

Mini News

News For The Employees of Data General

October 16, 1987

Consolidations Announced In Human Resources

To maximize Human Resources effectiveness, several organization changes that consolidate the management of functions are being implemented.

Field Human Resources operations supporting Sales, Systems Engineering, Federal and Field Engineering have been consolidated under Human Resources Director Bob Vitale. Reporting to Bob in the field are John Bushfield, Human Resources Operations manager for the East at Norcross, and Jack Brooks, Human Resources Operations manager for the West at Manhattan Beach. There are no changes in assignments for field Human Resources representatives. Any future changes will be based on client needs and the continued development of Human Resources staff. Also reporting to Bob are NASD Compensation Manager Carole Mega and Human Resources Consultant Carol Culver, who is currently acting Human Resources manager for Data General-Canada.

Human Resources for the Finance, Administration, Marketing, Systems Development, Customer Services and VAR Marketing and Development divisions will report to Director Tim Morrison. Tim will also continue to support Field Engineering's Fountain, Milford and Customer Support Center during a transition period to the single Field Human Resources organization. Reporting to Tim are Human Resources managers Ann Smith (SDD and VAR Marketing and Development), Barbara Berke (Marketing and Customer Services) and Vic Becker (Finance and Administration).

A Corporate Staffing and Development organization under director Jon Lane brings together Management and Organizational Development (MOD), Human Resource Planning, Executive Search, Staffing Programs and College Relations. Combining these functions will allow coordination of all organizational development from assessing staffing needs to college hiring to executive development. Reporting to Jon are MOD managers Melissa Levi and Donna Conlin; and Angelo Buono, manager of Executive Search.

Also reporting to Don Bateman are Human Resources Directors Tom Gately (Manufacturing), Jane Nolette (Communications Systems), and Guy Carter (Human Resources Operations). Kathy Curran provides Human Resources support for the Human Resources organization.

Goodman Named Director For IMO Support



Robert Goodman

Robert Goodman has been named director of International Manufacturing Operations (IMO) Support, reporting to John Kavazanjian, IMO vice president. In this new position, Robert will oversee an organization which will serve as a liaison between IMO facilities in the Far East and West Germany and Manufacturing groups in the U.S. The IMO Support group will be based in Westboro.

Robert has been with Data General for five years. For the past year, he has been Materials manager for the Sunnyvale Division in California. Prior to that, he was manager of Major Acquisition Purchasing in the Corporate Purchasing department in Westboro, responsible for all purchases of capital equipment, construction services, telecommunications equipment, software and transportation materials for departments in Westboro. Before that, Robert was a section manager in Corporate Purchasing, a materials specialist in the Corporate Distribution Logistics area, and joined Data General through the company's Management Intern Program.

Robert holds a JD degree from the University of Miami (Florida) Law School, and MBA and BA degrees from Miami University (Ohio).

Data General Goes To Washington

The National Press Club in Washington, D.C., was the setting last Wednesday as Data General and Japanese communications giant Nippon Telephone and Telegraph (NTT) announced an agreement to develop a new generation of high-speed digital integrated communications systems.

The networking products, which will be developed by Data General, will be available in the spring of 1989. They will be marketed by NTT in Japan and by Data General in the United States and throughout the rest of the world.

Most of the pre-eminent business and computer industry publications in the U.S. and Japan covered the event, including the Washington Post, the New York Times, Business Week, the Wall Street Journal and Japan's Economic Journal. Also in attendance were representatives from international wire services (Associated Press, United Press and Reuters), as well as the computer trade press and television and radio reporters.

