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Budget wins; Molinaro, Villano elected to Board

By Howard Klausner

With less than 15 percent of the township's registered voters casting ballots, the zero-increase school budget was passed, incumbent Board Member Robert Molinaro was re-elected easily, and William Villano won his first elective office, a three-year term on the Board.

Villano edged out incumbent Thomas Fuscaldo. Newcomer Alfonse De Meo ran a respectable race to be fourth man.

The votes, including absentee ballots, were:

Budget, 1,168 Yes; 848, No.
Molinaro, 1,473.
Villano, 1,003.
Fuscaldo, 971.
De Meo, 830.

The re-election of Molinaro leaves the school administration with at least four generally supportive votes on the Board.

Fuscaldo was at odds with the board and the administration for much of his term.

In recent months he had been aligned with Frank Montagna, supporting the suspension of athletic games with Barringer High School, a position he later reversed.

The election of Villano, who has been critical of Montagna, leaves Montagna with one ally on the Board, Judy Piscatowski.

The budget victory is the second time in two years that the voters

have endorsed the school appropriation.

"I am gratified by the voters' decision," Molinaro said. "I think it was based on my record."

"I have to thank all the people

who helped me, from the envelope stuffers to the stamp lickens," Villano said. "I went out door to door, and the public could put a face to the name."

Villano came to the Township

Clerk's office to receive the election results.

He was greeted warmly by Mayor Victor Canning, who had endorsed the Villano candidacy.

Villano, a technician with

Hoffmann-LaRoche, has served on the Rent Leveling Board and the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

Molinaro heard word of his victory at the Bella Casa Caterers, where a victory party was held.

The Vote by District, including Candidates and Budget

Polling Place		Member of Board of Education Vote for 2 for 3 year terms				Question 1 Budget		Votes Cast	Percent Turnout
		Molinaro 1-A	Fuscaldo 2-A	DeMeo 3-A	Villano 4-A	Yes	No		
St. Anthony's	Ward 1 District 1	45	58	29	31	32	22	103	15.61%
Silver Lake Fire	Ward 1 District 2	47	38	21	34	33	29	82	11.16%
Senior Citizens	Ward 1 Districts 3 & 4	70	70	24	55	58	54	130	10.18%
School #8	Ward 1 District 5	104	67	60	41	72	58	154	12.72%
School #10	Ward 1 District 6	80	45	36	32	58	34	108	13.65%
School #3	Ward 2 District 1	92	35	66	73	87	44	143	21.73%
School #5	Ward 2 District 2	121	105	88	143	152	64	267	20.12%
Belleville H. S.	Ward 2 Districts 3, 4 & 6	232	140	96	133	156	142	340	15.97%
Fire Headquarters	Ward 2 District 5	90	71	39	46	60	47	142	21.26%
Rec House	Ward 2 District 7	136	89	72	70	92	70	220	17.81%
Knights of Columbus	Ward 3 District 1 & 2	62	46	55	53	66	45	133	11.12%
Belleville Reformed Church	Ward 3 District 3	29	19	20	21	20	25	54	8.05%
Vivsey Methodist Church	Ward 3 District 4	35	31	14	30	30	23	75	12.71%
School #9	Ward 4 District 1	32	9	9	38	27	18	53	8.23%
Christ Church	Ward 4 District 2	42	17	41	33	30	31	75	11.54%
Fewsmith Presbyterian	Ward 4 District 3 & 6	127	86	117	112	117	83	254	18.22%
American Legion	Ward 4 District 4	68	26	30	47	47	37	98	13.21%
Total		1434	952	817	992	1143	826	2431	14.66%
Absentee Ballots		39	19	13	11	25	22		
Grand Total		1473	971	830	1003	1168	848		

The Crime Watch: Riding high!

Doing his best to be noticed, Johnnie Feliciano, 31, of Lyndhurst pedaled his bicycle against traffic on Washington Avenue at 5:20 a.m. on April 8, barely missing a car before he was halted by Police

Legal meter is now running on illegal residency appeal

By Howard Klausner

The Board of Education has authorized its counsel, Frank Pomaco, to file a reply to an effort by the Constitutional Law Center of Rutgers University to reopen an illegal residency case involving the family of Akbar Zadran.

Pomaco will bill the Board at the rate of \$95 an hour for his legal work.

An Administrative Law Judge has ruled that Zadran owes the school district some \$35,000 tuition for four children.

Zadran was ruled to be a resi-

dent of Newark, despite his Belleville mailing address, because his landlord paid his taxes to Newark.

Police said that when Mr. Feliciano took out his wallet, he dropped a bag of marijuana, and a subsequent search of his clothing

produced a hypodermic needle and cigarette paper.

He was also found to have an outstanding warrant from the Essex County Sheriff on a burglary charge, and a traffic warrant from Newark.

Police turned him over to the Sheriff's office.

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Dolan, 39, of Belleville entered a first floor apartment of a two-family home on Cedar Hill Avenue and made off with \$1,600 in jewelry, which he allegedly brought to a pawn shop in Belleville.

The shop owner notified police, and Detective William Palatella arrested Mr. Dolan.

When warrants for Mr. Dolan turned up from Carteret and Bayonne, he was ordered held in \$2,700 bail.

On April 9, Officers James Paterno and Vincent Strumolo went to the K-Mart on Main Street where security people were holding Benjamin Harris, 31, of Newark as an alleged shoplifter.

Police said Mr. Harris was accused of trying to leave the store with nine packages of Duracell batteries, whose long lasting quality may have been irresistible.

Historic graveyard is Kiwanis project

The Kiwanis Club of Belleville, in cooperation with the Belleville Reform Church, will be coordinating the effort to clean up the church's historic graveyard located on Rutgers and Main streets on Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Improving the aesthetics of the Revolutionary era historic graveyard will involve trimming shrubs and trees, pulling weeds and removing debris.

In addition to the Kiwanis, others scheduled to assist are the Boy Clubs, Kiwanis, sponsored by Belleville and Nutley high schools, Kiwanis Past President Mario Drozd and several Belleville Township Council members.

Additional volunteers are welcome and requested to bring work gloves and rakes. Call Councilman Mario Drozd at 751-2277, Domenick Tibaldo at 661-1112 or Betty Davenport at 759-4039.

Following the clean-up effort, the headstones and markers will be righted and reset.

Under the cherry blossoms



Photos by Howard Klausner

RETURN VISITORS - Domenick Mocchiola, formerly of Newark, came to Branch Brook Park with friend, Angela Fox, for the blossoms



FAMILY VIEW - Chester Wang, an employee of Van Dyk Chemical in Belleville, shows son Alex some of the charms of blossom festival.



Photo by Howard Klausner

THREE GENERATIONS OF KELLY - Assemblyman John Kelly was honored for his public service at the 4th Annual Scholarship Breakfast of the Kevin G. Kennedy Civic Association held Sunday at Branch Brook Manor. With him is grandson, Joseph Kelly, and son, Joseph Kelly, M.D. Other guests included Congressman Bill Pascrell and Assembly Majority Leader Paul DiGaetano, who all paid tribute to Kelly.

Aside from That

By Howard Klausner

Santiago Jusino won't be able to pick up his **Distinguished Service Medal**, awarded to him by the New Jersey Department of Military and Veteran Affairs, because his duties as an officer of the Metro-North New York Police will keep him occupied elsewhere, when the medal will be presented at the **West Orange Armory** this Thursday. He also missed the presentation of his **Bronze Star Medal in Viet Nam**. "I was sent home by the **Red Cross** when my father had a heart attack, so I missed the presentation. I'm not even sure what they gave me the medal for." As an infantryman with the **Americal Division**, he was a "Tunnel Rat", a five-foot-eight, 168-pound volunteer who took a .45 automatic and crawled into tunnels, to ferret out any Viet Cong. "I sometimes had to use it. Or a hand grenade. I was a crazy guy. I volun-

teered!" He survived, which itself is a miracle. . . . Jusino was drafted out of his home town of **Jersey City** in 1969, barely out of high school. Home again, he did some construction work, and then was told by his brother that the **Penn Central Police** had a vacancy. That was 1974. The department then became the **Conrail Police**, and finally, or currently, **Metro-North**. He moved to **Belleville** in 1981, where he resided with wife **Linda**, and children **Damien**, 18; **Nicholas**, 15, who attends **St. Mary's School** in **Rutherford**, and **Danalynn**, 13, who attends **Good Shepherd School** in **Nutley**. Jusino thinks that the **Nutley Veterans of Foreign Wars** Post recommended him for the State medal, which seems to be one way of letting people like Jusino know they are appreciated. Not compensated, perhaps, but appreciated. . . . A friendship based on mutual trust, mutual interests and mutual babysitting has marked the long association of **Township Clerk Mary Lou Hood** and **Lorraine Bartholomew**. "We were pioneers," Mrs. Hood said. "Back when women didn't raise families and work, we had jobs with **Lloyd Engineering**. I would work one day, and she would babysit for me, and I would babysit for her the next day." This was before the idea of

corporate nurseries was even conceived, and if conceived, was kept quiet if the proposer wanted to keep that job in the foundry. The two have stayed in Belleville, and remained best pals over the years. Mrs. Bartholomew left retirement recently to work part time for her long time employer, **Van Dyk Chemical**, after seeing that firm through a multitude of ownership changes. Some one suggested a book title, "If My Boss Calls, Get His Name." That could apply to most of corporate America. . . . **Rocco Constantino** was known as **The Rebel**, when he served a couple of terms on the **Belleville Board of Education**. He was not a man to go with the flow. Now the father of five children, he was a priest for seven years, before deciding to re-enter the laity. We met him at the **Kevin Kennedy Civic Association** bash at the **Branch Brook Manor**, where he told us he is still on his own path. He is doing some substitute teaching, among other chores. Maybe he's considering another run for office. . . . **Fifth Ward Councilman Harry Zilch** says he is not surprised that people can be talked into joining a suicide cult. "Look who they elected to the Board of Education," he said. "The Finger!" . . . Zilch's political supporters, the **Kool Kukumber Boys**, have a new fund raising scheme. "Under the New Jersey Constitution, every public meeting must have at least one **Official Grumpy Old Man** and one **Official Angry Old Lady** or the meeting is not legal. We have a full supply of them, and we will rent them out to any town that doesn't have one. Remember, if you haven't been verbally assaulted by a GOM or an AOL, you are not a legal public official." . . . Our Copy Cat, **Baldassaro DiVincenzo Mitten**, says there has been a run on pencil sharpeners since the Township Council rejected the 14 bids on the Town Hall renovation project. "The result will be that the low bidder will come in with an offer to sandpaper the ceiling and forget about it."



THE CHILDREN SING - 'We Are The World' is sung by assembled children at Holocaust Remembrance held at School 3. With the aid of memorabilia from the era and from survivors, the tragedy was recounted.

Holocaust Remembrance held

By Raffaella Saulino

The New Jersey State Holocaust Curriculum mandated that youngsters study about the Holocaust. The slaughter and annihilation of 11 million people is not a subject not easily assigned to sixth grade youngsters. Yet, School Three teachers, Susan Rovell and Isobel Villano, created a touching and thoughtful experience for their students and for the invited guests of

Blossomfest set for April 27

The Silver Lake District Partnership is sponsoring the fourth annual Blossomfest, an Arts and Crafts event, to be held Sunday, April 27 from noon until 6 p.m.

The Franklin Street business district in Belleville will be the setting.

This event is held in cooperation with Essex County's Cherry Blossom activities.

Event coordinators, Jerry Iacangelo and Diane Zusi, invite anyone wishing to participate to contact the District Partnership at 450-1111.

Crafters, organizations and entertainers looking to showcase their talents, are invited. Antique and classic car owners are also welcome.

The Little Miss Blossom will also be selected for that day. Any young lady, a resident of Belleville between the ages of 8 and 10 is invited to compete. Call Diane Zusi at 759-6788 for an entry form.

Raindate for Blossomfest is Sunday, May 4.

Belleville Rotary sets blood drive

The Rotary Club of Belleville is sponsoring a blood drive from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Bethany Lutheran Church, 188 New St., on Sunday, April 27.

Chair of the blood drive is Rev. Nancy Moore, an active member of the Rotary Club of Belleville.

If you are interested in donating blood, or want to know what is involved, please call her at 759-1555.

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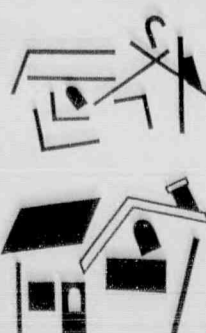
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Belleville Senior News

By Joseph Restaino



The Golden Chain of Friendship

By Helen Steiner Rice

Friendship is a golden chain,
The links are friends so dear,
And like a rare and precious jewel
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It's clasped together firmly
With a love that's deep and true,
And it's rich with happy memories
And fond recollections too . . .
Time can't destroy its beauty
For, as long as memory lives,
Years can't erase the pleasure
That the joy of friendship gives . . .
For friendship is a priceless gift
That can't be bought or sold,
But to have an understanding friend
Is worth far more than gold . . .
And the golden chain of friendship
Is a strong and blessed tie,
Binding kindred hearts together
As the years go passing by.

Welcome back to Yvette Santoro who was in the hospital having a new pacemaker implanted. Pat Mauriello is in Clara Maass Hospital. Anthony Bellina is out of the hospital. Get well wishes to my good friend, Fred Behan. Get well and hurry back. We miss you and Dorothea.

Nature's Way

By Dorothea Behan

The harsh, cold winds of winter
Become soft, balmy breezes in May.
No plan of man to cause it,
That's simply nature's way.
Take courage in the face of adversity,
You'll find solace following pain.
There will be a change of fortune,
Like the sunshine after rain.

It's just about a year ago that Sylvia Pagonelli went to Las Vegas and won a Harley Davidson motorcycle. Right, Sylvia?

It is with regret that I report that we lost two very important members of the senior clubs this past week. Maude Baumer was not only a longtime member of the Tuesday and Friday Senior Clubs, but a conscientious worker in both clubs. I remember the first time I went to the dance instruction class, headed by instructor Mary Melchione. They were doing the line dance polka. Maude grabbed me and had me doing the polka in no time. Her late husband, John, was also a hard worker for both clubs. I remember when we went to the Friar Tuck Motel in the Catskills and he, myself, William Fioravante and Dan Tribuna entered for the four-man bocci tournament and won first prize. I still have the trophy to prove it. Maude had just moved to be with her daughter-in-law and her passing away has shocked all her friends at the Senior Center. Rest in peace, Maude.

The other member who passed away was Theresa Genovese. I have known Theresa for over 65 years. I remember the beautiful voice she had. She sang at our center many times and when she sang, it was like you were in heaven. Theresa, I know you will find peace with your sister, Millie and your brothers, Sam and Ted. May you also rest in peace.

For you smokers: some hints to help you stop smoking are:

- Chew on a cinnamon stick
- Exercise
- Kiss your spouse or child
- Do something to occupy your hands
- Chew gum
- Take a walk
- Wait five minutes before smoking

These are a few of many suggestions, but from what I have read, the only and best way is cold turkey. Why wait? Quit now.

Ten rules seniors should follow to help keep themselves safe from scams:

1. Always be skeptical of unsolicited calls.
2. Be wary of door-to-door sales.

3. Do not let yourself be bullied into quick decisions in the face of high pressure sales pitches.

4. Take all the time you need to investigate any home improvement offer.

5. You are entitled by law to cancel any transactions you have agreed to within three business days.

6. Never sign a contract or make a purchase without fully understanding the terms of the agreement.

7. Never give out your credit card identification or bank account numbers over the phone or to a company not known to you.

8. Do not be taken in by "you have won" notifications over the phone or by mail.

9. Do not assume that "charitable" solicitations are legitimate, no matter how heartwarming their cause may seem.

10. Do not do business with a company you know little about.

Tid bit: the face in the mirror is the face have to live with for the rest of your life. Do you like it?

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Rabies clinic on May 2

Mayor Victor Canning and the Township Council have announced a free rabies vaccination clinic to be held Friday, May 2 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday, May 3, from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon at the Belleville Health Department, 383 Washington Ave.

Thomas J. Longo, director of health and human services, urges all residents to take advantage of this free rabies clinic.

If bitten, call the Health Department right away to report the incident. If possible, include a description of the animal: its license number, the owner's name, address and telephone number, and the animal's vaccination status.

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Robert S. Curtis
President and CEO

OUR OPINION

Approaching the splendor of Spring

They say that professional basketball is a game where you can watch millionaires running around in short pants and sneakers, making more money with one basket than the fans make in a year.

Hockey is a game where people can say they went to see a fight, but a game kept breaking out.

Football is a game in which the line-men are near the 400-pound mark and strategy consists of driving a bulldozer through the opposing center.

But baseball - there is still a game in which the individual counts. Of course, what he usually counts are the residuals from his commercial endorsements.

The day of the tough rookie dropping off a freight train to turn up for practice went away with the era of the lady's parasol and the corner ice cream parlor.

Still, leaving the mind-boggling statistics of today's salaries behind, the statistics of earned run and batting average are still with us.

We can watch a baseball game on television, and learn what the score is, but you have to be in the ball park to really know what baseball is.

And you have to be on a sandlot to learn the game, which is why the efforts to salvage a softball diamond

from the swamp by Hoover Avenue has our earnest support, even if we are not convinced it will work.

Some may carp at the idea of Department of Public Works employees and their equipment dumping more topsoil into the field, which rapidly fills with underground and rain water.

With the limited open spaces left to us, any attempt at providing our young with baseball is worth the time and the money.

Little by little, basketball - and now soccer - has made inroads into the loyalty of our young people.

They are great sports, but they should not be allowed to displace baseball as the American Pastime. It is indigenous to America - as are football and basketball - but it has a flavor of individual participation that separates it from the group action of other sports.

A pitcher warily judging a batter, an outfielder waiting for that fly ball, a catcher directing the fielders - everyone has that moment when everything depends on him - or her.

A golfer is a loner. A football player is too often faceless in the mob. But a baseball player is both a team member and an individual achiever.

That chance to shine - that's baseball.

YOUR OPINION

Council members cut own pay

To the editor:

In light of the austere budget that is being planned for the Township of Belleville for 1997 we believe it is appropriate and fair that we make a correction to our own salaries.

Effective immediately, please reduce our gross salary from \$7,000 per year to \$5,200 per year. This represents a reduction of more than 50 percent of the salary increase recently approved by the Township Council.

