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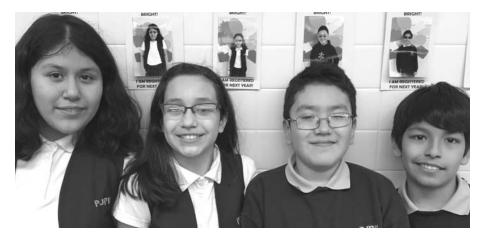
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Registration At PJPII School



Every student who registers for the 2016-17 school year at Pope John Paul II School, 4325 S. Richmond has their picture taken for display in the school hall. Parents who enroll their child get a discount off their registration for and the student state of the school was a first taken in Montant and the student state of the school was a first taken in Montant and the student state of the school year at Pope John Paul II School tration fee and the student gets to dress out of uniform on Fridays in May. Pictured are Gabriella Morales, Sara Jarosik, Luis Gonzalez and Francisco Lopez-Lugo with their registration photos.

Applications For Benefit Program

The Brighton Park Neighborhood Council, 4477 S. Archer has certified representatives to assist with application for the medical card or

Illinois Link Card.
Required documents
are Social Security cards; proof of income (last 30 days); State ID or drivers license; permanent resident card, certificate of naturalization, birth certificate or passport.

Gross monthly income guideline for one person is \$1,619 with \$572 month for each additional family member.

Appointments required with Lupe Roque, Elizabeth Tellez or Liliana Almazan at (773) 523-7110.

McKinley Park Basketball Champs



The 5th and 6th grade boys and girls basketball teams of Burroughs Elementary School, 36th and Washtenaw, completed their 2015-16 season as McKinley Park Champs.

Members of the boys team are, front row: Sebastian Palma, Xavier Morgan, Julio Vasquez, Isaac

Salazar, Ricardo Arellano, Sebastian Rojas and Hayder Gonzalez. Back row: coach Tony Piegari, Ruben Figueroa, Nicolas Piegari, Alex Gracia, Alfonso Gonzalez, Javier Caballero, Alexander Servin, Joseph Hernandez, Nikko Rivera, and Giovanni Quiroz.

Grade Schooler Ideas

BY DR. R. PLETSCH

I had mentioned in another article that when I was at an Awards Program I talked with several students. I was reminded at a meeting that I would share some of these ideas with everyone. These kids are bombarded by comments and ideas from their peers, teachers, parents and, of course, TV. The students I talked

to were winners of essay contests. So we cannot pretend that these are average kids, but it does help us understand what these students are thinking about. Some were hesitant to talk to a stranger, but when they understood that there were no wrong answers, and I only needed their

UpwithChi Event

At Jones Prep

Learning will sponsor a

Upwith Chi Spring It Out

Festival at Jones College

Prep, 700 S. State st. on Saturday, April 23rd

party will feature pro-

grams on art, nature,

design, gaming, building,

robotics, forensics and

Youth Divas will present

a program for middle

school girls which con-

nects technology with

Only Lounge will feature

computer science to open

mic. Particpants can earn

digital badges and win prizes like MLB tickets

Pre-register at Chicago

CityofLearning.org/

New Book Club

At B-P Library

Branch Library, 4314 S. Archer will conduct its

first meeting of a graphic

novel and manga book club on Thursday, May

19th at 5 p.m. The group will be discussing "Saga"

by award winning author

Brian K. Vaughn, known

fran K. vaugnn, known for "Y: The Last Man" and the popular TV series "Lost". The Saga Series is a sci-fi fantasy mesh of "Star Wars", "Romeo and Juliet" and

Another topic for dis-

cussion will be the manga

"Attack on Titan", where

in a post apocalyptical

world, humanity has

been forced to live in

walled cities for protec-

tion from colossal man-

eating humanoids called

titans. Copies for both

titles are available at the

branch. Light refresh-

ments and snacks will be

provided.

'Game of Thrones".

The Brighton Park

At 1 p.m., the Teen

fashion and dance.

and iPad minis.

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At 12:30 p.m. Digital

aeronautics.

At noon, the maker

from 12 noon to 4 p.m.

The Chicago City of

school they attended -most opened up. I simply asked what would you like more of in school. I picked one from

grade and the type of

each grade to indicate what they felt. A third grader from a suburban public school wanted to know why he had to learn cursive handwrit-ing in school. He does not believe he will use it.

A fourth grader in a Catholic school wanted to know why everyone had a different Spring break and she couldn't use the time to play with friends and relatives.

A fifth grade CPS student stated we saw those little models, but my teacher won't let me call them babies. I got yelled at when I called it a

Å sixth grader in a private suburban school wondered why her teacher would not talk about the shouting down of political candidates at UIC, even though it was all on the news the night before.

A seventh grader, who is home-schooled, wondered why he never hears anything about immigration and the fact that the administration had the votes for four years to pass anything they wanted.

An eighth grade CPS student of Latino her-itage asked why they had a large Obama sign during the last election in the front hallway of the school, yet they are not allowed to bring a Cruz poster in.

As you can see, our students have a wide variety of questions that they want answered. They are not simply worried about video games and their cell phones. Some of these kids told me that they were even afraid to ask these questions, which in itself,

says something.
Parents, talk to your kids. Teachers, I know when it gets to political issues it is hard to listen and not make everything black and white, but to ask questions?

Park District Opens **Summer Registration**

The Chicago Park District announced online registration is open for its summer programs,

and day camps.
In-person registration begins either Saturday,
April 9th or Monday,
April 11th, depending upon the park. Standard day camps run six weeks, from July

5th - August 12th, typically from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. or 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Many parks offer early morning and late-day sessions as well. Fees vary depending on location, offerings and hours. No child will be turned away for inability to pay.

Patrons of all ages can choose from a wide array of programs, including favorites like Learn to Swim, fitness center memberships, indoor memberships, indoor basketball, gymnastics and more. Regular summer programs run the week of June 20th

through the week of August 22nd.

To save time on online registration day, patrons are encouraged to browse through the list of programs and create wish lists in advance at www.chicagoparkdistrict.com.

