

S Jens Jensen Player's Green



Proposed Restoration



Historic Jens Jensen Design



Current Player's Green

“Jensen also saw a connection between the performing arts and nature. In many of his small park designs, he included a "players' green or council ring." The green was a slightly elevated sun-opening, which served as the stage for outdoor theatrical performances with the audience seated on the ground on an adjacent meadow.”



Legend

S Jens Jensen Council Ring Garden – “Council Hill”



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Current Council Ring Area

“A ring speaks of strength and friendship and is one of the great symbols of mankind... Many of these rings I have built... These rings are the beginning of a new social life in the gardens of the American of tomorrow.”
- Jens Jensen



Legend



“Dedication of land for public access to the open space to the West” – 1997 Comprehensive Plan



Proposed Improvement



Witchwood Lane (Built as Approved)

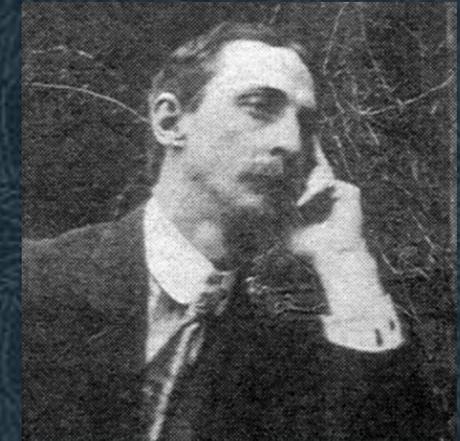
The Village of Lake Bluff 1997 Comprehensive plan references the redevelopment of the property and calls for “the dedication of land for public access to the open space to the west”. The Stonebridge landscape plan provides this connection and much more. The proposed path along will provide a bike path, landscaped buffer, and increased setbacks to Witchwood Lane. The proposed improvements will dramatically improve the condition on Witchwood Lane and the neighboring West Terrace Community.



Legend

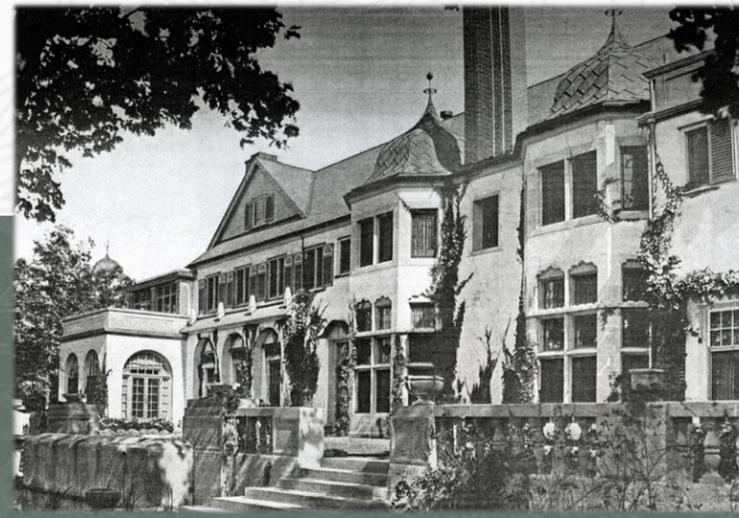
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Restoration of the Howard Van Doren Shaw Manor House

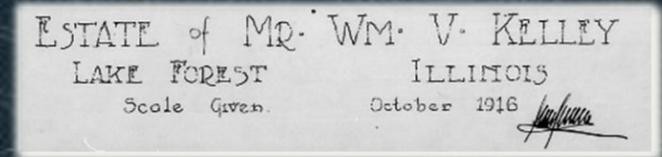


“Howard Van Doren Shaw, who lived a half-mile south of the Kelleys’ property on Green Bay Rd... was chosen as the architect for “Stonebridge’s” manor house... In many ways, Kelley’s house was the most radically eclectic of Shaw’s houses. In this house, Shaw combined elements such as the arched entryway, suggestive of Italian Villas, with English Tudor and French Gothic stone details. In its planning, Shaw’s design cleverly balances picturesque asymmetries to produce an overall formality on the exterior.”

Excerpt from, North Shore Chicago – Houses of the Lakefront Suburbs 1890 – 1940



The Applicant proposes to restore the former William V. Kelley Estate in the spirit of Howard Van Doren Shaw’s original design. The rehabilitation of this historic structure will provide Lake Bluff and the residents of Stonebridge with an unparalleled public amenity.





Howard Van Doren Shaw Manor House Proposed Restoration



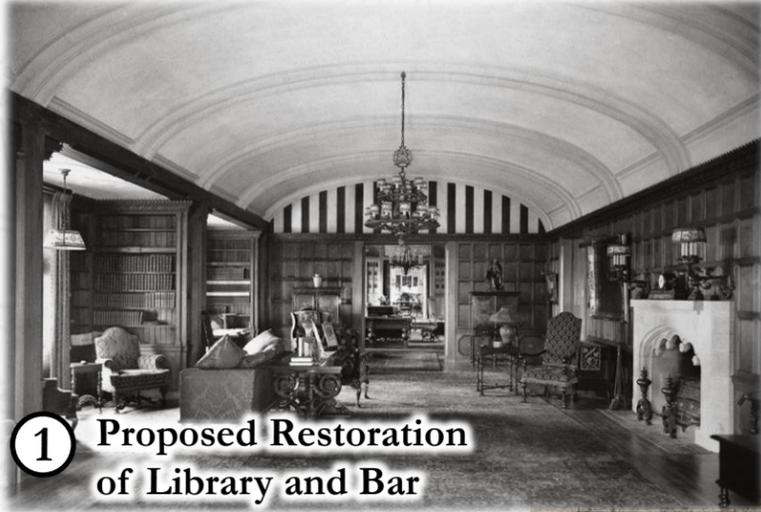
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Existing Condition (Prior to Applicant Ownership)



