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**NEW ARRIVAL...**The Westfield Fire Department's new 1993 Emergency One, 110-foot aerial truck was purchased from Emergency One, Inc., builders of custom fire apparatus of Ocala, Florida. The truck has a pre-piped waterway which can deliver up to 1,000 gallons of water per minute. It replaces the 1972 75-foot snorkel which failed the certification test in 1991. The snorkel was severely damaged at a chemical fire during a mutual-aid call in another municipality. The new truck has a reach of 110 feet which is ideal for many situations in town where the homes had a setback from the street in excess of 60 feet. There also are apartment houses of five stories or more and building in the business district where the ladder is ideal for rescue work. After five weeks of training by factory personnel, the aerial was placed in service March 1 and has been responding to all full assignments and requests for assistance under the county mutual aid pact.

## SUPERIORS TO RECEIVE \$100 MORE FOR TWO YEARS; PERSONAL DAYS ADDED

# Town Council Gives Its Tentative Approval To 5 Per Cent Yearly Police Salary Raises

**Municipal Budget for the Current Year, Scheduled for Introduction at Next Tuesday's Regular Session, Will Provide for \$144 More in Taxes on Average Home for Support of Town Government, or Eight Points**

By ROBERT R. FASZCZEWSKI  
Specially Written for The Westfield Leader

A three-year contract providing for salary increases for 5 per cent per year for the 58 members of the Westfield Local of the Policemen's Benevolent Association was given tentative approval on Tuesday by the Town Council.

Other provisions of the contract, which already has been okayed by the policemen's group, include

an additional three personal days and \$100 extra salary during 1993 and 1994 for those who hold Detective to Captain rank, according to Town Administrator John F. Malloy, Jr.

The agreement, which is expected to be formally ratified by the council at this Tuesday's regular session, will extend from January 1 of this year until December 31, 1995.

In another action, the council agreed to the introduction of the \$23,599,414 municipal budget for 1993.

The spending plan, which includes a tax levy of \$8,799,114, will result in a tax increase of \$144 for municipal purposes or eight tax points, on the average town home assessed at \$173,800, Mr. Malloy noted.

The Administrator added school

taxes are expected to increase by 12 points this year and county taxes by three points.

Also given informal approval was an agreement with Union County which will allow Preventing Alcohol, Narcotic and Drug Abuse, the municipal alliance fighting substance abuse, to receive \$22,100 for programs this year.

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## St. Helen's Members Journey to Holy Land

**Focal Points of Various Faiths Provide Inspiration As Parishioners Retrace Chapters in Christ's Life**

By GEORGE E. KEENEN, JR.  
Specially Written for The Westfield Leader

In my room near the New Gate to the Old City of Jerusalem I was awakened each morning by the "call to prayer" of the Muslim muezzins from several minarets in the area.

There were the bells joyfully announcing the hours. I thought of Rome, but the first sorrowful note coming from a nearby minaret affirmed I was in Jerusalem. The sounds were reminders that here the three greatest monotheistic religions, even though fragmented, had fought for their identified, lived in a fragile peace and found a common source.

I went to Israel with 42 others from Westfield's St. Helen's Roman Catholic Parish, making a pilgrimage to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the church.

The spiritual leadership came from the pastor, the Right Reverend Monsignor James Burke and Brother William Lavigne, Director of Adult Education, both scripture scholars.

Their leadership was abetted by the efforts of two who joined us in Tel Aviv.

Dan, our guide, and Ibrahim, our driver.

Ibrahim was intrepid and wise; his remembrance of the treacherous roads that took us up the desert mountains at Wadi Kelt was proof of that, as was the wild racing of the alleluia shouting of drivers making the hairpin curves that took us to the top of an otherwise serene Mt. Tabor.

Itineraries are important to a journey. Without the skilled interpretations of a sensitive and knowledgeable person like Dan, we might have been dealing with a list of names like Acco, Sepphoris, Meggjo, the suggested site

## GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL SETS OPEN HOUSE

All girls may attend an Open House on Wednesday, April 28, from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Washington Rock Girl Scout Service Center at 201 Grove Street East, Westfield.

Washington Rock has scheduled several events from late afternoon until evening to promote the positive achievements of women in the workplace as well as to introduce girls to careers and opportunities.

For further information, please telephone the service center at 232-3236.

of Armageddon, all less familiar than Bethlehem, Cana or Jerusalem.

Dan interpreted the ruins of the ancient capital of Galilee, Sepphoris, and the larger excavations at Beit She'an, very comparable with Pompeii.

It is here that Dan works as a geologist and archaeologist.

"I leave my stones at times to be

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## Staples Found in Hot Dog In High School Cafeteria

**Packaging Believed at Fault; Vendors to Investigate**

The vendors and suppliers who service the firm which manages the Westfield High School cafeteria are conducting an investigation into the source of a hot dog served in the cafeteria last Wednesday which contained staples.

According to Steven Szabo, the Director of Food Service for the Westfield Schools for ServiceAmerica, which manages the cafeteria, a high school girl was eating a hot dog in the cafeteria when she discovered the staples.

He said the girl's parents said there apparently was no harm done by the staples, and his firm's insurance company has been contacted to reimburse the parents if any medical expenses are incurred.

This is the first incident of its kind in the Westfield schools, he added, and ServiceAmerica believes the staples may have come from a packaging defect.

The vendors have been asked to investigate the incident and make sure it does not reoccur, Mr. Szabo noted.

## OPEN HOUSE SLATED FOR TOWN HALL

An open house, during which members of Westfield community groups will be able to tour the renovated Municipal Building, and a rededication of the building have been scheduled for Wednesday, June 2, from 6 to 9 p.m.

The organizations also have been invited to display their literature in the new Community Room in the renovated facility.



**ON THE MOUNTAIN...** During the St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church of Westfield Holy Land pilgrimage from February 11 to 21, on the right, are: First row, Mrs. Helen Gullidus, Mrs. Molly Aloha, Mrs. Elaine Rosa, Mrs. Jacqueline Pantano, Mrs. Miriam Wilcox, Mrs. Joan Hill, Mrs. Pamela Perryman, Mrs. Mary Lu Gulick, Mrs. Kathy Dulan, Mrs. Nancy La Corle, Mrs. Alfred Leonard, Mrs. Joan Gallagher, Mrs. Nancy Davis, Brother William Lavigne and the guide; second row, Edward Gullidus, Joseph Ross, Jeffrey Barry, Mrs. Ann Stratton, Mrs. Elizabeth Cagnusola, Mrs. Theresa Muresca, Mrs. Evelyn Goski, Michael Gallagher, Mrs. Alice Brown, another Brother, Mrs. Norma Webb, Mrs. Margaret Walsh and Thomas Walsh; third row, Paul Aloha, Bryant Pantano, Mrs. Margaret Peters, Mrs. Kathleen Cosgrove, the Right Reverend Monsignor James Burke, Mrs. Dorothy Kull, Louis Maresca and Mrs. Karen Goski; fourth row, Charles Cosgrove, George E. Keenen, Jr., Mrs. Elizabeth Dauleman, Henry Dauleman, Richard Reiner, John Perryman, Mark Cosgrove and Brad Davis.

## Planning Board Approves Application To Renovate Prospect Street Building

**Research Firm Wants Second Floor Changed From Residence to Office Use**

By PAUL J. PEYTON  
Specially Written for The Westfield Leader

The Westfield Planning Board on Monday approved the application of Statistical Research Inc. of 111, 121 and 129 Prospect Street to convert the second floor of a two-and-a-half-story house from residential to office use. The building will be completely renovated.

The company owns two buildings on the property and a parking lot. In addition to the house, Statistical Research has a two-story brick structure on the property, according to Arthur P. Attenasio, a Mountainside attorney representing the firm. This structure will not undergo any changes.

Mr. Attenasio said changes to the building involve removing a wall on the first floor to create one large room. On the second floor of the building, which currently features four bedrooms, the wall between the largest two rooms will be removed to open up the area and create a workplace. Also, a second-floor bathroom will be renovated.

Mr. Attenasio said a rear exterior stairway would be removed. A stairway would be constructed to the left of the front porch at the main entrance. The number of parking spaces would remain at 53, 16 below what is required under a town ordinance.

The building located at 101 Prospect Street, the larger of the two buildings, has a front yard setback of less than 33 feet from Prospect Street as required by ordinance.

In addition, Mr. Attenasio said the building, which is in a business zone, under Westfield ordinance is closer than 10 feet from an abutting home as required by ordinance. Also, the dimensions of some of the parking spaces do not meet the requirements set in Westfield zoning laws.

Mr. Attenasio said the Planning Board granted a variance allowing those dimensions in 1981.

"Basically this site plan is a mirror image of the site plan that was before the board in 1981 except for two exits and entrances," he said.

With regard to the non-conforming variances, the board prior to its vote unanimously decided the variances did not significantly impact the lot.

George Hooper of Westfield, the company's administrator, told the board the attic in the two-and-a-half-story structure will not be used. The cellar is used for the storage of records, he said.

Mr. Hooper explained currently two people work on the first floor with additional part-time people coming in at night.

The company employs 71 full-timers and about 35 part-timers, mostly interviewers. Part-timers utilize street parking and a municipal

parking lot directly across the street. The business is in operation from 6:30 a.m. until 1 a.m.

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## Governor Will Speak At Temple Emanu-El

**Holocaust Will Be Focus of April 16 Service**

Governor James J. Florio will speak at Temple Emanu-El of Westfield on Friday evening, April 16, at the Shabbat service, which will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

Governor Florio will speak on Yom Hashoah, the Holocaust remembrance.

The Governor has encouraged Holocaust education in the state and recently led an eminently successful mission of state officials and other leaders to Israel.

After serving eight terms as United States Representative, he was elected Governor in 1989.

Music shabbat also will be observed that evening at the temple.

The temple choir and Cantor Martha Novick will sing Kol Shalom by Ben Steinberg. The choir is directed by Geoffrey Petersen. Music



Governor James J. Florio

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**WAITING FOR YOU...** The Westfield Lions Club will hold its 54th Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 10, at 1 p.m. in Mindowaskin Park. The Easter Bunny will greet all children 7 years of age and under. Children 3 years old and under accompanied by a parent will hunt in a segregated area. The Jolly Trolley of Westfield has donated 1,200 eggs for the hunt. Matthew and Morgan Schaefer are shown with the Bunny at last year's hunt.

## DEADLINES HELP LEADER SERVE YOU

Those preparing press releases for submission to The Westfield Leader are reminded all copy should be in the hands of the Editor at 50 Elm Street, Westfield, by 4 p.m., on the Friday before the Thursday on which they wish it to appear.

For events which happen the weekend prior to publication, press releases should reach the Editor by Monday of the week of publication at 10 a.m. (Obituaries will be taken until Tuesday at 5 p.m.)

For events which are planned weeks or months in advance, we encourage submission of stories as early as possible prior to the event.

The above deadlines are meant to enable us to prepare your copy carefully.

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**DONATIONS SOUGHT...** Donations are sought for the 26th annual Gigantic Garage Sale to be held on Saturday, May 15, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the National Guard Armory on Rahway Avenue, Westfield. All new or slightly-used linens, dishes, kitchenware, small appliances, sporting goods, garden tools, toys and games, books, pictures and accessories, jewelry, attic treasures, and outgrown children's clothing, infant to size 14, are needed. The proceeds will benefit the Westfield Day Care Center. Donations may be dropped off at the rear parking lot of the armory from 9 a.m. to noon on April 28 and 30 and May 3, 5, 7, 10, 11, 12 and 13. Donations also will be accepted on Saturday, May 1, from 9 a.m. to noon. For additional information, please telephone the center at 232-6717. Mrs. Mary Pearsall is shown preparing for the garage sale.

## Assembly Bill Addresses Insurance-Form Fraud

Assemblyman Alan M. Augustine, who represents Westfield, today called upon the Assembly Speaker to post legislation he is sponsoring to broaden the scope of the state's insurance-fraud laws to cover the filing of misleading or false information during the application process.

Assemblyman Augustine said he considers the posting of Assembly Bill No. 2285 to be vitally important to help send a message the state will not tolerate insurance fraud.

The Assemblyman noted, "The key to this bill is it attempts to stop fraud at its source by making a person who files false or misleading information on an insurance application subject to criminal and civil penalties even if the applicant never attempted to collect on a claim."

"The basic supposition of the bill is a person who would go so far as to lie or mislead an insurer on an application is highly likely to try to file or

attempt to collect on a claim that is likewise fraudulent," the 22nd District legislator added.

Currently, the state's "Rate Evader Law" only provides penalties in cases where a person files false information on an automobile insurance application.

Bill No. 2285 would extend the law to apply to those who file false or misleading applications for automobile as well as health, fire, life, property and casualty, homeowner's and any other type of insurance coverage.

The penalty for violating the law would include fines that could reach as high as \$15,000 per violation.

The Assembly Insurance Committee, on which Assemblyman Augustine serves, voted to release Bill No. 2285 on February 22 as part of a comprehensive four-bill, anti-insurance-fraud package that also was reported out and placed on second reading in the Assembly.

The other bills in the package include: No. 1874 by Essex County Assemblyman, Mrs. Maureen Ogden, which would require policyholders who experience a fire-related loss to file an affidavit that would be filed with local fire departments; No. 1875, by Assemblyman Ernest L. Oros of Middlesex County, a measure requiring the Department of Motor Vehicles to maintain and operate a 24-hour insurance data bank and, No. 1876, by Assemblymen Oros and Ogden, which would require insurance companies to void the policies of people who file fraudulent information in order to obtain coverage.

"The key to my bill is those people who cheat the system are primary contributors to the escalation that has taken place in insurance premiums," Assemblyman Augustine said. "By doing whatever we can to reduce fraud, as this package does, we will help reduce a primary contributing factor to the record growth that has taken place in rates."

## Brian Dursee Shows His Art at Kean

Brian Dursee of Westfield is among Kean College of New Jersey of Union fine-arts graduate students who will exhibit their works in the college's James Howe Gallery, located in the Vaughn-Eames Hall, from Monday, April 12, to Thursday, May 6. The exhibition is entitled "10 + 1"

All students, as part of their degree completion, are required to present their work as part of an exhibition in the Howe Gallery. "10 + 1" represents a wide range of arts taught in the Fine Arts Department.

An opening reception will be held on Sunday, April 18, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the gallery.

Gallery hours are Monday to Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m., Friday from 10 a.m. to noon and by appointment.

For an appointment or further information, please call 527-2307 or 527-2347.

## Board to Accept Bids On Washington Addition

The Westfield Board of Education will hold a special meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, April 13, to award bids for construction of needed classrooms at Washington School.

The meeting will be held in the Board Meeting Room at 302 Elm Street.

Also on the agenda will be first-reading approval of two new courses entitled *Ancient Traditions* and *Medieval Traditions*.

The new elective courses to be offered to juniors and seniors in September will be team-taught by Mrs. Bonnie Hagerman, a social studies teacher, and Charles Soriano, an English teacher. The team teachers will discuss the proposed single-semester courses at the school board meeting.

The meeting originally was scheduled as a committee-of-the-whole meeting for discussion purposes. However, it was changed to a special meeting so the board can act on bids for work on the Washington School addition.

