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FIG. 1. Contour plot of the correlation coefficient between the 2003–04 winter precipitation anomaly and the 2003–04 winter precipitation anomaly. The contour interval is 0.2. The shaded area is the region where the correlation coefficient is greater than 0.4.

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●GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING SET FOR SEPTEMBER 26

John Post Is Nominated for Seat on THA Board

John Post, of 4204 Ann Fitz Hugh Drive, has been nominated for a seat on the Truro Homes Association's Board of Directors, the board announced last month. The election of a new board member to replace outgoing member Marj Bridgman is one of the primary items of business at the regular THA general membership meeting scheduled for Thursday evening, September 26, at the Truro Community Center.

John, a U.S. Army major assigned to the Defense Logistics Agency at Cameron Station, has been active in community affairs since he and his family arrived in Truro in February 1983. He has worked actively with the Truro swim team and, along with wife Liz, has participated in the local Neighborhood Watch. He is currently involved in securing the advertising needed to fund the new edition of the Truro directory set for publication this fall.

John and Liz have two children, John and Dawn. Liz was co-chairman, along with Anne Allen, of the THA's Social Committee in 1983.

The new member elected to the THA Board of Directors at the September 26 general membership meeting will fill the seat being vacated by THA President Marj Bridgman, who is completing her three-year term on the board this month. In addition to the board's recommendation of John Post, other nominations for the board position will be accepted from the floor during the meeting.

The September 26 general meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the TCC clubhouse. It is one of three regular meetings of the THA membership held each year; the others are in January (for the adoption of THA and TCC budgets for the coming year) and in May (to discuss plans for the summer season at the TCC).

In addition to the election of a new board member, the other major item of business at the upcoming meeting will be the presentation of the report of an ad hoc TCC Facilities Committee, headed by board member John Gratchner. This committee, appointed by the board several months ago, has been looking into the management of TCC memberships--buying, selling, leasing, and the responsibilities associated with these transactions.

A summary of the ad hoc committee recommendations which the board is presenting to the membership is on page 2. John Gratchner's comments on his committee's activities are on page 4.

Because of the significance of the recommended procedures to THA homeowners leasing or selling their TCC memberships, the board is urging that as many members as possible attend the September 26 meeting.

THE COVER

With the Truro pool closing for the season and school back in session for yet another long year, what can a youngster hang onto that's durable, satisfying and dependable? His bike, of course. So for our cover this month we've swiped a drawing of a bicycle wheel from a recent IBM ad. Enjoy your autumn biking, kids--snowy winter will be here before you know it.

FROM THE BOARD

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
AUGUST 1985

By Sue Olesch

The Board of Directors of the Truro Homes Association met at the home of Steve Barber on August 20, 1985. Present were Marj Bridgman, Patty Clark, John Gratchner, Steve Barber, Thelma Cannon and Sue Olesch. Janice Armstrong was also present for a part of the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Committee Reports

Patty Clark, for the Social Committee, reported that the minimum of 80 tickets have been sold for the Shrimp and Crab Feast, and that a few tickets for the event are still available.

Due to many comments/complaints concerning the Architectural Control Committee and its ability/inability to act and enforce the THA covenants to which all homeowners and tenants are subject, the board will form an ad hoc committee at its October meeting to address problems that are becoming inherent in the community regarding homeowner/tenant responsibility for property maintenance consistent with the Architectural Control Committee's guidelines, which are a part of the covenants. This ad hoc committee will be headed by a board member, and participation by anyone wishing to do so, as well as written suggestions, are welcome. More details of this committee's meeting dates, etc., will be published in future issues of Truro Trails.

