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Community Update

Voter registration
The deadline for registering to vote in the November general election is Oct. 10. To register, see Township Administrator Helen Keyworth at the Municipal Building. To register by mail, call 912-2200 and request a mail registration application.

To vote in a specific election, a voter must be registered at least 29 days in advance. Those who have not voted in four consecutive years or have changed their name or residence must re-register.

Free mulch
From Monday to Friday between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m., leaf mulch will be available to township residents at the Municipal Pool. Proof of residency is required, and each participant must bring a container smaller than a 30-gallon trash can.

Clinic scheduled
The Recreation Department's Netes Basketball Traveling Team is recruiting girls in grades five to eight for its basketball clinic.

The program will be held from 6:30 to 9 p.m. tomorrow in Candimar School's gym.

Subsequent clinics have been scheduled for Oct. 6, Oct. 13, Oct. 20, Nov. 3 and Nov. 10. Two teams, one of fifth- and sixth-graders and one of seventh- and eighth-graders, will be selected from the girls who attend the clinics. For more information, call the Recreation Department at 912-2228.

Regional meeting
The Union County Regional High School Board of Education will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School on Westfield Avenue in Clark.

The board is expected to discuss the types of "pupil records" if students' school personnel to collect and maintain. Also, the board will review the effectiveness of the district's policy on drugs, alcohol and tobacco.

The public is invited to attend and offer comments.

Books wanted
The Friends of the Springfield Public Library are accepting donations of hardcover and paperback books for the annual book sale to benefit the library.

The sale is scheduled for Oct. 13 and Oct. 14, during regular library hours in the Donald Palmer Museum.

Donations may be dropped off at the library on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Donated books should not be left in the book deposit drop.

Compost class
The Union County Utilities Authority will hold a course in backyard composting on Oct. 12 in the Municipal Building.

The seminar will include a video presentation, a hands-on demonstration and a question/answer session.

Registration costs \$10. Call (908) 382-9400.

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Republican candidates for Township Committee William Ruocco and Judith Blitzer join Township Committeewoman JoAnn Holmes and former Municipal Judge Leonard Zucker in front of their campaign billboard on Mountain Avenue. Holmes and Zucker were named co-managers of the Republicans' campaigns this week.

Dems comply with ELEC order

By Jay Hochberg
Managing Editor

Complying with state investigators' demands for more information, the Springfield Democratic Party submitted itemized lists of "in-kind" campaign contributions received during 1993 and 1994.

The New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission's continuing probe of the local Democrats has focused on the fund-raising activities of Deputy Mayor Herbert Sloe's 1993 campaign, and the 1994 campaign of Township Committee members Gregory Clarke and Roy Allan Hirschfeld.

In-kind campaign contributions are nonmonetary donations. The items listed by the Democrats were goods donated and intended for auction during party fund-raising events in those two years.

Responding to a complaint filed by a John Doe, who alleged the Democratic Party has neglected to file mandatory campaign-finance records, the ELEC requested lists of items both committees-to-elig had received during those two years.

The Democrats submitted a list of 11 items received by Sloe's campaign, and a list of 20 items received by Clarke's and Hirschfeld's campaigns.

Republican Township Committee member JoAnn Holmes, who used to be a Democrat, was listed as the contributor of a \$20 necktie. The Democrats qualified the donation, saying its value was "assumed" and "cannot be verified" by contributor.

Holmes said the Democrats never tried to contact her regarding the item's value.

Among the other contributors listed are:

- Township Attorney Bruce Dergen, who at the time of the campaigns was the chairman of the Democratic Party, donated \$160 in legal services in 1993 and \$185 in services in 1994.
- Township Committeeman Hirschfeld, who now is a Democrat candidate for General Assembly in District 21, donated a "wafer," valued at \$100 and a "stress audio tape," valued at \$50 in 1993. In 1994, he donated \$50 in career services, \$25 worth of Coca-Cola merchandise and another \$100 watercolor.
- Mayor Marcia Forman was listed as donating bottles of liqueur, valued at \$25, in 1994.
- Local attorney Anthony D'Alesio, who represents many area businesses — including Stop & Shop — before the Planning and Zoning boards, was listed as the donor of \$100 of legal services in both 1993 and 1994.
- Suzanne Firsichbaum, the wife of Municipal Judge Steven Firsichbaum, was listed as the contributor of business cards, valued at \$115 in 1993 and \$125 in 1994.
- Democratic Party Treasurer and Board of Adjustment member Michael Herzinger was listed as the donor of \$100 worth of accounting services in 1993 and 1994.
- Public Library board of trustees member Myra Westerman was listed as the donor of the use of her Cape Cod summer home, valued at \$300, in 1993.

