Coming up: Couch potatoes may form in high school. See Daybreak Monday.

DAYBREAK

Saturday, December 31, 1994

ACADEMY EDUCATES CHILDREN in AFRICAN-AMERICAN CULTURE

Students exposed to varied role models, range of backgrounds

By Valeria Humphrey

Wide-eyed with anticipation, the small faces at Madison author Kathleen Taylor's feet peer at her big book of African-American families celebrating Kwanzaa.

Eagerly, the youngsters draw closer to Taylor's caressing voice, too busy sharing and learning to wiggle or argue. Mothers, fathers and mentors nod and smile silently in approval. The village is teaching its children.

Parents and elders passing the knowledge and traditions of culture to children is a time-honored process and the impetus of Madison's new African-American Ethnic Academy, director Diane Crear

The academy, which offered a pilot program last summer, is an independent nonprofit cultural school. It evolved out of years of discussion among African-American educators and parents in Madison.

We feel that it is our responsibility as African-American parents to instill in our children their rich cultural heritage," Crear said, adding that the extended family and community have always taught cultural heritage.

"Many of our children no longer have extended families," she said. "We have to give it to them, tell them who they are and why they are here.

Tucked in the basement of Edgewood College's Regina Hall, the academy has been meeting on alternate Saturday mornings since September. Once students step through that door, it no longer matters where they live, what their parents earn or what grades they make in school. What matters is who they are as individuals.

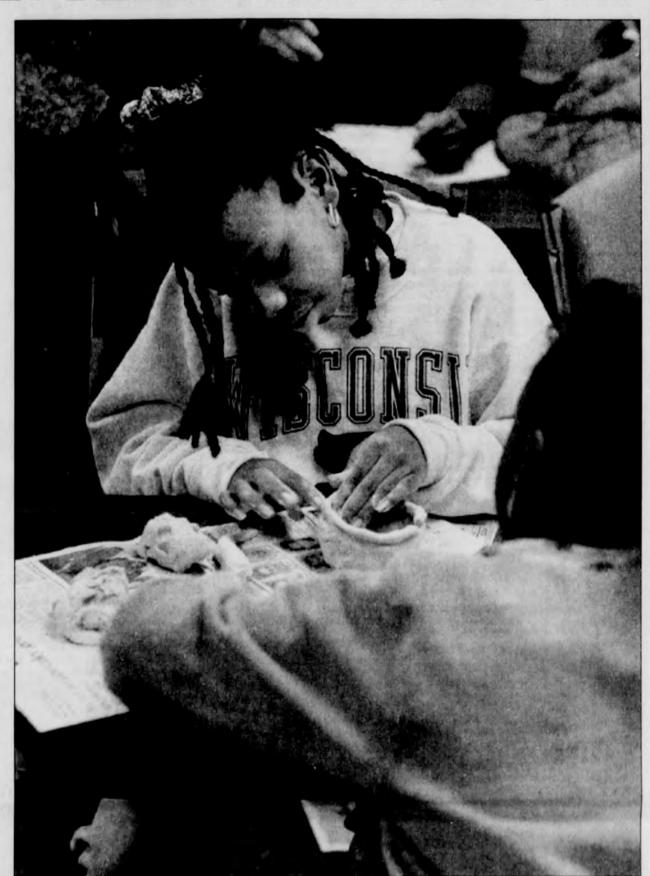
African-American children need to meet children from other backgrounds and be exposed to a range of adult role models, Crear said. At the academy, the students' common heritage allows them to uals and interact one-on-one with African-American adults and men-

A \$40,000 two-year Madison Community Foundation grant, private donations, Madison's African community and volunteers representing the African-American Educators, Delta Theta Sigma, 100 Black Men, Women in Focus, and the Madison Links pay for the academy.

The academy is unique among programs assisted by the Community Foundation, said program officer Amy Dally.