Financial assistance and family discounts are available. Applicants that do not qualify for financial assistance may inquire about the payment plan option at their ment plan option at their local park.

In accordance with the United States De-partment of Agriculture federal regulations, the Chicago Park District will participate in the Summer Food Service Program in conjunction with summer day camp. Lunches and/or snacks will be provided for enrolled children at most camps.
For more information,

contact your local park or call 312-742-PLAY.

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tending to be a zoo direc-

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painting, painting their faces, and building habi-

tats as they imagine what

it is like to be an animal.

Brookfield Zoo is \$17.85

for adults and \$12.50 for

children ages 3 to 11 and

seniors 65 and over.

Children 2 and under are

free. Parking is \$11. Admission to Hamill

Family Play Zoo is \$3 for

guests 3 and older. The

exhibit is free from Nov.

Memorial Mass

At St. Laurence

1st through Dec. 31st.

Admission

Author Putrius At Lith. Museum

The Balzekas Museum of Lithuanian Culture, 6500 S. Pulaski, will present a book reading and signing of "Lost Birds" by Birute Putrius on Saturday, April 16th at 2 p.m. The

Lithuanian-American author was born in a Displaced Person's camp in Germany, grew up in Chicago and now lives in California. She has published short stories and poetry in numerous literary journals and anthologies. "Lucy in the Sky" was highlighted by Publisher's Weekly "for its charming magical realism." Two of her sto-ries were optioned for short films by Columbia College of Chicago. She was a finalist in the Sol Books contest and has translated poetry and non-fiction.

Admission is \$5 at the door. For more information, call (773) 582-6500.

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For more information,

'86 will be honored.

Martinez.

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Job Assistance For Unemployed Skills for Chicago-

land's Future announced that 1,000 unemployed and underemployed residents have been connected with jobs in 2015 and they plan to place more than 1,100 this year. Since launched, funding form the city has supported more than 60 percent of job placements. More than 40 percent of the placed job-seekers came neighborhoods from experiencing unemploy-

20 percent. Chicago and Cook County residents who have a legal right to work in the United States are encouraged to visit the Skills website at www.scfjobs.com to create a job seeker profile, search and apply for open positions and register to receive a weekly enewsletter that details immediate and train-to-hire opportunities.

Penny Social

At VFW Post

Auxiliary will conduct

their annual Penny Social at 9514 S. 52nd ave., Oak Lawn on Sunday, April 24th from

Proceeds will support

their veterans and com-

munity programs. There

will be nickel, dime and

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T. SAVAGE

The Financial Planning Association of Illinois will welcome author Terry Savage to Cindy Pritzker the Auditorium, 400 S. State st. on Monday, April 25th at noon.

She will discuss financial and retirement planning followed by individual sessions.

Make-Up Workshop At Balzekas Museum



Members of the girls team are, front row: Roselyn Vazquez, Alyssa Valdes, and Nayeli Ortega. Back row: Giselle Valdez, Blanca Ocotoxtle, Mya Segura, Kaila Gracia, Jazmine Abarca and Coach Veronica Segura.

M. MIGLIN

Cosmetics designer Marilyn Miglin will conduct a workshop for

Law Program On Employment

The Chicago Bar Association will present a program on employment law at the Harold Washington Library Center, 400 S. State st. Library on Monday, April 25th at 12:15 p.m.

question and answer period will follow. FHM CWV Post 500 **Invites Members**

women at the Balzekas

Museum of Lithuanian

on Saturday, April 30th

lene will assist in teach-

ing the art of make-up.

The fee of \$30 includes a

make-up kit. Reserva-

tions are required at

balzekas@sbcglobal.net.

For more information,

call (773) 582-6500.

Her daughter Mar-

at 10 a.m.

Catholic War Veter-

ans Post 500 which was established at Five Holy Martyrs Parish in 1948 is conducting a membership drive for veterans from all conflicts including Vietnam, Gulf War, Iraq and Afghanistan. Their mission is to fos-

ter education about American liberty and Constitutional freedom. Meetings are held in Bishop Alfred Abramo-wicz Hall, 4327 S. Richmond on the third Wednesday of month at noon.

For more information, contact Larry Kulik at (773) 927-9747.

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Parents, coaches and
players will collect donaton Library Center, 400 S. State st. will conduct a free program titled, "Try College 101" on Thurs-days, April 21st and 28th tions in front of busi-

This course is designed to provide the basic academic, professional and personal skills needed to succeed in col-

Zoo's care, and more. For Hamill Family Play Zoo, updates on each month's schedule of activities, org/UpcomingEvents.

Family Play Zoo Marks 15 Years

an innovative interactive exhibit that has helped redefine how early childhood play can give children the tools they need to build a strong connection with animals and nature, celebrates its 15th anniversary in 2016.

To celebrate the anniversary, on the 15th of every month in 2016, Play Zoo is hosting activities from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Guests have opportunities to meet zoo professionals, participate in scavenger hunts, learn about the animals during Zoo Chats, get creative with art activities, play a part in animal training or husbandry sessions, and join in fun-filled parades.

Informal chats with staff will expose children to various aspects of zoo life, including veterinarians, animal care specialists, carpenters, zoo writers, volunteers, and more. Families can come back monthly to learn something new.

To mark the official birthday on June 15th, a larger celebration will feature live music and entertainment, craft activities, multiple experts who will teach kids about their jobs, a plush animal clinic that youngsters can bring their plush pals to for some tender loving

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league fees. For more

league president Rick

Barrera at (773) 485-

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contact

and Archer Heights.

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Brighton Kelly Base-

St. Laurence High School and the Office of Alumni Relations will host its annual solemn mass of remembrance, honoring deceased alumni on Saturday, April 16th at 4:30 p.m. in the library.

Father Norm Trela, from St. Symphrosa Parish and the school's chaplain, will celebrate the Mass of the Resurrection.

A wreath-laying ceremony will take place at the outdoor memorial, weather permitting. Following the liturgy, snacks and refreshments will be served.