This phase of the ELEC's investigation of the Springfield Democratic Party followed the conviction of the Democrats in June of failing to file other mandatory financial records for a period of four years.

Assembly candidate campaigns in town

Cedar Grove Mayor Kevin O'Toole came to Springfield Sept. 21 to announce the formal start of his campaign for General Assembly, joining incumbent Monroe Lustbader on the Republican ticket in the 21st District.

Saying he intends to continue the fiscal policies of the Whitman administration and the social and environmental agenda set by retiring Assemblywoman Maureen Ogden, O'Toole said his candidacy is based on a need to continue the work accomplished in recent years by the Republican-controlled executive and legislative branches of state government.

"New Jersey has made some great strides under the leadership of Gov. Christie Whitman and the Republican Legislature," he added. "But we all know that more work needs to be done. We must prepare for New Jersey's future."

"Republicans have succeeded in unting taxes by nearly \$2 billion for working families in our state and have made our state government smaller, leaner and more efficient," he added. "We simply cannot afford to turn back the clock to the days of the Democrats' record tax hikes, unadministered government spending and double-digit unemployment."

O'Toole praised Whitman and the Legislature for delivering a 30 percent middle-class tax cut and providing incentives for businesses to locate in New Jersey.

"We need to make New Jersey a place where middle-class families can afford to buy homes; where hard-working men and women can find jobs; and where people can feel safe and secure in their communities," he continued. "I look forward to working with Governor Whitman to achieve all of these goals."

A targeted tax
A specific target of O'Toole's is the state telecommunications tax, which he called "especially unfair and burdensome on senior citizens."

In calling for a repeal of that 6 percent tax, the candidate blamed Democrats and the Florio administration for its existence.

The tax allows the state government to collect money on telecommunications services, such as interstate calls, international calls and intrastate calls. Its elimination has been estimated to save taxpayers approximately \$234 million. The tax, which was part of Gov. Jim Florio's \$2.8 billion tax package, originally was a 7 percent tax. It was reduced to 6 percent when Republicans cut the state sales tax in 1992.

"Republicans have cut the sales tax by \$600 million, reduced income taxes by \$1.2 billion and eliminated the Yellow Pages advertising tax for small businesses," he added. "This
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Holmes, Zucker lead local GOP campaign

As the 1995 campaigns for Township Committee enter the final weeks, the Republican candidates have announced the selection of their campaign managers.

Candidates William Ruocco and Judith Blitzer said Township Committeewoman JoAnn Holmes and former Municipal Judge Leonard B. Zucker will share the responsibilities of directing the campaign.

The election will be held Nov. 7.

"Committeewoman JoAnn Holmes and Judge Lenzy Zucker are two of Springfield's most recognized and prominent citizens, who have given of themselves for their community," Blitzer said. "We are honored to have them serve as our campaign managers for the election in Springfield."

"JoAnn has built her reputation as a fighter in what she believes in and her deep concern for the needs of every resident of Springfield," Ruocco said. "She has served our community with distinction, free of any concerns to advance a personal agenda. JoAnn's record of accomplishments in Springfield cannot be questioned."

"Her vast background in government and with Springfield's needs will be of great value in making sure that our message is given to every resident of Springfield," he added.

Zucker has served several posts in Springfield government during the past 20 years.

He was Springfield's municipal judge from 1988 through 1994. He also has been counsel for the township's Senior Citizens Housing during the past 15 years. In the 1970s, he was the attorney to the Library board of trustees and the Rent Leveling Board, and served as township attorney in 1975.

He was also named Man of the Year at Temple Sha'arey Shalom.

"We are proud to have two individuals of such high character running our election effort this year. Their standing within our community is without question and their voices will be heard during this election," Blitzer said.

