

# Frankfort News

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Frankfort, IL



## WINTER ON THE GREEN

### Winter On The Green Events

- Feb. 4      **Snow & Winter Songfest**  
**Ice Sculpture Demonstration**  
*(sponsored by Jim's Steakhouse)*  
**Snowman-making contest**  
**Snowgames**  
**Visit from Frosty the Snowman**  
*(sponsored by On Time Design)*  
**Lincoln-Way Chorale Group**
- Feb. 11    **Valentine's Day Party On The Green**  
**Winter Sleigh Rides -**  
*by Jim & Becky's Horse & Carriage Service.*  
*Share a Sweetheart Ride in a Winter Sleigh*  
**Pony Rides**  
**Cookie Eating Contest**  
**Valentine Basket Giveaway**



presented by Frankfort's  
Chamber,  
Park District  
and Village

For more information call: 815-469-9400

**Breidert Green**  
**In the Historic Village of Frankfort**  
**Sundays, 1 to 3 p.m., January 14th - February 11th**

*Share hot chocolate and roasted peanuts  
around the bonfire with your friends and family!*  
*Refreshments available from the Kiwanis Trailer*

### A NOTE ABOUT ELECTIONS

Please be reminded that the Frankfort News follows these guidelines as stated in the paper's by-laws concerning elections.

"Those seeking local election may submit name, address, office they are seeking, education, years lived in the Frankfort area, family and previous accomplishments." We neither seek out candidates nor endorse them. We only provide, to the public, information from the articles received. We also do not solicit or back any referendums on a ballot.

### MONEY UPDATE

The Frankfort News has been most fortunate to be on the receiving end of donations from individuals and organizations. The donor list since last month includes Wayne and Henrietta De-Porto, Joan Cull, George and Doris Sangmeister, John and Lois Hansen and the Frankfort Senior Citizens Club. Thanks, too, to Rich Krynicki and the Lions Club for their most generous donation of \$1000.

Our bank balance as of December 31, 1995 is \$1600.22. Donations for 1996 bring that balance to \$2675.22. This will pay printing costs and other expenses for approximately 3 months, February, March and April.

### YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

February is here already...where does the time go?...and we should be thinking Valentines and ways of showing our feelings for one another! To that end, we of the Frankfort News, are asking you, of

our reading public, to be our Valentine. By using the enclosed envelope to mail a monetary donation Valentine to the Frankfort News, you will be helping, by your generosity, to keep the Frankfort News in business.

Mid-America Graphics in Frankfort has shown their support for our project by donating and addressing the necessary 6700 envelopes for this mailing. Yes, we assemble 6700 copies of the Frankfort News every month through the efforts of the greatest group of volunteers to be found anywhere. We're going to continue that effort but we need your help, too. We're looking forward to receiving your Valentine donation.

### BABYSITTERS '96

Who: Any child age 10 years and older who is a resident of the Frankfort Fire District. Children must have the permission of their parents/guardians.

What: Annual Frankfort Fire Department Babysitter's Program.

When: Wednesdays, 6 to 9 PM starting February 14.

Where: Frankfort Fire Department Station #1, 333 W. Nebraska St. in the main training room.

Why: For the safety and education of Frankfort's kids.

Cost: There is none! Just the time and effort of the families enrolled in the program.

Note: Each student needs to bring a folder, notebook, a pen and 40¢ for pop.

If you are interested in this program, please contact Pat Collier, coordinator, or Chief Grady at 469-1700 between 9 AM and 3 PM.

### FRANKFORT PTA NEWS

Community members and school administrators from Frankfort, Frankfort Square, Mokena and New Lenox School Districts are cordially invited to attend a Town Meeting, February 29, at 7:30 PM at Hickory Creek School, 7739 W. Sauk Trail. The Frankfort PTA is hosting this event to discuss state funding of schools, your tax dollars and school budgets. An audience participation question and answer session will also be included.

Through its Cultural Arts program, the PTA presents David Fisher, The Rope Warrior. Fisher exemplifies an alliance between fitness and art through a repertoire of choreographed jump rope routines set to music.

