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Library announces executive librarian, trustee appointments

John C. Blegen, new executive librarian at the Glenview Public Library, assumes his duties on January 3.

Formerly assistant director of Enoch Pratt Free Library in Baltimore for the past 6 years, Blegen was also a staff member there since 1974.

Married and the father of two sons, he holds a Master of Library Science degree from Catholic University of America, and a PhD in French literature from Johns Hopkins University.

Norbert A. Florek, senior vice president and controller of Allstate Insurance

Co., has been appointed to fill a recent vacancy on the library's board of trustees. He will serve the unexpired term through April 4, 1989, when the next regular election will be held.

Five library trusteeships, three village trusteeships, and the position of Village President will be filled at the April 4 election.

Those interested in these positions must file petitions and statements of candidacy at the Village Hall between January 16 and 23. For further information call the Village Hall, 724-1700.

No overnight street parking Dec.-March

No parking is allowed on Glenview streets between 2 and 6am December 1 through March 31. Please warn holiday visitors of the restriction.

When it snows, village crews begin clearing during early-morning hours, and parked cars make the job nearly impossible. Even if no snow falls, the parking ban remains in effect, and violators may have vehicles towed at their own expense. *Out-of-state licenses do not exempt vehicles from the no-parking rule.*

Those with urgent needs for on-street overnight parking should immediately inform the Village Hall, in writing, stating their reasons.

Village cable TV office offers assistance

Glenview's Cable TV Office monitors the performance of TCI and offers assistance to customers who do not receive satisfactory service from TCI.

Cable subscribers who call TCI customer service (299-9240) or service and repair (299-9250) and do not receive satisfaction within a reasonable period should call Mary Benmin, Glenview's Cable TV administrator, 724-1700, X 265.

Benmin also wants to hear comments about cable service in general. Subscribers are asked to keep her informed so that she may accurately represent their needs.

THANKS TO GLENVIEW RESTRICTIONS who carry plastic bags to pick up cans, papers, and other unsightly debris while taking walks or jogging. We appreciate their cooperation in keeping Glenview clean and beautiful.

IDOT details the alcohol problem

While the politicians talk about the shocking increase in imports and sales of cocaine and other exotic substances, the Illinois Department of Transportation reminds us of the sobering fact that alcohol is still one of our most serious drug problems.

Alcohol is involved in more than half of all fatal traffic accidents. Two of every 5 Americans will be involved in alcohol-related traffic accidents in their lifetimes. Between 1983 and 87, there was an alcohol-related traffic fatality on an average of once every 22 minutes.

Traffic accidents are the most common cause of death of Americans between 5 and 34, and more than half of these fatalities are alcohol related.

Besides the deaths, there are thousands of serious injuries, many crippling victims for the rest of their lives (some say inflicting suffering worse than death), caused by drunk driving.

Most states say the legal limit of intoxication is .10% blood alcohol, but records show that the average blood-alcohol concentration of those arrested for drunk driving is around .20%. (A 180-pound man must consume between 12 and 15 drinks of 86-proof liquor, or 9 to 11 cans of beer, in 4 hours to reach that level.)

In Illinois you can be arrested for DUI for a blood-alcohol concentration between .05 and .09% (6 or 7 drinks of liquor, or 5 or 6 beers, in 4 hours — if you are a 180-pound male; women and lighter-weight men get legally drunk on much less). Keep that in mind this holiday season.

A draft of the Glenview Comprehensive Plan

is now available to the public. Prepared by Woodport Consultants of Dayton, Ohio, the plan details future land uses within Glenview's planning area, and contains recommendations as to transportation-system changes, downtown redevelopment, and revisions in zoning and other municipal codes.

The Comprehensive Plan Committee will meet in January to begin its review.

Those who want copies of the draft document please call the Glenview Development Department, 724-1700, X 224.

Nurses offer scholarships

Nursing scholarships funded by Kraft, Inc., and the Glenview Registered Nurses' Association will be offered again in 1989 to Glenview residents actively engaged in studies leading to RN or other advanced degrees.

The application deadline is February 15. For details please call Joan Puisis, 967-8638.

TAKE CARE WITH HOLIDAY DECORATIONS, especially electrical cords and arrangements containing candles. If cords or plugs show signs of wear, discard them and replace with new equipment. Never use indoor lights outdoors. Make sure candles are kept well away from Christmas trees and flammable materials of all kinds.