The board approved the Washington School addition at a public meeting in October. The estimated \$568,000 addition will provide four additional classrooms to Washington

School, Westfield's smallest elementary school.

Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Mark C. Smith, said a six-month study by the administration concluded elementary school increases will continue over the next five years, additional classrooms are needed at the school to maintain elementary class sizes within the desired range specified in board policy and space also is needed for the Basic Skills Instruction Program, music and art instruction at the school.

"Redistricting is not a solution to the space problem," he said, "because of current and projected enrollments at Wilson and Franklin Schools."

The Washington School addition will be constructed with reserve funds, unexpended balances, in the school budget. After this allocation, the school budget reserve account will still fall within the board's policy range of 2 to 3 per cent.

Dr. Robert C. Rader, the Assistant Superintendent for Business, said construction is expected to begin around Monday, April 26.

Tuesday's meeting is open to the public, with time allotted for public questions, comments and suggestions.

## Representative Backs Congressional Reforms

A plan which would result in an estimated savings of \$600 million in the Congressional budget was outlined by Representative Robert D. Franks, whose district includes Westfield, last week.

Representative Franks' proposal would streamline the committee system.

Reducing the number of committees and subcommittees, with a corresponding 25 per cent cut in the committee budgets, would make the legislative system more efficient while lowering the \$3 billion Congressional budget by \$600 million, according to the freshman lawmaker.

The legislator said about half of the 147 committees, subcommittees, select, standing and special committees can be eliminated.

He also noted Carl Albert, who was the Speaker of the House from 1971 to 1976, still has a staff of two on Capitol Hill even though he no longer is there.

Decreasing the number of committees would create a rational scheduling process that will not require members to be at two or three meetings at the same time, Representative Franks said.

Headed at a meeting of the House Budget Committee, of which he is a member, Democratic members voted for a \$1.5 trillion spending plan.

Members of the minority party formulated an alternative to the Democratic plan and proposed cutting the federal deficit by \$429 billion over five years with no new taxes, the lawmaker said.

Democrats voted out of the House a \$510 billion federal deficit reduction plan over five years, which included \$329 billion in new taxes, he

added. Representative Franks said majority members dismissed the alternative resolution and adopted their own plan.

Restructuring the budget process is one of numerous reforms the Representative said he will take to Republican freshmen members of Congress, and then to the Democratic freshman Task Force on Congressional Reform.

Other reforms advocated by Representative Franks and other freshmen members of Congress are: A balanced-budget amendment to force Congress to live within its means, a 12-year term limit on members of Congress and limitations on terms of Congressional committee Chairman and ranking members.

## Town Artists Show Works In the Area

New loan shows by members of the Westfield Art Association have been hung for the spring in Children's Specialized Hospital in Mountainside and the Midlantic Bank in Westfield.

Paintings in the hospital are by Mrs. Mabel Winch, Mrs. Carol Balliet, Mrs. Jean McCullough, William Coombs, Mrs. Emily Buesser, Mrs. Joan Watterson, Philip Kass, Mrs. Grace Koleada, Mrs. Gail Steinberg, Mrs. Dorothy Wilkinson and Mrs. Florence MacDowell.

This show is open to the public during the daytime through the ambulance entrance. On weekends, please telephone Mrs. Shirley Bigler, the hospital's Community Resources Coordinator.

Charles Wren had his animal paintings in the rear showcase of the Midlantic Bank at 128 Elm Street, Westfield, for March and Miss Cindy Dawley will display her work there during April. All paintings are for sale. If interested, please inquire at the site of the exhibit.

## Solid Waste Unit To Meet April 28

The Solid Waste Committee of the Town Council will hold a special meeting for discussion, but not to take formal action, on Wednesday, April 28, at 8 p.m.

### Eye Openers

**DIABETES AND YOUR EYES**

Because diabetes may affect vision, it's extra-important for diabetics to take good care of their eyes. A complete eye examination at least once a year is advised. The optometrist will check for an unusual change in vision that may be related to the disease, including a careful examination of the retina, the back of the eye, which may be at risk. The eye doctor also will look at changes that may not have any noticeable visual symptoms.

Certain danger signs - blurring, double vision, floating spots, a sudden change in the clarity, difficulty seeing from the side of the eye, or any pain or pressure - often indicate trouble and should bring the diabetic to the optometrist immediately, even if it is not time for the usual check-up.

A diabetic's blood pressure should be checked frequently, too. High blood pressure and diabetes are a bad combination for eye health and good vision.

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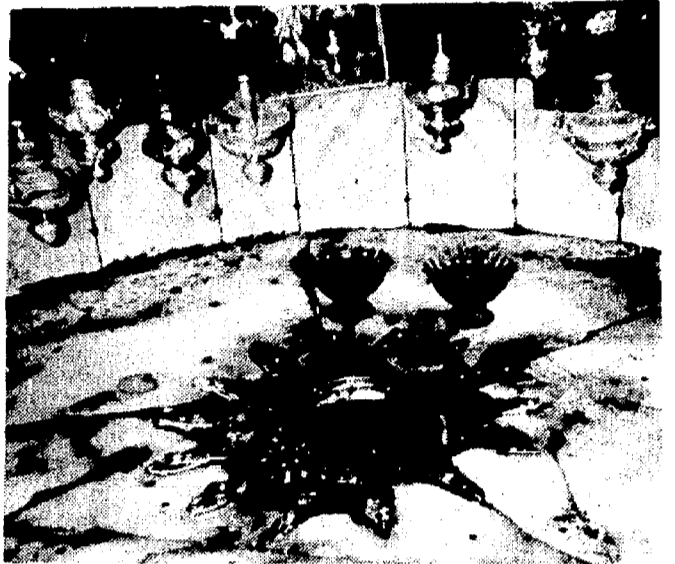
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**IN CHRIST'S SHOES...** The Right Reverend Monsignor James Burke celebrates an outdoor Mass at the Church of the Primacy of Tabgha, south of Capernaum.



**SAVIOR'S BIRTHPLACE...** The Basilica of the Nativity is on the spot where Jesus Christ is said to have been born.



**FAITH RENEWED...** Richard Reisner has his Baptismal vows renewed by the Right Reverend Monsignor James Burke.

## St. Helen's Members Journey to Holy Land

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more in touch with people; that is when I go out as a decent. I am not a guide," he said.

Abraham was an Arab Christian, Catholic, and Dan, a French Jew who came to Israel mid-way in his life. He is 49.

Dan had the ability to discern when he should be left alone to absorb our own thoughts and impressions. He was sensitive, as when he tactfully suggested we should not exploit the Bedouins with intrusions on their privacy to take pictures. He acknowledged with some disdain the skeptics who claimed much of the Holy Land allure was undocumented and overdone; he understood the differences that divided the faiths, but was conciliatory not opinionated. He took us to the West Wall, the Wailing Wall, and we watched the Jews at prayer and prayed for them and ourselves.

It is impossible not to note the military presence: Soldiers with guns slung over their shoulders at Bethlehem and the Temple Mount. Our Arab and Jewish friends were concerned about our safety, warning us not to go into the old city at night and alone.

The political aspects of the journey were important. To go to Israel and not experience Masada, a seemingly impenetrable mountain plateau as high as the World Trade Center, where the last Jewish resistance to the Romans was totally extinguished, is not to understand Israel at all.

To miss Yod Yeshim is to miss the feel of the "ice-cold evil," as Walter Lippman called it, that left on our

Accented are the deaths of a mil-

lion and a half children who perished in those horror years. The eternal light is a solemn reminder that begs our remembrance, reverence and prayer.

The religious thrust was to bring to life the Old and New Testaments. It is not important that locations be exact, but they were of reasonable probability.

Mt. Tabor is an example. It is the highest point in the Plain of Galilee and the likely place for the Transfiguration. When Monsignor Burke stepped into the water and poured water over heads, it was not where St. John baptized Christ, but it was the Jordan Cana, where we renewed marriage vows, was a more probable site of a Jesus miracle.

The Holy Land is the subject of renewed interest. Holy places all over the world are surrounded by a commercialism that can be over-bearing, and comical. While it may becloud the vision it does not dent the fact.

I know now where the expression comes from "the little beggars." They were the ones who preceded us to Wadi Kelt, by station wagon, trying to sell us 40 curls for one "dollar," rarely did you get more than 30, but not bashfully demanding that "dollar," pointing to pockets and bags. I remember the Vin Dolorosa. We had stopped for a moment at a turn in the road. I saw a young boy, a baby really, detach himself from his mother's side on the corner, come over to me without a smile but gently, to say one word, "money."

I still can hear the Christmas carols, sung in many languages, at Bethlehem in February. The realism of the Vin Dolorosa, and the serenity

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## Rescue Squad Honors Four for Their Service

The Westfield Volunteer Rescue Squad recently honored four of its members for major anniversaries of service.

Fred Wiehl was honored for 40



**FOR SERVICE RENDERED...**Mrs. May Furstner, left, received a service award from Westfield Volunteer Rescue Squad Deputy Captain, Mrs. Diane Holtzmaier, for 20 years of service.



**BEYOND THE CALL...** Westfield Volunteer Rescue Squad Captain Duncan Smythe, left, presents Miss Nan Rotchford with her service award for 20 years of service as an emergency medical technician.



**OFFICIAL RECOGNITION...**Town Administrator John F. Mulloy, Jr., left, presents a proclamation from the town to Fred Wiehl for 40 years of service as an Emergency Medical technician with the Westfield Volunteer Rescue Squad.



**A WORD OF THANKS...**Mrs. Marie Keller, left, is honored by Deputy Captain, Mrs. Diane Holtzmaier, for her years of service to the Westfield Volunteer Rescue Squad.

years of service as an emergency medical technician; Miss Nan Marie Rotchford was honored for 20 years of service as an emergency medical technician. Mrs. May Furstner was

honored for 20 years as an emergency medical dispatcher, and Mrs. Marie Keller was honored for 10 years as a dispatcher.

Mr. Wiehl spent the first five years of his career as an emergency medical technician on the Fanwood Rescue Squad.

When he moved to Westfield, he joined the still-young Westfield Rescue Squad.

Mr. Wiehl said, "I joined the squad because I thought it was important to do something in the community. Being a first aider was a natural choice for me because I always had an interest in first aid."

"Two calls stand out from all the rest during my 40 years of first aid. One was a call for a baby not breathing. When we got to the house the baby was in cardiac arrest. We did cardiopulmonary resuscitation all the way to the hospital. They worked and worked on that baby at the hospital. We didn't want to leave, but finally we went back to squad headquarters to go back to sleep. Later that night we received a call from the hospital asking if we could transport the baby to a hospital in New York. Helping that baby was perhaps the best call I ever was on," he said.

"The second call that stands out was when we brought a woman home from the hospital to her husband. Her husband was so happy to see her he couldn't stop thanking us. He wanted to give us some money, but I could see from the house they couldn't afford it. I told him we couldn't accept any donations, which wasn't true, and he should send something in during the fund drive. Seeing the joy on people's faces when you help them is something that stay's with you."

Mr. Wiehl received many congratulatory notes from New Jersey elected officials. This included proclamations from the Town of Westfield, the New Jersey State Senate and the New Jersey Assembly. He also received letters from New Jersey's federal representatives and from former President George Bush.

President Bush's letter read in part: "Each year, countless citizens in communities across America benefit from the life-saving skills of the dedicated volunteers who are members of first aid squads. Such caring concern for one's fellow man sets a wonderful example for us all. The people in our community are grateful for your service, and you can be proud you have chosen to use your god-given talents to help others."

Miss Rotchford was honored for 20 years of service as an emergency medical technician. She started her career on the Mountain side squad and later joined Westfield.

"I originally joined the squad because my friends were joining," Miss Rotchford said. "But what started out as a way to stay with my friends, eventually led to my becoming a nurse. The two fields are similar but different. As a nurse, I work in a clean, controlled environment and have a whole hospital to back me up."

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**BROOM-CLEAN DAY...**Members of local organizations and Westfield families are invited to sign up as workers for the fifth annual "Clean Sweep" on April 24.

## Chamber Seeks Volunteers For Spring Cleanup Day

The Beautification Committee of the Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce seeks workers of all ages from local organizations, youth

### Naturalists To 'Explore' New England

The Echo Lake Naturalists' Club will meet on Tuesday, April 13, at 8 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Westfield, which is located on Mountain Avenue.

The meeting will feature Henry Meriwether, who will act as the tour guide for this return to New England through the slides of club members who toured this section of the country in May, 1992.

The trip to New England was led by Herman Bieber and focused on Monhegan Island.

Mr. Meriwether, a lecturer and expert on American birds, will create a retrospective of last year's trip through slides and narrative.

Several birding trips are planned for the spring.

On Saturday, April 17, the Naturalists will trek to Jenny Jump State Forest, where the leader will take the group through the many habitats of the park which include marsh, meadow and mountain. Of special interest to the birders will be early-spring migrants.

On Sunday, April 25, the group will go on its annual spring ritual referred to as "Walker Walks." Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker will welcome the warblers and early birds with walks and refreshments.

The group will meet at Echo Lake Park at The Birches in Westfield at 7 a.m.

For further information concerning any of these trips, please telephone trip Chairman Peter Axelrod at 464-3933.

groups, businesses and residents to participate in its "Clean Sweep" on Saturday, April 24. The fifth annual spring cleaning of the public areas of Westfield will prepare the community for beautification projects of spring and summer.

To recruit workers, letters have been mailed to Chamber members and local organizations. Families, neighborhood groups and civic-minded individuals are also welcome and needed.

Workers — bringing brooms and their favorite cleanup tools, wearing gloves and work clothes — are to come to Rorden Realty on the corner of Elm and Quimby Streets any time between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

They will get an assignment — a parking lot, an alleyway, a street block — and will go there as a group to pick up litter and make the site broom-clean. Trash bags, provided by the Town Public Works Department, will be picked up at the end of the day's work.

Financial contributions in any amount are welcome. They will be used to treat workers to refreshments and to defray any costs incurred in the cleanup. Checks, payable to Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce, may be mailed to the Chamber, P.O. Box 81, Westfield, 07091.

Warren Rorden, Chairman of the Beautification Committee, says, "By pitching in together, we can make Clean Sweep fun. An hour of work before or between this one Saturday's chores or ball games can get Westfield looking the way we all want it to look."

Please call 233-3021 for further information.

## Candidates Night Slated Monday for School Board

The Westfield Parent-Teacher Council's annual Candidates Night will be held on Monday, April 12,

beginning at 7:45 in the auditorium of Edison Intermediate School. "We welcome all interested citizens to this annual event when you will have an opportunity to meet the five candidates for three seats on the school board," Mrs. Marcia Greenwald, the Chairman of the event said.

The five candidates, in ballot order, are: Mrs. Melba S. Nixon, Mrs. Susan Jacobson, Mrs. Jean Benisch, William J. Sweeney and William G. Reinhardt.

A member of the Springfield Chapter of the League of Women Voters will moderate the Candidates Night.