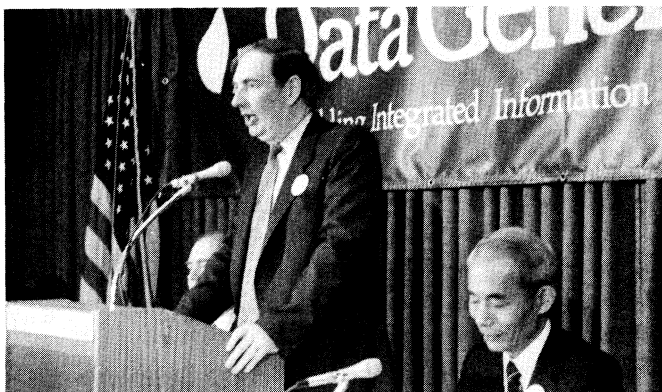
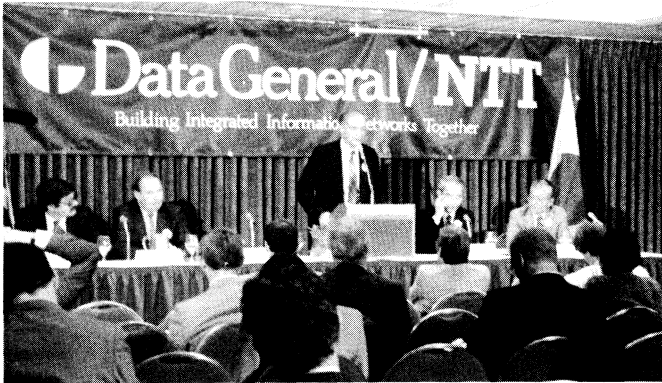
The following day's Washington Post included an article headlined: "NTT Announces \$140 Million Deal For Joint Venture With Data General." The New York Times ran an article in which Ed de Castro said: "We expect that this is only our first technology alliance with NTT."

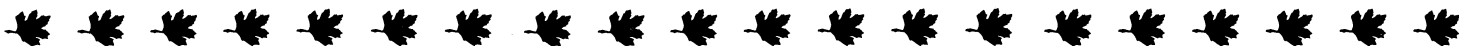
In addition, national networks, including Mutual and Associated Press Radio interviewed Ed de Castro and sent news reports to more than 1,000 radio stations throughout the country.

Local publications also heralded the news. The Middlesex News ran the story on the first page with the headline: "Data General Sees Rich Harvest From Asparagus (the NTT project's code name)." The Worcester Telegram featured an article in which Colin Crook, senior vice president of the Communications Systems Group, said, "They've (NTT) seen fit to work us right into the core of their business."

The press conference was just one of three successful meetings held in Washington last Wednesday to celebrate the agreement. It was preceded by a breakfast meeting with key Congressional trade representatives and then followed by an evening reception that was attended by Senator John Kerry, and Congressmen Joseph Early and Edward Boland.

Below are scenes from the events which took place in Washington, D. C., last week:





Data General Open House A Smashing Success

Nearly 4,000 employees, family members and friends gathered in Westboro last Saturday for the open house of Data General's headquarters complex. Under sunny autumn skies, employees and their guests enjoyed a day of education and entertainment.

Tours of development laboratories provided a good learning experience for many of the open house goers. Throughout the day, hundreds of people got a glimpse of Data General development activities that left them more than impressed. More than 130 employees within the Systems Development Division used the tours as an opportunity to explain their responsibilities and the technologies involved in their work.

Following tours of the laboratories in Buildings 14A and 14B, employees continued to 3400 Computer Drive for a look at the Executive Briefing Center (EBC). When they arrived, several Marketing employees in the EBC discussed the new facility, which houses meetings for customers interested in purchasing Data General products.

