

LOWELL LIBRARY LINES



JANUARY

1996

HAPPY NEW YEAR

A new year brings with it the promise of a bright future for the Lowell Public Library. One of the main reasons for this optimism is the support the library has received for its Endowment Fund. The Endowment Board launched their first fundraising drive in April of 1995 and to date over \$26,000 has been raised. With generosity and foresight, businesses, organizations, and residents are helping the library serve this generation and prepare for generations to come.

The Endowment Board would like to again thank those who contributed to the 1995 fund raising effort. The Board is looking forward to a new year and a new goal for the Endowment Fund as they strive to provide for the library's future and the needs of a growing community.

CHRISTMAS PAST

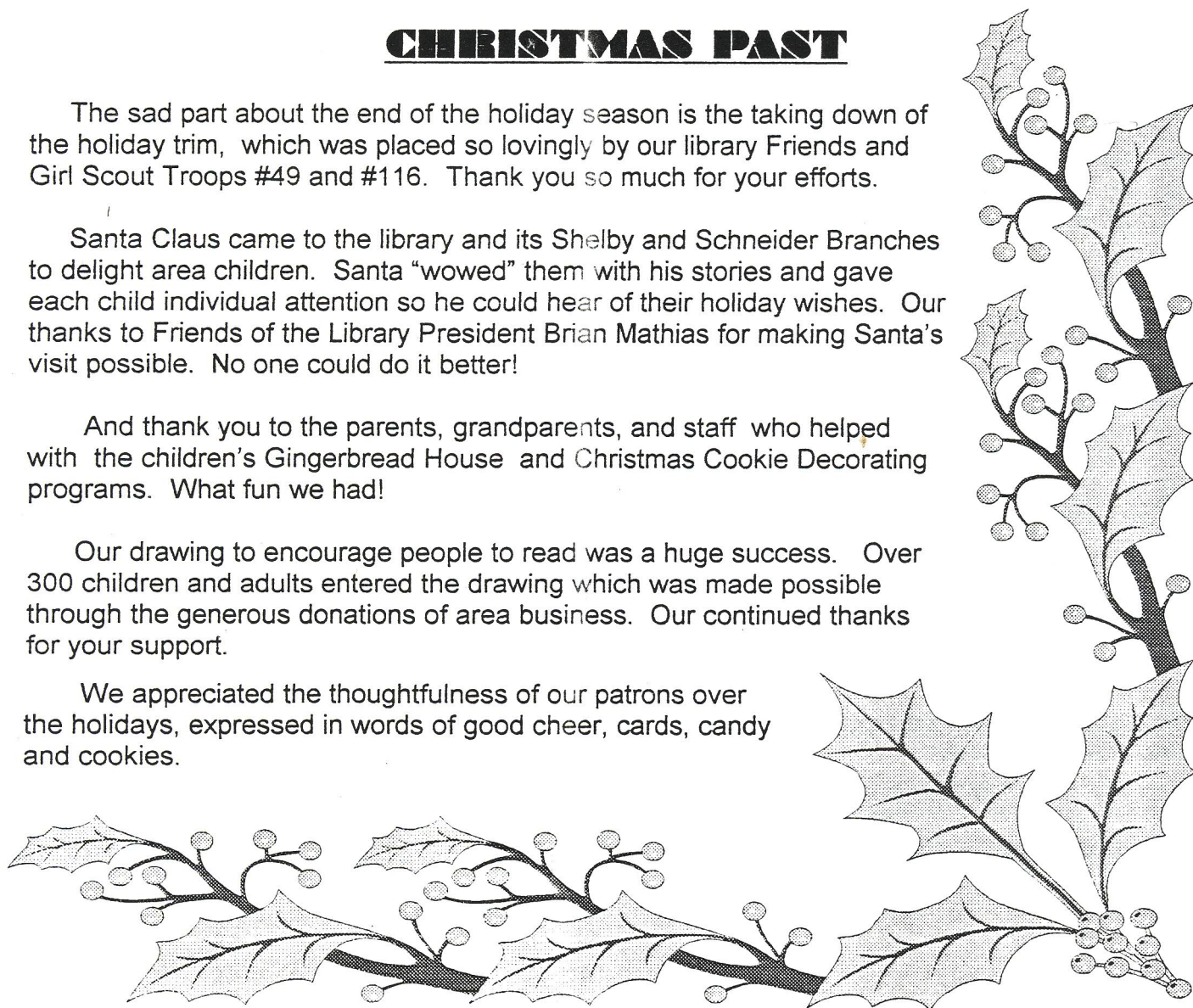
The sad part about the end of the holiday season is the taking down of the holiday trim, which was placed so lovingly by our library Friends and Girl Scout Troops #49 and #116. Thank you so much for your efforts.

