



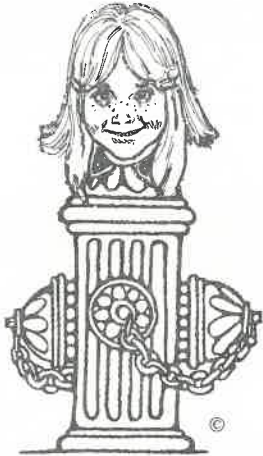
Village of

# Glenview

Monthly Newsletter

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**A FEW UNADOPTED HYDRANTS** — mostly girls (?) — are still longing for foster parents. Wouldn't you like an Anastasia or a Zelda as a foster hydrant? Call 724-2141 and tell the Fire Department you want to become an **Honorary Fire Department Supervising Hydraulic Engineer**. They'll let you know what you need to do as a foster "parent," and send you a gold-bordered certificate with your name on it. **Honest!** (You can name your hydrant anything you want — we just offered a couple of suggestions, from A to Z.)

**HOLIDAY GREETING CARDS** benefiting Evanston and Glenbrook Hospitals, designed by artist Darlene Flood, are red embossed snowflakes on white enamel paper, and cost \$9 per 25 without imprint (slightly more with). **Half the cost is tax-deductible!** Call 492-6751 now for more information about this very good buy.

**THE LIBRARY BOARD AND STAFF** thank the voters of Glenview for the support shown in approving the proposal to expand the library building. Noel J. Abkemeier, president of the library's board of directors, also extends thanks to those who assisted in telephoning and distributing literature prior to the November 8 referendum.

**Available to low-income suburbanites**

## Financial assistance for home heating

**F**ederal energy assistance for low-income households in suburban Cook County, through the Illinois Home Energy Assistance Program (called — you guessed it — **IHEAP**), is available to heads of households of any age, whether heat is paid for directly or included in rents.

**Gross income** (i.e., income before any deductions are made) for the 90 days before application **must not exceed the following:** For 1 person, \$1,519; 2 people, \$2,044; 3, \$2,439; 4, \$2,970; 5, \$3,276; 6, \$3,582; 7, \$3,768; 8, \$3,966; 9, \$4,164; 10, \$4,362.

Those applying must be heads of households (or relatives or friends, in cases where a head of household cannot apply in person), and must present the following documents:

**Copies of most recent checks or stubs for Social Security, SSI, VA bene-**

**fits or pensions, OR copies of statements from the agencies involved, OR copies of bank statements or deposit slips showing automatic deposits.**

Those receiving AFDC must present **current green cards**. Those receiving wages, salaries or checks for self-employment, dividends or interest, or unemployment compensation must show **documentary evidence** (check stubs) of **what has been received during the preceding 90 days**.

Application may be made only one time per household, between now and September 30, 1984, at the Winnetka Community House, 620 Lincoln Avenue, Winnetka, and **only by appointment**.

Call either Jean R. Cleland or Karen Shilvoek, 446-8750.

**The Village Hall will be closed Monday, December 26, and Monday, January 2, for Christmas and New Year's.**

## Library bonds OK'd

**O**n Tuesday, November 8, Glenview voters approved a bond issue of \$3,250,000 for construction of a 23,544-square-foot addition to the present library building at 1930 Glenview Road.

According to the official canvass, 2,407 voted in favor of the proposal, 1,824 against it.

Head Librarian Peter Bury has announced completion of the schematic design for the addition, and building plans are now being made.

Bids will be accepted during April and May of 1984, and construction will begin in June. Completion is anticipated by June of 1985.

## Tax aides needed

**E**lderly Americans pay more income taxes than they need to, according to a report of a special U.S. Senate committee on aging.

To help the elderly prepare their tax returns and save money, **Tax-Aide**, a counseling service of AARP (American Association of Retired Persons) needs volunteers for the coming tax season.

A basic knowledge of tax matters and a desire to serve senior adults are the only qualifications. A five-day Internal Revenue Service training course is required, furnished to volunteers in early January at a convenient place.

Once trained, volunteers are asked to serve at least four hours a week between February 1 and April 15.

Please volunteer if you can. For more information or to sign up, call **Donald Hamilton at 724-6053.**

# At the Glenview Public Library

## For the adults:

Mon., Jan. 9, 12:30pm, Conference Room — **BOOK DISCUSSION:** "Dinner at the Homesick Restaurant," by Anne Tyler.