**OFFICIAL
THA
NOTICE**

Other Business

John Gratchner and Jan Armstrong presented their ad hoc committee's recommendations to the board regarding TCC membership procedures. This committee was comprised of people having all types of memberships: TCC, THA, TCC/THA, as well as lessors, lessees, board members, the TCC facilities manager, and others. The participants surveyed other neighborhood pools' facilities, memberships, rules, etc. It appears that Truro has the best facility and is highly regarded. The board is very grateful to those who voluntarily gave their time and effort to this project. The board carefully reviewed the committee's recommendations, which will be presented to the community at the general membership meeting at 8 p.m. on September 26 at the TCC, and unanimously approved the following procedures to become effective on November 1, 1985:

LEASING

1. TCC members may request to lease their memberships provided they have paid their coming year's user fee and have paid the required fee for the leasing service. If a lessee is found for the membership, the user fee will be reimbursed to the membership owner.

a. All requests for memberships to be leased will be honored by lottery on March 1. The user fee and the service fee must accompany the request.

b. The fee for leasing the membership will be the yearly user fee plus \$65.

2. Members who have elected to lease or sell their memberships may not come as guests.

MEMBERSHIP

1. Membership purchase for 1985-

86 will remain at \$650.

2. A three-month payment plan for purchase will be made available at an acceptable interest rate (10% annual percentage rate).

3. Only full membership as we now have will be offered.

4. To facilitate a purchase list, a Truro sign* will be posted at the entrance on Guinea Road and Elizabeth Lane stating the membership number as 978-3040. A telephone message machine would be purchased to record calls during the off-season.

*TRURO COMMUNITY CENTER
SWIM AND TENNIS
INFORMATION 978-3040

GUEST FEES

1. Daily and weekend: \$2.

2. Special rates for houseguests will remain: individual, \$5; family, \$10 weekly.

3. No guest fees for occasional use by parents, children or grandchildren of members.

The board agreed that, weather permitting, the pool would stay open as an extra service to the community on weekdays plus two weekends after Labor Day. The hours and fee per person (charged to offset the extra unbudgetted costs of maintenance, lifeguards' salaries, etc.) will be determined by the TCC facilities manager, and will be posted on the TCC doors.

Mid- to late October is the publication time for the new Truro directory. Anyone wishing to place an ad should contact John Post or any board member. Full-page ads cost \$150, half-page \$75 and quarter-page \$40.

John Post has agreed to be a candidate for the board position which will be vacant when Marj Bridgman's

term expires in September. Other nominations may be taken from the floor at the September 26 general meeting. Voting will follow.

As previously reported, the persons responsible for some of the vandalism at the TCC have been identified and were taken to court on July 29. Steve Ale from the pool staff and Jim Bergstrom from the board were present in court to testify and request restitution. The persons involved admitted the vandalism and the judge ordered restitution to the THA/TCC as part of their sentences. The board has developed, with Steve Barber's guidance, and unanimously approved the following guidelines for handling persons who vandalize THA or TCC property, effective immediately:

VANDALISM GUIDELINES

1. If swimming pool property is vandalized while the pool is officially open, the facilities manager or an authorized member of the pool staff will notify the person, or if the person is a minor will notify a parent or guardian of the minor, in order to inform the person or parent/guardian of the infraction and of any restrictions imposed on that person's use of the pool. If the person is not a TCC member, the person shall be prohibited from using the pool for the remainder of the season. The board may seek full monetary restitution.

2. If swimming pool property is vandalized while the pool is closed or if any other THA or TCC property is vandalized at any time, a representative of the board will notify the person, or if the person is a minor will notify a parent or guardian of the minor, in order to inform the person of the infraction and the action which will be taken. The board may press criminal charges and seek full monetary restitution.

3. Depending upon the circumstances, if the person agrees to promptly pay for the full replacement or repair cost of the property damaged and to observe the restrictions, if any, on that person's use of the facilities, the board may find that further action is unnecessary.

4. Any actions taken in accordance with these guidelines by the facilities manager, an authorized member of the pool staff or a representative of the board will be backed by the board.