Santa Claus came to the library and its Shelby and Schneider Branches to delight area children. Santa "wowed" them with his stories and gave each child individual attention so he could hear of their holiday wishes. Our thanks to Friends of the Library President Brian Mathias for making Santa's visit possible. No one could do it better!

And thank you to the parents, grandparents, and staff who helped with the children's Gingerbread House and Christmas Cookie Decorating programs. What fun we had!

Our drawing to encourage people to read was a huge success. Over 300 children and adults entered the drawing which was made possible through the generous donations of area business. Our continued thanks for your support.

We appreciated the thoughtfulness of our patrons over the holidays, expressed in words of good cheer, cards, candy and cookies.



HAPPENINGS

ADULT PROGRAMS

LIBRARY QUILTERS

LOWELL - Each Monday, Jan. 8 - 29
9 AM - 10:30 AM

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

LOWELL - Tuesday, JAN. 9
9 AM - 10:30 AM

SHELBY - Thursday, Jan. 11
9 AM - 10:30 AM

Screening is conducted on a first-come, first-served basis by a technician of St. Anthony Medical Center.

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#### QUILTING FOR BEGINNERS - SHELBY

Wednesday, Jan. 3, 9 AM  
Create a quilting piece with Helen Wagner and Edith Lessie.

#### BEGINNING QUILTING - SCHNEIDER

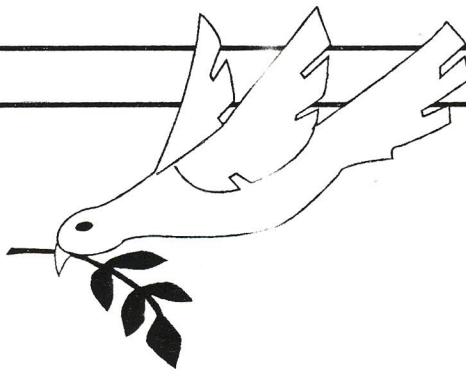
Every other Thursday, at 7 PM, Jan. 11 & 25, Feb. 8 & 22, and Mar. 7  
Mary K. Bruce will teach participants beginning quilting techniques. There is a one-time fee of \$2. for materials.

#### WEAVE "IT'S ROUND" BASKETS - SHELBY

Monday, Jan. 22, 6 PM or  
Thursday, Jan. 25, 9 AM  
Master Weaver Julie Duttlinger will teach participants to weave an "It's Round" basket. Fee for each workshop is \$21.

#### CPR, THE "C" COURSE - LOWELL

Monday, Jan. 22, 6 PM  
American Heart Association CPR Certification Course taught by Katherine Misiore, R.N. and Leon Misiore, E.M.T.-Paramedic. There is a \$15 fee for the certification course.



THE DOVE IS  
A SYMBOL OF  
INNOCENCE,  
HARMLESSNESS, OR  
PEACE

New Shorter Oxford Dictionary

### STRATEGIES FOR AN UNCERTAIN MARKET

Thursday, Jan. 25, 7 PM

Investment Broker David Slamkowski, of A.G. Edwards, will discuss long-term steps investors can take to weather the ups and downs of the financial markets and still keep their portfolios on a steady course.

### PLAC CARD INFORMATION

You can save more money by using your home library this year. Beginning January 1, the PLAC CARD (Public Library Access Card) will cost \$20 per year.

If you wish to visit the Lake County Public Library or its branches to check out materials you will need to purchase a PLAC Card at the Lowell Library or its Shelby or Schneider Branches. There is still the option of having materials sent to the Lowell Library from other libraries without charge.



### LIBRARY BOARD TO MEET

The Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will hold their regular meeting on Monday, January 15, at 6:30 PM

### FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

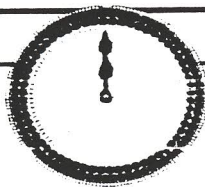
The Friends of the Lowell Public Library will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday, January 17, at 7 PM. New members are welcome. Pick up a membership application at the circulation desk at the library or its branches



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## **FREE CHILDHOOD IMMUNIZATIONS**



Please bring your child's records when you visit the following locations:

### **CEDAR LAKE- CEDAR LAKE CLINIC**

**13963 MORSE ST.**

Thurs., Jan. 4

12 PM - 6 PM

A FREE SERVICE OF ST. ANTHONY MEDICAL CENTER.