Family, friends, and relatives of deceased alumni are welcome to attend. Reservations are requested with Ed Kozak in the Office of Alumni Relations at (708) 458-6900. For more information, call ext.

BrightonParkLIFE.com

To complement our weekly edition The Brighton Park-McKinley Park Life has launched a website. On it can be found general information about us, recent and past issues, advertising information and a calendar of free local events. We encourage our readers to check back often for new updates!

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Prepaid Tuition Plan For College Illinois

It's Financial Aid Awareness Month, and students are completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine their eligibility for federal, state and institutional aid for college. The College Illinois! 529 Prepaid Tuition Plan, can help stu-dents graduate from college with little or no loan debt.

The plan offers a way to prepay the cost of col-lege tuition for a child or

BPNC Sponsors Comedy Cantina

The Brighton Park Neighborhood Council will sponsor its 4th Annual Comedy Show at the IUOE 399 Hall at Cermak rd. and Canal st. on Friday, May 6th at 7:30

p.m.
A DJ and dancing will follow until midnight.
Proceeds will benefit after-school, youth and parent montor programs.

Tickets at \$25 are available online at Comedy Cantina Tickets or from Sara Reschly at the BPNC Office, 4477 S. Archer.

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grandchild, so their college education is covered at a school within their plan no matter how much financial aid is available and how high tuition increases by the time they are ready to attend.

Currently, about 70% of students in bachelor degree programs in Illinois graduate with student loan debt.

Flexible programs cover tuition and mandatory fees at Illinois community colleges, Illinois four-year public universities, and at the University of Illinois Urbana Champaign. The value of plan benefits can also be used at most private institu-tions in Illinois and at most out of state schools.

If a student receives a scholarship or grant and there are unused College Illinois! benefits, they can be held for future use, transferred to another family member, or refunded up to the amount

of the scholarship.

More information on plan options and benefits, as well as a complete description of terms and conditions associated with the purchase of a plan, is available at www.collegeillinois.org.

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Boy Scouts Support Food Drive



Recently the Pathway to Adventure Council Boy Scouts of America held their annual food drive to support the Greater Chicago Food Depository and earned a patch for their service to Chicagoland's less fortunate. Any boys ages 7 to 17 who are interested in Scouting, can have a parent contact Ed Melkonian at (312) 316-5825. Members of St. Jane de Chantal Boy Scout Troop 671 who supported their Council's Food Drive are, front row: Ed Melkonian, Lauren Polenske, Aidan Silva, Kris Sendecki, John Palenik, Daniel Costa, Robert Sendecki, Vincent Krettek and Julian Zubrzcki. Back row: Stan Zebrowski (Asst Scout Master), Sean Murphy, Daniel Murphy, Matthew Zebrowski, Ryan Hahn, Anthony McElroy and Eli Jarzabeck (Asst Scout Master).

Summer Jobs For Chicago Youth

Mayor Rahm Emanuel announced that his One Summer Chicago program will expand to provide 25,000 job and internship opportunities this summer for youths ages 14 to 24 from neighborhoods across the city. This year, an additional 1,000 One Summer Chicago PLUS opportuni-ties will be added to expand access to programs that will enable youth to develop valuable work skills as they remain engaged during out of school

Opportunities are available in many indusare try areas, such as urban agriculture, bike repair, outdoor forestry projects, as well as office and clerical work. The online application for minimum of six-week summer employment is available now at

Tour To Lithuania

The Balzekas Museum of Lithuanian Culture, 6500 S. Pulaski, will sponsor its 50th Anniversary Tour to Lithuania, June 25th to July 5th or Sept. 3rd to 13th.

For more information, visit www.balzekasmuseum.org or call Stanley at (773) 582-6500.

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www.onesummerchicago.org through May

The City will expand opportunities under the One Summer PLUS Program, building on last year's investment to double these opportunities for at-risk youth. Mayor Emanuel created this special program in 2012 to keep youth who are at a higher risk for violence involvement safe and engaged with a 25-hour per week summer job, a mentor, civic leadership training and social skill building.

Program enhancements include coding and investment academies, urban planning and architecture opportunities, as well as new work programs under Emanuel's Ĭnfrastructure team, which works to beautify neighborhoods across the city, one boulevard at a time. Last year, participants beautified 87 miles of boulevards and painted

305 viaducts. With the support of Citi Foundation and other partners, all participants of One Summer Chicago will receive financial education that will help them develop lifelong positive money management

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City Promotes Home Ownership

announced the Home Buyer Assistance Program will help make homeownership possible for families and individuals by providing support for down payment and closing costs.

Qualified buyers may receive a grant for up to 5 percent of the loan amount based on income. Depending on whether they select an FHA-insured loan or a loan insured by Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac, home buyers can have annual incomes of up to 160 percent of the area median income – approximately \$121,000.

The typical home in Chicago is sold for \$250,000, meaning a family could receive a grant of more than \$12,000 to help cover down payment and closing costs.

The program is open to families or individuals who are buying a home; and first-time buyers must complete a homebuyer education course. The program can be used for the purchase of singlefamily homes, condominiums homes, and owner-occupied properties containing up to four units. It may also be used to refinance an ex-

isting mortgage.
The city will provide an initial \$1 million to

Literacy Center Invites Tutors

Volunteers at Aquinas Literacy Center, 3540 S. Hermitage, spent the morning of President's Day learning practical ways to help their adult students success in learning English. The presenter, Filtod Walker explained ways to identify whether a student has a learning disability, such as dyslexia. He also taught the tutors practical strategies to help their students learn in individual and small group settings. The tutors then worked in pairs to practice a new way of sounding out longer words as well as other techniques they learned

from the presentation. Since 1996, Aquinas Literacy Center has served the immigrant community by offering free individualized instruction in the English

language. The next tutor training workshops will be held on 3 consecutive Friday and Saturday, April 29th and 30th from 6 to 9 p.m. For more information, or to become a volunteer tutor, contact Kristen Dempsey Pasyk at (773) 927-0512.

