

## Gallagher Scholars At PJPII School



In partnership with Big Shoulders Fund and through the generosity of the Robert E. Gallagher Family, students at Pope John Paul II School have been chosen to receive the Gallagher Scholarship. The program recognizes 5th grade students who demonstrate leadership and academic potential. Students meet regularly with a mentor to discuss academic success and receive advice about becoming a leader. Pictured are students Robert Madrigal, Roy Olazaba, Naomy Rojas and Isabella Casas with their mentor Elisa Paramo.

## Mutt Strut In Lakeview

Chicago Canine Rescue will host their 10th annual 1.5 mile Mutt Strut at Newport Ave. between Southport and Lakewood on Saturday, Oct. 5 at noon. A block party with food, entertainment and more will follow until 3 p.m.

Highlights include a Doggy Fitness Course, K9 cake eating contest, dog wash, and nail trims along with children's bouncy house, face painter and costume characters.

Steve Dale and Kye Martin of NBC5, will be the celebrity emcees.

Rain date is scheduled for Oct. 27.

The cost is \$25/person in advance at www.chicagocaninerescue.com. \$40/person to register day of at 11 a.m. Kids and dogs are free.

## Day of Remembrance For Aborted Children



On Sept. 14th, 150 people from 33 parishes gathered at the gravesite of 500 aborted babies on St. Mary Cemetery in Evergreen Park to participate in a National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children, a joint project of Priests for Life, Citizens for a Pro-Life Society and Pro-Life Action League. Roy & Sue Pletsch of Blessed Sacrament Parish hosted this event. Members of the Parish choir led the group in singing and Knights of Columbus provided an honor guard. Bishop Alberto Rojas gave a reflection and a blessing to all. Prayers were led by Father Jim Hyland, pastor of Most Holy Redeemer and Father Mark Walter, pastor of St. Linus. The guest speaker was Carol Rybacki, a member of Silent No More Awareness, who talked about her abortion and journey toward healing. Pictured from left are Bishop Alberto Rojas, Father Mark Walter, Father Jim Hyland and Dr. Roy Pletsch.

## 34th Anniversary Of '79 Papal Visit

The 34th annual Mass commemorating the anniversary of Pope John Paul II's visit to Five Holy Martyrs Parish will take place on Sunday, Oct. 6th. Weather permitting, this bi-lingual English - Polish Mass will be celebrated at the Papal Altar in the Parish parking lot, 44th and Richmond at 11 a.m.

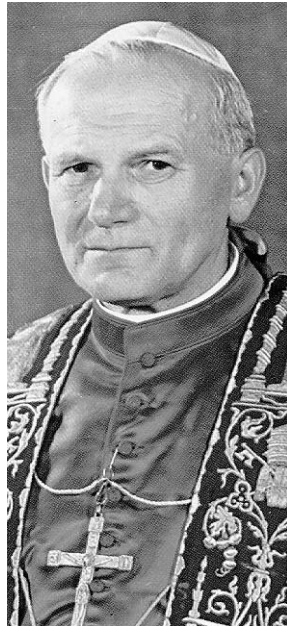
The main celebrant and homilist will be Rev. Michal Skiba, S.Ch., a religious order priest from the Society of Christ.

The Pope John Paul II Centrum Committee has raised over \$58,000 and continues raising funds to renovate this altar to make it a permanent fixture.

On Sept. 24th, 2011, Five Holy Martyrs Parish received a relic of Blessed John Paul II from his Eminence, Stanislaw Cardinal Dziwisz, the Archbishop of Krakow, Poland and former personal secretary to Pope John Paul II.

The relic is a drop of Blessed Pope John Paul II's blood on a cloth protected by a lunula, a small, round glass encasement. The lunula has been mounted into a reliquary, a vessel in which a relic is held and exposed.

Since receiving this relic, the parish has begun a new tradition on the first Sunday of the month by sharing interesting facts, stories, and poems about him in a bulletin insert; by offering up petitions to God through his intercession and venerating his relic at the 9 a.m. English and 11 a.m. Polish Masses; reciting the prayer for his canonization as a community of



**POPE JOHN PAUL II** believers; and by receiving a special blessing with the relic at the end of Mass.

After these two Masses, parishioners and friends are invited to gather in the Bishop Abramowicz Parish Hall for cake, coffee, and fellowship. All parish, cultural and neighborhood organizations are invited to attend this Mass on Oct. 6th and walk in the entrance procession.

For more information, contact the Parish Office at (773) 254-3636 weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Polish American Heritage Month

The Chicago Public Library is celebrating Polish American Heritage Month through October 31st with a variety of programs highlighting the culture, traditions and contributions of Polish Americans.