Cable TV is now being installed in Truro. Patty Clark reported that its administrators and crews have commented on how nice and cooperative the people of Truro have been and have informed us that if a sidewalk or driveway is torn up a full concrete replacement will be poured. Also, replaced grass will be checked periodically and reseeded/resodded if it dies; however, it is the residents' responsibility to water the new grass. Service to all community cable TV subscribers will be turned on at the same time.

It has been suggested that cable TV be hooked up at the Community Center as well, for future use. The practicality of this is being checked.

The green tabs on some of the trees in Truro are markers placed by the county to check on its gypsy moth control program. If you see caterpillars, please write to Thomas L. Mason, Jr., Fairfax County Department of Extension and Continuing Education, Gypsy Moth Control, 11212 Waples Mill Road, Fairfax, VA 22030, and advise where and how many are present.

In the future, all board meetings will be held at the TCC. It is hoped that this will allow members

to feel more comfortable in attending these meetings, which are open to the public. Accordingly, the next board meeting will be at 8 p.m. on September 10 at the TCC.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

FROM THE COMMITTEES

AD-HOC TCC COMMITTEE

By John Gratchner

The entire community benefits from the outstanding recreational facilities we have in Truro. THA members (homeowners who may or may not be members of the TCC) benefit from the quality facilities that increase property values and make living in Truro more desirable. TCC-only members (persons who do not own property in Truro but belong to the Truro Community Center) benefit in the high quality swim and tennis programs and recreational facilities. We all benefit from the Community Center and the varied programs offered there.

In the last few years there has been a growing concern regarding the increased number of TCC memberships offered for lease or sale. The board recognized the changing family needs of members and the desire to lease or sell while assuring sufficient monies to support the high standards of maintenance required to retain property values. With this in mind, I chaired a TCC Facilities Committee this summer. The committee held three open meetings in the Community Center during the June-August period. Various interests of the community were represented: TCC members, THA/TCC members, THA members, TCC lessors and TCC lessees. In reviewing the Truro covenants, it was noted that THA members retain

final fiscal responsibility for the clubhouse and recreational facilities. Even if a TCC membership is sold, a THA member must retain this responsibility.

The committee's recommendations were presented to the THA Board of Directors and unanimously approved by the board at its August meeting (see page 2). The recommendations represented the consensus of committee members. A presentation will be made at the September 26 general membership meeting.

I would personally like to thank the community for its input and support. Special thanks go to the committee members who gave freely of their valuable summer hours. I especially appreciate the efforts of Lynne Alterman and Jan Armstrong for their work on a survey of surrounding recreational facilities.

Truro offers the most desirable recreational facilities in the area. It is indeed the "best value" by far in Northern Virginia.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

By Donna Reistetter

Welcome, New Neighbors:

REPSHER, Boyd F. and Lois
8627 Appleton Court
978-5538

Capt., U.S. Navy (Chief of Staff,
Washington Naval District)
Children: Buffy (1966)
*Todd (1970)

ZAYICEK, James S. and Rachelle
8621 Appleton Court
425-8450
U.S. Navy
Children: Brad (1977)
Bryan (1983)

*Add to babysitter and odd jobs lists.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

By Anne Marshall

Catch the Spirit of Oktoberfest

The blue and white flags will be fluttering in Bavaria from September 21 to October 6, but you can enjoy the fun right here in Truro. On Saturday, September 28, at 7 p.m. we will turn the clubhouse into a replica of one of the famous beer tents of Munich. Our caterer for this festive buffet with all the trimmings is the Kaiserhof, a restaurant associated with the Alibi in Fairfax. The "Alpenfest" band will put you in the mood to enjoy your friends and neighbors. Send your check for \$17.50 per person to me at 8618 Ordinary Way, and don't miss out on the best of the wursts, krauts, salads, desserts, beer, wine and setups. Gemütlich!