"The project has been the brainchild of a host of highly respected community educators like Virginia Henderson," Dally said. "African-American children, and a growing number of them in Madison, are not getting their cultural needs met. It's a time when cultural identity is very important to people. The children need this.'

Seventy-one youths are currently enrolled: 65 are firstthrough eighth-graders; six are high school students preparing for ACT and SAT tests through the



Above: Ashley Donald, left, Candace Scott and Jerrell Ritcherson sit attentively with their classmates while listening to stories of their heritage at the African American Ethnic Academy Left: Kamico Drakes, 12, helps build a chalice and candleholder for Kwanzaa. Below: Duowan Rimson, 9, front, and Cory Raymond, 10, create stories on computers with help from African American Ethnic Academy

director Diane Crear

All cultures hold higher education as a high ideal. I'm not just responsible for them learning about art, I'm there as a responsible adult to help them make sense of it. What we are doing is those things that will make students more selfassured.'

State Journal photos/MEG THENO

Henry Hawkins artist

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The children represent a full range of socioeconomic groups and are from all over the area, including Vera Court, Allied Drive, the South and West sides of Madison as well as Fitchburg and Sun Prairie. Several students are from non-African-American adoptive

'The (adoptive) parents have expressed the importance of the academy to provide those experiences that they can't provide, academy board member Kevin Bond said. The staff hopes to extend contacts through the community, foster care and adoption systems to work with multiracial families as well as children in need, Crear said.

Scholarships are available, and about half the children attending are on scholarships. Tuition is \$60 for a 10-week session.

The academy's curriculum is planned, yet veers off spontaneously to follow a child's interest. The students explore their role in society and families through Afri-

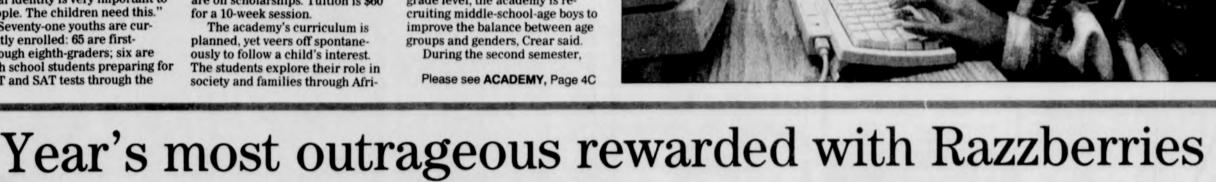
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Diane Crear academy director

can and African-American history, art, music and technology. They use mentoring, storytelling and hands-on activities to explore the learning theme "who am I as an

African American? While classes will be kept small, with 10 to 12 students per grade level, the academy is recruiting middle-school-age boys to improve the balance between age groups and genders, Crear said.

Please see ACADEMY, Page 4C



By Tom Schaefer Knight-Ridder Newspapers

There were lots of significant religion stories in

■ Pope John II wrote a best seller and was named Time magazine's Man of the Year.

■ Members of a doomsday sect mysteriously were murdered — or was it mass suicide? — in remote areas of Switzerland and Canada.

■ Thousands of Baptist teen-agers and other young people promised not to have sexual rela-



tions until they marry, challenging former surgeon general Joycelyn Elders' ideas on sexual behavior and teens - at least some teens.

All of the above were significant news events in 1994. But are any of them worthy recipients of the coveted Razzberry Award? By no means. Instead,

others deserve a Razzberry for being outrageous or

downright silly. So, what are the criteria for being chosen? It's simple. Basically, all are arbitrarily selected by a committee of one, namely, me. But you can assist in the presentation of the award, if you so desire. Please refrain from expressing yourself until all the winners have been announced.

COMMENTARY

"Is This a Prayer or a 900 Phone Line?" Award To participants in a 1993 conference in Minneapolis who this year had churchgoers in several

denominations up in arms (no prayer imagery pun intended) because of their references to goddess worship, including this ditty:

"Our maker Sophia, we are women in your image; With the hot blood of our wombs we give form to new life. . . . With nectar between our thighs we invite a lover, we birth a child; With our warm body fluids we remind the world of its pleasures and sensations.