Reminder: General Mills cereal box tops, Campbell's labels (Pepperidge Farm, Franco-American, Prego and Swanson) are still needed.

### FRANKFORT YOUTH COMMISSION

Adults and Teens of Frankfort are cordially invited to attend The Frankfort Youth Commission's Annual Meeting and the Teen/Adult Dialogue Night on February 28, 7 PM at Lincoln-Way East High School. Not only will you be informed on the Commission's accomplishments for 1995 and goals for 1996, you will take part in a facilitated small group discussion between adults and teens, addressing issues important to you. Here's your chance to be heard! More information, call 469-2177.

Tobacco Awareness Workshop, for teens and their parents, will be

held February 26, 7 to 9 PM at the Frankfort Township Building. This two hour workshop, free of charge, will provide teens and parents with current information about the health risks of smoking, basic information about planning to quit smoking, legal aspects of teen smoking and available resources in the community. For more info, please call the In-Touch Office at 469-1970.

### 25TH JUBILEE YEAR

On Sunday, February 4, at the 12 PM mass, Bishop Roger Kaffer, Auxiliary Bishop for the diocese of Joliet, will celebrate the beginning of the 25th jubilee year for St. Anthony Parish. On February first, 1997, St. Anthony's Roman Catholic parish will officially be 25 years old. At that time, The Most Reverend Joseph L. Imesch, Bishop of Joliet, will celebrate a mass of thanksgiving for the parish.

Prior to February 1, 1972, St. Anthony's had been a mission of St. Mary's in Mokena. Even though the parish marks 1972 as its beginning, as early as 1942 the Church of St. Anthony's was present in Frankfort.

In 1942, the few scattered families who made up the mission congregation worshipped in a converted railroad car set down in a field on U.S. 30 and 79th Avenue.

The 19th century German immigrants who arrived in the area apparently split along religious lines, most of the Catholics settled in Mokena, while the Protestants chose Frankfort.

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## FRANKFORT AREA JAYCEES

The Frankfort Area Jaycees will be holding their annual "Johnny Star & the Meteors" Oldies Dance on Saturday, March 2, 1996 at the Tinley Park American Legion Hall from 7:45 PM to 1 AM. The dance will consist of the live band, four hours of open bar and a buffet. The cost for the evening is \$21 per person or \$41 per couple. Proceeds will be donated to "Love Letters", an organization that provides support for terminally ill children. For more information, call 469-1723 (evenings).

Our chapter is looking for people who would like to find out more about the chapter. We run a wide variety of projects throughout the year and are always looking for individuals who would like to get involved and meet new people. Our meetings are held the first Wednesday of the month at the Frankfort Square Park District Building beginning at 7:30 PM. Visitors are welcome.

## WILL COUNTY REGIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Richard P. Duran, Will County Regional Superintendent of Schools, announced that he is beginning the annual teacher registration for the 1996-1997 school year. All Will County School Districts will receive their registration forms for certified personnel from his office within this month. Retired teachers and individuals not currently teaching can register their certificates at the Will County Regional Office of Education, 302 N. Chicago Street, Joliet, IL. Forms can be requested by calling (815) 740-8360. Office hours are 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM weekdays.

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## PIZZA PARTY

Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter will hold its February 19th meeting at the home of the president, Kris Condon. In prior years, February has been a chance for us to meet out for dinner. This year we've opted to meet in and have a "Top Your Own Pizza Party."

In addition to the party, we will be completing our Easter Basket favors for the March philanthropy gathering at Woodside Manor Nursing Home in Chicago Heights. Please bring any collectibles, soaps, cologne, combs, chocolate candy, playing cards, pocket tissues, etc. and pastel fabric strips, 1" by 16" long for weaving into the baskets. We hope to complete the project at this one meeting. So come along and lend a hand. More info and directions to Kris' home are at 469-2537.

## GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Hey Frankfort! Thanks for buying (and eating) over 350,000 Cookies. Extra cookies can be purchased by calling 469-2441.

All Frankfort Girl Scouts and their families can meet February 17 at the Main Park Recreation Building to smile and shine for a family or Girl Scout portrait done by Star Vision Photography. More info is at 469-2441.