Shrimp and Crab Feast

Almost 80 members and guests enjoyed this seasonal food extravaganza on August 24. Undaunted by the gentle rain, we shifted inside the clubhouse to enjoy the band and socializing. Several lucky members won shrimp packs for further enjoyment, while the two big winners were Suzy Brunelle (German wine) and Igor Vichnevsky (one free admission to the Oktoberfest).

This and That

We have one of the finest facilities around (ask your friends in other neighborhoods), so let's all use it. There will be an especially warm welcome to Truro newcomers at the Oktoberfest. Do encourage the new families in your block to come out and meet everyone. We have a limit of 125 persons for clubhouse functions, so get your party together and send in your reservation slip and check right away.

Neighborhood Watch

By Dick Yates

Two Youths Convicted

In late July, two youths who broke into the Truro Community Center earlier this year were convicted in Fairfax County Juvenile Court of damaging the Coke machine and breaking several windows. The penalty was payment of more than \$100 for damages, plus 500 hours of community service. Keep alert when walking, jogging or driving past the Community Center. Notice anything suspicious and immediately call the police. Help protect a valuable community asset.

Vandalism

We had two incidents involving creosote, a tar-like substance from a one-gallon can that evidently had been in someone's garage for a long time. A car had creosote poured on it, and a glass bottle containing creosote was thrown at a Truro home. If you have any knowledge of a one-gallon can of Hechinger's creosote disappearing from your garage during the last week of July, please call me.

Bumper Stickers

We have them available--the blue swordfish on a white background. They are reflectorized and free, and enable you to recognize a vehicle immediately as belonging in Truro. If you don't have one on each of your vehicles, please call me and stop by to pick them up. They go on the right rear bumper.

Prime Burglary Time Here

By the time you read this, all the kids will be back in school and Truro will be almost uninhabited

during school hours. The nationwide prime time for burglaries is the five-hour period between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on weekdays, when the most people are out of their homes for various reasons. I am in need of weekday patrollers. If you can volunteer three hours of your time once every two months to help safeguard the community, please give me a call at 978-8318.

Be Suspicious

You are the real eyes and ears of the community. We can't have patrols on the streets continuously, but we do have residents jogging at all hours of the day and night, and we have cars coming and going. Keep your eyes open for anything suspicious. Note down a license number or description for the police. Call the police (911 for emergencies, 691-2131 for non-emergencies), then let me know what's happening.

Vacation Tip

Whenever you're away, even just overnight, do everything possible to make your home looked lived in. That will help discourage burglars and vandals.

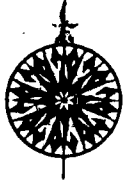
Outside Lights

The days are much shorter now. We don't have street lights in Truro, but you can do a lot to overcome this problem. Make a practice of turning on your outside lights in the evening and leaving them on all night. If even one-half of the residents of Truro did this, we could have a well-illuminated community--and a safer one.

Volunteers Needed

Too few people are carrying the load. I need more volunteers. Our schedules are very flexible. Call me at 978-8318 if you can help.

TRAVELERS' NOTEBOOK



By Thelma Cannon
(Edited by Jane Barber)

For years I have heard about the beauty, quaintness and history of New England, and always wanted to visit the region. Last month I finally got my chance, and found that all I had been told was true.

We planned our trip to include as many points of interest as could be packed into six short days: historical sites, national landmarks, parks, museums and quaint villages. Each night we planned to stay in a bed-and-breakfast lodging--small inns or private residences that offer a homey atmosphere and an often enormous home-cooked breakfast. Our were mostly renovated historic homes with antique furnishings.

Mystic seaport, our first stop, is a recreated New England whaling village. A visit to its exhibits and restored tall ships is standard fare for travelers to the region.

On to Newport, Rhode Island, that bastion of the Gilded Age, with its enormous homes and impeccably maintained gardens. A tour of Cornelius Vanderbilt's home, "The Breakers," a stroll along Cliff Walk and a seven-mile ride along Ocean Drive give one a quick picture of the area.

