

## Belleville delivers an exciting Fourth



## **State threatens** crackdown on violence cheats

By Steven DeVries as the loss of one's job. the New Jersey Board of Times reported that the Education may lend cre- Belleville district ranked dence to a claim made by third last year in the the Belleville district re- number of reported violent garding violence — other incidents. schools are not being as While administrators

According to a report in cidents that did occur, sevthe Herald News last week, eral complained that their the state Board of Educa- compliance with the state's tion is going to start crack- reporting rules landed the ing down on teachers and district at that spot. For indistricts that aren't report- stance, the seven weapons ing the accurate number of incidents reported included incidents in their schools. items like pen knives,

A new announcement by In June, the Belleville

honest about reporting it. made no excuses for the in-Penalties can be as severe (See Violence on Page A8)

## **Police reign-in** drunk drivers

By Richard Dickon

trying to keep you from points. drinking or taking drugs and driving this weekend Safe and Sober Campaign by putting up DWI sobriety has gone through Essex checkpoints.

Tomorrow, July 11 and program is finishing up in Saturday, July 12, check- Belleville.

chief's office. He is in Belleville police are charge of sobriety check-

Starting in June, the County towns. Now, the

points and roving patrols will be going on in the out so that people have a township, according to designated driver," Cam-police Sgt. Gerard Cam- panella said. panella, who works in ad-

"We want to get the word

There were checkpoints ministration in the police (See Roadblock on Page A8)

## **Bivona indicted on** second-degree theft

By Adam Zagoria **Herald News** 

Bivona, the former secre- bers. He faces up to 10 years tary-treasurer of the Bergen in jail. County Baseball Umpires' Association, was indicted nization's treasurer between last Tuesday on one count of 1998 and late last year. The second-degree theft.

Bivona is accused of embezzling more than \$94,000 Belleville resident, Lou from the association's mem-

> Bivona, 53, was the orga-(See Bivona on Page A8)

## Same sex marriage an issue from the world stage to local homes

**By Steven DeVries** father will give his daughter and values, right down to a away to another who has simple Belleville home. promised to love and cherish days.

take care of her when dad may no longer be around. But what happens when that child reveals that the person she loves is of the same sex?

Last week, Newsweek's cover story asked the question, "Is Gay Marriage Next?" It was a lead-out from the recent Supreme Court decision that decriminalized gay sex. Gay issues have led the news over the last two weeks — from the stepping down of a gay bishop in England, to Monday's firing of pundit Michael Savage from MSNBC for anti-homosexual remarks on air.

In November, a Belleville from the institutions of law formed by a minister.

twined in our culture — the ceremony being per-

"The bottom line is happi- so much about telling me," watches his little girl grow grist for local rumormon- could have been allayed if up — that one day she'll find gers. The wedding will take they had just felt comfortsomeone who'll continue to place at a banquet hall with able talking about it before.

knew her daughter's prefer- explained. places doesn't automatically ences, but her husband was "My daughter always recognize it on a lot of "The only reason I felt so ences, but her husband was bad is because she worried soon to retire when she wanted a wedding," said the plateaus. her until the end of their ness," said the father, who he said. The family still a lot of stress at the time. a little girl. She deserves to amounts to a public affirmashared his story anonymous- hasn't told him how long he But now that they know be happy like anyone else." tion of commitment, and It's the scenario that ly so the family's special day was kept in the dark, but he their child is in a loving re-

His wife said that she behind her 100 percent, she fact that current law in most

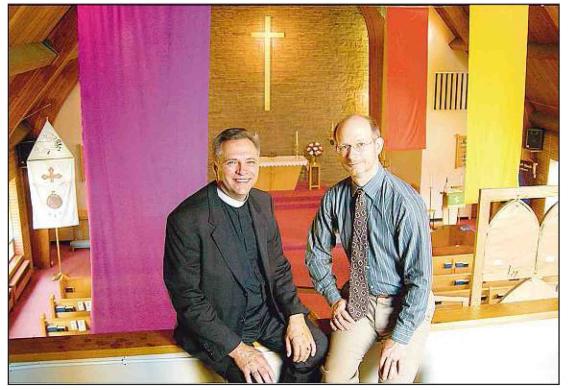
found out and he was under mother, "ever since she was

every father dreams of as he wouldn't simply become said a lot of their anxiety lationship, the family stands marrying regardless of the (See Marriage on Page B9)

Oftentimes, it simply Gay men and women are rights such as power of at-



Father Paul Walker and Randy Lee Webster of Christ If anything, the period Episcopal Church have lived in an open relationship has been a strong reminder in Belleville for almost five years. According to that gay issues are still en- Walker, it's been a 'non-issue.'



**Route 21 drivers are on edge** 

#### A2 — Belleville Times **OLICE BLOTTER**

• A burglary and theft was to the Belleville Motor Lodge reported to the first floor of a on the report of an argument two-family home on Harrison Street on June 30. A front door window was broken, and charged Robert Magalone, 22, the perpetrator reached of Belleville with possession inside and opened the door. A of a weapon and obstructing a computer, a printer and scan- police investigation and ner were reported stolen.

reported to a home on ing a police investigation on William Street on June 30. A June 30. The two were walkfolding chair was used to ing on Liberty Street and climb through a kitchen Franklin Avenue. When window while the resident police approached, Magalone slept during the night. An undetermined amount of jewel- four-inch blade and ran. Cary was reported stolen. A wit- passo also ran. Both men ness saw a man leave the were apprehended after a home and enter a taxi, and a foot chase. Capasso had a fingerprint matched a suspect. Police arrested and charged Mohammed Kennedy, 20, of Newark with charged Edwin Bauer, 64, of burglary and theft. No jewelry was recovered.

charged Randy Maynard, 18, voked driver, careless driving of Belleville with possession of marijuana on July 6. He was accident after a car accident among a group of youths con- on July 1 at 11:30 p.m. He hit next time. gregating in the schoolyard of a parked car at the intersec-School #4 on Magnolia Street. tion of Cortlandt and Little He dropped two hand-rolled streets and then tried to walk marijuana cigarettes and ran. away from the scene. Sobriety and released to their parents he refused a Breathalyzer without being charged.

• Police arrested and Bail was \$500. charged Jean Hodd, 43, of North Arlington, with possession of two wax folds of heroin, following a motor vehicle stop on July 3. Her 1987 a field investigation on Wash-Buick LeSabre was swerving ington Avenue and Mill in and out of traffic on Rutgers and Main streets. She was stopped and found to be charged Damien Padua, 23, in possession of a controlled dangerous substance.

charged Ronald Smith, 47, of ee at the time, he climbed Newark with possession of through a window and took drug paraphernalia, includ- 18 assorted liquor bottles. ing two crack pipes, a spoon with CDS residue on it, and a *sumed innocent until proven* razor knife. Police responded guilty.

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• Police arrested and Michael Capasso, 29, of • A burglary and theft was Forked River with obstructdropped a silver knife with a \$500 Newark warrant and a \$1,200 Belleville warrant.

• Police arrested and Belleville with driving while intoxicated, refusal to take a • Police arrested and Breathalyzer test, being a reand leaving the scene of an test. He received no injuries.

• Police arrested and Belleville with possession of two wax folds of heroin after Street. Bail was \$250.

• Police arrested and with burglary and theft of the Red Shingle bar on Belleville • Police arrested and Avenue on July 1. An employ-

All persons charged are pre-

#### **Ashanti Alvarez** The Record

It was dark and wet. ving down Route 21 with a sequences. trailer full of pastries when something startled him. He had been jiggling the

knobs on his radio and on his windshield.

there is a small overpass sults could be tragic." that goes onto the highway. I know what to expect."

That was on June 3, one have law enforcement agencies baffled - and worried that someone could be seriously injured or killed the

Since April, seven drivers rocks or some other objects. Newlyweds Daphne Gipson, Three 16-year-olds were tests found him to be under And a dozen other people taken to police headquarters the influence of alcohol and have reported being struck Gipson had been driving along the same route in along Interstate 95 from Passaic, Nutley, and Belleville.

> Publicity about the rockkicked it up. One man called victed happened 10 years ago.

Police say it's hard to find Jersey State Police. good surveillance points buildings in the area.

throwing the rocks may warning trespassers that

Vitiello's

think that what they're they will be punished if do. I don't like hanging out

'We don't know if they're came from above because losing control and the re-

In fact, tragedy struck put my arms up. It was a Tuesday when a landscap- fixed. normal reaction. You don't ing block fell from an overpass and crashed through the windshield of a car on an of several incidents that still Omaha, Neb., highway, killing a passenger. Police believe the block was dropped deliberately.

after a 70-pound boulder hit the car next to me." on Route 21 in Clifton have her car a few weeks ago and Disney World, where they spent their honeymoon.

being hit by a rock - but then rocketed into her par- guess it's kids. Don't they re- highway but wait until they police said they weren't sure ents' car. They were on their alize the accidents they if it was tossed from above or way home to Brooklyn. A could cause?" if perhaps another car Jersey City man was conof

To prevent deaths like Garfield. Catching the rock-throw- these, Clifton police have easy. They strike at different Belleville, Nutley, and Pastimes of the day and the saic, and have also asked for lated, with factories and saic County Sheriff's De- as well. buildings shrouded by trees. partment and the New

since there are few high met with NJ Transit officials

doing are innocent pranks, caught. At least one rock- with kids like that." police said, but they could throwing incident took place Trucker Joao Pinto was dri- have serious, even fatal, con- near a train overpass, police Passaic Park on River Road, said.

all related or not and luckily Routes 3 and 21 has been thinks the people throwing nobody's been killed or se- the main staging area. rocks are older kids who verely injured yet," said That's where Pinto and sev- should know better. "I think jerked his head just in time Clifton Police Detective eral other drivers were they should stop before they to see the flash of an object Capt. Robert Rowan. "But struck. The object someone get somebody killed. It's not there is always that poten- threw toward Pinto's trac- these little-bitty kids either, "I can't recall what hit it, tial because anytime you tor-trailer didn't kill him - it's the big kids," said but it had to be about as big break somebody's wind- but he did lose control of the Mitchell, 42. "Go read a book as my hand," said Pinto, of shield while they're driving giant vehicle, hitting a wall. Kearny. "I'm assuming it there is a possibility of them He suffers through sleepless nights, and had to shell out attention to their surroundthousands of dollars to rent ings could help police the a truck while his was being most, said Detective Jeffrey

> "I couldn't sleep for two days," said Pinto who was beginning a trip to Virginia and ears of the police dethat night. "I was just in shock ... I was thinking what have a lot of people calling could have happened. Be- with information. The sides just losing control, hit- people are being very good A Rochester, N.Y., woman ting the wall, I could have citizens. Right now we have is still in serious condition tipped over, I could have hit a couple of leads."

Pinto is not the only one reported being pelted by smashed her in the face. who is afraid. Some resilar patrols in the area of dents of Passaic and Clifton Route 21 have been inter-30, and her husband Brian along Main Avenue said that viewing anyone they can since the rock-throwing inci- business owners, hitchhikdents, they are more fearful ers, people stuck on the when getting on Route 21.

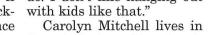
""My niece, she's afraid to cars. And in 1994, 8-month-old come out that way now," said charged Ben Miller, 34, of throwing has set local resi- Natalia Rivera died after a Clifton resident Josephine holding the investigation dents who use the highway 16-pound bowling ball was Daniels as she walked with back, Shom said, is people regularly on edge. Last dropped from an overpass in two friends along the Main Friday, someone reported Jersey City, bounced once, Avenue shopping district. "I

> reckless happening to you. You could which makes it very difficult police to report a possible manslaughter and sen- lose control," said her friend as far as gathering evirock-throwing incident that tenced to 10 years in prison. June Schweininger of dence," Shom said. He rec-

Sixteen-year-old Sadie ers in action hasn't been worked with police from Mirabal said that since her safely and dial 911. parents saw the story on Spanish-language newsareas along Route 21 are iso- extra patrols from the Pas- casts, they are more fearful

"They're scared to go on Route 21 at night now," said Last week, Clifton police Sadie, a student at Passaic kissed your wife and your High School. "I think the and discussed posting signs kids who are doing it just you could be six feet under The person - or people - on railroad overpasses don't have anything else to

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which runs parallel and ad-But the intersection of jacent to Route 21. She or something.'

> Those residents who pay Shom, who is leading the investigation.

> "The people are the eyes partment," Shom said. "We

Shom said that Clifton police officers working reguhighway with broken down

One thing that may be who think they see something suspicious along the get home to call police.

"Then they can't pinpoint "It's just the shock of it exactly where this occurred, ommended that motorists with cellphones pull over

Had Joao Pinto had the chance to do that, he would have. Still, the experience taught him an important lesson.

"You just had dinner, you child. Next thing you know, over, I guess, a practical joke," Pinto said. "All you have to be is alive to be dead.

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#### Salute to Great American music at I Fratelli Ristorante of Bloomfield **Nutley Veterans of Foreign Wars**

I Fratelli Ristorante of Wednesday, July 16, at 6 p.m. The three-part show is di-

rected by Maestro Carl Bac-

caro, who will play the grand

piano and narrate the

evening's festivities.

beautiful

Bloomfield will host a salute fashioned sing-along, includ- the group will emulate some endary American musicals, to Great American music on ing patriotic favorites and a of America's most famous such as "Kiss Me Kate," possible visit from Uncle composers, including Irving Sam.

operatic voices Bernadette more. Pello-Miller, Ronald Morton, R.J. Lewis and Jessie West.

Included will be an old- Regular I Fratelli performers, sent selections from leg-Berlin, George M. Cohan, Participants will include Jerome Kern, Cole Porter and

"Showboat," "Roberta" and "Music in the Air". Reservations are neces-

sary. To RSVP, call (973) 338-The singers will also pre- 4888.

St. Ann's Italian Festival Wednesday, 23rd Features In Hoboken Saturday, 19th Flving Mueller Brother South Side Johnny Pastor: Fr. Francis A. Sariego, OFM., Cap. Advertising Section & The Asbury Jukes Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> Celebrating 93 Years of Tradition Little Anthony & July 19 - 26, 2003 Sunday, 20th The Imperials July 26<sup>th</sup> - Feast Day - Mass 11:00 a.m. B Street Band Procession Immediately Following Friday, 25th ITALIAN NITE Monday, 21st 9-Day NOVENA (July 17-25) Our Famous Zeppole Emil Stucchio The Nerds SAVE MONEY International Foods and The Classics Win Prizes - Rides-Games-Crafts Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> LATINO NITE Nitely Entertainment Begins at 9:00 p.m. Saturday, 26th Ray Ruiz 7th \* Jefferson St., Hoboken NJ ITALIAN NITE ined with any other offers! Exp. 7/21/03 Michael Amante Blocks from the Path & NJ Transit NY Waterway Ferry Service "AN ESSENTIAL OF THE SUMMER" **CHINESE RESTAURANTS** 

## to host all-ages punk rock show

The Nutley VFW, 271 popular Nutley punk band Washington Ave., will feature Felix Frump. Meanwhile, voan all-ages emo-punk rock calist Jason Reyes, drummer show, featuring a welcome Edward Occhipinti and home for many of the bands, on Sunday, July 20, at 2 p.m.

all New Jersey acts: Running ing an East Coast tour at the Like Thieves, The Escape Engine, Another Day Ruined, Flashlight Arcade, Burbis and Laura Palmer.

Having successfully toured Europe, guitarist Jon Biviano from Running Like Thieves returns to play his hometown of Nutley for the first time. Running Like popular in the late 80s.

bassist Mike Marmo, all from Belleville (Marmo is original-Appearing on the bill are ly from Clifton), are preparend of July.

