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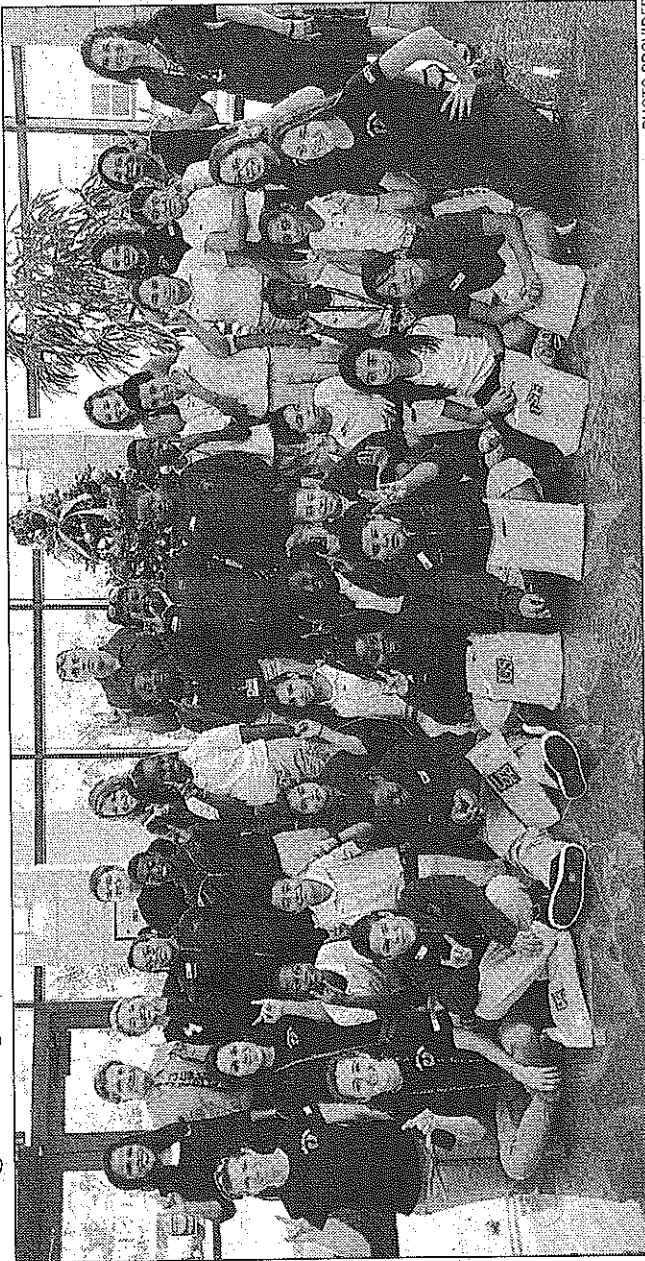
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offered at various locations in Manatee County. The state-approved class is 8 hours, 4 hours each day and are open to anyone age 50 and older. Days of the week and hours of the class vary depending on the location. Cost: \$12 members, \$14 nonmembers. For full schedules and locations call Ty McDaniel at 941-776-1158.

AMI Community Center: The Anna Maria Island Community Center, 407 Magnolia Ave., Anna Maria, offers the following adult classes: Bridge, Adult Ballet and Pointe workshops, Jazz Ballet, Basic Ballet, Yoga, Pilates/Yoga Mix and Iron Yoga, Weight Bearing Exercise, Muscles and More, Dance Aerobics, Dog Obedience and Puppy Basic training I and II, Beginner Tai Chi for Arthritis and Intermediate Tai Chi, Karate, Ballroom Dancing, Zumba, and Tap Dancing, Jumba, Pickleball, Watercolor for beginners, One-stroke Painting, Silk Scarf Painting, Knitting, Spanish Language Workshops, Healthy and Spanish Cooking Classes "Tapas 'n Fun," and monthly Prevention Plus health screenings. Preregistration for all classes is required. For information on complete schedules, hours and prices, call 941-778-1908, ext. 0.

ArtCenter Manatee: ArtCenter Manatee offers classes and workshops

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Services Department offers the following classes and educational nature tours at multiple locations:

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- Ask a Master Gardener, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Dec. 10 at Rocky Bluff Branch Library.

Along" series of children's books. "A Thought for Thanksgiving" and "Making Beautiful Music" are now available at Circle Books and Bookstore1Sarasota and online. Information: 941-388-7949.

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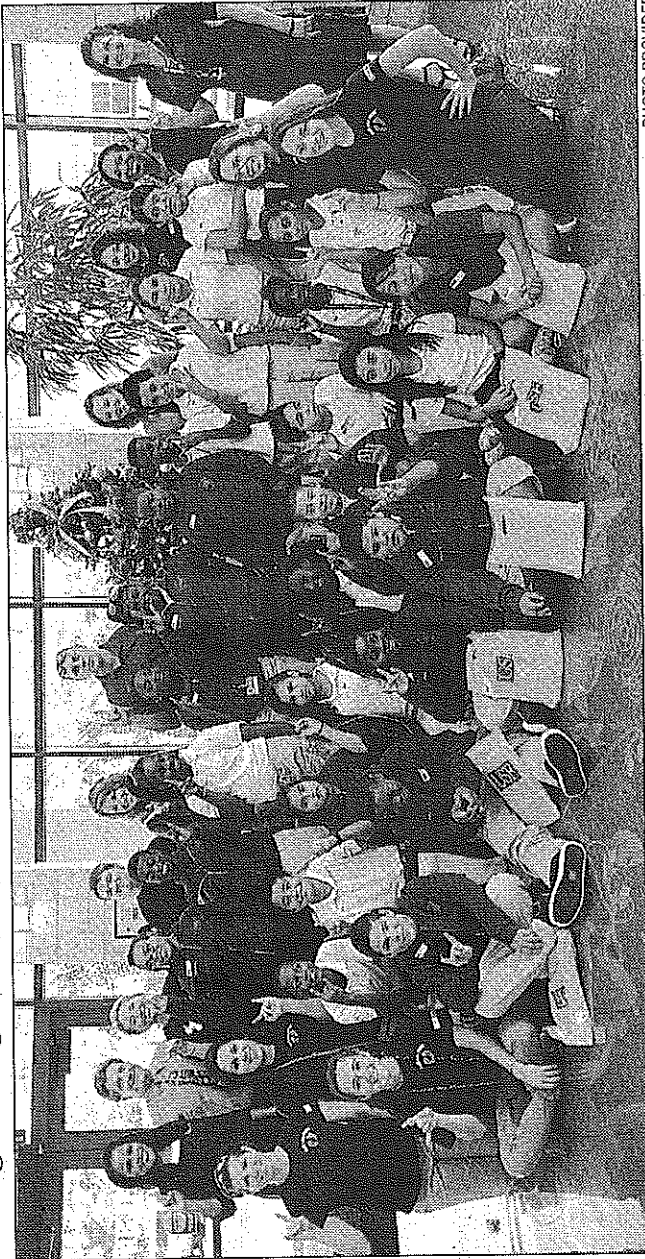
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