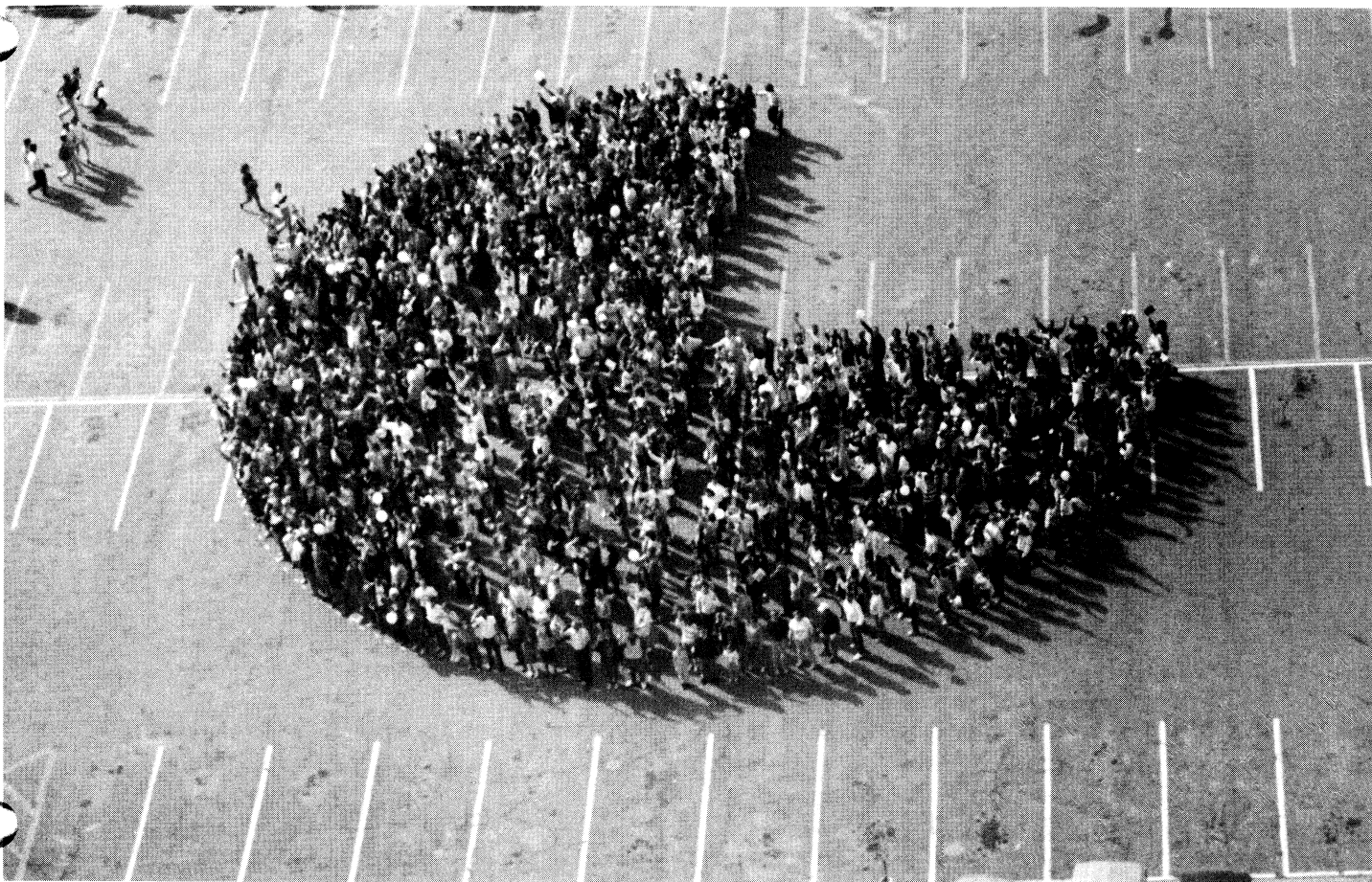
Some of Boston's best street performers were on hand, along with two area bands. But the musical highlight of the day was provided by Data General's Robert Wheeler and Vic Berry. They entertained the crowd and gained many fans with their two-man band, "Ukulele Consciousness."

As a special treat, more than 500 employees and their guests were able to have a bird's-eye view of area foliage from the company's helicopter. President Ed de Castro manned the helicopter for some of the rides.