Glenview Park District



IN-PERSON REGISTRATION OPEN as of 9am Wed., Dec. 14 (1930 Prairie St., across from the Post Office and depot). Brochures available for reference.

OUTDOOR SKATING AND SLED-DING open as soon as and for as long as weather conditions permit. Ice rinks are at Cole, Cunniff, Elm, Flick, Indian Trail, and Roosevelt Parks (separate hockey area with nets at Roosevelt and Elm); sledding hills are at Flick and Elm Parks.

JR. HIGH ACTION dances: Fridays, Dec. 16, Jan. 6, and Jan 27, 7:30-9:30pm, Springman Jr. High east gym (2701 Central); grades 7 and 8 admitted free with membership IDs (\$11 at Rugen Center weekdays 9am-4pm; apply in person for photo).

CELEBRATE, live holiday entertainment by Child's Play Touring Theatre (for preschool-grade 6 and parents): Dec. 19, 1pm, Rugen Center (901 Sherner), \$2 at door. (Next show in monthly *Package of Players* series: Melikin Puppets, Sat., Jan. 28.)

HOLIDAY OPEN GYM (free to grades 3-8 and highschoolers/adults) at Springman Jr. High: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Dec. 19-21 and 26-28; no registration. Grades 3-8, 8 to 11am; highschoolers/adults, 11am to 3pm.

HOLIDAY CRAFT/GIFT WORKSHOP (grades 1-6), Thurs., Dec. 22, 9am-4pm, Rugen Center, 901 Sherner: Make gifts and ornaments (50¢ to \$2.50); no registration; drop in and call home for pickup when finished.

Glenview Public Library

FOR ADULTS:

FRANCOPHILE CLUB: Tues., Jan. 3, 7:30pm, Conference Room. (Those interested in French culture and language meet with Yvonne Alan.)

SENIOR BOOK DISCUSSION: Mon., Jan. 9, 12:30pm — *Ladies of Missolonghi*, by Colleen McCullough.

EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION: Mon., Jan. 9, 7:30pm — *Of Human Bondage*, by Somerset Maugham.

WHALES ADVENTURE, Sat., Jan 14, 11am-3pm — Multimedia family program featuring paintings, sculptures, photos, and other visuals about whales, by marine artist/photographer Ed Morlan. Slide lecture at 1pm.

INTERNATIONAL NIGHT: Wed., Jan. 18, 7:30pm — Slide tour of Switzerland with Ken Rapatee.

YOUTH OPEN GYM free to boys and girls grades 4-8 at Glen Grove School: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:40pm, as of Jan. 4; and Sundays, noon to 4pm, as of Jan 8, each for 12 weeks. No registration.

SUNDAY OPEN GYM: Free to highschoolers and adults at Pleasant Ridge School beginning Jan. 8, noon to 4pm, for 10 weeks. No registration.

STARTING JAN. 9: 28 fitness classes, 32 dance classes, 2 photo courses, and various arts, general, preschool, senior, and sports programs. Register now at 1920 Prairie St.

WINTER GOLF LESSONS (for groups, adults and children), taught by Glenview Park Golf Club pros: register now at the pro shop, 800 Sherner. (For details call 724-0250.)

THE GLENVIEW PARK GOLF CLUB RESTAURANT, closed for lunch and Friday fish fries, is available year-round for banquets and special parties. Call Anita, 724-0250 or 657-3200.

COMING: Puppy Training (for ages 8 weeks - 5 months) and **Dog Obedience** (6 months and older) begin Jan. 26 at Roosevelt Community Building; animals must have proof of Parvo, rabies, and distemper shots; \$34 for 8 weeks. Register now at Park District office... **Clown Clinic** (ages 4-5), Jan 20, 1-2pm, Rugen Center, \$4. Register now at Park District office. ... **Kiddle Carnival** (ages 3-5 with parents), Jan. 20, 2-3:30pm, Rugen Center; free tickets at door.

THE SPRING BROCHURE appears in mid-February with information and registration forms for spring programs, children's summer day-camps, and Leisure Enrichment classes.

FEATURE FILM: A Handful of Dust Fri., Jan 20, 7pm — free tickets available Sat., Jan. 7, 9am, at the Information Desk.

FOR CHILDREN:

NORTHFIELD SUZUKI STRING ACADEMY CONCERT: Sat., Dec. 17, 2-4:00pm — Family program of winter holiday music performed by ages 3-16, directed by Lydia Monahan.

