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**Ruth Shain Class  
to Give Breakfast**

The Ruth Shain International Affairs Class, concluding its 28th consecutive year, will hold the annual alumnae reunion breakfast on Tuesday, May 25, from 9:00 to 11:30 a. m. at the Community House.

The principal speaker will be Hal Lehman, author of "Russia's Europe," who will talk on "Adventures of a Liberal Behind the Iron Curtain."

Two exiled Rumanians will also be presented to the group. Constantin Visoianu, one-time Rumanian minister to the Hague and Moscow, and Alexandra Cretzianu formerly of the Rumanian foreign office, will speak on "How We Feel About Freedom."

All alumnae and friends of the class can make reservations by contacting Mrs. E. S. Plester, 4202 Arlington drive, the general chairman for the event, Mrs. Charles

**Walnut Lake PTA  
Sees Short Movie**

The Walnut Lake PTA sponsored a family night on Friday, May 7, at the Walnut Lake School.

Short subject movies on "Highlights of 1947," "Let's Go Fishing," "The Soap Box Derby" and "Unlimited Horizons" were a feature of the evening.

A potluck dinner was served and the Junior-Big Club served the coffee and soft drinks.

**Ladies' Luncheon**

A ladies' luncheon and card party will be held Tuesday, May 18, at Oakland Hills Country Club. The luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m.

All reservations should be made by May 16.

Shain, 813 Pierce street or by calling at the Community House.

**Their Work Included in Community House Exhibit**



Pictured above (left to right) are Mrs. Elizabeth Swartz, Mrs. Virginia Schaefer, Mrs. Juanita Boling, Mrs. Alice Liskow and Mrs. Edith Baumgarth, members of Mrs. Schaefer's adult art class. They will have several paintings hung in the annual spring showing at the Community House this Saturday.

**Adult Art Class Members Making Bid  
for Recognition in Saturday Exhibit**

The several classes studying painting under the direction of Mrs. Virginia Schaefer will have their annual spring showing in the Community House at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The adult class members, according to Mrs. Schaefer, are making a strong bid for recognition at this time.

The women are not full time artists but are using it as a hobby and a medium of expression for their inborn love of beauty. Mrs. Alice Liskow, wife of Richard Liskow of Vinetta Park, is a typical example of the adult student of today.

A graduate engineer, she is maintaining a home for her husband and two small children, yet finds time for this creative work as an outlet for her talents. The exactness of the trained technical mind makes itself known in her work which also shows a marked honesty and creative ability.

Another who is showing outstanding talent and ability is Mrs. Truman (Janita) Boling. This Pontiac business woman, through the subtle use of light and shadow, has the uncanny ability of making her portraits come alive.

Mrs. Edith Baumgarth, a Birmingham woman, is well known for her particular work in Pennsylvania Dutch decorations. Her field of art is water color, and several pieces of her work will be shown.

The members of this adult class have also been studying art appreciation. They have made several field trips for sketching, and with Mrs. Schaefer have visited many nearby art galleries and exhibits.

Expect the Unexpected

The boys who study with Mrs. Schaefer Monday afternoons will also have items of their work shown. Mrs. Schaefer's voice has a special tone when she speaks of this group: "They do just what you would expect any bunch of boys nine and ten to do—the unexpected. They not only change the name of their class at least once a week, but also change the complete theme and style of their work several times in the process of one painting. While the results are quite startling at times, they are always pleasing in their fresh originality."

This group includes Gary Roseberger, Bobby Stahl, Jerry McCullough, Roddy Wright, Richie DeMara, Bobby Thompson and Harvey Swift.

Three other groups will be included in the exhibit. The group whose class is held Wednesday includes Janet McLeese, Sheila

Traynor, Nancy Gilliam, Barbara Webster and Ann Rutledge.

**Hobby or Profession**

Jane Woodhouse, Marie Mohr, Corrine Carruthers, Paula McDonald, Judy LeMessure, Beverley Lewis, Barbara Lyndall and Ceilla Coffin are in the Thursday class. The Saturday morning lessons are devoted to Joanne Schmidt, Dick Shave, Marilyn Davis, Catherine Bemis and Jerry Cooper.