Mayor Rahm Emanuel launch program, which

will become self-sustaining over time. The program will be administered by the Chicago Infrastructure Trust, which will work in conjunction with authorized lending institutions responsible for accepting and processing applica-

The city will work with aldermen and notfor-profit partners to conworkshops to provide interested residents with information about the program.

For more information visit www.thecha.org/cto.

Exhibits At Library Center

The Harold Washington Library Center, 400 S. State st., is featuring three interesting exhibits through April 15th. Above and Beyond is the artistic installation of 58,000 dog tags representing the U.S. solders who lost their lives in the Vietnam War. Presented through a partnership with the National Veterans Art Museum and created by U.S. Military Veterans.

Dixie: Dog Drawings by Amy Robilliard features the artist's adopted dog which reveal her as a colorful, comical additional to the family.

Under the Sun: Landscape As Allegory, Paintings by Ellen Holzblatt explore the connection between the physical and the spiritual, in which land, sky and sea become allegories for psyche and emotion.

For more information. call (312) 747-4300.

Poetry Party At M-P Library

The McKinley Park Branch Library, 1915 W. 35th st., will host a Poetry Party celebrating National Poetry Month on Wednesday, April 20th from 1 to 1:30 p.m. Kids will learn about

famous poets and create their own poetry and art through games and activ-

Author Crawford At Library Ctr.

The Authors at the Library program will fea-ture William B. Crawford at the Harold Washington Library Center, 400 S. State st. on Thursday, April 21st at 6 p.m.

He will discuss his recent book, "Justice Perverted", a thought provoking story of justice gone awry.

Literary Fest For Teenagers

The Chicago Public Library will conduct its first ChiTeen Lit Fest at the Harold Washington Library Center, 400 S. State st. and Columbia College Chicago, 618 S. Michigan ave. for ages 13 to 19 on April 15th and

The festival opens with a kick-off party at the Library Center on Friday, April 15th from 6 to 10 p.m. with networking opportunities, meetings with authors and artists, DJ music, performances and refreshments. The event is limited to 300 teens who must reserve at www.chiteenlitfest.org.
Columbia College, 618

S. Michigan ave., will conduct workshops, readings, panel discussions more on Saturday, April 16th from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Events include workshops with festival headliners, and the "ChiTeen Showcase." Other scheduled discussions, workshops, and activities include "Got It Covered:

Publishing Your Work,"
"8Bit Lit: Storytelling in
Gaming," "Awesome Intros, Fierce First Lines, and Beginnings You Just Can't Quit!," "Power to the People: Social Justice in Writing," "Street Art in Words: A Wabash Arts Corridor Writing Tour," "LED Card Making" and much more.

Headling artist and authors include: Che "Rhymefest" Smith. Grammy, Oscar and Golden Globe winner; Erika L. Sanchez, acclaimed poet and novelist; Nambi E. Kelley, award-winning wright and actress and Ben Tanzer, award-winning novelist and essay-

For more information, call (312) 747-4050.

The Archer Heights Branch Library, 5055 S. Archer will offer free round-trip bus service to the LitFest. Students must sign up in advance and return a completed permission slip. For more information, call (312)

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and other charges due from the occupants
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Occupant: Danny Coleman. Unit number: 2512 & 2406. Occupant: Gwendolyn Baker. Unit number: 2634.

Occupant: Michale Thompson. Unit number: 2847.

Occupant: Valisha Barr. Unit number: 1205.

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COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY
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AIDEE A. DIAZ A/K/A AIDEE DIAZ,

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. D e f e n d a n t s 11 CH 036878

5136 S. MOODY AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60638 NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale

entered in the above cause on October

16, 2015, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on May 4, 2016, at The Judicial Sales

Corporation, One South Wacker Drive

24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder,

as set forth below, the following

described real estate: Commonly known as 5136 S. MOODY AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60638 Property Index No.

19-08-304-049. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified

funds at the close of the sale payable to

The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The

balance, including the Judicial sale fee

for Abandoned Residential Property

Municipality Relief Fund, which is

calculated on residential real estate a

the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in

certified funds/or wire transfer, is due

within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate

pursuant to its credit bid at the sale of

by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential

real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to

general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered

for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in \"AS IS\"

condition. The sale is further subject to

confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will

entitle the purchaser to a deed to the

real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for

inspection and plaintiff makes no

representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to

verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a

mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property

is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure

sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS

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AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE

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NOTICE is hereby given, that on May 13th, 2016, a sale will be held at Metro Collision Experts, 3057 W. Columbus Avenue, Chicago, IL 60652, to sell the following article to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, services, or material expended upon a storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed within thirty days of the publication of this notice:

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2003 Chevy Blazer, J. Cassello 1GNCS18X03K185343, \$1,900

Real Estate For Sale

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY D I V I S I O N REALTIME RESOLUTIONS, INC. Plaintiff

STANLEY A. MUSIAL, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC, MIDLAND FUNDING LLC MIDLAND FUNDING LLC
D e f e n d a n t s
15 CH 009748
5645 S. NAGLE AVENUE CHICAGO,

IL 60638 NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on February 22, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on May 24, 2016, at The Judicial Sales 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 5645 S. NAGLE AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60638 Property Index No 19-18-215-033-0000. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale of by any mortgagee, judgment creditor or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in \"AS IS\" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. Where a sale of real estate is made to satisfy a lien prior to that of the United States, the United States shall have one year from the date of sale

States Code, the right to redeem does not arise, there shall be no right of redemption. The property will NOT be sales. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876 Please refer to file number 14-11-31193. THE JUDICIAL the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS HOUSE - available June 1st. 3 bedrooms, large living room, full basement, large yard. Garage available. 40th & Maplewood. (708) 233-1434. 605/9(a)(1) and (a)(4). If this property purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS **Legal Notice** 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER).

