

"Piastr" Opened Its House

On Thursday, September 11, the newly established "Piastr Institute" held an "Open House" in its headquarters at 3841 Talbot in Hamtramck. Many guests appeared to show their support.

The Piastr Institute is a national Institute for Polish and Polish-American Affairs. It is an independent, non-profit organization to serve as a data resource for Polonia to develop policy papers and historical, cultural, political, economic, social and demographic studies on Polish and Polish-American topics.

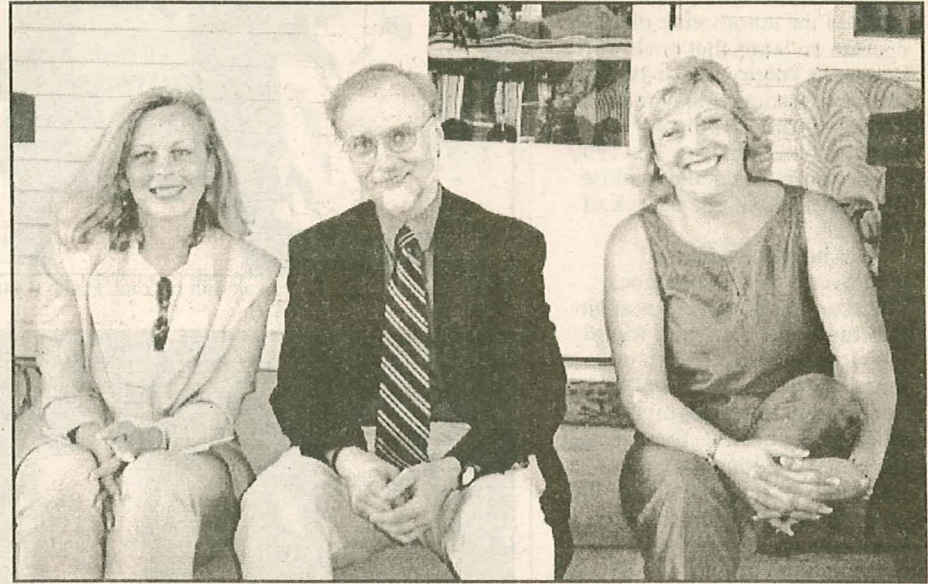
"Piastr" wants to provide unbiased information on current political social and economic developments in Poland. It would like to provide information to Poland and Poles on Polonia, its role in American society and politics and U.S. attitudes and policies toward Poland. The list of the tasks that "Piastr" would like to accomplish is much longer and very impressive.

The Institute was founded by Dr. Thaddeus Radzilowski; Ms. Virginia Skrzyniarz is the co-founder; Ms. Kathryn Hartman serves as the Business Administrator and Mr. Paul Goniea is the Research and Staff Assistant.

To find out more about "The Piastr Institute", call: 313-891-8156 or toll-free: 1-866-PIAST.



Virginia Skrzyniarz (left) and Eleonore Swidwinski.



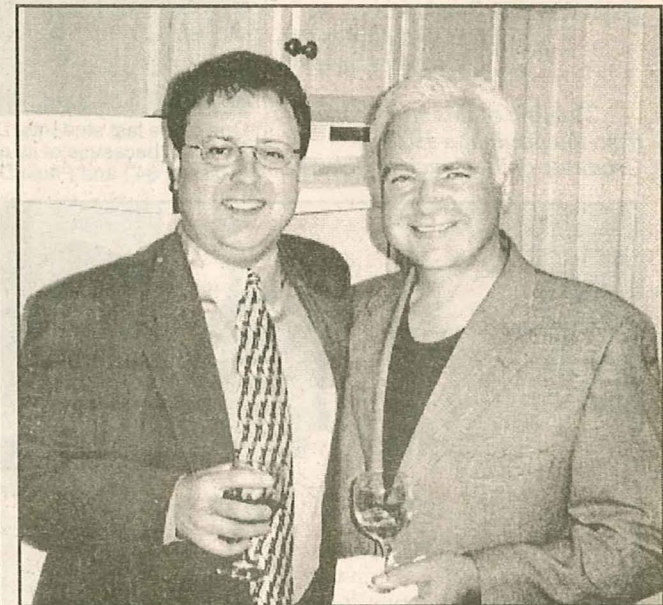
L. to R.: Janice Sterling, Dr. John Bukowczyk, Kathy Krajewski.



Cynthia Cervenak (left) and Joanne Bittner.



Thaddeus Radzilowski and Anna Jankowska.



Waldemar Raczkowski (left) and Ken Rogulski.