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Montclair with driving jimmied open, the bedblack Volkswagen Jetta \$13,000 in jewelry reportstruck a Ford Expedition at edly stolen. Newark and Watsessing avenues on Nov. 15. He was charged Samuel Adorno, given a summons for disre- 22, of Newark with possesgarding a stop sign. A sion of three bags of mari-Breathalyzer test found his juana on Nov. 15. blood alcohol level to be at .10. Bail was set at \$250.

police officer and robbery after an incident outside of Avenue on Nov. 15.

into a Honda Civic and over. Bail was set at \$250. started to leave the lot. A charges.

• A burglary and theft released to a parent. was reported from Branch forced entry.

was reported from the 100 mon Field on Nov. 13. block of Newark Avenue on

Police arrested and Nov. 11, between 8:30 a.m. charged Thomas Bell, 20, of and 3:30 p.m. The door was while intoxicated after his rooms ransacked and

• Police arrested and 13. He was found to have

His 1992 Honda Accord was pulled over. Police then • Police arrested and detected a strong odor of charged Raul Benito Mar- marijuana, and they tinez, 32, of Newark with searched the vehicle, findaggravated assault on a ing the bags. Bail was set at \$250.

• Police arrested and the Pathmark on Belmont charged Nicholas Fernandez. 22, of Newark with He attempted to take possession of four bags of items out of the store in a marijuana after his 1997 shopping cart, then jumped Honda Accord was pulled

 Police arrested and police officer reached into charged a 16-year-old the car and was dragged Newark juvenile with driseveral feet, eventually ving while intoxicated, spraying the suspect with being an unlicensed driver, mace. Bail was set at and underage drinking \$25,000. Police believe the after his 1995 Jeep Chero-Civic was stolen, and are kee was pulled over and a checking on additional strong odor of alcohol was present on Nov. 13. He was

 Police arrested and Brook Drive on Nov. 12. A charged a 16-year-old laptop computer valued at Belleville female juvenile \$1,500 was reported stolen. with possession of eight There were no signs of small bags of marijuana, after police questioned a • A burglary and theft group of youths at Clear-

Police arrested and

Belleville Knights honor public servants



Above, photo courtesy of Belleville Police/Below Steve DeVries/staff photographer

The Knights of Columbus, Belleville Council Number 835 recently presented its annual Shield Awards to several Belleville public safety members. Above, George Lynch, Shield Award chairman, presents an award to Lt. Anthony Romandetto of the Belleville Police Department. At right is Belleville Police Chief Joseph Rotonda. Below, from left, Captain Vincent Abbott, Billy Tamburri, Brian Salmon, Lt. Dominic Scrimo, Donato Tauriello and Ralph Chimento, all of the Belleville Fire Department, show their shared award. Missing is firefighter William Hands, who was on duty.



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Diaz, returns from deployment

charged Hector Lugardo,

27, of Newark with posses-

sion of a bag of marijuana

after he was seen acting

suspiciously near 312

Washington Ave. on Nov.

several outstanding war-

rants, and a search turned

up the bag of marijuana. He

had seven warrants total-

ing \$10,000 from Newark,

three from Maplewood totaling \$1,300 and one from

Police arrested and

charged Eugene Fogle, 57, of Belleville with driving

while intoxicated and care-

less driving on Nov. 12. His

1998 Nissan Pathfinder

crashed at the intersection

of Linden Avenue and

Overlook Street. He was

found slumped behind the

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Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Adonis Diaz, son of Catherine Mugan of Belleville, recently returned from an eight-month deployment embarked onboard the USS Iwo Jima, while assigned to the 26th Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU), based in Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Diaz is a 2001 graduate of Belleville High School and joined the Marine Corps in June 2002.

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Celebrating the New Year ahead of schedule







The Silver Lake Civic Association recently celebrated "New Years in November," an annual bash, at the Branch Brook Manor. Clockwise from upper-left, Gina Girieillo and Mike Gintella of Sonset Sounds performing during the party; residents of the Silver Lake section of Belleville dancing; Nicole Reda and Doreen Eruzzio cut a rug.



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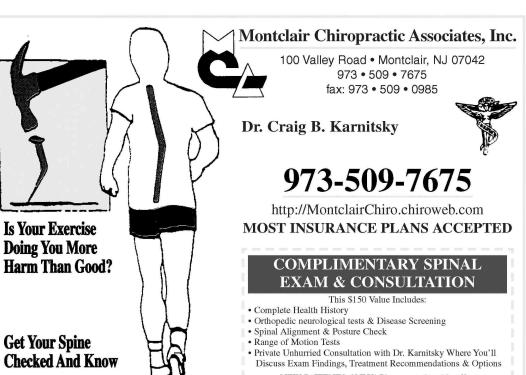
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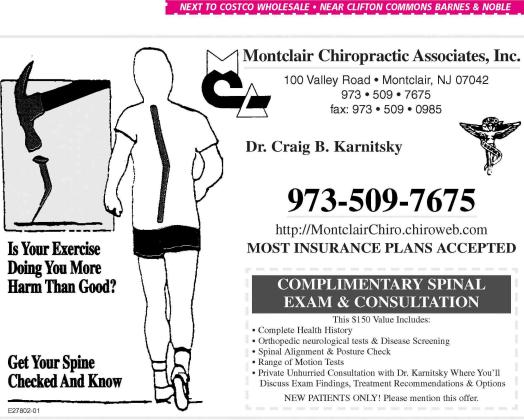
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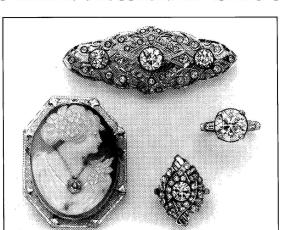
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EEKEND PREVIEW

Garden State Band ready for holidays

The Bloomfield-based Franck. Garden State Concert Band (GSCB) has announced its holiday concert schedule.

be held on Sunday, Nov. 30 at Saint John the Apostle Church, 1805 Penbrook Terrace, Linden, at 2 p.m.

Maria" by Bach/Gounod, at 7:30 p.m. "Cantique de Noel" by

Admission is \$15 for adults and \$10 for students up to age 18. For additional • The first concert will information, contact Saint John the Apostle Church at (908) 486-6363.

• On Friday, Dec. 12, the GSCB will perform at Saint Soprano vocalist Ana Mary's Church, 91 Home Rierra will perform "Ave Ave., Rutherford, beginning Garden State Concert Band Thomas More Church, 12

Soprano soloist Jennifer Adolphe Adam and "Panis Jinks will sing the "Ave Angelicus" by Caesar Maria" by Bach/Gounod,

"Cantique de Noel" by the "Alleluia" from Exaltate Adolphe Adam and the "Al- Jubilate by additional information, call Saint Mary's at (201) 438-

the Apostle Church, 60 Byrd Ave., Bloomfield, at 7:30 p.m.

Maria" Noel" by Adolphe Adam and at (973) 227-0055.

leluia" from Exaltate Jubi- Amadeus Mozart. Admislate, by Wolfgang Amadeus sion is free and open to the Mozart. Admission is free public. For additional inforand open to the public. For mation, contact Saint Thomas the Apostle at (973) 338-9190.

• Sunday, Dec. 14, the • Saturday, Dec. 13, the GSCB performs at Saint performs at Saint Thomas Hollywood Ave., Fairfield, at 3 p.m.

Soprano soloist Rita Maggio will perform with Soprano soloist Rita the band. Admission is free Maggio will perform the and open to the public. For by additional information, Bach/Gounod, "Cantique de contact Saint Thomas More



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A Journey Back In Time, **Atlantic City.** A 2003 Odyssey

Me're three years into the new millennium already, so what betv ter time to look back at the way it was with some predictions and resolutions on the way the new Atlantic city could be, should be

Atlantic City is a seaside resort 60 miles SE of Philadelphia and 100 miles SSW of New York, resting atop a 10 mile sand bar called Absecon Beach, incorporated in 1854. It started out as a fishing village until the coming of the railroad in 1854 which helped turn this little village into Atlantic City.

The first boardwalk, a four-mile stretch of wooden planking overlooking the beach, was built in 1870 and the first rolling chairs appeared in 1884. By 1900 Atlantic City had become a high-class resort with huge hotels abreast a clean, wide seashore that attracted street crowds of vacationers, mostly Philadelphians, eagerly soaking up the sun and surf of the majestic Atlantic Ocean.

Atlantic City became famous for its great salt water taffy. An elongated and soon to be famous steel pier containing a theater, cabaret, club, movie houses, kiddie rides and attractions like a diving horse and diving bell, stretched out into the ocean. Eventually there were six amusement piers and a municipal auditorium whose hall seated over 40,000 making it a favorite spot to host conventions.

Atlantic City began to decline as a popular resort area, during World War II, when the Army and Coast Guard took over the hotels, closing them to tourists as they made them into barracks. The old and glamorous, Chalfonte-Haddon Hotel was made into an army hos-

Atlantic City also lost a good deal of its tourist trade and with that came the loss of jobs and people left town for more fertile areas. Everyone in town was affected as real estate property values went

There was some hope, though. Politicians began talking in the $70\mathrm{s}$ of how to revive this once thriving tourist resort city and they decided the best way would be by legalizing gambling. Oddly enough the first referendum on the matter was voted down in 1974. They tried again in 1976 and this time Atlantic City said yes.

Builders got to work immediately and a group of investors plowed \$50 million into converting the "Chalfonte-Haddon" Hotel into Atlantic City's first legal gambling Hotel/Casino, renaming it Resorts International. They opened their doors to immense standing room crowds only, actually letting people in and out on four hour

Steve Lawrence and wife, Edye Gorme opened the first show in the new hotel/casino and earlier Steve was given a \$50 chip during the opening ceremonies and started things rolling by throwing a lucky seven setting an unprecedented winning streak for Resorts for the next 4 years. Their first year alone they covered their \$50 million investment and made an additional \$10 million in profit as they raked in \$60 million.

Bally's soon got into the act, the ill-fated Playboy tried its hand among others, but not until a young dynamic New York real estate, developer and entrepreneur named Donald Trump came to town, would Atlantic City reach its present day status as a national and international resort area. The rest is history and you can look it up. TONY A'S NEW YEAR PREDICTIONS AND RESOLUTION

Many hotels will ease their pursuit of the high roller, just not

No-name entertainers will headline the showrooms. They cost

Corporate "bottom line mentality" will eventually wipe out any semblance of old world, charm, style and elegance. Machines and manikins will be substituted for humans wherever possible.

I renew the same New Year resolution each year I resolve to call them, the way I see them and to keep trying to find people who can and will provide me with space or a platform to say what I have to say to anyone, anywhere, who'll take the time to read or listen, until I have nothing more to say or the breath to say it with, whichever

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2 to 4 p.m. on both dates.

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With lyrics by Richard Maltby. Jr. and music by Broadway run in 1977.

men and two women — a ductions, call (973) 667younger-than-40 year-old 0374.

Nutley Little Theatre couple and an older couple. has scheduled auditions Auditioners are asked to for "Starting Here, Start- have a Broadway show ing Now," a Maltby-Shire tune prepared, but not to musical revue at the NLT sing a piece by the Maltby-Barn, on Saturday, Nov. 22 Shire team. For more inforand Sunday, Nov. 23, from mation, contact Schoonover at nltboard@nutleylit-

> Woody Regan is the musical director and Penny Potenz Winship of Montclair is the stage technical positions for the production are also available.

Nutley Little Theatre stages its productions at the NLT Barn, 47 Erie Place, Nutley, located off David Shire, each song Brookfield Avenue (one will play out as a dramat-block east of Franklin ic event in this unique Avenue) in the heart of musical revue, which has the Erie Place Historic been staged in more than District. For directions, 250 productions world- visit the Web site wide since its initial off- www.nutleylittletheatre.c om. For more information The cast requires two about this or other pro-

Holiday concert in Bloomfield

Band, under the direction of visit from Santa Claus. Dominick Ferrara III, Do-Bloomfield Chorale (formerly the Bloomfield Civic Čhorus) — under the direction of Dr. Mark Terenzi will join forces to perform their annual holiday program on Sunday, Dec. 7 at 3

The concert will be presented in the Bloomfield Middle School auditorium, located on Huck Road (off Broad Street).

The Bloomfield Civic Band will perform Georges Bizet's "L'Arlessience Suite," written in 1872 as incidental music to "The Women of Arles," a realistic peasant tragedy Daudet.

Bloomfield Mayor Raymond McCarthy will nar- and the mayor and town rate the Clement Clark council of Bloomfield. Moore poem, "The Night Before Christmas," set to call (973) 743-9074 or (973) music by John Moss. Also 338-8140. An \$8 donation is included will be traditional suggested; children under carols and songs, selections 12 are admitted free.

The Bloomfield Civic celebrating Hanukah and a

Bloomfield also welminick Ferrara IV and the comes Terenzi, the newly appointed conductor of the Bloomfield Chorale. Terenzi ioined the faculty of Kean University in 1997, and is the music department chairperson and choir director. He studied piano at the Juilliard Pre-College Division and holds master's and doctoral degrees from Indiana University.