"If Jesus is the Model of Priesthood, Why Aren't All the Clerics Jewish?" Award

To the U.S. Catholic bishops whose attempts to

expand opportunities for women to participate in the leadership of the church fell one step short, namely, ordination of women to the priesthood. "There is sexism in the church, but we state clearly that we are against it," said Bishop Mi-chael Pfeifer of San Angelo, Texas. Granted, bishops don't have the power to rule in favor of women's ordination, but efforts to offer collegial advice to the pope is certainly permissible. (Would someone in the Vatican check the figures again -

number of priests retiring to candidates for the priesthood?)

"Rodney King Had It Right" Award To Nation of Islam Minister Louis Farrakhan, who repudiated the rhetoric of a speech by his aide, Khalid Abdul Muhammad, that reportedly at-

tacked Jews, sneered at the Pope, called for the destruction of white South Africans, including babies, the blind and the crippled, and then defended the speech's so-called "truths." (Can't we all just get along?)

■ "Every Biblical Scholar a Wanted Biblical Scholar" Award

To biblical scholars of the Jesus Seminar who, after months of studying New Testament accounts of the birth of Christ, concluded that Mary had sexual relations before she became pregnant with

"Thou Shalt Not Bear False Witness Against Thy Neighbor — Unless Thy Neighbor Is Bill Clinton"

To the Rev. Jerry Falwell, who is hawking sleazy videotapes that accuse President Clinton of everything from fraud, drug smuggling and money laundering to murder for hire.

"Take Two Pills and Call the Mortuary in the Morning" Award

To Oregon voters who passed a law in November authorizing physicians to prescribe lethal doses of drugs to terminally ill patients who ask to die. As for any religious reasons for opposing the law, one Catholic layman who supported it declared: "My gut reaction is God would say, 'Go for

"Thou Shalt Not . . . Oh, Never Mind" Award To the Rev. Paul Hill, who murdered two people in Pensacola, Fla., in the name of protecting the lives of unborn babies and then expressed no regrets to the families of the murdered victims.

"Yeah, But Does the Sermon Stink?" Award To Boise United Methodist Church in Boise, Idaho, for offering a "fragrance-free" worship service - no perfume, no cologne, no hair spray, no scented soaps or deodorant, and only naturalfiber clothing - to pacify the smelling challenged. (Please hold your nose when reading Psalm 141:2.)

There you have it. Winners of the Razzberry Awards may now stand to be recognized:

Tom Schaefer writes about religion and ethics for the Wichita (Kan.) Eagle.

Madison Wisconsin State Journal, Madison, Wisconsin, US Dec 31, 1994, Page 27

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Article spells out cancer's limitations

Dear Ann: I've enjoyed reading your advice for more years than I care to admit. Recently, an article appeared in the Montreal senior newspaper, The Senior Times. It contained some words of wisdom I thought you might want to share with your readers. I found it very reassuring and am sure others - George in Verdun, will, too. Quebec

Dear George: These days, when one out of nine women will get breast cancer, it is important that your positive message be shared. Thank you for sending it on. Here

it is: What Cancer Cannot Do Cancer is so limited . . . It cannot cripple love, It cannot shatter hope,

It cannot corrode faith, It cannot destroy peace, It cannot kill friendship,

It cannot suppress memories, It cannot silence courage.

It cannot invade the soul, It cannot steal eternal life, It cannot conquer the Spirit.

Dear Ann: I've been married for more than five years to a strong, hard-working, goodnatured man who loves me very much, and I love him.

There is a huge problem facing us right now. "John," who was always a social drinker, has started to drink more and more and is, I believe, an alcoholic

When I talk to him about it, he laughs and says he just stops with his good friends for a few beers every night after he leaves the office. He says that shouldn't be a problem and I should stop nag-

It is, however, beginning to be a problem because:

1. John never initiates sex and seems to have a very sluggish li-

2. He has begun to be careless know how he is doing.

which begins Feb. 4, the academy also will initiate parenting skills

Children from the Vera Court

neighborhood are mentored early

Saturday mornings by volunteer

parents and bused to Edgewood.