Arnaldo Carrera
Mario Drozd
Council members

A daughter's thoughts

To the editor:

Bundled up, my mom, Geraldine (Jessie) Ursi, sat in a wheelchair by the door when the ambulance arrived to take her home. God had other plans for her. He took her Home.

I would like to thank everyone for their kind words and thoughtfulness.

Ann Donatiello

A library saved

To the editor:

Back in September I was very quick to "fire" off a letter to this newspaper complaining about the non-action taken by the Board of Education when the library was eliminated in School #10 by the overcrowding problem. The day my letter was published I received two phone calls from board members Lou Pallante and Bob Molinaro.

I expressed my disappointment in them and they assured me that the board was working on the problem and the sixth grade trailer would be in place by December. I told them that when the issue was resolved I would rescind my letter.

Due to a career change, and then the holidays, I have not been able to find the time to write this overdue letter. I would personally like to thank Lous and Bob for keeping their promise. The trailer looks great and School #10 has its library back.

If I can every help either of you, just give me a call. I promise I'll get back to you sooner than it took me to write this.

David Iaquina

Is it spring?

To the editor:

Is this spring or is this spring?

I have a Multiple Sclerosis bike tour coming up. The bike tour is 24 days away, and here is a little taste of what is going on so far.

I am collecting pledges from different parts of town. I collected pledges from the town seat last night after the town meeting. I got \$210. Bob Giordano, attorney-at-law, has pledged \$175. He pledged \$170 last year. Cool! Everyone on the seat are cool. They are great! Including the mayor of Belleville, Victor Canning.

More pledges are still coming in. I collected \$760 in pledges as of April 9. My goal this year is \$1,000. I raised \$852 last year. Even WBHS-34 is helping a bit. They have put up a bit about me on the screen. Fewsmith Church is also helping.

There is an article about my upcoming ride in the Fewsmith News. I will give thanks to all businesses when all is said and done.

Just to give you an idea, I wiped out on Route 35 in Seaside Heights last year, and got scrapes, cuts, bruises and lost my speedometer from the big fall. But that does not stop me from riding for a good cause. I also have been in the Multiple Sclerosis bike tour since 1990. Then I started to ride in two bike tours, since 1995.

I am also involved with Boy Scout Troop 264, Special Troop, which is sponsored by the Belleville Elks. We use the Elks building every Tuesday night at 7 p.m. We are also involved in helping the Knights of Columbus for collecting money for the Retarded Drive in April of every year.

Well, I do train at Brookdale Park for the bike tour. The bike I have still has the awesome troll in the front handlebars, which also has scrapes on it from the big fall last May. The troll gives me good luck. The bike I have is 6 1/2 years old.

Oh, I also have a website. I got things on there about the bike tour. Some articles are from the Belleville Times.

Time to roll. Got places to go and I also have to buy my Superman comic book. I get my comic books from Comic Explosion. I do talk and write a lot. So I really better get going, or I will never stop talking about the bike tour!

Have a good day!

"Big Mike" Dowd

Life in Silver Lake By Marie Strumolo Burke

Boy, do I feel better-rested after that hectic and momentous day of April 5, when the dedication of Silver Lake's own mini-mobile police station was unveiled and that same night, an evening with Bobby Byrne at the Knights Hall.

It couldn't have been a better day, the weather was perfect and the police were all there and accounted for in their finery, starting with the police director and town manager, Raymond Kimble; deputy chiefs, Bill Adelheim and Joe Simonetti; Captain Joseph Rotonda, and of course, our ready, willing and able team, Lt. Frank Manno, and Officers John Martucci and George Geyer, who will be manning our mobile unit for three years.

Captain Joe performed his master of ceremonies job, superbly with a "touch of class." I might add, A tent was there in case the weather didn't obey.

To add to the ambience of the day, Frank Loglici of FJL Amusements of Heckel Street dished out cotton candy to the kiddies, dressed in his clown outfit of the day, with rainbow hair to match, and did I tell you that it was for free?

Silver Lake owes Frank a debt of gratitude. If you're in need of his services, for a bazaar, church function, fairs, school events, and



Marie Strumolo Burke

birthday parties, all you have to do is ring up FJL Amusements at 751-9240, and Frank will whip you up what you need. Just tell him you're a friend of Silver Lake and he'll give you a deal you can't refuse!

Each person received a red balloon inscribed with the SLCA logo. Congressman Bill Pascrell, D-8, donated an American flag that flew over the Capitol building in Washington. He presented the flag that morning, and remarked that it should fly forever over its new home.

And what good is a flag without a pole? So, the SLCA complied and donated the pole.

A chill went down my spine when the contingent of policemen

lead us all in the salute to the flag. And what a sight it was when we all released our balloons after Mayor Victor Canning did his ribbon cutting ceremony.

Please don't let me forget our pastor, Rev. Dennis Cocozza of St. Anthony's Church, who was attired in his "police garb" while carrying his prayer book. How, do you ask, did he get a police uniform? Well, he is the chaplain for the PBA. Boy, did he look snazzy.

At first I wasn't sure if I should call him "Father" or "Sergeant," but one thing is for certain, he is a joy to all of Silver Lake.

If you want a grand tour of the station, just ask Lt. Manno and I'm sure he'll oblige.

For those who didn't have a good excuse for not attending, let me say, shame on you. If was a day to remember, and a day for all residents to be proud that they are Silverlakers. Amen.

On another note, I was traveling through our neighboring Bloomfield and couldn't help but notice that there are many, many signs for Peter Strumolo, a candidate for the Bloomfield Board of Education. Peter is a qualified, caring human being and interested in the youth of Bloomfield and deserves to be elected, and besides, he's my brother!

Remember, we love Silver Lake.



Of All Things

By Frank Orechio

A feature of the Nutley Sun, Bloomfield Life, Belleville Times and Glen Ridge Voice

• I'VE owned The Nutley Sun for about the same length of time as I am married to my wife, Edith. I don't believe I've used her photo in this space - or for that matter in this or my other newspapers.

While in Florida a couple days ago, I purchased a new Polaroid camera, and the first picture I took was that of my wife and my schnauzer, Noelle. They both looked good enough to publish.



Edith and Noelle

A February Associated Press story described how two mid-career, Berkeley, California professionals, nurse Raphaela Pope, 52, and lawyer Sam Lowe, 36, became prosperous telepathic "pet psychics". Pope charges \$40 per half-hour by telephone, which sometimes includes talking directly to the pet. Said one of her customers, "I learned (from Pope) that Scarlett (the cat) thought I didn't want her around. Scarlett changed immediately after talking to Raphaela, and we were happy again."

• OUR 727 plane experienced a thirty-minute delay take off due to the emotional problems of a middle aged wide-beam female. Seated in the first row aisle seat immediately behind the First Class section, she ranted and raved complaining the arm dividing the seats refused to swing up. Despite repeated patient explanations by cabin crew members that bulk head seat arms were stationary she raised her voice a few decibels yelling - "Don't tell me I'm wrong - who do you think you are talking to?" This went on for ten minutes, refusing to heed several warnings that she would be removed from the plane if she persisted with her behavior - well - sheriff's officers were summoned and she reluctantly, very slowly, made her way to the exit door. Stewardess Lisa McDonald rates a few points in her personnel portfolio.

• FINANCIALLY troubled Apple Computer (our exclusive production equipment) regrets the decision it made two years ago licensing other companies to clone its Macintosh computers. In an attempt to slow the clones' erosion of Apples' own sales, Macintosh proposes raising license fees tenfold.

• A TRIO of the state's most powerful Republican leaders reportedly met recently to coordinate their efforts for the Primary Election battles that lie ahead. They included the young but savvy Passaic County leader Peter Murphy, Essex County's Reform Executive, visionary leader Jim Treffinger and the

newly recruited Bergen County Republican Chairman, millionaire industrial, Hank Shotmeyer, who faces a reconstruction job similar to the one recently completed by Treffinger.

Under the leadership of Murphy, Shotmeyer and Treffinger, the future bodes well for the Republican party in heavily populated North Jersey.

• ELDRICH TIGER WOODS proved to the world that the impossible is attainable.

The 22-year-old golf genius did not perform the golfing miracle overnight. Since the age of 2, his father, Earl, had Tiger putting against Bob Hope on Mike Douglas' TV talk show. He shot 48 for nine holes at age 3. Where was the press? At age 5, he was featured in Golf Digest. Where was the press? He won three consecutive U. S. Golf Association junior titles. Where was the press? In 1996, Tiger won the Las Vegas Invitational Walt Disney/Oldsmobile Classic. Where was the press? 1997, Woods won the Mercedes Championship. Where was the press? April 13 will be a day never to be forgotten. That was the day all of us became part of history through the magical work of Eldrich Tiger Woods, his irons, his woods, his heart, his skills, his brain, his poise - and - his grace - a real champion!



Eldrich Tiger Woods

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YOUR OPINION

A time to think 'Library'

To the editor:

During this week, the Belleville Public Library and Information Center celebrates National Library Week, from April 13-19, sponsored by the American Library Association, for the promotion and for the support of libraries. It is a time for reflection on the part of the library, to thank all those who have supported the library.

These include the township officials, who have supported the library in the past, the trustees of the library, who have worked faithfully on a monthly basis to run the library, the many volunteers of the library, the staff, who has worked tirelessly to keep the library operating, and our township newspaper, the Belleville Times, who has served as an advocate for our library and who weekly publishes our upcoming events.

Although we are the lowest funded library in Essex County, we still take great pride on serving the community and in bringing the community the best of service.

In 1996, we had available to the public a total of 94,574 books, periodicals, audiovisual, and machine-readable materials. Our total circulation was 118,038; our total program presentations were 1,063; our total attendance at programs was 11,837; our total attendance at the library was 114,825. In 1996, our staff answered 15,497 questions.

Last month, 1,119 patrons used our computers, which represented at 30 percent increase from the same time period last year.

We also consider the wide range of people whom the library serves. The library offers information services, books, media and programs for preschoolers, school children, young adults, high school students, college students, the business community, the working community, the senior citizen community, the disabled, as well as providing a delivery service to the homebound.

To further assist the community, the library has a state of the art

computer system, with access to the internet, along with 1,000 periodicals on line. The computers are also open to the public for word processing. The library is also one of the first electronic doorway libraries in the state.

Through grants' funding from the State Library, Infotink, the Eastern library Regional Cooperative, the New Jersey Council for the Humanities, the Martin Luther King Foundation, the New Jersey Historical Commission, and the Nicholas Martini Foundation, as well as organizations, such as the Friends of the Belleville Public Library and Information Center, the A.C.E.S. of UNICO, the Zonta International of the Paterson Area, the Rotary Club of Belleville, the Lions Club, and private individuals, such as Rene Gabbai, Peggy Sullivan, the Yudin family, as well as many other strongly supporting patrons and staff, we reflect during National Library Week on the library's ability to provide the public internet access, a computerized index to the local newspapers, various grants for book discussions, a celebration of the arts and humanities, programs for the celebration of King and Black history, programs for children, concerts, the teaching of English for those who need to learn the language, computer classes teaching the internet, was well as job searching, employment workshops and one-on-one counselling for employment.

Crucial and necessary to the funding and operation of the library is the funding from the Township of Belleville, as grants generally last only for a year's duration and do not pay for the operational costs of running the library. Therefore, each year, we all need to reflect on the importance of providing the library with sufficient funding to make enough books, reference titles, business titles, encyclopedias, computers, the internet, magazines, and periodicals on line, just to name a few types of media, available to all age levels, from preschool to our over 8,000 senior citizens who live in Belleville.

We urge you all to request adequate funding from the township to provide the best in library services and programs for all the people in

the Township of Belleville.

We should not foster an environment in the township in which those who are unable to afford access to all types of information fall behind those with the means of access to all types of information, because of the lack of proper funding for the library.

Therefore, we urge the community and the Township of Belleville to support continued funding to benefit the educational development and general welfare of our children, young people, the business community, our government officials, our adult and senior citizen populations, and the community as a whole during National Library Week and all year long. Also, we urge organizations and individuals to continue to donate to our library and for individuals to leave bequests to the library, to keep our library viable and vibrant.

Author Maya Angelou has stated: "Libraries are valuable beyond measure, for they keep, protect and conserve all human thought, and they are actively about the business of sharing their bounty daily. I don't think I could live without them, and I doubt if I would care to."

As director of the Belleville Public Library and Information Center, I feel the same as Angelou. I invite all of the community to share with me the celebration of the Belleville Public Library and Information Center, its great accomplishments in the community, and to come and visit the library during National Library Week and all year long!

Andrea Cohen
Library Director

Parent is thanked

To the editor:

I would like to thank Mr. William Hatchette for the lovely tribute he paid to the teachers, support staff and the Belleville school system at the Board of Education meeting on Monday evening, April 7.

My colleagues and I were very impressed with the positive things he said. You cannot imagine the effect that the recognition he bestowed upon us has had, and will continue to have, not only on his son's teachers and support staff, but on all residents in town.

Unfortunately, our citizens usually only hear the negative points of view regarding our educational system. It is wonderfully refreshing to hear accolades and a true "success story" being told.

In my expression of gratitude for the words he had to say, I would be remiss if I didn't reciprocate the compliment. Perhaps what many people don't understand is the "cooperative" effort that is necessary for a child's education to be completely fulfilled. This child couldn't have achieved his goals if it weren't for the time, support and effort that Mr. and Mrs. Hatchette

invested in his education and upbringing. Their participation and cooperation are both recognized and applauded.

I truly consider it a privilege to have been able to work with them in helping their son achieve all that he has, and being a part of all of their lives. I sincerely appreciate everything - the assistance they've given to help in the education of their child and the boost they've given to the morale of our town's educators.

Mandy Rondelli, teacher
School Number Five

Father and Son Communion set

St. Peter's Church will sponsor a Father and Son Communion Breakfast on Sunday, April 27 at 9:30 a.m. at the Knights of Columbus hall on Bridge Street. Cost is \$5 for men and \$3 for boys.

The speaker will be Msgr. John Gilchrist, pastor of Holy Cross Church, Harrison.

Msgr. Gilchrist grew up in Belleville and is a weekly columnist for the Catholic Advocate.

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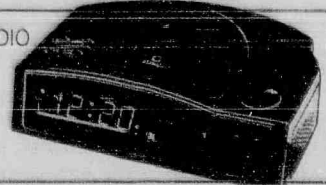
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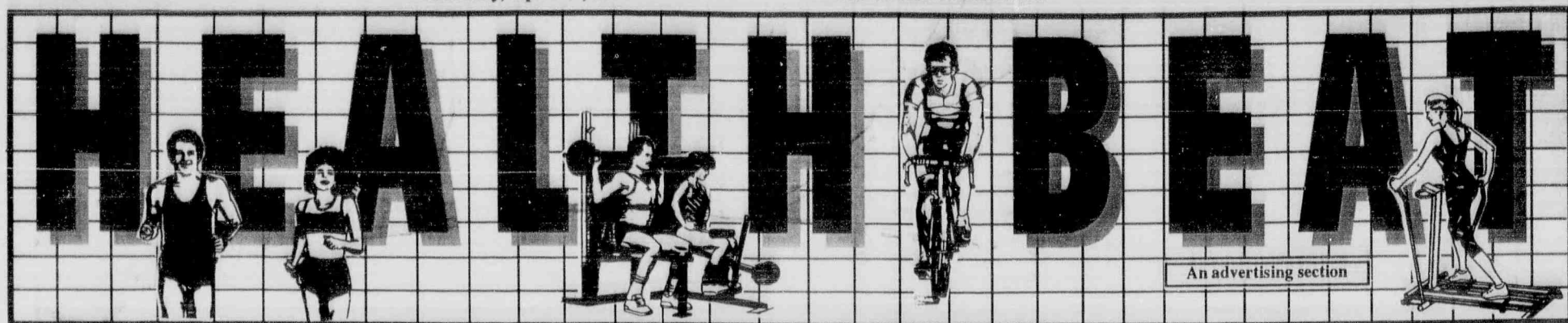
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Dr. Walter Shurminsky Jr.
Optometrist

Choosing the right frame

Previously, I discussed the importance of selecting lenses first in eyewear. Once this is done, we now decide on the frame to put the lenses in. This can be tedious or quite simple, based on the needs of each individual.

When choosing an eyeglass frame, there are a few characteristics to consider.

First, we want a strong frame that will last. I tell people to change frames when style or prescription dictate, not breakage.

Second, we consider weight of the frame. Certain newer materials are lighter weight and thinner.

Third, we want style and fashion. This is put third because it is least important from my perspective as a doctor.

The strength of the frame is created by the material it's made of and the assembly. Titanium and stainless steel are strong materials which are better to use than the older combination metals. Some plastic mixtures are more durable than others also. Using a spring hinge which is made well with real steel screws will be stronger. This avoids returning to replace screws all the time.

Some manufacturers use inferior materials to make their frames lower-priced. I can get two frames that look alike but won't be near the same quality or price.

Weight of a frame on a person's face is also very important. As mentioned already, some newer titanium and stainless steel frames significantly reduce weight on the nose. Style is dictating smaller, thinner frames that also reduce weight.

Style and fashion is an individual thing. You can choose any size, color or shape frame you want.

It's our job to help direct you to what functions well for you because even if you like what it looks like, you'll complain if it feels heavy or doesn't last.

Finally, look at your frame for a second. Look at the ear pieces and at the frame front. See if there is any tarnishing of the plating. If the frame is not real old, one of two things is happening. Either you have very acidic skin that eats away at the frame or you have an inferior quality plating on the frame.

Either way, using a good quality titanium frame will solve the problem.



Sarah Ahmad, 11, left, shows Emma Halik, Child Life coordinator at St. Barnabas Medical Center in Livingston, how to perform with the teaching doll.

Dolls help children learn about medical care

The Department of Pediatrics at St. Barnabas Medical Center in Livingston has purchased two teaching dolls for use in the Child Life Department and The Valerie Fund Children's Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders.

"They are invaluable teaching tools for children and allow the child to perform the procedure on the doll first, mirroring what will take place," said Child Life Coordinator Emma Halik.

These dolls, which cost a total of \$1,500, are anatomically correct and show both external body parts and internal organs.

An anatomically correct "second skin" fits over the torso and can demonstrate accurately many procedures such as catheterization,

IV line use, bone marrow aspiration sites and spinal taps.