The Bloomfield Chorale will perform selections of carols from around the world and Hanukah selec-

The program is presented by the Bloomfield Federation of Music, under the auspices of the Bloomfield Recreation Department

For further information,

Holiday boutique at Oakeside

tural Center is hosting a holiday boutique in its newly

Oakeside Bloomfield Cul- restored carriage house.

The boutique will be open on Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Fridays from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.; and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Dec. 7.

The work of 40 fine artisans will be featured during the month-long boutique, including handmade crafts, jewelry, floral arrangements, woodcrafts, embroidered items, candles, stained glass, handmade dolls and specialty clothing.

There will be a \$2 admission fee, which allows for three visits to the boutique. Proceeds will be used to preserve Oakeside and its

For directions or more information, call (973) 429-

Alliance hosting all-new comedy

Alliance Repertory Theatre Company of Bloomfield is staging the world premiere of "Perchance to Dream," a philosophic comedy by Jerry Marino.

Directed by Mike Marcus of Springfield, show dates are Nov. 21, 22, 23, 28 and 29. Tickets are \$20 each. Student and senior tickets are \$15 each. For more information or to RSVP, call (973) 566-0066. Tickets may also be charged on the Web site www.Alliancerep.org.

Alliance Repertory stages its productions at the Liber-Theatre, 252 Liberty Street, Bloomfield.



Fire

(Continued from Page 1) Greengrove said he remembers when the building was purchased by his family and later opened as a neighborhood hardware store. A member of the service at the time, Greengrove, was not initially involved in the family business. Once he returned home from active duty, however, he joined his uncle and his father in the business where he later became owner and manager until he retired and sold the business seven years ago. Even then, he said, the hardware store maintained a kind of familiar atmosphere where every person who walked in the door was greeted by name.

Valley

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The property is in Fourth Ward Councilman Michael Melham's ward. He said it is "absolutely fine that they will come before us and ask for a zoning change.'

He was comparing the property with the more than 20 acres earmarked for WalMart and Home Depot, where he believes the property owner wants to get the zone changed to retail first and jack up the price afterward.

At-Large Councilman Lou Pallante said, "I don't thing it's important that the property is sold before the zoning change. We have to make a decision about what we think will attract certain buyers, not see who's going to buy what."

Pallante said the property is zoned industrial, but no one thinks the development will be industrial.

"If we think it should be retail, that's what we're going to do," he said. "If it's worth more, that's their negotiations, not mine.'

Pallante said the Woodmont development group wanted to change the zoning as part of its redevelopment plan two years

The redevelopment plan was defeated after Pallante and Mayor Jerry Digori

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When I originally sold nearby towns. the business, the thing that I missed was the camaraderie with the customers," said Greengrove. "It was the sort of thing where you knew the customers since they were little kids...and there were some (customers) who shopped there for over 50 years."

Many residents lamented over the loss of the mom and pop business where customers frequently lingered for a friendly conver-

During the course of the day following the early morning fire, stopped to gaze at a family owned-business that continued to thrive after chain hardware stores such as Home Depot and Lowe's started popping up in

were elected in May 2002.

"Let's be consistent," Pallante said of his fellow councilmen who supported those plans but have been lukewarm at best to the WalMart plan.

"I'm glad to see a private developer interested in the property," he said. "Our responsibility is to make it work. I don't know why they're throwing cold water on it."

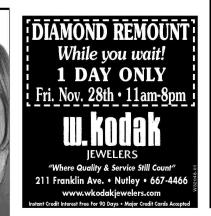
Basile said the post office property has a sewer running right through the middle that Passaic Valley Sewerage would have to relocate for the property to be redeveloped.

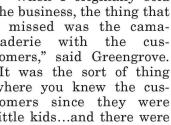
Melham said, "Ironically, the attorney for the owner of the property came before the council when we had our redevelopment plan and said the property is not for sale. I said I spoke to a realtor, and it is for sale."

He said that back then, two years ago, the 10.5 acres would have been sold for \$8.5 million.

Pallante said that two years ago, the Woodmont development group wanted to include the post office property as part of its redevelopment plan.

"The lawver for the property said 'We're open to anything. We just want to make a reasonable sale,' lante said.





proximately 1:40 a.m. Battalion Chief Anthony De-Berto said that over 100 firefighters from Belleville and several surrounding towns responded to the massive fire. Although the inferno was brought under control by 6 a.m., at noon Tuesday, small piles of rubble continued to smol-

The fire broke out last

Tuesday morning at ap-

During the course of the fire, the roof collapsed, trapping burning objects beneath.

Melham said the permissive nature of town officials Depot to come to town," he toward WalMart and this development potential would not be happening if the idea had come from

"If Michael Melham had proposed WalMart, everyone would be asking, 'What about K-Mart. We need an impact study,' " he said. "We've gotten nothing from those same people on Wal-Mart."

Pallante said the impact on surrounding stores was "a difficulty. Will it hurt them, yes? But maybe it will open up the area for some restaurants. It will hurt some smaller mom and pop shops in town. It will hurt some; others will prosper. It's a crystal ball proposition."

Melham asked what is going to happen to K-Mart, RadioShack and that whole area, which could become a vacant city block.

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allowed those products to burn off and dissipate in the air without being trapped in the area by rain clouds or humidity.

He said that surrounding buildings escaped major damage from the fire. A heated brick wall that De-Berto said firefighters feared posed a danger to a neighboring business, was successfully removed by the day's end. A residence to the rear of the building experienced some heat damage on exterior siding and to windows.

DeBerto said that the According to DeBerto, business was empty when several initial concerns about prod- the fire broke out and no inucts within the burning juries were sustained as a building such as pesticides, result of the blaze. The cleaning chemicals and fer- cause of the fire remains tilizer were alleviated as a under investigation by the result of the weather. He Belleville Fire Department said that the fair weather and Essex County.

> and beg WalMart and Home said. "I will welcome them, but it's not the best use."

> Pallante disagreed, asking, "Why would you not have a WalMart come to town?"

First Ward Councilman Angelo Risoli has claimed that WalMart is leasing the property, not buying, and this means the plans are likely to fall through.

Pallante said, "I'd like to know how Angelo knows they're leasing. Why would a company like WalMart be leasing? They're a billion dollar company."

When Pallante was asked if he thought Melham and Risoli were not fully supporting the WalMart project because they were bitter over their redevelopment plan being defeated, his only response was to laugh.

Patrick Sprouls, an attorney representing WalMart, did not return repeated

River

(Continued from Page A1) \$80,000 in other grant monies are being used on project. Another \$100,000 to \$200,000 in

county money is not available, because it was earmarked for the area close to the Nutley border.

"It's not allowed for any other purpose," Fuscaldo

(Continued from Page A1) membership, in bers Fornaratto said that the Belleville-Nutley chapter is maintaining a healthy membership. He said that chapters in other towns have completely dissolved recently and that groups that have survived will most likely condense in order to stay afloat. He said that the large membership generates enough revenue for the Belleville-Nutley post to provide programs for its members.

In order to continue the group's vitality, Fornaratto said, members have been reaching out to veterans from the Korean War and Vietnam, but conceded that many who served in those particular wars have been slow to join veterans' associations. The DAV has been working hand-in-hand with several other groups in town to boost membership and build relations. Last Tuesday, the DAV invited families of soldiers who have fallen in Iraq to join the group at its annual service at the veterans' memorial on Union Avenue.

Kirk

(Continued from Page A1)

into the fire continued within the scorched structure. During the course of the day, several agencies arrived at the scene to aid in the investigation of the fire. The New Jersey Fire Marshall's office. Essex County Prosecutor's

office, Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco & Firearms and Nutley Fire Department were among the many groups on hand investigating the cause of the

Wilson said that in the case of a large fire, several agencies typically aid in the fire investigation. No injuries were reported as a result of the blaze.

Wind

(Continued from Page 1) been worse, if rain had accompanied the winds, Romandetto said.

"The rain makes the soil around the roots of trees loose, and makes branches heavier with wet leaves and more likely to come down," he said.

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Where there's smoke there's fire

So let's just say it

area is definitely suspi-

the Nutley/Belleville area ty. over the last few months "what's God's beef?"

al. We are not pointing the worse nature of these owners to check their secufinger at anyone ourselves, nor are we saying these fires are definitely arson, Franklin Avenue, which always lock their doors at but rather saying that the destroyed three businessfrequency and proximity of es, has been deemed accithese fires is 'alarming' pun fully intended.

Monday morning at Kirk's Auto & Truck Service Center at 126 Washington Ave. The business was dec-

pany in Belleville. That serial suspect. business was decimated.

Everybody thinks it, but nights — one at House Arts fire of rumors out there. no one wants to say it - so Corporation on East But off the record, it isn't we will. The rash of fires at Centre Street, and the local businesses in this other at a building owned by Professional Security Bureau on River Road. reported at a business in Washington Avenue vicini-

can be pinpointed to an ac- weren't decimated, but the cident, or "act of God," after fire at House Arts Corporaa while one has to ask, tion was the second reported blaze on that property go streaming toward it. At press time, no official in two weeks. The prior was statement has been made a supply trailer full of the Nutley Fire Department about the possibility of company's merchandise. said it's always a good these fires being intention- Notice the progressively practice for business blazes.

dental, but its occurrence in the frequency of these The latest blaze hap- fires simply draws more pened at 3:30 a.m. on attention to the issue as a

Sure, these fires of late but if these casualties were This happened less than there would be a widely a mile from last Tuesday's publicized investigation, early morning fire on the and the media would have same avenue at Pro already bestowed a nick-Lumber & Hardware Com- name on some elusive

enced late fires in two extinguish without a wild- this issue.

difficult to gauge their true opinion.

Like any professional, they know when they're Even if every single fire Both were located in the going through "a busy spell." Every time there's a large destructive commer-Those two businesses cial fire, with explosive chemicals and other dangers, the local firefighters are the ones who have to

David Wilson of the rity systems, including the September's fire on burglar and fire alarms, the end of the day and to install a sprinkler system.

The Essex County Prosecutor's Office investigates every commercial fire in its jurisdiction. But as any newspaper reporter who's been on scene with the could all be coincidence, prosecutor's office knows, it's easier to get informahuman instead of property, tion out of a troupe of

At press time, no official comment has been made by state or county investigators addressing the possibility of an arsonist -Local firemen are slow either to confirm or deny The week before last to say officially that there's it. But it's getting to the month's election, two something dire about all point now where the public Nutley businesses experi- this. They have enough to deserves a perspective on

Belleville Clergy Alliance

The second phase of life can be sweetest

member, I have heard are even more responsible age them. We don't always people talk about how to testify to the Lord's have to preach a message to things will be when they righteousness and power in show the goodness of God.

retirement may be unique, our enemies. retirement itself is a common event. People do it age as an end, we should all the time; some do it look at it as the next level. more than once in a life- Did you know that Grandtime. Even in our churches, ma Moses painted over people have a certain 1,500 popular paintings, amount of fantasy about re- mostly farm and country assess the things you can tirement. When you are young, retirement sounds like a wonderful dream years old and 25 percent of Today, there are many come true until you face it. It sounds great to say that after she was 100. At 94, we will play golf every day, George Bernard Shaw finish. They are visiting or shop every day or fish wrote another play. At 91, every day for the rest of our Eamon de Valera was pres-

reading the Bible, we see chancellor of Germany. At eration how to knit, sew that retirement is not an 89, Albert Schweitzer and how to use carpentry option in the Christian life. headed a hospital in Africa. We are called to persevere At 83, Goethe finished in the faith to the end, and "Faust." Ben Franklin, was that requires active effort a framer for the United on our part. Moreover, re- States Constitution when that just kicking back in retirement is not profoundly he was 81 years old. or theologically significant. party.

MALT PROMITE ...

From the time I can re- passes in our old age. We alongside them and encourcontinuing to give us the God uses the entirety of our Although for each person victory and deliver us from

Instead of looking at old scenes? She did not begin to paint until she was 80 her paintings were done ident of Ireland. At 87, However, when we begin Konrad Adenauer was

I cannot think of anyone in your life for yourself or will Longevity requires a purthe Bible who ever retired. you invest it for the Lord? You never read about Senior citizens are not cludes meaningful hobbies, Moses or Abraham or the aware that they have a Apostles Paul or Peter or great deal to offer and that sustained involvement. If any of the disciples having they can be a meaningful you attend a church, speak been given a retirement influence in the lives of to your clergy and offer others; they can even invest In spite of following the in the next generation. Lord faithfully from our Many young people need youth, we receive no free someone older to come

lives to tell others of His personal love for them.

Well, many will point to some of their physical limitations as proof that they can't do anything, especially in their churches. The better thing would be to still do and go ahead and focus on those things. Christians who are dedicating their lives to a strong nursing homes, praying with lonely people, working on craft projects, and also teaching the younger gentools. You are only limited by your imagination.