Bassist Ryan Philip and guitarist Jeff Lahm of Flashlight Arcade are from Nutley as well.

Four of The Escape Engine members are from nearby North Arlington, Kearny and Paramus, respectively.

Members from Burbis are members are from Bloom-

For more information



many of them as empty suits who lack creativity and function only as robotical corporate lackeys and still they haven't railroaded me out of town.

honchos how they should best operate their casinos. I've referred to

Why has this column survived in spite of making powerful enemies? I sincerely believe it's because we try to tell it the way it is. We've not only survived but Casino Confidential is the largest circulated independently syndicated gaming column in the entire Northeastern United States.

Now with the addition of three new weekly publications in the Bronx, "Casino Confidential now appears in 35 weekly newspapers throughout the Metropolitan New York, New Jersey, Connecticut tristate area with an overall circulation to 500,000 households. That translates into a potential readership of over 1,000,000. I have earned the respect of my readers who identify with my views and share with me their determination to get a better deal for their bucks from the casinos then they have been receiving.

This column is receiving a mind boggling 99.9% favorable support from its readers, an army, if you will, that is getting stronger by the day and beginning to throw its weight around where it will do them the most good. So beware you titans of the gaming industry, you are being monitored by a knowledgeable and educated consumer who won't just sit back anymore and be taken for granted.

Only the newly opened Borgata has been free from this column's criticisms, but after all, they just opened so they are putting their best foot forward. But my familiarity with their management team encourages me to believe, at least for the near future, that the positive approach will continue into a long and happy honeymoon. We shall see. Having said all that, I will now continue to prod, cajole and probably antagonize the latest crop of casino "top guns" by presenting this column's observations, advice and suggestions to running a better casinos and how to win people over and improve their bottom lines.

The Bally Park Place Entertainment Properties, (Bally's, Caesars, Hilton and now the Claridge which is part of Bally's): I strongly recommend you stop raising your minimums at table games. I've been there many a weekday when the place is not nearly crowded and can't even find a \$10 table in early morning. Stop it; you're losing money, see for yourself all those empty \$25 tables with the dealers standing around with their arms folded.

Trump Properties: All of them, the Trump Taj Mahal, The Plaza, The Trump Marina: You once had the best PR department in town, now it's an uncoordinated mess that's below average in getting out the information you want to get out to the press. The Taj Mahal and especially the Plaza should offer more entertainment in the form of lounge acts and in the Plaza's case, more headliners and the Trump Marina could offer a little more diversity in their entertainment bookings, by cutting back on their rock and punk rock groups.

Harrah's better stop making their casino into one giant slot parlor, with no entertainment to speak of and fewer and fewer table games. Showboat, its sister company, better not follow in those footsteps. Tropicana better stop charging people exorbitant ticket prices for exhibits they can see for nothing at their local museums and stop trying to make profits on their parking customers by charging them by the hour.

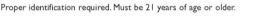
The Sands better get some more table games back in action and finally get it through their heads that they have to spend some real money to compete. And Resorts, now celebrating their 25th anniversary as the first casino to open its doors, better bring back first class restaurants like the late, great La Palais. Will they listen? Nah!

#### **GUY'S & DOLLS LOW ROLLER CLUB NEWS**

I salute you, each and every one of you who've taken the time to write me and e-mail me. Your response has been magnificent and its put us over the top, over 1,000 members, now closing in on 1,200 members. You should have your membership cards around July 15. Don't stop now. We're getting big time. Keep those e-mails coming, (cascon777@aol.com) or write to Executive Editor, North Jersey Community Newspapers, 1 Garret Mountain Plaza, PO Box 471, West Paterson NJ 07424-0471

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#### **Belleville Times** — A5

## **EEKEND PREVIEW Clean communities grant not Jaycees search for Junior Miss**

The Nutley Jaycees has county winners. announced the start of the search for the Class of 2004 be sponsoring its 42nd Essex County high school annual Junior Miss Scholarsenior who is most represen- ship Program on Saturday, ness, poise and talent. tative of her classmates in Nov. 29, at Nutley High communities throughout School. Essex County.

Miss will compete with other ceived by candidates in the (973) 667-7315.

The Nutley Jaycees will

### Area artists featured in July and August

will present an exhibit of various media. All works are paintings and sculptures by interpretations of the theme 20 regional artists in the coming weeks.

through Saturday, Aug. 16. hill at the Clifton Municipal There will also be a reception from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Clifton Recycling Center. Saturday, July 12, which is free and open to the public.

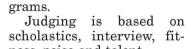
Gallery hoursWednesday through Satur- of directors and is chartered day, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. as a non-profit agency. The Group tours and visits at gallery first opened to the other times are available by public in January of 2000. appointment.

artists, educators and collec- Clifton Municipal Center, tors will jury the exhibit. In- near the intersection of cluded will be paintings, as- Clifton and Van Houten av-

The Clifton Arts Center semblages and sculpture in enues. "Re-Cycle; Re-Use," which celebrates the location of the The exhibit continues Clifton Arts Center — up the Complex, adjacent to the from the New Jersey State

> The Clifton Arts Center is a municipally operated facilare ity. It is governed by a board

The Clifton Arts Center is A group comprised of located on the grounds of the



local, state and national pro-

Applications are available by writing the candidate co-More than 84 million in ordinator, Mike Paolino, 161 The young woman chosen scholarships, savings bonds, Ohlson Ave., Nutley NJ Department of Justice. It posed to be spent in certain as Essex County's Junior and merchandise will be re- 07110 or calling Paolino at pays for purchasing percentages on publicity,

The project is funded, in

part, by the Passaic County

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#### always cleaned out says resident By Richard Dickon the money spent, and get being bought. Belleville should be a the community clean," he

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tainers, street sweepers

caldo. The amount of funds the town gets is based on over." garbage tonnage from the previous year.

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little cleaner thanks to said. "We should never have Frantantoni said he has

dents are happy with the Vincent Frantantoni was in his time, he sent releases program's administration. office when the grants regularly to the newspa-The Clean Communities started, from 1987 through pers. Grant comes from the U.S. 1990. The money is sup-

"There is supposed to be and maintaining trees a yearly report that tells through proper pruning, ac- where every penny goes," cording to Second Ward Frantantoni said. "The mu-Councilman Thomas Fus- nicipal audit shows that in the late 1990s, there was \$16,000 to \$17,000 left

He said during his tenure, he bought better, Fuscaldo said criticisms heavier garbage cans and that the township has not paid to have the trash always spent all the money picked up each week from town receptacles. Now he "We've taken steps to get says cheaper wire cans are

In the last several years, seen no press releases on Former commissioner clean communities. During

> He even had a bumper sticker that said, "Make Belleville glitter, can the litter."



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## What is the fate of the **HighWayMan anyway?**

at 7 p.m.

The musical is a Welsh tale of romance and highway

## Jazz at Jake's

Just Jake's of Montclair is hosting "Jazz Brunch," with Dave Rimelis, every Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Rimelis will perform on violin, guitar and vocals. Joining him will be Ted Brancato on piano.

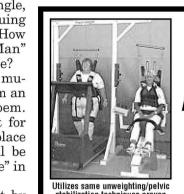
The group performs jazz, blues, Celtic and Cajun-style Saturday, from 1 p.m. to 4 music. Just Jake's is located at 30 Park Street in Mont-

The Clifton Arts Center banter on the moors in 1725. will present a performance It involves a love triangle, of the original musical "The which leads to an intriguing HighWayMan" for one night contemporary ending. How only on Wednesday, July 16, will "The HighWayMan" meet his ultimate demise?

The performance is a musical fantasy sprung from an Alfred Lord Noyes poem. The poem sets the plot for the story, which takes place in melodic verse. It will be performed in "radio style" in the art center's gallery.

This is the third visit by this company to the Clifton Arts Center. There is a suggested donation of \$5 per person payable at the door for this performance.

Gallery hours of operation are Wednesday through p.m. Other hours and group tours can be arranged by calling the Clifton Arts Center office at (973) 472-5499.The Clifton Arts Center is located on the grounds of the Clifton Municipal Center, near the intersection of Clifton and Van Houten avenues.



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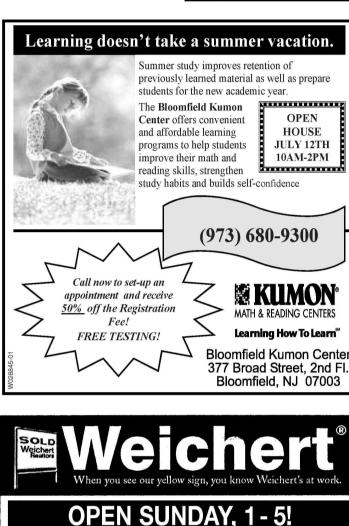
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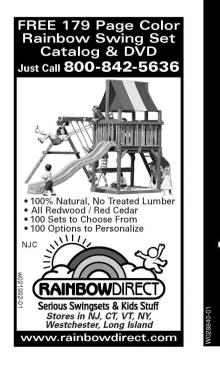
**Belleville High School** 1973Class of is reuniting Nov. 29. Contact Dr. Michael Sbarra, (201) 488-0409: Elaine Zippo Mileski, (201) 832-0842; or Jeanne Austin Suarez, suarez01@aol.com.

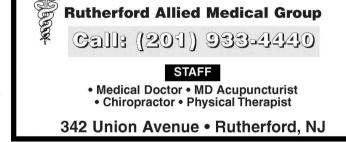
The Belleville High School Class of 1993 has planned a 10-year reunion for Saturday, Nov. 29. It will be held at the Westin Hotel in Morristown.

Reunions Unlimited, Inc. is coordinating all aspects and we're asking alumni to contact them directly with their updated information.

They may be reached directly at (732) 617-1000 or via e-mail at info@reunions-unlimited.com.

In addition, the planning committee, made up of Melanie Spillane, Ginny Rajnes, Tara (Ślattery) Philp, SueAnne Battista and Melanie van Dam, can be reached via e-mail at belleville1993@hotmail. com.







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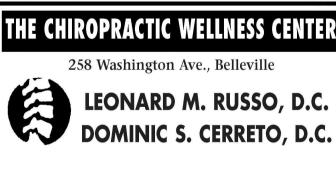
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#### You thought your towns were slow?

## State's budget session a lesson in procrastination

Last week's budget squabbles in Trenton then proceeded to vote on budget bills they were anything but a civics lesson. The process, which began more than four months ago when Governor McGreevey first proposed his plan for fiscal year 2004, had lawmakers working well past the midnight June 30 deadline even though they had months to deliberate.

What's more, as The Record reported last week, the final last-minute negotiations were held behind closed doors and involved party leaders, a few administration officials, and lobbyists for billboard companies and the casino industry - special interests that would be affected by the proposed tax and fee increases.

When both houses of the Legislature convened Tuesday morning to vote on the cobbled-together \$24 billion budget, lawmakers had to declare an emergency to get around a rule that requires a minimal opportunity for public review. The legislators

had not even read.

Naturally, the usual suspects in Trenton are pointing fingers at one another - and blaming part of the problem on a "perfect storm" of complications.

All 120 seats in the Legislature are up for election this fall, and Republicans and Democrats sometimes seemed more interested in coming up with campaign ammunition than in passing a budget on time. What's more, the Senate is evenly divided, so no budget measure could get passed without wrangling. Finally, with state revenues still suffering from the economic slump, no budget could be passed without fees and taxes or spending cuts - or both.

That's all true. But it's still no excuse. Trenton had months to hammer out a budget and opted for a fire drill instead. Good government it's not.

From The Record.



In a place so diverse

## Belleville Clergy Alliance

## **Buoyancy on the ups and downs**

Ever have a day, week, year or years in which life seems lusterless and maybe even meaningless? The reason could be obvious or non-existent in our own mind, but joy with her husband. our mood is "down." Life's "ups" and "downs" are like the capricious ocean

One day is misery — another is miracle – yet both extremes are "mysteries."

Let me tell you a story about Charles Duke, former astronaut of NASA. Years after making an historic walk on the moon, Charles felt his life lacked purpose and meaning. His wife, Dottie, was also depressed and contemplated suicide.

However, she began to attend a local

church and eventually became an avid reader of the Bible and a believer in God. Then Dottie wanted to share her newfound

So Duke attended the Bible class and also became a believing Christian. He found new purpose for his life — new lease on life. Later, he was quoted as saying:

"Walking on the moon cannot begin to compare with walking on earth with God.'

Wouldn't it be great to envision the world as God's art gallery; God's private property? And lucky us, we get to care for

it, celebrate it, and weather its storm. **Pastor Nancy Moore Bethany Lutheran Church** 

## ETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Success to graduates

To the editor:

Graziano at (973) 759-0442. **lane** On behalf of our entire membership I wish to extend To the editor:

## ing or sponsoring a hole for \$50 can contact Sam Stroll memory

## Taboo has a shorter life span

We're aware that not everyone is comfortable with the issue of gay marriage as talked about on the front page of this week's paper.

We're aware that the notion of same sex couples acting like heterosexual couples is an idea that is foreign, and sometimes repelling to many.

We're aware that it definitely isn't the entire population of Belleville that is in support of extending full marital recognition to gay couples or that everyone accepts homosexuality as a chosen lifestyle.

If we believed anything to the contrary, there would be no point in doing the story in the first place. When's the last time anyone's done a news story on the struggle of heterosexual couples to find acceptance in society? It's not a very frequent topic since most of us are allowed to love whomever we want without being penalized either by church or state.

The point of the story is not to enforce some political agenda, but to note the fact that oftentimes the issues that are being volleyed on the national level are happening right in our own backyards.

are leaders who have tried to make a difference for their town and haven't worn their heart on their sleeve. Others are extremely spiritual people who often struggle to keep their need for human contact in check with what they expect their God wants from them. Still others are our sons and daughters, suffering behind our backs, fretting over our perceived reaction to their feelings for another person.

It's interesting to see how the issue is playing out in the religious community. Many of us remember a time when it was wholly acceptable to wish the cruelest pain and suffering on a gay person, thinking that God's destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah in the Bible was testament to his own spite for gays.

And, as evidenced by right wing pundit Michael Savage's comments that homosexuals should "catch AIDS and die," some apparently still feel that way.

However, AIDS doesn't choose victims based on sexual preference, as evidenced by the staggering death toll of men, women and children in Africa. And many churches are now trying to reclaim the image of their God from that of a murderous homophobe to that of a being who sees all people as potential vessels for unconditional love. But the fact that these issues can be brought to light in Belleville is further testament to the town's proclivity to openness, rooted in its diversity. Its residents may or may not accept the notion of gay rights and gay marriage, but in a place so diverse, the issues cannot exist "in the closet" for long.

We would like to let you and your readers know that the Belleville Political and Social Club (BPSC) was happy to present in June six scholarships to senior high school students whose families were/are living in Belleville. Scholarships were given in five high schools totaling \$2,500. They should be publicly acknowledged and applauded for their "special" achievement.

awarded to Kendra Andrews of Scotch Plains-Fanwood Middle School. High School; Erica Barbella, Mount Saint Dominic; Patricia Bekti, Belleville; Fran- much more rewarding when coise Coppola, Wayne Valley; given the opportunity to Kristina Servidio, Belleville; share them with the commuand Sarah Leaman, North nity. Warren

The BPSC was incorporated in 1932 and through its Make my day membership continues to support the local community by maintaining a scholarship program for graduating high school seniors proceeding on to higher education and through its charitable giving. Although many of our members now reside outside of Belleville, we still have a strong affinity to the town.