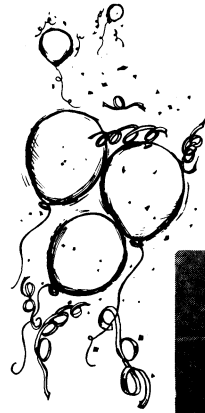
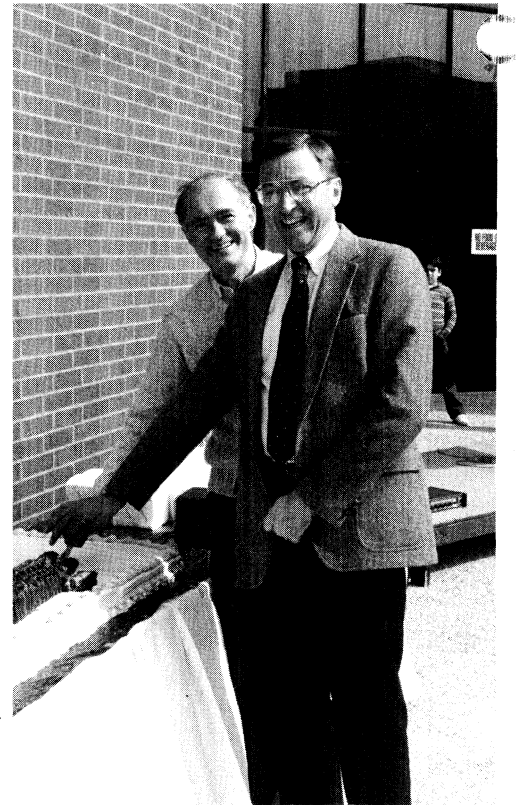
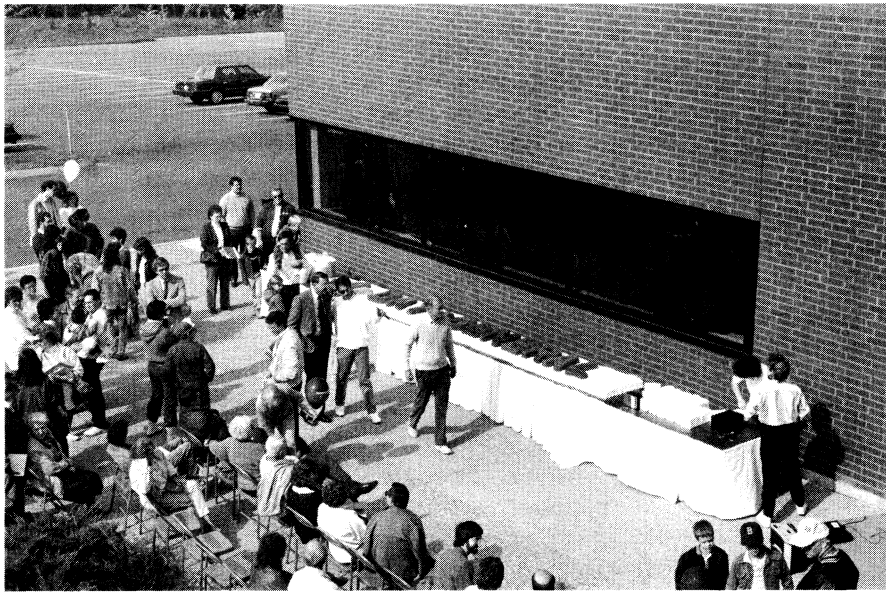
The day was capped off when 100 lucky employees walked away with DATA GENERAL/One portable computers, their prizes in a raffle for all participants.

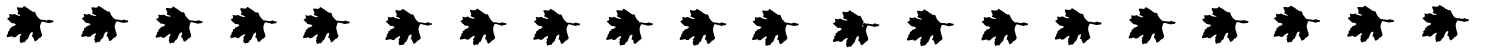
Last weekend's open house in Westboro could never have happened without the outstanding efforts of nearly 200 employees who volunteered to help with tours, logistics and all other activities which made the day such a perfect event. A tip of the hat goes to each of them.