Howard Van Doren Shaw Manor House Uses (Proposed)



1 Proposed Restoration of Library and Bar



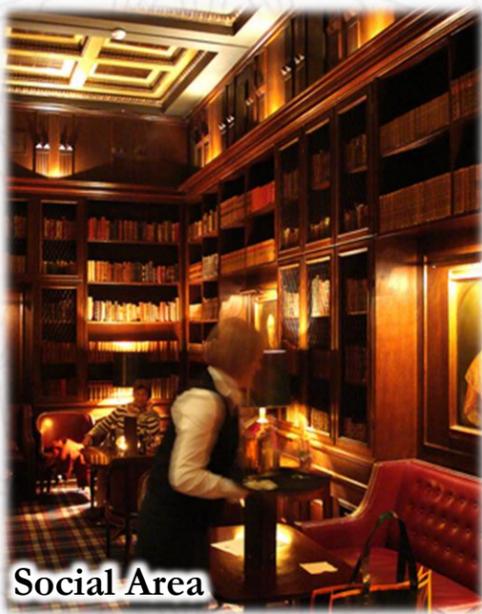
2 Proposed Restoration of Great Room



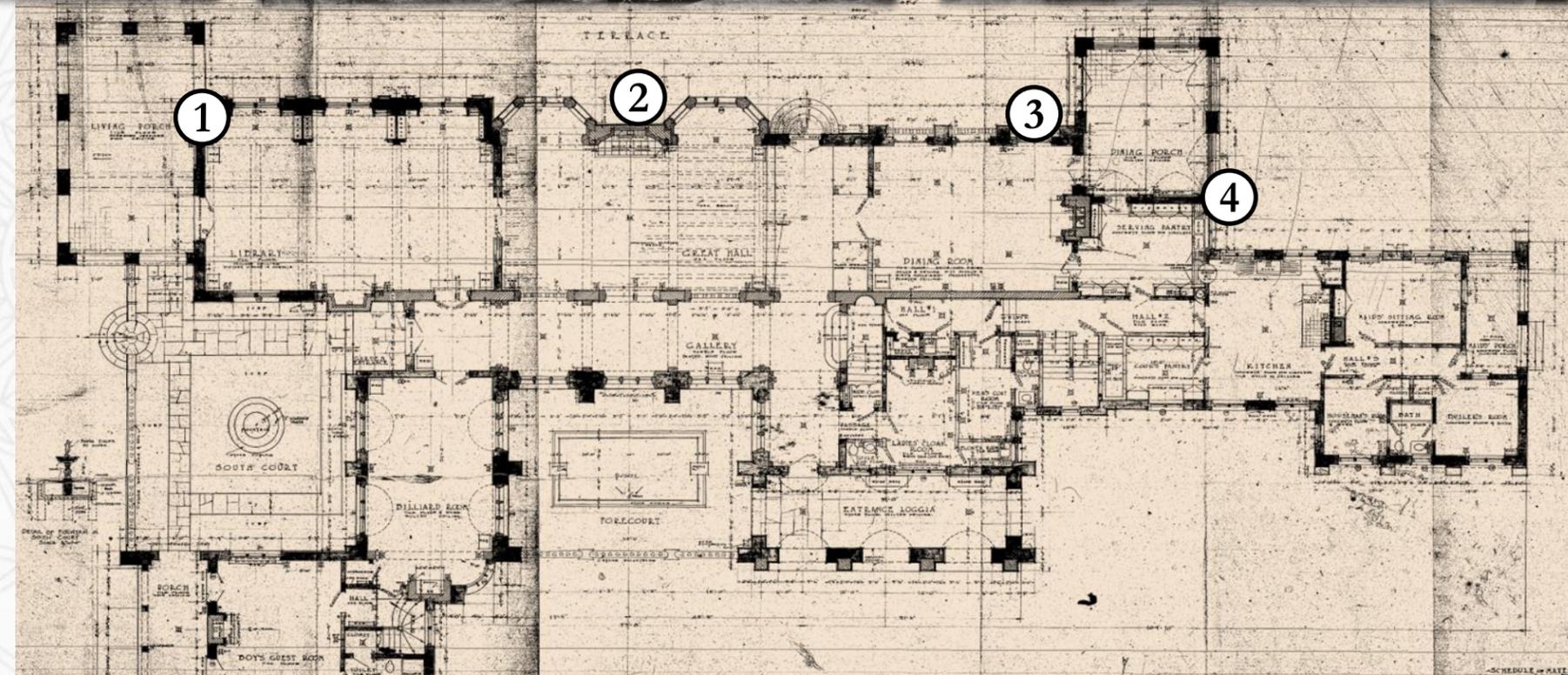
Proposed Restoration of Great Room 2



Proposed Restoration of Dining Area 3



Social Area



Chef's Kitchen 4



Play Area



Event Space



Fitness Area



Business Center