Our annual golf outing is the main fundraiser for our can save us a half billion dolscholarship program. This lars. year's outing will take place on July 13 at the Tamiment 566 municipalities and 21 Golf Resort in Bushkill Falls, counties providing services. PA. For \$95 each person gets Perhaps some of them to enjoy a "fun" day of golf should shut down also in a with dinner and prizes. joint austerity movement. Anyone interested in attend-

to each candidate and their respective schools the best of success and happiness.

John P. Bucciarelli Chairman, BPSC Scholarship Committee

#### Thanks for coverage

#### To the editor:

Thank you so very much The scholarships were per coverage of special events and activities at the Belleville

Our students and teachers' accomplishments are so

Marilyn McGrath

#### To the editor:

Governor McGreevey has announced he will shut down state government if his \$24 billion budget is not approved.

What great news for taxpayers! This bloated budget will be spending \$66 million a day. One week shut down

Remember, we still have Vincent J. Frantantoni

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Take a stroll down memory lane — James G. Shawger School 4, Belleville, Silver Lake, New Jersey is

planning a 100-year celebration for Sunday afternoon, November 2. Stroll by years of memora-

bilia and pictures, followed by a program and buffet. The final cost has not been determined.

for your consistent newspa- is interested in attending, please send your name, address, phone number, e-mail and the number of people interested to:

Angela Cuozzo-Zarro 54 Salter Place Belleville, NJ 07109

Further details and ticket information will be sent to those who respond. If you can forward any pictures, they would be greatly appreciated. Angela Cuozzo-Zarro

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letters to (973) 667-

3904.

Sometimes when our only exposure to a certain facet of society is through the evening news, we have no attachment to the subject matter. Therefore, whenever the issue of gay pride comes up, we associate it with images of young men and women marching in a New York City parade, dressed in flamboyant ways that

may seem completely outlandish. Often, we forget that homosexuals are also people in our own community. Some

plause, okay gang?

you have about an hour?

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Youth Initiative.

#### If you or anyone you know Silver Lakers showing promise

SCLA presents its 2003 scholarships to two locals

And the winners are schoolwork?

Street and Gennaro Guari- the application was, "Why our dance. Let me say that I no of Belmont Avenue — Do You Love Silver Lake?"

our future physician assistant and chef, respectively. have lived in Silver Lake boy walking through the These two BHS graduates since 1993, and I love Silver neighborhood. One of his shared in a \$500 scholar- Lake for several reasons. It loves is gardening and flowship with funds derived is a very small community ers and he has helped me from our SLCA raffle. Let's filled with warm and gentle out on numerous occasions give them a rousing ap- people. I had enjoyable with planting. He's a fine

wants to attend Pace Uni- many of my former teachversity. I look forward to ers and faculty, which I was tation is given to our schol-So I am sure that she will is the people." make a wonderful physi-

cian's assistant. Wait until ing chef, Gennaro Guarino. waltz with me and The you hear about her ex- This young man wants to Angel-so start practicing. tracurricular activities. Do attend Johnson & Wales or And Joanne we will get one Hudson County CIA.

They include Allied Med-

Key Club, World Language Club, Pep Club, Conflict is where I spent many cher- wishes you both the best to Mediation; tennis, indoor ished moments of my life. I the best. And while you're track, Senior Girl Scouts, love Silver Lake because it in the neighborhood, why St. Anthony's CCD Pro- is such a wonderful commu- not pay a visit to our SLCA (seventh grade nity and I would not give it sign on Franklin Street teacher); St. Anthony's up for the world. My family where you will see your Group (group has lived here for genera- name in lights. leader); Clara Maass Con- tions. I would like to keep it tinuing Care Unit (candy that way. In addition, I love both of you the best in your striper) Cerebral Palsy - the people of Silver Lake future plans and we know Clara Maass, Jersey Care especially my Angel and you can't go wrong, being Marie Strumolo Burke."

Joanne, I wonder, how

## us out whenever he could. One of the questions on One year, he even came to Joanne Mendoza of Lake

This was her response, "I what I call him) as a young memories of attending young man with a head on Ladies first - Joanne School 4, I still remember his shoulders.

meeting this young lady. friendly with. The church is arship winner, or winners, Would you believe her filled with the heart and to be the SLCA's guest at grade average was 100.345? soul of Silver Lake ...which our New Years in November

ical Club, Interact Club, You Love Silver Lake" was: floor.

"This area of Silver Lake

Jerry has attended many member, you have time to do your SLCA meetings and helped SILVER LAKE!

have known Jerry (that's

As is customary, an invi-Dance. And Jerry, one of And now on to our aspir- your other 'obligations' is to of our officers to give you a His response to 'Why Do whirl around the dance

In closing, Silver Lake

Silver Lake wishes the from The Lake. And re-WE LOVE Status quo remains in first council appointments

## Elks hold type 'O' blood drive Tuesday

blood shortage and a special form of identification, such request from The Blood as a driver's license or blood Center of New Jersey, The donor's card. All donors will Belleville Elks Lodge 1123 be given a mini-physical inwill be hosting a special type cluding temperature, blood "O" blood drive on Tuesday pressure, pulse and iron evening, July 15, from 5 p.m. count. A cholesterol screento 9 p.m. at the Belleville ing will also be taken and Elks Hall, 254 Washington the reading will be mailed to Ave.

Giving blood is safe and easy. All materials are ster- Elks Hall on Valley Street. ile, used only once and safely destroyed. The entire proce- ing on Washington Avenue dure takes less than an hour and in the parking lots of and the actual donation two nearby banks. As takes less than 10 minutes.

zens of Belleville and the surrounding communities to roll up their sleeves at this ed at the Regional Blood time to donate blood to this Center at 401 Pleasant special type "O" blood drive and do their part to elimi- Tuesday through Thursday nate this critical blood shortage.

Although this special blood drive is for type "O" positive and type "O" negative, they will also be collect- pointment. When donating ing donations of all blood at the regional blood center, types. Just drop in and donate your blood; no appointment needed.

To be eligible to donate credit for your donation. blood, there must be at least 56 days since your last blood donation, and you have to blood drive will receive a weigh at least 110 pounds. special commemorative T-In addition, remember to eat shirt courtesy of the New a good meal before donating. Jersey Blood Center.

Due to a critical type "O" You also must have a signed the donor's home. Parking is available in the rear of the There is also metered park-

always, all donors will be The Elks are asking citi- covered for any blood emergencies for one year.

Blood also may be donat-Valley Way in West Orange, from noon to 7 p.m., Friday from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Call the donor center at (973) 66-9898 for an apyou may use the Belleville Elks account 2272 and the Belleville Elks will receive

Everyone donating blood during this special type "O"

By Richard Dickon pointment session July 1 ap- ship attorney; Emil Narda- been on the council. peared to be, 'if it ain't broke, chone was re-appointed as don't fix it.'

where the council fills ex- was re-appointed as assispired terms on the planning tant prosecutor; Anthony and zoning boards, selects a Iacullo was re-appointed deputy mayor and chooses public defender and Alfonse the township's legal repre- DeMeo was re-appointed as sentatives, saw no major assistant public defender. shake-ups. That's partially due to the fact that planning town forward on redevelopweek for lack of agreement coming year." on the candidates.

The message sent by the tive year. Thomas Murphy The annual meeting, ney/prosecutor; Marc Calello

"I look toward moving the

Angelo Risoli was unani- used the meeting as an op-

mayor for the third consecu- future, as well as the past. Mayor Jerry Digori re- job this year." Township Council's reap- was re-appointed as town- flected on how long he has

"It's hard to believe this is assistant township attor- my 10th reorganization. Time just goes by," he said.

Of the professional staff, which includes five attorneys and two municipal judges, he said, "You've all done a great job. That's why you're getting a repeat per- Michael Melham said the formance."

Third Ward Councilman and zoning appointments ment," Risoli said. "We will Bill Escott thanked the pro- staff has been re-appointed," were actually put off to this work very hard in the fessionals for "an outstand- he said. "It's a testament to ing job," and made special the job they've done. There Other council members mention of the judges.

mously appointed deputy portunity to also look to the able to move forward," he can handle it."

said. "I expect the same fine

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Second Ward Councilman Thomas Fuscaldo called the professionals' performance "beyond all our expectations. I'm truly happy we've chosen the wisdom of re-appointing all of them, as we continue to try and work for the best for the township."

Fourth Ward Councilman reappointments are historic. "I don't know when a full are a lot of challenges "Without you, we're not coming and the legal staff

**Belleville pooch on its way to championships** 

Lenore Tirgrath and Fella tunity to demonstrate their Greevey will welcome all to all three days. The weekend's petition skills for the third the competition. Fella and apannual All Star Obedience proximately 300 other dogs and Agility championships, will vie for top honors and which will be held in New bragging rights for obedience, Jersey on Aug. 8 to 10.

Hosted by the All Star Per- agility. formance Dog Association at the RexPlex in Elizabeth, the ing from as far away as Ariprestigious tournament will feature the best-trained dogs in North America including 50 breeds, including mixed Tirgrath Collie, Fella.

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The incredible dogs travelzona and Ontario to compete in the tournament represent breeds. All have earned the For Tirgrath and Fella, the titles and high scores rethree-day tournament repre- quired to compete in the toursents a well-deserved oppor- nament. Governor Jim Mc-

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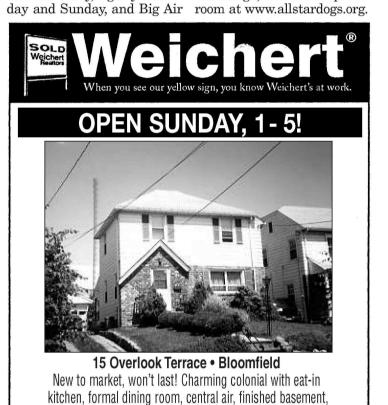
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of Belleville are busy this mastery of the various exer- the event, which he describes highlights also include "Ask month perfecting their com- cises and skills required in as "a forum for educating the the Trainer," "Meet the Dog public on proper dog care and responsible ownership."

derway at 8 a.m. on Friday, Star 2003 Championships August 8. Obedience competi- and the DockDogs Big Air tion is Friday, agility Satur- Challenge, visit the press-

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Alicia F. Bennett of Belleville was named to the degree in business adminisdean's list for the spring se- tration, Maria Herrera mester at William Paterson was also the recipient of one University in Wayne.

Belleville are graduates in awarded shortly before comthe Class of 2003 at Essex mencement. County College: Cynthia Armstrong, Mayra Badillo, Victor Calo, Tracy Duran, Anel Feliciano, Camboa, Kudrat Goswa-

Imran,

Polanco-Lima,

school children.

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idents.

dana, and Luis Silva.

In addition to earning a of the college's fashion enter-The following residents of tainment board scholarships





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## **Bivona**

(Continued from Page A1) association has 270 members who officiate baseball and softball games in Bergen, Passaic, Essex and Hudson Counties.

"The bottom line is that I feel sorry for the guy on the one hand," said Bob Piela, a North Haledon resident who has been a member of the association for close to 40

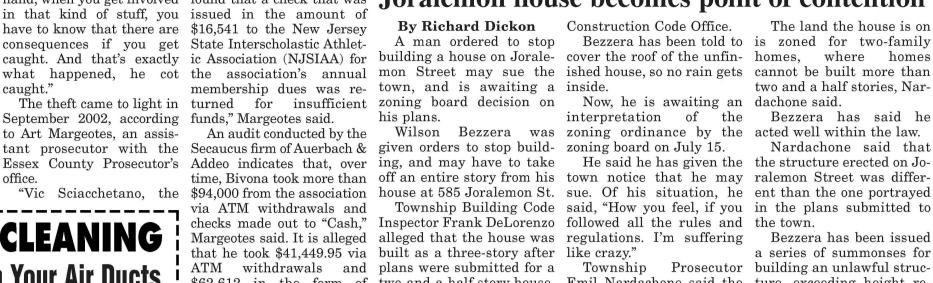
years. "But on the other president of the association, hand, when you get involved found that a check that was Joralemon house becomes point of contention caught."

September 2002, according funds," Margeotes said. to Art Margeotes, an assis-Essex County Prosecutor's office.

"Vic Sciacchetano, the



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that he took \$41,449.95 via ATM withdrawals and \$62,612 in the form of checks. Bivona was allowed Margeotes said that he inspected Bivona to be ar- the plans submitted" the Nardachone said. If he force the property owner to raigned within a week or two.

Paul Jackson of Nutley, Bivona's attorney, would not comment except to say: "It is generally not my policy to comment on pending matters. We anticipate entering a plea of not guilty and we're aware of the investigation."

Efforts to reach Bivona were unsuccesful. Piela added that Bivona had been a "helluva good umpire" and that he was well liked by the association's  $\mathbf{members}$ before these accusations came to light.

"But the bottom line is he did something that was morally wrong," Piela said. "When you mess around like that, you have to be ready for the consequences. Unfortunately for his family, he's News said that it discovered probably going to do some time in jail."

INSURED

**By Richard Dickon** A man ordered to stop town, and is awaiting a inside. his plans.

given orders to stop build- zoning board on July 15. ing, and may have to take time. Bivona took more than off an entire story from his town notice that he may ralemon Street was differ-\$94,000 from the association house at 585 Joralemon St. sue. Of his situation, he ent than the one portrayed

checks made out to "Cash," Inspector Frank DeLorenzo followed all the rules and the town. alleged that the house was regulations. I'm suffering built as a three-story after like crazy. plans were submitted for a two-and-a-half story house. Emil Nardachone said the ture, exceeding height reto take \$2,000 per year in Construction Code office any suit" from Bezzera. his role as secretary-trea- has answered a complaint surer, but the remaining by Bezzera, and upheld De- the zoning board's decision could reach up to \$500 to \$94,000 was not authorized. Lorenzo's decision. Saying, on whether to approve cer- \$1,000.

"The plans do not reflect tain things as a variance, according to a source in the nicipal court, he said.

#### Violence

(Continued from Page A1) squirt guns and a box cutter one high school student used for his after school job.

"A gun is a gun is a gun is a gun," said Belleville Board of Education Member John McManus. "Let's not mix it up." He said that the categories laid out by the state often don't make distinctions between truly hazardous weapons' incidents and more innocuous occurrences, but Belleville has to report them all. He said he'd like to see more distinctions in those categories.

In its report, the Herald last month that Paterson high schools infrequently

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report violent incidents to schools will start to report state officials. In fact, only it?" he asked. "How does the 25 percent of the most seri- state walk in and say, 'Okay, ous offenses were brought to what didn't you report?"

Construction Code Office.

interpretation of the

light. that the state says it wants to stamp out. Where that dent George W. Bush's "No will land Belleville in years to come remains to be seen.

"We're not blind to what other districts do, versus what they're reporting," said McManus. "The state's obviously acknowledging that other schools are hiding it. How they're going to police it is a different story."

When asked if Belleville's ranking will drop next year with the state's harder policy of scofflaws, Mc-Manus was hesitant.

"Who's to say that those

The land the house is on Bezzera has been told to is zoned for two-family building a house on Jorale- cover the roof of the unfin- homes, where homes two and a half stories, Nar-Now, he is awaiting an dachone said.

Bezzera has said he Wilson Bezzera was zoning ordinance by the acted well within the law.

Nardachone said that He said he has given the the structure erected on Jo-Township Building Code said, "How you feel, if you in the plans submitted to

Bezzera has been issued a series of summonses for Township Prosecutor building an unlawful struc-Now the Essex County town "is not in receipt of quirements and lacking property maintenance. The Everything is pending fines from each summons

The town could also decision is "hereby upheld," loses, he faces fines in mu-scale down the original size.