KIDWORKS THEATER: Sun., Dec. 18, 3-3:45pm — Winter holiday tales with music. Free tickets available.*

FEATURE FILM: Savannah Smiles, Tues., Dec. 20, 2pm (105 min.), delightful story of a 6-year-old stowaway, for all ages. Free tickets available.*

FEATURE FILM: Jack and the Beanstalk, Tues., Dec. 27, 2pm (92 min.), classic animation for all ages. Free tickets available.*

The Glenview Park District Senior Center, 901 Sherner Rd. (Rugen Center), has many programs and free services for older residents. For more information call 724-4793 9am-4pm Monday through Friday.

BLOOD-PRESSURE TESTING Thursdays, 11am-noon; free, no appointments.

PODIATRY at reasonable cost: Mondays, Dec. 19 and Jan 16; Friday, Jan. 6; 10-11:30am, by appointment only. Call the center.

INVESTMENT CLUBS — Dec. 20, 10:15am (women's); Jan. 3 (men's); learn the stock market's ups and downs. Call the center for details.

EXERCISE EASY (Top Form) — Tues/Thurs., beginning Jan 10, 10:30-11:30am; \$10 for book + \$15 for 10 weeks.

CURRENT EVENTS — Tues., beginning Jan 10, 10am (4 weeks).

RULES OF THE ROAD — Wed., Jan. 11, 1-3pm, free; advance registration necessary; call the center.

KNIT/CROCHET — Wed., beginning Jan. 11 for 10 weeks, 1-2:30pm (\$32).

SUNDAY MOVIE (1:30pm) — *Local Hero* (Jan.).

WOODCARVING — Mondays, 1-3pm — free; bring your own equipment or come and observe. Advanced carvers available to instruct newcomers.

WOMEN'S BOWLING every Fri., 12:30 — Classic Bowl, Morton Grove.

BRIDGE every Thurs., 10am (\$19.50 for 8 weeks), beginning Jan. 19.

FILM CLASSIC: Fox and the Hound, (all ages), Sat., Nov. 26, 2pm (85 min.). Free tickets as of Nov. 19.*

* with Glenview Public Library card.

The 1988-89 MS READATHON is sponsored by the local chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Chicago Bear Jim McMahon, honorary chairman. Participants may pick up kits and more information at the Children's Desk, sign pledges, and read for a month.

The library will be closed all day Sat., Dec. 24, Sun., Dec. 25, and Mon., Dec. 26. Closed at 3pm Sat., Dec. 31 and Mon., Jan 2. Open all other days and hours, as usual.

For senior residents ...

Carol Karol, Glenview's Senior Coordinator, has an office at the Village Hall, 1225 Waukegan Rd. (lower level), and is available there Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 9am to 1pm, and all day Thursdays, for free consultation with elderly residents and/or their families. For more information call 724-1700, X 232. See the Senior News display in the Finance Department (upper level) — free literature of interest and importance to the elderly.

A NEW STATE LAW, designating aggravated battery to a senior citizen a criminal offense, takes effect January 1. It mandates a prison term for those inflicting "serious injury or permanent disability" to anyone age 60 or older. The legislation was proposed by Cook County State's Attorney Richard M. Daley, and was passed as House Bill 3615 during the last session of the Illinois General Assembly. Maximum sentence under the new law is 7 years behind bars. Principal sponsors were Illinois Reps. John P. Daley (Chicago), Lovana Jones (Chicago), Benjamin A. Marinex (Chicago), Calvin Suker (Skokie), John O'Connell (Willow Springs), Kurt Granberg (Centralia), and Illinois Senators Timothy Degnan (Chicago) and Margaret Smith (Chicago). Thanks to all these legislators for helping to make the elderly less attractive as victims of criminals.

PARKINSON'S PATIENTS and FAMILIES should know about services at the North Shore Senior Center, 620 Lincoln Ave., Winnetka (446-8750), especially for their benefit. Every Wednesday from 3 to 4pm an exercise class conducted by an RN meets in Room 109. On the first Wednesday of every month a qualified physical therapist as-

Highlights of recent action of the Village Board

APPROVED abatement of bonds: \$4,525,000 (for water system acquisition); \$5,700,000 (for water system improvements); \$300,000 (for elevated tank repairs), all to be paid from Water and Sewer Fund; \$3,100,000 (library), to be paid by the Glenview Public Library. ... Conditional use at 4000 West Lake (public land for school additions)... Filing of statement with Cook County regarding Glenview's interest in annexing certain contiguous unincorporated property along Mill-

seses patient problems. The monthly fee for this group is \$8. At the same time (Wednesdays at 3pm), a self-help group for family and caregivers meets next door at the House of Welcome, led by an experienced person familiar with Parkinson's.