*Slang is language that takes off its coat, spits on its hands, and goes to work.*

Carl Sandburg

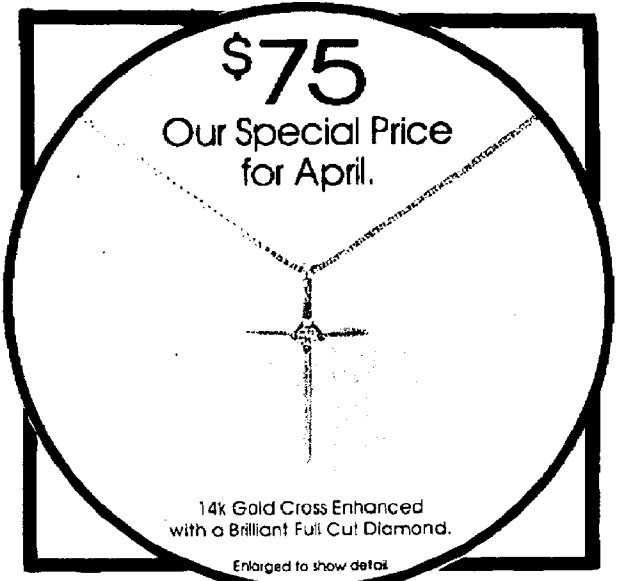
### STATE ACCEPTS MAIN STREET

The Office of New Jersey Heritage has accepted Westfield into New Jersey Main Street, part of the National Trust for Historic Preservation program.

Acceptance into the program will enable the town to receive professional consultation on the renovation of the central business district and improvements to other town shipping areas.

A statement from Mayor Garland C. "Bud" Boothe, Jr. on the acceptance will appear in next week's Westfield Leader.

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## Savings Bonds Can Give Tax Break for College

**Editor's Note:** The following is the last in a series of columns by Gerald C. Relas, a Certified Public Accountant and certified management consultant with an office at 597 Westfield Avenue, Westfield.

United States Series EE Savings Bonds take on a real appeal for many parents looking at escalating college expenses facing their children. Interest earned on bonds purchased after 1989 generally does not have to be included in your income if the bonds are used to defray higher-education expenses for you, your spouse or your dependents.

To obtain the exclusion, a number of requirements must be met. The bonds must be in your name; bonds registered in your child's name won't qualify for the exclusion. The tax break is available only for bonds purchased on or after your 24th birthday. The expenses must be incurred at an institution of higher education such as universities, colleges or junior colleges or certain vocational schools.

Your income at the time you redeem the bonds will determine your tax

break. People who have high incomes don't get the break. The income limits are adjusted for inflation each year.

For 1993, the adjusted gross income level under which interest on Series EE Savings Bonds is fully tax-free if used to pay for qualified education expenses is \$68,250 for married people filing jointly, and \$45,500 for all others. For those with larger incomes, the advantages are reduced to scale, and eventually are phased out. Married couples who file separate returns can't take the exclusion.

The exemption depends on so many variables parents cannot be sure when they purchase the bonds they will qualify for the tax exclusions when the bonds are redeemed years later.

The exclusion would not apply, for example, if your child decides to skip college.

And, of course, you have no way of knowing if your income will rise above the phase-out range by the time your child enters college.

In the event the bonds don't qualify for the exemption, the interest portion of the future redemption must be included in your income.



**IN THE NEWS...** Dr. Tina Leshner, an Assistant Professor of Communication at William Paterson College in Wayne and a resident of Westfield, was honored at a recent campus reception for faculty authors. Dr. Leshner is holding the February 1992 copy of *Press Woman*, in which her article, *Academic Coaching Used in Newsrooms—and Vice Versa*, appears.

## Chamber Invites Public To Honor Award Recipients

Five "Faith in Westfield" awards will be presented at the Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce annual awards gather on Wednesday, April 14.

Chamber members, guests, friends and colleagues may attend a cocktail-buffet at Echo Lake Country Club in Westfield to celebrate the business achievements and volunteer commitments of the honorees.

The Westfield Downtown Committee will receive the President's Award.

Joseph F. Bei, the President of Castle Bootery, will be named the Merchant of the Year. Thomas Lauricella, the Chairman of Thomas Lincoln Mercury, Inc., will receive the Business Person of the Year Award. Richard Trotter of Scotts of Westfield will be named Employee of the Year, and Mrs. Nancy Walbert will receive the Community Service Award for many volunteer commitments, particularly in the founding and continuation of Preventing Alcohol, Narcotic and Drug Abuse.

"Requesting nominations and selecting recipients of Faith in Westfield Awards is the chamber's way of heightening public awareness and appreciation of outstanding efforts and high standards in business and community endeavors," Chamber President Robert L. Newell said. "This year's award recipients are people worthy of public gratitude and emulation."

Russell Evans, the Chairman of the

Awards Selection Committee, and Mr. Newell will welcome the honorees and those who come to celebrate their achievements on April 14, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Please telephone 233-3021 for reservations immediately. The deadline is today.

### Wood Warbler Workshop Set

Trailside Nature and Science Center in Mountainside will offer a wood warbler bird identification workshop.

Participants will learn how to identify the wood warblers by sight and sound with Hollace Hoffman, the Director of Trailside.

Using actual bird-study skids and slides participants will review the wave of diminutive spring migrants from the pine warbler in early April to the blackpoll in late May.

They will find out the best field marks for quick identification and to associate birds and their songs.

The wood warblers are colorful feathered jewels, and most of them nest further north. Therefore, inspring when they are migrating in their breeding plumage is the best time to identify them.

The identification workshop will meet on three Thursday evenings from 8 to 9:15 on April 8, 22 and May 6.

Participants may sign up for one or more sessions. A \$7 session fee will be charged.

## Developmentally Disabled Benefit From New Law

Legislation sponsored by Senate President Donald T. DiFrancesco, who represents Westfield, that would establish a "Family Support System" in the Division of Developmental Disabilities in the Department of Human Services was signed into law today.

"The Family Support Act recognizes the family as a priority. It is a first step toward a more family-centered approach to the care and support of people with a developmental disability," Senator DiFrancesco said.

The new law creates regional family-support planning councils, comprised of family members of a person with a developmental disability or people with the disabilities, that would work to expand and establish family-support services in their region.

The legislation also provides for the administration of the program by a coordinator who, in conjunction with the regional councils, will develop a state family support plan that outlines a coordinated delivery of services.

"Many people with a developmental disability flourish in the home

environment. However, the financial emotional and physical burdens on the family can be tremendous. This legislation recognizes the needs of the person and the benefits of maintaining the family unit," the Senator noted.

Currently the only major family support service provided by the state is respite or temporary-care services. The Family Support Act would enable additional family-support services, including stress management, parent education and counseling, transportation, crisis intervention and daycare to be made available.

"Providing families with flexible, individualized services can help prevent or reduce the number of placements made outside of the home. These placements are painful for the families and costly to the state," the legislator said.

The annual cost of giving support to a person with a developmental disability at home is approximately \$2,600. Institutional care can cost as much as \$75,000 per person a year, while group homes average \$45,000 a year, according to the lawmaker.

## Republican Convention Won't Be Prior to Deadline

Union County Republican Chairman Frank X. McDermott of Westfield and Republican State Senator Donald T. DiFrancesco, who represents the town in the New Jersey Legislature, have differing opinions about whether a party convention should be held prior to April 15 to determine Republican candidates for county and state offices.

The controversy centers around a petition submitted by several party members to Mr. McDermott, which, it is believed, is centered around the decision by the Republican County Executive Committee to replace incumbent Freeholder Louis A. Santagata of Hillside on the ticket with Springfield Republican Township Committeeman Harry P. Pappas.

Mr. McDermott said last week a special convention of party members need not be called prior to next Thursday's deadline for filing petitions of candidacy for the June Primary Election.

Some top elected Republicans in the county, however, have been quoted as saying the intention of the petition was to address the convention issue before the April 15 filing deadline because a Freeholder candidate was selected through a "flawed" process.

At a screening committee meeting on March 24, Mr. McDermott was presented with a petition signed by about 200 republicans calling for a review of the method used to select Freeholder candidates earlier in the month.

Action on the petition was tabled until committee members could obtain more information on its contents.

The party Chairman said last week he plans to call another meeting of the screening committee at a date to be announced this week to further discuss the petition.

Sometime thereafter there will be a meeting of the county committee, but that will not happen before April 15, Mr. McDermott said.

Under party rules, the signatures of 50 members on a petition require the county Chairman to convene a special meeting within 30 days.

The petition did not say its signers wanted to recall Freeholder candidates, but it requested the meeting be held within 10 days so the filing deadline would not expire before a special meeting took place.

After talking with some Republican legislators who signed the petition, Mr. McDermott said, he understood the intention of the meeting they sought was to address the convention itself, and the session did not need to be held before next Thursday.

He also noted scheduling a county convention would be difficult because of the Christian and Jewish holidays.

While he is not taking any sides in the issue involving Freeholder

Santagata and Mr. Pappas, Senator DiFrancesco said the April 15 deadline is relative because it all centers around the fact a convention has not been held.

The Senate President added he supports giving as many party members as possible the opportunity to select candidates and, because of his roles in the Senate, as a member of the county committee and an 18-year legislator he should have a say on who appears on the ticket with him.

Whatever the excuse for cancelling the convention this year, the Senator said, the confab should not be eliminated.

He added it would not be difficult to convene such a gathering during the holidays.

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## Assemblyman Proposes Limit on One-Shot Revenues

Assemblyman Richard H. Bagger, who represents Westfield, has proposed an amendment to the state constitution that would prohibit the use of non-recurring revenue sources, such as the money realized in 1991 by Governor James J. Florio's decision to sell a road to the New Jersey Turnpike Authority, in the budget for ongoing expenses or state aid.

Assemblyman Bagger and Assemblyman Robert J. Martin of Morris County introduced a concurrent resolution, that would submit the proposed constitutional amendment to the voters in the form of a binding referendum.

"Some of the fiscal gimmicks used by the Florio administration over the years, including the road sale and the use of short-term borrowing to pay for the homestead rebate program two years ago, were totally irresponsible," Assemblyman Bagger said. "They jeopardized our credit rating and created a structural deficit in the state budget."

"That's not to say all one-shot revenue raisers are unwise," the Assemblyman added. "There is a vast difference between risky gimmicks and prudent fiscal management, such as revaluing the worth of your pension fund or refinancing outstanding debt to take advantage of lower interest rates."

"But all non-recurring revenues, no matter what the source, should be handled with additional care," the legislator noted. "If they are used to fund continuing operations, an imbalance in the budget will result once the money disappears. The only way to make sure this does not happen in the future is to amend the state constitution to bar one-shot revenues once and for all."

If the proposed constitutional amendment is adopted, non-recurring revenue sources only could be used for debt service, capital-construction projects or to rebate, refund or reduce state taxes.



**CHANGING OF GUARD...** Newly-elected officers of the Union County Regional Environmental Health Commission, shown, left to right, are: Kevin Schuerman, Director; Anthony D. Deigo, the Chairman; Mrs. Kimberly Zagorski, the Vice-Chairman, and Eugene Gatens, the Treasurer.

## Environmental Commission Elects New Officers

The ninth annual reorganization meeting of the Union County Regional Environmental Health Commission was held on February 19.

The elections resulted in the following appointments: Anthony D. Deigo of Ridgway, the Chairman; Mrs. Kimberly Zagorski of Summit, the Vice Chairman; Eugene Gatens of Fairwood, Treasurer, and Kevin Schuerman, the Secretary.

Following the election, Chairman Deigo and Commission Director

Schuerman presented a plaque to Dr. Dominick Pisano for his outstanding service as Chairman last year.

The commission is made up of 20 of the 21 municipalities in Union County.

Commission Inspectors act as liaisons for the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy in enforcing state air pollution and noise control codes.

Inspectors also enforce county codes on air pollution, noise control

and solid waste and dumping. This year, the commission is working to implement a state-certified hazardous-substance control program.

The commission hopes to establish a cooperative effort with the Union County Office of Emergency Management to insure the most effective utilization of resources, Mr. Schuerman noted.

### La Leche Unit Meets April 21

The Westfield A.M. La Leche League will meet on Wednesday, April 21, at the First Baptist Church at 170 Elm Street, Westfield at 9:30 to discuss "The Art of Breastfeeding and Overcoming Difficulties". Please telephone 737-9828 or 709-4171 for further information.

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Miss Kathryn Elizabeth Dempsey

## Miss Dempsey Fiancé Of Robert J. McArdle

Mrs. Patricia Cronin Dempsey of Palm Beach, Florida and Osterville, Massachusetts, formerly of Westfield, announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Kathryn Elizabeth Dempsey of Palm Beach, to Robert Jeffrey McArdle of West Palm Beach, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. McArdle of Herminie, Pennsylvania.

Miss Dempsey, known as Beth and formerly of Westfield, is a graduate of Lasell Junior College in Newton, Massachusetts, Caldwell College in Caldwell and the Katharine Gibbs

School in Montclair. She is a human-resources analyst for South Florida Management District in West Palm Beach.

Her father, the late Walter J. Dempsey, was the President of the Pharmasystems, Inc. of Verona, a charter member of the Toastmasters Club of Westfield and a member of Echo Lake Country Club in Westfield.

Mr. McArdle is a 1982 graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and is a Senior Loan Officer at Bank Boynton in Lake Worth, Florida.

A Saturday, November 6, wedding is planned at St. Edward's Roman Catholic Church in Palm Beach.

### Theresa Sclama On Dean's List

Theresa Sclama of Westfield has been named to the Dean's List of Georgia Southern University in Statesboro, Georgia for the second semester.

Theresa is in her junior year at Georgia Southern and is majoring in business administration. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sclama of Pierson Street.

New York waiters, probably the surliest in the Western world...are better images of their city than the journalistic favorite — the taxi driver...The majority of them give the impression of being men who have been drafted into the job during a period of martial law and are only waiting to get back to a really congenial occupation such as slum demolition or debt collecting.

— Alan Brien

## Town Community Center Depends on United Fund

"Your support of the Westfield United Fund this year is so important to the continued existence of its 19 member agencies. Each week one of our agencies will be featured so Westfielders will become more aware of their many programs and services," noted the Board of Trustees of the United Fund.

The Westfield Community Center Association, one such member agency, is this week's highlighted agency.

The association has been meeting the emotional and intellectual needs of children after the school day has ended for more than half a century.

"For many youngsters, who otherwise would be going home to empty houses and watching television aimlessly for hours, the Community Center offers a constructive alternative," stated the Executive Director, Mrs. Ernestine Howell.

"At the center the children will be doing their homework, exercising, undertaking arts-and-crafts projects and be educated about the dangers of drug and alcohol abuse. The center also operates an 'at-risk' program for troubled teenagers. The center provides a sense of extended family. With nutritional meals provided daily, the parents don't need to be concerned about cooking dinner for their chil-

dren. We would not be able to maintain the high quality and variety of needed services for these children without the assistance of the United Fund of Westfield," she said.

A grandmother, who is attempting to raise her six grandchildren after their drug-addicted father was sent to prison and they were removed from the custody of their mentally-ill mother, needs help from the association.

The grandmother, who still is holding down a job, cannot return home until after dinnertime, leaving the children unsupervised. She has no way to pay for a babysitter.