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number 14-15-07234. THE JUDICIAL

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within which to redeem, except that with

respect to a lien arising under the internal revenue laws the period shall

be 120 days or the period allowable for

redemption under State law, whichever is longer, and in any case in which,

under the provisions of section 505 of

the Housing Act of 1950, as amended (12 U.S.C. 1701k), and subsection (d) of section 3720 of title 38 of the United

also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 794-5300 E-Mail pleadings@il.cslegal.com Attorney File No. 14-11-31193 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 036878 TJSC#: 36-4132 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER) YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS advised that Plaintiff's attorney is AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE
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The Theatre School at University's DePaul 2015-16 season features reimagined classics, contemporary pieces, and engaging entertainment for the whole family. Productions for the general public will continue for the third full season at The Theatre school's awardwinning new facility at Fullerton Stage, 2350 N. Racine and Chicago Playworks for Families and Young Audiences will continue to welcome young people and their families to the Merle Reskin Theatre, 60 E. Balbo

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Brian Balcom will di-Ricyard Wilbur's translation of "The Misanthrope" by Moliere. A satire focused on flattery and flaws, the production opens April 15th, with previews on April 13th and 14th, and runs through April 24th.

For ticket information, call (312) 922-1999.

Real Estate For Sale

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK

COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY
DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY
D I V I S I O N
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL
TRUST COMPANY AS TRUSTEE
FOR NOVASTAR MORTGAGE
EINDING TRUST SEPIES 2006.5 FUNDING TRUST, SERIES 2006-5 NOVASTAR HOME FOULTY LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES SERIES 2006-5 Plaintiff, IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on Octobe 30, 2015, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on May 6, 2016, at The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive -24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 5433 S. SAWYER AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60632 Property Index No. 19-11-424-012. The real estate is improved with a multi-family residence Sale terms: 25% down of the highes bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residentia real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amoun paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residentia real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in \"AS IS\" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon paymen in full of the amount bid, the purchase will receive a Certificate of Sale that wil entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the

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TDA I created an estimated 3,900 jobs (1,200 direct and 2,700 indirect). TDA II should create 3,600 direct jobs and thousands of indirect posi-50 South Capital, a subsidiary of the North-

ern Trust Corp., was selected to administer the program following the public bidding process. As the state's Chief Investment Officer Frerichs

manages approximately \$25 billion which includes \$13 billion in state funds, \$7 billion in college savings plans and \$5 billion

New Law For Tobacco Sales

Mayor Rahm Emanuel announced that the City of Chicago has begun educating all licensed tobacco retailers to ensure full compliance on the new law which requires purchasers of tobacco products to be at least 21 years of age. The City has begun outreach to retailers to ensure that they are prepared for the upcoming transition to that start taking effect July 1st, 2016.

The ordinance which includes a tax on cigars and smoking, smokeless tobacco products, and a ban on redeeming coupons and other discount vouchers – in addition to new measures in place to combat the illegal sale of tobacco.

Enforcement of new regulations will be overseen by the citywide tobacco enforcement unit, a ioint initiative by the Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection, Chicago Police Department and Department of Buildings.

Last month, the major ordered an explanation of these units to intervene in businesses which were selling tobacco products illegally. The units uncovered 762 violations, resulting in the seizure of more than 1,400 packs of un-stamped cigarettes.

New fines per the ordinance include an increase of \$1,000 to \$5,000 for a first offense and \$2,500 to \$10,000 for a second and subsequent offense. Businesses in violation two or more times within a 48 month period will be subject to license revocation and potential non-renewal.

To report illegal sales, call 311.

St. Casimir-Maria Alumnae Reunion

St. Casimir Academy and Maria High School will conduct an all alumnae banquet, at the Palos Country Club, 13100 Southwest Highway on Saturday, April 23rd from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The cost is \$40 for renewed friendships, prayer, visiting with Sisters, class photos and more. There will be special pictures and events for thsee whose graduation year ends in "1" or

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1871 is the home of more than 350 early-stage digital startups. Located in The Merchandise Mart, this 120,000 square foot facility is also the headquarters of accelerators Techstars Chicago and the Good Food Business Accelerator; impact investing fund Impact Engling; incubators in real Estate, education technology, food and financial technology; tech talent schools (Flatiron, The Fullbridge Program, Designation and the Startup Institute), and the Illinois Science and Technology Coalition. It is the second home to Chicago-based VCs, Pritzker Group Venturey Capital, MATH Venture Partners, Hyde Park Angels, OCA Ventures, OurCrowd and chicago Ventures as well as satellite offices for Northwestern University, University of Illinois, University of Chicago, Loyola University Chicago, Illinois Institute of Technology and DeVry.

City Task Force For Homeless

Mayor Rahm Emanuel announced the launch of a citywide task force dedicated to addressing and reducing homelessness with Lisa Morrison Butler, Commissioner of the Department of Family and Support Services as

First, it will work on streamlining contracts and services provided by the City and its sister agencies and invest any savings in improved service delivery. Second, it will launch an effort this year to provide housing and services to the chronically homeless, Third, it will develop a plan to reduce homelessness among families with children. And lastly, it will advocate for additional resources to make up for recent funding cuts from

the state and federal gov-

ernments. On any given night, DFSS houses more than 3,000 people through a citywide network of overnight shelters and interim housing. While the City cannot force individuals to take shelter or engage in services, outreach teams work with residents who are street homeless and chronically homeless to assist them in security services, shel-

manent housing. The Mayor's Plan 2.0 to End Homelessness is a broad-ranging, sevenyear action plan focusing on homeless prevention, the "Housing first" approach, and wraparound services for youth and families in order to break the cycle of homelessness.

Programs At Lincoln Park Zoo

Lincoln Park Zoo, Cannon drive and Fullerton parkway, has scheduled family programs

through April. An Animal Enrichment Workshop is scheduled for Saturday or Sunday, May 7th or 8th (Cinco de Mayo themed) from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Adults and kids of all ages can make edible piñatas and other creative enrichment items for the animals. The cost is \$5 person or \$18 for family of 4 to 6.