It's a sixth morning of class, but

perhaps the most important spirit-

ually in those students' lives, Vera

Court Community Center Director

Educators, parents and volun-

teers teach academy students to

cherish their unique role in his-

tory and society as African Ameri-

"'It's fun to know where you

"I have to wake up early to get

here," 6-year-old Kianna Sanders

said. "Math is the easiest thing to

do. I like to go to the computers

The donation of space at Edge-

wood College, which includes ac-

cess to a computer lab, was a

miracle, Crear said. Once the stu-

dents get their turn on the com-

puters, it's hard to tear them

away. The fascination isn't games

Duowan Rimson, enraptured

with the yarn he was weaving into

a folktale, was too busy to com-

ment. In the heat of creation, the

challenge of computer technology

"The children are able to make

a link between their culture and

their contemporary lives by writ-

ing stories on the computer,"

The knowledge of the ages is en-

compassed in a culture's art,

music and literature, said Madi-

son artist Henry Hawkins, who

uses ancestral sayings to teach the

students about the African-

American oral tradition and con-

temporary diaspora. The nuances

of morality and values come to

life in person-to-person interpret-

The deeper understanding of

self and connectedness improves

student concentration, which bol-

sters skills and classroom behav-

ior, Hawkins said. Students who

of education find it hard to focus

ation, Hawkins said.

and perform.

or videos — it's language arts.

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10-year-old Cory Raymond.

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Crear said.

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Johnny Winston said.

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about his personal hygiene. He's let his hair grow too long, he doesn't dress properly, and he no longer showers daily.

3. He cannot get up some mornings and is several hours late for

4. He falls asleep during our conversations, which I find insult-

5. He's starting to lie about where he's been.

6. Our children are starting to be afraid because John is not himself, and we have frequent arguments over his drinking.

I love this man with all my heart and am very afraid for him and for our marriage. What do you suggest? - Nassau County, N.Y.,

Dear Nassau Wife: If you allow John to continue this pattern of behavior with no consequences, you are an enabler. Crying, pleading and threatening will do no

Please contact Al-Anon, and attend their meetings. There you will meet others who share your problem, and you will learn how to cope with it.

John needs a dry-out clinic that will get him on the road to sobriety. Attending Alcoholics Anonymous meetings will help keep him on the wagon. Good luck, dear, and keep me posted. I want to

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
-PROBATENOTICE TO CREDITORS
File No. 94 PR 1180
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
ELSIE I. BADE
An application has been filed for Informal Administration of the estate of the above named person, Dane County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 801 Kieln Drive, Waunakee, Wisconsin
53597.

IT IS ORDERED THAT: All creditors' claims must be filed on or before March 15, 1995, or be barred.

BY THE COURT:

BY THE COURT:
//S/ Peggy J. Young
Deputy Probate Registrar
December 14, 1994
6920 Old Sauk Rd.
Madison, WI 53717
PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY BRANCH 16

Case No. 94 CV 3215

Case No. 94 CV 3215

Person. Injury-Auto: 30101

RACHEL M. THORSON-SCHMIED and
RICHARD B. SCHMIED
219 Fifth Avenue
P.O. Box 640

New Glarus, WI 53574,

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Middleton, WI 53717;
WISCONSIN PHYSICIANS SERVICE
INSURANCE CORPORATION
1717 West Broadway
P.O. Box 8190
Madison, WI 53708;
and

DOES ONE through FIVE,

TO: Brent Brown
You are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs named above have filed a lawsuit or other legal action

You are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs named above have filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you.