Bon Appetit Frankfort! Don't cook dinner on March 10. Join the Girl Scouts instead for the 2nd Annual All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner held at St. Anthony's. Two seatings are available (4 and 5 PM) for \$5 per adult, \$2.50 for children 3 to 10 years, and under 3 years are free. Tickets must be purchased prior to the dinner from a Scout; call 469-2142 or 469-8349.

### WINTER AT THE PARK DISTRICT

Frankfort Park District's indoor soccer league will begin February 10, 1996. Registration will continue thru that date but starting February 12, 1996, a \$10 late fee will be charged and you will be placed on a waiting list. Boys and girls ages 4 years thru 8th grade can participate. If you have a blue and white reversible jersey from last year's soccer or this year's basketball, you will not need to purchase a new one. Shin guards are mandatory for all players. We are in need of coaches and referees for this league. Please contact Dave Ernst at the park.

The Park District is offering some new classes this winter. Young Rembrandts join our program staff to offer Cartooning for ages 6-13 years. The children will learn how to show facial expressions, show movement and active sequences. There are still a few openings in our afternoon Prep and Play school classes. Afternoon Prep school meets on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 12:30 to 3 PM. Afternoon Play school meets on Tuesday and Thursday from 12:30 to 2:30 PM. Contact Mrs. Puent, the Director, for more information. For Valentine's Day, children ages 4-10 years can participate in our Bear Hugs and Candy Kisses Valentine Craft. This is February 13, 4:30 to 5:30 PM at the Main Park Rec Center. For girls, ages 3-8 years, we're having a "Love That Barbie" Valentine Party. Each young lady will receive her own Barbie Party package, including a doll. The

party is Saturday, February 3, 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM.

The teen dances will get underway on Friday, February 23, at the Community Center Gym. Lock-in policy is in effect 7 to 9 PM. All 7th and 8th graders must have their photo ID's to gain admission to the dance. This is a new policy. Please call the Park at 469-9400 for more information or to answer any questions you may have.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cull are pleased to announce that their daughter, Jennifer Marecek, a senior at Northern Illinois University, in DeKalb, Illinois, has been named on the University's Dean's list.

She is a member of the Delta Gamma Sorority and has a Nursing Major. After graduation, she plans a career as a Registered Nurse. Jennifer graduated from Lincoln-Way High School in 1992 with Honors.

Her mother and step-father, Frank and Jean Cull, are long-time residents of Frankfort, as is her father and step-mother, Ken and Roberta Marecek.

### FOUNDATION RECEIVES YEAR END DONATIONS

The Frankfort School District 157C Foundation received two generous year-end donations during the month of December. Many thanks to Dr. Pamela Witt and her husband, Arnold for their donation of \$350 and to Douglas and Arlene Smith for their \$500 donation. The children also thank you!

For further information regarding the Foundation or should you wish to make a contribution, please call the Administration office, 469-5922.

### SCHOOL DISTRICT 157C

The Frankfort Board of Education unanimously passed a resolution to ask voters to approve a 20% increase in the District's levy on the March 19 ballot. Citing a combination of increased enrollment growth, staffing a new facility, the tax cap and inadequate state funding, the District is facing a \$500,000 to \$800,000 deficit in the budget for 1996-97 school year.

The District seeks to provide a full understanding of its tax situation for all Frankfort residents. A citizens' committee is being formed at this time to disseminate full information to the voters. Community members seeking further information or wishing to participate in the committee may contact the Administrative Office at 469-5922.

Ten Frankfort Hickory Creek School students participated in the final round of the school's Fifth Annual Geography Bee, sponsored by the National Geographic Society. The ten finalists, Mike Rice, Adam Soucie, Chris Ramsay, Lori Chang, Aaron Koehler, Ed Kirnar, Chris Kimble, Jim Groen and Jason Rhoades were selected through a written test given to all students in the building. The school's winner, Lori Chang, now takes a written "qualifying" test to determine whether she will be able to advance to State Competition.

In cooperation with the Frankfort Police Department and Officer Jim Cullen, Hickory Creek School sixth graders participated in the D.A.R.E. drug education program

for this the tenth year. Graduation was held on January 9.