Next was a quick trip to Provincetown, on the tip of Cape Cod, in time for a sunset whale-watching cruise. Whales, whales, whales--performing all around our ship. It is the best show in town and well worth the four hours it takes.

After an evening in Hyannis, it was on to Nantucket Island by ferry.

A Visit to New England

Like the nearby island of Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket is both a summer resort and quaint whaling town, a perennial favorite for many Washingtonians. The bus tour originating near the docks is an excellent way of learning the history and sights.

On to Boston by way of Plymouth Rock--a must, although the rock is larger in symbolism than in size. Provincetown was actually the site of the Pilgrim's first landing.

In Boston, the National Park Service has an excellent one-hour tour of old Boston. A red line painted on the city sidewalks leads the visitor to the Old State House, Paul Revere's home, and the Old North Church. Along the way you can stop by historic Faneuil Hall Market and Durgin-Park restaurant (try the fresh broiled scrod and baked Indian pudding). The notorious Filene's basement is only a couple blocks away for those in search of illusive bargains. Follow this with afternoon tea at the Ritz Carlton for a relaxing return to civilization.

With time running short, we skipped a visit to nearby Salem, home of the witch trials and Hawthorne's House of Seven Gables and went instead to Boothbay Harbor, a picturesque "down east" Maine town. There we visited a little, out-of-the-way dockside restaurant that tries to saturate you with lobster and clams at a very moderate price. I was told



that the fog around there can roll in about as quickly as you can say "Pemadumcook."

A popular stopover on our way to New Hampshire's White Mountains is Freeport, Maine, home of a number of factory outlets such as L.L. Bean (open 24 hours a day).

In the White Mountains, the main attraction, other than the sheer beauty of the scenery, is Mt. Washington, highest mountain in the northeast and home of the world's highest recorded wind speed--231 miles an hour. Though there is a road (steep grade and toll) to the summit, the favorite way up has traditionally been by cog railroad. For us, however, the rail trip became an event to remember--and not because of the 90-mile visibility at the summit that day. Our train broke a piston and derailed three times, once at a point with ravines dropping off on both sides. I'm told that the railroad has long been in need of repair, so a trip up by auto would be faster, safer and just as scenic.

Back to Northern Virginia via the Berkshires and western Connecticut. With 1,862 miles behind us, it was good to be back home in Truro.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE--Truro home, lovely colonial, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, new carpeting, kitchen appliances and more. Deck overlooks parkland. \$167,500. Owner will assist with financing. Call 978-7435.

FOR SALE--Promaster SP zoom lens, 80-200mm, f4.5, one-touch macro, built-in lens hood, with UV filter, case and instructions. Almost new. \$60 or best offer. Contact Alison Barrows, 323-1758.

GREAT BIRTHDAY/HOLIDAY GIFTS--Limited supply of Truro athletic bags, beach towels and T-shirts available. Call Sibyl Dunleavy, 425-5061, to arrange purchase.

FOR SALE--B-flat clarinet, perfect for your young musical genius, priced well below comparable models in music stores. \$80 or best offer. 978-4589.

DOG SITTER NEEDED--My name is Coco and I'm a 10-year-old, 11-lb. Yorkie. Both my Mom and Dad work and my best friend just left for college. Now there's no one to take me out after school for exercise. All my house-persons are adults, so I need help from a high school student each day. If you'd like to be my friend, please call my mother-person at 978-4589.

FOR SALE--Atari cassettes. Learn Spanish, Touch Typing, Graph It, Midway, Math Flash Cards, Nuke Sub, Galaxy Defender, Preschool IQ Builder. Priced \$5-10. 425-1574.

PIANO LESSONS in my home. My fall schedule is now being formed. Call Cathy Bostak at 978-2408 for more information.

FOR SALE--40-channel CB base station with all accessories, and never-used 5/8-wave antenna. Ideal for REACT, Neighborhood Watch, etc. \$200 complete. Call Glenn Abercrombie at 425-4191 (H) or 920-1444 (O).