"When we announced our candidacy several months ago, we assured the residents of Springfield that their needs will come first," Ruocco added. "Those who would use Springfield's government for their own personal agenda will become a thing of the past once we are elected to the Township Committee."

The appointment of Holmes came within a week of her endorsement of the Republican ticket. She couldn't be reached for comment on the matter, but in a prepared statement, both campaign managers said they have been willing residents at their homes to spread the message that Springfield needs two-party government.

"Springfield is in dire need of real leadership and there is no doubt that Bill and Judy can fill the existing void in leadership that now exists on the Township Committee," the statement also said. "We ask every resident, regardless of party affiliation, to look past labels and elect the very best team for Springfield. Taxes in our community are at an all time high, and we need leadership to run Springfield, a \$15 million public corporation."

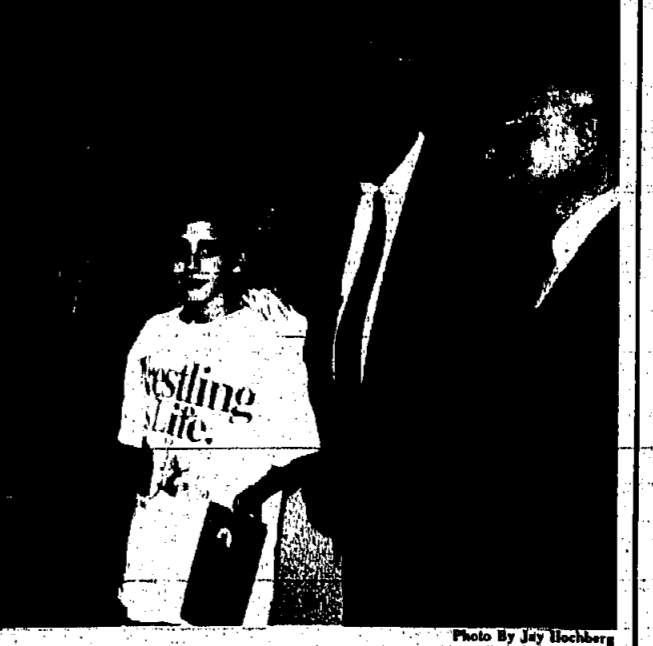
Holiday delays meeting of Township Committee

Because of Rosh Hashana — the Jewish new year — the Township Committee convened last night, after this newspaper had gone to press. Details of the meeting will be published in next week's *Springfield Leader*.

Among the items on the agenda for the meeting were:

- The promotion of Police Officer William Ciuri from third class to second class, to fill the vacancy created when the Township Committee and Chief of Police William Chicholm promoted Steven Stocil to sergeant earlier this month.
- A vote on whether to grant an easement to Bell Atlantic for its new cellular telecommunications tower.
- The authorization of more tax refunds according to tax court settlements.
- The proclamation of the township's recognition of Dyslexia Awareness Month.
- Other assorted new business.

A true champion



Cory Cooperman accepts the congratulations of the Township Committee upon being presented with a Township Special Recognition Award for athletic achievement. Cooperman, a wrestler with a record of 160-0, is the winner of the 1995 State Wrestling Championship; the 1995 Regional Wrestling Championship and the 1995 National Wrestling Championship. Joining him are Township Committee members Roy Hirschfeld, Marcia Forman, JoAnn Holmes, Gregory Clarke and Herbert Sloe.

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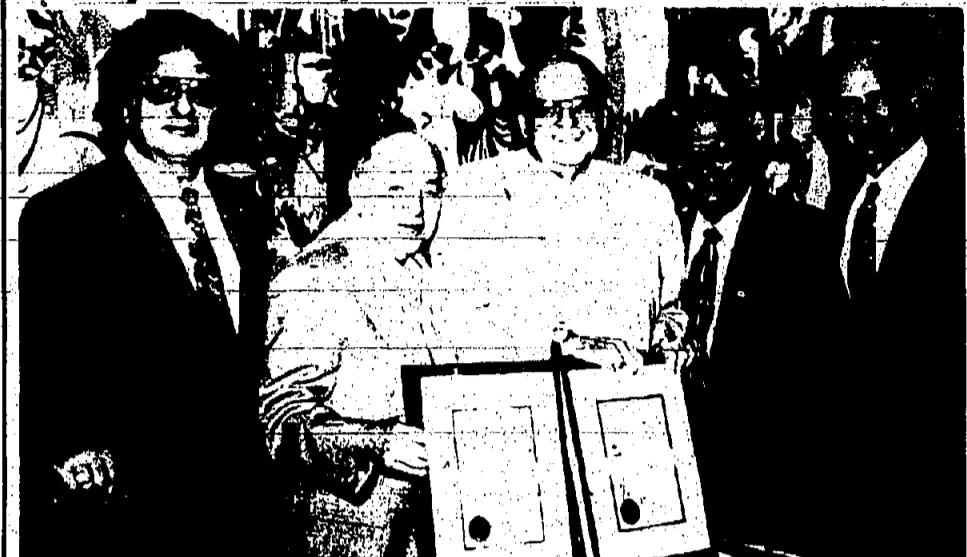
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The present president