The more comprehensive doll remains in the Child Life Department and the other doll, tailored to procedures performed for children with cancer and blood disorders, stays at The Valerie Fund Center.

The neutral-colored fabric and changeable wigs enable the dolls to represent a variety of ethnic backgrounds. The dolls are dressed in hospital gowns and come with special "mood masks" which allow children to change the doll's smiling face to a worried, angry, sad or sleepy expression, as appropriate.

The teaching dolls were purchased with funds from the St. Barnabas Employee Campaign.

Fitness Center for Women offers cardio television

Soon it will be time to shed those coats. Spring is on the way!

What better way to get ready for summer than by starting a fitness program.

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Its philosophy differs from other women's facilities based on membership structure. The Center does not overcrowd its facility with gimmick membership rates. It offers one affordable rate.

Ladies, grab the kids. The Center has supervised child care. Hop on a treadmill and "tune in" on the newly installed cardio tele-

vision, and while working out, watch your favorite soaps, Kathie Lee and Regis or Rosie. Then enjoy a cappuccino at the juice bar or a relaxing massage and facial. Get your nails done while your children are in the children's activity room. It's as simple as that.

The Fitness Center for Women offers a variety of classes, the latest in cardio and resistance training equipment plus a full-service salon including skin and nail care. Come and relax, relieve your stress — it's a phone call away at 423-2808.

Enjoy yourself at the Fitness Center for Women, the place for women, at 462 Broad St., Bloomfield.

Sealants prevent cavities

By Dr. Edward Shluper, DDS



Can we be immunized against cavities in our teeth, the way we are immunized against other diseases?

Probably not yet, but sealants applied to the teeth is the next best thing.

Sealants are plastic coats applied on the chewing surfaces of the teeth. On the chewing surfaces of the back teeth are pits and fissures. Their presence is the major cause of cavities because the bacteria accumulate in these sites. Since those areas are beyond the reach of a toothbrush, they cannot be cleaned well.

The sealant obliterates those surface fissures, preventing the accumulation of bacteria there and thus preventing decay.

The best time for the application of the sealant is shortly after the eruption of the back teeth. Sealing those surfaces is very effective, easy and involves minimal treatment, which most children have no difficulty accepting. The reaction of the patient to the sealant is so favorable that it is difficult to understand why this treatment is underutilized and not as widespread as immunization is.

Research shows that 95% of all cavities are in the pits and fissures of the chewing surfaces and the routine use of sealants could virtually eliminate caries. Sealing the carious susceptible teeth is a very wise investment from an economical point of view. Sealing is cheaper than filling those teeth when they become carious, and there is an additional benefit: research has shown that placing a filling in a tooth can lead to the need to remove and replace the filling in five to ten years, with consequent increase in the size of the cavity. Eventually, the tooth structure is so weakened that a crown is required, and a bad crown may lead to the loss of the tooth.

Sealants are a proven and effective means to prevent decay, but they do not last forever. As time goes by, the protective covering is lost.

In my office, I encourage the parents to treat the teeth of their young children with sealants. At future checkups, the sealant is evaluated and if it has to be renewed, it is done at no cost.

Dr. Edward Shluper, D.D.S., is a graduate of New York University College of Dentistry and a member of the Academy of General Dentistry.

For more information or to set up a consultation, call Dr. Shluper at 743-5432. His office is located at 301 Belleville Ave., Bloomfield.

MKA selects director of athletics

The Montclair Kimberly Academy has selected Dr. Mark Boyea to lead one of the largest independent school athletic programs in New Jersey.

Boyea, who will take over his post on July 1, is currently the commissioner of the Washington, D.C. Catholic Athletic Conference — one of the most prestigious leagues in the nation — and is an adjunct associate professor in sports psychology at Virginia's George Mason University.

Boyea was formerly a widely-heralded director of athletics at Bishop Ireton High School in Alexandria, Va., where he was awarded the Ocean Spray Corporation Award for Excellence in Women's Athletics.

He has also been a college instructor at the University of Maryland and at Thomas College.

Anticipating Boyea's leadership, Peter R. Greer, MKA headmaster,

commented that "Boyea's known focus on the principles of sportsmanship definitely complements MKA's academic programs on ethics and the formation of character. His recognized expertise in the development of all coaches is a big plus. We are enthusiastic about the promise of increased success in competitive athletics and the quality of the athletic performance of our boys and girls."

Boyea will also be the head girls' varsity basketball coach at MKA, a position he has held at the college level.

Boyea and his wife, Cindy, have two school-age children.

Boyea commented on his new post: "I am eager to contribute to and to advance MKA athletics in important ways. I am convinced that my college experience, contacts, and understanding of the factors that produce improved sports performance will serve our student-athletes and their families well."

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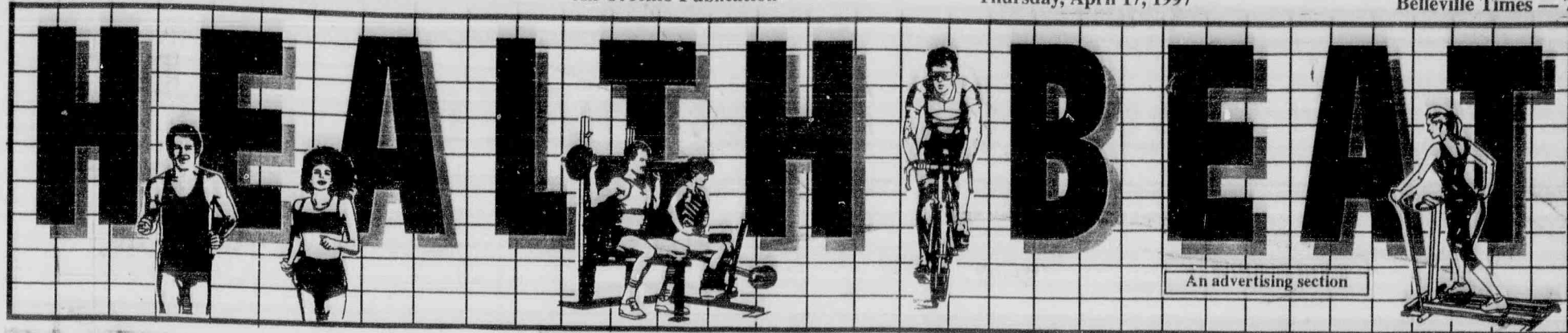
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WEDDING BELLS RING -- The new John W. Conway Chapel at Mountainside Hospital in Glen Ridge recently hosted its first wedding. In front row, Astrida Liepins, left, and James Hammill, right, were married in the chapel, instead of at Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church in Paramus as planned, because the groom's mother, Gertrude Hammill, center, was a patient at the hospital and would have been unable to attend the ceremony -- so the family decided to bring the wedding to her! The ceremony was followed by a reception in the hospital's private dining room. In back row from left are Rev. Ed Clydesdale, director of pastoral care at Mountainside, and Rev. Thomas Sinnott of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church.

STRESS: friend or foe?

By Dr. Bernadette Scolamiero, Psy.D.



Who among us in this fast-paced world does not experience stress? The fact is that some stress is even good for us!

Without any stress, we would have little to motivate us, and life would become quite dull and unexciting.

The key is to master the stress in our lives, not the other way around!

The first step in managing stress is to identify the bad stressors in our lives, those things which frustrate us emotionally, and/or tax us physically.

It is well documented that too much stress can lead to physical problems such as high blood pressure, ulcers, and heart disease. Once identified, we need to look closely at our stress points.

We may find that some stressors can be eliminated by simplifying our lives, by saying "no" at times to outside demands.

Obviously, there are instances when this isn't possible. The next step, then, is to prioritize the demands we face, evaluating things realistically and responding appropriately.

Asking for help in managing the demands on our time is the next step in the process of stress management. Admitting that we are not perfect can relieve a lot of pressure all by itself.

The fourth step in healthy stress management is preparing our mind and body for those times when steps one through three have not been totally successful. In order to

boost our emotional immune system to fight stress, we can engage in "stress inoculation" as an aid to maintaining our emotional well-being. This is much the same process as physical inoculations help us to ward off disease.

A generally healthy lifestyle is as important to emotional health as to physical health. An adequate diet, sufficient rest, some form of regular exercise and relaxation are all important.

Additionally, many people are turning to specific types of relaxation training such as meditation, breathing exercises, guided imagery, etc.

When practiced regularly, all of these things will help the mind and body to fight off the negative effects of "bad stress" when, sooner or later, it does come into our lives.

At times, there may be prolonged or unusual stressors which tax our resources to an unhealthy degree. At such times, it is important to reach out for professional help.

There are many trained mental health providers who can be of assistance when such needs arise. Usually, a brief course of treatment can bring most individuals back to a healthy, comfortable mode of functioning.

Dr. Bernadette Scolamiero is a licensed psychologist in Bloomfield. Her practice includes treating children and adolescents, as well as adults.

For information or to schedule an appointment, call 680-4343.

Mountainside Auxiliary supports Organ, Tissue Donor Week

In commemoration of National Donor and Tissue Donor Awareness Week, April 20-26, the Auxiliary of Mountainside Hospital in Glen Ridge is working with the New Jersey Organ and Tissue Sharing Network to help raise public awareness of the urgent need for organ and tissue donors throughout the country, and to promote a greater understanding of the life-saving benefits of donation.

There are more than 50,000 individuals awaiting life-saving organ transplants in the United States. In New Jersey alone, nearly 900 residents are waiting, many of whom will die before a transplant becomes possible, because of the drastic shortage of available donors.

To help reduce this shortage and save lives, the Mountainside

Hospital Auxiliary is lending its support to National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week.

An organ and tissue donor awareness committee was formed to lead this effort, through which auxiliaries will distribute educational

literature about organ and tissue donation within the hospital and the community, and will tie symbolic green ribbons around trees in front of the hospital.

On Monday, April 21, the auxiliary will kick off the week with a display in the hospital's main lobby. They will also provide educational information at King SuperMarket in Upper Montclair on Wednesday, April 23.

In recognition of this important cause, Gov. Christine Whitman issued a proclamation declaring National Organ and Tissue Donor

New technology helps in osteoporosis fight

Twenty-five million Americans have osteoporosis, and 50,000 people die each year because of it.

Yet, most of us know little about protecting ourselves from this disease.

Osteoporosis results in more than 1 million hip, spine and wrist fractures annually. This disorder affects nearly one-half of postmenopausal women, the largest group at high risk for osteoporosis.

Research in osteoporosis, the disorder in which progressive bone loss results in increased risk of fracture, is making important new advances. A key factor in this success has been the availability of new and improved equipment to measure bone density.

Using a bone densitometer, physicians can measure patient bone density and follow it over time. If the patient's bone density is low, or decreases at an abnormally fast rate, the patient may be at risk for osteoporosis. Through changes in diet, exercise habits and/or medication, further deterioration of bone can be prevented. A new bone densitometer was recently installed at Bloomfield Radiological Center, 256 Liberty St.

"The DPX-IQ bone densitometer measures the density of the spine, hip and other bones which are the most frequent sites of fracture," explained Dr. Marianne

Centanni, director of the Osteoporosis Center at Bloomfield Radiological Center.

"Until now, evaluating bone density using conventional x-ray systems did not reveal a potential problem until a patient had lost 25-30 percent of her bone density. Now, in just a few minutes, this highly sensitive densitometer helps us identify risk at a much earlier stage. It can also evaluate response to treatment so that we know whether our therapy is effective or if we need to modify our approach," she said.

"Fortunately," Dr. Centanni said, "recent research findings clarify the nature of the disease, and demonstrate the effectiveness of new treatments. New diagnostic devices, such as the DPX-IQ densitometer, improve the early detection and treatment of osteoporosis."

Dr. Centanni encourages individuals to visit the facility and be evaluated for a bone density examination.

"There is no special preparation involved for the patient, the exam only takes a few minutes and is a very comfortable procedure for the patient," she said.

Further information regarding osteoporosis, risk factors and bone density measurement may be obtained by contacting Dr. Centanni at 748-7799.

OSTEOPOROSIS: THE CHALLENGE TO MIDLIFE & OLDER WOMEN

Osteoporosis begins to take its toll before most women are aware of it. Unfortunately, most women find out they have osteoporosis when it's too late - usually after a fracture, loss of height or curvature of the spine has already occurred. The greatest tragedy is that for many women this costly disease is preventable and treatable.

What is Osteoporosis?
Osteoporosis or "fragile bone" disease is a silent underlying condition affecting some 25 million Americans, most of them women. All of us lose some bone as we age, but some people with osteoporosis lose an excessive amount. Their bones become fragile and weak to the point where even a minor fall can result in fracture.

Is Osteoporosis a special problem for women?
Yes it is.

- Some 25 million Americans, 80% of them older women, suffer from osteoporosis. It is also affecting men in increasing numbers.
- A woman's risk for hip fracture alone is equal to the combined risk of developing breast, uterine and ovarian cancer.
- Half of all Caucasian women over 50 will experience at least one osteoporosis-related fracture of the spine, wrist, hip or other bones in their lifetime.
- A woman's frequency of hip fracture, three times that of a man's, is more serious than most of us realize. One hip fracture alone can total more than \$30,000 in direct medical costs. Half of those affected lose the ability to walk independently. Within a year, up to 20% of hip fracture patients die from fracture - or surgery related conditions.

Can I find out if I have Osteoporosis?
Yes! Call Dr. Marianne Centanni at Bloomfield Radiological Center - 201-748-7799 for more information or to be tested for osteoporosis with just installed, State of the Art detection equipment.



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Meetings...

Tri-County Camera Club, 8 p.m. Tuesdays, through May, Nutley Museum, 65 Church St. Visitors welcome. **Apr. 2:** prints and color slides; **Apr. 9:** nature; **Apr. 16** program "Seasons."

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Gratia #751. **April 21:** business meeting.

Bloomfield Columbiettes, 7:30 p.m. April 23, K of C Council, 190 State St. Nomination of officers. Details of state convention.

Franklin Middle School, Nutley, PTO meeting 7 p.m. **May 1;** 8th grade party meeting (parents only) **May 12 and 21.** Mandatory attendance; 8th grade party **June 8**, Kings Court; 6th grade parent orientation, **May 4.**

Belleville High School Vocational Advisory Council, 7 p.m., teachers' lounge, first floor, BHIS, 100 Passaic Ave., **May 14, June 11.**

Nutley AARP #2052, April 22: trip to Bally's, Atlantic City, buffet lunch, coin return \$12.50. \$35; **May 13:** "Enter Laughing" and dinner, Hunterton Hills Playhouse. \$42; **May 21:** installation dinner, Fairmont, Little Falls. \$18; **June 25:** show, dinner family style, Jefferson House Restaurant, Jefferson, N.Y. \$49.

Nutley Unit 70 American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m. second Mondays.

Nutley Jr. Women's Club, 8 p.m. first Mondays, (except July and August), Vreeland House, 216 Chestnut St. (next to police station). Refreshments. Seeking new members, ages 18-40, interested in community service. Call 667-7832 for info.

Ladies Auxiliary, Miles A. Suarez Post 711, VFW, 8 p.m. second Thursdays, post home, 369 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield.

Woman's Club of Belleville, 7:30 p.m. second Mondays, clubhouse, 51 Rossmore Place.

St. Peter's Rosary Society, 7:30 p.m. first Monday after first Sunday, St. Peter's School cafeteria. All women of the parish invited.

Essex County Federation of Sportsmen's Club, 8:30 p.m. first Tuesdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St.

Belleville Kiwanis Club, 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, Gondola Restaurant, Franklin Ave., Nutley. Call Nino Bucciarelli at 751-2110 or Vince Sorrentino at 759-6475 for info.

Bloomfield High School Alumni Association, 7:30 p.m. third Wednesdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St.

Bloomfield Kiwanis Club, noon Thursdays, Forest Hill Field Club, Bloomfield. For information, call Dr. Carl J. Schopfer, M.D., at 743-7777.

Montclair Camera Guild, 8 p.m. second and fourth Thursdays, United Methodist Church, 24 North Fullerton Ave., Montclair. For info, call Joan at 743-7020 or Karen at 783-3619.

Monday Night Writers, 8 to 9:30 p.m. second Mondays, Starbucks, 572 Valley Road, Upper Montclair. All writers of poetry, fiction, articles welcome. Share your work with other local artists.

Belleville Rotary Club, noon, Wednesdays, Clara Maass Medical Center Founders Room. Call Frank Cozzarelli at 751-4104 for information.

Court Sancta Maria, Catholic Daughters of America, 7:30 p.m. second Tuesdays, Knights of Columbus, Bridge St., Belleville.

Nutley Amvets Auxiliary, Post 30, 6:30 p.m. first Tuesdays except July and August, 184 Park Ave.

Belleville Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, Three Guys from Italy Restaurant. For info, call Emil Nardachone at 450-8883 or Gabe Nazziola at 997-2121.

Lions Club auxiliary, 7 p.m. first Thursdays except July and August, dinner meeting at Backstreet Gourmet, Nutley. New members welcome. Call Louise at 661-2906.

Tri Town Business & Professional Women's Club, Inc. of Belleville, Bloomfield and Nutley, monthly dinner meetings fourth Thursdays, Riverside Chalet, Lyndhurst. New members welcome. For info, call Anna Ricciardelli at 939-2960.

Nutley Veterans' Council, 7:30 p.m. third Wednesdays, VFW Post #493, Washington Ave.

Clara Maass Auxiliary, 7 p.m. fourth Tuesdays, Belleville Founders Room, Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. New members invited. For info, call 450-2150.

Fairs, flea markets, rummage...

Parish garage sale, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 19, St. Mary's School gym, 16 Msgr. Owens Place, Nutley. Cash and carry dressers, desks, head/foot-boards, memorabilia, lots more.

Giant outdoor flea market, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 19, Sacred Heart School parking lot, 683 Bloomfield Ave., Bloomfield (by Willie's Diner). Over 75 dealers. Bloomfield UNICO fundraiser.

Annual Red Cross Street Fair, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. April 20, along Franklin Ave., Nutley. Kiddie rides, live entertainment, international foods, crafts, over 150 dealers. Rain date: April 27.

Rummage sale, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 26, St. Paul's Church, Franklin Ave., Nutley (between High and Kingsland streets). Furniture and everything else. \$2 bag sale 2 to 3 p.m.