Schools have their rea-It's this kind of cheating sons for keeping their veneer clean. Under Presi-Child Left Behind Act of 2001" students who attend schools that are "persistently dangerous" will be able to transfer elsewhere.

> McManus said he had no idea how districts would handle such influxes or exoduses of students, but that it would not be easy either way.

## Roadblock

(Continued from Page A1) in November and March of 2002.

In November, from 9:30 p.m. to 3 a.m., there were 770 vehicles that passed through, and 152 were stopped for initial screening. Every fifth vehicle is stopped. Of those stopped, 27 were held for secondary screenings.

That resulted in 16 motor vehicle summonses, and two arrests for DWI, with one person refusing a Breathalyzer test.

In March, 987 vehicles were stopped, with 172 stopped for initial screenings Of those, 53 were held for secondary screening. A total of 14 motor vehicle summonses were given out. Nine arrests were made, including two DWI, with one refusing a Breathalyzer test, three for possession of a controlled dangerous substance, and two for underage drinking. Police served 18 active warrants on those arrested.



Thursday, July 10, 2003



## News in brief

#### **Council to meet** Monday night

Tuesday's public session of the Township Council was cancelled out of respect for the family of Councilman Michael Melham, whose father, Richard Melham, passed away Saturday.

The meeting has been rescheduled for Monday, July 14 at 7 p.m. The council is expected to make appointments to the planning and zoning board, which it failed to do at its annual appointment meeting July 1. Also, prior to the meeting, the council will meet with developers Woodmont Properties regarding the Valley Redevelopment Plan.

#### **New students** must register

Central Registration for new students, K-12, will take place at School 1, 190 Cortlandt St. at the following times:

• Monday, August 11 through Friday, August 22, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

• Monday August 25 through Friday, August 29 and Tuesday, Sept. 2 through Friday, Sept. 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

• Monday, Sept. 15, through Friday, Sept. 19, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Registration is also available by appointment only, by calling (973) 450-3489.

#### Thursday, July 10, 2003



PLEASE NOTE: Items for Opera Forum. Preceded by Area Events must reach afternoon tea in the underus by 3 p.m. the Friday croft. before publication at the latest. The events page goes to press on Friday.

#### Fairs, flea markets, etc.....

Summer fair and flea market, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 12, Christ Episcopal Church, 393 Washington Ave., Belleville.

**Treasure Chest at Cerebral Palsy Center**, 7 Sanford Ave., Belleville, Tuesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more info, 751-0200.

Auxiliary Women's Thrift Shop, to benefit Nutley Family Service Bureau, 172 Chestnut St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thrift shop, Bloomfield **Presbyterian Church**, 147 Broad St., across from Bloomfield High School, 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Wednesday and Friday; 10 a.m. to noon Saturday. For info, 743-2809. \$5 bag sale through June 21.

Center for Hospice Care Thrift Shop, open Tuesdays, 51 N. Fullerton give to instructor at first Sr. of Melbourne, Fla. Ave., Montclair.

#### Fundraisers...

Bus ride to Caesar's, July 20. Bus leaves Hathaway's Feedbag, 36 Broad St., Bloomfield at 8:45 a.m. Continental breakfast at Feedbag 8 to 8:45 a.m. Sandwiches, snacks, drinks, games on return. \$25 with \$12 coin return. Sponsored by Belleville Chapter of Unico National. No seats held. Must be prepaid. For info, Manny and Pat Alfano, (973) 429-7363. Checks made payable to Belleville Unico to Pat Alfano, 97 Irving Terr., Bloomfield, 07003.

Big Band Night, 8 p.m. last Monday of the month, Belleville Knights of Columbus #835, Bridge St. For info, call (973) 759-9656.

Free blood pressure readings, by registered nurse, 10 a.m. to noon every other Friday, Nutley Red Cross, 169 Chestnut St. No appointment necessary. For more info, call (973) 667-3818.

VFW District 4 blood bank, 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. July 24, VFW Post 493, 271 Washington Ave., Nutley. All types needed. Call (973) 235-9661 for directions.

Bus ride to Shea Stadium, July 26. Mets vs. Reds. Tom Glavine Bobblehead Doll Night. Bus leaves Hoffmann-LaRoche main gate on Kingsland St., Nutley, at 5 p.m. \$45. For tickets, call (973) 235-4458. Sponsored by HLR Employee Association.

55 Alive defensive driving course, 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Sept. 8, 15, Belleville Senior Building, \$10. Make checks out to AARP Chapter #2051 and class. Bring lunch or snack. Coffee and tea will be provided. Completion of course Joseph Dwyer, celebrated presented to one's auto insurance provider for a three year discount on auto insurance. To register, call Marie at (973) 751-3137.

Office of the County Clerk, passports, notary public oaths, veterans licenses, filing of physicians' pictures. Bring your own. Be train. there at least one half hour before closing.

Summer playgroups, sponsored by Essex County Chapter of Mothers & More

# **OCIAL NEWS**



Carla M. Pugliese, Martin J. Dean wed

corner of Franklin Avenue became the bride Oct. 20, a

cardo, assisted by Deacon lilies in fall colors. Savoy, Florham Park.

licenses. No senior cards. No and hemline of the chapel ringbearer.

stephanotis.

Christine Hoch of West- cream sheath accented with

Carla M. Pugliese, daugh- ball gowns of matte satin, ter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert the junior bridesmaid wore a Pugliese, Sr. of Nutley, sleeveless cream gown with contrasting and Mill Street, Belleville. 2002 of Martin J. Dean, son bronze/goldleaf sash and the of Mrs. Donna Dean of flower girls, in long white Wharton and Mark Dean, dresses, carried baskets of rose petals. The others had

The Rev. Msgr. Peter Zac- bouquets of roses and calla Analeigh Olivia Gardner

Herb Miller of Long Pond offers a certificate which can the nuptial Mass in Holy served as best man. Usher-Family Church, Nutley. A re- ing were Mark Dean, Jr. of ception followed at The Park Wharton, brother of the and Robert groom, The bride, escorted by her Pugliese, Jr. of New Milfather, wore a strapless ball ford, brother of the bride. gown of silk organza, em- Robert Sente, Jr. of Saddle bellished with appliques of Brook, cousin of the bride, Alencon lace and accented was junior usher and Jameby Swarovski crystals and son Dean of Wharton, seed pearls on the bodice nephew of the groom, was

> Mrs. Pugliese chose a A tiara of matching crys- black cherry/ruby off-thetals and pearls held her shoulder gown of European cathedral length veil and silk trimmed with crystals groom's mother was in a Lancaster for the return trip issued.

## RRIVALS

Analeigh Olivia Gardner weight was 7 pounds, 4

Analeigh Olivia, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gard- Erika Cordts, daughter of ner of Westminster, Md. May Dick and Gladys Cordts of 27 at Carroll County Com- Long Beach Island. Mr. munity Hospital, Westmin- Bacik is the son of Alice ster. Birth weight was 10 Bacik of Clifton and the late pounds, 4 ounces.

Mrs. Gardner is the former Karie Hadley, daugh- Daniel Gerard Albanese ter of Sharon and Paul Hadley of Forest City, Pa. Gerard, was born to Mr. and She is a speech pathologist Mrs. Frank Albanese of with the Carroll County Branchburg April 21 at school system. Mr. Gardner, Somerset Medical Center, son of Janet Gardner of Somerville. Birth weight Nutley and the late Donald was 7 pounds, 9 ounces. Gardner, is a special education teacher at Carroll County High School and head wrestling coach at Mc-Daniel College, Westminster.



#### Ava Kathryn Bacik

Belleville

A second child, a daughter, Ava Kathryn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rich Bacik of Nutley June 9 at Englewood Hospital, Englewood. Birth

#### Bus trip to Lancaster outlets July 26

Reformed at 4 p.m.

Church is sponsoring a bus Refreshments will be trip to the discount mall out- served on the bus. lets in Lancaster, Pennsylva-

Tickets are \$20 and may be reserved by calling Betty Buses will leave from in at (973) 751-2262, Carol at front of the church, corner of (973) 762-5419 or Marge at Main and Rutgers streets, at (973) 759-4636 as soon as she carried ivory roses and and bugle beads. The 8 a.m. sharp and will leave possible. No refunds will be

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A first child, a daughter, ounces. She joins Richard, 4. Mrs. Bacik is the former John Bacik.

A first child, a son, Daniel

Mrs. Albanese is the former Dannine Soares, daughter of Anthony and Jacqueline Soares of Warren. She is an English teacher at Warren Middle School, Warren. Mr. Albanese, son of Gerald and Rosemarie Albanese of Nutley, is vice president/partner with Feury Marketing Inc., Newark.



Photo courtesy of the family **Daniel Gerard Albanese** 

Bus trip to discount mall outlets in Lancaster, Pa., July 26. Bus leaves from Belleville Reformed Church, corner Main and Rutgers streets at 8 a.m. Leaves Lancaster at 4 p.m. No refunds. \$20 includes bus and refreshments on bus. Reserve immediately. For reservations/ info, call Betty at (973) 751-2262, Carol at (973) 762-5419 or Marge at (973) 759-4636.

Trip to Nova Scotia, Sept. 15-20. \$679 per person, double occupancy. Single supplement \$165 additional. Includes five nights, five breakfasts, five dinners (including lobster), St. John, Magnetic Hill, Halifax, Peggy's Cove, Citadel, Annapolis Valley and Fort Anne National Park, Evangeline Trail, Grand Pre, Campobello Island, cruise on "The Cat." Sponsored by Nutley Parkside Tenants Association. For info and/or reservations, call Louise Iovino at Class (973) 661-0096.

#### Other events....

"Cosi Fan Tutti," 5 p.m. July 13, Christ Episcopal Church, 393 Washington Ave., Belleville. Live concert performed by New York

for Playgroups in the Park, 9:30 a.m. Mondays in July in Brookdale Community Park. Free, no RSVPs necessary. For more info, contact Mothers & More at www.essexmoms.org or call 1-800-699-2466, press # and then enter mailbox 663-229-1234.

**Summer Festival at Platz** Brauhause, Pomona, N.Y., Aug. 14. \$50 includes swimming, line dancing, music, bocce ball, card playing, gift shop, shuffleboard, games, barbecue luncheon from noon to 1 p.m., followed by chicken or roast beef dinner at 4 p.m., beer and soda from noon to 5 p.m., Danish, donuts, coffee, tea and decaf on arrival. Sponsored by Watsessing Park Tuesday Senior Club. All pick-ups and returns at Bloomfield library parking lot. Parking available with proper sign from club. For reservations and/or more info, call Audrey Cristiano at (973) 450-1051.

reunions...

Belleville 1963, Sept. 6, 2003, Knights of Columbus Hall, Council 835. \$40. For info, call (973) 759-2703.

Nutley 1973, "Day of Nostalgia," November 2003. For more info, call Class

Bridesmaids included Kim jacket. DeScetto or Rockaway and Susan Hollywood of Bloom- Pennsylvania State Univerfield, cousin of the bride. sity at State College, is an Jeanne Austin Suarez at Marissa Dean of Wharton, daughter of the groom, was Block Advertising, Verona. junior bridesmaid and Cynthia Miller of Long Pond, Penn. and Sabrina Sente of Saddle Brook, cousin of the bride, were flower girls.

The attendants were in honeymoon on strapless bronze/goldleaf Cayman Island.

President Steve Salamon at (410) 785-3328 or Class Treasurer JoAnn Argieri-Hanly at (973) 667-8319.

> Nutley 1953, 50th reunion, Sept. 12, 2003. For info, call Audrey Librizzi, (973) 667-4547.

Nutley 1983, Nov. 28, LaReggia, Secaucus. For info or with names, addresses of classmates, call Karen Genitempo, (973) 743-3486. Also, register at classmates.com. if possible.

Belleville 1983, Nov. 28. For info, call Lenny Russo at (973) 450-8471.

Nutley 1963, Oct. 24. For info, call Barbara Cure at (973) 398-0911.

union, Sept. 20-21. Hospital- Kapuscinski at (973) 751ity suite, noon to 6 p.m. Sept. 1323. 20, Ramada Inn, Rt. 3, Clifton. Dinner Saturday night at Nutley Elks. Westin Hotel. For info or

wood was matron of honor. beaded trim and matching with names of classmates,

Mrs. Dean, an alumna of account coordinator with

Mr. Dean is owner and president of Dean Electric Co., Rockaway.

The couple is living in Lake Hiawatha following a Grand

Brunch Sunday at Ramada Inn. For info, call Bruce Montgomery, (973) 377-7459 or e-mail Joe Gillies at vijoe23@worldnet.ATT.net.

Bloomfield 1971, Oct. 11, Forest Hill Field Club, Bloomfield. Fiftieth birthday celebration. For more info, email BHS Class71@aol.com or write to BHS Class of '71, 1246 Broad St., Suite 202, Bloomfield.

Nutley 1968, Nov. 28, Chandelier, Belleville. Call Lillian Dimichino DeFilippis at (973) 667-4693 or Connie Gonnella at (973) 364-9865 with addresses of former classmates.

Nutley 1948, Sept. 6. For info or with names of class-Nutley 1958, 45th re- mates, call Florence DeLage

Belleville 1973, Nov. 29,

call Brian Banda at (973) 759-4568, Anthony Calabrese at (973) 661-0771 or suarezj01@aol.com.

nia, Saturday, July 26.

Barringer, Newark, Jan. and June 1953, Oct. 3, 2003. Marie Cifelli, (973) 667-7340; East Orange 1952, Oct. 26. Louis Lasalle, (973) 226-8927 or Nick at NDonatiello@progidy.net.

#### Meetings...

AARP Nutley Chapter #2052, 1 p.m. second Thursday, 44 Park Ave. (new senior citizens building). New members welcome, but must have paid-up AARP National card to join. Annual dues: \$3, payable now. Meetings: Sept. 11: Mary Jo Schrieber, MSN, RN of NJ Stroke Activity 5595 or email tricountycam-Center; Oct. 9: nomination of officers; Nov. 13: election of officers. Trips: Oct. 23: Hunterdon Hills Playhouse, Clinton. "Never Too Late" with Charlie Prose. \$69 in- Broad St. Refreshments cludes lunch; Dec. 3: Sight & Sound, East Earl, Pa. "Miracludes lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord; Dec. 10: Christmas party, Victor's 751-4519.

AARP Belleville Chapter #2051, 1 p.m. first Wednesdays, Senior Citizens Building, 125 Franklin Ave. \$3 dues plus national membership card. Trips: Sept. 21-25, Wildwood Crest and Cape May, five days and four nights, \$220 per person, double, \$294 single. Includes four breakfasts, four dinner shows, oceanfront motel with elevator, day in Atlantic City; Oct. 16: Platzl Brauhaus, Octoberfest. \$50; Nov. 18, Radio City Christmas show with lunch or dinner, \$85 with transportation. \$20 deposit immediately to hold space. For reservations, call Muriel at (973) 759-8768 or Ann Stumpe at (973) 759-3202.

Camera **Tri-County** Club, 8 p.m., Nutley Museum, 65 Church St. For more info, call (973) 235era@yahoo.com.

AARP Chapter 57, 1 p.m. third Thursdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Community Service/Craft cle of Christmas." \$73 in- Guild meetings, 1 p.m. first Thursdays, Civic Center.