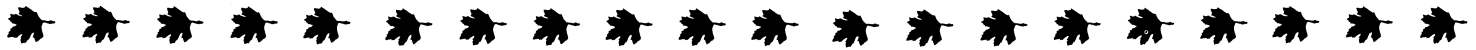
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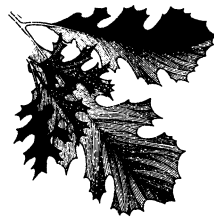




Lucky Winners

Below is a list of the employees who walked away from the Data General open house with computers under their arms. Their names were selected during a raffle.

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| Luther Abel | Sylvester Condon | John Hartjen | Ken Ravitz |
| Chris Adams | Brenda Connor | Max Hilgemeir | Rick Ripley |
| Ehab Aljandali | James Corrigan | David Hunter | Ed Roman |
| Walker Anderson | Jim Cusson | Jeff Hocking | Phil Roux |
| Tom Andresen | Dave Dale | Norma Houseman | Stephen Sannicandro |
| Kim Arnold | Peggy Deane | Gene Ingano | Laureen Sasseville |
| Jerry Bagdasarian | Pauline Deignan | Michael Jasinski | Jerry Schiowitz |
| Patricia Barry | Trevor Deosaran | Raymond Jenkins | Herman Schmitt |
| Marilyn Bates | Bill DePatie | John E. Johnson | Ken Schmidt |
| Mark Bates | Mark Desmarais | Randy Johnson | Ben Searles |
| Jayne Bernier | Donald Dewar | Joel Kaplan | Sherry Shine |
| Nate Berry | Kevin Driscoll | Bob Kiburz | Lawrence Spaziani |
| Charles Boneau | Sonia Dudley | Subu Kota | Carol Stazinski |
| Carol Brooks | Warren Ellis | Trudy Lagerstrom | David Stranahan |
| Joan Brown | Linda Enggren | Janice Levenson | Marcia Stroud |
| Peter Brown | Elizabeth Euloth | Harvey Levinsky | Dennis/Anne Sullivan |
| Robert Buchheister | Irmine Farmerie | Robert Lucek | Craig Swain |
| Nancy Buck | Susan Flynn | Harry Markarian | Alan Swartz |
| Ken Burns | Len Foote | Sheryl Mullaney | Elizabeth Thorpe |
| Nancy Cappuccio | Maureen Forrett | Nancy Notarangelo | Roman Tuason |
| Karen Caviglia | Bob German | Timm Nerang | Tom Watterson |
| Ruth Charron | C.K. Goodwin | Christine Normoyle | Donna Wilhelmi |
| David Coffey | Joyce Gould | Ben Parab | Christine Woods |
| Elizabeth Colley | Bonnie Hadcock | Bob Paysnick | John Zalegowski |
| Marcia Collins | Bruce Harmon | Craig Presson | Nick Zoda |



A Note Of Thanks

Editor's note: The following letter, which was written by Kevin Driscoll, a Custodial Supervisor within the Facilities Department, was sent to Public Affairs via CEO Monday evening. The letter, regarding Data General's open house Saturday, is reprinted here with Kevin's permission.

During the past three weeks, I had been looking forward to the opportunity to take my boy, Brian, on a helicopter ride - he is almost 4-years-old and loves to watch take-offs and landings when he visits me at work.

We arrived at 9:15 a.m. and were among the first party to take-off. The ride was beyond our expectations of excitement and beauty, and we were both delighted.



After the ride I met my wife, Ann, who had brought our 14-week-old son Ted and we all toured the grounds and facilities. We had planned to stay another hour or so. However, we became absorbed in the many family-oriented activities and before long it was mid-afternoon with Brian and myself out in the logo crowd. Then Brian joined the children by the raffle drawing table and became one of the raffle ticket aides. Then I won a computer. We finally arrived home at 4:00 p.m. and I was as tired as my child from the fun and excitement of a very enjoyable day.

