

**Sunnybrook Fairways Exceptionally Dry**  
 Sunnybrook Golf Club is open for the season and playing conditions are excellent, according to Hugh Ross, manager of the popular daily fee course on 17 Mile road between Mount and Van Dyke Fairways are exceptionally dry for this early in the season and the greens came through the winter in fine shape, Ross said.  
 Mrs. Ross is in charge of the kitchen and dining room and Larry Tompkins will be the pro again this year.

**Cranbrook Field Trips Start Soon**  
 Young naturalists will begin weekly field trips for collecting and photographing birds, wildflowers and fossils Saturday, April 18, when Walter F. Nickel of Cranbrook Institute of Science, opens the Spring program for junior members of the Institute.  
 The series of five trips will cover locations in the state and in Canada. Children may register for the tours and become junior members of the Institute at a nominal fee on the first Saturday or before.  
**To Confirm Adams Paving Assessment At April 27 Hearing**  
 Property owners in the special assessment district created for the repaving and repair of Adams road, between Lincoln and Madison, are being notified that April 27 is the date of the hearing on the confirmation of the assessment roll.  
 The \$422,000 improvement is included in the city's Best 1953 recently awarded paving contract.



**Robert MacCrae To Speak at YCS Annual Meeting**  
 Southern Oakland United Community Services will hold its annual meeting April 20 in the Salvation Army Club, 2022 Oak. A 6:30 p.m. dinner will be followed by a brief business meeting and election of officers and board members.  
 Paul N. Averill of Birmingham, president, and Robert H. MacCrae, director of the Welfare Council of Metropolitan Chicago, will speak on "Community Planning—the Tool for Building Better Communities."  
 MacCrae is a former director of the Detroit Council of Social Agencies and Community Chest. During World War II he was chairman of the Wayne county council of defense and served on the mayor's committee on housing and youth programs.  
 Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, Southfield township, is chairman of the committee in charge of this meeting. She had reservations for the dinner close April 19. They may be made by calling the SOTCS office in Royal Oak.

**Lincoln Group Meets**  
 William Springer of Wing Lake, president of the Civil War Round Table, announced this week that the group would sponsor a talk by Fred L. Black on "Chasing John Wilkes Booth 50 Years after the Assassination". The program will at 8 p.m. at the Logan County Courthouse in Greenfield Village on April 14.

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**Bham Male Chorus Plans Spring Concert**  
 Otto Brown, conducting his fourth season as director of the Birmingham Male Chorus, announced this week that the annual spring concert would be given at the Community House on April 21.  
 Brown is inviting all former members to join the group in the singing of "John Peel."  
 Soloists from among the chorus members will be C. J. Summers and C. W. Pickett.

**Indian Guides Tour Kensington**  
 Birmingham Y.M.C.A. Miami Tribe of Indian Guides will visit Kensington Park Saturday, April 11, and take a conducted tour over one of the nature trails under the supervision of William F. Hopkins of the Harris-Clinton Metropolitan Authority.  
 Little Braves and Big Braves will leave by motor car from the Y at 4:00 East Lincoln Avenue at 9:45 a.m. They will follow their visit with a picnic roast and cocktail.  
 Daily helping to make arrangements include Don Fleischmann, Walt Wickman, Dave Thomas and Tom Ward. Prospective dads and sons (6-10 years of age) for Indian Guides are asked to telephone the Y about complete details.

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**Birmingham Business Briefs**

**Food Forum to Assist Home Freezer Owners**  
 The quarterly food forum, sponsored by the Dean Coffin company, will be at the Community House on April 17, beginning at 8:30 a.m.  
 The program will feature the preparation of fresh fruits and vegetables and a meat cutting demonstration by experts from a local meat market.  
 Home economists from Detroit Edison will give demonstrations and timely tips on use of home freezers. Motion pictures and a "freezer" lunch will complete the program.

**Review Board Member Praises City Assessor**  
 In a letter to Mayor Dean Beier, S. L. LaMeasure, 1731 Rochester, expressed his thanks for having had the opportunity to serve on the Birmingham board of appeals and cited his admiration for the respect of Elmer Haack, city assessor.  
 "As a member of the board," LaMeasure wrote, "I had an opportunity to become acquainted with Haack. He is a man of outstanding job . . . and is certainly a man of the highest caliber whose integrity and sincerity is beyond reproach."  
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