Presidents past and present of Springfield B'nai B'rith gather following their 125th Anniversary. New President Ira Epstein, past co-presidents Joseph Tenenbaum and Herb Ross, past President of Northern N.J. Council Irwin Levee and District 3 President Brandt Brandt display the commemorative plaques presented to Tenenbaum and Ross.

O'Toole starts campaign in Springfield

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should be the next tax on the chopping block.
"If we learned anything from the Florida tax increase plan, it was that it impacted all New Jersey residents," he also said. "I find this tax particularly offensive because it hurts many citizens living on fixed incomes and middle class residents who could use the savings from this cut for other purposes."

"Residents went from paying no taxes on their phone bill to paying a 7 percent tax. That was quite an increase," O'Toole continued. "It's not like the telephone is a luxury anymore. The telephone is the primary form of communication in our society, and without it residents would be cut off from many of their friends and family members. My goal is to see this tax repealed as soon as possible."

O'Toole said preserving the environment is also one of his legislative priorities, adding that he "will attempt to fill Assemblyman Maureen Ogden's shoes" as a "pre-eminent environmental legislator."

On that front, O'Toole said his first task would be to ensure the state provide its native Essex County with its first state park, adding that Essex is the only county without a state park.
As the chief of staff to Essex County Executive James Trotter and as a three-term mayor of Cedar Grove, O'Toole has occupied a vantage point from which to observe the state's handling of the Hilltop area.

"I've traveled in Trenton a number of times to personally lobby the governor's staff, DEP Commissioner Shinn, and numerous legislators,

including Assembly Speaker Chuck Haytian and Senate President Donald DiFranco," he said, referring to a decade of lobbying for conservation of the land. His efforts included testifying before the Essex County Land Management Committee in 1992.

Because state office requires commitment to more than local issues, O'Toole has had to broaden his horizons, addressing "statewide" issues, including crime control. The candidate said he supports such anti-crime measures as Megan's Law, the "three strikes and you're out" sentencing law and strict requirements for carrying pistols.

"Law-abiding citizens have the right to feel safe and secure in their local neighborhoods and communities," he added. "We must continue passing tough new anti-crime laws that take violent predators off the streets and put them behind bars where they belong."

O'Toole said he favors proposals to study New Jersey's current system of parole, adding that "it's time to take a hard look at our parole system and assess whether it is working or not. We should not have a revolving door criminal justice system that puts criminals back on the streets before they have served their time."

"During an interview with a reporter from this newspaper earlier this year, O'Toole said he has no intention of either of keeping his Essex County post or seeking re-election in Cedar Grove if elected to the General Assembly.

Earlier this month, Democrat candidate Roy Allan Hirschfeld, who serves on Springfield's Township Committee, also knocked on doors, reaching out to voters in Springfield.

Hirschfeld said O'Toole has "no clear agenda to lower taxes," and shouldn't simultaneously hold state, county, municipal and private positions.

O'Toole, a graduate of Seton Hall University and Seton Hall Law School, said he will practice law part-time while dedicating most of his time to his Assembly position.

He is a lifelong Cedar Grove resident and has been an active member on the Planning Board, Zoning Board, Rent Levying and Control Board, and Little League Baseball and football organizations.

He got his start in community service in 1983 as a volunteer firefighter and legal mentor to students in Livingston, Cedar Grove and Verona.