The opening program will take place at the Sulzer Regional Library, 4455 N. Lincoln ave. on Sunday, Oct. 6th at 2 p.m. The free event features live music, songs and dance by the Academy of Music of the Paderewski Symphony Orchestra of Chicago. A media show will spotlight Polish castles, paintings, treasures and landscape scenes.

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

## Prepaid Tuition Program Opens

Illinois families can combat the high cost of postsecondary education by purchasing College Illinois! Prepaid Tuition Program contracts through April 30th, 2014.

This year pricing and payment options are contained on just three pages.

The open enrollment period is supported by a new fresh look that conveys the program's educational mission and a reimagined website (www.529prepaidtuition.org) offering visitors easy access to program benefit information and interactive tools to help determine if a College Illinois! plan is a suitable option for their family situation.

## Civic Meeting In Archer Heights

The Archer Heights Civic Association will conduct a general membership meeting at the UNO Veterans Memorial School Cafeteria, 47th and Kildare on Wednesday, Oct. 9th at 7:30 p.m.

Guest speaker Margaret Herring, president of the League of Women Voters of Chicago will discuss her organization's activities, especially the status of a lawsuit which challenges the redistricting of Chicago wards after the last census.

28 homeowners were awarded 2013 House Beautiful Awards for landscaping. Recipients are 3807 W. 45th place; 3811 W. 46th place; 4642 W. 51st st.; 4640 S. Harding; 4337, 4730 and 4917 S. Karlov; 4301, 4919 and 5229 S. Keating; 4522, 4634 and 4948 S. Kedvale; 5016 S. Kenneth; 5229 S. Kilbourn; 5219, 5036 and 5119 S. Kildare; 4614, 4804 and 5208 S.

Kilpatrick; 4855 and 4952 S. Knox; 4354, 4423 and 4520 S. Komensky; 4831 and 5228 S. Kostner.

Zarzycki Manor Chapel, 5088 S. Archer was the best commercial business class winner and Al Warren Oil Co., 4258 S. Knox was honored for the industrial division.

Everyone is encouraged to visit these locations to admire their various styles of landscaping.

The association will conduct its annual Halloween party at the Archer Park Fieldhouse, 4901 S. Kilbourn on Thursday, Oct. 31st at 7 p.m. Costume judging will be separate for boys and girls in age groups 3 and under, 4 to 5, 6 to 7, 8 to 9 and 10 to 12.

Persons who wish to volunteer may contact Stan Lihosot or Steve Martinez at (773) 843-2232.

## Boys & Girls Clubs Appoints Vice President

Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago has named child advocate and attorney Alicia T. Vega as Vice President of Youth Development.

She will oversee all aspects of youth programming, including development, quality, consistency, and outcome measurements, along with club operations.

Vega brings more than 18-years of experience working with at-risk youth, serving most recently as Executive Director of the Southwest Youth Collaborative and served in community leadership roles such as Illinois Children's Justice Task Force, Partnership to Rescue our Minors from Sexual Exploitation Task Force and the Illinois Child Death Review Team.

Her work experience includes Child Welfare Specialist for the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services, past Chief Program officer for the Chicago Children's Advocacy Center and Youth Program Director for Center on Halsted.

She has a degree in Applied Psychology from Loyola University Chicago and a Master of



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Jurisprudence in Child Law from Loyola University Chicago School of Law. Ms. Vega was born, and resides in McKinley Park.

## Advisory Council At Hoyne Park

The Hoyne Park Advisory Council will conduct an open meeting at the fieldhouse, 3417 S. Hamilton on Thursday, Oct. 10th at 6:30 p.m.

Residents are urged to attend and express their suggestions for improvements.

## Homework Help At Brighton Library

Free homework help is available at the Brighton Park Branch Library, 4314 S. Archer every Saturday until Dec. 21st. A teacher will be available to assist students from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. For more information, call (312) 747-0666.

## Pet Blessing

Five Holy Martyrs Church will celebrate the Feast of St. Francis with a blessing of animals in the courtyard, 4327 S. Richmond on Friday, Oct. 4th at 2:45 p.m.

## City Council Honors Ruiz

The Chicago City Council has adopted a resolution recognizing the 25th anniversary of the ultimate sacrifice made by Chicago Police Officer Irma C. Ruiz.

The sponsors, Aldermen Edward M. Burke (14th) and Danny Solis (25th), also proposed an order that seeks to install a plaque in her memory at the Moses Montefiore School, 1300 S. Ashland, where she was fatally shot on Sept. 22nd, 1988.

Officer Ruiz, accompanied by her partner, Greg Jaglowski of the Area 4 Youth Division, was inside the school when they were alerted to the arrival of an armed assailant, a deranged Vietnam veteran, arrived at the school intent on continuing a deadly rampage he had begun earlier that morning at a nearby auto parts business.

