



White Bear Township Report

Hundreds Celebrate National Night Out



(above left) During National Night Out, on Aug. 7, Jan Haugen and Judy Smith danced to Bob Seger's "Old Time Rock N' Roll" despite the 94-degree temperature. (above center) Mike Roscoe grilled hot dogs and hamburgers for his neighbors in Apple Tree Park. (right) Jerry Haigh strutted his stuff while friends gathered inside the clubhouse on Golden Pond Lane to enjoy the air conditioning. (below center) Eleanor Mample and Muriel Pollock visited with neighbors throughout the evening. National Night Out is a public safety event meant to introduce neighbors to one another and reduce crime.



(above) Christine and Alex Chan visited with family and friends along with their Newfoundland, Elsie. Their 110-lb. dog was a big hit among children and adults during National Night Out.



(left) Sharon Lee Marsh introduced her baby, Mike, to friends and neighbors at Apple Tree Park. Mike, just three weeks old, was well-behaved and happy despite the loud laughter and talking of children and adults around him.

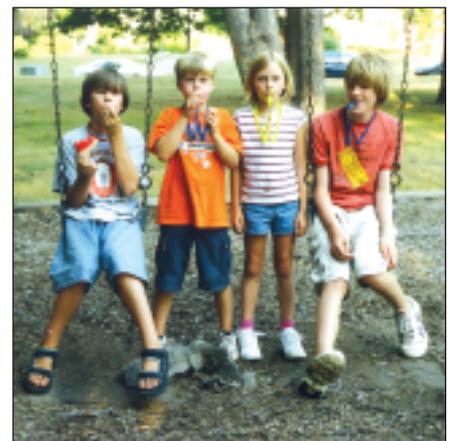


(left) Chloe Neudecker was all smiles as she watched 90 neighbors celebrate National Night Out on Forest Court. The party was hosted by Laura Fraser.



(left) George Velky, 5, and Cole Pfeiffer, 2, became entrepreneurs during National Night Out. As dozens of children ran and played nearby, the boys set up shop and sold washable tatoos to passersby.

(right) Alex Egemo, 12, Adam Egemo, 8, Emily Egemo, 8, and Evan Egemo, 14, blew safety whistles distributed by White Bear Township's public safety commission while enjoying the swings at Apple Tree Park.



Lake Minnetonka Artist Donates Painting

Artist Nancy Goldstein, of Lake Minnetonka, captured a moment in time by painting residents lining up to vote at White Bear Town Hall. The painting was inspired by a black and white photograph taken by the *St. Paul Pioneer Press* in 1956.

Goldstein, a nationally-renown folk artist, created the watercolor painting after hearing about the fascinating history of

White Bear Township and its grassroots form of government. Goldstein and Town Life's publisher, Catherine Carey, are friends. As a gesture of good will and in anticipation of the Township's 150th Anniversary, Goldstein gave the painting to Carey.

During the Town Board meeting on Mon., Sept. 18, Carey will donate the painting to the people of White Bear Township.



Recycling Facts

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- Recycling paper doesn't just save trees! Production of recycled paper uses 80 percent less water, 65 percent less energy and produces 95 percent less air pollution than paper production using raw materials.



Other Township News

- **School Board and Levy Referendum Election.** Polls will be open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on election day, Tues., Nov. 6. School board and levy referendum votes can be cast at the following places: Precinct I: Otter Lake Elementary School, 1401 Co. Rd. H-2; Precinct II: Eagle Brook Church, 2401 Buffalo Street; and **Precincts III and IV:** South Shore Trinity Lutheran Church, 2480 South Shore Blvd. Voters who normally cast their ballots at the Town Hall must do so at South Shore Trinity Lutheran Church, 2480 South Shore Blvd., this year.
- **History Book.** Town Life's Publisher, Catherine Carey, is writing a history of the Township in preparation for the Town's 150th Anniversary in 2008. A limited number of "White Bear: A History" will be printed and available for pick-up at the Township offices in Nov. To reserve a copy of the book, please download an order form at www.ci.white-bear-township.mn.us, fill it out and mail it along with a check or money order for \$45 per book to the Township's Offices. Those wishing **to order books** without computer access should include the number of books they're ordering along with their name, address, and telephone number plus a check or money order (for \$45 per book) to White Bear Township, Attn: History Book, 1281 Hammond Rd., White Bear Township, MN 55110. For more information, call (651) 747-2750.