Garage sale, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 3, 115 Bloomfield Ave. and Route 23, Verona. To benefit Mountainside Hospital Auxiliary. Indoors, no rain date. Cash only. No early birds. Free parking. Toys, typewriters, office desks, filing cabinets, small appliances, and more.

Indoor, outdoor flea market, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 4, Belleville High School, 100 Passaic Ave. (off Joralemon St.). Over 100 vendors. Sponsored by BASE.

Used book sale, May 15 to 18, Lacordaire Academy, Upper Montclair. Donations of books, records, video or audio cassettes or sheet music welcome. For pickup, call Mike at 773-3655 or John at 751-7987.

Flea market, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. May 17 Sacred Heart Basilica-Cathedral, Newark. Indoors (our table-\$12); outdoors (your table-\$15). For space, call 484-4600.

New View Thrift Shop at Christ Episcopal Church, 74 Park Ave., Bloomfield, 2nd floor, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesdays; 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturdays. Consignments accepted 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesdays. For info, call 743-0399.

Treasure Chest at Cerebral Palsy Center, Belleville, open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, through June. New and nearly new jewelry, art work, clothes, furniture and much more.

Bloomfield Presbyterian Church Thrift Shop on the Green, spring and summer fashions out now, 147 Broad St. Wed. and Fri. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m. to noon.

Fundraisers...

Lobby sales at St. Mary's Hospital: **April 18:** leather handbags and accessories; **April 23:** silver jewelry; **April 25:** cosmetics; **April 30:** 14K gold jewelry.

Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. April 17, Woman's Club of Nutley, 216 Chestnut St. \$5.50. Salad, baked ham, macaroni and cheese, vegetable, roll/butter, dessert, coffee, tea. Reservations to 667-7120, 667-0211 or 667-1161. Sponsored by Evening Membership Dept.

Chinese auction, 7 p.m. April 18, St. Valentine's Church hall, Bloomfield. \$5. Sponsored by Altar-Rosary Sodality. For tickets, call Delores Vahalla at 338-8403 or Claire Graziano at 338-5414. To donate money or gifts, call Rita Lynch at 743-9691 or Madeline Bulkowski at 748-1491.

Fish and chips dinner, by Argyle of Kearny, 5 to 6:30 p.m. April 18, St. Peter's cafeteria, 152 William St., Belleville. Takeout 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Sponsored by Rosary Confraternity. For tickets at \$8, call the rectory at 751-2002, 751-4729 or 751-1387.

10th annual scholarship dinner dance, 7 to 11:30 p.m. April 19, Branch Brook Manor, 13 Washington Ave., Belleville. Sponsored by Concerned Citizens of Belleville. Full course family style dinner, unlimited beer, wine, soda. For tickets, call Joe at 759-0724, Phyllis at 759-4111 or Florence at 751-3821.

Tricky tray, with fashion show by Fashion Bug, 6 p.m. April 24, Sacred Heart School, Bloomfield. \$10 includes tickets, light food and refreshments. For tickets, call Donna Averna at 743-1883. No tickets at the door.

"The Wizard of Oz" by the Roche Players, Nutley High School, 300 Franklin Ave. 7:30 p.m. April 25, 26, May 2, 3; 3 p.m. April 27, April 30. \$10 adults, \$8 senior citizens. Proceeds to Community Health Services of Belleville, Nutley and Bloomfield, SERV Foundation, Inc. and Starfish Foundation for Children with AIDS. For more info, call 235-5200.

Chinese auction, 6:30 p.m. April 26, Belleville Reformed Church, Main and Rutgers streets. For info and tickets, call 759-4039 or 751-2262.

Spring event, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 26, Watchung Presbyterian Church, 375 Watchung Ave., Bloomfield. Home baked goods, homemade candy, crafts, light lunch of hot dogs, chips and soda and coffee served 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. For info, call 338-4050.

Dinner fashion show, 6:30 p.m. April 29, Mayfair Farms, West Orange. Sponsored by Columbus Hospital Woman's Auxiliary. \$40. Sit-down dinner and fashion show by New York designer Debra Van Horn. For info or reservations, call 268-1409 or 268-1473.

Fashion show/dinner, 7 p.m. May 1, Chandelier Restaurant, Belleville. Sponsored by Belleville School 3. \$25. For tickets, call 751-0028 or 450-3530.

Bus ride to "Victor, Victoria," May 1. Bus leaves Belleville High School at 5:30 p.m. \$70 includes orchestra seat plus bus. Sponsored by Woman's Club of Belleville. For reservations or info, call Loretta at 751-4353.

Fish and chips dinner, 5 to 7 p.m. May 3, Park United Methodist Church, Broad and Park streets, Bloomfield. Homemade desserts. Adults \$9; kids \$5. Takeouts available. Call 338-9166 or 429-7745. Sponsored by United Methodist Men.

Fabulous 50s dance, 8 p.m. to midnight, May 3, the new Bloomfield Elks, 296 Bloomfield Ave. Hot buffet, beer, soda, coffee, dessert, dancing, games and prizes, music by D.J. Dave of Party People. Hosted by Elks Auxiliary. \$22 until April 26; \$30 after April 26. For tickets, call Rose at 743-0055 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or Gail at 748-8223 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Nutley House Tour '97, 1 to 5 p.m. May 4. Proceeds to benefit Nutley Red Cross and Nutley Historical Society. \$12 in advance; \$15 at the event. For tickets, checks payable to Nutley House Tour to Ken Reilly, 36 Clement St., Nutley, 07110; also available at Red Cross, 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Registration and map distribution day of tour at Nutley Museum, 65 Church St.

"Set the Night to Music" tricky tray and dinner, 6 p.m. May 9, Essex Manor, Bloomfield. Full dinner, door prizes, tickets and more. For tickets and basket or monetary donations, call Nancy Weinstein at 667-4543, Chris Osieja at 667-6715, Madeline Cucuzza at 661-2333, Barbara Gumeny at 661-2339 or Maureen Callahan at 661-5284. Sponsored by Franklin Middle School, Nutley.

Annual Tricky Tray, 7 p.m. May 15, Branch Brook Manor, Washington Ave. and Mill St., Belleville. Zita dinner with meatballs, salad, coffee and ice cream. \$15. Call Nino at 751-2110, Vince at 759-6475 or Dom at 661-1112. Sponsored by Belleville Kiwanis.

Carnival, 5 to 10 p.m. May 15, 16; 5 to 10 p.m. May 17; 3 to 7 p.m. May 18, St. Peter's Church, 152 William St., Belleville. Games, food, prizes and lots more.

Weekly luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fridays, Glen Ridge

Congregational Church, 195 Ridgewood Ave. \$6. Open to the public. For reservations, call 743-5596.

42 Dining Out booklets, to benefit Van Riper Trust. \$10. Call 235-9461.

NHS Project Graduation '97. Support Project Graduation by shopping at any ShopRite with ShopRite gift certificates. Available in various denominations. To purchase certificates, call Mary Kish at 661-4316, Dotti Giubilo at 661-1238 or JoAnne Puccio at 235-0483.

Entertainment '97 discount books, \$40. Van Riper Trust, 235-9461. Books also available for other states; Mt. Pleasant Animal Shelter, 386-0590. All zones available.; Nutley Elks Lodge, 667-9035; Sisterhood of Congregation Ahavath Achim, 759-9394; Nutley Lions Auxiliary, 667-2388 or 667-3440; St. Mary's Hospital Guild, in the gift shop at St. Mary's Hospital, 211 Pennington Ave., Passaic.

Dining Guide Savings Certificates covering Essex/Hudson/Morris/Sussex counties, now on sale for \$15. To benefit Van Riper Trust. For info, call 235-9461.

Other events...

Free health screenings, Montclair Community Hospital, 120 Harrison Ave. Appointments mandatory. Call 744-7300, ext. 4296, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday. Volunteers needed for Outreach program. Call Marie Oropollo at 746-4644 after 2:30 p.m. **April 19:** skin cancer, foot problems; **April 26:** hearing.

MS Walk to benefit National MS Society's Greater North Jersey Chapter, April 20 in Montclair and eight other locations. To register, call 261-WALK.

Concert by Bloomfield Civic Band and Civic Chorus, 3 p.m. April 20, Bloomfield Middle School, Huck Road. "Pirates from Penzance," "Les Miserables," "Candide Overture" and more. \$3 at the door. For info, call 338-8140.

Annual community night, sponsored by Junior League of Montclair-Newark, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. April 30, Mountainside Hospital School of Nursing, Glen Ridge/Montclair. For info on the League and its programs for helping children at risk, call 746-2499.

Belleville UNICO high school awards breakfast, scholarship, athletic and ACES, 9 a.m. June 8, Branch Brook Manor, 13 Washington Ave., Belleville. \$25. For tickets, call Gene Antonio at 759-8111.

Volunteers needed for Wheel-A-Thon '97, sponsored by Cerebral Palsy Center, June 8 at Brookdale Park, Bloomfield. Volunteers needed for registration, set-up and clean-up. For info, call 751-0200.

29th annual Canadian pilgrimage, sponsored by Bloomfield K of C and Columbiettes, Aug. 4 to Aug. 9. \$365, double occupancy. For info or reservations, call Rose Ruffalo at 743-8688.

Lake George and Montreal Casino, 5 days, 4 nights June 15-19. \$359 double occupancy. Sponsored by Monday Watsessing Seniors. For info, call 743-5642.

Free yoga classes, 5 to 5:30 p.m. first Mondays, Masonic Temple, 126 Joralemon St., Belleville. Donations welcome. For information, call 227-3914 or 405-1240.

Walking and Fitness Club, 8 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, rain or shine, Nutley Chapter, American Red Cross. No cost. Call 667-3818.

Weekly bridge games, 12 noon, Tuesdays and 7:30 p.m. Fridays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St. .

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Wanted: Memorabilia of the Van Riper House, River Road, Nutley. Call Marie Greiner at 235-9461.

WIC program in Nutley, supplemental food program for women, infants and children, again being administered in Nutley. Third Tuesdays. Appointments necessary. For info and appointments, call the Nutley Red Cross at 667-3818 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

Nutley Historical Society Museum, 65 Church St., now open 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays, 2 to 4 p.m. Sundays. For info, call 667-1528.

Support groups...

Narcotics Anonymous meeting list: **BELLEVILLE:** Monday, 8 p.m., Fewsmith Presbyterian Church, Union Ave. and Little St. Open/book/discussion meeting; **Tuesday, 8 p.m.**, Clara Maass Medical Center, 1 Franklin Ave., Branch Brook Room, Education Center. Men's meeting. Open/discussion; **Thursday, 8 p.m.**, Fewsmith Presbyterian Church, Union Ave. and Little St. Open/topic/discussion meeting; **Friday, 8 p.m.**, St. Peter's Church, rear basement, Williams St. Open/discussion. **NUTLEY:** Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Franklin Reformed Church, Hillside Crescent. Open/meditation/discussion; **Monday, 7:30 p.m.**, St. Paul's Congregational Church, Franklin Ave. and St. Paul's Place. Closed/speaker/discussion meeting. Open to addicts and those who think they have a problem with drugs; **Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.**, Grace Episcopal Church, 200 Highfield Lane. Women's meeting. Topic meeting/open discussion; **Wednesday, 8 p.m.**, Grace Episcopal Church. Closed/speaker/discussion. Open to addicts and those who think they have a problem with drugs; **Friday, 7:45 p.m.**, Franklin Reformed Church, Hillside Crescent. Women's meeting. Open/discussion.

Gamblers Anonymous, 8 p.m. Mondays, 8:30 p.m. Fridays, St. Paul's Congregational Church, Franklin Ave. and St. Paul's Place, Nutley, 3rd floor. Meetings open to anyone with a gambling problem or those who think they might have a problem. Topic/therapy; **8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 8:30 p.m. Thursdays**, Bethany United Presbyterian Church, 293 West Passaic Ave., Bloomfield. For info on any group, call 1-800-GA-LIVES.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m. Mondays, St. Mary's Church basement, Msgr. Owens Place, Nutley; **8:30 p.m. Tuesdays**, Christ Church, 74 Park Ave., Bloomfield/Glen Ridge (Gay); **9 p.m. Tuesdays**, Vincent United Methodist Church, 100 Vincent Place, Nutley (behind public library); Glen Ridge Congregational Church, 195 Ridgewood Ave., Glen Ridge; **7:30 p.m. Wednesdays**, 3rd floor, St. Paul's Congregational Church, Franklin Ave. and St. Paul's Place, Nutley; **9 p.m. Fridays**, Grace Episcopal Church, 200 Highfield Lane, Nutley; **9 p.m. Saturdays**, Christ Church, 74 Park Ave., Bloomfield/Glen Ridge.

Events in the area

Support groups...

Friends for Life, for oncology patients, family and friends, 6:30 p.m. first and third Wednesdays, Branch Brook room, Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. For info, call Ann Shafte or Donna Rainone at 450-2210.

Overeaters Anonymous, self-help group for compulsive overeaters or people with eating disorders, Tuesdays, Presbyterian Church on the Green Parish House, Broad St., Bloomfield (7:30 to 9 p.m.); **Wednesdays**, Christ Church, Park and Bloomfield avenues (opposite Grand Union), Bloomfield/Glen Ridge (8 p.m.). For more information, call 746-4658; **Fridays**, Grace Episcopal Church, 200 Highfield Lane, Nutley (7:30 p.m.)

Bereavement Support Group, 7:30 p.m. 2nd Monday, Parish Center, St. Mary's Church, 145 St. Mary's Place, Nutley. For more info, call 235-1100.

Living With Cancer, for cancer patients and their families, 7 to 8:30 p.m. second and fourth Wednesdays, waiting area of Radiation Oncology Dept., Mountinside Hospital, Glen Ridge/Montclair. 429-6905 or 429-6128.

Parkinson Support Group, 10 a.m. third Saturdays, private dining room, Mountinside Hospital, Glen Ridge/Montclair. Exercise and speech therapy groups meet weekly as well as monthly meetings for caregivers. Call Dot at 228-1616 for information.

Arthritis Foundation Support Group, 7 p.m. Tuesdays, Montclair Community Hospital, 120 Harrison St. For info, call 744-7300, ext. 4312.

Adult Bereavement Group, The Hospice, Inc., 3 High St., Glen Ridge. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Wednesdays (10 weeks only); **Circle of Comfort**, 7 p.m. alternating Mondays (for parents who have experienced the loss of a child); **Caregiver's Group**, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Fridays.

Depression/Manic Depression 12 Step Program support group, Thursdays, 7:30 p.m., St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 73 South Fullerton Ave., Montclair (near Montclair Public Library). Enter in the back of the church and to the right. Meeting is in second floor conference room. For more information, call the New Jersey Self-Help Clearinghouse at 1-800-367-6274.

PFLAG, Northern New Jersey Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, 2:30 p.m. second Sundays, First Trinity and Presbyterian Church, corner of Irvington and South Orange avenues, South Orange. Newcomers: 1:30 p.m. Write: P.O. Box 244, Belleville 07109-0244 or call 267-8414.

SHARE, a support group for learning to accept and resolve pregnancy or infant loss, 7:30 to 9 p.m. first Wednesdays, Schering-Plough #1 Conference Room, Mountinside Hospital, Glen Ridge/Montclair. No fee. If you plan to attend or for additional info, call Linda LeCompte, R.N., 429-6936.

Asthma education program for children, ages 6 through 14, two-part program on second and fourth Wednesdays, 4 to 5:30 p.m., Mountinside Hospital, Glen Ridge/Montclair. \$40 fee includes educational sessions, metered dose inhaler chamber, peak flow meter, diary forms, educational materials. To register or for more info, call Respiratory Care Dept. at 429-6180.

Essex County Epilepsy Support Group, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. first Mondays, Elks Lodge, 296 Bloomfield Ave., Bloomfield. For more info, call Una at 744-8944, or Isabel at 429-8168.

American Cancer Society support groups. Stress reduction and guided imagery and relaxation through music, 1:30 p.m. Fridays, 428 Franklin Ave., Nutley. Open to the community. For info, call 667-1613 or Manny Pena-Perich at 736-7770; Make Today Count, for patients, family and friends, third Tuesdays, and New Beginnings, for breast cancer patients, Essex Oncology Group, 36 Newark Ave., Suite 304, Belleville, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Light refreshments. Call 751-5757 to register; E-CAP support group, open to all cancer patients, techniques of visualization, meditation, stress reduction, discussion period, 1 to 3 p.m. Fridays, 363 Centre St., Nutley. To register, call Mary Jo Dell'Orto at 667-1613.

Northern N.J. Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), 6 to 8 p.m. first Thursdays, Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation, Pleasant Valley Way, West Orange. For ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) patients, families, friends. For info, call 731-3900, ext. 2372.

Lupus Foundation, Essex County branch, 7:30 p.m. second Tuesdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St. For info, call 791-7868.

Alzheimer's Support Groups, 7 p.m. first Thursdays, Adult Medical Day Care, Continuing Care Center building, Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Concurrent activities program for those with Alzheimer's to alleviate caregiving responsibilities. For info and registration, call 450-2941 or 450-2213; **OR** 2 p.m. fourth Thursdays, Meadowlands Hospital Medical Center, Secaucus. For info and registration, call 392-3206 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays; **OR** 7 p.m. last Tuesdays, Congregation Oheb Shalom, 170 Scotland Rd., South Orange. For info, call 678-9700.

Rainbows For All Children, a peer support program for children and teens grieving from divorce, death, separation or abandonment and living in single-parent or stepfamily homes. For info, call 783-5469.

S.M.A.R.T. Recovery self-help program for alcohol or drug problems, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesdays, 56 Broad St., Suite 5, Bloomfield. Free. For info, call 625-1174.

Separated and Divorced, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Fridays, Youth Room, St. Peter's Church, 155 William St. Belleville. Park in lot on Bridge Street

Mr. and Mrs. John Thaller celebrate 50 golden years

Mr. and Mrs. John Thaller of Springfield, Pa., formerly of Belleville, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary April 13 at an open house for their neighbors.

Mrs. Thaller is the former Frances Zadyak. The couple lived on Beech Street for over 20 years. Mr. Thaller was employed by Bell

Telephone.

They have three children, Dr. Frances June Lapinski of Jamestown, New York, John S. Thaller, Jr. of Cincinnati, Ohio and Gary Thaller of Pueblo, Colorado, and four grandchildren, Alicia and Trevor Thaller and Diane and Joelle Thaller.