He has served as a legislative aide to Assemblyman John Kelly, R-36, and as a congressional intern to former 11-term Democrat Rep. Joseph Minsh.

O'Toole is married to Bethany Jarvis O'Toole.

O'Toole summarized his announcement, saying "we must focus our efforts on keeping New Jersey affordable to all. We must protect our senior citizens and provide for our children."

Assemblymen introduce bill to fund historic preservation

Assembly members Richard H. Bagger and Maureen Ogden, both R-Union, have introduced legislation that would allocate millions of dollars for historic preservation projects throughout northern New Jersey.

The measure is part of a two-bill package that would award \$10.1 million in historic preservation matching grants from the New Jersey Historic Trust to fund 36 projects across the state.

"New Jersey is more than a pathway between New York and Pennsylvania," said Bagger. "Our state has a rich and unique heritage. Turn off any road and you can find a Colonial village from the 1700s, a 19th-century Gothic-style cathedral or one of the original farms that led to New Jersey's nickname the Garden State.

"New Jersey is full of historical treasures that must be preserved. Our legislation will continue to do just that," he said.

Bagger said the grants are the first to be awarded under the 1992 Green Acres, Clean Waters, Farmland and Historic Preservation Bond Act, which allocated \$25 million in matching funds for preservation projects.

"This legislation will provide money to vital historical projects such as Masker's Barn at Felville Village in Berkeley Heights," Bagger said. "Felville, erected in 1845, originally produced colorful marbled paper used for the end covers of books before it became a summer resort called Glencliff."

One of the original Adirondack-style buildings, Masker's Barn, dates back to 1885 and was used as a carriage house for summer visitors, said Bagger. The \$426,634 grant will fund the rehabilitation of the interior and exterior of the building to continue to provide space for educational programs and public lectures.

"By voting for the 1992 Bond Act, the citizens of New Jersey overwhelmingly supported historical preservation projects," said Bagger. "And these projects will maintain the history and beauty that we have enjoyed so we can share them with future generations to come."

The New Jersey Historic Trust was careful to promote the preservation of the state's historic resources by encouraging cooperative efforts between public and private agencies.

Sergeant Steve



Police Officer Steven Stock is being promoted to sergeant by the Township Committee and Chief of Police William Chisholm.

Opening day excitement



New kindergartners Rebecca Stickland and Jillian Scallio stop to catch their breath during the excitement of their very first day of school.

State allows municipalities to save land from development

A measure that will permit municipalities to exclude certain land designated for open space from consideration for affordable housing development was signed into law by Gov. Christine Todd Whitman recently.

The legislation was sponsored by Assemblyman Richard H. Bagger, R-22, which includes parts of Morris, Somerset and Union counties.

The measure, A-1801, will amend the Fair Housing Act, which designates that every municipality in a growth area is obligated to provide through its land use regulations the opportunity for low- and moderate-income families to obtain housing within the municipality's region.

"Under the provisions of this new law, municipalities will be permitted to have greater influence in considering potential land sites for low- and moderate-income housing within their respective jurisdictions," Bagger said. "Municipalities may exclude certain lands from consideration for affordable housing developments if they are county- and/or municipally owned conservation lands designated on the municipal master plan."

The Assembly has amended the bill to exclude land dedicated for purposes of conservation, park lands or open space and owned by a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization from being designated as vacant land by COAH, when determining a municipality's available land resources for affordable housing.

Seniors citizens help fund drive of Volunteer First Aid Squad

On Sept. 11, volunteer Springfield senior citizens affixed labels to and stuffed approximately 7,000 envelopes for the annual First Aid fund drive at the Sarah Bailey Civic Center.

The following seniors participated: Millie Goucher, Mary Chapliski, Irving Vogt, Bea Vogt, Helen Skura, Gene Foley, Kitty and Betty Seales, Anita Ward, Carmella Rapano, Art and Lillian Buehrer, Pal Reilly, Clare Milk, Anita Franzese, Mary Rybniewicz, Eleanor Poito, Ruth Lang, Kathryn Garetta, Theresa Decker, Freda Haggerty, Josephine Zentz, Joe Lang, Helen Winkelnitz, Angie Scalers and Libby Fitzsimmons.

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Boy Scout still working on Teen Center makeover

The Springfield Teen Center is getting a facelift. Located in the Children's School building, the center is currently approximately 160 teen-agers each week.