At 4pm on Wednesdays a social worker, an RN, and guest speakers meet with patients and family/caregivers/others interested for discussions of common problems. Refreshments are served and cookie donations welcome.

On Mondays, 10am-3pm, Parkinson's patients are invited to enjoy the comfortable, safe environment of the North Shore Senior Center to maintain independence and mobility. Call 446-8750 for complete information.

IF MEDICARE CLAIMS ARE DIFFICULT for you, call Carol Karol (724-1700) for a form that will make things a lot easier.

HILT (Homeshare: Independent Living Together), a creative program of the Interfaith Housing Center, offers an alternative to nursing- or retirement-home life by matching compatible home seekers with home-providers to share expenses, chores, and companionship. Those interested either in sharing a home or finding one, please call Susan Lieber, 256-4780.

Food donations accepted by police

Glenview police officers are accepting holiday food donations daily through Friday, Dec. 16, 4pm-1am, in behalf of the WGN/Church Federation of Greater Chicago Good Neighbor Food Drive.

Please bring canned goods and other nonperishable foods to the Glenview Police Department, 1215 Waukegan Road, during hours mentioned above.

If you have donations to be picked up at your home or place of business, please call 729-5000.

Waukegan Avenue and Sanders Road. ... STOP signs on northbound Glendale Dr., westbound Westview Rd. at Glendale, and northbound County Lane and northbound Northbranch Rd. at Central Parkway; YIELD sign on westbound Locust Lane at Country Lane. **REZONED** 900-1000 blocks of Queens Lane from R-1 (single-family, 1-acre lots) to R-4 (single-family, 10,000-sq.-ft. lots). **AUTHORIZED SPENDING:** \$70,500 for street-light installation, north, west, and south sides Wildberry Lane, Waukegan Rd. west to cul-de-sac; \$82,000 for bond for Special Service area #6 (street lighting, Wildberry Dr.); \$12,400 for engineering services for Monroe/Rogers area water main and sanitary sewer (Dan Creaney Co.); \$10,480 for video camera (Center Video, Niles).

Residents are always welcome at Village Board meetings. Those wanting to speak to agenda items may fill out cards at the door and hand to the secretary; those wanting to speak on nonagenda items please make advance arrangements by calling the Village Manager before the Tuesday preceding the meeting. Emergency matters always handled without prior arrangement—ask for recognition by the Village President when agenda items have been completed.

See calendar on page 4 for schedule of meetings of the Village Board (and other village bodies).

Warning reminder

When a solicitor calls claiming to be collecting funds benefiting either the Glenview Fire Department or the Glenview Police Department, *don't believe it.* These departments and their members NEVER solicit or collect funds for any purpose. When you receive such solicitations, please report them immediately to police at 729-5000. The callers are acting fraudulently.

Good judgment dictates that it's not wise to trust any telephone solicitor. Never send money to anyone soliciting by phone, and NEVER, EVER give a credit-card number over the phone (unless, of course, you are ordering voluntarily from a company you know and trust).

THANKS TO THE GLENVIEW FAMILIES who shared Thanksgiving with sailors from Great Lake Naval Training Station.

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Bulletin Board



As space permits, we will include announcements of upcoming nonprofit, nonsectarian, nonpartisan events of interest to a large part of the community. Send items for the next issue, to reach most residents by Jan. 16, to the Village Hall by noon Wednesday, Dec. 21, or call the editor (657-3865) no later than Dec. 27.

GLENKIRK THRIFT SHOP II in Pawaukee Shopping Center (650 Milwaukee Ave.) is open Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. The Glenview shop at 701 Harlem is open Tues.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Shops carry clothing and shoes, household goods, and holiday items, including Spode Christmas collector plates, all at wonderful prices. Glenkirk is a nonprofit agency serving people with developmental disabilities. Volunteers are needed for both shops—if you can help at either one, please call Eleanor Moseley, 948-1230.

FREE NECK- AND BACK-PAIN seminars 1st and 3rd Wednesdays every month, 6:30pm, 950 Harlem (Dr. R. A. Burge). Please call 724-0777 for appointments.