Volunteers sought for hospice program

JerseyCare Hospice, a division of Clara Maass Medical Center, is seeking men and women to volunteer in a Hospice program to ease the burdens of terminally-ill patients and their families. Volunteers will be trained to visit clients at home and occasionally in other settings to provide continuous support, companionship, necessary relief and recreational diversion.

Volunteers work closely with home health care nurses, social workers and aides from JerseyCare to provide optimum service for clients. Adults selected for the program will undergo a special training course to prepare them to provide counseling, companionship, home keeping activities and bereavement support.

Interested candidates must be 18 years of age or older. They must be compassionate and caring and have good communication skills. Potential volunteers may not apply for one year following the loss of a loved one.

"This program will provide the volunteer with an opportunity to work closely with a team of profes-

sionals who are committed to quality life in the midst of illness. The volunteer can expect to learn useful skills and to experience the satisfaction that comes from working in an intimate relationship," said Marlene French, volunteer manager at Clara Maass.

In 1996, volunteers donated more than 53,000 hours of service to Clara Maass Medical Center and its divisions.

Clara Maass Medical Center, a division of Clara Maass Health System, provides an unparalleled continuum of care to the residents of northern New Jersey. Located in Belleville, Clara Maass offers acute-care services through the Continuing Care Center at Belleville; assisted living and long-term care at the Continuing Care Center at Kearny; home care and hospice services through JerseyCare Home Health and Hospice; and diagnostic radiology services through the Progressive Imaging Center.

For more information or an application for the volunteer program, call the Clara Maass Volunteer Office at 450-2150.

and use the school entrance in the corner near the fire escape. For more info, call Father Bob at 751-2002.

Life After Loss, a support group for those in mourning, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Essex Oncology Group, 36 Newark Ave., Suite 304, Belleville. Sponsored in conjunction with American Cancer Society, Essex Unit. To register, call Denise Johnstone at 751-5757.

Parents who have lost a child, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Mondays, The Hospice, Inc., 3 High St., Glen Ridge. To register, call 429-0300. Also forming, parent/children's, and adult bereavement groups. No charge.

Panic and anxiety, 7 p.m. Thursdays, Nutley location. Learn techniques to overcome your limitations. Weekly group fee: \$15. Call Judy at (908) 937-4832 for info.

Sexual Recovery Anonymous, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, St. Peter's Church, 155 William St., Belleville. A 12-step program for men and women who suffer from compulsive, obsessive sexual behavior. You are not alone. For info, call 485-8294.

Compassionate Friends, for parents whose children have died, 7:30 p.m. third Mondays, St. Joseph Center, Holy Family Church, 28 Brookline Ave., Nutley. For info, call Gina Tamburri at 751-4187.

Our Other Place, for persons with HIV/AIDS and their significant others, 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays, St. James Episcopal Church, 2nd floor parish hall, Valley Road and Bellevue Ave., Upper Montclair. Facilitated by trained COPE Center staff. Confidentiality guaranteed. For info, call; Ilene Palent or Quinton John Clough at 783-6655.

Caregivers of terminally ill or catastrophic patients, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Fridays, The Center for Hospice Care, Inc., 3 High St., Glen Ridge. For details and registration, call Margaret Mattson at 429-0300.

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, parent support group, 7 p.m. third Mondays, Vincent United Methodist Church, Vincent Place, Nutley. For more info, call 661-2997.

Bereavement group for anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one, 7:30 p.m. Mondays, St. Peter's Parish, 155 William St., Belleville. For info on this group or one that meets during the day, call Betty Valdares at 751-2002.

Families Anonymous, for families of drug-addicted children (many now adults), 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Holy Spirit Episcopal Church, Gould Place, Verona (off Bloomfield Ave. at fire house. For info, call David Dashner at 667-1742.



Robert James Masucci

A first child, a son, Robert James, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Masucci of Belleville March 31 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mrs. Masucci is the former Giovanna Mallozzi, daughter of John and Virginia Mallozzi of Belleville. She is a secretary at Clara Maass. Mr. Masucci, son of Beverly Paglialonga of Clifton and the late Ralph Masucci, is an operator with Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, Newark.

Stephanie Marie Ragucci

A second child, a daughter, Stephanie Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steven Ragucci of Belleville March 31 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 7 pounds, 7 ounces. She joins Nicole, 8.

Mrs. Ragucci is the former Doreen Berardi, daughter of Carmella Berardi of Belleville. She is in accounts payable. Mr. Ragucci, son of Gene Ragucci of Belleville, is a contractor.

Hospice volunteers recognized for service

Six Belleville residents are being recognized for providing services to terminally ill patients and their families under the auspices of The Hospice Division of The Center for Hospice Care, Inc., during 1996.

They include Nancy Tronio, Clara Creditor, Gail Sherman, Deborah Brudnak, Jane Rauth and Mary Dzurrisson.

"Our volunteers are the heart of Hospice," said Lorraine Sciara, president and chief executive officer. "They are our good-will ambassadors, doing all those things that patients and families need in

critical situations, whether it be shopping, listening, feeding, spiritual sustenance or just plain companionship.

"You really can't put a value on any of these things, but no one knows better than our professional staff just how much volunteers enhance our ability to meet the needs of our patients and families."

New volunteer training classes are constantly being organized and those interested in exploring this type of service are invited to contact Hospice at 429-0300 for more information.



ANNIE is a friendly, one-year-old, sandy-colored Airedale mix who will remind you of Sandy in the comic strips and on the Broadway stage. She weighs about 40 pounds, is spayed and vaccinated, playful and affectionate. She was rescued from a shelter where her fate was unsure. Annie and other dogs and cats will be up for adoption 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 19 at the **PETSMART store, 1022 Route 22 East at West End Ave., North Plainfield**. To adopt, foster or for more information, call People for Animals at (908) 688-1073.

Class reunions...

Belleville Class of 1947, seeking alumni for 50th reunion. Call (908) 381-1846, 759-4923, or write BHS Reunion, c/o Audrey Todd Skribner, (908) 381-1846, or Alison Pitman Bogert, 759-4923.

Belleville Class of 1982, organizing 15-year reunion picnic for this summer. For info, call Donald Flynn at 667-6718 or Maryjo Capitti at 751-5766.

Belleville Class of 1952, Oct. 19, Crystal Point Yacht Club, Pt. Pleasant. For reservations or more info, call Mildred at (908) 506-0019 or Lynn at 239-8399.

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Winner's name and correct answers will be published in next week's edition.

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Movie Trivia Contest #48

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1. In "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner," what was the daughter's character's name?

2. Let's see how observant you are on this one. In the original "Jaws," what song was on the radio during the beach scene just before the little boy was attacked on the raft.

3. In "Ghost," how was Karl killed?

4. What N.B.A. player had a cameo appearance in the 1992 movie "Singles?"

5. In the last "Rocky" movie, what was Tommy Morrison's character's name?

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Mail this completed entry to Orechio Publications, 800 Bloomfield Ave., Nutley, NJ 07110 att: Movie Trivia Contest, or fax it to (201) 667-3904.

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Frank Lloyd Wright
2. Jeopardy
3. Did you check the children?
4. Jamie Lee Curtis
5. Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor

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HOROSCOPES

April 20-26

PISCES - Feb 19/March 20

Your compassion will be called on by loved ones this week. Help them calm down, and try to boost their spirits. They've always been there for you. A close friend will bring you good news at the end of the week. It will give you an optimistic outlook on life.

ARIES - March 21/April 20

Your ability to get straight to the point will serve you well at work this week. Your supervisors want to solve a problem, not beat around the bush. You'll be in control when it comes to romance. Express your true feelings for a close friend, and he or she will reciprocate. Leo is involved.

TAURUS - April 21/May 21

Your stubborn nature will work to your advantage at work in the middle of the week. While others look for a quick fix, you'll hold out until a long-term solution is found, getting you recognized by the higher-ups. A close friend will need your help this week. Be supportive, and help out.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Friends will look to you to lead the way this week. They'll ask you to plan an outing for the whole group. While you're not used to the role of leader, take this opportunity to break the monotony. You know you want to. Work will seem boring early in the week, but enjoy it while it lasts. It will be crazy before the week's end.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

You certainly will earn the title of "The Crab" this week. Everything will seem to get on your nerves. Try to remain calm, and don't take out your frustrations on co-workers. Go out to lunch, instead of eating in the office, and try not to work too late. Meeting some friends after work will help ease your tension.

LEO - July 23/August 23

Get to the heart of family matters this week. Talk to loved ones, and find out what's wrong. Don't let your pride get in the way of getting to the bottom of things. However, you shouldn't let family affairs affect you at work. Superiors will be considering you for a promotion.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Be wary when a co-worker asks to borrow money from you, because you'll need to make a large purchase before the end of the week. Is he or she reliable? A close friend will be there for you in your time of need. Don't be afraid to confide in him or her. He or she has your best interest at heart.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Work will go by quickly this week, because you'll be busy working on a new and interesting project. Enjoy it, but don't forget to take some time for yourself. Let your enthusiasm for your job flow over into your personal life. Share your excitement with friends and loved ones.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Love plays an important role in your life this week. You meet someone whom you can't get off of your mind. Instead of daydreaming about him or her, make a move. Ask him or her out, and you'll find that you won't be disappointed.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Be brave at work in the middle of the week. You'll think that there's a conspiracy against you, because everything will go wrong. Don't get discouraged. You're just going through a bad time; it too shall pass. Your family life will make up for it. You'll have a great time with loved ones this week.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

A close friend will be the bright spot in your life this week. You'll be happier than you have been in a long time, and everything will seem to go right. It even will make work easier. You won't get frustrated by workplace politics, and the week will fly by.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

You'll have your freedom at work this week. Your superiors will give you free reign over an important project, and it's your time to shine. Your analytical mind will help you make the best decisions. Pisces is involved.

REMEMBRANCE



Harmony group 'Remembrance' to play in Bloomfield

By Kelly Tahaney

Remembrance hails from North Jersey and was formed in Secaucus in April, 1994.

Their material consists of tight harmonies and a very natural high lead.

In the short time the group has been together they have performed for many clubs and shows, such as Burnstead's Cafe (Clifton); Welcome Home (Wayne); Lead East Oldies Competition, United in Group Harmony Association and won Rookie Group of the Year Award, United in Group Harmony Association.

The Hop, (E. Rutherford); Grand Re-Opening with Johnny Maestro and Cousin Bruce with a live broadcast on WCBS-FM, Ellen's Stardust Diner (NYC);

Party at "Grease" (NYC); South Beach (Staten Island), opened for the Elegants with special guest Mayor Giuliani, CTV (Cable TV in Staten Island), New Jersey Spotlight (Cable TV), two original jingles for Don K. Reed's Doo Wop Shop on CBS-FM and benefits for the American Cancer Society and Multiple Sclerosis.

Remembrance has also released two original songs with music available on CD and cassette on their own record label.

To purchase a CD, cassette or bookings call Jimmie Cee at (201) 893-9560 or Tony 223-5562 (CDs are \$5 and cassettes are \$4).

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And July 12 they open for Vogues (60's group) in Bloomfield.

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BUG SHOTS

By Mike Lamberti



200 pay homage to Coach Senesky

Family and friends gathered at the Chandelier last Friday to say thank you to former Buccaneer football coach John Senesky for his 29 years of service as a coach in the program.

Having been a member of the committee that put this dinner together, I have plenty of people I would like to thank.

First and foremost, a special accolade has to go to former Belleville football player Al Best.

Al played varsity football in the mid 1980's. He has since gone on to a very successful career in the film/video business. He puts together videos for some of the Fortune 500 companies and travels throughout the world.

When Al found out about our dinner a few months ago, he wanted to help in any way he could. It was because of Al's respect and gratitude to Senesky that he put together a video about John, with interviews from former players, coaches and friends. Mixed in were film clips of some of the top moments from the past 20 years of Belleville football.

The video lasted about 15 minutes and was the prelude to Senesky giving his speech.

Needless to say, it was well received by the 200 people in the audience and touched Senesky a great deal. It's something that John will always treasure and I'm sure he'll be putting the tape in his V.C.R. on a frequent basis in the months and years to come.

While the tape was 15 minutes long, the actual process of interviewing everyone and editing the video took at least 12 hours of Al's time. The interviews were conducted in late March and took about seven hours on a Saturday morning. It turned out to be a class reunion of sorts, with guys like Mike Nicosia, Frank Fazzini, Russ Pagano and Jerry DiGori reminiscing about some big games in the late 70's.

I would like to thank Al Best for everything he did. He was unable to attend the dinner, due to travel commitments, but his contribution will never be forgotten.

A special note of thanks to Summit football coach Ray McCrann, the former Passaic High School mentor, who came down to Belleville High School on that Saturday to participate in the video interview. Anyone who followed Buccaneer football in the early 80's knows what a great rivalry the Belleville-Passaic series was.

When I called Ray and asked him if he could participate in the video, he didn't hesitate in saying yes.

My committee members, mainly Joe D'Ambola, Gennaro Russo and George Zanfini did a great deal of work.

D'Ambola was the man who first thought up the idea of the dinner. Senesky's assistant coach for 20 seasons, D'Ambola is a unique man, loyal to a fault, and someone who truly loved the kids who played for him. While we said thanks to John at the dinner, let's not forget the contributions Joe made to Belleville football, both as a coach, and as a player in the early 1960's.

Russo gave a great speech at the dinner, telling everyone that Belleville is losing a great coach in Senesky. Like D'Ambola, Russo gave a great deal to the football program, having served as a coach since 1980.

Thanks to Senesky's friend and current Cedar Grove football coach Ed Sadloch for providing some humor and keeping the crowd in stitches with his recounts of Senesky's days at various football camps.

The guest speaker, Harry Flaherty, a former professional football player and today a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, gave a stirring speech of commitment and the importance that John and his wife, Carmela, have had in the spiritual lives of so many, including himself.

John's friend Bill Gorski had the place laughing with some of his memories of Senesky. Another long time friend of John, Warren Ceres, was more emotional, talking about his love for John as a brother and their growing up in Belleville back in the late 50's and 60's.

I would be remiss if I didn't say something special about the Master of Ceremonies, Joe Cervasio.

Joe and John also go back to the high school days and today are still the best of friends. Joe and John are God parents to each others children and were a part of each others wedding.

Joe ran a very lively evening with wit, emotion and some stories of days gone by. Thank you, Joe, for being a friend and for contributing to so much to the evening.

Opposing coaches such as Ed Malloy, Rich SanFillippo, Bill Roca and Joe Zarra were there as well.

Thank you to Belleville Board of Education trustees Tom Fuscaldo and John Notari for sharing the evening with us.

To those trustees who had other things to do that night, you really weren't missed.

Thanks to Mario Drozd, Louise Palagano, Senator John Scott and Assemblyman Paul DiGaetano for their resolutions on Senesky's contributions.

Former players such as Fazzini, DiGori, Nicosia, Frank Kokos, Bob LaBruzza, Ernie Compusano, Rich DeFalco, John Apicella and Sam Fusaro were there, too.

Thanks, especially, to Apicella, for his help in putting the evening together. The entire Apicella family, as usual, was very supportive.

Perhaps it was the words of John Apicella's father, Tom, a Hall of Fame Belleville football player from the 1950's, that best described Senesky.

"He's a gentleman. He taught his kids the right things about not only football, but life. His kids conducted themselves the right way on the football field."

"John Senesky gave so much to this town and to the football program. I'll miss him."

We'll have a photo page on the evening in next week's issue.

Improve record to 3-2-1

Bucs defeat Caldwell, Kennedy

By Mike Lamberti

Following a disappointing loss to Union in its season opener, the Buccaneer baseball team regrouped with three wins last week.

Chuck Martin's team posted victories over Kennedy, Barringer and Caldwell. The team tied Montclair and last Monday, lost a 13-4 decision to Bergen Catholic in a game that was closer than the final score indicated.

The Bucs took a 3-2-1 mark into this week's action. Tomorrow evening, the Bucs take on Bloomfield at 7 p.m. from Foley Field. On Saturday, the team is at Columbia at 11 a.m. and next Monday, they will host Ridgewood, beginning at 4 p.m. Next Wednesday, Nutley comes to town for a 4 p.m. game.

"We got some good wins last week," Martin said. "The kids have to work hard in every game, but if they play without the mistakes, they can be competitive."

Dan Rispoli has played well at

third base for the Bucs, both offensively and in the field.

"We actually benched Danny a game, and he's come back to play well," Martin said. "He has a lot of ability."

In the Barringer game, the Bucs took an early lead and cruised to an impressive victory.

"I'll tell you one thing," Martin said. "Barringer had the best defensive catcher I've seen in four years. Behind the plate and his arm speed, he was incredible."

Versus Caldwell, the Bucs endured a rainy and cold day to post a 13-4 win.

"It seems to be a standard rule, any time we play Caldwell, it rains," Martin said. "No difference this year. The kids hit the ball pretty well."

"The key to the game was defensively. Caldwell hit the ball pretty hard, we just made plays."

Ed Pagan hurled a solid game for the Bucs to lead the way.

"Eddie has pretty much solidified the number one spot in the

pitching rotation," Martin said of Pagan. "We need those types of efforts from him."

Martin has also been pleased with the play of Ricky Roberto, who is in the lead off position in the lineup.

Tom Dyer has been a consistent hitter and has impressed Martin with his leadership.

"Tommy has matured a great deal and has filled a big role on this team," the coach said. "He's hitting well and playing good defense at first base."

In the game against Bergen Catholic last Monday, the Bucs took an early 3-0 lead and trailed powerful B.C. by just one run in the fifth inning, 5-4.

But too many errors in the closing innings proved to be the difference for the Bucs.

"We gave them too many runs," assistant coach George Zanfini said. "Against a team like that, you can't make those mistakes. It's a 5-4 game in the sixth inning and the next thing, we're down eight runs."

Pagan had a key single in the first inning that helped the Bucs take the early lead. A Rich DeFalco single in the fifth cut the B.C. lead to 5-4.

NOTES: Martin noted that this week was going to be a big test for his team. The Bucs, in addition to playing Bergen Catholic, had games schedule with Bloomfield and Caldwell, not to mention what should be a tough game, played yesterday, against Passaic.

The coach is still working on a set outfield.