Later that night with the kids asleep, Ann and I opened the four boxes I had been given. My background is custodial maintenance and although I have worked around computers at DG for nearly 10 years, I have little knowledge and understanding of them. As we set-up the equipment and began running the intro disc, I became aware that I had been given a very powerful, well-crafted device that will prove an enrichment to myself and family. We were up after midnight both Saturday and Sunday and I'm looking forward to my lesson later tonight.

Hope I'm not taking too much of your time but I wanted to express my gratitude to someone for a very nice day with my family and a beautiful gift. I feel glad I work here and have a new respect for Data General.

New Hours For Employee Shareholder Services

Employee Shareholder Services in Westboro has new hours. They are now open each day from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Their CEO Hostname is: IMG004. You can reach your administrator at the following extensions:

Linda Sandstrom	Group Leader	X5696
Claudette Boule	A-K	X5602
Leeann Pelissier	L-Z	X5622

E.F. Hutton Program

If you have any questions regarding the E.F. Hutton Program, please call Employee Shareholder Services.

Do not call E.F. Hutton with questions regarding this program. Once you have submitted your signed Account Agreement form to Employee Shareholder Services, you then may deal directly with E.F. Hutton for the transactions you may want to do. The only transactions you would do with E.F. Hutton are: sell Data General shares that are in your E.F. Hutton account; purchase Data General shares on the open market. Your purchase of shares or simultaneous purchase and sell through an option plan must be done through Employee Shareholder Services. If you purchase your shares and have them deposited into your E.F. Hutton account, and subsequently want to sell them, you must contact E.F. Hutton directly to do so.

If you are currently holding certificates that you want deposited to the E.F. Hutton/Data General account that you have opened, you must sign the certificates over to E.F. Hutton and mail them by certified mail to E.F. Hutton or give them to your administrator to forward to E.F. Hutton. Once they are in your account, you can call E.F. Hutton directly to sell them.

Do not call E.F. Hutton directly to set up your Data General sponsored account; you most likely will be set up with a regular broker account which will not give you the discounted commission rates that the E.F. Hutton Program provides. Account Agreement forms are available in your Benefits department as well as Employee Shareholder Services.

Training

Educational Services is offering the following courses in November and December. Prior approval of your supervisor is required for course registration. Call (tie line) 221-1647 to enroll in these classes or other classes. All classes are held at the Education Center at 2400 Computer Drive in Westboro.

SOFTWARE COURSES

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
11/2	ECLIPSE MV/Family Assembly Lang. Prog.	S105/VS	5
11/2	AOS/VS System Manager	S219/VS	5
11/2	DG/SQL Utilization & Design	S317	5
11/16	Intro to Data Communications & Networking	DC131	5
11/16	AOS/VS Internals	S410	5
11/17	XODIAC System Manager	S220	3
11/23	PRESENT through CLI	S142	2
11/30	Data General FORTRAN 77 Optimization & Prog.	S113	5
11/30	Introduction to MS-DOS	S145	2
11/30	AOS & AOS/VS User	S209	5
11/30	INFOS II Utilization & Design	S306	5
12/2	Using Advanced Features of MS-DOS	S146	2
12/7	AOS/VS System Manager	S219/VS	5
12/7	AOS/VS System Programming, Part 1	S309/VS	5
12/14	CEO System Manager	S221	3
12/14	AOS/VS System Programming, Part 2	S310/VS	5
12/14	AOS/VS Operator Training	SH109/VS	5
12/21	CLI Macros	S161	2