### **LOWELL- OAK HILL SCHOOL**

Mon., Jan. 8

9 AM - 2 PM

OFFERED BY THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

### **LOWELL- LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Thurs., Jan. 18

9 AM - 3 PM

OFFERED BY THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

### **SCHNEIDER- SCHNEIDER BRANCH LIBRARY**

Thurs., January 18

12 Noon - 6 PM

A FREE SERVICE OF ST. ANTHONY MEDICAL CENTER.

### **SHELBY- SHELBY BRANCH LIBRARY**

Mon., January 22

10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

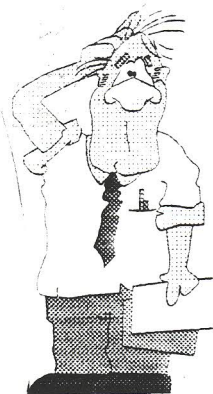
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## **WHY ME? WHY THIS? WHY NOW?**

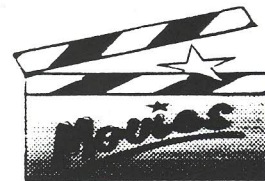
Yes, just like Old Faithful... the tax season begins each January. Standard federal forms are available at the library and its Shelby and Schneider Branches. State forms will arrive soon.

Trained volunteers will offer free tax assistance for elderly, handicapped, and low-income people by appointment only at the library and its branches beginning in February (the date to be announced).

For more information call the Lowell Library at 696-7704, the Shelby Branch Library at 552-0809, or the Schneider Branch Library at 552-1000.



## **FOOD 'N FLICKS**



**YOUNG ADULT MOVIE HOUR**

**PRESENTS**

**TBA**

**MATINEE SHOWING**

**SATURDAY, JAN. 20**

**2 PM**

## **THANK YOU**

**The following business contributed to the  
Annual Christmas Drawing at the library and  
its branches:**

NBD Bank, Cheryl K. Gibson, C.P.A., Heavenly Candies, Sickinger's Jewelry, Wilco Foods DeMotte State Bank, Sentiments, Floraland, Midtown True Value, Belei's Creative Woodworking, Hairtenders & Tannery, Lowell Sports Gun Shop, George's Family Restaurant, Video Stars, Hair Shaak, Comic Store, Craft Ben, John's This and That, Uptown Stylist, Coop's Corner, G.L. Perry, South County Office Supply, Video-to-Go, Walgreen's, Harry Handford's Packing, Julie Duttlinger, Becky Clinton, Yolanda Cantwell, Mrs. Bartz, Studer's Corner, Rusty Wrench, Char's Beauty Shop, Echo Pizza, Judy's Ceramic Shop, Avery Dennison, Lowell Concrete Products Conela's Cafe.

Over 300 patrons entered the drawing designed to encourage reading over the holidays.

## **NEW YEAR CLOSING**

The library and its Shelby and Schneider Branches will be closed Monday, January 1, 1996 in observance of the New Year. The libraries will resume regular hours on Tuesday, January 2, 1996.

# WELCOME 1996



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## WINTER TALES AT STORY HOUR

Your child can enjoy reading adventures at Story Hour each week for six weeks.

Children's Programmer Miss Chris will read stories to stir the imagination and tickle the funny bone of children ages 3 to 5 years old. Children can interact with other children their age as they play games and sing songs at Story Hour.

### STORY TIME HOURS ARE:

**SHELBY** 9:30 AM

Mondays - January 8 - February 12

**LOWELL** 10 AM or 1:30 PM

Tuesdays - January 9 - February 13

**LOWELL** 10 AM or 1:30 PM

Wednesdays - January 10 - February 14

**SCHNEIDER** 9:30 AM

Thursdays - January 11 - February 15

## A FROSTY CRAFT CORNER

### CRAFT CORNER HOURS ARE:

#### **LOWELL**

Thurs., Jan. 4 - 10 AM  
Pre-schoolers

Thurs., Jan. 4 - 3:30 PM  
School age

#### **SCHNEIDER**

Thurs., Jan. 11 - 3:30 PM  
Both Crafts

#### **SHELBY**

Thurs., Jan. 18 - 3:30 PM  
Pre-schoolers

Thurs., Jan. 25 - 3:30 PM  
School age

Pre-schoolers are making snowmen using popcorn and school age children are making a bird feeder.

### Pre-register by calling:

Lowell Public Library 696-7704

Schneider Branch Library 552-1000

Shelby Branch Library 552-0809