For more information, visit www.lpzoo.org/ events/calendar.

Gas Heating Bills Lowest Since 2001

Nicor Gas announced that its customers' residential winter heating bills from November 2015 through March 2016 were the lowest since the 2001-02 winter heating season. The 14year low was due to a warner-than-normal winter and low natural gas prices.

As a result, 2.1 million customers in 656 communities realized significant savings on their energy bills. The average residential customer bill was \$335, compared to \$520 for the same period last winter.

Nicor Gas owns one of North America's largest underground storage systems to store natural gas during summer months when prices are typically lower.

Obituaries

ANASTOCIO CHAIDEZ, husband of late Maria; father of Odila Davila, Reyna Ayala, Adolfo, Emilio, Faustino Juan, Loreto and Raul Chaidez; grandfather and great grandfather of many. Funeral service will be held Thursday, April 14th at 10 a.m. from Szykowny Funeral Home, 4901 S. Archer to St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church for 11 a.m. Mass. Interment will be at St. Mary Cemetery.

BRONISLAWA FIGUS

(nee Pietka) of West Eldson passed away on April 2nd at the age of 93. She was the wife of late Franciszek; mother of Maria (Tadeusz) Kozielski, Zofia (Jan) Stopka, Frank (Alexandra) Figus, Harriet (Stefan) Toporkiewicz, Joseph (Josephine) Figus and John (Margaret) Figus; grandmother of Malgorzata (Grzegorz) Paszek, Krzysztof (Danusia) Kozielski, Piotr Kozielski, Mary Kozielska, Agnieszka (Ivan) Armendarez, Mariola (Pawel) Kukulka, Anna (Jozef) Nowobilski, Katarzyna (Andrezej) Paluch, Iz-abela Figus, Luke (Danusia) Figus, Joanna Figus, Monica (Christian) Espinoza, Daniel (Karolina) Toporkiewicz, Toporkiewicz, David (Kathy) Figus, Elizabeth (John) Waliczek, Kathy (Andrew) Tolczyk, Monica Figus, Matthew Figus and John Figus; sister of late Jan (Helena) and late Maria) Pietka. Funeral services were held April 8th from Wolniak Funeral Home, 5700 S. Pulaski to St. Turibius Church. Interment was at Resurrection Cemetery.

OLIVIA M. GUZ-MAN (nee Faris) of Archer Heights passed away at the age of 79. She was the wife of late Guadalupe Guzman; Guadalupe Guzman; mother of Elena (Juan) Delamora, Olivia (Fidel) Sedano, Sylvia (Tony) Manely, Elvia (Francisco) Corral, Arcelia Cervantes, Rogelio (Amy) Guzman and late John (Victoria) Monsivais; grandmother of 24; great-grandmother of 17; sibling of four sisters and two brothers in Mexico. Funeral services were held April 9th from Zarzycki Manor Chapels, 5088 S. Archer to St. Michael the Archangel Church. Interment was at St. Mary Cemetery.

Chess Games

The McKinley Park Branch Library, 1915 W. 35th st., will host chess games on the second Wednesday of every month from 3 to 6 p.m. for ages 14 and up. Participants bring their own chess set or use one provided by the library.

FRANK A. SKOW-RON, SR. World War II Army Veteran, ex-pow, husband of late Lucille (nee Bartosiewicz); father of Frank A., Jr. (Terri) & Daniel (Tamara) Skowron; grandfather of Tricia (Michael) Bradley, Neil, Steven (Michelle), Ryan & Kyle (fiancee Megan): great-grandfather Aries, Logan, Dominick, Dyland Codey, Clodagh; brother of Loretta Wardzala & predeceased by his four brothers & four sisters; brother-in-law of Helen Skowron. Funeral services were held April 11th from Zarzycki Manor Chapels, Willow Springs to St. Richard Church. Interment was at Resurrection Cemetery, Frank was a member of St. Richard Men's Club, Golden Agers; Ushers, VFW Post 8821 Ted Stempien, AL Post 419 James J. Zientek & Greater Chicago Chapter of Ex-POWs.

JANICE A. TIPPING (nee Norton) formerly of McKinley Park, age 80. Wife of late Robert F.; mother of Robert (Sherri), Rebecca (Jerry) Conte and Janine Tipping; grand-mother of Gerald and Megan Conte, James, Eck, Jade Velcich and Sammy Messina; step grandmother of 3 and step great-grandmother of 1 Janice was predeceased by nine siblings. Funeral services were held April 13th at St. Damian Catholic Church. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. John J. Minich Funeral Director.

GENOWEFA WRO-BEL (nee Kowalkowski), 85, of Clearing, wife of late Bronislaw; mother of Jan (Irena) Andy and Zofia Wrobel; grandmother of 10; great grandmother of 10; sister of Aniela (Jan) Dzielski, Maria (Andy) Wnek and Kowalkowski. Visitation will be held Friday, April 15th from 8 a.m. until closing prayers at 10:15 a.m. at Zarzycki Manor Chapels, 5088 S. Archer. 11 a.m. Mass will follow at St. Joseph Church, Summit. Interment will be at Resurrection Ceme-

Water Main Project



A major new water main replacement project has begun in Brighton Park which will install new pipes beneath portions of Archer, Drake and Christiana avenues, according to 14th Ward Alderman Edward M. Burke.

The project will take six months to complete as work crews put in 4,214 feet of new 8-inch water mains, replacing pipes that date back to

The project is slated to replace water mains beneath: Archer ave, from Drake Avenue to Kedzie Avenue; Drake ave. from Archer to 47th st. and Christiana ave. from Archer to 46th st.

"No Parking" signs will be posted, as needed, during work hours (7 a.m. to 4 p.m.). Following completion of the water main project, a new sewer line will be installed beneath Christiana ave. from Archer to 46th st.

In Brighton Park



To receive regular emails regarding progress the project, visit www.BuildingANew-For more information, contact the 14th Ward

Service Office at (773) 471-1414.