Poster award winners are: Brandon Delimara, Rachel Kremsner, Shannon Swansbro, David Christakes, Jim Bogudawski and Brian Bussiere. Essay winners are: Michelle Habib, Chris Sabey, Michelle Meyman, Katalyn Kappel, Bridgid Burfeind and Karen Fiore.

### KIWANIS CLUB OF FRANKFORT

The Kiwanis Club of Frankfort will sponsor roller-skating. Ten sessions are planned for district residents in Grades Kindergarten through seventh. The sessions will be on Wednesday evening from 6:30 to 7:30 PM for K-3 and from 7:30 to 8:30 PM for grades 4-7, January 10 through March 13. Roller-skating will be held at the new Frankfort Park District Building on Oregon Street in Frankfort. (Old Junior High)

There will be a charge of 50¢ for admission. Some skates are available at no charge or you may use your own skates.

Kiwanis Club of Frankfort - Presents Pancakes for Scholarships! The annual Breakfast is February 17, 1996 at 7:30 AM to 1 PM, at Lincoln-Way East High School, Route 45 and Colorado Blvd, Frankfort. ALL YOU CAN EAT!!! Pancakes, applesauce, eggs, sausage, juice, milk, coffee. Adults \$3.50; Seniors and Children \$3.00. All proceeds applied to College Scholarship Fund.

### SPECIAL HELPERS

Thanks again Alma and Emma Kuse for your extra effort in helping with the January issue of the Frankfort News.

FRANKFORT-MOKENA NUTRITION SITE  
NEEDS HELP! HELP! HELP!

The Nutrition Site which is in the Frankfort Township Building on Route 30 is in need of HELP!

We need Volunteers to help serve the meals; also someone to learn what has to be done, so someone can be called in to help if the Supervisor gets sick.

We also need Drivers for the Home Delivered Meals. Meals are delivered in Frankfort and Mokena, 5 days a week. We need someone to call on when and if one of our regular drivers can't be in on his or her day. We are sending our 27 meals a day. We are delivering food to the seniors who cannot shop or prepare food.

For more information, call the site at 469-1499, between 9 AM to 12 noon, or call Joliet office at 720-4208, 9 AM to 4:30 PM, or call Mary Ericksen at 469-4351. She is in charge of the Drivers for Frankfort. We need 10 drivers each week for the two villages. We had and still have several who take their turn every week.

PIZZA BY MARCHELLONI HAS NEW  
OWNERS

The Pizzas by Marchelloni store located at 12 Elwood Street, in the Grainery Plaza is under new ownership. The new owners are Bob Hoover of Frankfort and Chuck and Karen Gramenz. Bob is a lifetime resident of the area and a graduate of Lincoln-Way High School. Karen's background in the health care field was influential to adding low fat chicken pizzas to the expanded menu. Delivery is still free, so give them a call at 469-1234.

P.A.W.S.

The Candlelight Bowl happens Saturday, February 3, with dinner at 7:30 PM, followed by bowling at 9 PM at the Centennial Bowl, 16050 Centennial Circle in Tinley Park. You'll get rid of the winter blues and support a fund-raiser for the animals. The \$20 per person fee includes dinner, bowling, donation and fun. Groups are welcome!

Sign up by Wednesday, January 31, at the P.A.W.S. shelter at 183rd and 80th Avenue, or call the shelter at (708) 532-PAWS.

DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP

Support for people suffering from depression, as well as for their family members, is a vital part of successfully coping with this common disease. Lin Potter, B.S.N. and Gail Roy, M.A., A.T.R., L.C.P.C., members of the Silver Cross Hospital Behavioral Health Services Department, and Frankfort residents, lead a Depression Support Group, which meets on Wednesdays, Feb. 7 through March 27, 6 to 8 PM, at the New Lenox Medical Center, 250 E. Maple Street. For more information, call (815) 740-7032.

WGI-MIDWEST REGIONAL SHOW

Lincoln-Way Band Boosters will again host the WGI-Midwest Regional Show at Lincoln-Way Central and East campuses on February 23-25, 1996. Percussion and color guard groups will be attending from all over the United States and Canada. Come out and show your support of all these young people or remember us with your good wishes. For information: Christine Miller (708) 479-1452. (Please do not call school)

HERITAGE BANK SENIOR CITIZENS  
DAY TRIPS

If you are age 50 or older, Heritage Bank invites you to join us for all the fun that is being planned for 1996.