During the confrontation, Officer Jaglowski was wounded in the left thigh, while Officer Ruiz was fatally shot.

The gunman stepped inside an unoccupied room to reload his weapon. Shortly afterward, reappeared and opened fire on Jaglowski, shooting him in the right leg.

In spite of his serious wounds, the officer returned fire and killed the assailant.

Officer Ruiz was posthumously decorated with the Blue Star Award, Award of Valor and Police Medal, the Chicago Police Department's highest honor. A Chicago public elementary school is also named in her honor on the Southwest Side.

Survivors are her husband, Peter and children Peter, Irma Linda, John and Philip.

## Hispanic Heritage Celebration



St. Bruno School celebrated Hispanic heritage Month with an In-School Field Trip from Urban Gateways "La Bamba: Latin American Journey". Folk guitarist and singer Nelson Sosa performed the rhythms and songs of Latin America and discussed how geography, culture and customs influence the music of each region. Students participated in dancing and playing a variety of instruments.

## PNA North Seniors Schedule Meeting

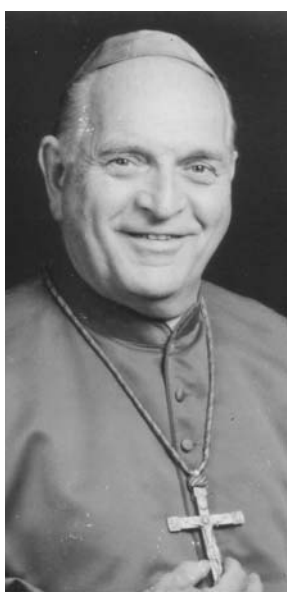
Paul C. Odobina, vice president of the Polish National Alliance announces that the North Side Seniors will conduct their monthly meetings at the Home Office Cafeteria, 6100 N. Cicero on Wednesday, Oct. 9th at 10 a.m.

All seniors ages 55 and over (members and non-members) are encouraged to attend for a morning of fun and fraternalism. Refreshments will be served. Parking is available in the lot behind the building.

The Polish National Alliance is the largest Polish ethnic fraternal insurance organization and was founded in 1880.

For additional information, call (773) 286-0500, ext. 316.

## Prayer Service At Resurrection Mausoleum



Most Rev. A. L. Abramowicz, D.D.

The second annual prayer service in memory of the late Bishop Alfred L. Abramowicz and former pastor of Five Holy Martyrs Church will be held in the Resurrection Cemetery Mausoleum (ground floor, west side)

on Saturday, Oct. 5th at 10 a.m.

A Mass will be celebrated by the Most Rev. Andrew Wypych and other priests. Seminarians from Bishop Abramowicz Seminary, along with the Bishop's family, will also be in attendance.

## Polish Program At A-H Library

The Archer Heights Branch Library, 5055 S. Archer, will celebrate Polish American Heritage Month with a musical tour of Poland from a Land of Old Souls with Mazurka Wojciechowska on Monday, Oct. 7th at 6 p.m.

The singer and accordionist will give a musical introduction to Polish culture and heritage as well as demonstrate traditional Polish folk dress and artifacts. No registration is required.

For more information, call (312) 747-9241.

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### \$25K to Davis Elementary for Capital Improvements



Principal Dr. Santos Gomez and the Local School Council hosted State Senator Martin Sandoval (center) during their monthly meeting. The senator talked about the need for parents to get involved in their children's life and education. He presented the school with a \$25K check for capital improvements.

#### Career Fair At Embassy Suites

HireLive, a national career service company, will sponsor a free Career Fair at Embassy Suites Chicago - Lombard/Oak Brook, 707 E. Butterfield Road on Wednesday, Oct. 16th from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Recent college graduates are invited. All companies have hiring managers to meet with candidates as part of the first step in the hiring process.

Experienced sales, retail and management professionals as well as

#### Application For LIHEAP Grants

Peoples Gas is alerting customers that help with natural gas bills is available via the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program which provides grants to help customers pay outstanding bills, reconnect service, and maintain natural gas service.

current households with children under five years old and for LIHEAP eligible households where the heating system is non-operable and/or has been red tagged by the utility company. General enrollment for all other qualified customers will begin on Nov. 1st.

The program opens on Sept. 3rd for seniors (60+) and people with disabilities and will open on October 1st to households where disconnection due to non-payment has occurred.

#### Lincoln Exhibit In Springfield

Secretary of State and State Librarian Jesse White announced that a new traveling exhibition titled, "Lincoln: The Constitution and the Civil War," will be at the Illinois State Library in Springfield through Nov. 15th.