"Right now, we've got six or seven kids that are of pretty equal talent," he said. "So I'm able to plug holes by using different kids in different situations."

Rotary Club Golf Classic

The Belleville, Nutley and Bloomfield Rotary Clubs will hold their annual Golf Classic on Wednesday, April 23, at Farmstead Golf and Country Club in Andover. A 1:30 p.m. shotgun start is planned.

Money raised from the event will be given to charities and causes of each club's choosing.

A golfer's \$80 donation includes green fees, a cart, prizes, lunch and a dinner buffet. For a \$100 donation, sponsors will have a sign placed by the hole or tee and receive recognition in the program.

The monies raised from last year's outing were used to refurbish a cabin that the Nutley Rotary sponsors at Camp Merry Heart in Hackettstown.

Interested parties are asked to respond as soon as possible. Checks should be made payable to the Nutley Rotary Club and sent to Schoeber c/o Realty Title Agency Inc. of New Jersey, 234 Franklin Ave., Nutley, New Jersey 07110. For more information, call Schoeber at 661-2700.

Varsity wrestling dinner on April 30

A dinner sponsored by the parents of the Belleville Varsity Wrestling Team will be held at 7 p.m., April 30, at the Chandelier Restaurant.

The dinner will be free to the wrestlers.

For ticket and price information, call Lou Conti, 751-7920, or Frank Zarro, 759-3806, after 5 p.m.

Team hosts Bloomfield tomorrow

Lady Bucs win four games, Crescenzi wins 3

By Mike Lamberti

The Lady Buc softball team posted four victories last week, improving to 6-2 on the '97 season.

Carl Corino's team takes on Bloomfield tomorrow afternoon at Clearmont Field, beginning at 4 p.m. Next Monday, the team is at Ridgewood and next Wednesday, it's at Nutley. Both of those games commence at 4 p.m.

Last week, the team beat Kennedy 19-3, Livingston 6-3, Montclair 9-6 and Barringer 11-0. The teams lone loss came to West Essex last Saturday, 9-7.

"We got two real good wins against Livingston and Montclair," Corino said. "They were both on the road, against quality teams."

Livingston is generally a solid team in Essex County and Montclair is the defending Group IV champions.

Chrissie Crescenzi gained three victories on the mound for Belleville. Nicole Russell was the winning pitcher in the Kennedy game, hurling a complete game and walking none.

"We hit the ball well all week, with the exception of Saturday," Corino said. "The 9-7 score wasn't

a good indication of the type of game it was. West Essex was a better team."

Belleville has been getting some good performances from Anabelle Rodriguez, Jennifer Piscatowski, Nikki Lopresto, Jackie Cruise, Jessica Rotino and Marissa Rotino (both of whom homered against Livingston), Joelle DellaVolpe (four hits against Montclair), Kim Mahoney and Melissa Brodo (three run homer versus Montclair).

"We're getting some good performances," Corino said, "but we've got to be more consistent. Mental mistakes continue to hurt us."

NOTES: Corino noted that West Essex is one of the better teams in the county this year. "They're undefeated for a reason," he said.

The team had a tough assignment against Westfield earlier this week. Next week's game at Ridgewood should also be a good test.

The NJSIAA Division schedule will begin in earnest soon and the Lady Bucs will be up against some good teams in Immaculate Heart, Paramus and Paramus Catholic, not to mention Nutley, who was ranked in the state earlier this season.

Crew team keeps rolling along

By Kolleen Myers

Once again, the Belleville crew team was met with success on the Schuylkill River on Sunday by taking home first place finishes in the girls' junior four, girls' novice four and boys' midweight four categories. As of this race, all three shells remain undefeated.

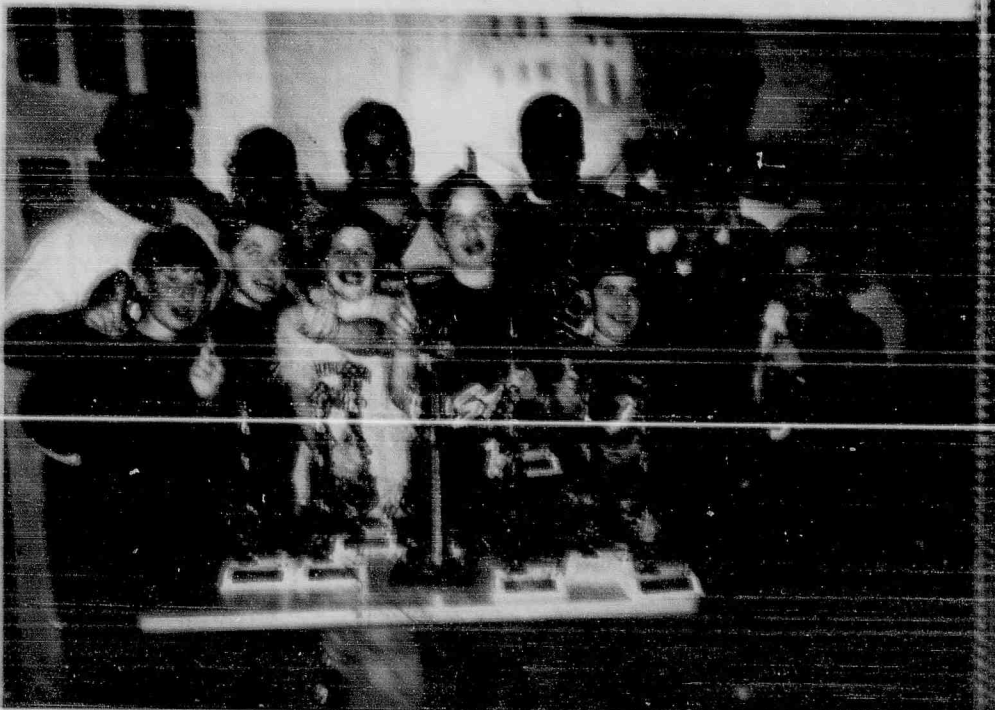
The girls' junior four shell, consisting of coxswain Jon Pisano and rowers Brienne Kvetkus, Kolleen Myers, Tracy Starkle and Vanessa Berendi, jumped ahead of Spirit at the start and maintained their lead, garnering a first place victory.

The girls' novice four, with coxswain Cynthia Alicea and rowers Phung Tran, Kim Matthews, Emily Gencarelli and Eman El Wakked raced for the first time in Philadelphia this past weekend. Here, the shell won their race despite having Atlantic City hit the bridge near the start.

The midweight four shell made up of coxswain Chris Adamo and rowers Mike Schmitt, Efrain Mercado, Edwin Garcia, and Scott Horst took the lead from Peddie at the start and finished first, beating them by open water.

Also, rowing for the girls' team were the senior four and lightweight four. The senior four ended up finishing in third place in what seemed to be an extremely competitive heat. Although they finished the race the lightweight four were disqualified because they entered another teams lane.


The boys' team had four other shells that raced on Sunday.



1997 5th & 6th grade recreation league tournament champion "Wildcats"

Front row l to r: Jon Mc Kelvey, Chris Basista, Chris Lapore, Anthony Perens, Mike Simone, Ralph Crespo

Back row l to r: Coach Rich Lapore, Kurt Villani, Coach John Tompkins, Jawan Boone, Jackson Gumbao



The Deacons' Bench
By Frank Santamassino
Sports Information Director
Bloomfield College
A feature of The Nutley Sun,
Belleville Times and Bloomfield Life

Olisa Small of Bloomfield College has been chosen for the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Division II Honorable Mention All-American award in women's basketball for the 1996-97 season.

The junior forward posted 15 points, 12.8 rebounds and three blocks per game. Small's rebounding average placed her third in the country in NAIA Division II.

The Lady Deacon playmaker, equipped with a combination of natural athleticism and lightning-quick leaping ability, was a constant threat for opposing teams to deal with, whether she attacked or defended the basket.

The Lady Deacon hoopsters finished the year at 16-12.

The All-American honorable

mention award put the proverbial icing on the cake for Small this year, who also scored her 1,000th point for the maroon and gold in January. She is one of 12 female athletes to accomplish the 1,000-point plateau at Bloomfield and seems well on her way toward becoming a Hall of Fame athlete for Bloomfield College in the future.

Ironically, Small joined the basketball program late at the start of this past season but admirably settled into the lineup after a few practices with her hardcourt teammates. Her delay was due to the women's volleyball team's participation in the NAIA Northeast Regional volleyball tournament, in which she played an integral part on that squad as well.

St. Peter's host to music corps

St. Peter's Drum and Bugle Corps will host a seminar on Saturday, April 26 for all instructors, staff members and directors from all the corps in the Garden State Drum and Bugle Corps Circuit. Corps will be coming from New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland.

St. Peter's Drum and Bugle Corps are still accepting applicants

for the horn line and color guard. The Corps now has 26 horn players, 18 drum players and 24 color guard.

Upcoming events include St. Peter's Spring Carnival, St. Anthony's Feast in June, and two Memorial Day parades. A tag day on Saturday, April 19, and Sunday, April 20, will be held to raise funds for the corps.

For more information, call Frank Koch at 751-6579.

whose address is Suite 505, Sentry Office Plaza, 216 Haddon Avenue, Westmont, New Jersey 08108, an Answer to the Complaint filed in a civil action, in which MELLON MORTGAGE COMPANY is plaintiff and PAUL A. REILLY, et als are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Essex County and bearing Docket No. F-14709-96 within thirty-five (35) days after APRIL 17, 1997 exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgement by default, may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex, CN-971, 24 Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and Procedure.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated AUGUST 27, 1976 made by PAUL A. REILLY and THERESA PAGANO, A/K/A THERESA REILLY, his wife as mortgagors to and given to YORKWOOD SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, said mortgage was recorded on AUGUST 31, 1976 in book 4673 for Essex County, page 714. By written assignment dated October 11, 1985, YORKWOOD SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION assigned said mortgage to GLOBE MORTGAGE COMPANY. Said assignment was recorded on NOVEMBER 4, 1985 in assignment book 565 page 477. By written assignment dated August 31, 1995, Globe Mortgage Company assigned said mortgage to Mellon Mortgage Company, the plaintiff herein; Said assignment was recorded on September 11, 1995, in assignment book 750, Page 857, and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as: 36 Park Avenue, Maplewood, New Jersey 07040.

If you are unable to obtain an attorney you may communicate with the New Jersey State Bar Association by calling 908-249-5000. You may also contact the Lawyer Referral Service of the county of venue by calling 201-622-6207. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services office of the county of venue by calling 201-622-1513. YOU, Paul A. Reilly are named as a party defendant to this foreclosure action for any lien, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises because you are the record owners of mortgaged premises, because you executed the bond and mortgage being foreclosed herein and may be liable for any deficiency thereon.

Donald F. Phelan
Clerk of the Superior Court
Belleville Times
April 17 1997
Fee: \$75.02

B97-174

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS
(L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: ROSSI RIVERA, Infant by g/a/ ELSA MANTILLA

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FEDERMAN AND PHELAN, P.C., plaintiff's attorney whose address is Suite 505, Sentry Office Plaza, 216 Haddon Avenue, Westmont, New Jersey 08108, an Answer to the Complaint filed in a civil action, in which FIRST UNION MORTGAGE CORPORATION is plaintiff and PETER L. SMITH, et als are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Essex County and bearing Docket No. F-13219-96 within thirty-five (35) days after APRIL 24, 1997 exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgement by default, may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex, CN-971, 24 Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and Procedure.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated SEPTEMBER 13, 1985 made by PETER L. SMITH and BEATRIX OSPINA-SMITH, his wife as mortgagors to and given to THE HOWARD SAVINGS BANK, said mortgage was recorded on SEPTEMBER 25, 1985 in mortgage book 5190 at page 296. The Howard Savings Bank n/a/a First Fidelity Bank, N.A., N.J. is now known as First Union Mortgage Corporation, the plaintiff herein; and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as: 85 Cedar Street, Millburn, NJ 07041.

If you are unable to obtain an attorney you may communicate with

the New Jersey State Bar Association by calling 800-852-0127. You may also contact the Lawyer Referral Service of the county of venue by calling 201-622-6207. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services office of the county of venue by calling 201-622-1513.

YOU, ROSSI RIVERA, Infant by g/a/ ELSA MANTILLA are named as a party defendant to this foreclosure action for any lien, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises by virtue of the following judgment: Rossi Rivera, Infant by g/a/ Elsa Mantilla v. Juana Castilla and Beatrice Smith \$11,500.00 Superior Court of New Jersey, Judgement Number: J-68660-91, Date Entered: 6/19/91, Type of Action: Auto Negl., Venue: Passaic. Attorney for Creditor: Richard A. Barone Donald F. Phelan Clerk of the Superior Court Belleville Times April 17 1997 Fee: \$ 75.02

B97-175

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS
(L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: CHARLES RANDOLPH MCLEAN, HIS HEIRS, DEVISEES AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND HIS, THEIR AND ANY OF THEIR SUCCESSORS IN RIGHT TITLE AND INTEREST AND NORMAN DOZIER

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FEDERMAN AND PHELAN, P.C., plaintiff's attorney whose address is Suite 505, Sentry Office Plaza, 216 Haddon Avenue, Westmont, New Jersey 08108, an Answer to the Complaint filed in a civil action, in which RYLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, is plaintiff and CHARLES RANDOLPH MCLEAN, et als are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Essex County and bearing Docket No. F-3435-96 within thirty-five (35) days after APRIL 10, 1997 exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgement by default, may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex, CN-971, 24 Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and

Procedure. This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated MARCH 19, 1979, made by NORMAN DOZIER and EARNESTINE ROBERSON, as mortgagors to and given to JORDAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, and recorded on MARCH 26, 1979 IN BOOK 4795 of Mortgages for Essex County, page 782. By written assignment dated March 19, 1979, Jordan Mortgage Corporation assigned said mortgage to Globe Mortgage Company. Said assignment was recorded on March 26, 1979 in Assignment Book 517, page 279. By Written assignment Globe Mortgage Company assigned said Mortgage to Ryland Mortgage Company, the plaintiff herein; Said assignment is being prepared for recording in Essex County and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as: 210 Ellis Avenue, Irvington, New Jersey 08021.

If you are unable to obtain an attorney you may communicate with the New Jersey State Bar Association by calling 908-249-5000. You may also contact the Lawyer Referral Service of the county of venue by calling 201-622-6207. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services office of the county of venue by calling 201-622-1513.

YOU, the heirs, devisees and personal representatives of Charles Randolph Mclean and his, their and any of their successors in right title and interest are named as party defendants to this foreclosure action for any lien, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises in the event that there are any unknown heirs who may not have been disclosed by our surrogate search of Charles Randolph Mclean who passed away on October 16, 1994 in the City of Irvington, County of Essex, State of New Jersey who was the record owner of the mortgaged premises by virtue of the following conveyance.

By deed dated March 13, 1983 and recorded March 30, 1983 in deed book 4781, page 278; Norman Dozier and Earnestine Dozier, his wife conveyed said mortgage to Charles Randolph Mclean, unmarried. YOU Norman Dozier are named party defendant to this foreclosure action because you executed the bond and mortgage being foreclosed herein and may be liable for any deficiency thereon, and for any right, title, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises.

Donald F. Phelan
Clerk of the Superior Court
Belleville Times
April 17 1997
Fee: \$ 75.17

B97-162

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-005011
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-120592 MIF REALTY, L.P. ET ALS, PLAINTIFF -VS- FOSTER MANAGEMENT, INC., ET ALS., DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, MAY 6, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time) Commonly known as: 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 3 6 BELLEVILLE AVE 336-338 UNITS 1-9 BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109 Lot: 87 Block: 335 Distance to nearest cross street: 26.64 feet Nearest cross street name: PARK VIEW AVENUE A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County.

A deposit of \$20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale. The approximate amount of the Judgement to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY NINE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETY AND 87/100 DOLLARS (\$459,490.87), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law. Newark, NJ March 31, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
DANIEL PAARZ, ETC., ATTORNEY
Belleville Times
April 10, 17, 24
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Fee: \$82.72
No. B97-144

BELLEVILLE PROPOSALS
Sealed proposal shall be received by the Township of Belleville at the Council Chambers, 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey, on or before 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 22, 1997 for the Interior Renovations of Town Hall, 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey with specifications on file in the Purchasing Department, 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey.

Construction documents on file in the Purchasing Department, 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey.

ments and specifications will be available at the Purchasing Department on or after April 23, 1997 and may be obtained from the Purchasing Department upon payment of a \$50.00 non-refundable fee. Each bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name and address of the bidder, the name of the project and must be delivered to the Township Clerk on or before 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 22, 1997. Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975c127 (NJAC 17:27) which shall become part of the specifications. The Township reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Mary Lou Hood
Municipal Clerk
Belleville Times
April 17 1997
Fee: \$ 26.97
B97-173

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-005834
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-571796 CITICORP MORTGAGE COMPANY, PLAINTIFF -VS- SHERIFF'S PERUMAL, AND HAYAH KUMARIE PERUMAL, HIS WIFE, ET ALS., DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, MAY 13, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time) Commonly known as: 0000000040 VALLEY ST NEWARK, NJ 07106 Lot: 73 Block: 4076 Size: 100 X 75.15 FEET Nearest cross street name: STUYVESANT AVENUE A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County.