"The adults", Mrs. Schaefer says, "have taken up art as a pastime, a creative relaxation. The youngsters have taken it as a play-time hobby. It is my serious belief, however, that given sufficient training and encouragement, there may be several in my young classes who turn to art as a profession and make lasting names for themselves in the world of oil and water colors. They are eager, uninhibited, anxious to try new fields, and full of a love and curiosity for life that may add to their talent and take them far."

Deadline for CLUB NEWS remains at noon Mondays.

**First Presbyterian  
Church to Sponsor  
Annual Rummage Sale**

The Women's Union of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its yearly rummage sale at the American Legion Home, 266 South Woodward, on Friday, May 14, from 9 to 5, and on Saturday, May 15, from 9 to 12.

Mrs. Bronson Brant is general chairman for the event, and Mrs. L. W. Morley and Mrs. D. B. Ireland are her assistants.

Mrs. H. G. Wood is in charge of sales. Mrs. Q. M. Crater has been named marking chairman with Mrs. I. W. Robertson and Mrs. T. P. Charles acting as co-chairmen; Mrs. Donald Price is wrapping chairman; and Mrs. Norman W. Berry is in charge of publicity.

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**Officers Elected by  
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Following a traditional spaghetti dinner, the Bloomfield Village PTA elected new officers at its annual meeting at the school.

They are president, Mrs. Mildred Taylor; vice-president, Mrs. Hobart Andreae; secretary, Mrs. E. W. Higgins; treasurer, Mrs. Lee E. Waller; membership, Mrs. John G. Slater; publicity, Mrs. Maynard E. Terry; program, Mrs. M. H. Vagley; historian, Mrs. Roger Cudini; social, Mrs. Walter J. Simons.

Room mothers who were appointed are beginners, Mrs. C. V. Uhlen; first grade, Mrs. G. G. Gurney; second grade, Mrs. J. K. Stevenson; third grade, Mrs. D. J. Bond; fourth grade, Mrs. Wm. B. Hargrave; fifth grade, Mrs. C. B. J. Harmon; sixth grade, Mrs. Philip H. Carlin.



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**Woman's Union of  
Baptist Church Hear  
Mrs. M. S. Leslik**

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Union of the First Baptist Church was held Thursday, May 6, beginning with white cross work at 10:30 a. m.

A 12:00 luncheon was served by group one, and the hostesses were Mrs. R. D. Hopkins, Mrs. F. D. Gouldburg, Mrs. Carroll E. Griffin and Mrs. Edgar H. Streten.

The theme of the program was "Evangelism Through White Cross Work," with Mrs. Raymond H. Smith acting as chairman and Mrs. M. S. Leslik from the Polish Baptist Church in Detroit as guest speaker.

Mrs. Leslik said in part that the only successful approach to the solution of global problems and the winning of lasting peace is by way of the Christian ideal of world brotherhood.

Preceding the business meeting, which was conducted by the group's president, Mrs. George A. Jackson, Mrs. Raymond H. Smith led in devotions. The meeting closed with prayer.

The next meeting will be held in June and will feature the installation of officers recently elected.

**Walnut Lake Scouts**

Birmingham Girl Scout troop No. 9 of Walnut Lake held a "cook out" on Saturday, May 8, at 6:00 p. m. on the lake front.

Specialties of the evening were hot dogs, caramelized dumplings and roasted marshmallows.

Mrs. Dorothy Kendall, 2485 Comfort drive, the troop leader, has announced that Gail Sunstrom has passed one of her second class activities.

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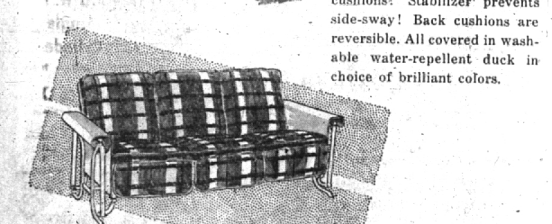
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