

Mr. Micheal Royko
Chicago Sun-Times

May 25, 1978

Lansdale Gaylords
Chicago, Ill. 60647

To Mr. Royko,

In response to your article in the May 24 th. edition we feel there is more to street gangs than what was printed, and we would not like to leave that impression of gangs on the people of Chicago.

Our Chapter of The Gaylord Nation is known as the Lansdale Gaylords. We have been active in our area for the past nine years. We pride ourselves in saying there has been no acts of rape, robbery, burglary, assaults, arson or auto thefts committed by our members, against the people of our area. Our arrests are all gang-related.

We are also one of the most influential and active Chapters in the city. At this time we feel that there is a necessity to meet with you and discuss our relations with the Police and the people of our neighborhood.

If you are interested please contact Mr. Joe Crawford of The Action Office at 3700 W. Fullerton to arrange a meeting.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Senior Council & Members
of The LANSDALE GAYLORDS

cc; Lansdale Gaylords
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