A deposit of \$20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale. The approximate amount of the Judgement to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TWO AND 29/100 DOLLARS (\$110,202.29), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law. Newark, NJ MARCH 10, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
HUBSCHMAN & ROMAN, ATTORNEYS
Belleville Times
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Fee: \$75.20
No. B97-170

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-004375
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-1049195 MERCURY CAPITAL CORP. PLAINTIFF -VS- EVELYN AZIZ AND INOUS A. AZIZ, H/W HOSPITAL AND DOCTORS SERVICE BUREAU, DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, APRIL 29, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time) Commonly known as: 00000000500 CLINTON AVE NEWARK, NJ 07108 Lot: 53 Block: 2687 Size: 25.1 X 101.1 FEET Distance to nearest cross street: 75.63 feet Nearest cross street name: CHADWICK AVENUE A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County. A deposit of \$20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale. The approximate amount of the Judgement to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of FIFTY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FORTY FOUR AND 21/100 DOLLARS (\$56,544.21), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law. Newark, NJ MARCH 24, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
MICHAEL A. ALFIERI, ESQ., ATTORNEY
Belleville Times
April 3, 10, 17, 24 1997
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No. B97-137

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS
(L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: PAULA A. REILLY
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FEDERMAN AND PHELAN, P.C., plaintiff's attorney

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4:00pm On The Scene with Lee Nestor*
4:30pm Jersey Music & Video Spotlight*
5:00pm Special Program
5:30pm Ambassadors of Grace
6:00pm College Sports*
9:00pm The Metaphysical Messenger*
9:30pm Keys To Peace*
10:00pm NATV

TUESDAY

2:00pm College Sports
4:00pm Special Program
4:30pm Keys To Peace*
5:00pm Body Slam On Drugs
5:30pm For The Love Of Beer*
6:00pm Film Flix & Video Pix*
6:30pm Jersey Music & Video Spotlight*
7:00pm Real Estate & Car Connection
7:30pm It's In The Stars*
8:30pm Cappy's Casino Corner*
9:00pm Political Point
9:30pm Conversations With Cate*
10:00pm NATV

WEDNESDAY

3:30pm Special Program
4:00pm Bringing Italy To You
5:00pm The Mark Dacey Show*
5:30pm Conversations With Cate*
6:00pm Community Profiles*
6:30pm The Bridal Show
7:00pm Gamebot: Bingo (Interactive TV)
7:30pm The Metaphysical Messenger*
8:00pm Tomas Tonight*
8:30pm Cappy's Casino Corner*
9:00pm Rise with Theresa Nance*
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4:30pm Jersey Music & Video Spotlight*
5:00pm Special Program
5:30pm Real Estate & Car Connection
6:00pm Health Issues*
6:30pm Final Score
7:00pm The Mark Dacey Show*
7:30pm For The Love Of Beer*
8:00pm Tomas Tonight*
8:30pm Special Program
9:00pm On The Scene with Lee Nestor*
9:30pm Special Program
10:00pm NATV

FRIDAY

12noon NATV
5:00pm It's In The Stars (R)*
6:00pm Money Maze
6:30pm Jersey Music & Video Spotlight*
7:00pm Conversations With Cate*
7:30pm The Metaphysical Messenger*
8:00pm Keys To Peace*
8:30pm NATV

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SUNDAY

8:00am Special Program
8:30am Film Flix & Video Pix*
9:00am Ambassador of Grace Ministry*
9:30am Real Estate & Car Connection
10:00am Final Score
10:30am Conversations With Cate*
11:00am The Metaphysical Messenger*
11:30am Health Issues*
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2:00pm Special Program
2:30pm Special Program
3:00pm For The Love Of Beer*
3:30pm Community Profiles
4:00pm Body Slam On Drugs
4:30pm Donne Stelle Nel Mondo
5:00pm Bringing Italy To You*
6:00pm Carol & Carol Psychic Call In Show*
6:30pm Film Flix & Video Pix*
7:00pm The Mark Dacey Show*
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 Lot: 43 Block: 2903
 Size: 75 X 70 X 24 X 100
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 Nearest cross street name:
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 ARMANDO B.
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 MARK E. HERRERA &
 ASSOCIATES,
 ATTORNEYS
 Belleville Times
 March 27/April 3,
 10, 17 1997
 Fee: \$75.20
 No. B97-125

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.
 97-005575
 SHERIFF'S SALE
 SUPERIOR COURT OF
 N E W
 JERSEY, CHANCERY
 DIVISION, ESSEX
 COUNTY, DOCKET NO.
 F-308396 SECURITY
 PACIFIC NATIONAL
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 MICHAEL A. ALFIERI,
 ESQ.,
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 Belleville Times
 April 17, 24
 May 1, 8 1997
 Fee: \$71.44
 No. B97-168

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.
 97-003704
 SHERIFF'S SALE
 SUPERIOR COURT OF
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 DIVISION, ESSEX
 COUNTY, DOCKET NO.
 F-1296893D COLLEC-
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 Belleville Times
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 Fee: \$75.20
 No. B97-125

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 ESQ.,
 Attorney
 Belleville Times
 April 17, 24
 May 1, 8 1997
 Fee: \$71.44
 No. B97-168

Courts Building in
 Newark, on Tuesday,
 APRIL 22, 1997, at one-
 thirty P.M. (Prevailing
 Time)
 Commonly known as:
 0000000175 TAPPAN
 AVE
 BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109
 Lot: 8 Block: 280
 Size: 50 X 100 FEET
 Distance to nearest cross
 street: 350.00 feet
 Nearest cross street name:
 UNION AVENUE
 A full legal description
 can be found in the office
 of the Register of Essex
 County.
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 bid price in certified
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 time of sale.
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 of the Judgement to be
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 sum of ONE HUNDRED
 SEVEN THOUSAND
 EIGHTY ONE AND
 62/100 DOLLARS
 (\$107,081.62), together
 with the costs of this sale.
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 Newark, NJ MARCH 17,
 1997
 ARMANDO B.
 FONTOURA,
 SHERIFF
 ZUCKER, GOLDBERG,
 BECKER &
 ACKERMAN,
 ATTORNEYS
 Belleville Times
 March 27/April 3,
 10, 17 1997
 Fee: \$78.96
 No. B97-126

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.
 97-004997
 SHERIFF'S SALE
 SUPERIOR COURT OF
 N E W
 JERSEY, CHANCERY
 DIVISION, ESSEX
 COUNTY, DOCKET NO.
 F-1054896 GMAC
 MORTGAGE CORPORA-
 TION OF PA, PLAINTIFF-
 VS-ROMMY RICHBURG
 AND HELENA RICHBURG
 FKA HELEN ZIMMOORE,
 HIS WIFE, ET ALS DEFENDANTS
 Execution for Sale of
 Mortgaged Premises
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 stated writ of Execution,
 to me directed, I shall
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 Auction, in SHERIFF'S
 OFFICE, Essex County
 Courts Building in
 Newark, on Tuesday,
 MAY 6, 1997, at one-thir-
 ty P.M. (Prevailing Time)
 Commonly known as:
 000000282 BLOOM-
 FIELD AVE
 BLOOMFIELD, NJ
 07003
 Lot: 55 Block: 105
 Distance to nearest cross
 street: 475.41 feet
 Nearest cross street name:
 WATSESSING AVENUE
 A full legal description
 can be found in the office
 of the Register of Essex
 County.
 A deposit of %20 of the
 bid price in certified
 funds is required at the
 time of sale.
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 of the Judgement to be
 satisfied by said sale is the
 sum of NINETY SEVEN
 THOUSAND TWO HUN-
 DRED THIRTEEN AND
 14/100 DOLLARS
 (\$97,213.84), together
 with the costs of this sale.
 The Sheriff reserves the
 right to adjourn the sale
 from time to time as pro-
 vided by Law.
 Newark, NJ March 31,
 1997
 ARMANDO B.
 FONTOURA,
 SHERIFF
 STERN, LAVINTHAL,
 NORGARD & DALY,
 ATTORNEYS
 Belleville Times
 April 10, 17, 24
 May 1 1997
 Fee: \$82.72
 No. B97-145

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.
 97-004307
 SHERIFF'S SALE
 SUPERIOR COURT OF
 N E W
 JERSEY, CHANCERY
 DIVISION, ESSEX
 COUNTY, DOCKET NO.
 F-779892 CITICORP
 MORTGAGE INC. PLAINTIFF-
 VS- MICHAEL BRUNO AND
 NANCY LYNN BRUNO,
 HIS WIFE, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS
 Execution for Sale of
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 OFFICE, Essex County
 Courts Building in
 Newark, on Tuesday,
 APRIL 29, 1997, at one-
 thirty P.M. (Prevailing
 Time)
 Commonly known as:
 0000000006 SMALL-
 WOOD AVE
 BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109
 Lot: 25 Block: 476
 Size: 50 X 91.35 X 69.50 X
 75.00 FEET
 Nearest cross street name:
 COOPER PLACE
 A full legal description
 can be found in the office
 of the Register of Essex
 County.
 A deposit of %20 of the

use only; and,
 That, the applicant is
 required to submit four (4)
 copies of the plan showing
 the above-mentioned re-
 visions; and,
 NOW, THEREFORE,
 based on the information
 above a motion was grant-
 ed and seconded to
 approve the above applica-
 tion.
 The foregoing action
 was duly taken by the
 Essex County Planning
 Board on February 11,
 1997 and this formal re-
 solution was approved on
 March 10, 1997.
 John A. Vitale, County
 Engineer
 Joseph Alessi,
 Chairman
 Ronald A. Draucikas,
 Esq. Attorney for Mario
 Nardone/ Linda's Chicken
 Belleville Times
 April 17 1997
 Fee: \$32.55
 B97-161

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 FORTY THREE THOU-
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 RED THIRTY SEVEN
 AND 15/100 DOLLARS
 (\$243,837.15), together
 with the costs of this sale.
 The Sheriff reserves the
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 Newark, NJ MARCH 24,
 1997
 ARMANDO B.
 FONTOURA,
 SHERIFF
 HACK, PIRO, O'DAY,
 MERKLINGER,
 WALLACE &
 MCKENNA,
 ATTORNEYS
 Belleville Times
 April 3, 10, 17,
 24 1997
 Fee: \$77.08
 No. B97-136

NOTICE TO
 ABSENT DEFENDANTS
 (L.S.) STATE OF
 NEW JERSEY TO:
 GWENDOLYN DANIEL
 YOU ARE HEREBY
 SUMMONED AND
 REQUIRED TO serve
 upon FEDERMAN AND
 PHELAN, P.C., plaintiff's
 attorney whose address is
 Suite 505, Sentry Office
 Plaza, 215 Madison
 Avenue, Westmont, New
 Jersey 08108, an Answer
 to the Complaint filed in a
 civil action, in which
 FIRST UNION NATIONAL
 BANK, is plaintiff and
 GWENDOLYN DANIEL,
 et als are defendants,
 pending in the Superior
 Court of New Jersey,
 Chancery Division, Essex
 County and bearing
 Docket No. F-15560-96
 within thirty-five (35)
 days after APRIL 17, 1997
 exclusive of such date. If
 you fail to do so, judg-
 ment by default, may be
 rendered against you for
 the relief demanded in the

Complaint. You shall file
 your answer and proof of
 service in duplicate with
 the Clerk of the Superior
 Court of New Jersey,
 Hughes Justice Complex,
 CN-971, 24 Market
 Street, Trenton, New
 Jersey 08625, in ac-
 cordance with the Rules of
 Civil Practice and
 Procedure.
 This action has been
 instituted for the purpose
 of (1) foreclosing a mor-
 tgage dated NOVEMBER
 22, 1994, made by
 GWENDOLYN DANIEL,
 as mortgagors to and
 given to FIRST FIDELITY
 BANK, N.A., said
 mortgage was recorded
 DECEMBER 22, 1994 in
 book 6470 for Essex
 County, page 707. FIRST
 UNION NATIONAL
 BANK F/K/A FIRST
 FIDELITY BANK, N.A.,
 the plaintiff herein; and
 (2) to recover possession
 of, and concerns premises
 commonly known as: 152
 Brookdale Avenue,
 Newark, New Jersey
 07102.
 If you are unable to
 obtain an attorney you
 may communicate with
 the New Jersey State Bar
 Association by calling
 908-249-5000. You may
 also contact the Lawyer
 Referral Service of the
 county of venue by calling
 201-622-6207. If you cannot
 afford an attorney,
 you may communicate
 with the Legal Services
 office of the county of
 venue by calling 201-622-
 1513.
 YOU, GWENDOLYN
 DANIEL are named as a
 party defendant to this
 foreclosure action for any
 lien, claim or interest you
 may have in, to or on the
 mortgaged premises
 because you are the
 record owners of mor-
 tgage premises, because
 you executed the bond
 and mortgage being fore-
 closed herein and may be
 liable for any deficiency
 thereon.
 Donald F. Phelan
 Clerk of the
 Superior Court
 Belleville Times
 April 17 1997
 Fee: \$58.90
 B97-163

John Farrell

A Mass for John Farrell, 66, of Belleville, was offered Friday in St. Peter's Church, Belleville. The funeral was from the Biondi Funeral Home of Nutley.

Mr. Farrell, who died April 7 in his home, was a member of the Newark Fire Department for 29 years. He served as a captain for 12 years before retiring eight years ago.

Andrew Notare

A Mass for Andrew G. Notare, Sr., 66, of Belleville, was offered April 10 in the Cathedral-Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Newark.

The funeral was from LaMonica Memorial Home, Bloomfield.

Mr. Notare, who died April 5 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, was a port steward for Pan American Airlines at John F. Kennedy Airport in New York for 19 years.

Previously, he had been a co-owner of Pat and Andy's Luncheonette, Belleville, for eight

He also was a scout master for 30 years with Our Lady of Good Counsel Church Boy Scout Troop, Newark.

Born in Newark, he moved to Belleville 14 years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy; a daughter, Linda; two sons, David and Danny; two brothers, David and Danny; a sister, Eileen Zabuski and two grandchildren.

Mr. Notare served in the Army during the Korean War.

He was a lector for the Cathedral-Basilica of the Sacred Heart and a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Anthony's Church, Belleville.

Surviving are his wife, Theresa; three daughters, Karen, Theresa and Andrea; a son, Andrew; three sisters, Amelia Saliceti, Josephine and Rose Marie Meloir; and three brothers, Gerard, Richard and Robert.

Anna Mazza

A Mass for Anna Mazza, 86, of Wayne, was offered Friday in St. Paul's Church, Clifton, where her son, Rev. Victor Mazza, is pastor.

The funeral was from the Bizub-Quinlan Funeral Home, Clifton.

Mrs. Mazza, who died April 17 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center, Paterson, was the manager of Willie's Diner,

Bloomfield, before she retired.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville before moving to Wayne in 1961.

Surviving are two other sons, Fred and Martin Paresi; two daughters, Sister Anne Victor and Agnes Ferrarelli; a brother, Patrick Piccardi; seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

William Jesse Ryder

Services for William Jesse Ryder, 81, of Belleville were held April 10 in Riverside Community Church, Nutley. Arrangements were by the Irvine-Cozzarelli Memorial Home, Belleville.

Mr. Ryder, who died April 7 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, was a mechanic and auto body repairman for seven years for Kearny Radiator before retiring in 1978.

An Army veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars

Commander Club, Belleville; Post 275, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Belleville; the National Veterans Service Support Group and the Disabled American Veterans Commanders Club.

Born in Portsmouth, Va., he moved to Belleville about 20 years ago.

Surviving are two sons, Jesse Jr. and Richard; three sisters, Jean Tanzini, Mildred Truppo and Nanny Seeds; a brother, Bob, and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Obituaries

Thomas Adams

Services for Thomas W. Adams, 91, of Belleville were held Monday in the Megaro Memorial Home, Belleville.

Mr. Adams died April 10 in his home.

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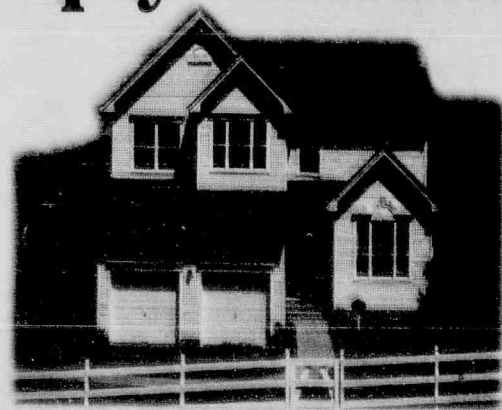
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Son of God, Immaculate
Virgin, assist me in this
my necessity. O Star of
the Sea, help me and
show me herein Your
Mother. O Holy Mary,
Mother of God, Queen of
Heaven and Earth, I
humbly beseech thee
from the bottom of my
heart, to succour me in
this necessity; (make
request). There are none
that can withstand your
power. O show me here-
in you are my mother. O
Mary conceived without
sin, pray for us who have
recourse to thee (3
times) Sweet Mother, I
place this cause in your
hands. (3 times). Thank
you for your mercy to me
and mine. Amen.
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three days your request
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I may reach my ideal,
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divine gift of forgiving
and forgetting wrongs
done unto me and who in
every instance of my life
are with me, I'd like in this
short dialogue to affirm
my gratitude for all your
blessings and affirm
once again that I never
want to part from thee
though the illusion of
material things abound.
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thee and all my loved
ones in perpetual grace.
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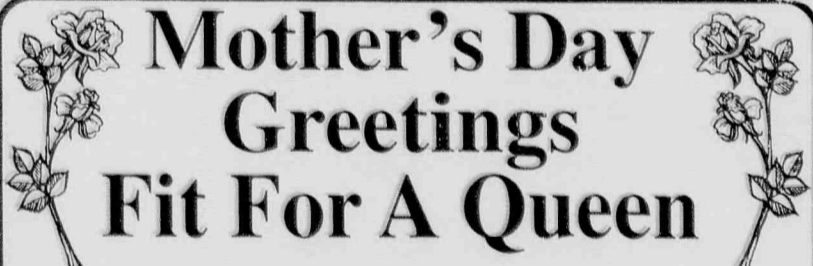
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Pay-back time for previous budget shortcuts Shortfalls and ratable losses forcing Council into rate hike

By Howard Klausner

The municipal budget will be introduced on May 13, and the only question before the Township Council is how big the tax increase will be.

"For three years, we kept the tax increase down by cutting into the surplus, and now there is no surplus," Council Member William Escott said. "Now we have to pay for those cuts."

The payback may be anywhere from 35 to 55 tax points, according to sources in Town Hall.

The chief causes are the drop in township ratables of \$2,474,000, chiefly because of tax appeals, and a reduction of the budget surplus from \$2.5 million to \$1.4 million.

In 1994, there was a decrease in the municipal tax rate of 2 points. In 1995, there was an increase of 7 points. In 1996, the increase was 11 points.

The most recent budget suggestion, now before the Council, would increase taxes by 35 points,

but only with cuts in municipal services which Escott and other members of the Council say are unacceptable.

Mayor Victor Canning said at a Council workshop meeting that to maintain the needed services in the township, a tax increase was unavoidable.

"People will be willing to pay if they understand the situation," Canning said.

"When I told the Senior Citizens how the tax increase would provide services they wanted, they agreed with me," Canning said.

Council Member Jimmy Messina said that previous Councils should have allowed small increases over the years, rather than leave it to the present Council to meet the resulting deficits.