Mon., Jan. 9, 7:30pm, Conference Room — **BOOK DISCUSSION:** "The Grapes of Wrath," by John Steinbeck.

Sat., Jan. 14, 1:30 - 3:30pm, Maynard Room — **HOBBY FAIR:** See and talk to craftspeople at work — a wood carver, a scrimshaw artist, a painter of miniatures in oil, and a calligrapher. A model railroad will be on display, and several hobbyists will be present with collectibles. (Refreshments will be served.)

Wed., Jan. 18, 2:30 and 7pm, Maynard Room — **FEATURE FILM:** "Ragtime," starring James Cagney, Howard E. Rolins, Jr., Mary Steenburgen. **Tickets required,** available free (while they last) at the Reference Desk, starting Dec. 18.

**HANDLE HOLIDAY POULTRY** with care, because of the high incidence of salmonella bacteria in fowl.

Thaw frozen birds safely in one of three ways: **in the refrigerator; in a microwave oven; at room temperature in double brown-paper bags** for not more than one hour per pound.

Poultry should not be stuffed until just before cooking, as stuffing provides an ideal environment for bacterial growth. Both meat and dressing should cook to an internal temperature of **at least 185 degrees F,** and be refrigerated promptly after the meal. Leftovers should be reheated **quickly** to at least 165 degrees F.



**DON'T STOP EXERCISING** between fall and winter sessions of Park District fitness classes! Sign up now for holiday clinics in session from December 19 through January 6 at Rugen Center, 901 Shermer Road. Morning classes are in **Dancercise** on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, **Slimnastics** on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Register at the Park District office, 1930 Prairie Street.

## For the children:

Mon., Dec. 19, 10am, Maynard Room — **STORIES 'N' STUFF:** A holiday treat for ages 4 through 12. (No tickets required.)

Wed., Dec. 21 — Beginning date for distribution of **FREE TICKETS FOR "TRON,"** the feature film to be shown Dec. 29.

Tues., Dec. 27, 10am, Maynard Room — **ACTRESS CAROL VERNON** gives a dramatic program for ages 5 and older. (No tickets required.)

Thurs., Dec. 29, 10am and 2pm, Maynard Room — **"TRON,"** the science-fiction computer fantasy. **Tickets required** (distributed free beginning Dec. 21).

Fri., Jan. 13, 7:30pm, Maynard Room — **JENNY ARMSTRONG PARK** sings mountain music and tells tales. For all ages. (No tickets required.)

Sat., Jan. 14 — **STORYTIME REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9am:**

**TODDLERS** (age 2) may be registered for Mondays, Feb. 6 through April 16, at either 9:45am or 10:30am.

**PRESCHOOLERS** (ages 3-5) may be registered for Tuesday or Wednesday, Feb. 7 through April 11, at either 10am or 1:30pm. (A parent presenting a Glenview library card must register each child.)

**FLUTIST EUGENIA ZUKERMAN** is the soloist with the Northbrook Symphony Orchestra on Sunday, January 15, at 7:30pm, in **Glenbrook South High School, Pfingsten and West Lake.** (The Northbrook Symphony concerts are usually held at Glenbrook North, but a conflict in scheduling has made it necessary for this one to be presented right here in Glenview, closer to local music lovers.) Call 272-0755 now to see if tickets are still available. (Northbrook Symphony concerts are early sellouts, so call now if you want to attend the Zukerman program.)



**DOGS MAY NEVER RUN LOOSE** in Glenview. Except when they are on the property of their owners, dogs must be walked on leashes, and walkers are required by law to carry some means of picking up excrement, and to pick it up as soon as deposited.



**SANTA'S WORKSHOP,** for children in grades 1-6, will be in business Wednesday, December 21, 9-4pm, and Thursday, December 22, 9am-noon, at the Glenview Ice Center, 1851 Landwehr Road. Youngsters will make decorations and gifts for 25¢ to \$1.50 each, depending upon the project chosen. (This is a drop-in program — no registration necessary.)



**DEADLINE for the January issue:**  
10am Tuesday, December 22.

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## Village Board action in November

**AGREED** (as required by state and federal governments, who are sharing the costs of improvement) that the village will never allow encroachments upon the right-of-way of Waukegan Road between Golf Road and Woodlawn Avenue. (See adjacent article.)

