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This community newsletter publishes information, events, problems and concerns affecting the people of Palisades. 10964 needs your moral and financial support. Please send a contribution for 10964 to Box 201, Palisades, NY 10964. With your help you'll find 10964 in your mailbox every month.

## Calendar of Events

- Jan. 22 Community Center Annual Meeting, 2 PM
- Jan. 27 Palisades Free Library Meeting, 2 PM

### Palisades Community Center

The Palisades Community Center celebrates its tenth year in 1980. The structure is historic in nature, since it is more than 100 years old, and also functional.

During 1979 many of our residents used the facility. There were many childrens' birthday parties, a wedding reception was a first and a private art exhibit was well received by the community. The Board of Directors sponsored a third wine-cheese-art event, a community supper and a fifth annual christmas party for all our neighbors. Our senior citizens have enjoyed just having a place to get together and our girl scout troops have "done their thing".

Looking ahead to the New Year, there are many more possibilities. However, the Center belongs to and is the responsibility of each resident of our hamlet. The yearly

operating funds come from us. We receive no subsidy from outside sources. Please respond to our 1980 membership appeal as best you can. With ever-rising costs, we will need everyone's help to keep a good thing going.

You are invited to attend the the annual meeting of the Community Center on Sunday, January 22nd at 2 PM. Join us for a pleasant afternoon.

Edith Ryan

### Palisades Free Library

The Annual Meeting of the Palisades Free Library Association will be held on Sunday, January 27th from 2 PM to 4 PM at the Library. A ballot box will be at the door for the election of two trustees.

The guest of honor, Barbara Wersha, will be doing a reading of a story called "The Crystal Child" - a fantasy to be published this spring.

Refreshments will be served.



10964 needs your support to continue. Please think of us and send a contribution of any amount to Box 201, Palisades.

## Appeal

The New York Blood Services program anticipates a shortage of blood in the early weeks of the new year. This is a time of extra need and blood supplies from Europe cease during the last two weeks of the year, limiting our supply even further.

There are three centers in Manhattan where you may make appointments to give blood:

5 World Trade Center  
Suite 759  
(212) 466-0291  
Mon. - Fri., 9 AM - 5 PM

Center East  
310 East 67th St.  
(212) 570-3000  
Mon. - Fri., 8 AM - 7 PM  
Sat., Sun., Hol., 10 AM - 5 PM

Center West  
150 Amsterdam Avenue  
(212) 570-3000  
Mon. - Fri., 9 AM - 5 PM

Call ahead for an appointment to avoid a long wait.

Blood given at these centers is available to the metropolitan region.

have any of the following, or others in good (we'll even accept fair) condition, send or bring them to the Tappan Zee Elementary School.

THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA  
(Hemingway)  
THE PEARL (Steinbeck)  
JUST SO STORIES (Kipling)  
KIDNAPPED  
TREASURE ISLAND (Stevenson)  
THE VELVETEEN RABBIT (Williams)  
SWISS FAMILY ROBINSON (Wyss)  
ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN  
WONDERLAND (Carroll)  
ANIMAL FARM (Orwell)  
THE SWORD IN THE STONE (White)  
ROBINSON CRUSOE (DeFoe)  
ROBIN HOOD (Any edition)  
THE TALES OF PETER RABBIT (Potter)  
ADVENTURES OF HUCKLEBERRY FINN  
ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER  
THE PRINCE AND THE PAUPER  
(Twain)  
THE ILIAD FOR BOYS AND GIRLS  
(Homer, Alfred J. Church, Ed.)

Any Sherlock Holmes books;  
King Arthur books; Louisa May  
Alcott; WIZARD OF OZ/OZ books.

Jacqueline L. Holland  
Principal, TZE

## Books Wanted

The students at Tappan Zee Elementary School are reading the very best in literature including modern and old classics. We need extra copies of the older classics for children. Hardbacks are preferred. The students read on levels from Kindergarten to tenth grade. PLEASE, if you

## On Stage

On November 30 The Playhouse Preservation Association, a non-profit organization, signed a contract with the former owner of the Tappan Zee Playhouse to purchase, restore and operate the Playhouse.

The new owners will run the Playhouse as a community based theatre alternating professional

productions with name talent and local productions.

The Playhouse will also be available for symphony performances, dance recitals, film programs, workshops and benefits.

If you would like to lend a hand and smell the greasepaint, call Milly Russell, Chairperson of the Association, at 358-6470.

### Community Health Notes

The Holiday season in Palisades, as elsewhere, is festive and social and often is celebrated with a drink or two. However, if alcohol consumption becomes a problem, the practice needs attention and comment. Excessive drinking is steadily on the rise and alcoholism is a complex disease involving medical, psychological and social factors. The national press is alerted to this growing problem that is often related to marital problems, child abuse, decreased job productivity. Are we equally aware? Prevention programs have begun in many schools starting at the 6th grade level. Are our schools involved? How involved do we dare to become when we see an alcohol problem arising in our community? Can we afford not to be involved? Here are some resources that might be of help in increasing our awareness:

National Clearinghouse for  
Alcohol Information  
Box 2345  
Rockville, MD 20852

National Council on  
Alcoholism, Inc.  
1979-80 Catalogue  
733 Third Avenue  
NYC 10017

Alcoholics Anonymous  
352-1112

Palisades Free Library -  
reference material

Virginia Barrett, BSN  
Myra Richardson,  
BSN, MPH

### Scouts

Six boys from Cub Scout Pack #57, Den 1 in Palisades received their Bobcat badges at the November meeting. They are: Brent McCoy, John Sahadi, Jonathan Schwartz, Adam Rose, James Davis, and Keun Wan Park.

Chris Sullivan  
Eileen Larkin

**Classified**

**For Sale:** 3 cords of seasoned firewood, \$75/cord, you take it away. Chester Post (2716)

**For Sale:** 21", 10 speed bike with horn, \$65. Asch (6170)

**For Sale:** Classic Car Buffs - the Redell '58 Cadillac, \$1000 or best offer (9168)

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