A WEIGHT-LOSS PROGRAM begins the week of Jan. 10 at Glenbrook Hospital, with morning and evening classes available (Tuesdays, beginning Jan. 10, 7pm; Thursdays beginning Jan. 12, 10am). The course is conducted by a registered dietitian and emphasizes nutrition, behavior modification, caloric reduction, and eating out. Guest speakers discuss exercise and stress management. Physician approval required; cost: \$125 for 12 weeks.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS of Suburban Cook County hosts an ice-skating competition (figure and speed skating) Sat., Jan. 14, at Robert Crown Center, Evanston, a qualifying event for the State Winter Games in Galena. For details call Cindy Pletic, 451-0909.

ACTIVE SINGLES 50+ (an organization offering opportunities to make new friends and share interests) meets monthly at Rugen Center, 901 Sherman. For more information call June Walsh, 446-8750.

NORTH SHORE WOMEN IN CAREERS meet Tues., Jan. 17, to hear Dr. Cynthia Keene speak on *Super Women, Super Stress*. Networking, 5:30; dinner 6:30; program 7:30; Allgater's Fireside (\$18 members/22others, dinner, \$10/15 programs). Reservations, 564-3377.

A HOLIDAY HAPPENING at noon Fri., Dec. 16, at North Shore Senior Center, 620 Lincoln, Winnetka (Rooms 101 and 107), features a festive luncheon, an early visit from Santa, songs, and entertainment by cellist Don Farley and pianist Rev. Paul Christenson. Cost is \$7. Call 446-8750 to see if reservations are still available.

GLENVIEW YOUTH BASEBALL, registration (Pony, Colt, Seniors) will be held Sats., Jan. 14 and 21 (10am-2pm) and Mon., Jan. 23, 6-9pm, Glenview Ice Center and Rugen Center. Everyone registered plays. Younger children grouped by neighborhood (games do not conflict with soccer); older players by age and proficiency. Boys and girls, beginning with those now in second grade, all eligible. New players must show birth certificates or other age proof; parent/guardian must accompany. For more call 724-0779 or 729-2143.

TOUGH LOVE PARENT SUPPORT meets every Tuesday, 7:30-10pm, at Glencoe Community Center, 999 Green Bay Road, Glencoe, to discuss children's behavior problems. For more call 272-6801.

FAMILIES ANONYMOUS, a care, self-help, and support group for those concerned about drug-abuse and child behavior problems, meets every Friday, 7:30pm, at Glenbrook Hospital, 2100 Pfingsten Road. For information call 848-9090.

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS are invited to relive a childhood pastime at a Dolls' Tea Party on Sat., Jan. 7, 2pm, at the Glenview Historical Society, 1121 Waukegan Rd. Bring a favorite doll, see doll collections, and hear a talk on the history of dolls. For more call 724-2235.

SLIM & TRIM, free unisex exercise/yoga program sponsored by the Glenview Health Department and conducted by Jane Ready, will not meet Dec. 20 or 27. Sessions resume Tues., Jan. 3.

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MARY CLARK of Glenview is the new treasurer of Evanston/Glenbrook Hospitals Auxiliary, an organization of more than 1,000 raising funds, supplying volunteers, and providing liaison with communities served by the hospitals. Regina Lundstrom of Glenview, an administrative assistant at Evanston Hospital, was recently honored for excellence, dedication, and exceptional service to others.

SUN.	MONDAY.	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT.
Dec. 11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Zoning Bd. of Appeals 8pm, Vg. Hall	Village Board 7:30pm, Vg. Hall	Appearance Commission 8pm, Vg. Hall	Chicago Good Neighbor Food Drive	Last Day to donate food at the Police Dept.	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		(NO SLIM/TRIM)	Library Bd. 7:30pm Library (1930 Glenview Rd.)			
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Christ- mas	VILLAGE HALL CLOSED	(NO SLIM/TRIM)				
Jan. 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
New Year's Day	VILLAGE HALL CLOSED	SLIM/TRIM 7-9pm LYON SCHOOL				
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Zoning Bd. of Appeals 8pm, Vg. Hall	Village Board 7:30pm, Vg. Hall Plan Commission, 7:30pm Village Hall	Appearance Commission 8pm, Vg. Hall	Park Bd. 7:30pm, Park District office (1920 Prairie)		