Court Gratia #751, Chateau, Little Falls. Instal- Catholic Daughters of the lation of officers. Cost for all Americas, 8 p.m. 1st and 3rd trips includes gratuities. For Mondays, St. Mary's School info, call Corinne at (973) meeting room, Msgr. Owens (See Events on Page B5)

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## **Church news from in and around Belleville's houses of worship**

#### **Fellowship and** music at Christ Episcopal

has announced its summer requested from the parish's laying-on-of-hands Sunday, July 20 at 10 a.m. the regular 10 a.m. Mass.

for on a regular basis as part of

Christ Episcopal Church laying-on-of-hands may be church at (973) 751-0616.

public service of healing clergy at any time, a public Forum will present a live Essex streets, in Belleville. with anointing and the service of healing is offered concert performance of Formore information, phone Tutti" on Sunday, July 13 at

The Rev. Paul Walker, vicar Christ Episcopal Church 5 p.m. at Christ Episcopal. of Christ Church, will offici-is located at 393 Washington The performance will be preate and preach. While re- Ave., between Joralemon ceded by afternoon tea in the Expedition quests for prayers for heal- and Essex streets. For more parish's undercroft. Christ ing with anointing and the information, phone the Episcopal Church is located at 393 Washington Avenue, The New York Opera between Joralemon and Mozart's opera Cosi Fan the parish at (973) 751-0616.

Singer heats up festival

Miracles of Jesus, July 14 to

18, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. It is an interactive learning experience for children, ages three to 17, that Little Zion UAME Church is a fun way to learn about at 154 Stephens St. will be Jesus by exploring the miraholding a new Bible school program called The Jesus cles reported in the Bible. For more information, or to Expedition, Exploring the

(973) 751-0371.

#### Belleville **Reformed seeks** vendors

register, call Josephine at

The Belleville Reformed Church, corner of Main and Rutgers streets, is seeking vendors for a flea market at the church on Saturday, Sept. 13, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Price per space is \$12 if you use your own table or \$15 if you use a church table. Call Betty at (973) 751-2262, Carol at (973) 762-5419 or Marge at (973) 759-4636 for more information or to reserve a table.

The Belleville Reformed Church is also sponsoring a trip to the discount mall outlets in Lancaster Penn., on Saturday, July 26. For details, see Social News, page

#### **SCUBA** vacation **Bible school at River of Life**

Join Captain J. Cousteau (Kids' Pastor Joe Rodriguez) and his crew every night from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. from July 14 through July 18. Children ages 6-12 are invited to be part of this great summer adventure with exciting features like a nightly movie adventure on large screen, snacks that kids make themselves, high impact indoor and outdoor games, hand made crafts, amazing interactive Bible stories, and much more. Registration is free, but space is limited. To register your child, call the church office at (973) 759-0726, or down-

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• Visit nursing homes, speak with staff and residents, and ask questions.

• Talk to people who know about nursing home care, such as the New Jersey Office of the Ombudsman at 1-877-582-6995.

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Belleville's Elsa Castro recently auditioned for a New York panel, which pinned her as the headliner for the spiritual "What You Want It To Be Arts Festival" in New York this July. Castro has been a professional vocalist over a decade. Stemmed in Latin flavor, her voice has been compared with Rocio Durcal. Some of the Selections will include: Por Amor, Amor Eterno. She will appear on Friday, July 11 and Saturday evening July 12. Castro has toured the New Jersey Restaurant Circuit and was featured in the New York Garabaldi Festival.





load the registration form online www.RiverofLifeWeb.com (click on the fish!)

#### **Bethany offers Bible study**

Pastor Nancy Moore of Bethany Lutheran Church (corner of Joralemon and New streets, Belleville) is now teaching weekly, hourlong, Bible study classes on Wednesday evenings beginning at 6 p.m. (enter via the side door on New Street). Everyone in the community is welcome to these lessons and discussions.

#### Summer fair and flea market

Christ Episcopal (Anglican) Church has announced its annual Summer Fair and Flea Market for Saturday, July 12, beginning at 9 a.m. The rain date for the fair and flea market is Sunday, July 19.

Vendors wishing to register for the flea market are asked to contact the parish office for a registration form.

In addition, the parish is receiving donations for its own flea market tables. Individuals wishing to make contributions are asked to contact the parish at (973) 751-0616.

Christ Church is located at 393 Washington Ave., between Joralemon and Essex streets, in Belleville. For more information, phone the parish at (973) 751-0616.

#### Pantry open at Little Zion

Little Zion U.A.M.E. Church, 154 Stephens Street, has an emergency food pantry. The pantry services are available each third and fourth Saturdays 10 a.m. to 12 noon and Wednesdays 2:30 to 3 p.m. Proof of income is required. Call (973) 751-0371.



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#### **Proper care** after knee surgery is very important

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practor, 858 Joralemon St., Belleville NJ 07109, (973)



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brating the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul on June 29. Clockwise, from left, Deborah Lopez, eight, gets ready to launch a beach ball at her sister; Lidia Grillo has her eyes covered by her son Ivan Flores, seven; behind them standing are Irene Castro, her husband Sergio and their son Juan, three; seated to the right are Maria Caceres and her twin daughters, Karen and Deborah, eight; Gary Hinton, president of the Community Building Group at St. Peter's Church, grills up some burgers; John Tague checks

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## **OOKMARKS**

#### **Children love the library** ing Storytimes for children read and grow at Shafter. On and we love them

The renovation of the Children's Room at the litivities under the direction hour of games, stories and of our children's librarian, songs. Books for Babies will Sarah Pardi.

are taking place for babies, toddlers and preschoolers. Call the circulation desk at 450-3434 for details.

In addition, a few shelves of children's books for differ- to 10:45 a.m. Children will ent age groups have been set hear wonderful stories, parfor circulation and Ms. Pardi and our adult reference staff are available at sll times to reference questions.

#### Other options for getting books for your children

While the renovation of the Children's Room continues at the library, a few carts of children's books are available at the main branch for circulation.

In addition, the Shafter Branch Library in School 4 is open Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 2 to 5 p.m.

In addition, those patrons with REBL cards may take out books from other libraries in the area. REBL cards are available at the main branch circulation desk.

#### Shafter reopens five afternoons a week

Frederick Lewis, supervisor of Belleville Public Library and Information Center's Shafter Branch, has announced that the branch will once again be open every weekday from 2 to 5 p.m.

The Shafter Branch is housed in Belleville School 4 on Magnolia Avenue. The telephone number is (973) 450 - 3438.

#### Students and adults to share poetry

Poetry classes meet every second Monday of the month at 1 p.m. in the Stacks Room. As always, the discus-

of all ages.

be held every Tuesday morn-A full range of storyhours ing from 11 a.m. until 11:45 a.m.

and up, a Grow with Books class will be offered Wednesday mornings from 10 a.m. aside in the library's lobby ticipate in activities with and chess tournaments. other children and complete a simple craft.

other class times. Call the library for more details.

Storytime is a great opportunity to expose children Have a great summer! to reading as well as a chance to meet other children and parents, take out books and participate in fun activities and projects. When you join, your child will have a great time while taking steps toward reading readiness. Siblings are welcome during the summer months.

The library will also be presenting its annual summer program series, Eight Great Live Monday Nights. Every Monday evening, beginning July 7 at 7:30 p.m., families can come to the library to see great live performers. Don't miss out - call the library at (973) 450-3434, check the website at www.bellepl.org/croom or drop into the library for complete registration information.

#### **Read and Grow@Your Li**brary

The Shafter Branch Library, 30 Magnolia St., is joining other libraries in New Jersey with a program all, "Read and for Grow@Your Library."

All parents are to sponsor reading activities during the summer. Recall that the reading of stories, information and participation in

select Mondays at 10:45 Books for Babies is a class a.m., there will be a storyfor children 0-2 1/2. Young time by volunteers for young brary may be taking longer children and their parents children and also a card than we expected, but we will visit the library for 15 trade. However, Tuesdays still welcome Belleville's minutes of free play with will bring movies at 10:30 children for many great ac- other children and a half a.m. with children's favorites and familiar sites.

year.

live performances.

If crafts are something you enjoy, be sure to sign up for all the Wednesday crafts. Thursday activities will in-For children ages three clude Teen Improvement Days and on select dates, the jugglers, magicians, story-Sewing Circle. The end of the week will feature select more. This is a great opporgames for different ages and feature continuous checker and their parents to have

Plan to visit the Shafter Branch Library during the Two other times will be summer of 2003 and particihelp with homework and open for children who may pate in its activities. Pick up not be able to attend the a summer schedule at the Shafter library, 30 Magnolia St. at School No. Four. Call (973) 450-3438 for details.

#### **Teen Improvement Days**

The Shafter Branch Library, 30 Magnolia St., has set aside Thursdays, July 10, 17 and Aug. 7 as Teen Improvement Days. All teens are reminded to visit the library, to obtain reading items and to visit the career/computer area.

An opportunity will be available to obtain employment data and also career information. All teens are expected to get career information from the resources available. Also, college catalogs will be on hand for personal use. Teens should bring a

friend to the Teen Improvement Days with the object of self-actualization.

Shafter is open 9 a.m. to 12 noon during the summer.

#### **Internet class**

The library is offering an Internet class on Tuesday, Aug. 12. Using the Library Com-

puter Catalog (OPAC) To Locate Library Materials will be offered at 2 p.m. The class will be taught by Frederick Lewis, supervising librarian.

Register for each class at he circulation desk

Participants must be fa-

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**'8** Great Live Monday today to sign up.

Nights', Storytimes The James J. Cozzarelli fering storytimes for chil- gles Jr. Children's Room will predren of all ages. Contact the sent its annual summer pro- library for more information gram series, "8 Great Live about the storytime sched-Monday Nights" again this ule.

For more information Every Monday evening at about either of these programs, come in or call the library at (973) 450-3434 or check the Cozzarelli Children's Room website at www.bellepl.org/croom. There you will find information on all the summer programs. We can't wait to see you here this summer.

The series includes:

some fun and spend time to-• July 14: Ned Gelfars, gether this summer at the li- juggler extraordinaire

brary. These shows are free, • July 21: The Lizard but registration is required. Guys get you up close to Call or stop into the library snakes, lizards and more

The library will also be of- Clown will give you the gig-• Aug. 4: Joe Fischer's ul-

timate magic show • Aug. 11: Mr. Malcolm tells fantastic stories

• July 28: Chubby the

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• Aug. 18: Hocus Pocus. Bob Conrad's magic and puppet show

• Aug. 25: Get into the act with Kids Costumed Capers

#### **Book sale continues**

The Friends of the Library giant book sale is continuing upstairs in the Carnegie Room. Adult and children's hardcover and paperbacks are still available at a price so reasonable you will not be able to resist. And remember, all proceeds from the book sale benefit the li-



7:30 p.m. from July 7 to Aug. 25, families can come to the library to join a variety of This year, the acts include tellers, animals and much tunity for children of all ages

sions will be ably led by poet Alice Johansen.

#### Library seeks old yearbooks

from the high school and the middle school.

Years needed are: anything before 1932, 1935, 1937, 1942-45, 1949-51, 1961-65, 1968-76, 1980, 1982-84, 1993, 1996-97, 2000-2002.

If anyone has a yearbook to donate, please call the library at 450-3434 or just drop it off at 221 Washington Ave. during library hours.

#### Summer activities for families

Construction is still underway at the library's children's room, but children and their families can still participate in some fun activities this summer.

The library will be offer-

#### **Clara Maass** holds pain seminar on Wednesdays

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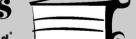


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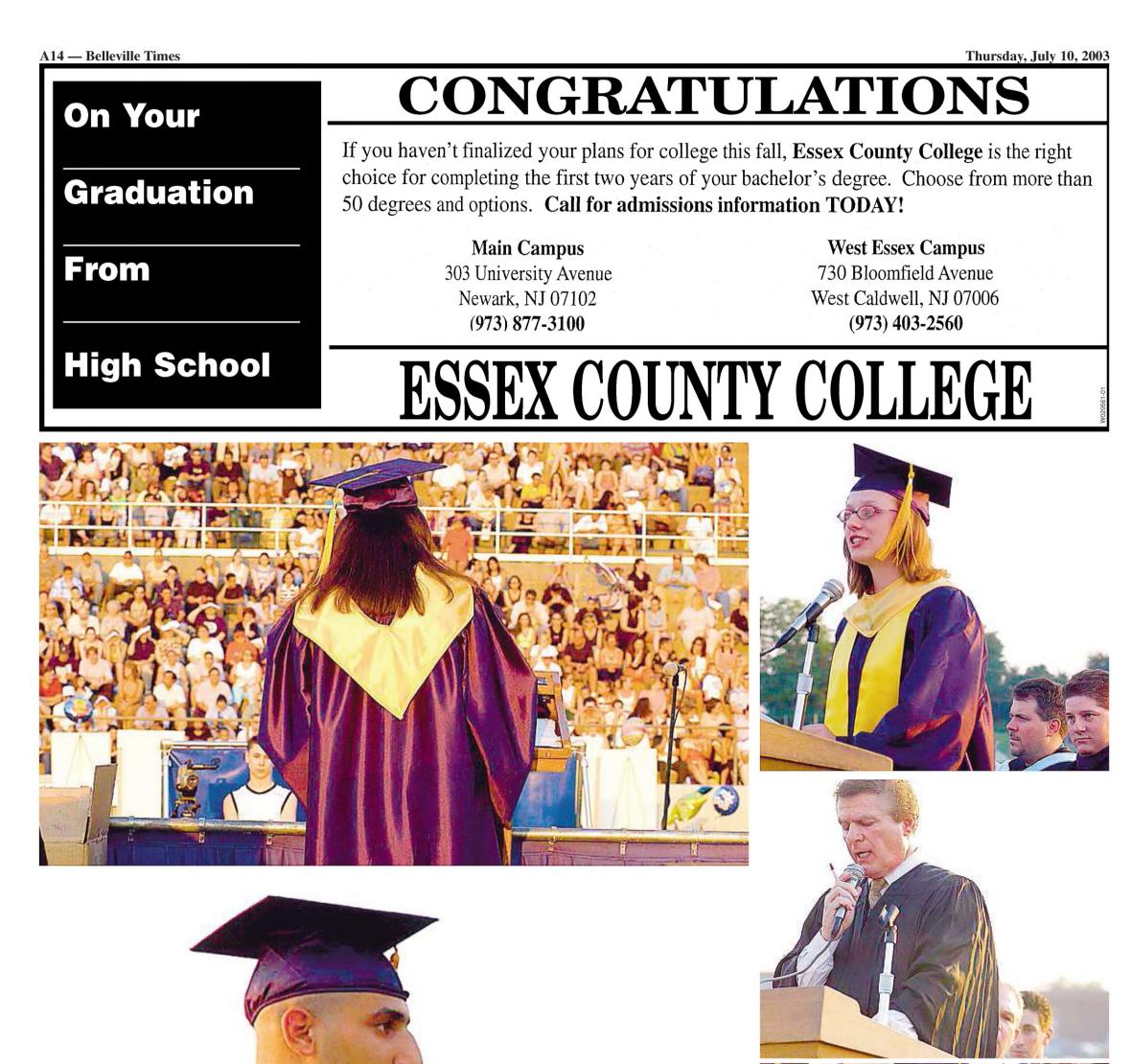
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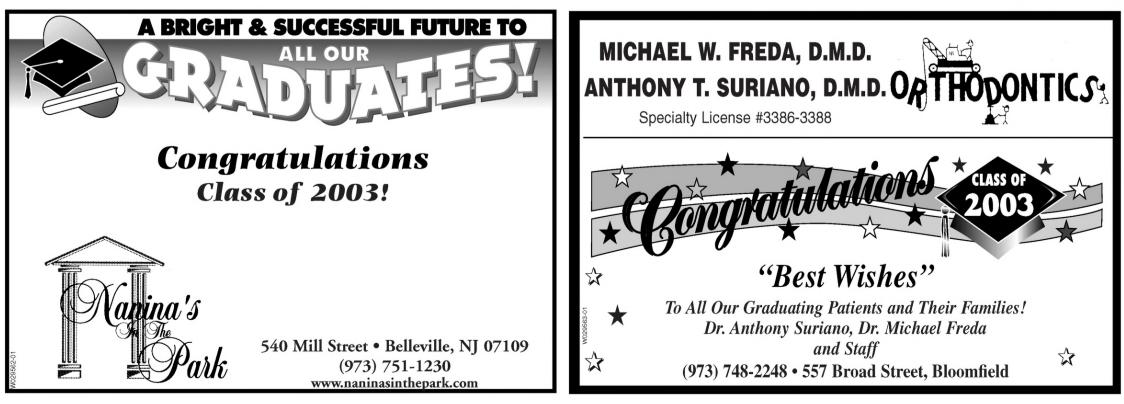




Steve DeVries/staff photographer Some parting words of wisdom

School and student leaders spoke parting words of encouragement at the Belleville High School 106th Commencement June 24. Clockwise from above, honorary guest speaker Ahmed Darwish ended his address with a sincere show of love

for his family; Senior Class President Diana DeSantis was the first student to welcome the hundreds in attendance; Salutatorian Celestine Compton speaks as the sun goes down; Principal Joseph Petrillo presents the Class of 2003; senior choral members opens the ceremonies with patriotic and commencement songs; Valedictorian Therese Joy Rodis Dublin gives her commencement address.