An emotionally-disturbed girl, who often was beaten by her drug-addicted father before he was jailed, needs support from the association. She is attending special-education classes and is dropped off after school at the center, where she is safe and well cared for until her mother picks her up in the evening. The mother is working as a delivery-truck driver. She could not keep her job without the center's ongoing assistance.

"With the help and support of the United Fund of Westfield, the Westfield Community Center Association can promise to continue offering programs for the people of the community," Mrs. Howell concluded.



Miss Michele Justine Ceklosky and David F. Giannetto

## Miss Michele Ceklosky To Wed David Giannetto

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ceklosky of Westfield announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Michele Justine Ceklosky, to David F. Giannetto, the son of Vincent Giannetto, 3rd of Edgewater Park and Mrs. Penny Sullivan of Palmyra. The bride-to-be graduated from Westfield High School in 1988 and

received Degrees in Art and Education from Monmouth College in West Long Branch last year.

Her fiancé is a 1986 graduate of Burlington City High School and received his Degree in Business Management from Monmouth College in 1990.

The couple plans to wed on Saturday, September 10, of next year.

## Hospital Will Sponsor Seminar for Caregivers

Rahway Hospital has invited all caregivers to attend a seminar, "Because You Care," which was developed as an opportunity for laypeople to learn about techniques which can make caring more simplified and more comfortable and to explore issues of specific concern to caregivers.

The seminar will be held on Saturday, April 24, from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. in the hospital's Main Conference Room.

This all-day seminar will be led by an interdisciplinary team comprised of health-care professions — registered nurses, therapists, pharmacists, home-health planners, social workers, dietitians and psychiatric nurse-clinicians — who will present the most

up-to-date factual information on a wide range of caregiver concerns.

These professionals can provide caregivers with the information and support they need to make the best decisions regarding the loved ones in their care, a hospital spokesman said.

Topics to be addressed include: The mechanics of physical care, medication considerations, proper nutrition and potential feeding problems, psychological and behavioral aspects of chronic illness, home-care options and equipment and rehabilitation concerns.

Participants will be provided with physical-care techniques demonstrations including bathing, feeding, bed safety and mobility, assistive devices and ambulatory aids.

Insights will be offered regarding financial and legal issues, advance directives and methods of identifying and accessing community resources.

A discussion of hospice home care for the terminally ill also will take place during the seminar. Participants will have an opportunity to question all presenters about their individual areas of concern.

Another feature of this program will be an exhibit by businesses which specialize in equipment and services for the care of the chronically ill and whose representatives can share problem-solving ideas and provide additional resources for caregivers.

There is no fee for attending, but advance registration is required. A complimentary lunch will be served.

Please telephone the hospital's Education Department at 499-6193 to register by telephone and to obtain further information. The deadline for registration is Friday, April 16.

Because this program is strictly geared to the layperson and is not appropriate for health-care professionals, no continuing-education credits will be provided to participants.

### Town Students In Art Festival

Students from Centennial High School in Westfield will participate in the Union County Teen Arts Festival today from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the Cranford campus of Union County College.

At the festival, they will participate in performances, master classes, interactive workshops and critiquing seminars led by professional artists in visual art, music, theater, dance and creative writing.

Those interested in attending the festival should telephone the Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs at 558-2550.

### Wardlaw Honors Four From Town

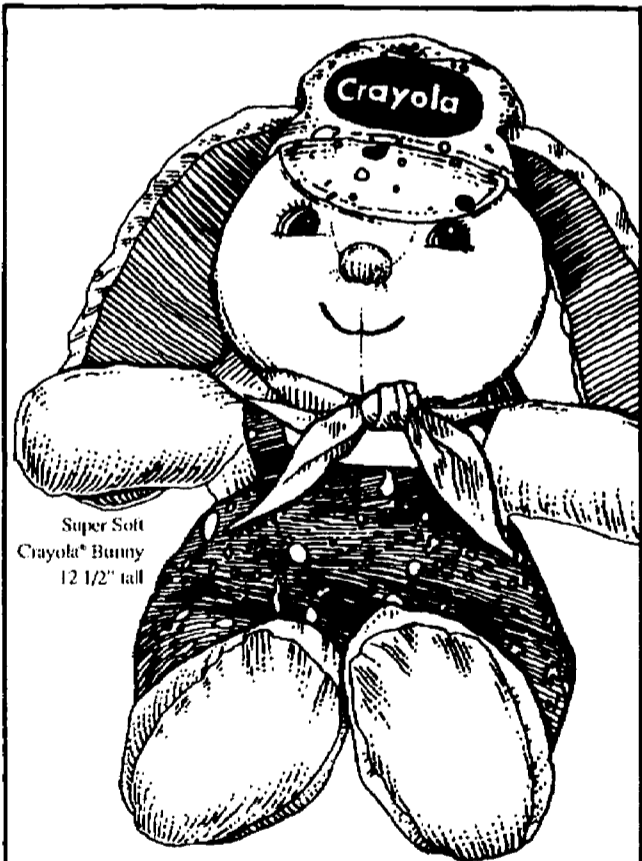
Four town residents have been named to the Upper School Honor Roll for the third marking period of the 1992-1993 school year at the Wardlaw-Hartridge School in Edison. They are: Eighth graders, Bryan Graye and Joseph Salerno, and 11th graders, Alexander Miller and Toby Mitchell.

## Daughter Born To Fosters

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Foster of Scotch Plains announced the birth of their daughter, Claire Elizabeth Foster.

Claire was born on Sunday, March 17, at Overlook Hospital in Summit. The baby weighed seven pounds, 11 ounces and measured 20 and a half inches. She joins a brother Lawrence Foster, 2 1/2 years old.

Her maternal grandparents are Mrs. Mildred Napier of Westfield and the late William Napier, and her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Foster of Westfield.



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## Saenger-Chor Slated For County Arts Center

The Saenger-Chor, a German men's chorus based in Clark, will present a mostly continental concert at the Union County Arts Center in Rahway on Saturday, April 24 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and \$7.50.

A frequent prizewinner at song festivals, Saenger-Chor has sung in Carnegie Hall and has toured Europe. Established in 1925, it is considered

the premier German men's chorus in America.

Conductor Manfred Knoop received his music education at the University of Muenster in West Germany and at the Manhattan School of Music in New York City.

Although Saenger-Chor naturally stresses traditional German choral music, folksongs and operatic choruses, it is also quite capable of performing more contemporary music in both German and English.

The arts center, at 1601 Irving Street, in the heart of Rahway's downtown historic restoration district, is a restored, 1,300-seat former vaudeville-movie showcase with excellent acoustics and an authentic working cinema pipe organ.

There is ample free parking in municipal lots and on the street within easy walking distance of the facility. To reserve seats, please telephone 499-8226.

### Gina Buonomo On Dean's List

Gina Buonomo of Westfield was named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at the College of St. Elizabeth in the Convent Station section of Madison.

To attain the honor, she had to achieve a gradepoint average of at least 3.5 or B plus for the semester.

## Adult Tutors Are Sought By Library

Adult tutors for school-age children may participate in a joint program being sponsored by the Westfield Memorial Library and the Westfield Neighborhood Council.

On four Tuesday afternoons, April 20, May 4 and 18, and June 1, at 4 p.m., students in the first through sixth grades enrolled in the Westfield Neighborhood Council will receive reading assistance at the Library. Volunteers are needed.

A brief orientation meeting will take place on Monday, April 19, at 4 p.m.

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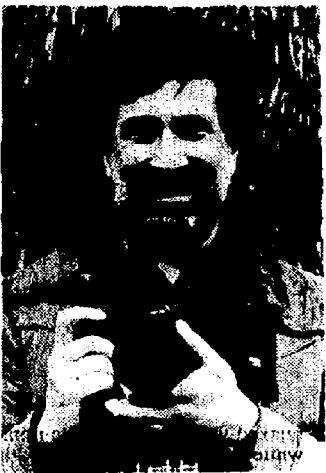
## Mrs. Margherita Brodo, B. D. Swick to Take Vows

Mrs. Margherita Brodo and Bruce D. Swick will wed. Mrs. Brodo is employed by Dr. Joseph V. Bucchino in Westfield, and Mr. Swick is employed by the West-

field Board of Education. Mrs. Brodo and Mr. Swick both live in Westfield. The wedding is set for Saturday, November 27, 1993.

## Rake and Hoe to Discuss State Botanical Garden

George M. Aronson, a noted photographer, will present a program on Skylands — the New Jersey State Botanical Garden in Ringwood — to the Rake and Hoe Garden Club of



George M. Aronson

Westfield on Wednesday, April 14, at 1 p.m. at the Westfield "Y."

Mr. Aronson is a Morristown-based photographer who specializes in nature, scenic and landscape photography with an emphasis on New Jersey. His photography has been featured in publications and presentations of the New Jersey Audubon Society, New Jersey Conservation Foundation, Pinelands Preservation Alliance, Sierra Club, Hackensack Meadowlands Development Commission, New Jersey State Aquarium at Camden, New Jersey Governor's

Skylands Greenway Task Force, United States Forest Service New York-New Jersey Highlands Regional Study and *New Jersey Outdoors* magazine.

Mr. Aronson was awarded the New Jersey Audubon Society's 1992 "Conservationist of the Year" award for his work towards highlands preservation.

New Jersey purchased the 1,117 acres of Skylands in 1966 from Shelton College, which had used it as a campus. This was the first property purchased under the Green Acres program.

In 1984 the central 96 acres surrounding the manor house were designated as the state's official botanical garden. The garden has been placed on the state and national registers of historic places.

The country estate of "Skyland Farms" was formed by Francis Lynde Stelton, 1846-1920, a Trustee of the New York Botanical Garden. He employed Samuel Parsons, Jr., a protégé of Frederick Law Olmstead, to lay out his estate. Mr. Parsons designed the grounds, roads and drainage systems.

In 1922 Skylands was sold to Clarence McKenzie Lewis, 1877-1959, also a Trustee of the New York Botanical Garden. Mr. Lewis set out to make his property a botanical showplace. Most of the trees around the manor house including copper beeches were planted at this time. Mr. Lewis stressed symmetry, color, texture, form and fragrance in his garden.

For 30 years he collected plants from all over the world.

## Miss Mary Beth Splaine Engaged to Mr. Donoghue

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Splaine of Westfield announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Beth Splaine, to Edward G. Donoghue of Whippany, the son of Mrs. Patricia Donoghue of Whippany and Edward M. Donoghue of Scousdale, Arizona. Miss Splaine, a graduate of Westfield High School and Rider College in Lawrenceville, is the Office Manager at the law firm of Lindabury,

McCormick and Estabrook of Westfield. Her fiancé graduated from the Delbarton School in Morristown and Fairleigh Dickinson University. He is employed as the Collections Manager for PLM Rental International in West Orange. The couple plans to wed on Saturday, August 21.



Miss Mary Beth Splaine and Edward G. Donoghue

## Walk for the Hungry To Be Held April 18

A community-wide walk for local hunger will take place on Sunday, April 18.

The aim of the walk is to raise funds that would be given to the hungry in Middlesex, Union and Somerset Counties.

The walk will culminate at Echo Lake Park in Mountainside-Westfield, where Representative Robert D. Franks will address the crowd. A drama group from Morristown, The Primal Rhythm Tribe, and the Cranford High School Jazz Band will provide entertainment.

People are expected to walk from four different starting points: The first one will depart at 1:30 p.m. from Temple Israel in Scotch Plains, the second at 2 p.m. from the Westfield

Memorial Library, the third one, also at 2 p.m., from Union County College in Cranford, and the fourth, at 1 p.m. from Arthur L. Johnston Regional High School in Clark.

The routes will lead to Echo Lake Park where, besides the speakers and entertainment, there also will be free refreshments available.

People can register for the walk by sending \$5, their name and address to the Jewish Federation of Central New Jersey, 843 St. Georges Avenue, Roselle, 07203 or, they can register the day of the walk at each starting point.

If they register by mail, the first 300 registrants will receive a free T-shirt which will be distributed at any of the starting points.

## April in Paris Gala To Aid Rahway Hospital

Rahway Hospital Foundation will bring the essence of the "City of Light" to The Renaissance Hotel in East Brunswick on Saturday evening, April 17, for its fourth annual spring benefit, "April in Paris."

In keeping with its "all things Parisian" theme, the gala will feature French cuisine and tables decorated with replicas of Paris' most famous landmark, the Eiffel Tower. An Eiffel Tower ice sculpture will be the focus of an elegant reception hour while fragrant spring bouquets will abound and provide the ambiance. The band Showtime will provide entertainment for the evening.

The highlight of the evening will be a drawing, the grand prize, which is a trip for two to Paris, is valued at \$3,500. Second and third prizes in this travel raffle offer the opportunity to win \$500 toward travel to a destination of choice and \$300 toward travel.

Proceeds from the black-tie event will be applied to the purchase of a

laboratory information system, assuring the accurate and timely transmission of diagnostic testing results using the latest computerized system.

In keeping with its tradition of support for growth and development of the hospital and its projects, the Rahway Hospital Auxiliary has pledged \$250,000 to the purchase of the laboratory information system.

To obtain further information, please call 499-6135.

### Gettysburg Cites Margaret Hermiston

Margaret G. Hermiston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hermiston of Lenox Avenue, Westfield, who graduated from Westfield High School in 1989, has been named to the Dean's Commendation List at Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

To attain the honor, the Gettysburg senior had to achieve a quality point average of 3.33 or higher.

The food in the city's most celebrated dining salons, with one or perhaps two exceptions, is neither predictably elegant nor superb. More often it is predictably commonplace. —Craiz Claiborne

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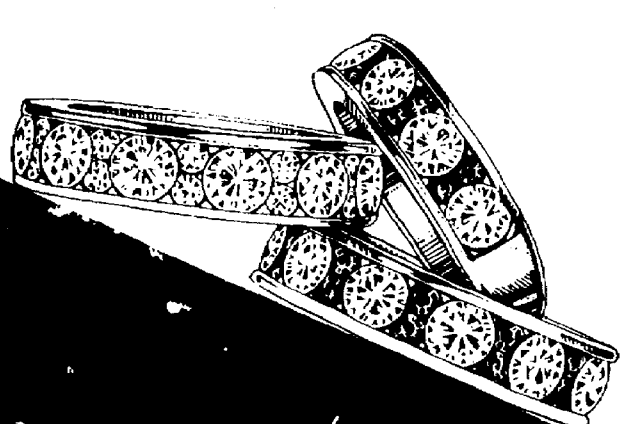
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## Future Business Leaders Win Several Awards

The Westfield High School Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America received two chapter honors, and three student members won awards at the recent state leadership

### Kent Place Will Sponsor Spring Fling

The Kent Place School fieldhouse in Summit will be transformed into eight exotic ports of call for this year's Spring Fling, the major fund-raiser of the Parents' Association.

The evening will begin at 6:30 o'clock with an international buffet from the eight ports of call. During the buffet there will be a silent auction, followed by a live auction and 50/50 raffle at 9:30 o'clock as dessert and coffee are served.

"We are very excited about some of the items that will be auctioned," said Auction Chairman, Mrs. Carol Tomason. "We already have tickets to the United States Golf Open and some special trips like an 11-day Pacific Northwest Cruise."