Heritage Club one-day trips for February with departure from Tinley Park, Alsip and Blue Island.

Walt Disney's World on Ice at the United Center, Wednesday, February 7. Oriental Institute Museum and the Field Museum of Natural History on Wednesday, February 14.

Azalea Show/Ciello Restaurant/Newberry Library Trip on Thursday, February 15.

"Carousel" at the NEW Rosemont Theater on Sunday, February 25. For complete information on any of our day trips, contact Judy Surna at Heritage Bank, (708) 532-8008, Ext. 2112.

FRANKFORT BOYS BASEBALL

You may register your child to play baseball this year on Wednesday, January 31, from 6-9 PM, and on February 3, from 9 AM to 3 PM at Chelsea Elementary School, 601 Willow. This is our Spring registration and may seem early, but we need to organize teams and get managers and coaches and buy equipment before May. If you have any questions, you may call Bill Burfield at 469-2822.

TOYS FOR TOTS - THANK YOU

A big Thank You to all who supported Frankfort's addition to the Annual Toys for Tots Toy Drive. Because of your generosity, hundreds more children were able to experience the joy of Christmas. In addition, over 30 used bikes were donated, refurbished and polished for Christmas delivery.

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JIM'S STEAK HOUSE

Jim's Steak House, owned by Jim and Carol Malecky and operated by Kevin Burns, recently opened for business at 20 Kansas Street in Frankfort, and is the "talk of the town." The exquisite array of food and the beautiful turn-of-the-century decor, are an attribute to the downtown historical area.

Jim's offers a comfortable dining room, bar and lounge for lunch and dinner. The second floor of the restaurant features a banquet room for parties ranging from 25 to 180 people.

Prime rib is featured every Friday and Saturday night.

Carry out and gift certificates are also available.

Call 469-6800 to make your reservations. Reservations are recommended for Friday and Saturday.

Hours: Sunday, 12 PM to 10 PM

Monday, closed.

Tues.-Thurs., 11 AM to 10 PM

Fri.-Sat., 11 AM to 10 PM

Jim's Dugout Lounge, 4 PM to 1 AM daily.

A NEW CAR!!!

Win a new 1996 Chevrolet Cavalier donated by Phillips Chevrolet/GEO, Frankfort, at the "Half Court Basketball Shoot-out!!" Make 2 out of 3 shots from the half court area (42') and win a new 1996 Chevrolet Cavalier or make 1 out of 3 shots and win a color TV. A drawing will be held at halftime to decide who will shoot at home games. A dollar buys one chance; \$2 buys three chances. You must be 16 or older and all proceeds will go to Lincoln-Way Athletic Boosters Club.



### CHICAGO SOUTHLAND

The Chicago Southland Convention and Visitors Bureau has teamed up with others to host the 4th Annual Festivals & Events Workshop to be held Wednesday, February 14, 1996 from 8 AM to 5 PM at the Oak Lawn Hilton.

The workshop is designed for those responsible for the planning, management, operation, and support of special events including, but not limited to, professional/volunteer event managers, governing board members and members or organizations that support the industry. The Bureau recognizes the economic impact of festivals and events, and, therefore, provides educational opportunities to festival and event planners each year.

The Chicago Bureau is the second largest bureau for tourism in the state of Illinois, representing the suburbs as a travel destination. If you're interested, please call Kim at (708) 503-1800.

### BIRTHDAY WISHES

Happy Birthday to all of you February Celebrants. Theresa Sbiznoco will be 96 on February 8. Margaret Lewandowski will be 94 on February 13. Helen Kowalczyk will be 86 on February 15. Isabella Gaines will be 85 on Valentine's Day. Lois Bettenhausen celebrates on the 13th. Vivian Pannenbacker will be 83 on February 18. Helen Dierken will be 82 on Valentine's Day. Clara Stellan will be 81 on February 5. Bill Shreffler will be 81 on February 16. Best wishes to all of you and a happy day, too.