# ELLEVILLE SPORTS

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### Sunset Classic Top Honors TOP MALE FINISHERS

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1.Hector Rivera	Clifton,NJ		32M	U	509	26:24	5:17			
2.Rob Defilippis	Tinton Falls, N	J	31M	U	455	26:27	5:17			
3.Oskar Nordenbring	Bloomfield, NJ		17M	B	543	26:29	5:18			
4.Kevin Fortkiewicz	Bloomfield,NJ		18M	В	89	27:16	5:27			
5.Mario Souza	Lyndhurst, NJ		40M	U	304	27:31	5:30			
6.Rick Pingitore	Westfield, NJ		44M	U	260	28:11	5:38			
7.Bob Bythell	Hazlet,NJ		41M	<b>T</b> T	406	28:19	5:40			
8.William Knowlton	Montclair, NJ		18M	U	753	28:43	5:45			
9.Arland Macasieb	Clifton, NJ		27M	<b>T T</b>	708	28:45	5:45			
10.Gregory Mullins	Randolph, NJ		28M	U	231	28:50	5:46			
	TOP FE	MALE	FINISI	HERS						
1.Doris Correa	Bloomfield, NJ		36F	BU	472	31:34	6:19			
2.Bonnie Linton	Hackettstown,	NJ	30F		175	31:52	6:22			
3.Carol Yoon	Closter, NJ		28F		564	32:23	6:29			
4.Poppi Gostkowski	Wyckoff, NJ		38F	U	474	34:29	6:54			
5.Arwen Lawson	Bloomfield, NJ		32F	В	171	34:52	6:58			
6.Emma Wilson	Bloomfield, NJ		19F	В	344	34:53	6:59			
7.Pam Fales	Boonton, NJ		43F	U	83	35:30	7:06			
8.Megan Williams	Nutley, NJ		17F	U	341	35:52	7:10			
9.Suzanne Neglia	Andover, NJ		21F		236	35:58	7:12			
10.Lisa Garrone	New York, NY		36F		94	36:08	7:14			
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4.Danny Murphy	Glen Ridge, NJ	Ī	47M	U	751	30:11	6:02			
5.David Appaluccio	Wayne, NJ		42M		500	30:37	6:07			
6.Jim Grizzetti	West Caldwell,	NJ	40M	U	452	30:54	6:11			
7.Jorge Madrazo	Nutley, NJ		40M		403	31:19	6:16			
8.Charlie Slaughter	Parsippany, NJ		48M	U	497	31:58	6:24			
9.Will Deroberts	Boonton, NJ		46M	U	71	32:00	6:24			
10.John Dobrowski	East Windsor, 1	NJ	44M	U	441	32:18	6:28			
TOP FEMALE MASTERS FINISHERS										
1.Pam Fales	Boonton, NJ		43F	U	83	35:30	7:06			
2.Susan Humaw	Montville, NJ		46F	U	463	36:45	7:21			
3.Lorraine Mcphillips	Basking Ridge,	NJ	48F	U	545	36:45	7:21			
4.Sharon Morrissey	West Caldwll, I		41F		786	38:40	7:44			
5.Joann Coffee	Somerset, NJ		54F	U	51	39:49	7:58			
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7.Barbara Brannon	Kearny, NJ		48F	U	417	40:50	8:10			
8.Michele Faul	Bedminster, N.	J	40F	U	419	41:15	8:15			
9.Janet Bodle	Greenbrae, CA		54F		723	41:30	8:18			
10.Martta Rose	Montclair, NJ		45F	U	274	42:31	8:30			

## **Annual Sunset Classic** raises funds for charity

#### **By Michael Perrota** THE RACE:

for a group to break out never runs indoors. ahead of the pack.

man race.

ippis and Oskar Norden- Be cautious." bring battled for the honor of being the winner of the later.

after a race.'

was pleased that he could bers of the community who win the race after lack of are between the ages of 15- to put people and some of training time, although he 21 to become independent our equipment was down, said he was displeased with and prepare for the future. but we still had over 500 his time.

future."

since 1995, he has won a "It's a true team effort," he large number of races, in- said. "It's a great day of Bloomfield and the surcluding the 21st Annual everyone in the community rounding towns," he added. Montclair Run held last working together. And it's "We need more community month. An outstanding for a great cause - educa- events to bring people tomarathon runner, he is cur- tion."

rently training for Boston and Chicago. His weekly American Savings Bank, The race began with 600 training regimen consists of ABB Lummus Global Inc., competitors at the starting running 80-100 miles a Pharma Chem, Brookdale line. But it didn't take long week, rain or shine. He Shoprite, St. Valentine's

At first it was a group of fered advice to those eager Realty Inc., Bloomfield 50. It was shortened to 20 to get involved in competi- PBA, Guiliano's Luncheon, and then 10. At the halfway tive running. "The keys are Obal's Inn, Sea Breeze Auto point, it became a three- consistency and determina- and Tire Clinic, Grand an race. tion," but he warned, Rental Station, Snap2O, Hector Rivera, Rob Defil- "Racing is very addictive. Decker Tape, Gaccione,

THE EVENT:

16th Annual Sunset Classic a five year hiatus but re- Bloomfield FMBA, Nevada 5K Race. Fierce competitors turned thee years ago due Diner, Provident Savings until they crossed the finish to the hard work of the Bank and McCarthy Apline, they all congratulated Bloomfield Runner's Club. praisal Services, Inc. each other when the race The proceeds (\$20 to run in ended in the confines of the the five-mile race, \$10 to lower than expected, but Foley Field track. Rivera run in the one-mile race Guiliano credited that to was the winner with a time and \$5 for the children's the rough winter. of 26:24, with his two com- race, plus donations) are petitors finishing seconds given to the V.E.S.T. pro- poor, a lot of runners didn't gram. The Vocational, Edu- train as much as they usu-"It's a great feeling," said cation and Special Training ally do." Rivera. "There is nothing program serves chidlren of like crossing the finish line need in the Essex County was outstanding compared area. The program, which is to last year, when heavy Rivera, battling back run out of Bloomfield rain and lightning complifrom a joint injury, said he Middle School, helps mem- cated the event.

"I've run better," he said. race organizers, said the season. That just proves "And I will run better in the event could not have taken how dedicated people in place if it wasn't for the this area are to aiding these A competitive runner sponsors and volunteers. types of causes," he said.

The race is sponsored by Athletic Club, Fleet Feet After his win, Rivera of- Sport, Pinnacle Rental Pomaco and Beck, Bloomfield Center Alliance, Propel The Sunset Classic took Fitness Water, Town Pub,

The turnout was a little

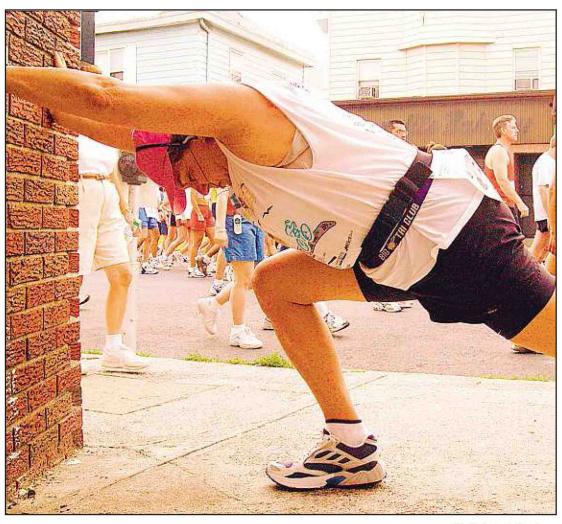
"The weather was so

But he said this event

"We weren't sure where Paul Giuliano, one of the finishers of the race last

> "It's a great day for gether."

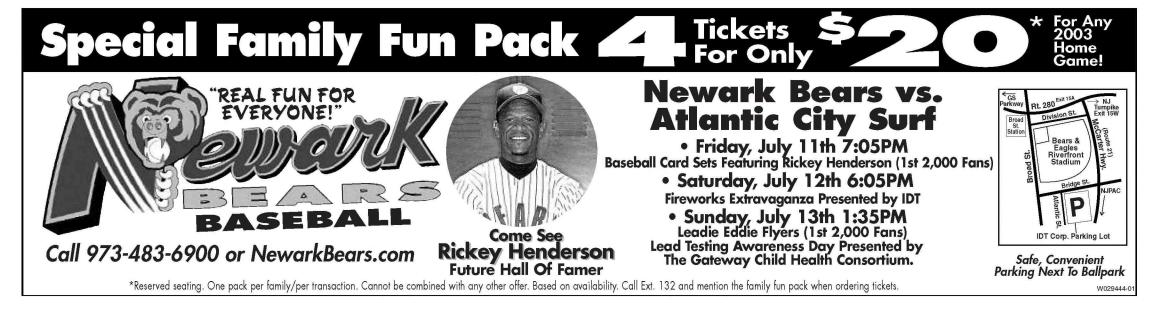






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Left, Pamela Skorupski stretches for her 10th Sunset Classic. Top right, the top three finishers congratulate each other after a competitive race: first place finisher Hector Rivera (right), second place finisher Rob Defilippis (middle) and third place finisher Oskar Nordenbring. Bottom right, participants of the onemile fun run.



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# Sunset MP List49.Steven Ricciardelli<br/>Livingston, NJ 40 M<br/>50.Peter Hughes<br/>Glen Ridge,NJ 47 M<br/>51.Gary Peters73.Joseph Dempsey<br/>Montclair, NJ 49<br/>74.David Shaw<br/>East Orange, NJ 4<br/>75.Eric Smith<br/>Towaco, NJ 24

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## **MLB mid-season report, predictions**

With July 4 having passed, and the All-Star game set for next week, the Major League Baseball season has reached the half-way mark.

The usual cast of teams has begun to establish itself as legitimate contenders for the World Series. The Yankees appear to be on their way to 100 victories, the Seattle Mariners and Oakland Athletics should battle for the AL West crown, the San Francisco Giants appear to be the class of the NL West, the NL and AL Centrals should provide the most drama as far as pennant races and the NL East, long a symbol for dominance by the Atlanta Braves, could provide a surprise if the Philadelphia Phillies continue their run. Baseball has provided its share of surprises the past few years, with unlikely teams in Arizona and Anaheim winning the World Series in '01 and '02. While the Yankees and Braves and/or Giants are the favorites to make the World Series this year, don't' discount Seattle, a team which has enjoyed outstanding success the past five years, but has failed to make the Series.



champ, Kansas City has been the league's surprise and Chicago, with some recent acquisitions, could be a factor. In the end, look for Minnesota to squeeze out a title. AL West: The toughest overall division, with Seattle on track to win 100, Oakland, generally the league's toughest team in the second half of the season and defending champion Anaheim figuring to get back in the race. I like Seattle, with Oakland earning the wild card. As for the playoff format, look for Seattle to gain the top seed, New York the second and Minnesota, third. Seattle beats Minnesota in the first round while Oakland finally gets over the hump and defeats New York. In the ALCS, Seattle defeats Oakland. NL East: Philadelphia's strong run aside, Atlanta will probably find a way to win this division, again, and in the process, garner the league's best record. Philadelphia has a good chance at the wild card, Philly's first appearance in the post season since the '93 team won the NL championship. Sorry, Mets fans, but your team will have to wait until 2005.

and, since my team hasn't won the World Series since '82 (even though they've been a playoff-caliber team the past three seasons), I have to pick them to win this division. Houston, Chicago and Cincinnati will have something to say about that, and the NL Central could be the closest division since this current setup was initiated in 1995.

NL West: Defending champion San Francisco came within a bad inning of winning the World Series last year, and this team has the



Here are some predictions for the second half of the baseball season.

AL East: As much as I hate to admit it, the Yankees are still the team to beat in the East. Their slump in May and June aside, the Yankees appear to have righted the ship and should win the division by at least seven games. Boston and Toronto will be in the run for a wild card berth, but they probably won't have enough pitching.

AL Central: An entertaining division, for sure. MinNL Central: I've been a Cardinals fan since 1967,

pitching and hitting to make another serious run this October. The Dodgers have the league's best pitching, but their offense, unless they pick someone up prior to the trade deadline, is anemic. Arizona's run toward the top has been incredible, considering the injuries, but it might be too much a ladder to climb.

For the playoffs, top seeded Atlanta plays St. Louis while San Francisco takes on Philadelphia. The Giants and Braves advance, and San Francisco wins the NLCS. Thus, like last year, the World Series will take on a west coast flavor, with San Francisco of taking on Seattle. And this time, San Francisco finds a way to win.

And for all you football fans, don't fret. Training camps open later this month, and next month, the preseason begins. And, 59 days from today, the NFL season begins. My Cleveland Browns open the season at home, against the Indianapolis Colts, on Sept. 7. Needless to say, I'll be there.

Summer time and sports, a it certainly makes for an enjoyable combination.



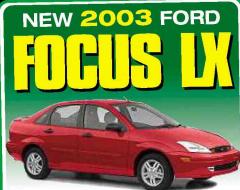
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Top, Doris Correa of Bloomfield, the first female finisher, cools down after the race. Top middle, Justin Davis wins the 11 year-old race and gets his medal put on by his dad, Joe. Bottom middle, Meredith Hauser wins the 10 year-old age group race. Her brother, Christian, won the eight-year old race. Bottom, runners of the one-mile fun run.

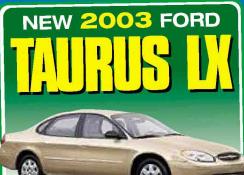


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#### **Richard C.** Melham

A Mass for Richard C. Melham, 58, of Belleville will be at 10 a.m. today in St. Lucy's Church, Newark, after the funeral from the Megaro Memorial Home, 503 Union Ave., Belleville.

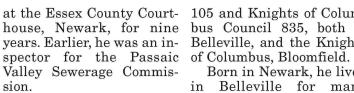
Mr. Melham, who died July 5 in the Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, was a superior court clerk

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espiratory abnormalities



Mr. Melham served in years. the Army during the Vietnam War.