CEO COURSES

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
11/3	Decision Base:Spreadsheet, Data Tables, Charting	OA200	3
11/10	WordPerfect Word Processing	OA180	3
11/30	CEO Word Processing with Mail & Calendar	OA163 NEW	4
12/8	Decision Base:Spreadsheet, Data Tables Charting	OA200	3
12/11	Getting Started with PRESENT	OA145	1
12/15	CEOwrite & CEO CONNECTION	OA154	3

TECHNICAL SEMINARS

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
11/10	DG/PC*I Systems Programming	SM525	3
11/17	AOS/VS System Performance Workshop	SM412	4
11/19	Systems Project Management	SM521	2
12/14	The 32-Bit Language Environment	SM507	5
12/16	Introduction to the DG/UX Environment	SM517	3

HARDWARE COURSES

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
11/2	Introduction to Data General 16-Bit Computer Systems	H100	10
11/2	AOS/VS for the Hardware Specialist	H209	5
11/11	6236/6237 Disc Field Maintenance	H236	3
11/16	ECLIPSE S130, S200, S230 Field Maintenance	H104	5
11/30	Introduction to Data General 32-Bit Computer Systems	H100/MV	10

MARKETPLACE

FREE

Kittens , free to good home, 7-8 wks old, 2 litters, box trained, 278-5283 (Uxbridge).

YARD SALE

Yard Sale , Saturday, October 17, assorted items, rain/shine, multi-family, 21 Overlook Drive, 366-8585 (Westboro).

CARPOOL

Carpool , looking to join existing or form, from Brookline to Sobo/Webo, flex, Katz ext 7093.

WANTED

Roommate , male/female, to share house, Hopedale, near Rt 495, \$250/mo incl elec/local phone/basic cable & more, avail now, 473-8911/478-1799 (Milford).

Roommate , to share new condo, w/w, appl, parking, deck, 25 min to Webo, \$300/mo + 1/2 util, 279-3701 (Uxbridge).

Dog House , for med/lg dog, 865-5033 (Millbury).

FOR RENT

Killington, VT , ski house, avail Nov 1 - April 30, 6 bdrm, 3 bath, jacuzzi, wd stove, dishwasher, parking, \$710 - \$840/person for season, 877-6434 (Framingham).

Apartment , newly remodeled kitch & bath, 5 rm, garage, near Rt 290, no pets, \$575/mo, 757-5434 (Worcester).

Apartment , 1st floor, 6 rm, 3 bdrm, near Rts 9/290, 799-6873 (Worcester).

FOR SALE

Cottage , Dennisport, 3-season, 3 bdrm, frpl, bath, outside shower, encl porch, near Sea St Beach, \$120,000, 533-2184 (Medway).

Items , Atomic team bionic arc SL3 slalom skis, 205 cm, \$150; Nordica comp ski boots, sz 9, \$50; Dynastar Starglass comp skis, \$50; cyclocomputer II for bike, \$30; mountain bike rack, \$15, 481-4218 (Marlboro).

Items , Nordica ski boots, mens' sz 9-9 1/2, \$100; queen sz waterbed frame, \$300; truck cap for Toyota Longbed/Nissan/Mazda, '84 & under, \$100, 534-7095 (Leominster).

Microwave Oven , 1.2 cu ft, w/probe, \$100; microwave cart, w/bkshelf & storage, \$30, 422-7192 (Sterling).

Starcraft Tent Trailer , roof needs work, \$500, 485-1577 (Marlboro).

Tires , L50-15 mntd on Comstar aluminum mag wheels, for Ford van w/5 lug 5 1/4" pattern, lug nuts & center spinners incl, \$300, (401) 568-7372 (Harrisville, RI).

Oriental Rug , Chinese design, 6' x 9', gold/cream/navy, 1 yr old, \$150, 473-4248 (Hopedale).

Items , Hunter ceiling fan, \$150/BO; Nutone door chimes, \$30/BO, 443-7043 (Sudbury).

Car Stereo , '87 GM UX1 cass/radio w/equalizer, \$279/BO; '87 Firebird subwoofers, \$59/BO, 843-0209 (Braintree).