Recent studies by the insurance industry indicate tirement leads to a funeral Do you intend to spend in four to seven years. poseful retirement that inongoing relationships and your services. If you are not attending a church, there are many local churches in the area that would appreciate your help and service.

> Douglas MacArthur stated his philosophy in

this way: "You don't get old from living a particular number of years; you get old because you have deserted your ideals. Years wrinkle your skin; renouncing your ideals wrinkles your soul. Worry, doubt, fear and despair are the enemies which slowly bring us down to the ground and turn us to dust before we die."

Rev. Grace Alfieri

Fighting sprawl in New Jersey

McGreevey just beginning to live up to his promises

"There is no single greater threat to our way if not in the lame-duck session then next of life in New Jersey than the unrestrained, uncontrolled development that has jeopardized our water supplies, made our schools more crowded, our roads congested, and our open space disappear."

- Governor McGreevey State of the State address Jan. 14, 2003

With those words earlier this year, the governor made fighting sprawl one of his highest priorities. But as the year winds down, it still remains one of his toughest battles. The governor made a lot of promises in the January speech, and only now is he beginning to live up to enough of them.

To his credit, his administration has worked hard to encourage the redevelopment of brownfields - industrially contaminated sites - in urban areas, and it has protected more than a dozen streams and reservoirs from encroaching development. These include the Oradell and Wanaque reservoirs.

Early next year, crucial but long-delayed water regulations take effect. The new rules will create 300-foot buffers to protect reservoirs and waterways from encroaching development and will require towns to implement tougher safeguards to reduce pollution from stormwater runoff.

But Mr. McGreevey's ballyhooed legislative package of anti-sprawl measures disappeared last spring when his proposed statewide planning tool - the so-called Big Map, intended to steer growth away from rural areas and into urban areas - crumbled amid confusion and misconceptions.

Since then, the governor has regrouped, and the talk in Trenton is that the lameduck Legislature may pass two anti-sprawl measures - one that would empower towns to charge impact fees to developers to help pay for the resulting needed new roads and schools, and another that would give towns more ability to direct new construction to areas that already have sewer hookups.

Mr. McGreevey, who has been mostly silent on these measures for months, must work hard to ensure they are finally passed - year, when his party will control both houses of the Legislature.

In the meantime, Environmental Commissioner Bradley Campbell says he will introduce a new, less-controversial version of the state planning map next month. The new plan is to create a multitiered approval process for DEP permits with tough but clear standards to steer development away from environmentally sensitive areas, including habitats for endangered species and sources of our drinking water. It sounds good in theory. The question is how good it will be in practice.

As a report recently released by the New Jersey Builders Association suggests, the battle against sprawl will continue to be an uphill fight. The builders claim that the state's efforts to restrict growth will lead to higher housing prices, crimp the state's economy, and cost 14,000 jobs, and, as we know, the builders have a powerful lobby in Tren-

Mr. Campbell responds that the builders "think that smart growth means no growth, and that's not the case." He says the study ignores the hidden costs to taxpayers of unrestricted growth, from infrastructure costs for sewers and roads and schools to more traffic jams and more flooding.

But the all-growth-is-good mentality of developers and many local officials - who see new residential development as a way to increase the tax base - is hard to change.

In the past New Jersey has tried to curb sprawl by buying open space, but that has worked only up to a point. As the remaining open space dwindles, it becomes increasingly expensive. The McGreevey team's antisprawl measures are the next sensible step, but supporters must work hard to overcome that ingrained resistance.

The second round in the governor's fight against over-development is beginning. His job will be to convince still-skeptical New Jerseyans that he meant what he said in that State of the State speech.

-The Record

Another SLCA hit...

Celebrating the block that rocks

Now that the Tenth Anniversary Block Party of the Shelter brought along the SLCA on Heckel Street is a memory, I can breathe a bit.

And what a memory it was. The weather started with pouring rain, but I guess God had different ideas and made the sun shine. We thank you, Lord. What a crowd we had.

For those who didn't attend, let me try to give you an overview of what we had on the street. I guess the first thing would be the food grills, supplied by Tom Apicella, were crackling away with hamburgers and sausage, donated by Violante & Sons, Shop Rite of Nutley, and Subs & Stuff. The peppers and onions and coffee for all were donated by Daily Catering. Our own Pete Caggiano of Heckel Street cooked up tasty shish kabob and his truck supplied hot dogs with all the one.

catered food from Zig Zag, Vitanzo Caterers, Scardignos. Portuguese food was donated by Solar Do Minoh; and of course Italian rolls were supplied by Nicolos, Giordanos and Columbus so that we could put that delicious eggplant parmigiana made by Nick Trabucco.

Soda was supplied by Stop & Shop and Pathmark; orangeade, pies and cookies were supplied by McDonalds; ice cream by Nastos' Lemon Ice and by Rita's; and the popcorn machine, tables and chairs by Just Parties. Zeppoles were available for everyone.

For amusementm we had a D.J. who played great songs thanks to Benny DelMauro and Nickie Carselda. You should have the seen the children dancing in the streets along with the grown-ups.

We had Gerard Esposito crooning songs with his fabulous voice — you would have thought that Engelbert was

The Bukowski Animal ners.



cutest little cats for anyone wanting to adopt a pet. Carousel Entertainment donated two great rides, a jumping bubble and a basketball game. Money was received from many businesses from the surrounding areas. I must say that the business owners from Silver Lake really responded and I thank every-

We were worried about the We also had donated rain coming so we rented a large tent. Fortunately, the rain didn't come, so we used it for a gigantic dessert room, filled with cookies and cake baked by Mary Cetrulo, Theresa Sabatino, Vera Castellano, Diane Grant, AnnMarie Sanabria, Terry Sessa, Jean Giordano. And we had the Hostess with the Mostest dishing out the desserts and coffee, Rose Roppatte. We had taralles, by Racioppi, and the biggest 10th anniversary sheet cakes from DiPaolo Brothers. My neighbor, Ramon Mejia, made a delicious Cuban cake. Thanks to our wonderful chief of police, the street was safe. Grazia to Chief Joe Ro-Captain Frank Manno, Lt. Mark Minichini, Det. Sgt. Jimmy Giuliano and our favorite Community Policemen John Martucci and Gary Souss who gave of their time. Our firemen came along with the engine and distributed goodies to all. Special thanks to those who ALWAYS WILL helped us put up the ban- SILVER LAKE!

We knew our community police van would be lonely, so we asked him to roll right over and he supplied lights and electricity to us.

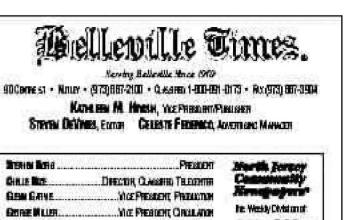
Flowers and proclamations arrived from our Congressman Bill Pascrell who could not attend; Lois and Nick Trabucco along with Vera Castellano and her husband, presented me with a beautiful bouquet. Even Det. Sgt. Giuliano gave me a pre-

The committee was great, starting with the Head Honcho, Nick Inaugurato, Joe Marra, Nick and Lois Trabucco, Vera Castellano, Lee and Toni Payne, Sam Papa, Ray Veniero, Barbara and Laura Lozaw, Pete Branch, Anthony Sessa, John Buglione, Tom Cappitelli, Anthony Minichini, Helen Infusino, Angela Cuozzo-Zarro, Rae Carlucci, Rita Charles, Grace Constantino, Elaine Spagnolia, and our singing and dancing chef, Pete from Pete's Deli. Even the children helped out — so thanks to James Grant, Toni Ann Minichini, Stacey Sanabria, Robert Serrano, Gerard Gilfone and so on and so on. I know that I will forget to thank someone, but forgive

Wait I did forget something...Video Joe videotaped the event. For those who didn't see it on Channel 51, don't fret because we have one videotape to share with all of you. Call me to reserve

Everyone asked for us to do it again. it's just too soon to tell. A lot of work goes into making it a success. The Silver Lake Civic Association would like to thank everyone who participated in the party and if your name was not mentioned, please forgive

remember, WE



Executive Engine

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When things get tough - she's the one to run to

By Richard Dickon

crisis, there is a woman spe- are "heavy duty," not just cially trained to deal with verbal, Perri said. such situations.

she "works with students in the kids better," Perri said. extreme crisis situations,' according to Deborah Perri, director of student services supervisor.

Examples of extreme

Their designated child Jane Holzman is the dis- study teams and case mantrict's crisis intervention ager handles special educaspecialist. In grades K-12, tion students. "They know

Belleville has had a crisis intervention specialist for at least seven years, and Holzand Holzman's immediate man is just beginning her fourth year.

For students in Belleville havior, violence or any type ship council and Belleville public schools in extreme of abuse, and conflicts that Municipal Alliance collaborated with the board of education to create the position. Former school was a strong advocate of adding the specialist.

"The position is absolutely flourishing," Perri said. "We have an expert who knows the job well and col-After much discussion works with other counselors Perri said.

crises include suicidal be- seven years ago, the town- and core teams in other schools."

> Holzman is in charge of in-service learning sessions for the staff. She helps board arrange outside counseling member Barbara Cicalese and mental health services, Perri said. Holzman is a resource person for teachers, parents and students, she said.

> "In times of crisis, she is an integral part of developlaborates with the student ing plans of actions, along services department. She with the administration,"

As temperature drops, schools collect clothes

By Richard Dickon

The Belleville School need. District's Jane Holzman

With the holiday season helped start a drive that nearing, Holzman, the brought coats, hats, schools' crisis intervention scarves, gloves and mittens specialist, got the Wyoming

the evening of Dec. 13 for

children with cancer. The

Leukemia & Lymphoma So-

ciety representative will be

present. The society will

distribute the toys to local

hospitals.

ganization of Millburn to lected 100 items over two sponsor a Community Out- weeks, and St. Peter's is reach Annual Coat Drive.

She suggested to the food bank.' committee that the coats "This is just in time for and other winter items be the cold," Holzman said. donated to St. Peter's ered more than 100 items on Nov. 3.

Holzman lives in Millcommunity outreach committee, which reaches out to areas in need in Essex County.

"I asked if the collected items could go to St. extremely admirable."

distributing them at its

"Giving has always been Roman Catholic Church in important to me. I'm into Belleville. She made all the my fourth year here in arrangements and deliv- Belleville, and I have a real strong investment in the community."

Deborah Perri, director burn and is part of the of student services for Belleville public schools, said of Holzman, "I am very proud of her efforts. Her idea of giving back to the community she works in is

to Belleville residents in School Parent Teacher Or- Peter's," she said. "We col-

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas

Santa visits Franklin firehouse

The Belleville Fire Department, with the help of its friends, invites everyone to welcome Santa Claus to Belleville.

Santa will be at the Franklin Avenue firehouse at 275 Franklin Ave. on Saturday, Dec. 6 from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

The first 500 children will receive a free picture and a gift from Santa.

New and used toys will be collected at all firehouses until Dec. 15. Refreshments will be served.

Santa arrives at Clearmon Field

Dec. 13, Santa will be arriving at Clearmon Field via helicopter. There will be a procession including the ingearly. Belleville High School Band proceeding to State ments made between Mr. Fair on Main Street. State Claus and the Department Fair will have snacks for of Recreation and Cultural the children and take Affairs, all letter writers photos with Santa.

Santa will be arriving via helicopter compliments of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey.

Annual Chieffo display going up Chieffo Chieffo

Belleville invites all boys and girls to come see his animated Christmas display along with Santa, in person, and surprise cartoon guests on Saturday, Dec. 13 from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (rain date will be Dec. 14). The house is at 269 New St, Belleville.

Kids can drop off their letters for St. Nick at Santa's mailbox, also at 269 New St.

For the sixth year, Michael Chieffo is asking anyone who is interested in bringing an unwrapped toy

Deadlines

The deadline for press releases and photos submitted to the Belleville Times for upcoming community events is at 1 p.m. on the Friday before the publication date.

Copy can be mailed or delivered in advance to 90 Centre St., Nutley, NJ 07110, or e-mailed to BellevilleTimes@northjersey.com, or faxed to (973) 667-3904.

Please include the name and phone number of the person to contact for each press release and photo submission. There is also a mailbox in which to leave copy when the office is closed.



Santa mailboxes set up in town

Belleville boys and girls are encouraged to get out their pens, pencils, crayons and start writing their wish lists to Santa Claus now.

Special mailboxes are set up from Nov. 17 until Dec. 19 to accommodate the expected heavy mail. One is at town hall on Washington Avenue and the other is in the front of the Silver Lake firehouse on Franklin Street.

Children can't miss the At 10 a.m. on Saturday, mailboxes. They're bright red and clearly marked "Santa's Mail" so not one has an excuse for not writ-

By very special arrangeare guaranteed an answer. A self-addressed, stamped envelope must be included with your letter to Santa so that he can write you back.

If children are too young to write, they are urged to draw a picture and Santa will get the message. Be sure to have someone print the child's name and address on the return envelope so that Santa can answer the letters.