Within forty (40) days after December 17, 1994, you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is Dane County Courthouse, 210 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Madison, Wisconsin 53709-0001 and to Collins, Beatty 7 Krekeler, S.C., Plaintiffs Attorney, whose address is 15 North Pinckney Street, Suite 200, Madison, Wisconsin 53703. You may have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the complaint within forty (40) days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be inforced as provided by law. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or selzure of property.

If you require the assistance of auxiliary aids or services because of a disability, call (608) 266-9138 (TDD) and ask for the Court ADA Coordinator.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1994.

COLLINS, BEATTY & KREKELER, S.C. By; Isi Carl J. Pellegrini State Bar No. (1019550

By: /s/ Carl J. Pellegrini State Bar No. 1019550 Mark T. Scheffer

State Bar No. 1013800 Attorneys for Plaintiffs, RACHEL M. THORSON-SCHMIED and

ADDRESS: 15 North Pinckney Street P.O. Box 828 Madison, WI 53701-0828

(608) 258-8555 PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
NOTICE OF HEARING
File No. 94 CV 3348
NAME CHANGE 30708
matter of the Change of Name

In the matter of the Change of Name

Of: Mark Philip Gasser

Of: Misconsin, on the 27th day of January, 1995, at 8:30 orclock A.M., or as soon thereafter as can be heard, there will be heard and considered the application of: Mark Philip Gasser for permission to change his legal name and designation to: Mark Philip Adams and for consideration of any and all further matters pertaining thereto.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 14th day of December, 1994.

BY THE COURT:

December, 1994.

BY THE COURT:
/s/ Angela B. Bartell
Circuit Judge
For Hon. Paul B. Higginbotham
Petitioner's Address:
2933 Hermina St. #1
Madison, WI 53704
PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
NOTICE OF HEARING
NAME CHANGE 30708
In the matter of the Change of Name
of: Bruce James Crowder
to: Bruce James Sullivan
NOTICE IS HEREWITH GIVEN, that at a regular
term of the Circuit Court of Dane County, State
of Wisconsin, on the 25th day of January, 1995,
at 1:15 o'clock P.M., or as soon thereafter as can
be heard, there will be heard and considered the
application of: Bruce James Crowder for permission to change his legal name and designation
to: Bruce James Sullivan and for consideration of
any and all further matters pertaining thereto.
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 14th day of
December, 1994.

BY THE COURT:

BY THE COURT: P. Charles Jones Circuit Judge

Petitioner's Address: 7237 Tempe Dr. #100 Madison, Wisconsin 53719 PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
-PROBATENOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DARLENE J. DAILEY An application has been flied for Informal Administration of the estate of the above named person, Dane County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 5318 Comanche Way, Madison, WI 53704. 53704. IT IS ORDERED THAT:

All creditors claims must be filed on or before March 21, 1995, or be barred. BY THE COURT:
/s/ David A. Flesch
Deputy Probate Registrar
December 20, 1994

Sharon E. Carlson, Personal Representative 5318 Comanche Way Madison, WI 53704 PUB. WSJ: December 24, 31, 1994 and January 7, 1995

RICHARD B. SCHMIED

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
-PROBATENOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

An application has been filed for Informal Admin-istration of the estate of the above named person, Dane County, Wisconsin, whose post office ad-dress was 2541 Commercial Ave., Madison, WI

IT IS ORDERED THAT: All creditors claims must be flied on or before March 15, 1995, or be barred. BY THE COURT:

BY THE COURT:
/s/ Peggy J. Young
Deputy Probate Registrar
December 14, 1994
Beverly J. Amacher, Personal Representative
5221 Comanche Way
Madison, WI 53704
PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY
-PROBATENOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
EUGENE W. HANKEL, Deceased.
An application has been filed for informal administration of the estate of the above named person,
Dane County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 125 South Marquette Street, Madison,
Wisconsin 53704.
IT IS ORDERED THAT:

Wisconsin 53704.
IT IS ORDERED THAT:
All creditors claims must be filed on or before
March 15, 1995, or be barred.
BY THE COURT: BY THE COURT:

/s/ Peggy J. Young Deputy Probate Registrar December 14, 1994

Attorney Barbara S. Hughes Stolper, Brewster & Nelder, S.C. P.O. Box 5510 Madlson, WI 53705-0510 PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

BEFORE THE

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AIR MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Application for a Variance from Emission Limitations
for Arsenic for the University of Wisconsin-Charter
Street Heating Plant, at 117 Charter Street, Madison,
Dane County, Wisconsin.