The cost of the evening is \$75 per couple or \$37.50 per person.

Committee members include Mrs. Asheroff of Westfield.

For ticket information, please telephone Kent Place School at 273-0900.

Kent Place is New Jersey's largest non-sectarian college preparatory school for girls.

City of dreadful height.  
—James Bone on New York

conference held in Cherry Hill.

Competing with 157 chapters at the conference, the Westfield High School chapter was honored with the Gold Seal Chapter Award of Merit and the New Jersey "Go for the Gold" Award.

Brian O'Connor, the President of the Westfield chapter, received a Gold Officer Award; Genevieve Weber received a Gold Member Award as well as fifth place in the Future Business Leader competition for girls, and Jonathan Haack placed fourth in the Future Business Leader competition for boys.

In addition to the President, other officers include Hallie Peskin, the Vice President; Maggie Sullivan, the Secretary; Matthew Jessup, the Treasurer; Genevieve Weber, Public Relations, and Jill Del Grosso, Parliamentarian.

Mrs. Lisa Bellomo, a business education teacher, is the advisor to the chapter and accompanied the students to the Cherry Hill conference.

Other chapter members who participated in the conference include Noah Rosenfarb, Kelly Maloney, Christopher DelMonico, John Ruvolo, Gina Sepe and John O'Brien.

"The conference was an excellent opportunity for our students to meet with more than 1,000 high school student members of chapters and advisors.

"The various individual, team and chapter competitive events were judged by business people and educators and offered student members the opportunity to achieve this year's state goal: "Growth Through Leadership," Mrs. Bellomo said.



The Platt home

## Symphony Tour Features Home of Hugh Platt

On Saturday, May 1, between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. the Westfield Symphony Orchestra Guild House Tour will celebrate the Symphony's 10th birthday with a party at its theme house, the Platt home.

Refreshments will be served in the garden to all participants. In keeping with the theme, the dining room will be festively set as if for a birthday party and the living room as if for afternoon tea.

Period costumes donated by the Scotch Plains Historical Museum, antique instruments compliments of

The Bandstand, and old quilts will all be displayed. In addition, music will fill the air.

There even will be photographs of the house in the 19th century when it was located in Maplewood. Throughout the home is a mixture of family antiques and collectibles.

Hugh Platt is particularly proud of his heirlooms and has extensive knowledge of the history of each one.

Tickets are \$16 and are available in Westfield at Barrett & Crain Realtors, Baron's Drugs, Lancaster, Ltd. and Rorden Realty.

## Historical Societies Plan Annual Spring Assembly

The spring assembly of the Westfield historical societies on Wednesday, April 14, at the First Baptist Church at 170 Elm Street will feature Mr. and Mrs. William Frolich in an audio-visual presentation on the history of Union County.



Mr. and Mrs. William Frolich

The program will start at 7:45 p.m. with a musicale of four-hand piano selections by Mrs. Marcia Cohen and Mrs. Kathleen Cuckler of the Westfield Music Club.

The assembly is an annual gathering of the members of the town's five historical groups: the Genealogical Society of the West Fields, the Westfield Historical Society, the Volunteers of the Miller-Cory House Museum, the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the American Revolution.

The meeting, which is open to the public without charge, will conclude with refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frolich of Roselle, long-time photographic recorders of area history, entitle their new program "Let's Look at Union County." The illustrated lecture is an overview of the county's development incorporating many rare old pictures.

The Frolichs recently were honored by the Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs for their contributions to the preservation of local history. Their discussion for the spring assembly is the newest of several they have prepared and presented widely throughout the county and neighboring communities.

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## Library to Hold Signups For April Story Times

The Westfield Memorial Library has set registration dates for this month for Pre-School Story Time and Magic Carpet Story Time.

Three-Year-Old Story Time registration will begin on Tuesday, April 13. The sessions will meet Tuesdays, April 20 through May 18, from 10:30 to 11 a.m. or Wednesdays, April 21 through May 19, from 1:30 to 2 p.m.

Registration for 4-Year-Old Story Time will begin on Monday, April 12. The sessions will meet Thursdays, April 22 through May 20, from 10:30 to 11 a.m. or Mondays, April 19

through May 17, from 1:30 to 2 p.m. To be eligible, children must be Westfield Library members, be registered in person and have reached their third or fourth birthday by the first story session.

Magic Carpet Story time registration will begin on Thursday, April 15, for children in kindergarten through third grade.

The sessions will meet Thursdays, April 22 through May 20, from 3:45 to 4:30 p.m. All children must have a Westfield Library card and be registered in person.



ON STAGE...Preparing for the Westfield Young Artists' Cooperative Theatre's benefit fashion show and dessert buffet are Mrs. Elizabeth Osterhus, left, the Co-Chairman of the event with Mr. Linda Love, the Talbot's Manager, center, and Miss Lys Green, the Fashion Commentator. They are selecting fashions for the Five Easy Pieces presentation showing coordination and versatility which will be at Talbot's Westfield store on Friday, April 16, from 7 to 9 p.m.

## Fashion Show, Buffet To Benefit Theater Unit

A fashion show and dessert buffet will be held at Talbot's of Westfield at 219 North Avenue on Friday, April 16, from 7 to 9 p.m.

This show will be to benefit the Westfield Young Artists' Cooperative Theatre's 1993 summer production *Carnival*.

The two-hour presentation will include information for the business and professional woman.

Talbot's fashion commentator, Mrs. Lys Green, will present spring clothing and the current colors.

During the evening, focus will be on several specialty features includ-

ing accessorizing with scarfs, colorization and make-up techniques.

"Five Easy Pieces" will demonstrate how a skirt, jacket, pants, blouse, sweater and additional accessories can considerably expand a wardrobe and take one from the office to a night on the town.

Tickets for this evening are \$10 each.

Since space is limited, Mrs. Elizabeth Osterhus and Mrs. Sherri Rogers the Co-Chairmen for this fund-raiser, suggest early reservations by telephoning the theater's box office at 789-3011 after 4 p.m. daily.

## Rescue Squad Honors Its Long-Time Members

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As an emergency medical technician each situation is different. Also, it's just you and your crew. There's definitely more excitement as an emergency medical technician."

"I suppose the reason I've stayed on the squad for this many years is the same reason why I joined. I have many friends on the squad. They are almost another family for me. Everyone on the squad is a caring person," she added.

Mrs. Fursner celebrated 20 years at the Westfield Rescue Squad as an emergency medical dispatcher.

She noted, "I saw an advertisement in a local newspaper saying the squad needed members. I thought it would be a worthwhile thing to do, so I joined."

"One thing that has stayed the same throughout the years is the caring attitude of the people who work here. I think it's a great testimonial to civilized behavior people come and willingly volunteer their time. And the amount of time that people put in to provide this service is tremendous. Westfield is a giving town and the squad is one more example of that," Mrs. Fursner added.

"The one incident that will always stay with me was when the bodies at the List House were found. I was down at the building just going off duty and I remember the description of what they found in the house being called in over the radio. That's the one incident I'll never forget."

Mrs. Keller, who celebrated 10 years as an emergency medical dispatcher, originally started on the squad as an emergency medical technician. An additional distinction Mrs. Keller holds is she was the first female emergency medical technician on the squad.

"I remember seeing an advertisement in the newspaper asking for members," stated Mrs. Keller. "My children were in school next to the squad, so I stopped in to volunteer. I thought it would be interesting to do. I met the crew coming back from a call and they told me there were no women on the squad as emergency medical technicians. But after I walked out, they called me back in and asked me to fill out an application."

"Today women members join the squad and fit right in. However, for me it was different. I was from a different era and I felt intimidated being the first and only woman. Each month when I attended the monthly meeting I could feel my legs shaking. Everyone went out of their way to make me feel at ease. That's the common thread of the squad — caring people," she added.

"The one thing that stands out from my years down at the squad is I was the first woman to be made an honorary member. Usually, only one member each year is made an honorary member. The fact my partners down at the squad voted for me means a great deal to me," Mrs. Keller noted.

The squad is conducting its annual fund drive at this time. It is supported entirely by tax-deductible contributions.

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TUNING UP... With Youth and Family Counselling Service board members, left to right, George E. Keenen, Jr., Milton Faith, the Executive Director, and the Reverend Lois Meyer, the President, are the Reverend Alphonse Stephenson, the Conductor and Mary Catherine LaMar of Westfield, center, the featured soloist for the Saturday, May 8, performance of the Orchestra of St. Peter by the Sea at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church in Westfield.

### Area Girl Scout Council Elects Board Members

At the 36th annual meeting of Washington Rock Girl Scout Council, which includes Westfield, five new members were elected to the Board of Directors. Mrs. Anne Beeman, Mrs. Annemarie Bridgeman DeMarco, Walter Jebens, Thomas Shanahan and Mrs. Kathy Price were unanimously elected to serve as members-at-large of the council. Mrs. Beeman, the Assistant Vice President of National Westminster Bank in Roselle, is very active in the Roselle-Roselle Park Rotary Club and Roselle Clean Communities Committee. She also is the Treasurer of the Salvation Army in Roselle-Roselle Park and a member of the town's Crisis Intervention Committee. She lives in Linden.

Mrs. DeMarco is a graduate of Cornell University in Ithaca, New York and is an employee communications manager with the American Telephone & Telegraph Company. She is a board member of Good Counsel, Inc., a recipient of the United Way Communications Award, a columnist with *Onward Directions*, and an alumni admissions officer and Class Council member of Cornell University. She resides in Westfield. Mr. Jebens, a graduate of the University of Delaware, is a broker and sales associate with Burgdorf Realtors. A resident of Westfield, this is his second consecutive year as the Westfield Community Campaign Manager for the Washington Rock Girl Scout Council's Parents Annual Giving Campaign, and he also is serving as the Chairman for the council's overall annual giving campaign. Mr. Shanahan is the Director of Financial Operations at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Elizabeth. A graduate of Fairleigh Dickinson University, he is a member of the Union County Society of Certified Public Accountants, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the President of the St. Elizabeth Hospital Credit Union. Mrs. Price is a former Girl Scout and graduate of Villanova University in Villanova, Pennsylvania. She is the Branch Manager of the National Westminster Bank in Westfield, the town in which she resides. As members-at-large of Washington Rock Girl Scout Council, the newly elected board members will help set policy for Girl Scouting in 24 communities serving more than 7,000 Girl Scouts. Mrs. Dolores Kresge also has replaced Mrs. Joan K. Corbel of Westfield as the President of the Board of Directors of the Washington Rock Girl Scout Council effective April 1. Mrs. Corbel retires from the board after serving nine years as a volunteer at the council, with four of those years as President.



HAPPY OCCASION... Alf Wroldsen, Joseph Harko and Dominick Vellard are shown at the Old Guard of Westfield 60th anniversary celebration.

### Old Guard Celebrates 60th Anniversary

Historian John Thatcher gave a summary of the origin, purposes, accomplishments and main events in the history of the Old Guard of Westfield at the group's April 1 meeting. The first Old Guard was formed in Summit in 1931 as a result of discussions by the Director of the Summit Young Men's Christian Association with several members for the need of more activities for retired men. Clark Jefferson performed a harmonica solo and Joseph Harko, 88, tap danced to *Sidewalks of New York*. A trio sang songs with backup on the chorus. Festivities ended with a grand finale by the Merryman. Upcoming Thursday morning programs are: April 15, "Shrines of Liberty" by Mr. and Mrs. William Frolich — part of their "Glimpses of History" talks. April 22, "Las Vegas" — vintage autos, mobiles and night scenes and Hoover Dam by Mr. and Mrs. George Rau. He is a member of the Old Guard. April 29, "People for Animals" with some of those they are seeking to have adopted. Please telephone 233-1638 for more information.

Based on its success, the Director of the Westfield Young Men's Christian Association did the same in the town and the Old Guard of Westfield was formed on February 17, 1933. After the meeting 66 members attended the group's Founders Day luncheon at the Westwood in Garwood to further celebrate the anniversary. Following some ceremonies, lunch and enjoying a 60th anniversary cake, the Merryman Chorus and Band led by Howard Krippendorf gave special presentations. The chorus sang several songs, with accompaniment by piano, bass fiddle, banjo, ukulele and drums. A barbershop quartet harmonized on some songs. A jazz quintet performed with memorable music with a piano, bass fiddle, banjo, xylophone and drums.

Merrill Lynch Plans Tax-Saving Seminar. Merrill Lynch will hold a free seminar on "Ninety-Two Tax-Saving Strategies for Investors" at the Westfield office at 195 Elm Street on Tuesday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. Please telephone David Rehner at 789-4335 for reservations or more information. The seminar will highlight the major 1993 tax changes, and proposed changes, and outline personal-investment strategies to minimize taxes in 1993. The shrine to which the lords of capitalism commute in cattle cars. — John Ciardi

### Concert Will Benefit Counseling Service

The Orchestra of St. Peter by the Sea, under the direction of its founder and Music Director, the Reverend Alphonse Stephenson, will return to Westfield on Saturday, May 8, at 8 p.m. in a concert presented by the Youth and Family Counseling Service. The performance will be held at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church at the corner of Rahway Avenue and Lambers Mill Road, Westfield. In the orchestra's usual style of programming, the 42-member, all-professional ensemble will perform both "serious" music and "lighter" selections. A reception for all concertgoers will be held in the Parish Hall immediately following the performance. The Reverend Stephenson combines music with laughter and fine performance in the tradition of the late Maestro Leonard Bernstein. The opera, symphony and Broadway conductor who led 3,000 performances of the musical *A Chorus Line* is the conductor also of the Jersey Shore's open-air concert series each summer at Point Pleasant, the Festival of the Atlantic. A special feature of the spring program is Westfield's own Mary Catherine LaMar, a 16-year-old violinist and a junior at Westfield High School. In addition to her private studies, she is a student at the Julliard School in New York City. The young soloist will perform Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto. The orchestra also will perform works of Smetana, Gershwin, Rodgers and Hammerstein, Jerome Kern and Lerner and Lowe. The Youth and Family Counseling Service is sponsoring the concert for the third consecutive year. Through what has become the agency's major annual fund-raising event the concert will support programs relating to parenting skills, parent and teen communication, relationships and other family issues. The non-profit agency is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year. Youth and Family Counseling Service serves Berkeley Heights, Clark, Cranford, Garwood, Mountainside, Rahway, Scotch Plains and Westfield offering mental-health counseling on a ability-to-pay to individuals, families, couples and groups. Tickets for the concert are \$25 for general admission and \$22 for seniors. Patron seating is available for \$40. Patrons will be listed in the concert program. Tickets can be purchased in Westfield at Lancaster, Ltd. at 76 Elm Street. Tickets also may be ordered by telephoning 233-2042. The Youth and Family Counseling Service is a United Fund Agency.



NEW REGIME... Mrs. Joan K. Corbel of Westfield, seated, right, the retiring President of the Board of Directors of the Washington Rock Girl Scout Council, passes her gavel and responsibilities to newly-appointed President, Mrs. Dolores Kresge. New board members, left to right, Mrs. Anne Beeman, Walter Jebens and Mrs. Kathy Price look on.