**AMENDED THE ZONING ORDINANCE** to permit motels and hotels to be classified as Planned Developments.

**FURTHER AMENDED THE ZONING ORDINANCE** to allow Village Trustees to approve certain variations as parts of annexation agreements.

**FURTHER AMENDED THE ZONING ORDINANCE** to approve outdoor storage of seasonal merchandise by local dealers in B-1 and B-2 Business Districts.

**AGREED** to provide salt for the roadways of the Village Golf, as in past years; on a cost-per-load basis.

**APPROVED PURCHASE** of a portable generator for the Fire Department (\$2,916) from Generator Systems of Addison.

**APPROVED A RESUBDIVISION** at 1920 Sunset Ridge Road, combining three parcels of land as one residential building lot.

## Baseball registration



**P**ony and Colt Baseball Leagues have now merged, resulting in a single comprehensive baseball program in the Glenview area for ages 8-16.

Simultaneous registrations will be held on two Saturdays, January 7 and 14, 9am to 3pm, at Rugen Community Center and the Glenview Ice Center. An evening registration will be held at Rugen Center only on Monday, January 9, from 7 to 9pm.

Boys and girls between 8 and 16 are eligible, provided they become 8 years old before August 1, 1984, and do not reach age 17 until after August 1, 1984. New players must present birth certificates when they register. Each registrant receives a free Youth Baseball T-shirt.

For further information call whichever of the following numbers are appropriate: **Youth League** (ages 8-12), Linda Hanekamp, 998-5879, or Bill Palmer, 729-2143. **Pony League** (ages 13-14), Dave Tosh, 729-0137. **Colt League** (ages 15-16), Gerry Inguagiato, 724-1114.

## Local road/intersection improvements scheduled for next calendar year

**W**aukegan Road, between Golf Road and Woodlawn Avenue, will have \$2 million in improvements during 1984:

*Raised islands will be removed.*

*Five intersections (Overlook Drive, Dewes Street, Glenview Road, Grove Street and Lake Avenue) will have traffic-signal reconstruction, including installation of Opticom's (automatic changing devices to accommodate public-safety vehicles).*

*The roadway will be resurfaced, and widened in some places.*

*A new bridge will be installed at River Drive, and River Drive will be closed at the south (Waukegan Road) end.*

*The roadway will be realigned so as to establish a left-turn lane at Glenview Road for northbound traffic wanting to travel west on Glenview Road.*

Glenview's share (\$63,000, which is earmarked for engineering expenses) has been appropriated from local Motor Fuel Taxes.

State and federal shares of the improvement (\$1,937,000, for actual construction expenses) have been approved as an FAU-IDOT (Federal Aid Urban and Illinois Department of Transportation) project.



**Also to be improved during 1984 as a separate project:** Traffic signals at Waukegan and Chestnut Roads, to be reconstructed and equipped with Opticom, at a total cost of \$116,000, \$16,000 from Glenview's Motor Fuel Tax funds and \$100,000 from state and federal monies.

These improvements will result in safer and more efficient movement of traffic through Glenview's main arteries.

## Senior Center activities . . .

**THE GLENVIEW SENIOR CENTER** is in the Rugen Community Building, 901 Shermer Road, and is open Monday through Friday (except on certain holidays, which will always be noted in this Newsletter). The telephone number is **724-4793**. Please call for information about any activities listed. **The Senior Center will be closed on two Mondays, Dec. 26 and Jan. 2, for Christmas and New Year's.**

**DECORATED HOMES** within the Park District whose owners have registered for the Holiday Lights Contest will be judged on Sunday, December 19, beginning at 6pm. Three winners will be chosen by judges from the Senior Citizen Club. (First prize is \$50.)

Tues., Dec. 20, 1 to 3pm — **LIMITED PODIATRIC SERVICE** and screening for potential foot problems by Dr. Lee Simeone at reduced fees. Call the center in advance for an appointment.

Begins Wed., Jan. 4 — **HUMANITIES '84**, a series studying Greek philosophers Socrates, Plato and Aristotle, and dramatists Aristophanes, Aeschylus, Sophocles and Euripides for universal verities. Learn Stoicism from Zeno (300 B.C.) and Cynicism from Antisthenes of Athens. (Call the center for further information.)