Quiet Study At McKinley Library The McKinley Park

Branch Library, 1915 W. 35th st., offers quiet study night on Mondays from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. Laptops and beverages are allowed, no cell phones. Registration is required at the front

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Party For Planet At Brookfield Zoo



Brookfield Zoo will celebrate Earth Day during its annual Party for the Planet on Sunday, April 24th. Highlights include a tree planting, recycling opportunity, crafts, live entertainment, and an Eco Expo, where Nicor Gas customers can pick up a free energy-saving kit at the energySMART

In the Bison Pavilion, Chicago band Green Thirteen will provide live entertainment with two 70-minute performances at noon and 1:30 p.m. In the Swan Pavilion, the Eco Expo will feature representatives from more than 40 companies and organizations, in-cluding energySMART, a Nicor Gas Program, ComEd, Pepsi, JULIE, Inc. the Forest Preserves of Cook County, Tall Grass Beef, Illinois Solar Energy Association, Eco Cell, Illinois Partners for Clean Air, Harvest Land, Dunes National Lake-shore, and many others, who will share how they are dedicated to the conservation of Planet Earth. Youngsters can also meet Nature Cat, the costumed character from WTTW's new animated series, which encourages children ages 3 to 8 to explore and develop connections

with the natural world. Kids can partake in a recycled sailboat craft activity reusing household

At Hamill Family Play Zoo, families can participate in a variety of conservation and craft activities such as assisting staff in planting flowers, creating a monarch butterfly, planting an acorn to take home, and participating in a milkweed seed giveaway.

Partygoers can also learn about the zoo's giraffes, this year's featured animal, during Zoo Chats at 11:30 a.m. and 3

On the North Mall, guests can show off their artistic skills on a sidewalk chalk mural, sharing their conservation inspired creativity by drawing or writing their wishes and personal resolutions on how to adopt a greener lifestyle. Zoogoers can climb aboard the Clean Air Club Bus, a recycled 1980s-era school bus, where they can explore ways to help the environment and learn about renewable fuel for vehicles. At 11:00 a.m., guests can join the groundskeepers in planting a tree next to the butterfly habitat.

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BBB Issues **Robocall Advice**

Steve J. Bernas, president and CEO of the Better Business Bureau serving Chicago and Northern Illinois says "An increasingly signifi-cant number of consumers are complaining about getting unwanted robocalls because internet-powered phone systems have made it cheap and easy for scammers to make illegal calls from anywhere in the world. and to hide from law enforcement by displaying fake caller ID information.'

Recorded messages regarding candidates running for office or charities asking for donations are allowed. Messages that are solely informational, for example a reminder from your pharmacy or doctor's office or a message from a business that is contacting you to collect a debt, are permitted. Prerecorded messages from banks, telephone carriers and charities also are exempt from these rules if the banks, carriers or charities make the calls themselves.

the zoo will also offer free

parking in its main park-

ing lot, located at First

Ave. and 31st St., to

guests who bring in an

approved item to recycle:

cell phones, cell phone ac-

cessories, pagers, hand-held electronic games,

e-readers, laptops, iPods, iPads, tablets, MP3 play-

ers, bicycles, bike acces-

sories and attire, shoes,

soccer balls, basketballs,

activities (excluding activities inside Hamill

Family Play Zoo) are free

with general zoo admis-

sion of \$17.85 for adults

and \$12.50 for children 3

to 11 and seniors 65 and

over. Children 2 and under are free. Parking is

\$11.00. For additional in-

New Rules For

Selective Schools

CEO Forrest Claypool an-

nounced an immediate

and permanent selective

enrollment ban on stu-

dents who were admitted

based on false informa-

tion.
This new rule will ad-

dress concerns that aca-

demically qualified students within city lim-its are being denied place-ments in CPS' selective

enrollment schools be-

cause families falsely claim Chicago residency

during the application

plies to students who commit "tier fraud" and

claim to live in a more dis-

advantaged neighborhood. Additionally, this

policy closes a loophole in

which students admitted

under false pretenses could return to selective

enrollment schools via

transfer or re-enrollment.

even after committing

will go out to all students

who applied to selective

enrollment schools to in-

form them of this change

and applications will be

updated to include an af-

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must

acknowledging the district's right to immedi-

ately remove a student if

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The Principal's Discretion Handbook and Options for Knowledge Guide will be updated

with language codifying

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mostly likely a scam.

Before responding to unsolicited phone calls, the BBB advises: Never give out any financial information. If you did not initiate the call, do not provide bank account, credit card or social security numbers over the phone to unknown callers. Scammers can make it appear as though their calls are coming from legitimate busi-nesses or organizations. Hang up the phone.Don't press 1 to speak to a live operator and don't press any other number to get your number off the list. If you respond by pressing any number, it will probably just lead to more

robocalls. Report robocalls to https://www.bbb.org/scam tracker/chicago/. File a complaint with FTC at 1 (888) 382-1222. For more information on scams, visit www.bbb.org/ chicago.

Dance Class At McKinley Park

The McKinley Park Advisory Council will present "Dance Around the World" at the field-house, 2210 W. Pershing road on Saturday, April 16th from 1 to 3 p.m.

All ages are welcome to learn Latin Dance and Future Shock Hip-Hop with an experienced instructor. Participants should wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

Admission is \$5. For more information, visit chicagompac@gmail.com.

Book Discussion Of Romeo & Juliet

The Chicago Public Library will observe the 400th Anniversary of William Shakespeare's death with film screen-

Singles Salon At A-H Library

The Archer Heights Branch Library, 5055 S. Archer, will present a Singles Salon for age over 40 on the first Saturday of each month

from 3 to 4 p.m.

Participants will mingle while discussing books, movies and music. For more information, call (312) 747-9241.