### Mrs. Benisch Seeks Decision on State Aid

"State aid contributes slightly under 8.5 per cent of our total school board budget. Accepting 80 per cent of the budget goes to salaries and benefits, and 10 per cent goes to meeting state regulations, any loss of state aid would negatively impact our programming. Since such a large share of the budget is devoted to salaries and benefits, small losses in financing could create havoc in Westfield's education," Board of Education candidate, Mrs. Jean Benisch, said this week. "Somehow we need to find an equitable solution to our educational dilemma. We need to provide competitive skills to all students to allow them to compete in a global marketplace—a marketplace that has raised both the floor and the ceiling of academic expectations and performance. And we need to make these systemic improvements in education, while our resources are diminishing. Clearly, we need strong leadership to help us make meaningful changes in both savings and funding," Mrs. Benisch added. "Savings will come to education in New Jersey when we make significant progress in reducing the number of school districts state citizens are requested to support. We no longer can afford the luxury of supporting 610 independent school districts in New Jersey. Funding equity will come when we adopt a funding formula which is not property-tax driven," the candidate said. "If we find it too difficult to accomplish systemic changes in savings and funding, I anticipate alternative models for education, such as charter schools, will gain support," she added. "Either a centralized solution of reducing the number of school districts and funding reform, or a decentralized solution, of charter schools, will prevail. We know the problems. We have a choice of solutions. It is time we take an active approach in selecting a solution to solve the problems," Mrs. Benisch said.

### Planning Board Okays Renovation of Office

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Responding to a question from a board member, Mr. Hooper said the building has become cramped and, "We would like to use the additional space." Mr. Attenasio said an additional 600 square feet of office space would be generated by converting the second floor of the building to office space. Mayor Garland C. "Bud" Boothe, Jr. recommended, in an effort to avoid a delay in construction, Statistical Research designate three parking spaces for handicapped parking to adhere to new state regulations that will be enforced shortly. The board approved the application 7-0. In other business, the board agreed to proceed with the memorialization of record of the Estate of Rose C. Young application for 517 Wyckwood Road, which was defeated last month by the board 4-3. The applicant had sought to subdivide the lot, thereby creating a second lot on Topping Hill Road which in turn could be sold. Both lots would be sold by the co-executor of the property, the Princeton Bank. The board defeated the measure stating they feared a large house, which would be too big for the property, could be built on the new lot. With input provided by Board Attorney William S. Jeremiah, 2nd the board decided to send a letter to George Cancellis, the attorney representing the estate, who said his client was willing to make any changes with regard to the size of the new lot to get the application approved. Dr. B. Carol Molnar was the most vocal member of the board in rejecting Mr. Cancellis's letter, which requested board input on changes in the application. "We decided it. Let's get it over with. We can let them reapply. We can't keep waffling," Dr. Molnar said. Board Chairman Douglas T. Schwarz agreed with Dr. Molnar. Town Engineer Edward A. Gontka explained if the applicant decided to submit a new application he also would have to pay another \$95 application fee. Also, Mr. Jeremiah noted all neighbors within 300 feet of the property would have to be notified as required by law. The board will inform Mr. Cancellis his client may submit a new application with whatever changes they would like to make. The board and their attorney were in agreement it was not their task to recommend changes to the applicant. Mr. Schwarz reminded the board a meeting will be held at Washington School tonight at 7:30 on the continuing application of Village Supermarket to construct a ShopRite supermarket on the North Avenue site of the Westfield Lumber and Home Center.

### Childbirth Classes To Be at Muhlenberg All Next Month

Childbirth classes, sponsored by Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center in Plainfield, will be held next month at the hospital on Randolph Road and Park Avenue. Lamaze classes, costing \$55, will be offered on four consecutive Mondays beginning May 3, four straight Tuesdays commencing May 4 and five successive Wednesdays beginning May 5. Those who sign up for the Monday or Tuesday sessions will have an additional class on Thursday, May 27. The Wednesday group will also meet on Thursday, June 3. Infant care classes costing \$30 will be held on four Tuesdays beginning May 4. Arefresher Lamaze course has been scheduled for Thursdays, May 13 and 20. The cost is \$30. Early pregnancy classes, costing \$20, will be held on three Mondays beginning May 3. A breast-feeding class, costing \$15, will be held on May 27 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. in South main No. 2 conference room. All other classes will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Muhlenberg School of Nursing. Registration is required. Forms may be obtained from your physician if he or she is on staff at Muhlenberg. Persons registering for Infant Care, Early Pregnancy and Lamaze will receive a discounted cost of \$95 for the three courses. For additional information and registration, please telephone 668-2353. "I don't suppose there was a day, an hour, when the middle class got their marching orders, but toward the end of the 1940s the middle class began to move, the rich of the city were getting richer and the fragile middle ground where we stood was vanishing." — John Ciardi

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# Police Contract Receives Tentative Approval

This will be the third year the town group is receiving a grant under the county program, Mr. Malloy said.

mission of an application for a state municipal recycling tonnage grant.

Town Engineer Edward A. Gottko, who also serves as the

municipal Recycling Coordinator, noted the town last year received \$26,900 for recycling done in 1991.

In other monetary items, the council agreed to introduce an ordinance setting the cap on town spending in the 1993 budget at 5 per cent.

Under state regulations, towns have the option of abiding by a 1.5

per cent increase in spending promulgated by the state or voting to increase the limit up to a maximum of 5 per cent.

Also authorized informally were bond ordinances for:

- \$230,000 for the purchase of a sewer camera, sewer-jet truck, pickup truck, van truck and dump truck for the Public Works Department.

- \$115,000 for the repair of garage doors and windows in the Public Works Center on North Avenue and the repainting of older sections of the Municipal Building not included in the renovation project.

- \$36,400 for the purchase of office equipment for various Municipal Building departments.

- \$5,000 for the rehabilitation of the filter system and the purchase of picnic equipment for the Memorial Pool.

The Councilmen also gave informal approval to the inclusion of the improvement of the South and Central Avenue intersection in the Union County Transportation Improvement Plan.

Transportation, Parking and Traffic Committee Chairman Kenneth L. MacRitchie explained, before the county spends any of its money on traffic improvements, they must be listed on the plan.

The plan, he added, sets priorities for all projects proposed for the county, but does not guarantee the town intersection will be done or county funds will be spent on it.

If the project is to be done, Councilman MacRitchie said, it may take several years before work on it begins.

The council also noted Recreation Director Paul V. Campanelli has notified the town's community organizations they may tour the renovated Municipal Building on Wednesday, June 2, but no official approval for the open house has been given by Councilmen or the administration.

Also discussed was the Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce Festifall event, which this year is scheduled for Sunday, September 19, with a raindate of Sunday, September 26, in the central business district.

Mr. Malloy is making arrangements so flea markets scheduled for that time of the year in the parking lot of the Southside Westfield Railroad Station do not conflict with Festifall.

On another matter, Town Attorney Charles H. Brandt told the council the Internal Revenue Service sold the liquor license at Sinclair's restaurant on North Avenue to an employee of the restaurant for \$10,000 to satisfy back taxes.

The new owner still must come before the Town Council to receive approval to use the license, which only can go to a restaurant, Mr. Brandt noted.

The attorney also said he will have to study a recent New Jersey Supreme Court decision overturning an exemption to the state Fair Housing Act allowing a municipality to set aside 50 per cent of low-cost housing for residents to see if the ruling will prohibit Westfield from giving preference to town residents in the new senior citizen housing complex.

In a related action, it was noted the town is returning to the county a \$20,000 federal Community Development grant it received to hire a consultant for the senior project because the anticipated study is not needed.

The town is requesting permission to use the funds for making the project accessible to the handicapped.

Any fool can stand upon a hill in the country and be aware that grass is up and trees have begun to bud; but in the city spring is served a la carte rather than in heaping portions. Back on my farm the heavy woods, yet none of these trees appeals to me so deeply as a scrubby sapling which grew in the back yard of my house in New York — when a tree digs its roots down among water pipes and gas mains and thrusts its way up through dust and cinders, that's something. I sometimes think that never blooms a tulip quite so red as that which shows its head in a Park Avenue flower bed between the traffic. We Manhattan nature lovers love her best because we know so little about her.

—Heywood Brown

There is an unexplored side to everything, because instead of looking at things with our eyes we look at them with the memory of what others have thought.

—Gustave Flaubert



FOR SERVICE RENDERED... Two New Jersey legislators received the Gerard A. Devlin Community Service Award from the New Jersey Association of Orthodontists. Dr. Frank Krause, the President of the association which sponsors the award, commends two fellow dentists, Senator, Dr. Gerard Cardinale of Demarest, and Assemblyman, Dr. Michael J. Arnone of Red Bank. They received the award from Miss Casey Devlin, the granddaughter of the late Gerard A. Devlin of Westfield, the founder of the state association and of the Middle Atlantic Society of Orthodontists, for whom the award is named.



ALL FOR SCIENCE... Members of Girl Scout Cadette Troop No. 502, Edison Intermediate School, traveled to the Liberty Science Center in Jersey City for an exciting day of science-related experiences. Some of the scouts scaled the eight-foot climbing wall, and all crawled through the 100-foot dark touch tunnel to test their senses. They also viewed a display of "20th Century Dinosaurs," welded and shaped from discarded car parts and then sat in the world's largest Omnimax Theatre. Walking through all four floors, the scouts were able to see many of the 250 interactive exhibits. Shown before an expanding geodesic globe, left to right, are: Front row, Corinne Liebrich, Deirdre Lynn, Caroline Mattar and Nina Castells; back row, Amanda Pirozzi, Sarah Jankowitz, Sara Burnett and Chloe Nako. Accompanying the scouts were troop leader Mrs. Bernadine Liebrich and several parents.



STITCH IN TIME... Members of Mrs. Nancy Clark's fourth-grade social studies classes at Franklin School studied women in history for last month. To culminate the unit each child read a biography of a different woman and made a quilt square to represent their woman. The squares were then sewn together to make a quilt. Shown are Rachel Moloshok, James Mitchell, Carolyn White and Timothy Greenlaw.

## Mr. Ehrman's Poems In Fifth Anthology

Award-winning poet, artist and former Westfield resident, Don Toussaint Ehrman, has been accepted for publication in his fifth poetry anthology, *Distinguished Poets of America 1993*.

His other contributions were in *American Poetry Anthology, 1989; Great Poems of the Western World, 1990; A View from the Edge, and A Question of Balance, 1992.*

Mr. Ehrman lived in Westfield and Scotch Plains from 1942 to 1960. He delivered *The Westfield Leader* as a

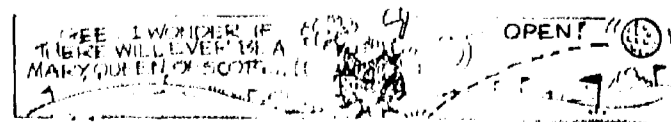
boy. He attended Franklin and McKinley Elementary School and graduated Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School in 1960. He holds a degree in Business Management.

Mr. Ehrman also has two books of poetry published. His latest, *Garden Dead*, still is available in California book stores. The anthologies are at all major universities and the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Ehrman will be visiting Westfield in September of this year. He resides in Santa Cruz, California.



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The first woman golfer of note was Mary Queen of Scots.

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 Roast Leg of Spring Lamb Rolled with Wild Mushrooms and Toasted Walnuts Natural Lamb Essence  
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# Irwin Bernstein Named To Maccabiah Squad

Irwin Bernstein of Westfield has been appointed to the United States Maccabiah Men's Masters Track and Field Team, according to Jay Robinson, United States Maccabiah Masters Track and Field Chairman.

The United States Maccabiah team, sponsored by the United States Committee Sports for Israel, is set to compete in the 14th World Maccabiah Games in Israel from Monday to

Thursday, July 5 to 15.

Bernstein, an executive with Maidenform, Inc. in Bayonne, will be making his first trip to Israel as a member of the United States Maccabiah Team.

He has been involved with the Garden State Athletic Club and the Westfield Tennis Association's singles ladder for close to 10 years.

He has successfully competed in the 800-meter event in local and national United States Track and Field meets, formerly The Athletics Congress.

Prior to his involvement in masters track, he participated in United States Fencing Association competitions for close to 25 years.

The Westfield resident was a member of the fencing and cross-country teams at Columbia College in New York City, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in 1954.

A two-time National Collegiate Athletic Association All-American and championship team member in epee competition, he went on to receive a Master of Science Degree at Columbia's School of Business in 1955.

The quadrennial Maccabiah Games bring Jewish athletes from around the world together for the Olympic-sanctioned and -style competition. In addition to track and field, the United States will participate in 29 sports ranging from badminton to yachting.

The 650-member United States delegation is expected to join over 5,000 Jewish athletes from more than 43 countries for the two-week competition.

For more information, please contact the United States Committee Sports for Israel at 1926 Arch Street, Third Floor, Philadelphia, 19103 or telephone 215-561-6900.

## Coaches Sought For Lacrosse

The Westfield Recreation Commission is seeking experienced lacrosse players to assist with the coaching of their spring lacrosse program.

The program features a league-type format for youths in the fifth through eighth grades. The youths are separated into three teams based upon grade and each team plays a number of games against teams in neighboring towns. Practices are held on weekdays with most games scheduled for Saturdays.

Those interested in volunteering their time to help coach this program should telephone Ed Joffe at 232-8705 or the Recreation Commission at 789-4080.

## Tennis Ladders Begin Signups

All former and current Westfield Tennis Association members as well as any Westfield resident interested in playing in any of the town tennis ladders — singles, doubles, mixed doubles and seniors for the 1993 season which begins on Saturday, May 1, are encouraged to sign up by Thursday, April 15.

This will include them in the association directory. Applications are available at the Westfield Recreation Department and the Westfield Memorial Library.

For more information, please telephone Jean Power at 654-5763.

## Pick Up Photos On Timely Basis

Photographs submitted to *The Westfield Leader* become the property of the newspaper and are returned as a courtesy. All photographs should be picked up at The Leader's office, 50 Elm Street, within 60 days.

First New York was a sort of provincial capital, bigger and richer than Manchester or Marseilles, but not much different in its essential spirit. Then, after the war, it became one among half a dozen world cities. Today it has the appearance of standing alone, as the center of culture in the part of the world that still tries to be civilized.