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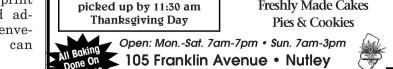
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College Board recognizes Naranjo



Nadia Naranjo, a member of the senior class at Belleville High School, has been recognized by the College Board's National Hispanic Recognition Program. The program provides national recognition of the exceptional academic achievements of Hispanic high school seniors and identifies them for post secondary institutions.

From left, is school counselor Daysi Colom, Principal Joseph Petrillo, Nadia Naranjo and Director of Student Services Deborah Perri.



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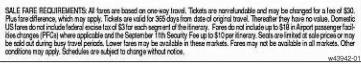


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REA EVENTS

PLEASE NOTE: Items for Area Events must reach us by 3 p.m. the Friday before publication at the latest. The events page goes to press on Friday.

Fairs, flea markets, etc.....

Craft fair and bake **sale**, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 29; 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Nov. 30, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Prospect and Harrison streets, Nutley. Downstairs church hall. Admission free. Handmade crafts, holiday items, gift baskets, homemade cakes, pies, breads and cookies. Sponsored by Women's Auxiliary.

Holiday dinner and sale, 5:30 to 7 p.m. Dec. 1, St. Mary's gym, Nutley. \$7. No tickets at the door. Sponsored by Catholic Daughters of the Americas - Court Gratia #751. Deadline for tickets: Nov. 26. For tickets, call Wilma at (973) 667-7851. To donate items to be sold. call Marie at (973) 667-7846.

Treasure Chest at Cerebral Palsy Center, 7 Sanford Ave., Belleville, Tuesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more info, (973) 751-0200.

Women's Auxiliary Thrift Shop, to benefit

Family Nutley Service Bureau, 172 Chestnut St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday; 6 to 8 p.m. Monday evenings.

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, (973) 743-2809.

Center for Hospice Care Thrift Shop, open Tuesdays, 51 N. Fullerton Ave., Montclair.

Fundraisers...

Vendor sales, Belleville 746-0800. Sponsored by Room, Clara Founders' Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Nov. 21: books: Dec. 12: unisex apparel and accessories; Dec. 19: costume jewelry.

Entertainment 2004, North Jersey edition, \$22. Nutley Jaycees, Mike Paolino, (973) 667-7315; Nutley Elks Lodge #1290, Walter events.... Tice, (973) 661-2775; Bloomfield Columbiettes, Ann Dellare, (973) 743-3906 or Margaret O'Keefe, (973) 371-9413; Belleville Elks, Jay Meglio, (973) 778-3677; Our Lady of Mount Carmel Knights of Columbus, Fred Bunce, (973) 667-7663.

Monthly luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Nov. 20, Woman's Club of Nutley, 216 Chestnut St. Meat loaf/gravy, mashed potato, roll/butter, vegetable, dessert, coffee/tea. \$6.50 For reservations, call (973) 667-7120. Sponsored by Evening Membership Dept.

Scholarship tricky tray, 6:30 p.m. Nov. 21. Nutley Elks Lodge. Use Warren St . entrance only.Tickets at \$10 include pasta, salad and dessert. For tickets, call Barbara Britton at (973) 235-1732 or Carole McCartney at (973) 751-3475. Sponsored by ladies auxiliary.

Jazz for Families, 4 to 7 p.m. Nov. 23, Montclair Women's Club, 82 Union St. \$50 per person (children under 18 free). Buy tickets online at www.familyserviceleague.org or call (973)

Family Service League. Jam session for teen musicians with Rich Reiter Afro-Jazz Project, activities for kids, drumming circle, awards. Food, wine and beer provided by local gourmet stores and restaurants.

Other

Blood bank, 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. Nov. 20, VFW Post 493, Washington Nutley. All types needed. Sponsored by District 4, Veterans of Foreign Wars. For directions, call (973) 235-

Open house, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Nov. 21, 216 Chestnut St., Nutley (adjacent to Nutley Police Dept.) women from any town and all ages invited. Refreshments and holiday shopping opportunity. For more info, call (973) 542-1039. Sponsored by Woman's Club of Nutley, Evening Membership Department of the Woman's Club of Nutley and Nutley Junior Women's Club.

Children's book fair, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 22, Nutley Parks and Rec, 44 Park Ave. Organized by author and Nutley resident Richard Spector. Proceeds to library's children's dept. Book sale, book signings, illustrator demonstrations, literary character appearances, performances of original African folktales, face

Bloomfield Peace Vigil, 7 to 8 p.m. Nov. 23, Broad Street in front of Bloomfield library. Sponsored by Bloomfield Peace Action. For more info, call (973) 338-5850 or email bpeace@comcast.net.

Essex County Junior Miss Scholarship Program, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 29, Nutley High School, 300 Franklin Ave. \$10. For tickets, call Mike Paolino at (973) 667-7315. Sponsored by Nutley Jaycees.

Belleville-Nutley Chapter of Hadassah, Paid-Up Membership Meeting and Brunch, 10:30 a.m. Dec. 14, Hadassah Northern NJ Region office, 1005 Clifton Ave., Clifton. Prospective members also welcome. For more info, call (973) 759-7395.

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REA EVENTS

(Continued from Page A8) Wine and cheese social for singles, sponsored by Travelin' Catholics Cruise & Tour Club, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 19, Archdiocesan Youth Retreat Center, 499 Belgrove Drive, Kearny. \$10. Leave name and number at (973) 680-1577.

Big Band Night, 8 p.m. last Monday of the month, Belleville Knights of Columbus #835, Bridge St. For info, call (973) 759-9656. \$5 cover/cash bar.

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-

Office of the County Clerk, passports, notary public oaths, veterans licenses, filing of physicians' licenses. No senior cards. No pictures. Bring your own. Be there at least one half hour before closing. Note: Nutley - 2 to 8 p.m. first Wednesday, Nutley Parks and Rec., 44 Park Ave.

Class reunions...

Nutley 1954, 50th reunion Sept. 17, 2004, San Carlo Restaurant, Lyndhurst.

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.

Bloomfield 1978, 25th reunion, Nov. 28. Starting at 7 p.m. at Embassy Suites Hotel, 909 Parsippany Blvd., Parsippany. Cost is \$85 per person. For info, visit classmates.com, or contact Michele Chirico Caron at (201) 970-3823 (michelecaron@aol.com), or Marianne Cassidy Lauda at (973) 691-0053 (maranne@empress-travel.com).

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.

Belleville 1973, Nov. 29, Westin Hotel. For info or with names of classmates, call Brian Banda at (973) 759-4568, Anthony Calabrese at (973) 661-0771 or Jeanne Austin Suarez at suarezj01@aol.com.

Belleville 1978, Nov. 29, Ramada Inn & Conference Center, E. Hanover. \$79. Call Reunions Unlimited at (732) 617-1000.

Saddle Brook 1972, March 13, 2004, Brownstone. For info, call Caren Simon-DaSilva at (973) 345-0220 or Eileen Davis at (718) 461-3097; **Newark** Central Jan. 1949, looking for graduates or any info on them. Call Marge Sigaro Gabriele at (973) 667-1565.

Meetings...

AARP Nutley Chapter

#2052, 1 p.m. second Thursday, 44 Park Ave. (new web site at http://communisenior citizens building). ty.nj.com/cc/tricountycam-New members welcome, but must have paid-up AARP National card to join. Annual dues: \$3, payable now. **Trips**: Dec. 3: Sight & Sound, East Earl, Pa. "Miracle of Christmas." \$73 includes lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord; Dec. Christmas party, Victor's Chateau, Little Falls. Installation of officers. Cost for all trips includes gratuities. For info, call Corinne at (973) 751-4519.

AARP Belleville Chapter #2051, 1 p.m. first Wednesdays, Senior Citizens Building, 125 Franklin Ave. \$3 dues plus national membership card. Meetings: Dec. 3: music program with refreshments; Dec. 8: noon to 4 p.m., Christmas luncheon at Branch Brook Manor. \$15 members, \$16 guests.

St. Lucy Sodality of Holy Family Church, 8 p.m. Nov. 19 St. Joseph's Center. All ladies invited to attend.

Christian Apostle Church, 7:30 p.m., Bible study will be conducted twice a month for those who are going through a separation or divorce. Refreshments will be served. If a person cannot bring a Bible, one will be supplied. The church is located at 77 Wallace St., Belleville. Call (973) 751-2290 to register.

Tri-County Camera Club, 8 p.m., Nutley Museum, 65 Church St. For more info, call (973) 667-9642, email tricountycam-

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AARP Chapter 57, 1 p.m. third Thursdays. Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St. Refreshments 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Community Service/Craft Guild meetings, 1 p.m. first Thursdays, Civic Center.

Court Gratia #751, Catholic Daughters of the Americas, 8 p.m. 1st and 3rd Mondays, St. Mary's School meeting room, Msgr. Owens 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.

Miles A. Suarez VFW Post 711. 8 p.m. 3rd Tuesdays, 369 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield. For membership info, call Francis Diveny at 748-0519.

Nutley Unit 70 American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m. 2nd Mondays, 45 Franklin Ave.

American Legion Post 70, 45 Franklin Ave., Nutley, 8 p.m. 1st Thursdays.

Nutley Jr. Women's Club, 8 p.m. 1st Mondays, Vreeland house, 216 Chestnut St. (next to police station). Refreshments. Seeking new members, ages 18-40. (973) 662-0754 for info.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Nicole Briamonte, Steven Malato to wed

announce the engagement Plough, Kenilworth. of their daughter, Nicole Elizabeth, to Steven Anthony Malato, son of Anna Newark. Malato of Belleville.

Miss Briamonte, an ding is planned. alumna of The College of

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bria- New Jersey, is a compensamonte of North Arlington tion analyst with Schering-

Mr. Malato is a facilities technician with Verizon,

A November 2004 wed-



Photo courtesy of the family

Nicole Briamonte - Steven Malato

Lianna Rose Paccio

A third child, a daughter, Lianna Rose, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kurt A. Paccio of Nazareth, Pa. July 15 at Easton Hospital, Easton, Pa. Birth weight was 9 pounds. She joins Kayleigh E., 4 1/2 and Kyle R., 22 months.

Mrs. Paccio is the former Susquehanna, Pa.

Lisa A. Ryden, daughter of Richard R. and Anna E. Ryden of Nutley. Mr. Paccio, son of Richard Paccio of Great Bend, Pa. and Joanne Paccio of Halstead, Pa., is technology director of the North Hampton school district. Great grandmother is Catherine D. Paccio of



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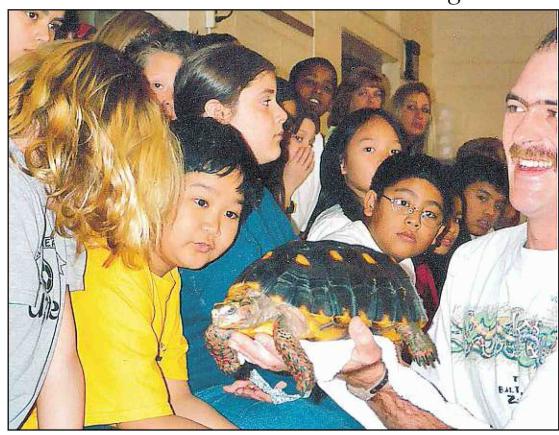
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T'S ACADEMIC

Sssomething ssslithering at Ssschool 3...





Photos courtesy of the Belleville Public Schools

School 3 was crawling with reptiles when Mobile Ed Productions presented "Reptiles Are Cool" at an assembly. Left, sixth graders check out a turtle brought in by Mobile Ed Productions. Right, Mrs. Karen Leoncavallo demonstrates her bravery in front of her class by holding a boa constrictor.

School 7 marks Veterans Day with ceremony



Photos courtesy of the Belleville Public Schools

On Nov. 11, the students and staff of Belleville's School 7 participated in a school assembly, which recognized Veterans' Day and members of the American military. The activities culminated with the placement of flowers and balloons at the on-site memorial setting for Sergeant Rene Fiory, a young Belleville resident, who lost his life in the Korean War. Left, from left, Sherry Tirgrath, Tracy Leardo, Mrs. Gioia Crawford, Nick Herrmann, Andre Amparo, and Joseph Salem as they prepare to supply the musical leadership for School 7's patriotic march and dedication. Right, from left, Kevin Garcia, Sara Kos, Ricky Genarelli, Christina Devingo, and Rahniel Simon as they prepare to place balloons and flowers at the memorial site of Sergeant Fiory.

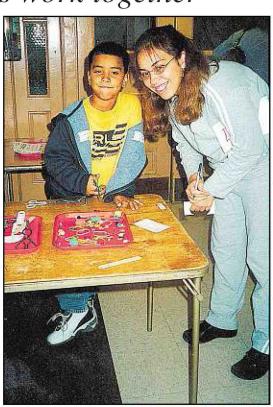


School 8 families work together



Photos courtesy of the Belleville Public

A group of School 8 second graders and their parents have been participating in this year's Family Science Program. Clockwise from above, Matthew McAbee and his mom check to see if they predicted the number of sections in different citrus fruits correctly; Joshua Marte and his mother participate in an activity to help them understand how different birds' beaks decide what foods the animals can eat; Ricardo and Krystal Torres work with their dad to match tools with various science careers.