Nutley, he also belonged to grandchildren. the American Legion Post

at the Essex County Court- 105 and Knights of Columhouse, Newark, for nine bus Council 835, both of years. Earlier, he was an in- Belleville, and the Knights Born in Newark, he lived

in Belleville for many

Surviving are his wife, Joyce; a son, Michael; a A member of the Dis- daughter, Lori Georgevich; abled American Veterans a brother, Anthony; a sister, Chapter 22, Belleville- Elaine Caracciolo, and two

#### Vincent D. Jim Gambacorta

A Mass for Vincent D. Jim Gambacorta, 78, of Belleville was offered June 30 in St. Lucy's Church, Newark, after the funeral from the Megaro Memorial Home, Belleville.

Mr. Gambacorta died Hospital, Glen Ridge.

He was a senior park sion for 25 years before re-A Navy veteran of World

War II, Mr. Gambacorta served as a seaman first class aboard the USS Ira Jeffery. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 493, Nutley.

Born in Newark, he moved to Belleville 31 years

Surviving are Concetta, his wife of 56 years; a daughter, Mary Ann Arnold; a son, Vincent Jr.; a brother, Raymond, and two grandchil-

#### Mary M. Bissell years ago.

A Mass for Mrs. Mary M. Bissell, 89, a lifelong resident zens and the Belleville Chapof Belleville, was offered June 30 in Holy Family Church, Nutley, after the funeral form the S.W. Brown & Son Funeral Home, Nutley.

Mrs. Bissell died June 27 at home.

She was a member of the June 26 in Mountainside Rosary Society at Holy Family Church.

Surviving are sons, Gerald maintenance man for the N. and Nicholas; a sister, Essex County Park Commis- Agnes Russo; brothers, Joseph, Michael, Nicholas and Angelo Coppola; two grandchildren and a greatgrandchild.

#### Helen J. King

King, 95, of Belleville was offered July 3 in St. Valentine Church, Bloomfield, after the funeral from the Levandoski

the Clara Maass Continuing

She was an expeditor at Westinghouse in Bloomfield

Mrs. King was a member of the Belleville Senior Cititer of the American Association of Retired Persons.

A president and treasurer of the American Legion Auxiliary Unity 73, East Orange, she was also a member of the Columbiettes of Bloomfield.

Born in Newark, she lived in East Orange before moving to Belleville 46 years ago.

#### Margaret A. Elvin

A memorial service for Mrs. Margaret A. Elvin, 81, of Brick was offered July 7 in the Fewswith Memorial Presbyterian Church, Belleville. Arrangements were by the O'Brien Funeral Home, Brick.

Mrs. Elvin, who died June 27 at the Medical Center of Ocean County in Brick, was a bookkeeper for International Engraving in Cedar Grove for 25 years, retiring in 1982.

She was a former member of the Eastern Star in Belleville.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville, Cedar Grove and Mendham, moving to Brick 18 years ago.

Surviving are sons, Ronald A. and Clint E., and nine grandchildren.

#### **Bellevillenj.org** is online

Belleville's municipal web site, bellevillenj.org can now be accessed on the Internet, though some finishing work needs to be done. The project was the idea and design of Councilman Michael Melham, and will soon allow users to access a wealth of municipal information online. The site will be maintained through the municipal clerk's office.



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## **Events**

(Continued from Page A9) Place, Nutley.

Nutley Old Guard, 9 a.m. Fridays, 44 Park Ave. Non-military social organization for retired and semiretired men seeking new members from Nutley and vicinity. Refreshments, guest speakers, bowling, golf and bocci teams, bus trips, luncheons, newsletter.

Diveny at 748-0519.

Nutley Unit 70 American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m. 2nd Mondays, 45 A. Suarez Post 711, VFW, 1 Franklin Ave.

8 p.m. 1st Thursdays.

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Yellow Red

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Woman's Club of Kimble, 759-3912 or Loretta 748-0997. Fulda, 751-4353.

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home, 369 Broughton Ave., nis Club, 6:30 p.m. Thurs- Casa, Belleville. Frank Coz- Restaurant. Emil Nardadays, Branch Brook Manor, zarelli, 751-4104. Washington Ave., Belleville. Info Mario Drozdz, 751-2277 or Susan Kintscher, 661- Catholic Daughters of Amer-2623.

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The Suburban Essex Chamber of Commerce held a party at Formia's Restaurant on Broad Street, Bloomfield, to celebrate the retirement of Carole Repak from the organization. Repak served on the chamber since 1996 as a board member, then as president from 1999 to 2001 and presently, on the past president's council. Repak served as the representative for Bloomfield College where she was the director of the Center for Adult Learning.



## Local women and businesses 'take a swing' at breast cancer during Play for T.I.M.E.

On Sunday, June 29, by cancer research.

acronym for "Technology, teams from participating junior golf tournament. Diagnosis, Immediate Mammography and Effective Treatment." This full day of activities is a community service project started by the women's golf group of Forest Hill, but it quickly became a club-wide effort. Ladies and men participated in golf tournaments; there was a swim-athon for the children, and a nine-hole golf tournament for junior golfers. This year, donations totaled in excess of \$10,000.

Once again, through the generosity of Joseph Pfeffer of Bigelow Chrysler-Jeep in Belleville, the Chrysler Corporation sponsored a hole-in-one contest. The prize was a 2004 Chrysler Pacifica. Test drives of various Chrysler models were available as well, and Chrysler donated \$5 to Play for T.I.M.E. for every test drive The day concluded with a poolside barbecue. Play for T.I.M.E. is part

of the Breast Cancer Research Foundation, founded

Lauder. clubs in New Jersey, take Forest Hill Field Club in Bloomberg Media is the pri- part in the BIG T.I.M.E. teams were: Jean Browne, Bloomfield sponsored its mary sponsor for all Play tournament in the fall.

to raise money for breast the tri-state area. One hun- Belleville and Madeline 125); men's winning group: dred percent of all proceeds Cafaro-Stewart of Secaucus Dennis Spiegel, Joe Miku-The club participates an- from these tournaments chaired the event. Beth lik, Alan Herman and Bob nually in an event called are donated back to the Garrigan of Clifton chaired Farese (score of 119). Play for T.I.M.E., an foundation. All winning the swim-a-thon and the

This year's winning Cynthia Vogt, Judy Caruso, fourth annual tournament for T.I.M.E. tournaments in Margaret Nodine of and Grace Swab (score of

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Photo courtesy of Play for TIME

From left are Margaret Nodine, co-chair, Beth Garrigan, Swim-a-thon; Madeline Stewart, co-chair.

#### Thursdays are blood screen days

Department at Clara dition to 24 other elements Maass Medical Center will including electrolytes, sponsor comprehensive complete blood count and blood screenings the fourth thyroid profile. Overnight Thursday of every month fasting is necessary prior from 7 to 9 a.m. in Essex to screening to insure ac-Room A, located adjacent curate results. to the main lobby of the Pre-registration is remedical center at One quired. Contact the Com-Maass Clara Belleville.

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## Neighboring Nutley gives a big hug to controversial native

#### **By Elise Young** The Record

The folks who choose the members of Nutley's Hall of sion about it, I'll tell you www.marthatalks.com rails Fame want to be clear as a with white vinegar and chairwoman of the judges' buffed with a fresh cotton bird's-eye cloth.

They spent hours - long complish." evenings, in fact - debating the nominees. Even on the last night, after they had left Ruth Bedford's house for good, not everyone agreed on one name in particular.

made the cut.

vision as egotistical and greedy?

No, no, no, selection committee members say, not living are two college profesthat one. They're honoring sors, a supermarket magthe other Martha Stewart, nate, and a pharmaceutical the one who grew up on Elm Place as Martha Kostyra, graduated from Nutley High School, worked as a model and stockbroker, married high school, or live in town and started a family, set up a at least 10 years and were catering business, and es- chosen from ballots submittablished a multimillion- ted by Nutley residents. dollar lifestyle company. The one who taught the world the bane of one other honhow to wash a wood salad oree. Annie Oakley, sharpbowl, turn tea towels into shooting star of Buffalo window treatments, and Bill's Wild West Show and make dispensers for gift- 1890s Nutley resident, won wrapping ribbon.

glue gun.

"There was much discuswhat she has managed to ac-

Dolores Capalbo, a judge, called the nomination "a little difficult.'

said. "I'm not here to defend But Martha Stewart had or condemn her. I'm in business and have occasion to Uh-oh. Martha Stewart, talk to people in other the woman who could go to states. When I mention our jail over a stock deal? The original headquarters are in eager entrepreneur por- Nutley, the first thing they trayed in books and on tele- talk about is Martha Stewart. She's put us on the map.'

> Eight others - among the president - were named last week as the first inductees. They had to be born in Nutley, graduate from its

Media attention had been a libel suit against newspa-Their decision is turning pers that had sullied her

drug use and robbery sprees. attends Stewart - who at School. legal troubles - has said she League Baseball for betting panel. "We talked about looks forward to proving her on games, including those of innocence at a trial sched- the Cincinnati Reds. which uled to begin Jan. 24.

an insider-trading probe cannot be considered for the after selling 3,928 shares of Baseball Hall of Fame. "She has not been convict- ImClone Systems stock in ed of anything," Capalbo December 2001. The trans- complishments far outaction - a day before federal weigh whatever prosecuregulators disclosed they tors have to say. would not approve an Im-Clone cancer drug - netted Stewart \$228,000. On June 4, she pleaded

not guilty to the charges, including obstruction of justice. She stepped down as their lives from her alleged chief executive of Martha Stewart Living Omnimedia, which controls magazines, television and radio shows, a furnishings line, and the Everyday products sold at Kmart. The company reported sales of \$295 million last year.

Stewart's spokeswoman did not return a phone call for comment on the Hall of Fame matter. Meanwhile, hometown Martha watchers are debating whether she's suitable for a place of honor. "It would be wise for the

powers that be to postpone a decision on Martha Stewart's induction," said Patri-

of

Nutley

he managed. Rose, one of She became the subject of the best players ever,

Others said Stewart's ac-

resident, called her "a own terms and created an empire of jobs ...'

"Nobody lost their jobs or actions," he said. "When

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High Enron, WorldCom, Arthur recognizes people who have Anderson, and ... other accomplished things." She compared Stewart to white-collar hoodlums who that," said Bedford, a life- at what she says is inaccu- Pete Rose, who has been destroyed tens of thousands Vermeij, a University of windowpane hand washed long Nutley resident and rate media coverage of her banned for life from Major of lives in the blink of an California geology profeseye, how can anyone justify sor, said, "I do not follow the federal government's her career and I don't case against Martha Stew- follow her business dealart?"

> inductees suggested the complished a lot.' media would do well to focus not on Stewart's trou- Stewart, 61, will show up at bles, but on the positive as- the induction ceremony in pects of the Hall of Fame.

Joseph LoRe, a lifelong sight of what Nutley is menu would please Ameriabout and what it is trying ca's foremost fan of the woman who made it on her to do," said inductee Eileen Meyer lemon. Poiani, mathematician and

affairs for St. Peter's Col- the little reception. Otherlege in Jersey City. "I would wise I'd probably be in a hope that one way to look at stew," Capalbo confessed.

out to be stickier than a hot- name with false reports of cia Farrenkopf, whose son compared to the actions of this is to say that Nutley

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Another honoree, Geerat ings. I don't care about Some of Stewart's fellow them. My feeling is she's ac-

Organizers don't know if September. But some are "In a sense, you can lose fretting about what kind of

"Luckily I'm not on the vice president for student committee for the food for

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## **Belleville Health Department on diabetes**

was once considered a dis- should focus not on weight those who are overweight for ease of older adults, is now but on weight maintenance age and gender, having a affecting children and teens. while the child gets taller first or second degree rela-Up to 85 percent of youth and more muscular over tive with type II diabetes, with type II diabetes are time. A child has a much ethnic background overweight. Type II diabetes better chance of success African-American, Hispanic, usually develops more when the whole family American Indian or Pacific slowly and with less visible adopts a healthy lifestyle. symptoms than Type I diacan have devastating conse- at age 10 or onset of puberty include damage to kidneys, heart, eyes and blood vessels.

Major contributing factors to the rising rate of obesity in children are lack of physical activity and poor

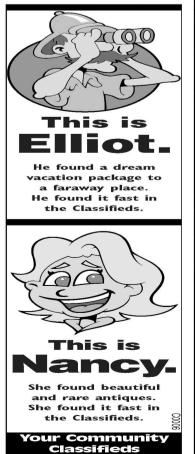
Type II diabetes, which ly overweight children High-risk factors include Islander, or signs of insulin

The American Diabetes resistance such as high betes. Undiagnosed and un-Association recommends blood pressure, polycystic controlled Type II diabetes screening high-risk children ovaries, or a darkening and thickening of skin fold espequences. Complications can if earlier than age 10 and re- cially on the neck. peating every two years.

eating habits. Time spent in front of the television and on the computer contribute to this in two ways: it is a sedentary activity; and the media markets high fat foods to children through commercials. Obesity is linked to other health problems as well, such as hypertension, coronary heart disease, stroke, sleep apnea, osteoarthritis and certain cancers.

A child with weight problems not only faces serious medial consequences but can face emotional and social consequences as well. Families can have a great deal of influence on a child. Parents can help their children overcome weight problems by being a positive role model with their eating habits and physical activity level.

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#### **B8** — Belleville Times

## **Belleville Health Department advises on child medication** Over-the-counter medi-bent clean and dry. • What happens if your toms disappear. But over-the-counter drugs that re-

cines or prescription drugs kept clean and dry. can prevent illness or treat symptoms in someone or prescription or over-theillnesses.

The many choices available for treating illness can make administering medicine safely a complicated task. It can be a little frightening to give your baby or voung child certain medica- of the medication tions because you know that too much or too little can and for how long the medi- child has allergies or takes caused by a virus (such as cause serious side effects. Fortunately, though, with a little knowledge and a lot of should be administered double-checking, you can help treat your child's illness while you prevent dangerous reactions.

#### **Using medication** safely

Using medications safely means knowing when they're necessary, and when they're not. Always check with the doctor if you're unsure whether your child's symptoms require medical treatment.

In many cases, nonmedical treatments may be your reactions child's best bet for a quick recovery, especially with mild cases of the flu or the common cold. Resting can help the body fight a virus, and plenty of clear fluids such as water, juice, and broth will help your child avoid dehydration from body fluids lost through vomiting, diarrhea, perspiration and nasal secretions.

If your child suffers from congestion and a stuffy nose, saline drops can thin nasal secretions. A cool-mist humidifier or a warm-air vaporizer keeps moisture in the air, helping to loosen your child's congestion. If you use a humidifier or vaporizer, though, be sure to clean it thoroughly every day because bacteria and



To ensure the safe use of child misses a dose. should discuss your child's symptoms with your child's doctor and pharmacist. When it comes to giving vour child medicines, you'll need to know:

cine should be taken

(whether it should be taken by mouth; breathed into the lungs; inserted into the ears, eyes or rectum; applied to the skin, etc.)

• Any special instructions, like whether the medicine should be taken with or without food

should be stored

can safely be stored before it needs to be discarded

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sure the doctor and pharma- mends. cist have updated informachild's history.