— Malcolm Cowley in 1939

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# Results of Athletic Events In Westfield's Schools

## BASEBALL

**Varsity**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Livingston — postponed to Saturday, April 10  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield versus Linden — postponed to Friday, May 14  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield, 3; Elizabeth, 1

**Junior Varsity**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Livingston — postponed to Saturday, April 10  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield versus Linden — postponed to Friday, May 14  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield versus Elizabeth — cancelled

**Ninth Grade**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Livingston — postponed to Tuesday, April 20  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield versus Linden — postponed to Friday, May 14  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield versus Elizabeth — postponed to Thursday, April 22

## SOFTBALL

**Varsity**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Roselle Park — postponed to Wednesday, April 21  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield versus Linden — postponed to Friday, May 14  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield, 14; Elizabeth, 0

**Junior Varsity**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Roselle Park — postponed to Wednesday, April 21  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield versus Linden — postponed to Friday, May 14  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield versus Elizabeth — cancelled

**Ninth Grade**  
Thursday, April 1 — Westfield versus Ridge — cancelled  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield versus North Plainfield — postponed to Monday, April 26

## VOLLEYBALL

Friday, April 2 — Westfield, 2; Union Catholic, 0  
Monday, April 5 — Scotch Plains, 2; Westfield, 1

## GOLF

Thursday, April 1 — Westfield, 142; Union, 176  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield versus Pingry — cancelled  
Tuesday, April 6 — Westfield versus East Side — postponed

## LACROSSE

**Varsity**  
Thursday, April 1 — Westfield versus Delbarton — cancelled  
Saturday, April 3 — Westfield, 3; Princeton, 2

**Junior Varsity**  
Thursday, April 1 — Westfield versus Delbarton — cancelled

**Ninth Grade**  
Thursday, April 1 — Westfield versus Delbarton — postponed to Monday, May 10

## BOYS' TENNIS

Thursday, April 2 — Westfield versus Elizabeth — postponed to Thursday, May 6  
Monday, April 5 — Westfield, 5; Kearny, 0  
Tuesday, April 6 — Westfield, 3; Oratory, 2

**BOYS' TRACK**  
**Varsity**  
Tuesday, April 6 — Westfield, 102; Linden, 23

**Ninth Grade**  
Friday, April 2 — Westfield versus Union — postponed to Tuesday, May 18

# Westfield Sports Teams Begin Schedules for Spring Season

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Apr. 5 Mon. Scotch Plains	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 5 Mon. Pingry	H 4:00 PM
Apr. 7 Wed. Elizabeth	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 6 Tues. East Side	H 3:30 PM
Apr. 14 Wed. Irvington	A 4:00 PM	Apr. 12 Mon. East Brunswick	H 3:30 PM
Apr. 19 Mon. Johnson Reg.	A 4:00 PM	Apr. 13 Tues. Immaculate	A 3:30 PM
Apr. 21 Wed. Cranford	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 15 Thurs. Chatham	H 3:30 PM
Apr. 23 Fri. Summit	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 16 Fri. Livingston	A 3:30 PM
Apr. 25 Mon. Dayton	A 4:00 PM	Apr. 17 Sat. Scotch Plains	H 3:30 PM
Apr. 28 Wed. Plainfield	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 22 Tues. Scotch Plains	H 3:30 PM
Apr. 30 Fri. East Side	A 4:00 PM	Apr. 26 Mon. Watchung Conference	A
May 5 Fri. Rahway	A 4:00 PM	Apr. 27 Tues. Union Catholic	H 3:30 PM
May 7 Fri. Union	H 4:00 PM	Apr. 29 Thurs. Scotch Plains	H 3:30 PM
May 10 Mon. Shabazz	A 4:00 PM	May 3 Mon. Summit	A 3:30 PM
May 12 Wed. Plainfield	A 4:00 PM	May 4 Tues. Watchung Hills	H 3:30 PM
May 14 Fri. Elizabeth	A 4:00 PM	May 5 Wed. Pingry	A 3:30 PM
May 15 Sat. UCIAC	A	May 6 Thurs. UCIAC	H 9:30 AM
May 17 Mon. Summit	A 4:00 PM	May 10 Mon. Ridge	H 3:30 PM
May 19 Wed. Union	A 4:00 PM	May 11 Tues. Linden	A 3:30 PM
May 21 Fri. East Side	H 4:00 PM	May 12 Wed. NJSIAA Regions Rutgers	A
May 25 Tues. Millburn	A 4:00 PM	May 13 Thurs. Cranford	A 3:30 PM
May 26 Wed. Irvington	H 4:00 PM	May 18 Tues. Union	A 3:30 PM
May 27 Thurs. Scotch Plains	A 4:00 PM	May 20 Thurs. Summit	H 3:30 PM
		May 24 Mon. State Final	H
		May 25 Tues. Cranford	H 3:30 PM

Head Coach.....Heather Kennedy  
Asst. Coach.....Walter Leonow

Coach.....Joseph Saviro

## GOLF

Apr. 1 Thurs. Union H 3:30 PM

## BOYS' TENNIS Tamaquas Park

Apr. 2 Fri. Elizabeth	A 3:45 PM
Apr. 5 Mon. Kearny	A 3:45 PM
Apr. 6 Tues. Oratory	A 2:30 PM
Apr. 7 Wed. East Side	A 3:45 PM
Apr. 14 Wed. Plainfield	H 4:00 PM
Apr. 16 Fri. Union	A 3:45 PM
Apr. 20 Tues. Watchung Hills	A 3:45 PM
Apr. 21 Wed. Linden	H 3:45 PM
Apr. 22 Thurs. Delbarton	A 3:45 PM
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May 7 Fri. Cranford	H 3:45 PM
May 10 Mon. Elizabeth	H 3:45 PM
May 11 Tues. Millburn	H 3:45 PM
May 12 Wed. Kearny	H 3:45 PM
May 13 Thurs. Livingston	H 4:00 PM
May 14 Fri. East Side	A 3:45 PM
May 17 Mon. Irvington	A 3:45 PM

## BOYS' TRACK stadium

May 19 Wed. Plainfield	H 4:00 PM
May 21 Fri. Union	H 3:45 PM

Coach.....George Kapner

## 9th Grade BOYS' TRACK stadium

Apr. 2 Fri. Union	H 3:45 PM
May 6 Thurs. East Brunswick	H 3:45 PM

Coach.....Bonnie Hagerman

## GIRLS' TRACK stadium

Apr. 3 Sat. Kearny Relays	A
Apr. 6 Tues. Linden	H 3:45 PM
Apr. 10 Sat. UCIAC Relays	A
Apr. 13 Tues. Kearny	H 3:45 PM
Apr. 17 Sat. Blue Devil Invt.	H
Apr. 20 Tues. Penn Relays	H 3:45 PM
Apr. 23 Fri. Penn Relays	A
Apr. 24 Sat. Penn Relays	A
Apr. 27 Tues. Plainfield	A 3:45 PM
May 3 Mon. Menulemon Games	A
May 5 Wed. Union	H 3:45 PM
May 8 Sat. Watchung Conf.	H
May 11 Tues. Elizabeth	A 3:45 PM
May 14 Fri. UCIAC	A
May 15 Sat. UCIAC	A
May 22 Sat. NJSIAA Sect.	A
May 28 Fri. NJSIAA Group Champ	A
May 29 Sat. NJSIAA Group Champ	A
Jun. 2 Wed. NJSIAA Champ	A

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Asst. Coach.....Jennifer Buccino

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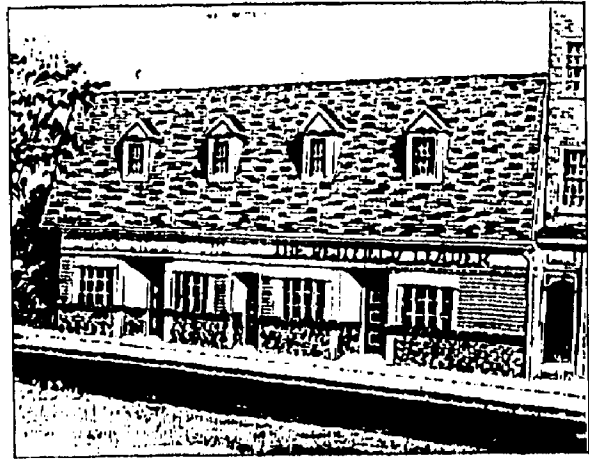
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# SPORTS



GLIDING ALONG...On March 28 the Westfield Recreation Commission and the Westfield Municipal Alliance hosted the Second Annual Town Skating Night at Wanaquo Park in Roselle-Elizabeth. The program, offered through funds provided by the governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, was another big success as more than 275 resident families and individuals enjoyed a free night of skating. A poster contest with a "Don't Do Drugs" theme was featured with music gift certificates given out to the winners. The participants also were provided with a variety of literature concerning drugs and alcohol with packets for the children.

## Recreation Commission Sells Tennis Badges

The Westfield Recreation Commission has begun the sale of its 1993 tennis memberships. Use of the tennis courts at Tamaquas Park, Memorial Park and Elm Street is restricted to membership holders only.

The courts soon will be monitored on daily basis by Commission personnel who will be enforcing the rules and regulations, checking memberships and taking reservations at Tamaquas Park.

Memberships are available to both residents and non-residents. However, non-residents are permitted only at the Memorial Park facility.

The Westfield recreation Commission has established the fees for the 1993 season as follows:

	Resident	Non-Resident
Families	\$35	\$70
Adults, 18 and over	\$25	\$50
Juniors, 13 to 17	\$7	\$14
Twelve years old and under	\$5	\$10
Seniors citizens	\$5	\$10
Guests	\$5	\$5

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**Coaches Clinic For Baseball Slated**  
 The Westfield Baseball League will sponsor a two-part Managers and Coaches Clinic on Wednesdays, April 14 and April 21, at Edison Intermediate School from 7 to 10 p.m.  
 All managers and coaches from the 7-year-old T-ball league through the Major League, 10, 11 and 12 year olds, should attend this practical clinic, which will allow all of those involved to hone their coaching skills.

**Drew Rountree On Track Squad**  
 Drew Rountree of Westfield is representing New Jersey on the 1993 Millersville University Men's Track and Field Team of Millersville, Pennsylvania.  
 Rountree, a letter-winning thrower, qualified for the national Collegiate Athletic Association Division No. 2 national meet in the shot put. He also participated in the Pennsylvania Conference championships in both the shot put and the discus events.  
 Rountree posted the team's best distance in the shot put last year with a toss of 50 feet and eight and a quarter inches.  
 A business major, Drew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Rountree of Westfield.

*He who comes up to his own idea of greatness must always have a very low standard of it in his mind.*  
 William Hazlitt

# Girl Harriers Do Well In Ridgewood Event

By BRIDGET KEBGAN  
*Specialty Writer for The Westfield Leader*  
 The Westfield High School Girl's Track Team opened up its season at the Ridgewood Invitational on Saturday. Notable performances were given by the freshman 4-by-800 team, the discus team and the 4-by-100 hurdle team.

The freshman 4-by-800 team placed first with a time of 11 minutes and 37 seconds. The team consisted of Xanda Martins, who ran a personal best of one minute and 54 seconds, Kellie Goncalves, Karen McGuire and Laura Faulkner.

The discus team placed second, throwing a total of 224 feet, 10 inches. Shi-kin Carter, Erin Allebaugh and Jane Oslislo combined efforts for a medal.

The 4-by-100 hurdle team of Allebaugh, Ahisha Winkler, Rasheedah Hawks and Tiffany Hester placed fourth with a time of one minute and 13 seconds.

Many of the relay teams performed very well. However, they did not place in the top five. The javelin team, Allebaugh, Carter and Janna Chernetz, placed sixth overall with a total of 210 feet, 11 inches. The 4-by-1,600 team of Megan O'Brien, Ellen Freisen, Lisa Cirin and Bridget Keegan, ran a time of 26 minutes and 27 seconds.

The 4-by-200 team of Stacey Tourtellotte, Suzy Folger, Ahisha

Winkler and Hawks ran a time of one minute and 59 seconds. The sprint medley relay team of Hester, Tourtellotte, Winkler and McGuire ran a total of four minutes and 53 seconds. Tourtellotte performed superbly with a time of 26.23 seconds.  
 Oslislo, Carter and Chernetz competed in the shotput relay, and obtained a total of 66 feet and 8.5 seconds. In the long jump, Amanda Love, Folger and Hester worked to achieve a combined jump of 40 feet and 1.5 seconds.

The Ridgewood Invitational offered steep competition and insight into the events that still need improvement.

The team will address these areas over the next week in preparation for the Union County Relays, which are to be held on Saturday, April 10, in Plainfield.

## Dave Sprague Scores Two Saves

Westfield freshman Dave Sprague had two saves in the second half in a recent 20-1 victory of the Ohio Wesleyan Men's Lacrosse Team of Delaware, Ohio over Kenyon College of Gambier, Ohio.

*The man who lives by himself and for himself is apt to be corrupted by the company he keeps.*  
 Charles H. Parkhurst



**COURTSIDE HONORS...** On March 21 the Westfield Recreation Commission held its second annual Town Night with the New Jersey Nets at the Meadowlands Arena. This year over 200 Westfield residents enjoyed the game. The event also was used as a fund-raiser for the commission's drug and alcohol-free teen programs. With each ticket sold the Nets organization donated a portion back to the commission. The Recreation Commission received a check for \$1,000. The Recreation Commission plans to continue this annual event. Mayor Garland C. "Bud" Boothe, Jr. is shown accepting the plaque and check from Nets representatives during pre-game ceremony. Mayor Boothe is accompanied by First Ward Councilman Norman N. Greco and his family, Recreation Commission Chairman Seymour Koslowsky, Recreation Director Paul V. Campanelli, Assistant Director Glenn Burrell, Youth Coordinator Chuck Rogers and Westfield High School student, Frank Martorina. This picture is being republished because of presswork damage in last week's Westfield Leader.

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**ON THE ENVIRONMENT...** Associate Pastor, the Reverend Marc J. Trister of the First Congregational Church of Westfield, meets with, left to right, Amanda Parker, Rebecca Rausch, Lee Pacchia and Matthew Rausch, to discuss "Let's Help Others," an environmental service camp for youth planned by the church for two August sessions.

## Congregationalists to Hold Environmental Camp

Let's Help Others, an environmental service camp, will be sponsored by the First Congregational Church of Westfield at 125 Elmer Street during August.

Designed for youth entering the sixth through eighth grade, the program will stress environmental awareness by exposing participants to a variety of hands-on experiences.

Each day, campers will be involved in a specific service project that introduces a variety of environmental areas. Project areas will include beach clean-ups, urban parkland restoration and the maintenance of wood and swamplands. An animal-protection program also is being investigated.

The program is directed by the Reverend Marc Trister, the Associate Pastor at First Congregational Church.

Before returning to his native New Jersey, the Reverend Trister directed environmental-education programs, community-service projects and work programs at nationally-known independent schools in Colorado, New Hampshire, Michigan and New York state.

In addition he served on the Commission for Outdoor Ministries of the Rocky Mountain Conference of the United Church of Christ.

The program will be offered during the weeks of August 16 through 20 and 23 through 27. Participants may enroll in one or both sessions and enrollment is limited.

There is a \$75 fee for each week. Hours are 8:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and campers should plan to bring a lunch.

For more information and enrollment applications, please telephone the church office at 233-2494.

## Calvary Lutheran Begins Nursery School Program

Calvary Lutheran Church, at 108 Eastman Street, Cranford, has created a new nursery school and child-care facility to meet the needs of the Cranford community and surrounding towns.

Calvary Nursery School and Child Care is scheduled to open in September in the church's Education Building.

The nursery school will offer a half-day program for those 2-and-a-half through 5 years of age two, three and five days a week. Hours will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Plans also are being made for occasional early drop off or late pick up for an additional fee.

The school will offer a developmentally-appropriate Christian education that will foster social, emotional, spiritual and physical growth.

Plans also call for a year-round child-care program for young children to be included as part of the church's new venture. Hours will be from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Fri-

day. Both programs are being offered as a ministry of the church and as a service to the community. Applications will be accepted beginning today.