At Schools 8 and 10...



Above, Mr. Bruce Kemlitz, the K-12 science supervisor, presented a lesson and video to School 8 second graders as part of Bat Day, Below, Mrs. Galloway's School 10 Grade 6 class, constructed a bulletin board display to honor family and friends who are veterans, including school custodian Jerry Mahoney. With Mahoney are Jena Ippolito, Gianna Brown, Gabrielle Tollinchi, Esteban Trujillo, Brittany Butkiewicz, Kasia Szekalska, Nicole Velardi, Y-One Aligmayo, and Marianne Beteta.



RELIGION

The latest religion news from Belleville's houses of worship

Premium Blend performs

On Sunday, Nov. 23, "Premium Blend," the all-female A Cappella group from Ithaca College will be singing at Fewsmith Presbyterian Church 444 Union Ave. It will perform an anthem during the church's service, which begins at 10

A coffee hour will follow the service and at 12 p.m., the group will give a concert in the sanctuary. Fewsmith asks that you plan to join the congregation for the special musical Sunday and also remember to invite friends and family.

Upcoming at Bethany

Stewardship examined

This month, the theme of Christian stewardship will be examined at Bethany Lutheran Church (corner of Joralemon and New streets, Belleville). Members will have the chance to reflect on the time, talents and treasures they have been given and to decide how they will share those gifts in 2004. A light luncheon will be served following the 10:15 a.m. service on Stewardship Sunday, Nov. 23, to celebrate our blessings and to enjoy fellowship.

New members received

Bethany Lutheran Church will be receiving new members during the Sunday services throughout Advent, from Nov. 30 to Dec. 21. Anyone wishing to join the congregation is asked to speak with Pastor Nancy

Bible Study at Bethany

Mid-week, evening Bible Pastor Nancy Moore of Bethany Lutheran Church is held each Wednesday evening beginning at 6 p.m. (enter via the side door on New Street.) Everyone in the community is welcome to attend these hour-long sessions about the Bible readings for the following Sunday.

Healing Prayers

Pastor Nancy Moore will administer healing oil at Bethany on the first Sunday of every month directly after the regular 9 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. worship services.

Bethany Lutheran Church is a "Reconciling in Christ" parish of Lutherans Concerned, welcoming and including gay and lesbian persons. It is the stated policy of this congregation to welcome and fully include persons of every race, age, gender, marital status, ability and sexual orientation. Sunday morning Bible Study and Sunday School each begin at 9 a.m. and worship services are held at 9 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Call the church office at (973) 759-1555 for further information.

Alliance celebrates

Thanksgiving
The Belleville Clergy Alliance cordially invites all to gather together on Wednesday, Nov. 26 for a Thanksgiving Eve interfaith service.

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The service will be held at the Montgomery Presbyterian Church at 638 Mill Street in Belleville at 7:30 p.m. There is ample parking to the rear of the church.

As we celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday this year, let us remember to retain the original gratefulness to God that has always been the spirit of this, the oldest of all-American holi-

The service will begin with the blowing of The Shofar, summoning believers in God to prayer. The purpose is to call believers from the mundane, and to focus their attention on the

Joshua Worship The Band will provide the music for the evening. There will also be a special selection entitled: "Feed My Lambs," written by Natalie Sleeth Tiffany featuring Desmond on flute, Rev. Nancy Moore on piano, accompanying a choir made up of singers from the various churches in the Clergy Alliance

Refreshments will be served after the service.

Any questions, please call Rev. Nancy Moore at (973) 759-1555.

Special programs at Christian Apostolic

Support for those separated

Every other Thursday at 7:30 p.m., the Christian Apostolic Church will be offering a Bible study program by Fresh Start Ministries, which will give spiritual support to those who are going through a separation or divorce. The Bible study will begin at 7:30 p.m. and end at 9 p.m. Coffee and cake will be served afterwards. The Bible study will meet twice a month and is free. Bring your Bibles, however, if you do not have one, we will provide one for you. Please call the church to register or for information at (973) 751-2290 and leave a message. Leading the meeting will be Tony Mazzola.

Spend Fridays at **Christian Apostolic**

If you are looking for a time to meet new friends; then join the Christian Apostolic Church for the Fabulous Friday program. It meets every third Friday for games, food, movies and stories, all for free. Only for children ages five to 10 years old and the time for the meeting is 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Check out these programs

The Christian Apostolic Church located at 77 Wallace St. has the following programs available to the entire community free of charge:

Every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. there is a Bible study. Every Wednesday

there is a prayer meeting at 9:30 a.m. Every Friday evening,

the church is open for The Extreme Youth Group. On Thursday, Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m., an ESL class

meets. special Fabulous Friday Program will meet Nov. 28 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. for breakfast and a movie for children five to 10 years of age. After breakfast the children will watch a video on the eightfoot screen in the sanctu-

The church will also be hosting two evangelists this month.

Rev. Mark Handy from World Outreach Ministries is primarily to the third world nations across the 10/40 window and in particular, the country of India. The Thanksgiving morning service will feature Rev. Harry Ramkissoon from Trinidad, who will speak at 9:45 a.m. The Joshua Worship Band will also be leading at all services.

For directions or any questions, please call Rev. Grace Alfieri at (973) 751-2290 and leave a message. The church is located at 77 Wallace St. in Belleville.

ROL celebrates missions

River of Life Assembly in Belleville celebrates Missions Month in November with a line-up of special guests wno minister across the country and around the world. Join the River of Life church family each week to hear inspiring stories of how God is moving in nations from the former Soviet Union to Cambodia to Africa to India and more!

Scheduled special guests include:

Sunday, Nov. 23, 11 a.m. - Teen Challenge Lazarus House (men overa powerful Christ-centered

Also, following the morning service - International Missions luncheon with Rev. High School Students) and Rev. Steven Wallace (Nutley native appointed to Argentina)

Street in Belleville, in a the preacher. casual worship setting. For more information about the church, call the church office at (973) 759-0726 or online visit www.RiverofLifeWeb.com.

The latest from Christ Episcopal

Care closet receiving toys for Christmas

The Care Closet, an outreach program of Christ Episcopal Church, is now receiving gifts of new and gently used toys for its distribution day in December. Persons wishing to make contributions are asked to contact the church at (973)

The Care Closet, now in its sixth year, distributes bags of paper, personal hygiene, and cleaning products to persons with a Family First Card. The outreach program now helps about 130 clients each month. Prior to distribution in December, toys are collected for the children of the clients. Anyone wishing to help with the project is also asked to contact the parish.

Solemn Festival Mass

Christ Church has announced a Solemn Festival

of Christ the King falls on the last Sunday of the Christian calendar year. The Feast Day is one of the Brian Adams (Mission to three observed patronal festivals at Christ Church; the other two being the Feasts of Corpus Christi and Transfiguration. The Rev'd River of Life Assembly of Paul Walker will officiate; God meets at 174 Homes Randy Lee Webster will be

Thanksgiving service

Christ Episcopal Church has announced a special service on Wednesday, Nov. 26 for Thanksgiving. The annual festival Mass will be offered at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Under the Quilt concert Nov. 28

Christ Episcopal Church has announced plans for "Under the Quilt": A Concert for AIDS Awareness" Friday, Nov. 28 at 8 p.m. at the church, 393 Washington Ave., Belleville.

Performing at the concert will be "Girlyman", a New York City-based trio which produces "Delicious Harmony-Driven Gender Pop" and Beth Sherby of the Montclair-area band The Sherbys.

Tickets are \$16 in advance and \$20 at the door. Proceeds for the event will help defray the cost of displaying the quilt, which is an important educational outreach to the community. To purchase tickets online or for more information, visit http://www.christchurchbelleville.org/quiltconcert03.htm. Tickets may also be purchased by phoning the church at (973) 751-0616.

opening of the display of 14 blocks of the AIDS Memori-

coming life-controlling sub- Mass for Sunday, Nov. 23 at al Quilt, which will be on stance abuse issues through 10 a.m. to mark the Feast of display at Christ Church Christ the King. The Feast from Friday, Nov. 28 through Sunday, Dec. 7, the week of World AIDS Day, which is Monday, Dec. 1. Christ Church is spearheading the project.

Public services, which are yet to be announced will be offered during the time that the quilt is in residence.

The AIDS Memorial Quilt was begun after the nation was gripped in 1985 with the realization of the epidemic sweeping the country which became known as Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, or AIDS. The quilt was begun in 1987 through The Names Project so that the names of those who had died would not be forgotten.

Each panel is three feet by six feet, the size of a grave, and the quilt now contains over 44,000 individual memorial panels. Panels are joined together to form a "block," which measures 12x12, containing eight individual panels. Fourteen blocks will be on display.

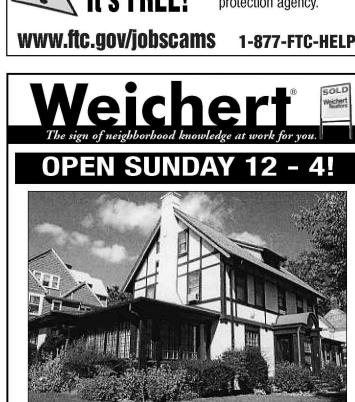
The entire quilt has been on display several times in Washington, D.C. Originally displayed on the Ellipse between the White House and the Washington Monument, its most recent display was in the area in front of the Capitol. It has now outgrown even that area.

The quilt will be on display from noon until 9 p.m. each day. Christ Church is in search of volunteers who will act as quilt monitors, ensuring the safety of the quilt and being of assistance and support to those who come to view this moving display. To volunteer, call The concert serves as the Rev. Paul Walker, vicar of Christ Church at (973) 751-



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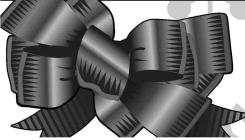
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feast and fixing up the house holiday preparations that ness or even resentment. can leave a person feeling run-down.

Along with the stress of long distances, health con- days a little brighter:

The holidays can be a cerns and conflicts with instressful time. Between writ- laws that can keep some faming out greeting cards, plan- ilies and loved ones apart. ning parties, shopping for This can lead to additional gifts, preparing the holiday stress, as well as negative feelings like anger, frustra- so much you can do, given for guests, there are a lot of tion, sadness, fatigue, loneli-

While it is not uncommon to feel stressed or a little blue during the busy holiday tackling these holiday chores season, following are a few are the financial pressures, tips to help make the holi-

- Plan ahead as much as possible.
- Keep reasonable expectations.
- Accept that there is only time contraints and financial considerations.
- Try to maintain a positive outlook.
- Get involved by helping others who are in need.
- Don't get caught up trying to please everyone.
- · Be more forgiving and tolerant - many people may be feeling the same way you
- Even with the best planning, be prepared for setbacks.
- Make time for yourself to have fun.
- Remember what really counts - a little compassion, love and understanding can be the best way to handle holiday stress.

A 'swanky soiree' and sanity can combine for a gala party

So you want to throw a them get mixing. cocktail party. But the idea of one makes beads of sweat your guest list, pick one or form on your brow as you en- two cocktails based on the vision the hassle and expense. However, with proper run, that require few ingreplanning, a cocktail party dients. Then buy the spirits, can be pulled off - without mixers, garnishes and ice in breaking the bank or costing bulk. With either party style, you your sanity.

To cut expenses, make your party invitation-only, and ask each guest to bring a specific bottle of liquor. You'll have a fully stocked bar and will only have to pay for mixers like juices and soft per hour. Buy or rent an drinks, and garnishes like array - beer mugs, wine olives and ice. Hand guests a glasses, martini glasses, soda except the bathroom, to rebartender's manual, and let glasses. Or you can buy plas-

If you don't want to limit same liquor, like vodka or

be sure to have enough beverages for those who won't be drinking. Now that you have the beverages, you need some supplies. Assume that each guest will use a glass or two

the right tools for guests such as a blender, a jigger, a shaker, a strainer, a longhandled bar spoon, a bottle opener and a corkscrew. If you don't own barware, ask your friends if you can borrow theirs.

No one wants to clean their entire home after a party. To minimize cleanup, make the kitchen and living room the base of the operation. Let everyone "mix it up" in the kitchen and mingle in the living room. Close the doors to the other rooms, strict your guests to the des-

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tic cups. Be sure to have all ignated areas.

Partygoers come to events ready to eat, so don't forget the grub. It can be pricey, but you can minimize costs without too much difficulty. Transform a platter of sandwiches into finer food by cutting off crusts and arranging the sandwiches artistically. Make them on party day and cover them so they don't dry out. Or serve a sophisticated snack a fruit and cheese platter. Arrange a selection from the supermarket or delicatessen on some plates, add some crackers and dried fruit and nuts. Distribute the food around the room or set up a snack table, keeping plenty of napkins on hand.

