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LIBRARY NEWS

Thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Harriet Goldfluss at the Bellerose Branch of the Queensboro Public Library, a most interesting evening was offered during which a critique of the book, ELENI by Nicholas Gage was given. Attendance by some three dozen people attested to the interest of this discussion which delved into the customs and beliefs of the Greek villagers which contributed to the incident of 1948-49 at the end of the Greek civil war -- the basis for this non-fiction work. The author, although originally scheduled to make an appearance, was occupied with details of the filming of the movie version of his bestseller.

The summer reading program for elementary school youngsters has been quite successful and will culminate with a gala closing party for participants only. Invitations have been extended to those boys and girls who have read five or more books. They will be treated to awards, prizes, light refreshments, a magic show and more, on Fri-

day, Sept. 7th at 6:30

Adult Book discussion group resumes with the selection "Little Drummer Girl" by John LeCarre. Pick up your copy now. The group will meet on Thursday, October 18th at 10:30 AM.

BULK PICK-UP

Please make note that new rules from the Dept. of Sanitation on bulk pick-up make it mandatory for special arrangements to be made in advance. Call 641-8049 to have a date assigned for collection. If such trash is left out without doing this you will be liable for fine.

TO BE ANNOUNCED....

The Bellerose Commonwealth Civic Assoc. and the Queens Colony Civic Association will jointly meet for a "Meet the Candidates" night. See next month's Action News for the date.

GRADUATION

It is our pleasure to report that this year, as in the past, the BCCA has presented civic awards (in the form of certificates and medals) to local students at their June Commencement exercises

P.S. 133 recipients were:

GREGORY MILEY

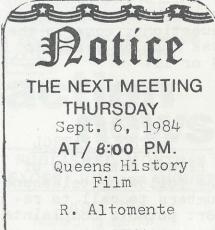
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St. Gregory the Great recipients were:

HUGH TIPPING

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We congratulate these young people and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.



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ST. GREGORY'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Registration for St. Gregory's Athletic Assoc. will take place on Sept. 8 and 9 from 10 to 2 and again on Sept. 11 from 7 - 9 PM in the Oak Room of St. Gregory's Church.

The Athletic Assoc. offers the following sports for boys and girls in grades 1 - 8: Volleyball, basketball, softball, bowling, baseball, swimming and cheerleading.

students may also be sponsored where enough interest is shown for full teams.

For membership in the Association it is necessary that each family meet ONE of these requirements:

- 1. Live within the Parish bounderies
- 2. Be a member of St. Gregory's Parish
- 3. Have children attending St. Gregory'

Anyone interested in registering or has any questions, come to the Oak Room on Sept. 8. 9 or 11.

POTHOLE PATROL

Please make note of the following telephone numbers to call to report pothole complaints:

520-3311 - between 9 AM and 5 PM

964-2110 - 24 hour answering service

OCFM

Activities continue at the Queens County Farm Museum located at 73-50 Little Neck Pkwy. when the Seuffert Band will offer two free concerts on the lawn on Saturdays Sept. 8th and Sept. 15th from 3:00 to 5:00 PM. Bring your own lawn chair.

Much excitement is being generated with preparations for the Second Annual Queens County Agricultural Fair scheduled to be held Friday, Saturday Sports for high school and Sunday of Sept. 21, 22 and 23. Exhibits. contests, judgings, entertainment, Country Western Music, games, dancing, crafts and much more. Admission for adults is \$3.00 and children \$1.00, with special group discount pre-registration for adult admission on There will Friday. also be a free Seuffert Band concert on Saturday afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 PM. Fair hours will be Friday 10 AM to 6 PM and Saturday and Sunday from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM. For further information, call 468-4355.

> The weekly garage sales at the Farmhouse have been discountinued. Please note no further donations will be accepted.

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Rev. Msgr. Eugene Feldhaus, Pastor 347-3707

St. Thomas Episcopal Church 6 Commonwealth 31vd. Bellerose Village, N.Y.

Rev. George Anderson, Pastor 516-354-6866

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OPERA

Opera lovers, just in case you may have missed the information, please be advised that the New York City Opera located at the New York State Theater in Lincoln Center, New York has announced a wide variety of performances for Fall. Popular priced tickets for September, October and November are now available at the box office. Such favorites as THE BARBER OF SEVILLE, RIGOLETTO. CARMEN, LA TRAVIATA, MADAMA BUTTERFLY and many more will be among the selections. Sign-language interpreted performances of Gilbert & Sullivan's THE MIKADO (Sunday, September 9 at 1 PM) and SWEENEY TODD (on Sunday, November 18 at 1 PM) have been scheduled.

For further information call 870-5570.

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COLDEN CENTER

The Colden Center for the performing arts has announced its complete selection for the 1984-85 series. Located on the Queens College Campus, at the corner of Kissena Boulevard and Exit 24 on the L.I.E., the season's offerings are right at our fingertips.

The following categories have been included: light opera, children's theatre, a concert series, a season of dance, folk classics series and a new addition called flying music & comedy series.

For your convenience, we list the dates of the various events:

October 13: James Galway 14: Pilobolus 28: Burl Ives

Nov. 3: Arabian Nights 17: Music from Marlboro

Dec. 8: Les Ballets Trockadero

9: A Christmas Carol

15: Nathan Milstein

26: Snow White

28: Pied Piper

Jan. 5: Merry Widow

12: Herbie Mann/ Gerry Mulligan

19 & 20 Dance Theater of Harlem Feb. 2: Canadian Brass

3: The Flying Karamozov Brothers

10: Pirates of Penzance

16: Ballets Jazz De Montreal

23: Jabberwocky

24: Brandenburg Ensemble

March 2: Robert Klein/ Kenny Rankin

16: Mazowsze

23: Beaux Arts Trio

April 10: Peter Rabbit

13: Don Pasquale

14: Klezmorim

20: Balletap USA

21: Andre Watts/ Charles Treger

May 5: Oklahoma

11: Leontyne Price

Parking is abundant and free, with a great selection of cultural offerings at hand right here in Queens.

For more detailed information on time, price and subscriptions, call 793-8080.

SPECIAL TREAT

O.L.V. Players present "ANNIE" on Oct. 5, 6 and 7 at 8:00 PM in Our Lady of Victory Auditorium; 2 Bellmore St. (Memorial Park) in Floral Park Village. Tickets are \$3.00.



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