

Old Farm Improvement A's s n to Meet

The Old Farm Association for the Improvement of Durham was formed by a group of concerned

residents on October 5, 1975 following the annexation of the Old Farm Community into the City

of Durham. The residents were concerned about having to pay city taxes for a minimum of ser-

VICES. The formulation of the Association was an attempt to bring about some cohesiveness within the community. The name adopted by the Association encompassed the thinking that anything done to improve the community would be an improvement for Durham as well.

Since its inception, the Association has worked to improve street lighting, recreation facilities, security and other areas which affect residents. Long before a dog leash law was adopted, this was a concern for Old Farm residents.

Working in cooperation with the Public Safety Department, the Association conducted a program of painting house numbers on the curbs in order to make the houses more easily identifiable in emergency situations.

Out of a concern for youth activities, a Boy Scout troop was formed under the leadership of community resident Milton Glenn. The Association envisions expanding youth activities if they are successful in obtaining a community meeting facility.

Due to the concerted efforts of several Old Farm residents, there are now swings, a shelter and toilet facilities at the Old Farm Park.

The Old Farm Association has become politically aware and was instrumental in revamping the 23rd Precinct so that they could have voice in the processes that affect them.

Currently, the group is in the process of instituting a Neighborhood Watch Program, with the assistance of Investigator R.Z. Long, Jr., Department of Public Safety. They are also working with other groups to assure that a branch library is located in the

Riverview Shopping Center.

From its inception, the Old Farm residents have been aware of a need to interact with the residents of River Forest. One of the goals this year is to establish more communication with that community.

The Executive Committee of the Old Farm Association for the Improvement of Durham meets monthly and a general meeting is held quarterly. The next quarterly meeting is scheduled for May 1 at Fire Station Number 6 on Duke Street. All Old Farm residents are urged to attend.

Highlights to be discussed at the meeting include plans for dedication of the Old Farm Park to be held on May 26. The Old Farm Shindig scheduled for June 30 and the Neighborhood Watch Program.

Sgt. Gilmer Discusses Bike Safety

Sgt. T.R. Gilmer, Public Relations Officer for the Durham Police Department, gave a talk and showed slides about bike safety to Brownie Troop No. 139 on Saturday, April 21.

The troop meets at the home of Mrs. Carolyn Ruffin Blount on Brighton Road on Saturdays. Troop members present were: Joy and Melony Blount, Felicia James, Marcia Thompson, Tina Hicks, Rochelle and Adrienne Griffin, Towanda and Yolanda Moorefield. Guests were Paige Johnston and Kenyatta.

Joy and Melony Blount served as hostesses for the meeting.



MEMBERS OF OLD FARM GROUP

Sponsors of Spring Clean Week Needs Volunteers

Sponsors of Spring Clean Week which got underway in Durham April 21 are seeking more volunteers to help climax the weeks efforts. A telephone call to 688-9049, the Volunteer Service Bureau, will get you the information necessary to join this effort.

County Dumpsters are located at: Treatment

Plant, Hwy. 55, Shopping Center, Corner Hope Valley Road and University Drive and a First Union Bank on Erwin Road.

Recycling schedule Aluminum cans—Northgate Mall, Friday mornings, 8:30-10:30 a.m. Glass—Lakewood Shopping Center, Saturday April 28, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

How To Install A Floor Covering

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To carpet a room with this new Ballerina flooring from Dayco Corporation, you need scissors, razor, knife, hammer, nails, a straight edge and Ballerina Seaming and Carpet Tape.

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Cut the tape in six-foot lengths. Space the lengths four to six feet apart. Leave the release paper on the tape. Now you're ready to start.

1. Measure and lay first section. Use edge of wall as guide to roll product out. Allow an additional four to six inches on each end. Cut the section evenly with the scissors. Roll product up so you can remove the release paper from the tape on the floor. Make sure the flooring is in the correct position. Pull release paper from tape near wall to which you rolled up floor-



To put down a beautiful flooring, tape the floor...



Roll out the floor covering...



Butt the edges and tape the seams together...



Finish by cutting off excess at wall.

ing. Press flooring firmly to tape and roll out, pulling the paper off tape as you go. Use wall as a straightness guide.