Every party needs some music. It will keep guests relaxed and offer some background noise. Avoid music that is too loud or your guests will have to shout to hear their own voices. Stick to soft rock, jazz or rhythm and blues. You can even invite guests to contribute a CD or two from their own musical collection for a potluck party

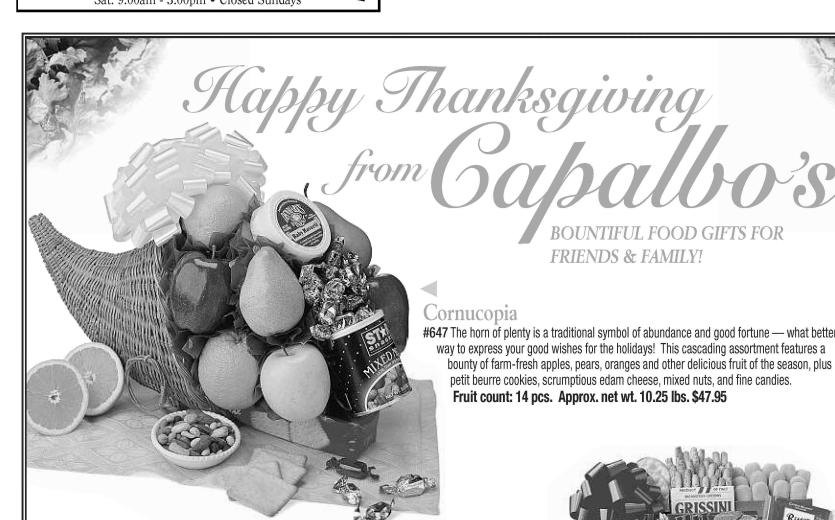
Besides some music, you need to create a scene. Set up some candles, funky lighting or flowers for some style and ambience. You can also play up on a cocktail party's aura of sophistication. Tell your guests to dress semi-formally. Friends can don a skirt that's too short for the office, and you can traipse around your home in heels.

Of course, you want your guests to enjoy themselves. But don't forget to have some designated, sober drivers on hand to ensure that the intoxicated get home safely. If in doubt, let these guests stay over and sober up overnight. Take care of them with some water, soda, coffee or bread.

Help teens celebrate holidays safely

Follow these tips to help keep teens safe during the holiday season and beyond:

- Make sure your ten has a plan for the evening and that you know it. It's also not a bad idea to set a curfew. If he or she doesn't already have a cell phone, now may be a good time to get one so that help is readily available in case of emergency. If the school sponsors holiday parties, encourage your teen to attend as it's likely no alcohol will be there.
- Monitor the alcohol in your home. You don't want to be the access point for your child's alcohol consumption.
- Make sure you know who is driving. If your child is driving, make sure the car's engine, tires and brakes are in good condition and insist that passengers wear seat belts at all times. It's important that teens understand that they should never get into a car with someone who has been drinking or doing drugs, no matter who he or she is. Tell him that he can call home and ask for someone to pick him up at any time, no questions asked.
- Be aware of the local "hot spots." If you lose track of your child, you'll know of some places to look for him or her.



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Winning

(Continued from Page B1) other personalities, deal with my own strengths and weaknesses, as well as those of my co-workers, helped me greatly," Rickett

Where does the pressure come from?

don't remember the coaches putting a lot of pressure on us to succeed. We would do that ourselves," Rickett said.

"All the team cared about was winning. What else did we need?" Rickett added. "If someone was struggling, the team would get on him a little bit, and try to help mo-

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tivate him. The pressure enjoying their involvement. came from within; you just didn't want to let your teammates down."

Not only does pressure come from the student athletes from within, but it also comes from their parents.

"At a very young age, parents begin to put pressure on their kids to succeed in athletics," Fuccello said. "I see it at the recreational level; the parents are into the games more than their children, and that is not a healthy

"The days of simply participating in athletics for the pure fun of it are gone," Fuccello added. "A lot of the kids that are participating in athletics nowadays aren't fully

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Where do we go from here?

Obviously there is no way to alter America's obsession with winning, but something has to be done to return athletics to its purest states.

The true student athlete competes to win, but doesn't let athletics rule his/her life.

Adults, and most importantly parents, have to shelter the youth from the culture of winning for as long as possible, not push them into it.

As children, we competed with each other all day long, but it never mattered who won and who lost. We were just happy to play.

Bobby Franks inducted to MSU Hall of Fame

By Timothy Denman

Nutley High School graduate, and former football star, Bobby Franks has been inducted into the Montclair State University Hall of Fame.

Franks played two-way tackle for the Raiders from 1984-87 under former head coach Pete LaBarbiera. After graduation, Franks enrolled at MSU, and headed straight to the football field.

At MSU, Franks played offensive guard, and was inserted into the starting lineup three games into his freshman season. Afterearning the starting job, Franks never let it go, starting every game for the next three and a half seasons.

During his tenure at MSU, the Red Hawks com-

piled a 32-9-1 record, win- ancola said. "Anytime you ning the New Jersey Athlet- have the opportunity to have ic Conference his junior year. MSU also advanced to the second round of the NCAA division III playoffs

that season. "Bobby was one of the best linemen I have ever coached," MSU head coach Rick Giancola said. "That says a lot about the kind of player he was. I have been the line coach here for 27 years, and have coached a lot of fine athletes.

"He was a strong aggressive player who could dominate the line of scrimmage, and he did just that," Giancola said.

While in the line-up the 6' 3" 295 lbs. guard helped the Red Hawks gain over 10,000 yards of total offense, and nearly 8,000 yards rushing. The Hawks averaged 350 yards per game, and 200 rushing, while Franks was anchoring the offensive line.

Franks was named captain of the Red Hawks his senior year. "Being voted captain was one of the greatest thrills I had as a football player," Franks said. "It was real special for me, because the players vote for captain, and I had earned their respect."

Current Nutley football coach James Kelly remembers Franks fondly. "Bobby had a great passion for the game, whether he was playing or coaching," Kelly said. "As a player he was very aggressive and physical, and he brought that passion with him to the sidelines as

Franks graduated from MSU in 1992, and went into coaching and teaching.

Franks coached the tight ends at MSU for three years after his graduation, working under his former head coach.

"When we had the opporwe jumped right on it," Gi- sive line.

someone like him on your staff, it is a blessing.

"He coached just like he played," Giancola added. "He gave everything he had to the team, his dedication was unmatched.

"I trusted him as a coach more than I would other young coaches," Giancola said. "Normally I have to keep an eye on our younger assistants, but Bobby was different, he did exactly what you wanted him to do without having to tell him."

Franks on field dominance and loyalty to the program was rewarded this year as Giancola nominated him for the Hall of Fame. The Hall of Fame committee voted unanimously for Franks' admittance, and his former coach, and boss, presented him with the award last Thursday.

Franks is the only offensive lineman to be inducted into the Hall. "Being the only offensive lineman definitely makes it special," Franks said. "Linemen don't get a lot of attention, and to be singled out is a great honor.'

Franks taught physical education and health for 10 vears at three different schools, Plainfield High, North Plainfield High, and Paramus High.

Currently, Franks is the principal at the Academy Street School in Dover Township, and resides in Oakland.

Franks is married to his college sweet heart Kathy. The couple has one daughter, Elizabeth, and is expecting twins in February.

Also inducted into the Hall this year were Linda Giarrusso (softball), Nick Matarazzo (basketball), and Gus Moramarco (soccer). While teaching at North tunity to have Bobby come Plainfield and Paramus, on board and coach for us, Franks coached the offen-

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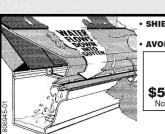
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Wizards wrap up season, look for continued success in '04 a lot of new kids this year By Mike Lamberti

For the Belleville Times

The Belleville volleyball team put together a good season this fall and with a solid contingent of returning players due back next fall, the prognosis is very positive for Grace Worley's wizards.

Belleville finished 9-16 this season, including a 5-7 mark in the NNJIL.

"Overall, it was a good year," Worley said. "We had

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ing time as possible. I think we should be pretty good next year." Senior captains Jen Hinton and Marissa Radice

and the main thing was to

get as many of them play-

turned in outstanding performances. Hinton, who was selected

the MVP of the Bloomfield Tournament back in September, earned first team, NNJIL honors. Radice was selected All-NNJIL, second

"I can't say enough about those kids," Worley said of Hinton and Radice. "They did such a tremendous job with our younger players. Having them on the floor was like having two additional coaches out there. They meant a lot to this team."

The junior class was led by Yanira Almagro, who earned Honorable Mention, NNJIL. The other juniors who will be a key part of next year's team include Jess McManus, Jackie Hernandez, Marissa Molnar, Evelyn Bazan and Janice Rodriguez, who was the team's manager this year but should return as a player next season. Sophomore Anna Vilchez also stepped into a key role on the varsity this season.

"I wish it was time for the new season already," Worley said. "We've got some talented kids coming back next year and with a years experience, we have a chance to be a strong team next fall."





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COOKMARKS

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events at the Belleville Public Library and information center.

 Poetry classes with poet Alice Johansen at 1

 ${\rm Dec.}\ 15{\rm th}$

• Internet Classes - 10 a.m.

Dec. 16 - Introduction to the Internet

• For The Holidays

Chorus of Communities Concert

Thursday, Dec. 18th, 7 p.m. in the Carnegie Room — Official lighting of library's Christmas tree and lighting of Chanukah Menorah

• Winter Hours

Mon, Tues, Thurs — 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Wed., Fri., Sat. — 9 a.m. -

• Children's Room Mon.—9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Tues.—9 a.m. - 7 p.m. Wed. - Sat. — 9 a.m. - 5

• Shafter Winter Hours Mon.-Fri. — 1 - 5 p.m.

Poetry class open to all

The Friends of the Belleville Public Library and the Literature Department of the Belleville Woman's Club invite poets and lovers of poetry to join them at this month's poetry class, 1 p.m.

Nov. 17.

Poet Alice Johansen will lead the class in readings and a discussion of the poetry of Rudyard Kipling.

Display cases: Belleville sports history; nature miniatures

The display cases at the library have something for everyone this month.

One of the cases is filled with Belleville High School sports memorabilia and pictures. The display was arranged by library staff member Diana Price.

The other case holds an exhibit of miniature art work by Nutley resident Jackie Hanlon, a graduate of

College and Queens College in New York City. Since moving to New Jersey, she has studied art at the New Jersey School of Visual Arts, the Yard School of Art and the Montclair Art Museum. The subjects of her landscapes are taken from local scenes and travels throughout the United States and Europe.

Free to Read

Children's Book Week 2003 will be a special happening at the Shafter Branch Library, 30 Magnolia St. at School Four. This year's theme is "Free to Read."

Thursday, Nov. 20, there will be a Storytime by Volunginning at 3:30 p.m. Interested persons are asked to also bring preschool children.

To end Book Week, Friday's children will view the movie classic, "Mary Poppins" at 3:30 p.m.

Since 1919, Children's Book Week has been a major event in America. Are you planning to be a part of this year's program? Why not plan to do so!

Thanksgiving fare

This year's Thanksgiving craft at the Shafter Branch Library will be Thanksgiving dinner placecards, to be made on Nov. 24. Registration is required by Nov. 20.

"I hope that every person Queensborough Community teers for young children, be- can be involved in the

nanno of Langdon Ford Fi-

the turnout on all occasion,"

said Frank Borek, manager,

Century 21 Gemini in

ward to being a part of

Bloomfield Harvest Fest

next year and having more

buyer and seller seminars in

the future.'

'We were pleased with

nancial, East Hanover.

Thanksgiving Festival," said Frederick Lewis, Shafter librarian.

Graphic novels now on loan

The Belleville Public Library has now added graphic novels to its collection. These include titles from DC Comics, Marvel Comics and the Japanese comics known as Manga.

Titles include "Astroboy," 'The Return of Hawkman," "Star Wars: A Long Time Ago...," "Justice League Adventures," "Yu-Gi-Oh!," "The Avengers" and "Ultimate X-Men." Also since many fans reading Manga are inspired to draw it, too, the library has added "How to Draw Manga" to its collection.

These titles will be housed together under the catalog number YP 741.5. Look for the display of the latest acquisitions in the Carnegie Room of the main library.

Original picture wanted

If you have it, may we make a copy of it? The library is seeking a picture of the original St. Anthony's Church on Franklin Street. If you have one, please contact Diana Price at (973) 450-3434.

Meeting schedule: board of trustees

In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Law, herewith a schedule of the 2004 meeting dates for the library board of trustees:

Jan. 21 Feb. 18 March 17 April 21 May 19 June 16 Sept. 15 Oct. 20

Nov. 17 December meeting to be announced.

The Belleville Public Library and Public Information Center is located at 221 Washington Ave. Call (973) 450-3434 or Fax (973) 450-9518. Find out more at the librarywebwww.bellepl.org. The Shafter Branch Library is located at 30 Magnolia St. Call (973) *450-3538*.