Support for the need of a tax increase came from Council Members Mario Drozd, Jerry Digori and Arnaldo Carrera.

Council Member-at-large Angie

Paserchia thought otherwise.

"I know I'm not going to be popular, but I'm going to state my position," she said. "I will vote no."

Paserchia said that savings could be made in various areas.

"Why do we keep buying Broncos? Why can't our people use their own cars, and bill for expenses?" Paserchia said.

Paserchia said she was at odds with the Belleville 2000 report submitted by Drozd and Carrera.

"I thought it meant selling township property, and I am against that," she said.

Carrera assured her that if any sales were to take place, they would only happen with Council approval.

Paserchia said she was not satisfied with that promise.

The Council agreed to hold a special session on May 5 to make a line-by-line study of the proposed budget in hope of reducing the tax increase.



REMEMBERING THE SULLIVANS - Jack O'Connell and Mary Ann Kane of Belleville, members of the Nutley Irish American Association, stand before the Aegis-class destroyer USS The Sullivans, named for the five brothers who died aboard the USS Juneau in World War II. The ship was commissioned at Staten Island, on April 19. Also there were Association President Jack Kane, Liz Mender and Mary O'Connell.

Council studies its alternatives in restoration of athletic fields

By Howard Klausner

The Township Council seems headed for a \$3 million program to restore the Belleville Athletic Complex, but the massive concrete stadium and field house may not be included.

Kevin Richardson of the Green Trust Management, which administers the Green Acres Fund, told a work session of the Council that the \$2 million loan now available for rehabilitating the athletic fields could not be used for the stadium.

"It was raining more inside the building than outside," he said of a recent visit to the stadium, built some 60 years ago by the Works Progress Administration with federal funding.

He added, "It wouldn't be a problem to come up with another million."

Within the perimeter of \$3 million, the Council asked a committee of experts, including the Township's engineering consultant, Gregory Comito, and Recreation

Director Dennis Buckley, to come up with more specific ideas on what could be done with \$3 million.

Mayor Victor Canning said, "Create some options. Get some prices."

A new field house, to replace the current stadium field house, would be smaller than the present stadium structure, Canning said.

Any buildings put up on the field, which was a swamp before fill was provided, would have to be put up on pilings, the Council was told.

An enormous amount of gravel and sand would be needed just to improve the present running track, whose uncertain condition has caused many "home" contests to be held elsewhere, in other towns.

"To surcharge or not to surcharge is the question," one engineer said, using the term for landfill.

Richardson told the Council that additional funds might be available

for the athletic complex by taking \$300,000 set aside for the purchase of the Newark Watershed property on Joralemon Street, now intended for a senior citizen park.

In the \$5 million range would be "remediation of existing site soil problems, a properly graded and draining site, a new field house and new 3,500 seat bleachers."

There would be a regulation football, soccer field; a practice football, soccer field; a regulation running track system; varsity baseball regulation game fields; girls softball, junior or Little League Game field; tennis courts; basketball court; tot lot; fitness station system, and such amenities as field toilets, 720 seat field bleachers, lighting systems for all fields and track, a new public address system and walkways, fences and landscaping.

"Why can't the players use the high school showers?" Councilman Bill Escott asked, at one point.

Town employees get 4% salary boost in return for reductions in benefits

By Howard Klausner

The Township Council on Tuesday approved salary contracts giving municipal employees 4 percent annual pay increases for the next three years.

In return, the unions accepted an end to longevity pay for new employees and a change in health plans.

The vote brought angry protests from some members of the audi-

ence, at a sparsely attended session of the Council.

Mayor Victor Canning said that the increase in salary for police would total \$345,235 in 1997, \$332,265 in 1998 and \$488,439 in 1999.

Those amounts include the step increases for individuals.

The Belleville Municipal Employees Union increase was reported as \$161,299 for 1997,

\$165,430 for 1998 and \$161,439 for 1999.

A switch in health plans from Blue Shield-Blue Cross to Blue Select is expected to save some \$70,000 a year and savings in longevity payments is estimated at about \$90,000 a year for the next three years.

"The savings are in longevity," Canning said. "The savings will be phenomenal."

"In 30 years," Canning said, "The saving in longevity will be \$1.5 million."

On a house assessed at \$39,000, Canning said, the annual tax increase caused by the salary contract would be \$35 in 1997, \$39 in 1998 and \$56 in 1999.

Council Member Arnaldo Carrera said, "Very few municipalities in New Jersey can claim a longevity giveback."

Council Member Jim Messina said, "I was not going to vote for the contract. With the giveback, it's more than fair."

Blossomfest '97 is set to burst into bloom

The fourth annual Blossomfest street festival of arts and music will be held Sunday, April 27, in Belleville.

The business district along Franklin Street in the Silver Lake section of the township will be transformed into a midway of arts and crafts displays, live music and entertainment, and a variety of tasty, international foods.

Blossomfest '97, according to event coordinators, Jerry Iacangelo and Dianne Zusi, is expected to attract 15,000 visitors between 12 noon and 6 p.m.

Artists and crafters from Connecticut to Delaware will display and sell their creations, some of which are creative iron by Joyce Kahleau, handmade sterling jewelry by Carolyn Roche, glass luminaries by Kathy Sidoti, concrete "critters" by Stacie Courne and woodcrafts from Roy Bernard, as well as paintings and sketches by local artists. Shoppers will find original design shirts, artificial flower designs, cosmetics and Monet jewelry, as well as stained glass specialties.

The Belleville High School Band will kick off the festivities, followed by the presentation of the 1997 Little Miss Blossom.

The bands of Gordon James and Larry Talbert and the Wolftag will provide a jazz tone to the event.

Deejay Michael Chieffo of Belleville will once again host the varied showcase entertainment.

The Bennett family will give visitors a treat to Irish dancing, and

strolling musicians will appear.

In addition, face painters, magicians, a puppet show, and Merri-loons the clown will provide entertainment.

Kids can mingle with and pet farm animals, ride ponies, bounce in the moonwalk, do spinart and sandart, listen to American Folklore, and more.

The whole family can visit Conrail's "Safety On Rails Theatre" inside a real boxcar, sit in the Oscar Meyer "Weinermobile," take a stroll to nearby Branch Brook park to see the largest cherry blossom display in the nation, or ride a horse and carriage through local streets.

In addition, Belleville police and fire units will be displaying their equipment, along with the Newark mounted police, the Essex County Sheriff's canine unit and a special State Police team.

Popcorn, soft pretzels and cotton candy will be available, along with hot dogs, pizza and french fries, plus fresh made crab cakes, sausage and peppers, cheesesteaks, barbecued chicken, and other specialties. Also, soft ice cream, zeppoles, snow cones, funnel cakes, ice cream, pastries, coffees and espresso will be among the goodies.

Blossomfest '97 is sponsored by the District Partnership, an organization of local business owners.

Admission is free and nearby parking is free. Raindate is Sunday, May 4.

For more information, call 450-1111.

Town to keep 383, at least for a while

The building at 383 Washington Ave., which houses the welfare and engineering agencies, will also be home to the Township Clerk, while the Municipal Building undergoes a renovation scheduled for this year.

A suggestion that it be sold was opposed strongly by Mayor Victor Canning and Council Members Jim Messina and Angie Paserchia.

Urging the town to make some money through a sale and through resulting ratables are Council Members Mario Drozd and Arnaldo Carrera.

Council Members Jerry Digori and Bill Escott said they were undecided.

Those favoring a sale said the township could realize as much as \$750,000 from a private developer who has expressed interest in the property.

Those opposing the sale said the township may well be looking for expansion of its office space as it enters the 21st century.



Buccaneer football coach John Senesky is flanked by long time friends Bill Gorski (left) and Cedar Grove football coach Ed Sadloch during dinner held on April 11 to honor Senesky for his years of service to Belleville football program. There are plenty more photos from the evening at the Chandelier on Page 12.

The Crime Watch: Burglar!

Police say that Juan Luis Mercado-Hernandez confessed to five other burglaries after being arrested for breaking into an apartment at 242 Washington Ave. on the morning of April 14.

A resident of the apartment house called police to tell them of a man standing on a fire escape and cutting his way through a window screen to enter an apartment.

The suspect, 19, of no known address, was found in a hallway by Sergeant Anthony Romandetto, Sergeant Vincent Celso and Police Officers Joseph Richiuso and Francesco Piserchia.

Detectives William Palatella and James Giuliano, using finger prints and reported sightings by witnesses, tied Mercado-Hernandez to five other burglaries. Under questioning, he made some admissions, and police were able to find some of the items that were stolen.

A clean-up worker at K-Mart was charged with attempting to make off with a telephone, a supply of lipstick, some watches, shoes and other clothing, with a value of \$691.

Mario Munoz, 44, of Union City was held by store security people at 7:15 a.m., on April 14. Police Officers Anthony Passarella and John Holland made the arrest.

On April 14, K-Mart security people stopped Edwin DeLeon, 30, of Newark, who reportedly was trying to leave with \$38 worth of Alka-Seltzer tablets.

At police headquarters, it was learned that Mr. DeLeon had outstanding warrants from Newark and Union, in the amount of \$1,112.

The arrest was made by Police Officers Anthony Weedo and Phillip De Coma.

In another case, police said there is suspicion that a K-Mart employee was involved in an attempt to shoplift three telephones with a value of over \$400 from the store on April 17.

Arrested was an 18-year-old Nutley woman. She allegedly had help from an employee who was not identified.

Police Officers Carl Castellano and Philip Gamarro made the arrest.

The Narcotics Squad stopped a motorist on Route 21 to make an arrest, on April 17.

Detective Michael Giuliano reported finding 10 wax envelopes of heroin in the possession of Joseph Annear, 34, of Wallington, who was then held in \$5,000 bail.

He was also charged with resisting arrest by fighting attempts to handcuff him.

A 37-year-old Belleville woman, stopped on a traffic violation, was found to possess two bags of cocaine, and to be driving on the revoked list, when Detectives Michael Giuliano and Robert Capece examined the car on Union Avenue, on April 14.

A school principal reported finding a pupil in possession of a bag of marijuana on April 15. Police turned the boy over to Juvenile

Authority.

A 17-year-old youth faces charges of aggravated assault and possession of a deadly weapon. He allegedly threatened a 50-year-old neighbor with a crowbar, allegedly because the older man came to his home to complain to the youth's parents about a dispute between the adult and the teen-ager.

A 53-year-old Secaucus man allegedly exposed himself and performed indecent acts in the park at the end of Mill Street, the night of April 15.

Police said the suspect tried to induce a man to join him. The man was a detective.

Pre-school registration

The Belleville Department of Recreation and Cultural Affairs is accepting registration for the pre-school play program for 4-year-old children.

The program consists of games, stories, songs, art, outside play when weather permits, short rest periods and occasional holiday parties especially designed for pre-school children.

A session will be from 9 to 10:45 a.m. or 12:45 to 2:30 p.m., five days a week, with class limited to a maximum of 23 students in each session. The cost of the 32-week program is \$150. The mothers of the children accepted must participate by serving one duty day about every eight or nine days according to a published schedule.

School will begin on Monday, Sept. 15, and will run through May 1998.

Children born between October 1992 and September 1993 who will enter kindergarten in September 1998 are eligible. Participants must be Belleville residents. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis only.

For further information and enrollment, contact the Belleville Recreation Department at 450-3422 Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

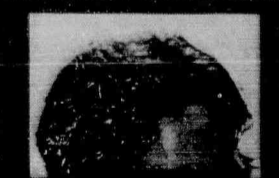
Belleville Rotary sets blood drive

The Rotary Club of Belleville is sponsoring a blood drive from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Bethany Lutheran Church, 188 New St., on Sunday, April 27.

Chair of the blood drive is Rev. Nancy Moore, an active member of the Rotary Club of Belleville.

If you are interested in donating blood, or want to know what is involved, please call her at 759-1555.

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Rotary Club celebrating 92nd anniversary

Rotary International, the world's first service organization, is celebrating its 92nd anniversary this year. The Rotary Club of Belleville, as well as other Rotary Clubs, are involved in international service projects and are pledged to support the Rotary Foundation, which has committed more than \$100 million during the next five years towards its international scholarships, cultural exchanges, and humanitarian projects.

The Rotary Foundation is a trust supported by Rotarians and others throughout the world, an objective of which is the furthering of friendly relations among peo-

ples of different nations through educational and charitable projects. The foundation awards graduate, undergraduate and vocational scholarships, as well as scholarships for the teachers if handicapped people and journalists. Scholars study in countries other than their own. Scholarships cover the expenses for one academic year of study.

Any college student interested in studying abroad and becoming an ambassador of good will is invited to apply. The age limit for vocational, journalism, and teacher of the handicapped scholarships is 50 years old.

Applications are available through the Rotary Club of Belleville.

Also, for information about membership in Rotary, as well as

Rotary scholarship opportunities, please write to Frank Cozzarelli, Jr., President, 3 Van Reyper Place, Belleville, New Jersey, 07109.

The Rotary Club of Belleville generally meets at 12 noon at the Clara Maass Medical Center. If you are interested in membership, you can also call 751-4104.

Kiwanis sponsors Builders Club

The Builders Club of the Belleville Middle School is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Belleville, and students are selected by their teacher for membership.

The Builders Club participates in many activities that help people in the community by bringing cheer to them in the form of visits and crafts.

Recently, members went to the Clara Maass Continuing Care Unit, decorating the patients' rooms with holiday decorations that the members had made.

The Builders Club participates in the March of Dimes Walkathon to help prevent birth defects in newborn babies.

The officers of the club are Madeline Garcia, president, Christa Cerami and Laura Maffucci, vice presidents, and Alicia Bennett, secretary.

Robert Silvera is the club's advisor.

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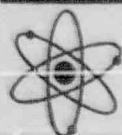
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Belleville Senior News

By Joseph Restaino



How to Know When You Are Getting Old
 Everything hurts — what doesn't hurt doesn't work.
 The gleam in your eye is the sun shining on your bifocals.
 You feel like the morning after, but you haven't been anywhere.
 Your children begin to look middle-aged.
 You join a health club, but don't go.
 A dripping tap causes an uncontrollable urge.
 You have all the answers but no one asks you the questions.
 You look forward to a dull evening.
 You need glasses to find your glasses.
 You turn out the light for economy instead of romance.
 You sit in a rocking chair and can't make it go.
 Your knees buckle but your belt won't.
 Your back goes out more than you do.
 You put your bra on back-to-front and it fits better.
 Your house is too big and your medicine cupboard is not big enough.
 You sink your teeth into a steak and they stay there.
 Your birthday cake collapses from the weight of the candles.
 Finally, your relations ask if you have thought about the future — and made a will!

From Joe DeFabbio

It's nice to hear that two of our senior citizens have been appointed to Congressman Pascarelli's Senior Advisory Board. Joseph DeFabbio, president of the Essex County Senior Citizen Club and George Turturiello, vice president of the same organization, have both been appointed by Congressman Pascarelli to this prestigious advisory committee. They inform me that the senator is interested in hearing from the seniors as to what problems they are concerned about. Pascarelli states that his main thoughts are to preserve our Social Security and Medicare benefits. As members of the committee, Joe and George will be glad to hear from you seniors. Congratulations to you both and I know that you both will do a great job.

My wife and I attended the Kevin G. Kennedy Civic Association 4th Annual Scholarship Breakfast at the Branch Brook Manor. Scholarships in memory of Esther Marotti and James "Jake" Bartholomew will be given. It was also a memorial to Kevin's brother, Lt. Edward Kennedy, who died recently.

Assemblyman John V. Kelly was also honored as the Humanitarian of the Year. John was very gracious about the award and asked that the price of the plaque be used for one of the association's charity causes. Present were Assemblyman Paul DiGaetano, Senator John Scott, Councilperson Angie Paserchia and Trustee Tom Fuscaldo. The capacity crowd enjoyed a terrific breakfast.

Volunteers

Many will be shocked to find
 When the day of judgement nears,
 That there's a special place in heaven
 Set aside for volunteers.
 Furnished with big recliners,
 Satin couches and footstools,
 Where there are no committee chairmen,
 No yard sales or rest area coffee to serve.
 No library duty or bulletin assembly.
 There will be nothing to print and staple,
 Not one thing to fold and mail,
 Telephone lists will be outlawed,
 But a finger snap will bring
 Cool drinks and gourmet dinners
 And rare treats fit for a king.
 You ask, "Who'll serve these privileged few
 And work for all they're worth?"
 Why, all those people who reaped the benefits
 And not once volunteered on earth.

When you buy shoes:

- Shop for shoes in the afternoon. Your feet tend to swell during the day, and it is best to be fitted when they are at their largest.
- Have your feet measured every time you buy shoes. With age, your forefoot will spread and your feet will get flatter.
- The longest toe should be a half inch to an inch from the front of the shoe.
- Always try on both shoes, and walk around the store in them.
- Wear the socks you expect to wear when you wear the shoes.

Seniors, take notice. On Friday, May 9, from 7 to 10:30 p.m., the Belleville School District invites the seniors to the annual Inter-Generational Prom at the high school gymnasium. Entertainment is by the Somers' 17-piece Dream Orchestra. Refreshments will be served. RSVP by May 6: Att: Joseph Kraemer, Belleville High School, 100 Passaic Ave., Belleville, NJ 07109. Belleville Seniors only!

Congratulations to my nephew Al Restaino Jr. of Nutley on being elected to the Nutley Board of Education.

The Bloomfield Federation of Music presents the Bloomfield

Mandolin Orchestra in a spring concert "Friends and Family" featuring the Bloomfield Civic Chorus, Sunday, May 4, at 3 p.m. at Bloomfield Middle School, Huck Road. Suggested donation: \$3.

Three Seniors Club members, Ralph Galle (guitar), Jeanne Bugan (mandolin) and Mike Stellatella (flute) are members of this prestigious orchestra. From past experience, I know it will be a great performance and so come out and enjoy yourself.

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DiGaetano Kelly can be E-mailed

In an effort to increase their availability to constituents, Assembly Majority Leader Paul DiGaetano and Assemblyman John V. Kelly, both R-36, have announced that their offices can now be reached via the Internet through their respective e-mail

addresses.

The e-mail addresses for DiGaetano and Kelly are: Paul DiGaetano, asmpdigaetano@worldnet.att.net; and John V. Kelly, asmjvkelly@worldnet.att.net.

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