BRIDGE, ANYONE?

The ladies Tuesday night duplicate bridge group in Truro is looking for substitutes to play with the group. This is usually on the first or third Tuesday of the month. Those interested are asked to call Bobbi Stranahan at 978-4718.

SPORTS AND RECREATION

Swim Team..By Janice Armstrong

The 1985 swim season officially ended on August 3 at the NVSL Individual All-Star Meet, from which Truro swimmers brought home a record high six medals. Congratulations to:

- Anna Bitton, who participated in 9-10 breaststroke and individual medley.
- Rob McLallen, who participated in 15-18 freestyle.
- Brett Lackey, who participated in 11-12 individual medley and medalled in 11-12 breaststroke.
- Bill Armstrong, who medalled in both 13-14 breaststroke and individual medley.
- Kiki Steinberg, who medalled in both 13-14 backstroke and individual medley.
- Ken Lucas, who not only medalled in 15-18 backstroke but placed first and set a new Truro pool record in the event. (Kenny is only the second Truro swimmer ever to win a first place in an NVSL all-star meet; the other first place finisher was Tracy Promersberger, who placed first in the 9-10 girls breaststroke in 1977.)

Marc Alterman was named first alternate in the 11-12 boys individual medley, but did not get the opportunity to swim.

There are approximately 12,000 children who participate in the NVSL summer program. To be one of the 12 fastest in each age group event is indeed a great achievement. We are very proud of you.

As always at this time of year, the swim team appreciates all com-

ments and suggestions pertaining to the program. Please submit your thoughts in writing to me at 4103 Elizabeth Lane, Fairfax, VA 22032.

Tennis.....By Sue Brennan

Winning Summer for Junior Boys

The Truro junior boys tennis team had one of its best seasons ever. The overall team record was 5 wins, 1 loss. The individual age group records were:

- 16-15-year-olds.....2-4
- 14-13-year-olds.....5-1
- 12-10-year-olds.....6-0

Our 16-year-old group had a tough time fielding a full team each week, due to work, soccer camps, fishing trips, etc. We had to default several individual matches. Many thanks to the guys who hung in there as best they could. Playing for the 16 age group were John Brennan, David Shultis, Alex Christianson, Jerry Cannon and James Depoy.

The 14-year-old group also had trouble coming up with a full team each week, but still managed 5 wins and 1 loss. Congratulations and thanks to Andrew Lockhart, Brian Alvir, Dung Le, Chad Lesman and Brett Lackey. We also thank the 12-year-olds who played to help out our 14s.

Our undefeated 12-year-old team really was terrific. We had depth this year and it showed. We didn't lose a single individual match--a first for Truro tennis. Playing in this hard-charging group were Marc Alterman, Eric Hansen, Quang Le, Alex Lesman, Siddharth Nadkarni and David Perrine. Thanks, guys, for a great job.

We had an exciting season and I have really enjoyed working with the boys. They played good tennis and, more importantly, displayed good sportsmanship. That is a Truro tra-

dition. I know they will keep up the good work.

I am stepping down as junior boys team representative this year. I'm sure that my replacement, Diane Perrine, will do a fine job. She has been a big help to me this summer. Thank you and good luck, Diane.

Many thanks to all the parents who helped me with driving, drinks, snacks and just "being there" at the matches. I especially want to thank Sue Christianson for some real extra duty driving. Good luck next year, boys; I'll be out there cheering.