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The first criteria would be that they must reside in a one- or two-family residence. Additionally, if they are receiving any form of public assistance, involved in a government program in which an income level is set as a requirement for participation, or a senior citizen involved in a State Prescription Drug Program, they would qualify.

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Smoke alarms should be installed on every level of the home, in bedrooms, outside sleeping areas and above stairwells. They should be in the middle of the ceiling, or mounted on a wall at least three feet from a corner and six inches from the ceiling. Do not install near fans or air ducts where the smoke can be blown away from the alarm, or within 10 feet of a stove or shower area. They should be tested every week and the battery should be replaced once a year. Keep the outside cover clean by removing dust and dirt by vacuuming.

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The sales agents at Cen- ducted in early October, the Montclair and Anthony Botury 21 Gemini, LLC Realty, first and second for sellers have participated recently and the third and fourth for in many community events.

At the Bloomfield Harvest Festival, agents talked sell Hresko, a real estate atto many local residents torney from Cedar Grove, about buying and selling homes and also conducted a won by Mariesa D'Auria-Salvato.

the trash every time you

clean out the house or garage.

looking items have skyrocket-

ed in recent years, according

to Tony Hyman, host of

"What's It Worth" on CBS-TV.

Because many valuables

were inexpensive or look like

junk, folks don't realize how

much these items are worth

• Halloween decorations:

Papier-mache, jack-o'lanterns

and cardboard skeletons have

value as does anything, even

crepe paper, decorated with

good condition, these 1970s

toys bring \$500 and up and

can be sold with one phone

and rhinestones that cost \$5

or less in the 1930s and

1940s, frequently bring mul-

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today (a plastic 1940s frog pin

Collectors' love of glass orna-

ments, Santa figures and

early artificial trees of feath-

• Christmas decorations:

recently sold for \$4,800).

• Costume jewelry: Plastic

• Banana-seat bicycles: In

to today's collectors.

sale include:

cats and witches.

The values of ordinary-

raffle for a basket of cheer, Fabio Gulla of Accu-Val Appraisals, West Paterson,

buyers.

What's your junk worth?

Wilfredo Torres of Absolute Bloomfield, "and look for-Home Mortgage, Bloomfield, Fitzpatrick Peggy Four seminars were con- Gotham Home Inspectors,

Speakers included Rus-

Moving? Downsizing? You ers or aluminum goes on long could be tossing \$100 bills in after the season is over. • PEZ dispensers: These candy toys remain a hot item, with record prices being set

> for those without feet. • Electric trains: Experts predict values to fall sharply in coming years and advise selling now. Lionel model trains from the 1950s can put thousands of dollars in your

• Hawaiian shirts: If it's all bring between

\$1,000. Cast-iron cookware: Anv skillets, griddles, roasters, muffin pans and other castiron cookware made in the United States are likely to be valued from \$10 to \$1,500, especially lids and odd shapes.

• Cigarette lighters: Values of the big names like Ronson, Zippo, Evans and Dunhill can range from \$5 to \$5,000, so expert advice is essential.

• Pottery marked with a maker's name: A \$130 yard sale vase was sold to its new owner for \$39,000 with the help of an expert referred by Hyman.

Other common items with uncommon values include

beer mugs, pocket knives, electric guitars, briar pipes, war souvenirs (including Vietnam), transistor radios, calculators, 78 and 33 rpm records, cap guns, auto owner's manuals, cookie jars, nodder dolls, Disneyland souvenirs, lace, yo-yos (especially rhinestone studded), board games based on TV shows

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More people are flipping to food careers

By Karen Schloss Diaz

'Take this job and shove it, I ain't working here no more ... Paper cups, minimum wage, Just walk on out the door.'

Dead Kennedys

As chefs evolve into figures as sexy as rock stars, and the average American easily discusses the merits of mâche versus mesclun, it's no surprise that more people are fleeing Wall Street or the kindergarten classroom to dice and peel with the best of them. And as layoffs continue from pharmaceuticals to finance, the allure of the food world beckons.

Montclair's Barbara Cookin' Personal Chef Serity and shorter hours.

every night. I figured, I al, not a restaurant, chef." better learn how to cook if I want to eat good food! But I Joanne Ricci, another culinever considered a career nary career-changer, if you in the culinary arts because saw her. That's because I knew what long hours she's been a fixture at Raythat meant."

ticed an ad in the back of a cooking magazine that the light bulb clicked for her. "It emotionally disturbed high-



Karen Schloss Diaz

was for the U.S. Personal Chef Association," she said. "They were offering a weeklong intensive in Cherry Hill. What I learned were the day-to-day details of how to structure a personal chef business."

Launched in 2001, Barbara now has 10 clients. "My customers are dual working couples, people too Werner, founder of Home busy to cook for themselves but want good, healthy food vice, went from television for their families." Twice a to tapas, so to speak. For month, she delivers two more than 10 years, she servings each of five enthrived as an editor for the trees and three sides -USA and Sci-Fi Networks, enough to last two weeks. but once a baby arrived on And before she takes on a the scene, she needed a new client, she assesses career with greater flexibil- their menu requirements. "Some prefer low carb "Over the course of six dishes, others want lower years when I stayed home saturated fats. I want to acwith my son," Barbara said, commodate their needs, "I'd cook something new which is why I'm a person-

You'd probably recognize mond's and the recently It wasn't until she no- shuttered 28 for the last seven years.

A decade-long teacher of

Joanne sensed her days in And the food ... well, that's that field were coming to an a given!" end. "The school was moving, the director was re- new venture, an expanded tiring, the kids were becom- version of the current Raving harder to work with ... I mond's, is expected to open didn't want to become one in late November. "Our goal of those teachers who was is to be an Americanized unhappy, and as a result version of Manhattan's wasn't good for the kids. So Pastis: comfortable, hip, I thought it best to bow out and inviting, with the same gracefully," she said.

While wrestling with the always serve." question of what to do next, Joanne ran into restaurant owner Raymond Badach on Church Street, and started working part-time for him.

"He really encouraged me," she said. "For two weeks, he kept asking, 'Why don't you come here to run Raymond's?""

Initially she rejected the work for a friend; what if I get bored making sandwiches?" Then she reconsidered. "I decided, some day I may regret not giving this a shot. And now, seven years later, we're partners and in the process of a major expansion!"

What is it about the restaurant industry that won her over? "It's hard to put into words, but many of the things I loved about teaching are the same. Every day is different and has its own unique set of challenges and things you need to accomplish. Certainly it's unpredictable. I really enjoy the business aspect of the industry, and

schoolers in West Orange, it can also be very creative.

Joanne and Raymond's level of great food we

Any advice, ladies, for would-be culinarians? Joanne is quick to suggest getting a job "in the environment. I talk to kids all the time who say they want to be chefs, and my advice is see if you can work your way into a kitchen and then into a school."

"Everyone wants to work offer: "It's a bad idea to at something they love," added Barbara. Like Joanne, she advocates getting at least a part-time kitchen job. "It's something I should have done myself, because it would have helped to have a little more prep experience." And don't forget the Internet: "It's a wonderful resource."

The writer is a partner of diaz • schloss communications, a Montclair-based restaurant marketing and consulting company.

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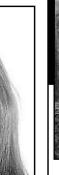


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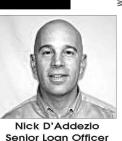




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Madeline T. Fox

Services were private for Madeline T. Fox, 87, of Pittstown, who died Oct. 23 in the Country Arch Care Center, Pittstown.

Mrs. Fox was a bookkeeper for many firms, including Dolly Madison Ice Cream and the New Jersey Commission for the Blind, both in Newark, before retiring in 1980. Born in Belleville, she





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Agnes DiMatteo

grandchildren.

A Mass for Agnes DiMatteo, 84, of Belleville was offered Nov. 17 in Holy Family Church, Nutley, after the funeral from the LaMonica Memorial Home, Bloomfield.

Mrs. DiMatteo died Nov. 10 in East Orange General Hospital.

Born in Lioni, Italy, she lived in Newark for 30 years before moving to Belleville in 1986.

Surviving are daughters. Rosalie Aiello and Anita Avella; sons, Pasquale and Vincent; four grandchildren and eight great-grandchil-

Mary R. Galioto

A Mass for Mary R. Galioto, 85, of Belleville was offered Nov. 15 in St. Anthony's Church, Belleville, after the funeral from the Zarro Funeral Home, Bloomfield.

Mrs. Galioto died Nov. 12 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville.

Born in Montclair, she lived in Belleville for 50

Surviving are a son, Philip; sisters, Amelia Bahnatka and Louise Lynch; two grandchildren and a greatgrandchild.

Tabia Turrin

A Mass for Mrs. Tabia Turrin, 89, of Belleville was offered Nov. 17 in Immaculate Conception Church, Newark, after the funeral

from the Kiernan Funeral Home, Belleville.

Mrs. Turrin died Nov. 12 Surviving are daughters, in Clara Maass Medical

> She worked at the Heller Bros. Tool Co., Newark, and at Federal Labs, now ITT, Nutley, for a total of 40 years before retiring.

> She was a member of the Seniors Club and Rosarians at Immaculate Conception Church.

Born in Arzignano, Italy, she came to the U.S. in 1918 and lived in North Newark and Belleville area since

Genevieve Grasso

Mass forGenevieve Grasso, 86, of Butler was offered Nov. 14 in St. Lucy's Church, Newark, after the funeral from the Megaro Memorial Home. Belleville.

Mrs. Grasso died Nov. 10 in Chilton Memorial Hospital, Pompton Plains.

She was a supervisor for the Lackawanna Laundry, J. Chain and Coats & Clark. all of Newark, for many years before retiring many years ago.

She was a member of the Rosary Altar Society at St. Lucy's Church and also at St. Francis Xavier Church, Newark, and Holy Family Church, Nutley.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville before moving to Butler eight years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Annette Jimmerson; a son, Louis Jr., and two grandchil-

John I. Baldanza

Services for John I. Baldanza, 86, of Belleville were Caggiano Memorial, Mont-

Mr. Baldanza, who died the

Nov. 11 Tuesday in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, was a builder with Balder Construction in Park Ridge for 35 years

before retiring 15 years ago. He served in the Navy during World War II.

Mr. Baldanza was a member of the Belleville Senior Citizens and the North Jersey Builders Association.

Born in Passaic, he lived in Clifton before moving to Belleville 15 years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Anne; sons, John W. and Jerry; a stepdaughter, Dolores Parachini; a stepson, Anthony Caggiano; a brother, Sam, and three grandchildren.

Lucy Trotta

Lucy Trotta, 77, of Belleville died Nov. 12 in Overlook Hospital, Summit.

A Mass was offered Nov. 15 in Holy Family Church, Nutley, after the funeral from the Biondi Funeral Home of Nutley.

She was a salesperson at Hahnes & Co. in Newark for 20 years before retiring 15 years ago.

Mrs. Trotta volunteered at the Belleville Public Li-

Born in Summit, she lived in Newark before moving to Belleville 44 years ago.

Surviving are daughters, Maria SanFilippo and Leslie Killeen; sons, Joseph and Robert Zarra; a sister, Louise Fornarotto; brothers, Frank and Anthony Albanese, and nine grandchildren.

Michael Caulfield

Michael Caulfield, 54, of held Nov. 14 in the Hamptonville, N.C. formerly of Belleville, died in Winston-Salem, N.C. Nov. 11 in Forsythe Medical

Center. Arrangements were by the Kiernan Funeral Home, Belleville.

Mr. Caulfield was a selfemployed truck driver for many years.

Born in New York City, he moved to Belleville in 1958 and then to North Carolina seven years ago.

Surviving is a brother, Thomas Sr.

Margaret Russomano Renner

A Mass for Mrs. Margaret Russomano Renner, 82, of Belleville Was offered Nov. 14 in Holy Family Church, Nutley, after the funeral from the Levandoski Funeral Home, 44 Bay Ave., Bloomfield.

Mrs. Renner died Nov. 10 in Saint Barnabas Medical Center, Livingston.

Born in Nutley, she lived in Belleville for most of her

Surviving are sons, Daniel and Thomas Russomano; a brother, Tony Camille; sisters, Christina Fancera and Louise Avella; a grandchild and a greatgrandchild.

Margaret Ellis

A Mass for Ms. Margaret Ellis, 92, of Belleville was offered Nov. 12 in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, North Arlington.

Arrangements were by the Parow Funeral Home, North Arlington.

Ms. Ellis died Nov. 8 in the Clara Maass Continuing Care Center, Belleville.

She lived in Bloomfield before moving to Belleville several years ago.

Vincenza Libertell

A Mass for Vincenza Libertell, 92, of Union was offered Nov. 13 in St. Anthony's Church, Belleville, after the funeral from the Zarro Funeral Home, Bloomfield.

Mrs. Libertell, who died Nov. 10 in Saint Barnabas Medical Center, Livingston, was a member of the Franklin Avenue Seniors Club, Belleville.