The exhibition examines how Lincoln used the Constitution to confront the secession of Southern states, slavery and wartime civil liberties during the Civil War. Informative panels feature photographic reproductions of original documents, including a draft of Lincoln's first inaugural speech, the Emancipation Proclamation and Thirteenth Amendment.

#### Science Mentor At Brighton Library

A trained scientist from Mad Science Chicago will provide hands-on activities at the Brighton Park Branch Library, 4314 S. Archer on Saturdays through Nov. 9th from 2 to 4 p.m. Participants will learn about solar power, electricity, magnetism and more. For more information, call (312) 747-0666.

#### Writing Contest For Grades 4-12

Secretary of State and State Librarian Jesse White is urging students in grades 4 through 12 to enter the 2014 "Letters About Literature" contest, a national reading and writing competition sponsored by the Center for the Book in the Library of Congress and the Illinois Center for the Book.

Students are invited to read a book of their choice and write a letter to the author about how the book changed their life or view of the world.

Students can enter on their own or through their schools, libraries or other youth organizations. There are three levels of participation: Level I for grades 4, 5 & 6; Level II for grades 7 & 8 and Level III for grades 9-12. One Illinois winner will be selected for each level and receive a \$200 cash award. Teachers of the winning students will receive a \$100 cash award to purchase materials for their school library.

Winners and teachers will be invited to an awards ceremony in Springfield. The state winners' letters will be forwarded for national judging. One national winner in each of the three competition levels will receive a \$1,000 cash award, and one national honor in each level will receive a \$200 cash award.

The deadline to enter is Friday, Jan. 10th for Levels I & II, and Tuesday, Dec. 10th for Level III. State winners will be announced in April.

For more information, contact Bonnie Mathews at (217) 558-2065.

#### Musical Event At McKinley Park Library



To celebrate Hispanic heritage, a lively musical event featuring Jesse Tapia and The Windsome Quintet will be held at the McKinley Park Branch Library, 1915 W. 35th st. on Saturday, Oct. 5th at 2 p.m. All ages are welcome. Hispanic composers including Piazzolla, Cervantes, music from Mexico, Cuba, Argentina and Spain, selections from the Spanish opera 'Carmen' by Georges Bizet, 'Mexican Serenade' by Scott Joplin and the Mexican favorite, 'Chiapanecas' will be featured.

#### 5K & Kids Dash At Arboretum

The Morton Arboretum will conduct its 10th annual Fall Color 5K Run & Walk and Kids Dash on Sunday, October 6th.

The 5K Run & Walk at 8 a.m. follows a challenging USATF-certified course along the East Side Main Route through rolling terrain. Runners are tracked using the ChronoTrack B-Tag timing system, and each runner will receive a technical t-shirt and recovery food and water.

The Kids Dash for ages 2-10 begins at 9 a.m. and includes a cotton t-shirt and participation ribbon. 2 to 4 year olds will race for 50 yards, 5 and 6 year olds will run a quarter mile and 7 to 10 year olds will complete a half mile.

The 5K Run & Walk fees are \$30 for nonmembers or \$35 on race day. The Kids Dash costs \$12 for nonmembers or \$15 on race day. Register at mortonarb.org/fallcolor5k.

#### Narconon Issues Enabling Warning

Narconon Arrowhead of Oklahoma is warning families and friends of drug addicts to avoid enabling (paying their bills or giving them money).

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#### Six Flags Outing For B-K Baseball

Brighton Kelly Baseball invites all to their outing to attend Fright Night at Six Flags Great America on Saturday, Oct. 5th. Tickets are \$31 at sixflags.com/greatamerica, enter promo code: baseball.

#### Halloween Run At McKinley Park

McKinley Park will sponsor a Halloween Fun Run on Saturday, Oct. 26th at 9 a.m. The cost is \$10 for ages 13 & up while ages 12 & under are free by Oct. 19th. Same day registration is \$15.

#### Careers Event At Science Museum

The Museum of Science & Industry will present "Science Works: Cool Jobs, Hot Careers" on Friday, Oct. 4th from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 5th from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

#### Health Center At Davis School

The Davis Health and Wellness Center, 3050 W. 39th place offers physicals and immunizations, referrals for emergency treatment, STD testing and treatment, laboratory services, family planning counseling, nutrition counseling, behavioral health counseling and health education.

#### Free Seminar On Parkinson's

Leo Verhagen, MD and PhD with the Rush University Movement Disorder Clinic will present a free seminar on the treatment of Parkinson's Disease with Medtronic DBS Therapy at the Oak Brook Marriott, 1401 W. 22nd st., Oak Brook on Saturday, Oct. 12th from 8:30 to 10 a.m.

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