Sometimes should be given on an as- as an enlarged liver, nausea needed basis (meaning they and extreme fatigue. are given only when your

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drugs your child may be finish all doses of prescribed salicylate), so avoid those

antibiotics even after symp- medications, too. the-counter drugs that re-Because the dosage of lieve symptoms like aches, speed recovery in kids with counter medicines, you prescription and OTC medi- pains or fever (such as your child's problem yourcines depends on your child's Tylenol or Advil) should be self. Always check with your Be sure to check the expiraheight and weight, make taken as your doctor recom-

> Never give aspirin to chiltion about your child's size. dren younger than 12, and Too little medication can be all children and teens under • The name and purpose ineffective and too much age 19 should avoid aspirin medication could be harmful during viral illness. Using • How much, how often to your child. Also, if your aspirin during an illness medicines disease with symptoms such

> Because some over-thechild needs them for certain counter medicines (such as symptoms, such as pain or some headache or antinaudiscomfort. For many med- sea medicines) contain asications, though, your child pirin, you should always • How the medicine will need to finish all of the read labels and check with to feel better beforehand. be on the lookout for labels. For example, antibiotics Some aspirin-containing • Common side effects or help to kill bacteria in the medications have labels that body and prevent it from use other words than aspirin • Interactions with other growing, so it's important to (such as salicylate or acetyl

Other tips for safe

medication use • Don't try to diagnose child's doctor if you're unsure whether symptoms require medical treatment.

• Never use leftover medications to treat your child's symptoms. For example, pharmacists will sometimes dispense more liquid medication than is needed in other medications regularly, the flu, chicken pox, or an case the medication is • How the medicine make sure the doctor and upper respiratory infection) spilled or measured incorpharmacist know about your can cause Reyes syndrome, a rectly. If you have liquid left potentially life-threatening over after your child has completed the course of treatment, throw it out. Unless otherwise instructed by your doctor, do the same for leftover as-needed medications. Saving medications for next time is dangerous because they can expire.

• Never give your child medicine as prescribed by your child's doctor before medications that have been • How long the medicine the doctor, even if he begins using OTC medicines. Also, prescribed to someone else, whether it's an adult or child. Even if two people have the same illness, they may require different drugs with different directions.

If you're purchasing over-

the-counter medications, check the medicine's packaging for possible tampering, and don't use medications in cut, torn or sliced packages. tion date, too.

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• Develop a relationship with a local pharmacist so that your child's medication history is in a central location. Feel free to ask your pharmacist any questions you may have about your child's medication, and don't hesitate to ask for more information about possible side effects or reactions.



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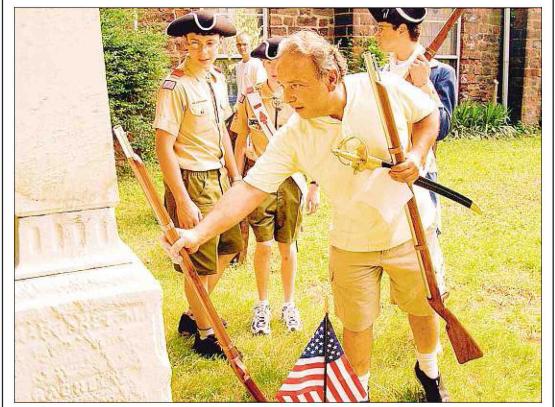
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## Sparks fly on the Fourth of July

Top, Photo/Jeff McMullen — below, Alan León/staff photographer

Above, kids came to Municipal Stadium on the morning of July 4 to take part in the town's annual field day. Below, Michael Perrone helped orchestrate festivities at the Dutch Reformed Church, placing muskets on the graves of **Revolutionary War veterans.** 



## Marriage

(Continued from Page A1) torney, inheritance and say over hospital care have to be wrangled through attorneys, according to one Belleville clergy member.

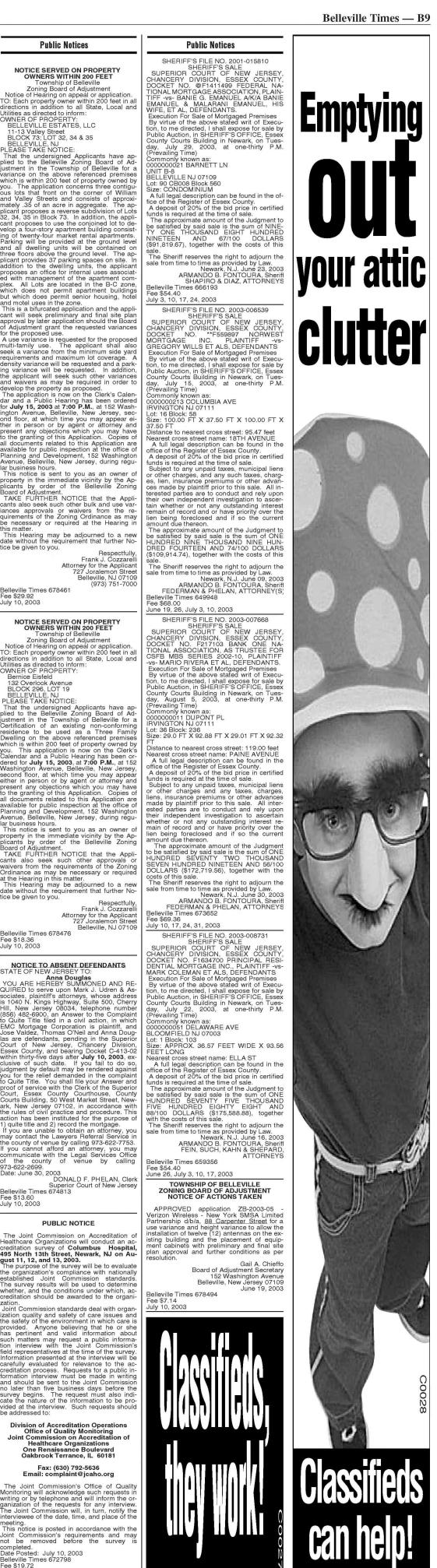
Father Paul Walker and Randy Lee Webster of Christ gressiveness on issues such are gay to be part of the com-Episcopal Church on Wash-as the ordination of women munity; however it does not

blessing of gay marriage is a sacramental bond behave been left to the regional tween a woman and a man," powers.

leeway can be frustrating for Church on William Street. Walker, especially since he Therefore gay marriage left the Roman Catholic could not receive a blessing. Church over two decades ago, drawn to Episcopal pro- church welcomes people who

said Reverend Joseph Girone But even that much of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Girone said that the

Zoning Board of Adjustment Notice of Hearing on appeal or application. TO: Each property owner within 200 feet in all directions in addition to all State, Local and Utilities as directed to inform: WNER OF PROPERTY: BELLEVILLE STATES, LLC 11-13 Valley Street BLOK 73: LOT 32, 34 & 35 BELLEVILLE, NJ PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: That the undersigned Applicants have ap-plicated to the Belleville Zoning Board of Adjustment in the Township of Belleville for a variance on the above referenced premises which is within 200 feet of property owned by you. The application concerns three contigu-ous lots that front on the corner of William and Valley Streets and consists of approxi-mately .35 of an acre in aggregate. The ap-plicant proposes a reverse subdivision of Lots 32, 34, 35 in Block 73. In addition, the appli-cant proposes to use the conjoined lot to de-velop a four-story apartment building consist-ing of twenty-four market rental apartments. Parking will be provided at the ground level and all dwelling units will be contained on three floors above the ground level. The ap-plicant provides 37 parking spaces on site. In addition to the dwelling units, the applicant proposes an office for internal uses associat-ed with management of the apartment building to the encode use. Must and uses in the zone. Must acrease in the zone. Must acrease in the zone. Must acrease in the zone. Must are application should the Board of Adjustment grant the requested variances of the proposed use. Must are application should the Board of Adjustment grant the requested and a park-ing variance will be requested. In addition, the applicant mill be requested and a park-ing variance will be requested. Cane-draft will seek variances from the minimum side yad requirements and maximum lot coverage. A displicant will seek such other variances and wavers as may be required in order to davelop the property as proposed. The application is now on the Clerk's Calen-dar and a Public Hearing has been ordered infor Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey, sco-This Hearing may be adjourned to a new ate without the requirement that further Notice be given to you. Respectfully, Frank J. Cozzarelli Attorney for the Applicant 727 Joralemon Street Belleville, NJ 07109 (973) 751-7000 Belleville Times 678461 Fee \$29.92 July 10, 2003 NOTICE SERVED ON PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN 200 FEET Township of Belleville Zoning Board of Adjustment Notice of Hearing on appeal or application. TO: Each property owner within 200 feet in all directions in addition to all State, Local and Utilities as directed to inform: OWNER OF PROPERTY: Bernice Eisfeld nice Eisfeld 132 Overlook Avenue BLOCK 296, LOT 19 BELLEVILLE, NJ PLEASE TAKE NOTICE BELEEVILE, NJ PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: That the undersigned Applicants have ap-plied to the Belleville Zoning Board of Ad-justment in the Township of Belleville for a Certification of an existing non-conforming residence to be used as a Three Family Dwelling on the above referenced premises which is within 200 feet of property owned by you. This application is now on the Clerk's Calendar and a Public Hearing has been or-dered for **July 15, 2003**, at **7:00 P.M.**, at 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey, second floor, at which time you may appear either in person or by agent or attorney and present any objections which you may have to the granting of this Application. Copies of all documents related to this Application are available for public inspection at the office of Planning and Development, 152 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey, during regu-lar business hours. ar business hours. This notice is sent to you as an owner of property in the immediate vicinity by the Ap-plicants by order of the Belleville Zoning Board of Adjustment. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Appli TAKE FORTHER NOTICE that the Appli-cants also seek such other approvals or waivers from the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance as may be necessary or required at the Hearing in this matter. This Hearing may be adjourned to a new date without the requirement that further No-tice be given to you. Respectfully, Frank J. Cozzarelli Attorney for the Applicant 727 Joralemon Street Belleville, NJ 07109 Belleville Times 678476 e \$18.36



ington Avenue consider themselves legally married. Before moving to Belleville four and a half years ago from Rochester New York, they exchanged vows through the bishop's office of that region.

In Rochester, said Walker, the city actually recognized gay married couples as having the same beneficiary rights as heterosexual married couples, providing they were city employees. The city recognized Walker and Webster's marriage with a certificate of domestic partnership.

"A lot of cities do that," said Walker, who explained that the paper carries no weight with their former home state of New York, though.

In Belleville, the couple has lived quite openly as married, though it's never been their intent to force their lifestyle upon anyone. It was the church's executive committee that first approached the idea of reaching out to gay men and women in the community and displayed the rainbowcolored gay pride flag at the church's entryway.

The couple's openness hasn't affected their standing in town either. Walker was president of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce before it joined with Bloomfield, and he and Webster work closely with the Belleville Police Department on a number of annual events.

Walker said that gay couples who live openly are the ones fostering acceptance of homosexuality in society as a whole.

Despite the fact that religious institutions have traditionally been stereotyped as preaching the severest judgement against homosexuals, some are actually making a complete about face on the issue.

Walker said that since there is no official policy on gay marriage in the Episcopal Church, decisions on the

and sexuality.

later and we still have to re- advocate a non-marital sex solve this issue of gay and life for heterosexual parishlesbian couples," said Walker. ioners. "Instead, it's left up to the diocese, though most diocese ried couples that include a support the blessing of gay man and a woman," said relationships and their Girone. The church teaches a recognition in general."

A visit to the Anglican Communion News Service will show that it's an issue that, occasionally, believers that is being wrestled with in the worldwide church as some diocese are electing gay leaders while others are raising their voices in protest.

Walker said he thinks gay marriage will be a major topic at the Episcopal church's general convention River of Life Assembly of in Minneapolis later this month.

Another Belleville church that has an open policy for gay couples is Bethany Lutheran Church on New Street.

Bethany advertises itself as a "reconciling parish in riage is not mentioned in Christ" which extends welcome to anyone, regardless of sexual orientation.

Church, decisions by Lutherans on gay marriage are up," said Nichols. made on a regional basis, said Moore.

"It's not universal. Everyone's working on it in their individual synods," she said. Lutherans are a little more slow; we're a little more conservative."

A lot of the ambiguity comes over different people's interpretation of the Bible, she explained. Some feel that others feel that the Bible's love is supposed to be inclusive of all.

Moore also leads the She said the issue of gay brought up there, so she has church. no idea what the town's reli-

gious leaders as a whole feel on the matter.

always taught that marriage al in the eyes of God."

advocate a gay sexual "Here we are 20 years lifestyle, just as it wouldn't

"Sex is reserved for marpolicy of chastity for any parishioner, gay or straight, who is not married. He said who are dealing with their own homosexual tendencies have approached him in a "semi-confessional" manner. The diocese offers ministerial services to parishioners with same sex attractions.

Pastor Randy Nichols of God Church on Holmes Street said that his church doesn't have a policy on blessing gay marriage. He said that the Assembly of God Church approaches all issues from a scriptural point of view, and gay marscripture.

"We would be uncomfortable taking a stance on gay Like the Episcopal marriage when we don't have the scripture to back it

The church, which oftentimes uses contemporary music in its services along with pop culture references to teach its message, recently taught a series on the family. The series revealed that God's scriptural plan for the family is one man and

one woman in a monogamous relationship. That sanctioned form has the Bible expressly calls ho- been decaying in modern mosexuality a sin, while times, said Nichols. Gay marriage wasn't God's remessage is love, and that vealed plan for that institution, just as divorce wasn't, he explained.

However, like Girone, Belleville Clergy Alliance. Nichols said that everyone — gay or straight — is welmarriage has not been come to worship at the

"God loves everybody," he said. "I'm a heterosexual, and that doesn't make me "The Catholic Church has any better than a homosexu-

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NOTICE TO ABSENT DEPENDANTS STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: Anna Douglas YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND RE-QUIRED to serve upon Mark J. Udren & As-sociates, plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is 1040 N. Kings Highway, Suite 500, Cherry Hill, New Jersey 08034, telephone number (856) 482-6900, an Answer to the Complaint to Quite Title filed in a civil action, in which EMC Mortgage Corporation is plaintiff, and Jose Valdez, Thomas O'Neil and Anna Doug-las are defendants, pending in the Superior Jose Valdež, Thomas O'Neil and Anna Doug-las are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Essex County, and bearing Docket C-413-02 within thirty-five days after July 10, 2003, ex-clusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint to Quite Title. You shall file your Answer and proof of service with the Clerk of the Superior Court, Essex County Courthouse, County Courts Building, 50 West Market Street, New-ark, New Jersey 07102, in accordance with

Court's Building, 50 West Market Street, New-ark, New Jersey 07102, in accordance with the rules of civil practice and procedure. This action has been instituted for the purpose of 1) quite title and 2) record the mortgage. If you are unable to obtain an attorney, you may contact the Lawyers Referral Service in the county of venue by calling 973-622-7753. J (automatic the Legal Services Office of the county of venue by calling 973-622-2699. Date: June 30, 2003 DONALD F. PHELAN, Clerk Superior Court of New Jersey Belleville Times 674813

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The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an ac-creditation survey of Columbus Hospital, 495 North 13th Street, Newark, NJ on Au-gust 11, 12, and 13, 2003. The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organization's compliance with nationally established Joint Commission standards. The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which, ac-

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zation. Joint Commission standards deal with organ Joint Commission standards deal with organ-ization quality and safety of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information about such matters may request a public informa-tion interview with the Joint Commission's field representatives at the time of the survey. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the ac-creditation process. Requests for a public in-formation interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five business days before the survey begins. The request must also indi-cate the nature of the information to be pro-vided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to:

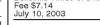
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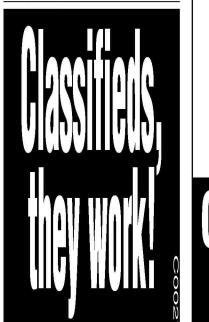
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The Joint Commission's Office of Quality Monitoring will acknowledge such requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the or-ganization of the requests for any interview. The Joint Commission will, in turn, notify the interviewee of the date, time, and place of the meeting.

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