The Division of Facilities Development (DFD), within
the Wisconsin Department of Administration, has submitted to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR)
an application for a variance under s. NR 445.05(8),
Wis. Adm. Code, from emission limitations for arsenic
contained in s. NR 445.05(3),3), Wis. Adm. Code. Arsenic emissions are generated by the burning of coal in
four boilers at the University of Wisconsin-Charter
Street Heating Plant. The variance request proposes
that University of Wisconsin-Charter Street Heating
Plant control arsenic emissions to a level which is the
best available control technology.

The Southern District Air Program of DNR has analyzed the variance request and has preliminarily determined that University of Wisconsin-Charter Street Heating
Plant has demonstrated that compliance with s. NR
445.05(3)(a), Wis. Adm. Code is economically infeasible, that emissions would be controlled to a level which
is the best available control technology, and that residual emissions of arsenic would not cause significant harm
to the environment or public heatint. Therefore, DNR has
made a preliminary determination to grant the request
for a variance for arsenic emissions.

Information, including the University of Wisconsin-

made a preliminary determination to grant the request for a variance for arsenic emissions.
Information, including the University of Wisconsin-Charter Street Heating Plant's compliance plan and the DNR's analysis regarding this proposal, is available for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources Headquarters, Seventh Floor, 101 South Webster, Madison, Wisconsin, or at Southern District Air Program, 2801 Coho Street, Suite 201, Madison, Wisconsin

consin.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to ss.
144.31(2)(a), Wis. Stats., and NR 445.05(8), Wis. Adm.
Code, DNR will hold a public hearing to receive public

comments on the variance request. The hearing will be held: Tuesday, January 24, 1995 at 1:00 pm., GEP 2-Room 511, 101 S. Webster, Madison, WI.
All comments recieved by DNR on this proposal will be considered by DNR prior to making its final decision. After the public hearing, DNR will grant or deny the variance request. If you would like a copy of the final decision, please contact Renée Lesjak Bashel at (608) 273-5602. 73-5602.
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, December 19, 1994.
STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
For the Secretary
By Lynda Wiese, Air Program Supervisor
Southern District

PUB. WSJ: December 31, 1994

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Pursuant to Section 180.1407 of Wisconsin Statutes, notice is hereby given of the dissolution of Elisworth Care Center, Inc., a Wisconsin corporation, effective December 19, 1994.

Persons with claims, whether known or unknown, against Elisworth Care Centers, inc. or its directors, officers, or shareholders in their capacities as such, should present such claims in accordance with this notice.

The following information must be included in a claim given pursuant to this notice:

1. The name of the claimant;

2. The address and telephone number of the claimant;

claimant;

3. The nature and amount of the claim; and
4. Complete copies of all bills, invoices, or other
documents creating or documenting the claim.
The mailing address to which all claims may be
sent is Elisworth Care Centers, Inc., c/o 6921
York Avenue South, Edina, Minnesota 55435.
A claim against Elisworth Care Centers, Inc. or
its directors, officers, or shareholders is barred
unless a proceeding to enforce the claim is
brought within two (2) years after the publication
date of this notice.

date of this notice.
Dated: December 19, 1994

ELLSWORTH CARE CENTERS, INC.
By /s/ Thomas E. Miller
President

PUB. WSJ: December 31, 1994, January 7 and 14, 1995

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT, DANE COUNTY -PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHESTER L. PHILLIPS An application has been filed for informal Administration of the estate of the above named person, Dane County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 6409 Bridge Road, #103, Madison, WI 53713.