Parents may pick up an application at the church office or telephone 276-2418 to have one mailed. Children who will be 2-and-a-half years old by Wednesday, September 1 are eligible.

Applications will be accepted in the order received. Parent and child meetings will be held prior to registration. At that time, a \$30 non-refundable registration fee and one month's tuition will be required for registration to be complete.

Spaces in both programs will be limited, and parents should act promptly.

Calvary Lutheran Church is a member of the New Jersey Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America serving the Cranford community and surrounding areas for 64 years.



**RECENTLY DECEASED...** John Wabson, Sr., one of the pioneers of cable television, shown with Westfield violinist and teacher, Stephen Wolosonovich, died on Sunday, March 28, in Allentown, Pennsylvania. Mr. Wabson was the Executive Producer of two violin recitals, videotaped for his own Service Electric cable network, which were filmed in the choir room of the First United Methodist Church in Westfield, featuring Mr. Wolosonovich as the violin soloist. A program on violin making, with acclaimed violin maker, Walter Kosowsky, and Mr. Wolosonovich, and a program featuring violin students from Westfield, conducted by their teacher, Mr. Wolosonovich, was presented from the Assumption College for Sisters in Mendham. The following students from Westfield participated: Dr. Jonathan Daltch, Dr. Pamela Becker, Dlanu Lloyd, Christine Nakatan, Ernest Hua, Marsha Pederson, Saul Harrison, Julia Harrison, Michael Harrison and Gail Kessler.



**AT THE FLAG...** Winners in the Pinewood Derby sponsored by Webelo Park No. 370 at Washington School, shown, left to right, in front of Cubmaster Mario Barbieri, are: Thomas Hanscom, second place; Daniel Morrissey, Most Original; David Conner, Best Looking; Ricky Roig, third place, and Erik Finne, first place.

## Technology Committee Reports Next Month

The 19-member Technology Advisory Committee to the Superintendent of Schools plans to present an interim report next month to the Westfield Board of Education, school staff and community.

Dr. Robert C. Rader, the Assistant Superintendent for Business and the Chairman of the advisory committee, said members have been meeting since the committee was formed in October. The full committee's next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 14.

The advisory committee has been subdivided into four subcommittees which have been meeting and utilizing other resource people with expertise from the community and the school system.

The four subcommittees are:  
• The Intermediate School Computer Laboratory Subcommittee, headed by Michael Barba, a computer teacher at Roosevelt Intermediate School. This committee is looking at hardware, software and curriculum for two new computer laboratories proposed in the 1993-1994 school budget.

• The Purchasing Guidelines Committee, headed by Mrs. Dawn Ganss, a library and media specialist at Westfield High School. This committee's work will guide the purchase of equipment until the

school system has an adopted plan for technology.

• The Networking Committee, headed by Joel Fleck, Jr., the Chief Architect of Bell Communications Research. This committee will evaluate and provide recommendations to link all schools for technology and communication.

• The Interim Report Committee, headed by Dr. Rader. This committee will present a report early in May "to let the Board of Education, the school staff and the community know what the Technology Committee is doing," Dr. Rader said.

The Technology Committee is comprised of 14 school staff members and four citizens: Mr. Fleck, Gerard Cleaves, the Manager of Business Development at Chesapeake Decision Sciences, Inc.; Robert Flast, Jr., the Chief Information Officer of Russell Reynolds Associates, Inc., and Edward Korecky, the Director of applications development at Sea-Land Services, Inc.



**TASTE OF BROADWAY...** A group of 30 eighth-grade students from Edison Intermediate School, the Broadway Singers, entertained members of the Rotary Club of Westfield at last week's regular meeting. The group was accompanied on the piano by their Director, Miss Jeannette Maraffi, shown left, with three singers.

## County Arts Center Revives 1926 Ben Hur

At a special 3 o'clock Sunday matinee on April 25 Rahway's nostalgic Union County Arts Center will revive the 1926 silent epic, *Ben Hur*, complete with live musical accompaniment on the center's authentic "mighty Wurlitzer" cinema pipe organ.

The guest artist for the occasion will be the radio and cinema organist, Lee Erwin.

*Ben Hur* originated as a 19th century novel by Lewis Wallace, 1827-1905, a Civil War General in the Union Army often credited with having saved Washington D.C. from capture by Confederate forces.

The story of a Jewish nobleman at the time of the Roman occupation of Judea, General Wallace's novel was dramatized originally as a turn-of-the-century Broadway stage production starring budding pioneer film star William S. Hart as Messala. Matinee idol Francis X. Bushman plays the role in the 1926 film version. The stage play, complete with a famed chariot race, successfully

toured the country for 20 years.

The first movie version of the novel was a successful 1907 one-reeler. Production of the epic \$5 million 1926 edition already had been underway for two years at Hollywood's Goldwyn Studios when that company was dissolved with the formation of Metro Goldwyn Mayer in 1925. That finished production continues to this day to be hailed by many critics as superior to that studio's 1959 re-make, which won 11 Academy awards, including Best Picture.

No telling how the 1926 version might have fared on the awards scene, since the Motion Picture Academy had not yet been formed. Ironically, the film's Co-Director, Fred Niblo, was to be one of the academy's four co-founders.

The 1,300-seat center, situated in Rahway's historic restoration district, is an extensively restored 1920s vaudeville-movie palace. It is a well-known venue for silent-film revivals.

Reserved-seat tickets, at \$6 now are available at the center's 1601 Irving Street box office and also may be ordered by telephone at 499-8226.



**FLYING HIGH...** Kevin McCloskey, an author and illustrator of children's books, *Mrs. Fitz's Flamingos*, visited Jefferson School recently, where flamingos and writing have become quite popular. Sponsored by the Jefferson School Parent-Teacher Organization, Mr. McCloskey conducted writing workshops for all students. Shown with a flamingo friend and their author in residence for the day are the Principal, Mrs. Kelley Krasula, dressed in flamingo attire, and students Melanie Amadio, Jessica Guerrero, Michael Sawicki and Hiroomi Sekura.

## Victorian Era To Be Topic For Historians

Robert B. Burnett of Linden will speak at 3 p.m. on Sunday, April 18, to members and guests of the Union County Historical Society at the Abraham Clark House on Chestnut Street and West Ninth Street, Roselle on "Sports and Leisure in Victorian New Jersey."

Mr. Burnett, who will illustrate his talk with slides of period illustrations from such sources as *Harper's Weekly* and Frank Leslie's *Illustrated Newspaper*, will examine the century's changes wrought by urbanization, transportation and industrialization.

He will explore such pastimes as hunting and fishing, ocean bathing, baseball, cricket, boat racing, tennis, polo and bicycling. He also will highlight the development of the Jersey Shore resorts and will describe how recreation became a business and how modern leisure-time activities and attitudes were born.

Mr. Burnett holds Degrees in History from Albright College in Reading and the University of Delaware. He teaches history at Bloomfield College and the County College of Morris in Randolph.

He also is the former Director of Publications for the New Jersey Historical Society.

Mr. Burnett formerly taught at Stevens Institute of Technology in Hoboken and at Elizabethtown College in Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania.

He is the author of many articles on history and *Belleville: 150th Anniversary Historical Highlights, 1849-1999* and *Pictorial Guide to Victorian New Jersey*.

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## Mr. Reinhardt Cites Reasons To Elect Him to Board

"In meetings between the candidates and community this past week, it has become obvious to me that Westfield will be well served by any combination of the five people seeking the three seats on the Board of Education," stated William G. Reinhardt, a candidate seeking one of three seats now open on the Westfield Board of Education.

"The two incumbents seeking reelection to the school board bring a wealth of experience and sensitivity to the political constraints under which the board operates. The three new faces, of which I am one, bring fresh ideas and the possibility of movement in new areas," he added.

"The challenge facing the Board of Education in the next few years will be to maintain its strong stewardship of our schools and to continue to ensure that all of Westfield's children get a solid education at a fair price," he said.

"The challenge for voters on Tuesday, April 20, will be to select which three of the five candidates will best represent their interests during the next three years. There are always difficult choices to be made. Voters are being asked to delegate the right to make those choices to people they know and trust. The question is how do you decide who to trust?" he asked.

"Perhaps the following personal information will help voters decide whether or not I fit their bill.

"Together with my wife, Libby, I've been very involved in raising, feeding and nurturing three children — aged 2, 5 and 14 — and keeping the basement dry, the cars running, the dogs out of the neighbor's garbage and the television unplugged.

"I've also been immersed in the challenges of creating, growing and recreating a business here in Westfield, specifically an international newsletter on innovative ways to finance water plants, sewer systems, roads, bridges, airports and other types of infrastructure.

"I am a businessman who makes his money in the print communications arena. My occupation is to listen carefully, ask questions, digest a range of ideas and present the information in a clear, organized way to a sophisticated and very busy audience.

"I have created and built an entrepreneurial business. I understand the legwork and planning required to package and sell new ideas.

"I know the power of a dollar to make things happen. Yet I've learned how to add value to an enterprise without adding new money.

"My product is what's called intellectual property. I have discovered the power of ideas and the solid research needed to market them in a crowded and competitive marketplace.

"My competitors are well capitalized, sophisticated, global corporations. Modern communications technology allows my small business to go head to head with them, and, occasionally, to win.

"I am not a technologist. Rather, I understand the importance of applying technology to gather information and organize it to meet the needs of our society. As important, I understand the danger of relinquishing control of the content of communications to the technological elite.

"Finally, I am disciplined and have proven my staying power through difficult economic times.

"I am eager to work with the Board of Education and Westfield's school officials to contribute what I can to improving the management of our public education system," Mr. Reinhardt concluded.



**JOB WELL DONE.** James M. Weichert, left, the President of Weichert, Realtors, congratulates Sales Associate Fred Martin of Weichert's Westfield Office, for earning a company-wide award for January.

## Fred Martin Honored By Weichert, Realtors

Fred Martin, a Sales Associate with Weichert, Realtors' Westfield Office, has earned a company-wide award for referrals for January.

A licensed real estate professional for four years, Mr. Martin is a licensed broker and holds the Graduate Realtor Institute's designation indicating advanced real estate knowledge.

His sales achievements have earned him membership to the 1992 New Jersey State Million Dollar Club, the second consecutive year he has been so honored, and the company's Million Dollar Sales and Marketed Club.

A resident of Westfield, Mr. Martin is married and has two children.

He holds a Bachelor's Degree in Mathematics and Philosophy from Pennsylvania State University.

Mr. Martin may be telephoned for real estate transactions at Weichert's Westfield office at 654-7777. The office is located at 185 Elm Street.

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— John Jay Chapman in 1909

## Postponed Bridal Showcase To Be Held on Monday

The third annual Bridal Showcase, postponed due to the Blizzard of the Century, has been rescheduled for Monday, April 19, from 7 to 10 p.m. at The Westwood, 438 North Avenue, Garwood. All brides-to-be may attend this complimentary event.

Guests will be treated to refreshments, passed hors d'oeuvres and a wedding cake compliments of The Westwood.

Dreams Come True Bridal Shop of Westfield will provide the bridal and bride's maid gowns during informal modeling throughout the evening. Moonlight Tuxedos will provide

the gentlemen's attire. Area businesses will be available to guide the prospective bride through all her wedding arrangements from bridal-gown selection and preservation through the honeymoon dream of a lifetime.

A special feature of the showcase will be a live band showcase produced by Gerard Productions.

All are invited to register by telephoning The Westwood at 789-0808 or visiting them at 438 North Avenue. Admission is free.

The showcase is produced by Wyckoff Fell Associates. For information on how to become a vendor, please telephone Mrs. Susan Wyckoff Fell at 654-2700.

## Dennis Devine Wins Award At Weichert

Dennis Devine, a Sales Associate with Weichert, Realtors' Westfield Office, has earned membership to the 1992 New Jersey State Million Dollar Club.

An experienced real estate professional, Mr. Devine has been listing and selling homes for nine years. This includes the sale of residential real estate in Brooklyn Heights, New York.

In addition to membership in the State Million Dollar Club, his 1992 sales achievements earned him membership to Weichert's Million Dollar Sales and Marketed Club.

A seven-year resident of Cranford, Mr. Devine is married and has two children. A graduate of Fordham University in New York City, he holds a Master's Degree in Social Work.

Mr. Devine may be reached for real estate transactions at Weichert's Westfield Office at 654-7777. The office is located at 185 Elm Street.



Dennis Devine



Mrs. Linda Parsons

## Mrs. Parsons Wins Honors From Weichert

Mrs. Linda Parsons, a Sales Associate with Weichert, Realtors' Westfield Office, has earned membership to the 1992 New Jersey State Million Dollar Club.

An experienced real estate professional, Mrs. Parsons has been listing and selling homes for seven years.

A member of the Westfield Board of Realtors, she serves as the Chairman of the Social Committee.

In addition, Mrs. Parsons is a member of the Somerset, Summit, Middlesex and Greater Eastern Union County Boards of Realtors.

Mrs. Parsons' accomplishments have earned her consistent membership to the New Jersey State Million Dollar Club and the company's Million Dollar Sales and Marketed Club.

The long-time resident of Westfield is married. She holds a Bachelor's Degree from Ohio State University, where she majored in health and physical education.

Mrs. Parsons is an officer with the Westfield Chapter of the New Jersey Business and Professional Women and a member of the Presbyterian Church in Westfield.

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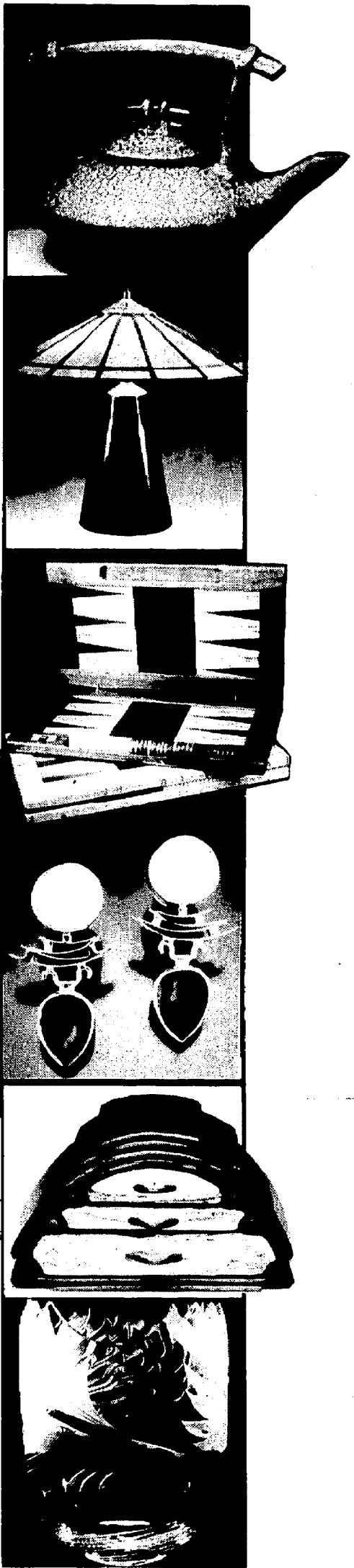
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