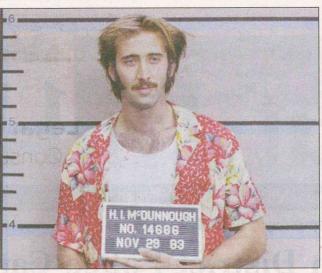
'Raising Arizona' next for Tuesday **Night Movies'**

Tolly Hunter and Nicholas Cage star in the Coen Brothers' 1987 screwball com-Ledy "Raising Arizona" at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 28 at Woodmere Art Museum. Career criminal Cage tries to go straight for the love of police officer Hunter, but naturally everything goes wrong. A \$5 contribution is recommended.





Chestnut Hill Conservancy re-accredited as premier urban land trust

by Pete Mazzaccaro

hestnut Hill Conservancy's place as a premier land trust was reaffirmed last month by the Land Trust Accreditation Commission, an independent commission of the national Land Trust

The CHC (formerly the Chestnut Hill Historical Society) is one of 372 accredited trusts in the country but is the first urban land trust to be receive accreditation. It has been directly responsible for the preservation of more than 130 acres of open space in the Chestnut Hill area since 1990. Every preserved acre is in the Wissahickon Watershed.

"Our national LTAC accreditation is a catalyst for the Chestnut Hill Conservancy becoming a center for ideas on balancing growth and preservation to sustain the vibrant, historic urban village character of Chestnut Hill," said CHC's Executive Director Lori Salganicoff. "The LTAC accreditation renewal confirms that we are fulfilling our mission to advance intepreservation grated conservation efforts, collaboratively protecting and educating about the open space, watershed and built environment."

Salganicoff's counterpart at the Friends of the Wissahickon, Executive Director Maura McCarthy, said the accreditation was a sign that the land entrusted to the CHC was in good hands.

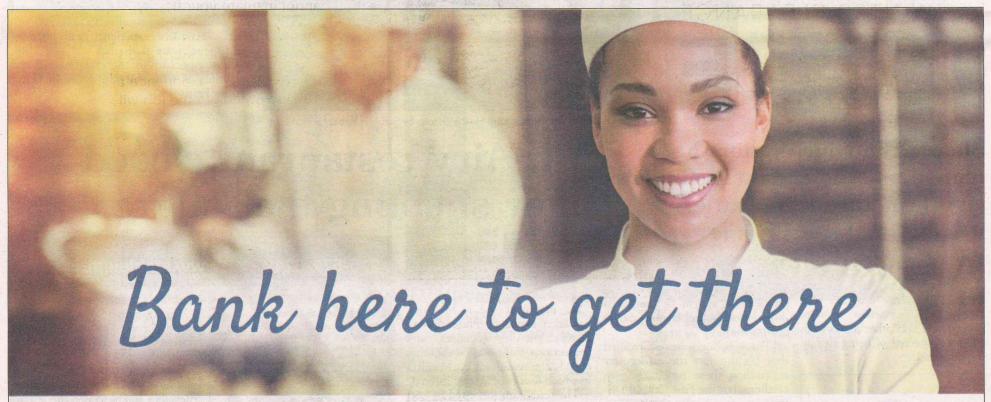
"The risks to open space change from year to year and decade to decade," McCarthy said. "A con-



The Chestnut Hill Conservancy is dedicated to preserving and interpreting the Chestnut Hill area's heritage through an innovative easement program that preserves open space and historic facades in partnership with the Friends of the Wissahickon. (photo by Emily T. Cooperman)

servation easement is one of the best instruments to protect land in perpetuity, but to be effective, the organization holding the easement must also exist in perpetuity. Accreditation by LTAC is a key indicator of a land trust's health, and the long-term health of the lands they protect."

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