. Ages 6 and under.

#### BELTSVILLE LIBRARY'S 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL TEDDY BEARS ON PARADE

Thursday, May 29 at 10:30 a.m. Musical activities, teddy bear parade, picnic, and more! Bring your favorite teddy bear or other stuffed animal. Ages newborns to 6 years old.

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Mondays, May 5, 12, and 19 at 10:30 a.m. Stories, songs, and fingerplays for toddlers. Ages 18-36 months.

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Thursday, May 22 at 10:30 a.m. Lee Wardlaw's *Punia and the King of the Sharks*. Be a character, member of the chorus or the audience, and have fun reading out loud with a group. Ages 7-9.

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#### CANDY TIME WITH MOM

Saturday, May 3 at 12:00 p.m. Mom and kids can come out and make some tasty candy treats together. All ages welcome. Fee: \$2 for Residents, \$3 for Non-Residents. Please pre-register by May 1. Call to check on space after May 1.

#### BELTSVILLE DAY

Sunday, May 18 from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Spend the day having fun with games, live music, live entertainers, crafts, and much more! Nominal fee for games and crafts. All ages welcome.

#### CAMP FIRE NIGHT

Friday, May 23 at 6:30 p.m. Come out and roast a hot dog for dinner and a s'more for dessert. All ages welcome. Fee: \$2 for Residents, \$3 for Non-Residents. Please pre-register by May 20. Call to check on space after May 20.

### BAKER BILL

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instantly. Put the car in neutral and by the time the car ahead of you moves you are ready to go. When I am on the beltway or route 95, I get into the right lanes and go the speed limit 55 or 65. It works. I have proved it to myself and raised my MPG 2 points.

By the way, who wrote a while back that we would never see \$2.50 per-gallon gas again? And I got E-mails telling me I was crazy. My words of wisdom this month are in the form of a web site. On the net, google Max Ehrmann. Send questions or suggestions to bakerbill1@verizon.net

—Bakerbill aka Bill Raulin



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#### BELTSVILLE

#### "Sumner Woods" \$474,000

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#### BELTSVILLE

#### "Calverton" \$395,000

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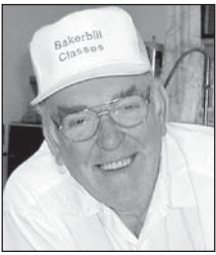
#### ADELPHI

#### "Holly Hill Manor" \$350,000

NO the price is NOT an error! You REALLY can't afford to pass this one up! Over 2,700 SF of house, + screened porch off dining room. 4 BR, 2 Baths, large RR, 2 FP, T/S kitchen.







# Baker Bill

## STUFF 'N THINGS

As soon as I send my item in each month I start thinking about next month's item, a theme so to speak. An idea starts to take shape, and sometimes not. This month I was thinking of things you may or may not know about Beltsville. These are mostly for the new families in Zip code 20705.

#1 Beltsville was not named after the Beltway. It was named after Truman Belt, who gave the B&O Railroad a right-of-way through his property, now the site of COSTCO.

#2 George Washington visited Van Horn's Tavern. A plaque on Baltimore Boulevard at the inter-

section with Prince George's Avenue commemorates his visits.

#3 The first telegraph message was sent through Beltsville on telegraph lines laid along the right-of-way of the B&O Railroad. A plaque commemorating that is on Route 1 across from Ritz Camera. It's hard to read when doing fifty miles an hour.

Attention Dieters; did you know that Silk unsweetened has 1 gram of sugar per cup, and skim milk has 12? Think about it. What is a gram you ask? From my high school chemistry class a gram is one-thousandth of a kilogram.

We get gas saving tips from all

over; keep tires properly inflated, slow down, yada, yada, yada. But here are a couple of tips that work and save gas. I have a riding mower. It normally takes a full tank or one-half gallon to cut my one-third acre lot in Calverton. But I turn off the engine whenever I stop, no matter what, and now I can cut twice on a tank full. I was surprised. Another tip; do not turn on the engine in your car until you buckle up. It's hard for me to remember, but I am trying. Thirdly, if you are waiting for a long light like the one at the new intersection on Gunpowder Road, that's a two-minute light, cut the engine. Yes, people look at me strangely, but if there is more than one car ahead of me, I am up and going before that car moves.

They once said it takes as much fuel to restart the engine as to leave it running. NOT true. The modern car with fuel injector starts

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### Beltsville Colonial • \$499,000

Beautiful 8-year-old home with 4BR, 3.5BA, finished basement and 2-car garage in Franklin Farms. Tasteful décor. Large open entertainment area across the back of the home with family room, gas fireplace, breakfast area, gourmet kitchen, sun room dining room and two decks. (PG6632356)

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Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00noon

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Bible Study Class	9:30 am
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*May 3*  
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*May 10*  
Adventurer Sabbath  
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*May 17*  
Carolyn Forrest

*May 24*  
Prayers for Healing

*May 31*  
Beltsville Adentist School  
Baccalaureate Service


*Community  
Programs*

*Wednesday evenings, 7:00 pm*  
Community Bible Study

*April 27, 1:00 pm*  
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*Evening Worship	6:00pm
Kidz Choir & Mission Kidz	6:00pm
Youth Fellowship	6:00pm
Adult Choir Practice	7:00pm

**Wednesdays:**

*Adult Bible Study & Prayer	7:00pm
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