53713.
IT IS ORDERED THAT:
All creditors claims must be filed on or before
March 14, 1995, or be barred.
BY THE COURT:

March 14, 1995, or be barred.

BY THE COURT:
/s/ David A. Fleach
Deputy Probate Registrar
December 13, 1994

Mary H. Behling, Personal Representative
113 East Main Street, P.O. Box 15

Cambridge, WI 53523
PUB. WSJ: December 17, 24 and 31, 1994

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Madison Metropolitan Sewerage District Will receive sealed bids for three 3) new sludge application vehicles. Bids will be received until 1:00 p.m. on January 25, 1995, at the District office, 1610 Moorland Road, Madison, WI 53713, at which time and place all sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Specifications may be obtained by contacting David Taylor at the above address. Any questions should be directed to either Mike Northouse (608-222-1201, ext. 256) or David Taylor at (608-222-1201, ext. 276).

PUB. WSJ: December 31, 1994



An afternoon of fun and excitement for young (and old) Badger Fans



Celebrate New Year's Eve with the Wisconsin Women's Basketball team 1:30 pm, Sat. Dec. 31st vs. Western Michigan in the UW Field House.



New Year's Eve with the Badgers

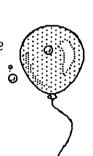
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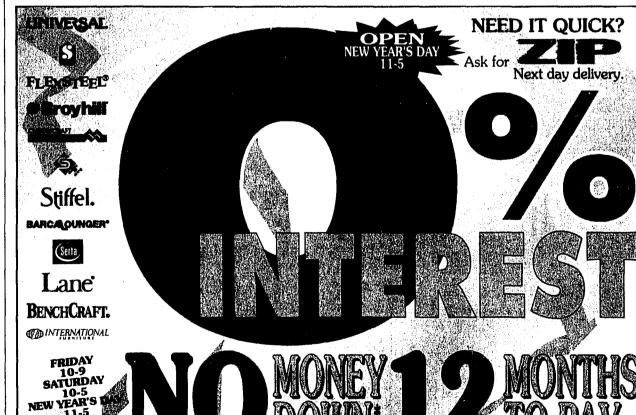
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about art, I'm there as a responsible adult to help them make sense of it. What we are doing is those things that will make students more self-assured." As a dozen teens giggle ner-

tion as a high ideal. I'm not just responsible for them learning

vously, university earth science student and instructor Kaleem Caire describes how body language gives teachers cues on attitude. Caire wastes no sympathy on the class as he explains the social expectations of African-American

gentlemen and ladies. African-American males need to understand that having compassion, especially for one another,

doesn't mean they're soft. Initially, teen-age boys and girls are taught separately, instructor Vaunce Ashby said. No assumptions are made about the youth's knowledge, sense of self, or ques-

tions they may have. "Teens are up against big pressures. Black youth get a lot of mixed messages," Ashby said. African-American young women need to see positive images that reflect their heritage and ethnicity, she said. She teaches them how to build networks and find mentors as a pivotal step toward understanding who they are and

who they want to be, Ashby said. All of the academy staff teaches about positive friendship and networking to establish needed support and to make appropriate

decisions. A sense of family has emerged since the academy started meet-

ing in September. In the halls, students lie noseto-nose, painting clay figures. Older students help their younger peers, and at morning break children hum and sing along with taped music of the Morehouse College Gospel Choir while

munching on snacks. The scene of children sharing, working together on homework and forming support groups is a goal the academy would like to offer through daily after-school and weeknight programming as

well as on weekends, Crear said. To do that, the academy first needs to find a permanent home. If such a place is found, academy leaders hope to draw on community service organizations to sponsor a room in the school, Crear

said. don't grasp the personal relevancy For more information about the African American Ethnic Academy "All cultures hold higher educa- call 277-1966.

ELPING THOSE IN NEED FOL TOYS FOR 5,000 NEEDY CHILDREN