Junior Tournament and Tennis Party

A very successful junior tennis tournament was held during the last part of July. The weather held and there were trophies awarded to the winners at the annual junior tennis party. The tournament was open to juniors ages 10-16, with about 20 young people entering. The tournament was organized by our pro, Dave Zamperini, and Diane Perrine. Winners in the various age groups were:

Girls 14-13..1st: Mary Brennan
2nd: Justine Wolfe

Girls 12-11..1st: Meaghan Sullivan
2nd: Shana Welsh

Boys 14-13...1st: Brian Alvir
2nd: Andrew Lockhart

Boys 12-10...1st: Eric Hansen
2nd: David Perrine

Some special awards were also given out at the party by Dave Zamperini to participants in the junior lessons program. Tu Le received the Best Sportsmanship award and Eric Hansen the Most Improved Player award. The dinner and party were great, with lots of help from Frances Fox and junior tennis parents.

Mrs. Sullivan thanks the girls

team for the lovely flowers and the gift certificate. Mrs. Brennan thanks the boys team for the very attractive blouse.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Welcome, New Neighbors:

Here are some additional new neighbors whose information forms didn't arrive in time to make the list on page 5:

BOYER, Charles A. and Irene
8836 Burbank Road
425-7256.

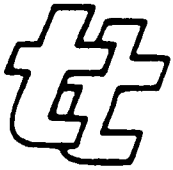
U.S. Air Force (Electrical Engineer)
Children: David (1972)
Jennifer (1973)
Amy (1975)

RING, Jeffrey L. and Anneliese
4410 Ossian Hall Lane
323-6869

Teacher, Fairfax County (Jeffrey)
Office Manager (Anneliese)
Children: Colleen (1965)
Keven (1972)

GREAT WORKOUTS

It's that time of year again! Summer is over, school has begun and a new outlook is in order. Join me at the clubhouse for twice-weekly one-hour sessions of aerobic dance and exercise on Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a.m. --open to THA/TCC members only. Additional classes will be offered at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 8922 Little River Turnpike (next to the fire station) on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m.--open to all. The cost is \$72 (\$3 an hour) for 24 lessons. Courses will begin the week of September 15. Call Marge Fallon at 323-8073 (H) or 370-4112 (O) for information.



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Shirley Baer, of 4206 Elizabeth Lane, a member of the Women's Committee of the National Symphony Orchestra, has been named chairman of the Young People's Concerts sponsored by the orchestra. Both the Washington Post and the Fairfax Journal carried stories recently on Shirley. The Journal also included her picture. Shirley is also first vice president of the Virginia Chamber Orchestra.



Back in January 1983 we reported on the publication of a children's book illustrated by Truro's Linda Shute, of 8913 Footstep Court. In the years since then, Linda has illustrated two more children's books and is now going to press with a fourth--this time written and illustrated by Linda. It's a Japanese folk tale entitled "Momotaro, the Peach Boy" and will be published by Lothrop, Lee & Shepard next year.



Sue Brennan, who led the junior boys tennis team to another winning season this year (see page 9), recently teamed up with former TCC member Gayle Barron to reach the finals of the Fairfax County Adult Women's Doubles Tournament. Sue and Gayle lost the championship match but, according to Sue, had a great and exciting time getting that far.



Washington lawyer and former Truroite Betty Southard Murphy recently headed a search committee to find an executive director for the Commission on the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution. The search committee recommended the selection of Chief Justice Warren E. Burger's admin-

CALENDAR

(KEY EVENTS COMING UP)

September 10--THA Board of Directors Meeting, 8 p.m., TCC.

September 26--THA General Membership Meeting, 8 p.m., TCC.

September 28--Oktoberfest Party, 7 p.m., TCC.

istrative assistant, Mark Cannon, to oversee the work of the commission, which Chief Justice Burger chairs. Betty, who was chairman of the National Labor Relations Board in 1975-77, formerly lived at 4105 Necostin Way.



Another former Truroite has just returned to the community after an absence of several years. It's Diane Rosenbaum, who, with daughters Hillary and Anne Catherine, have re-occupied their home at 4212 Elizabeth Lane.



Vivian Watts, when the Republican opponent for her Virginia House of Delegates seat dropped out of the race: "My philosophy is you either run unopposed or scared."

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