2. Measure a second section. Use exposed edge of first section as guide. Leave four to six inches on each end to match patterns. Bring edges of the two sections together and adjust sections to match pattern. Lift flap on first and second sections. Apply two-sided tape to exposed foam edges.

Be sure tape is centered and adheres fully to both sides of seam. Remove release paper from tape.

3. Remove release paper from fabric flap. Press flap down and toward seam to remove wrinkles. Bond fabric flap to tape along entire length of section.

4. Remove the release paper from the opposite

fabric flap. Repeat step three. Make sure fabric edges touch.

5. Roll second section toward seam. Remove release paper as you lay second section in place. Press firmly.

6. Press each section into corner where wall and floor meet. Cut off excess with razor knife. Replace quarter round, using hammer and nails.

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Hearing Conservation Guide

U.S. Government statistics now indicate approximately 15 million Americans suffer from measurable hearing losses. And all indications are the situation will get worse unless effective hearing conservation measures are adopted.

This is the observation of the Beltone Crusade for Hearing Conservation. Sponsored by Beltone Electronics Corporation, world leader in hearing aids and electronic hearing test instruments, the crusade is dedicated to building public awareness of the need to reduce the amount of avoidable hearing losses.

As part of its program, the crusade has prepared a 12-page guide to hearing conservation. Entitled, "How You Can Conserve Your Hearing," the booklet is designed to help the average person protect the hearing ability of himself and his family.

Based on the premise that exposure to excessive noise levels is the major cause of hearing impairments, the booklet explains hearing conservation measures that can be followed in five common environments.

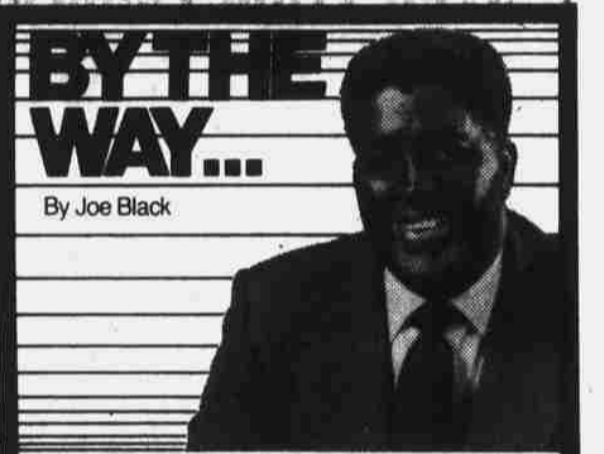
They are at work, in recreational activities, at home, in highway traffic and in a typical community. Also included is a 10 question quiz that could indicate a person might have an undetected hearing loss.

Single copies of the booklet are available without cost from participating independent, authorized Beltone dealerships or by writing the crusade at 4201 West Victoria Street, Chicago, Ill. 60646.

EMGY TAT



THE FIRST WOMAN TO PARACHUTE FROM AN AIRPLANE WAS GEORGIA BROADWICK BROWN. ON JUNE 21, 1913, SHE SAFELY PARACHUTED FROM 1000 FEET WITH A SILKEN 11 FOOT PARACHUTE!



Who is Joe Black? Who writes that stuff he talks about in his commentaries? He ain't no brother because he doesn't even deal with racism. I'll bet he doesn't even live in the ghetto, so he can't know nothing about Black folks. Those are some of the responses that "By The Way" receives from the Black Community.

Well, if the taunts of race-haters in the stands, or ballplayers singing "Old Black Joe" in the dug-outs, didn't make me lose my cool when we were integrating baseball more than twenty-five years ago, then those negative comments won't make me stop in my attempts to provoke Black people to use the minds God gave to them. Yes, the Lord is my shepherd and as long as one Black voice says to me:

"I am seventy-four years old and I was born and raised in Georgia; therefore, I didn't get to go to school full-time. But, thank God, I had Christian parents and they taught us the Golden Rule and also to respect ourselves and others. It grieves me to see the great change in so many of our young people... for our race of people have a better chance now than we ever had but unless there is more concern shown in the ones in our race, instead of going forward they will find themselves going backward. The ones that are guilty of stealing, snatching pocketbooks, smoking dope may wake up too late to find out that they can't make it that way."

You may rest assured that as long as one voice calls out for help, I shall continue to challenge Black people to get our heads out of the proverbial sand.

Joe Black
Vice President
The Greyhound Corporation