Wednesdays, Jan. 11 and 18, 1 to 3pm — **FREE DRIVER TRAINING** (2-part series) for renewal of driver's licenses. Advance registration required.

Fri., Jan. 20, and Wed., Jan. 25, noon to 4pm — **DEFENSIVE DRIVING** (2-part series), \$6. Advance registration required; call the center. (Ask your insurance company if it offers you a discount for taking the course.)

**THE GOOD TIMES BAND** needs new members. Call Joyce at the center.

**COMING IN FEBRUARY:** Thursdays at 10am at the center (repeated at 7:30pm at the Glenview Public Library) — **GREAT DECISIONS '84**, a 9-week series on foreign policy. Call the center or see the January Newsletter for complete information.

**NORTRAN BUSES** travel in the worst weather, and are better equipped to keep running than is the average car. Call the toll-free information number, **1-800-972-7000**, for late-breaking routing changes due to bad weather. The regular NORTRAN suburban fare is 90¢ (10¢ more for an RTA transfer), and Sunday travellers can ride all day on the "Supertransfer" (\$1.40), including CTA routes. Fares are even lower for students with IDs, seniors and the handicapped.

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## How safe are kerosene heaters for home use?

**K**erosene heaters are generally safe when properly used. The Fire Department says injuries or deaths occur only when kerosene or heaters are not handled properly. Here are the Fire Department suggestions for safe use:

1 - Buy only heaters equipped by the manufacturer with sheet-metal trays under burners.

2 - Follow the manufacturer's installation and operating instructions to the letter.

3 - Clean and repair heater regularly. Worn or damaged parts should be replaced promptly, either by the manufacturer or its representative.

4 - Use only water-clear kerosene ("Ultra K" at local stores) as fuel. Never use colored kerosenes (color indicates poor quality or contamination), gasoline, or any other kind of fluid.

5 - Make sure the heater is level and the wick is the correct height and evenly trimmed. After lighting, wait a few minutes for fuel to saturate the wick, then adjust to an even flame. Watch carefully for the first 15 minutes to make sure it doesn't smoke.

6 - Place the unit where it can't be accidentally overturned or ignite curtains or furniture. **Keep children and pets away from the heater.** Never leave a heater burning without responsible adult supervision.

7 - Never fill, carry or move a lighted heater.

8 - Always provide a source of fresh air (a partially opened window or outside door) in the room where the heater is being used (**essential**, because oxygen is being burned from the air to sustain the heater's flame).

9 - Take the heater **outdoors** for

**refilling.** Never refill inside the house.

10 - Keep the kerosene supply **outdoors** in a 55-gallon drum or tank meeting Fire Department safety requirements.

**Call the Fire Department at 724-2141, 9am to 5pm Monday through Friday, if you have questions or need advice.**

## Safeguards for winter motorists

*suggested by Glenview Fire Department Paramedics*

**I**f you must travel long distances by car in winter, some basic supplies should be carried to keep you alive in case you become stranded.

\* One empty 2- or 3-pound coffee can, filled with the following: Candy, chocolate, or dried fruit, for quick energy and body heat; instant coffee, tea bags, and dry soup; aspirin and prescription drugs; first-aid kit; match books; compass; flashlight and extra batteries; wide-based candles; spoons and insulated cups; pie pan; ski mask and stocking cap; mittens or heavy gloves.

\* One more empty 3-pound coffee can with tight-fitting plastic cover (for sanitary use).

The first coffee can doubles as a container for heating soup, coffee or tea to keep you warm. Punch two holes near the upper lip and loop string or wire through the holes so

the can can hang from the rear-view mirror. Put a candle in the pie pan to heat melted snow in the coffee can for coffee, tea or soup.

It would be wise also to carry an extra blanket or two, flares, salt or sand (Kitty Litter works very well under spinning wheels), a small shovel and a fire extinguisher.

Always travel on **primary routes** in severe weather, because the main roads are heavily traveled, patrolled and cleared by emergency crews, and you will be found sooner in case you become stranded.

If help is not readily available, **don't leave the car.** Run the engine and heater briefly from time to time, with a downwind window slightly open to prevent carbon-monoxide poisoning. Exercise by clapping hands, and sleep in shifts if someone is with you.