Panel Discussion On Punishment

The DePaul University Office of Mission & Valves will sponsor a panel discussion about capital punishment and the criminal justice system at the Harold Washington Library Center, 400 S. State st. on Tues-

Kite Festival At Lincoln Park



The 18th Annual Chicago Kids and Kites Festival returns to Cricket Hill in Lincoln Park (Montrose and Wilson) on Saturday, May 7th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free. The City of Chicago will provide kite kits for children to build, decorate and fly, while supplies last. Other activities include face painting, balloon artists and crafts. The Big Kite Candy Drop will feature a piñata-like kite filled with candies that drop from the sky, taking place during the afternoon, weather permitting. Kite Harbor will be onsite for kite buyers, and professional kite flyers will demonstrate their skills with oversized and uniquely-shaped kites.

Juicebox Series Schedules Events

Garfield Park Conserva-

tory through May.

Jugo de Mango will

perform cumbia, reggae and rock rhythms on Fri-

day, April 15th and Sat-urday, April 16th. Tatsu Aoki's Tsukasa Taiko Percussion Ensem-

ble will present a family-

friendly performance on Friday, May 6th and Sat-urday, May 7th. Alma Afrobeat Ensem-

ble from Barcelona will

perform on Friday, May

20th and Saturday, May

21st. Kids will learn short phrases in Yoruba,

Spanish, Italian, and English, as well as re-

ceive shakers to play and

more information on free

arts programming pre-sented year-round at the

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take home.

The popular Juicebox family music and per-formance series hosted by the Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events will once again entertain and educate young children and their families this Winter and Spring at the Chicago Cultural Center, 78 E. Washington st., and the Garfield Park Conservatory, 300 N. Central Park

The free admission programs are geared toward the "stroller set" and enjoyable for the whole family. Children will experience a diverse range of artistic and educational presentations, with hosts regularly inviting youngsters to move, dance and interact with performers.

The series is scheduled for 11 to 11:45 a.m. on the first and third Friday and Saturday of each month with Friday at the Chicago Cultural Center and Saturday at the

Along Lakefront

Mayor Rahm Eman-uel, the Chicago Park

District and officials with

the Field Museum of Nat-

ural History announced

that five gathering spaces

within the Burnham Wildlife Corridor, will be

created by five teams of

artists and community -

based organizations.
The Burnham Wildlife

Corridor is a 100-acre rib-

bon of natural areas lo-

cated within Burnham Park along the south

form the McCormick Bird

Sanctuary in the north to

the Burnham Nature

The corridor extends

lakefront.

Spring Camp At Lincoln Pk. Zoo **Gathering Spaces**

Lincoln Park Zoo will conduct a Spring Break Camp for grades Pre-K through 4th grade April

18th to 22nd.
Pre-K and Kdg, will attend 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. or 12:30 to 3 p.m. at a cost of \$168. First through fourth graders will attend 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at a cost

of \$335. Animal and nature lovers will explore the zoo to discover animal diversity, environmental conservation and the zoo's care for the animals.

For more information, visit lpzoo.org/education.

Alcohol Awareness For Underage

April is designated "National Alcohol Awareness Month," to increase public awareness and understanding of the harmful consequences of underage drinking and adult misuse of alcohol. Sponsored by the National Council on Alcoand holismDependence, the 2016 theme, "Talk Early, Talk Often: Parents Can Make a Difference in Teen Alcohol Use," is designed to draw attention to the role parents can play in preventing teen alcohol use.

During adolescence the brain goes through rapid development and wiring changes. The brain's frontal lobes, essential for functions such as emotional regulation, planning and organization, continue to develop through adolescence and young adulthood. Adolescent alcohol use can damage this wiring, which is essential to becoming a mature and thoughtful

The adolescent brain is more vulnerable to the toxic and addictive actions of alcohol. Adolescents need only drink half as much as adults to

Poetry Workshop At A-H Library

In celebration of National Poetry month, the Archer Heights Branch Library, 5055 S. Archer will present a workshop titled Performance as Texture with poet Robert Eric Shoemaker on Sat-urday, April 23rd at 2 p.m.

He will explore inter-

disciplinary, contemporary forms of poetry as discussion points and as inspiration for your own writing.

suffer negative effects. Alcohol use can impair parts of the brain that control memory, judgment and decision making, impulse control and motor control.

In line with the 2016 theme of "Talk Early, Talk Often: Parents Can Make a Difference in Teen Alcohol Use," it is important for parents to remember that the most important prevention tool they have is their voice. According to the Partnership for Drug-Free Kids (http://www.drugfree.org) , kids who learn about the risks of alcohol and drugs from their parents are significantly less likely to use drugs.

Planning Group For Communities

Chicago Neighbor-hoods NOW held an initial meeting for the Greater Stockyards Plan-ning Area, which includes the neighborhoods of Back of the Yards, McKinley Park, Brighton Park, Bridgeport, Armour Square, and parts of Pilsen and Fuller Park. These meetings are to

discuss needs and possible remedies seeking to make the neighborhoods more vibrant. Among the organizations sented were the 11th and 15th Wards, Back of the Yards Neighborhood Council, McKinley Park Civic Association, Department of Planning and Development, Chicago Department of Transportation, The Resurrection Project, McKinley Park Advisory Council, Brighton Park Neighborhood Council, South Loop Chamber of Commerce, and the Bridgeport Art



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Creative Writing For Ages 11-15

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The McKinley Park Advisory Council will sponsor a free Creative Writing Class in the Blue Room of the Fieldhouse, 2210 W. Pershing road on Friday, April 15th at 5

Creative artist Katie Flores welcomes students ages 11-15 years to join and express their creative genius. The class will culminate in an Open Mic night in August. Contact chicagompac@gmail.com for more information.

day, April 26th at 6 p.m.



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west sides of Lake Shore The winning teams were selected by an independent Curatorial Committee, in consultation with Chicago Park District and Field Museum, from an original pool of 22

proposals. All teams have prior public art experience and are based in and/or have meaningful connection to the Corridor's neighboring communities of Bronzeville, Chinatown, Little Village, and Pilsen. Over the course of the next two years, community-based organizations will help activate the gathering spaces through programming that celebrates the ecological context and cultural significance of these installations. In support of the efforts, Chicago Park District is awarding \$20,000 grants to each