Condominium , studio, x-lg walk-in closet, low fees, pool, avail 11/1/87, low \$60s, 485-3968 (Marlboro).

Items , Sony PSLX-2 tntbl, direct drive, \$75; fur coat, blk rabbit, mid-length, sz lg, \$50, 485-4007 (Marlboro).

Christmas Tree , used 3 seasons, \$25, 852-2995 (Worcester).

House , 4 bdrm ranch, new deck/sliders, kitch appl incl, washer/dryer, \$124,900, 476-2927 (E. Douglas).

Canon AE-1 , w/70-210 mm macro zoom lens, flash/gadget bag incl, \$250, 485-4007 (Marlboro).

House , 3 bdrm split, 1 1/2 baths, hdwd floors, 1 acre, garage, frpl, \$139,900, 865-4934 (Millbury).

House , Worc/Auburn line, near major Rts, 1 1/2 bdrms, oversize lot, skylights w/southern exposure, \$95K, 799-5533 (Worcester).

Building , Upton, Main st, 150' frontage, 3000 sq ft, owner-financing, 842-0730 (Shrewsbury).

Cord Wood , oak, seasoned, you pick up, \$60/cord, 842-0730 (Shrewsbury).

House , English Tudor split, cathedral ceilings, 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 baths, garage, frpl, Indscpd, \$172,900, 842-6872 (Shrewsbury).

Items , 2 snow tires, B78-13, mtd/balanced, Colt/Plymouth Arrow; 14 pcs sheetrock, 4' x 8' 1/2", 842-6872 (Shrewsbury).

Living Room Set , gold/rust lvg rm set + 1 blue chair, 3 glass-top Italian tbls, 2 lamps, lrg gold framed mirror, 842-6872 (Shrewsbury).

AUTOS

'73 AMC Javelin , 304 V8, auto, PS, bucket seats, stereo/cass, many new parts, \$2000/BO, 278-5283 (Uxbridge).

'75 Oldsmobile Cutlass , V8, 135K mi, PS/PB, \$350/BO, 695-6277 (N. Attleboro).

'75 Honda Motorcycle , CB360T, needs some work, runs, \$100, (401) 568-7372 (Harrisville, RI).

'80 Subaru , 4 wheel drive hatch, runs, needs work, \$500, 485-1577 (Marlboro).

'81 Renault 181 , 4 dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, 65K mi, \$500/BO, 485-4007 (Marlboro).

'84 Plymouth Horizon , 5 spd, AM/FM stereo, well maintained, 52K mi, \$2900/BO, 528-4318 (Franklin).

'84 Buick Skylark , t-type, 2 dr, snrf, standard, AC, AM/FM cass, 27K mi, \$5500, 234-5586 (Northbridge).

'85 Renault Encore , 37K mi, AC, PS/PB, AM/FM cass, \$3800/BO, 897-4836 (Maynard).

'85 Trans-Am , white, loaded, T-roof, new tires/brakes, 17K mi, \$10,900 or take over payments, \$284/mo, 473-6352 (Milford).

'86 Stingray Boat , 16', 120 Mercury in/out, trailer, extras, \$9000, 853-9279 (Worcester).

HOURS

Westboro Cafeteria , full breakfast, 6:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.; lunch, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.; open from 6:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. for beverages.

Pizzeria , serving from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Pumpnickel's Deli , Coffee & pastries, 6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.; full breakfast, 6:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.; deli lunch, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.; Take-out, 3 p.m.-6:30 p.m.; dinner, 5 p.m.-7 p.m.

3400 Computer Drive Cafeteria , full breakfast, 7:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.; lunch, 11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m.; open from 7:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. for coffee and pastries.

Milford , full breakfast, 6:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.; lunch 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m.; open from 6:30 a.m.-3:15 p.m. for beverages.

Southboro , full breakfast, 6:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.; lunch 11:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m.; open from 6:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. for beverages.

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