### LUTHERANS TO HOLD LENTEN SERVICE

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will again hold midweek Lenten services on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM, beginning Ash Wednesday, February 21, and continuing through the month of March.

Services and sermons will focus on Jesus' Passion and its meaning for Christian living. Music will be provided by the choir and the congregation will sing favorite Lenten hymns.

Everyone is welcome. Members of churches that do not hold special services during the Lenten season are especially extended a cordial invitation.

### FRANKFORT WOMAN'S CLUB

Members will meet February 15 at 7:30 PM in the Frankfort Park District Building. Chairperson is Mary Shah. Hostesses are Carminie Binnetti and Jackie Bormet. Imagine being able to travel for one week with just a tote bag full of comfortable, easy caring, classic clothing, and always looking terrific. Janet Uherka of Weekender Casual Wear will show us how, using our own members to present clothing.

### THE LINCOLN-WAY FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

Singing Steve comes to Frankfort! All preschoolers, parents and teachers are invited to join The Lincoln-Way Family Resource Center and Singing Steve on February 23, 1996, 1:30 to 2:30 PM at the Community Center (Old Junior High). Join us for an hour of fun, song, movement and interaction, absolutely free of charge! Just bring your energy and singing voice! For info: call The Lincoln-Way Family Resource Center at 469-5111.

FRANKFORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Frankfort Public Library District Announces Library Operating Referendum: The Frankfort Public Library District has not had an Operating Rate increase in 30 years. The Library is currently serving its community with a .0015 rate. The trustees are asking its patrons to increase the rate to .0030. The average taxpayer would be faced with an increase of \$93.00. The increased monies would extend hours, expand parking, add electronic library capabilities, and expand collections to meet our growing community's information, educational and recreational needs.

PAJAMA STORY TIME: Children between the ages of 3 and 6 are invited to come and enjoy favorite stories and activities on Thursday evening, February 15 from 7 to 7:30 PM. The children are asked to wear pajamas and bring a favorite stuffed toy. Be sure to register your child by coming to the Library or call 469-2423.

"IF YOU'RE HAPPY, CLAP YOUR HANDS": The Winter Story Time started on Tuesday, January 23, and Wednesday, January 24, will conclude on Tuesday, February 27 and Wednesday, February 28. Tuesday session is from 1:30 to 2 PM and Wednesday session is 11:30 to 12 noon. The series includes stories about different ways that we feel about things, as well as activities, videos and music. Children must be three years old by the first day of the series and not 6 years old. Register your child by coming to the Library or call, 469-2423. You must be a resident of the Frankfort

Library District to participate in the Children's programs.

SPECIAL SATURDAY PROGRAM: On Saturday, February 10 at 10:30 AM, Don Wiberg will be presenting a special program for young people entitled "Magic with a Mystery...Mystery with a Laugh." His act combines magic and humor that will have you laughing one minute and watching in amazement the next. The program includes audience participation and plenty of surprises. Don't miss it. Sign up by coming to the Library or call 469-2423.

FUTURE SPECIALS: A special production will be presented on Saturday morning, April 13 at 10:30 AM. Especially for the older children, ages 8 and up. This program is filled with mystery and intrigue.

CREATE-A-BOOKMARK: The annual Create-A-Bookmark Contest will be held at this time. Entries are to be submitted from March 18 to March 30 and will be displayed during National Library Week. More information in future news.

DIAL-A-STORY: Stories for February are "The Mouse's Wedding," "George Washington and the Cherry Tree", "The Town and the Country Mouse," and "The Hole in the Closet." Dial 469-9040.

SOUTH SUBURBAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION'S AUTHOR DAY: The 11th Annual SSLA Author's Day will be held on Saturday, March 2, 1996 at the South Holland Public Library. Mystery authors, S.A. Grant, Hugh Holton, and Mary Elise Monsell will be featured. Pre-registration - \$6; admission at the door \$8. For more information, call (708) 598-8446.

LIBRARY CLOSING: Library will be closed February 19 for President's Day.

