

## This 'n That

Florence (Mrs. Ben) Jaffa had two of her paintings accepted into The Come See Me Art Competition 1988 at the Museum of York County in Rock Hill, S.C. The exhibition began April 9 and will run through May 29. The paintings are Countryside #3, for which she received an honorable mention, and Hollyhock Gate. This was a juried exhibition.

Debra Daumit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Daumit, and Marjorie Weinstock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barnet Weinstock, have been selected as two of the 54 seniors from 16 public and private high schools in Mecklenburg County as 1988 All-Star Scholars. Both girls are graduating seniors at East Mecklenburg High and are tied for first of 725 students.

Debra has been the co-editor-in-chief of the school newspaper (2 years), a member of the National Honor Society (3 years), having served as president and treasurer, a cross-country scholar athlete (2 years), a member of the Student Government (3 years), member of BBYO and a recipient of the Yale Book Award. Marjorie has been a Class Marshal, member of the National Honor Society, choir (2 years), math competitions (3 years), appeared in school plays, and recipient of the 1987 DAR Good Citizenship Award.

Laurie Behar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Behar, an Appalachian State U. education major, was recognized as an honor teacher for her performance while student teaching during the fall semester. Laurie taught fourth grade at Myers Park Traditional Elementary School.

Elise Labovitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Labovitz, was named the first runner up in the State of North Carolina in the Fashion Merchandising Promotion category of DECA (Distributive Education.) Elise will compete at the national convention in Salt Lake City, Utah. She is a student at East Mecklenburg High.

Marcia (Mrs. Paul) Simon has been appointed to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Arts and Science Board. She is also serving on the Mint Museum's Volunteer Gift Shop Committee for the Ramesses exhibition. Also serving on that committee is Al Rouso. Marc Silverman is one of the members of the marketing committee for that exhibition.

David Massachi, son of Rose Diamond and Ben Massachi, was recently inducted into the National Honor Society. David is a junior at East Mecklenburg High School.

Edward Saxe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Saxe, qualified to participate in the American Invitational Mathematics Exam (AIME). Edward is a senior at West Charlotte High School. He ranked 5th among 36 local students, making 111 out of 150 points. The first placer made 125 points.

In the recent Spring Splash "B" meet in High Point, MAC swimmer Ilana Kavadlo came in third in the 50-yard backstroke in the age 10 and under category. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kavadlo.

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## Levine and Lalor to Exhibit Art at Shalom Park

Lina C. Levine and her son-in-law, Brian Lalor, will exhibit together at the Speizman Galleries at Shalom Park. The exhibit will open with a reception on Sunday, May 15 from 2-5 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited.

Lina Levine has studied at Huntingon College and at the University of Alabama Extension Center in Montgomery, Alabama. She has won many awards in Montgomery and in surrounding areas. She has studied under Charles Shannon, Hiram Williams and Alvin Sella. In Charlotte she has studied under Elizabeth

Ross and Pauline Lamal and has taken workshops with Bill Dunlop, Sally Miller, Rod McKillop and Carrie Brown. Mrs. Levine has won several awards in Charlotte exhibits. Her works will include several collages.

Brian Lalor was born in Ireland. After studying art and architecture in Cork and London and working as an architect for a number of years in London, Munich and Tel-Aviv, he specialized in archaeology. He participated in excavations with the Israel Exploration Society, Hebrew University, Smithsonian In-

stitution, French Institute for Scientific Research and the British School of Archaeology. Since 1973 he has concentrated on art. Mr. Lalor has exhibited widely and has published a number of books and folios in Ireland, England, Israel, USA and Switzerland. He works mainly in etching, pen and ink, and water color with a predilection for the urban landscape and mythological themes.

The exhibit will hang for a month in the Speizman Galleries. All works will be for sale at moderate prices; checks are to be made payable to The Foundation.

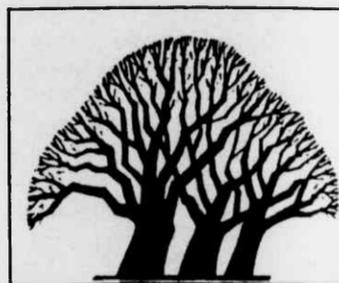
## Many Attend Dedication of Fair Oaks

March 27 was a special day at the Blumenthal Jewish Home in Clemmons, NC. It marked the dedication of Fair Oaks, the new self-care complex for the older adult who seeks a degree of independence with security, companionship and services. People came from all over the state and from S.C. as well to attend the dedication ceremony. The auditorium was filled with an over-capacity crowd; it was estimated that around 450 were in attendance.

Many of us from Charlotte went to Clemmons on two chartered buses provided by the generosity of Herman Blumenthal. We could not have asked for a nicer day nor such wonderful camaraderie

on board. Enroute we had a box-brunch given by Phil Levine (Phil's Deli), with soft drinks donated by Sophie and Leonard Madans. Other items were contributed by Esther and Arthur Frank and Jerome Madans. We thank them all for their generosity. Thanks also go to Sandra Levine who made the travel arrangements.

The Dedication Committee, cochaired by Esther Frank and Audrey Madans, did a magnificent job in preparing for this special event. The day was made memorable through the dedication of many people. The members of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, the staff members of the Blumenthal Jewish Home and the many volunteers



served as greeters and tour guides. Their efforts helped to make the Dedication Ceremony not only a possibility but a reality.

For anyone who has not as yet visited the Home, they have really missed seeing a magnificent undertaking. One should make an effort to go to Clemmons and see for themselves what the Blumenthal Foundation has accomplished. The Home is a non-profit corporation and is supported by fees, the Jewish Federations and other contributions.

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