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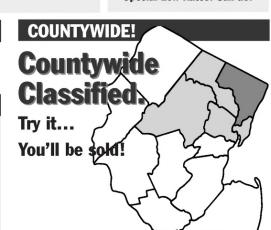
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Jose Maldonado
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address is 1040 N. Kings Highway, Suite 500,
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number (856) 482-6900, an Answer to the
Complaint filed in a civil action, in which Wells
Fargo Bank Minnesota, NA, as Trustee for
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al are defendants, pending in the Superior

2002-BC8 is plaintiff, and Jose Maldonado, et al are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, ESSEX County, and bearing Docket F-15540-03 within thirty-five days after November 20, 2003, exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your Answer and proof of service with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, 25 W. Market Street, CN-971, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the rules of civil practice and procedure.

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Superior Court of New Jersey
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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 2003-001419
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY,
DOCKET NO. F1203402 ALTEGRA CREDIT
COMPANY, PLAINTIFF -vs- FRANKLIN
LOPEZ ET ALS, DEFENDANTS.
Execution For Sale of Mortgaged Premises
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County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, December 16, 2003, at one-thirty P.M.
(Prevailing Time)

day, December 16, 2003, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)
Commonly known as:
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BELLEVILLE NJ 07109
Lot: 9 Block: 781
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The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SIX AND 51/100 DOLLARS (\$153,306.51), together with the costs

ARS (\$153,306.51), together with the costs

of this sale.

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Newark, N.J. November 10, 2003

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Newark, N.J. October 27, 2003

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 2003-012183
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY,
DOCKET NO. *F2158898 FLEET MORTGAGE CORP., PLAINTIFF -vs- MATTHEW P.
SCHWARZ AND VERONICA SCHWARZ,
HIS WIFE, DEFENDANTS.
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Lot: 10 Block: 371
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Newark, N.J. October 27, 2003

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 2003-012989
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY,
DOCKET NO. @F716201 CREDIT-BASED
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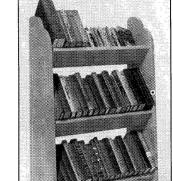
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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
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DOCKET NO. F443603 MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.,
PLAINTIFE -vs- RICHARD BARNETT ET
ALS, DEFENDANTS.
Execution For Sale of Mortgaged Premises
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Lot: 33 Block: 314
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The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of TWO HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY AND 07/100 DOLLARS (\$2228,680.07), together with the costs of this sale. or other charges and any such taxes, charg

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Newark, N.J. October 27, 2003

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, Sheriff FEDERMAN & PHELAN, ATTORNEY(S)

Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, 2003

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 2003-012180
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY,
DOCKET NO. F664003 ROSE MORTGAGE,
PLAINTIFF -vs - GAIL COLEMAN, EDWARD
S. SACKEY, HER HUSBAND; MIKE WILLIAMS, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS.
EVECUTION FOR SALE OF MORTGAGE Promises

LIAMS, E.I. ALS, DEFENDANTS.
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Prior lien(s): Subject to unpaid taxes and other municipal liens. The total amount due as of 8/22/03 for taxes, water and sewer is in the aggregate sum of \$15,092.73.
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SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY,
CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY,
DOCKET NO. F1133603 CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, PLAINTIFF -vs- MONICA CUPITT ET ALS, DEFENDANTS.
Execution For Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by
Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex
County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, December 16, 2003, at one-thirty P.M.
(Prevailing Time)
Commonly known as:
000000029 LAKE ST
BLOOMFIELD NJ 07003
Lot: 16 Block: 156

Size: 120.00 FT X 22.84 FT X 120.00 FT X 23.84 FT Lot: 16 Block: 156

Distance to nearest cross street: 240.44 feet
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The Sherriff hereby reserves the right to adjournhis sale without further notice by publi-

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Subject to any unpaid taxes, municipal liens or other charges and any such taxes, charges, liens, insurance premiums or other advances made by plaintiff prior to this sale. All interested parties are to conduct and rely upon their own independent investigation to ascertain whether or not any outstanding interest remain of record and/or have priority over the lien being foreclosed and, if so the current amount due thereon.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FORTY FOUR AND 62/100 DOLLARS (\$106,244.62), together with the costs of this sale.

The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law. Newark, N.J. November 10, 2003 ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, Sheriff FEDERMAN & PHELAN,

Belleville Times 816960 Fee \$74.80 Nov. 20, 27, Dec. 4, 11, 2003

TOWNSHIP OF BELLEVILLE Zoning Board of Adjustment NOTICE OF ACTIONS TAKEN AT THE OCTOBER 30, 2003 ZONING BOARD MEETING THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS WERE MEMORIALIZED AS

DENIED application ZB-2003-18 - 156 Stephens St., Rodrigues, to construct a one

family dwelling on an undersized lot.

APPROVED application ZB-2002-56 - 317

Cortlandt St., Color Art Plastics, for a site plan approval, use and bulk variances to utilize for office space and light storage for Bell-Mill Construction Co.
APPROVED application ZB-2001-55A, 186
Holmes St., Zamora, existing, non conforming

DENIED - application ZB-2003-28, 25 South Wilber St., Bezerra, for a bulk variance to approve a three-story, two family structure. Applicant failed to establish that the structure proposed was in fact a 2 1/2 story structure as initially requested.

proposed was in fact a 2 1/2 story structure as initially requested.
APPROVED application ZB-2003-22, 120 Rutgers St., Stevens Realty Company, for a certification of a pre-existing 52 unit apartment building.
APPROVED application ZB-2003-16, 152 Ralph St., La Capra, for a site plan approval, use and bulk variances to utilize the premises as a hair salon with conditions.
APPROVED application ZB-2003-37, 6 Park Place, Ciriaco, to construct an addition to the rear of property for additional living space.
APPROVED application ZB-2003-15, 14 Lawrence St., for a site plan approval, use and bulk variances to utilize the premises for parking of vehicles from Columbus Auto Body subject to conditions.

parking of vehicles from Columbus Auto Body subject to conditions. **DENIED** application ZB-2003-03, 103
Belleville Ave., Mastrolia, for use and bulk variances and site plan approval to utilize as an (8) unit apartment.

APPROVED application ZB-2003-19, 132
Overlook Ave., Eisfeld, for a certification for a three (3) family dwelling.

Gail A, Chieffo

Gail A. Chieffo Zoning Board of Adjustment Secretary 152 Washington Ave Belleville, N.J. 07109

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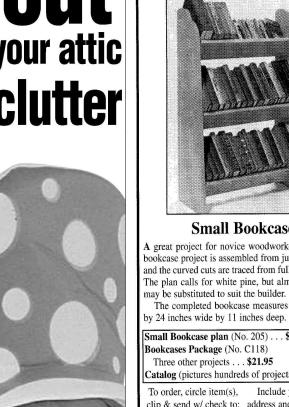
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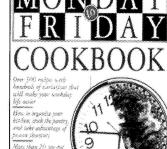
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Newark, N.J. November 03, 2003
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, JOAN CONWAY, COLLECTOR OF TAXES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BELLEVILLE, IN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX, AND IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, pursuant to the authority of the Statutes in such case made and provided will sell at public auction on DECEMBER 11, 2003 at 10:00 AM in the Council Chambers at the Municipal Building located at 152 WASHINGTON AVENUE, BELLEVILLE, NEW JERSEY the following described lands for amounts set opposite the same.

	Building locate BLOCK/LOT		VASHINGTON AVENUE, BELLEVILLE, NAME		TYPE		et opposite th	e same.	TOTAL
	5 1 B3L9,1		BELLEVILLE INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES WINSLOW, LOTISHA	25 MAIN ST 20 CORTLANDT ST	т	33,741.46 2,217.96	6,748.85 61.62	100.00 45.59	40,590.31 2,325.17
	6 9 6 12 8 15 8 45		HAMILTON, ELAINE AGUILAR, LUIS & LUISA BELLEVILLE INDUSTRIAL	24 CORTLANDT ST 24 CORTLANDT ST 33 WILLIAM ST 65-69 MAIN ST	† T T	5,251.19 2,020.19 2,649.31	1,029.06 84.85 583.78	100.00 42.10 64.66	6,380.25 2,147.14 3,297.75
	15 3 15 11 15 19		PROPERTIES RUIZ, ERWIN & CRISTOBAL WELLS, LOIS M. HERNANDEZ,NOE A.	116 CORTLANDT ST 29 BELLEVILLE AV 17 STEPHENS ST	T T T	1,207.90 1,483.80 3,312.98	284.67 144.70 870.70	29.85 32.57	1,522.42 1,661.07
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	26 1 INC.LOT 3 26 6		CORTESE, PETER, GAIL & JOSEPH PIZAPIO, BILLIE	14-24 HOLMES ST 84 RALPH ST	T T	9,651.45 342.04	1,780.69 44.64	100.00 15.00	11,532.14 401.68
	27 7.01 47 16 47 19 47 40		GUANOQUIZA, EDGAR REVERDE REALTY INC. REVERDE REALTY,INC. REVERDE REALTY,INC.	188-190 STEPHENS ST 42 GREYLOCK AV 50 GREYLOCK AV 21-25 ROOSEVELT AV	T	12.78 1,208.40 1,751.72 1,533.19	0.99 46.98 80.36 62.32	15.00 25.11 36.64 31.91	28.77 1,280.49 1,868.72 1,627.42
	66 16 73 20		MC GREEVY, JOSEPH F., ESTATE OF ASHMAN, CHRISTINA	11A CLEVELAND ST 73 BELLEVILLE AV	T W	13.69 12.22	1.60 1.03	15.00 15.00	30.29 28.25
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	92 28 92 29		ROVELL, LENORE V. EST C/O KONDRECK ROVELL, ELIZABETH A.	335 RALPH ST 333 RALPH ST	T T	2,929.66 4,859.95	536.12 889.36	69.32 100.00	3,535.10 5,849.31
	94 35 100 15		C/O KONDRECK CLOVE LAKES DEV.CORP & LARRY SCHWARTZ PHIPPS, KATHRYN (ESTATE OF)	379-381 STEPHENS ST 62 GREYLOCK AV	T T	434.17 150.59	38.59 17.59	15.00 15.00	487.76 183.18
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	101 100 118 38 119 6		BODY & PAINT WORKS, INC. FREDERICKS, RICHARD DOHERTY, ANN	112 ROOSEVELT AV 38-40 VAN RENSSELAER 131 WILLIAM ST	Ţ Ţ	399.84 4,367.11 3,655.23	5.59 880.67 588.84	15.00 100.00 84.88	420.43 5,347.78 4,328.95
	122 2 124 30		MARIN, RICARDO & SUSAN ST. MARY & ST. MERCURIUS COPTIC	88 DOW ST 121 ACADEMY ST	T T	3,734.39 6,513.10	612.72 1,327.54	86.94 100.00	4,434.05 7,940.64
l	130 33 133 9		MAHER, JAMES SRIVASTAVA, RAJIV	29-31 PROSPECT ST	W S T	710.00 422.11 3,257.40	76.37 45.28 513.16	25.08 75.41	1,278.84 3,845.97
	133 28 137 5 150 20		TOLEDO, MARIA L. & LUIS RODRIGUEZ, HECTOR A. & MIRIAM CAMPANELLA, SALVATORE	337-339 WASHINGTON AV 169 JORALEMON ST 528-530	W T	35.90 253.39 10,078.63	4.03 11.32 2,361.96	15.00 15.00 100.00	54.93 279.71 12,540.59
	165 54 180 22		MOTIVA ENTERPRISES LLC BOROWSKI, WALTER & BARBARA	WASHINGTON AV 605-609 WASHINGTON AV	W S T T	106.76 46.50 4,139.73	3.56 1.55 710.62	15.00 97.01	173.37 4,947.36
	180 68 185 20		UMAR, MOHAMED A. & ANNA I. CARDONA, WILFREDO	176 MILL ST 199-201 WILLIAM ST	† T	2,555.47 1.767.37	172.79 186.81	54.57 39.08	2,782.83 1,993.26
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	209 4 215 18		HEALEY, LILLIAN C. KRISOCKI, ANA L.	340 DE WITT AV 79 OVERLOOK AV	T W S T	43.26 18.69 4.50	3.33 1.09 0.26	15.00 15.00	61.59 39.54
	216 25 220 53 228 3		COSTA, EDUARDO BRACERO, MARIE LINDWALL, KENNETH & KRISTEN	207 LINDEN AV 114 OVERLOOK AV 122 BREMOND ST	T T	417.95 1,426.85 3,550.69	20.07 126.83 530.11	15.00 31.07 81.62	453.02 1,584.75 4,162.42
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	244 15 251 3 251 8		CHIMENTO, FRANK A.& GRACE R MROWKO, TADEUSZ PADILLA, AIDA	6 BERTON PL 46-48 UNION AV 56 UNION AV	T T	3,737.37 7,432.12 114.71	880.20 1,622.57 12.41	92.35 100.00 15.00	4,709.92 9,154.69 142.12
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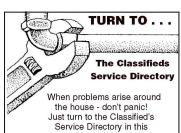
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