### DISTRICT 157C FOUNDATION

In conjunction with Frankfort District 157C Foundation and the district schools, Mary Todd's Restaurant is hosting a fund raiser for the entire month of February. February has been designated as "Lincoln Month" by the district and numerous activities have been created at all grade levels that pertain to the life of Abraham Lincoln.

When you dine at Mary Todd's, 695 N. LaGrange Road, during the month of February, a portion of your bill will be donated to the Foundation. Mary Todd's will donate \$1 for a breakfast or lunch visit while a dinner visit will earn a \$2 donation. Present your waitress with your official "Land of Lincoln" certificate which is available with school activity instruction sheets or from your child's homeroom teacher.

Further info is available at 469-5922, the administration office.

### SPECIAL THANKS

Frankfort Girl Scout Service Unit 18 sends special thanks to the Pastor and congregation of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church for allowing us to have our annual cookie delivery at their Church. When we were in need of space for the delivery, the Church stepped in and allowed us the use of their multi-purpose room.

### POSTAGE

The postage (\$798.64) has been donated by Silver Cross Hospital for this edition of the Frankfort News.

### SENIOR HOUSING & THE LAW

Frankfort Township has filed a referendum that will appear on the March 19, 1996 ballot asking the voters to vote for an \$800,000 bond referendum (to build 3 more buildings, 12 apartments for Senior Housing.)

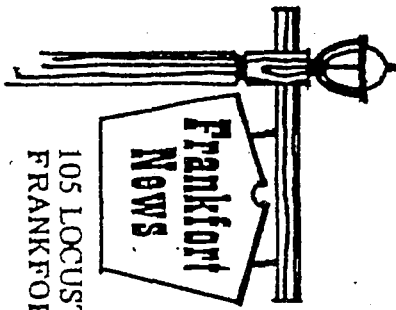
This is unique in the fact that if passed, it will NOT impact in any way on property taxes. The law very clearly states that ONLY THE RENTS CAN PAY OFF THE BONDS. In other words, senior housing rents must pay the bonds off.

We need your "YES" vote on March 19 to allow us to provide more apartments for our Township Seniors. If you have questions, call the Township Office, 469-4907.

### DINNER DANCE

The Frankfort School District 157C Foundation is hosting its first major fund raiser. The "Sharin' O' The Green" dinner/dance will be held Friday, March 15, 1996 from 7 PM to 12:30 AM at the Odyssey Country Club, Ridge-land Avenue, Tinley Park. A silent auction and other fund raising events will be included in the evening. Proceeds from the event will benefit the school children of Frankfort. The foundation is new to the District and supports enhancement of programs offered by the schools.

Reservations for this event will cost \$50 per person with a cash bar and a wonderful meal. The silent auction will offer many items for bid. Further info is available at the administration office at 469-5922. Seating is limited by room capacity.



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ARTICLES DUE

Articles for the March edition of the Frankfort News are due by February 16, 1996. Assembly of the paper will be done on Monday, February 26, 1996.

RIALTO NEWS

Country torch singer Patty Loveless makes her Rialto debut in a single performance at 7 PM, Saturday, March 16. Tickets are on sale now at \$23.50; limited pit seating will be available for \$28.50, both at the Rialto Ticket office or TicketMaster.

MOM'S MORNING OUT

Frankfort United Methodist Church "Mom's Morning Out" has openings available. We meet Friday mornings, 9:30 to 11:45 AM. The class is open to children ages through 4 years. For information, call the church office, 469-5249, Monday thru Friday, 9 AM to 12 noon. We are located at 215 Linden Drive in Frankfort.

VALLEY VIEW CARD PARTY

It is Card Party time again in the Frankfort Township Building on Route 30, on Thursday, February 1, at 6:30 PM. We start on time and play eight games of Pinochle. Everyone gets to play. Our treat after playing is cake and coffee. If you like to play, why not join us? This is not for Seniors only.

FRANKFORT SENIOR CITIZENS

The Seniors will meet on February 10, at 1 PM in the Frankfort Park District Building on Nebraska Street. Join us for cake and coffee, a short business meeting and play Pinochle or Bunco. Meet new people and visit with friends.

BULK RATE  
PERMIT NO. 46  
Frankfort, Ill.