The fundraising effort is led by Dayton volunteer Christopher Baber who, after eight years as a Boy Scout, is working toward attaining the rank of Eagle Scout. Updating the center is Baber's community service project, one of the many requirements that must be completed before becoming an Eagle Scout, the highest rank in scouting.

This project is very timely, and one that will be of great service to the town. Thus far, Baber has used his own funds to purchase a large amount of equipment for this project. The center needs everything from sports equipment to books, videos, board games, guitar and more.

Baber's mailings have resulted in donations. He has gotten one hundred pledges of paint, furniture, glasses, aluminum ping-pong tables, a Nintendo set with games, and a stereo.

The center will remain operating, "minus a little," Baber said, "and other household items to complete the job."

Anyone wishing to help Baber refurbish the Teen Center, or would like to contribute money, may call him at 379-7182.

Firefighters local to hold fund-raiser golf outing

The Springfield Fire Department's Fireman's Mutual Businessmen Association Local 57 is sponsoring a fund-raiser golf tournament on Nov. 13 at the Balausd County Club in Somerville.

The tournament will feature a variety of activities including a U.S. Open men's and women's tournaments as well as other professional golf tournaments.

The FMSA is a unit of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Co. of California, which provides residents of Springfield with a fire-fighter's special plan of fire and theft insurance. The FMSA also provides a variety of other services to its members.

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In addition, all golfers will receive a tournament gift shirt, trophy and putting green on wheels, a buffet lunch, the use of a golf cart or caddy, assistance to the locker and a post-tournament stock and snack.

To obtain sponsorship or golf tournament information, call 379-8558 or visit the Fire Department at the back of the Municipal Building.

Board of Education releases schedule

The Union County Regional High School Board of Education has released the schedule of its first meetings of the 1995-96 school year.

The next meetings are scheduled for:
• Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the library of Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield.

Civic calendar

The Civic Calendar, prepared by the Springfield Leader and the Mountaineer Echo, is a list of local and county government meetings.

Monday
• The Union County Cultural and Heritage Program Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.

Tuesday
• The Union County Regional High School Board of Education will meet in the library of Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark at 7:30 p.m.

• The Union County Advisory Council on Aging will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
• The Union County Local Advisory Commission on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.

• The Union County Senior Citizen and Disabled Resident Transportation Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
• The Springfield Planning Board will meet at 7 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.

• The Union County Environmental Health Advisory Board will meet at 7:45 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
• The Union County Human Services Advisory Council will meet at 9 a.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.

• The Union County Transportation Advisory Board will meet at 8 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
Oct. 9
• The Springfield Township Committee will meet in executive session at 7:45 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.

Oct. 10
• The Springfield Township Committee will meet at 8 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.
• The Mountaineer Borough Council will meet in a work session at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall.

Oct. 11
• The Union County Planning Board will meet at 7 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
Oct. 16
• The Mountaineer Borough Council will meet at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall.

Oct. 17
• The Mountaineer Borough Council will meet at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall.
Oct. 18
• The Springfield Board of Adjustment will meet at 7 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.

• The Springfield Development Review Commission will meet at 7 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.
• The Union County Consumer Affairs Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.

• The Union County Community Development Block Grant and Reverse Shoring Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.
Oct. 23
• The Springfield Township Committee will meet in executive session at 7:30 p.m. on the second floor of the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Ave.

• The Union County Air Traffic Noise Advisory Board will meet at 7 p.m. at 300 North Avenue East in Warfield.
• The Union County Mental Health Advisory Board will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Administration Building at Elizabethtown Plaza in Elizabethtown.

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Total Quality Education Training Consultants will provide consulting for the Black and Blue-Sea-Boiler Operation Examination classes during the Union County Regional Adult School Registration. A counselor will be available between 5 and 8 p.m. on Wednesday at Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark. Prospective students are reminded to be prepared to register and pay for text and workbooks.

The classes will meet twice a week for 10 sessions. The Blue Seal Class will begin Monday and the Black Seal class will begin Tuesday.

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Registration information for all courses at the Regional Adult School can be obtained by calling (908) 382-4216.

Buffet scheduled

Our Lady of Lourdes Rotary Altar Society will hold its annual Communion Buffet Monday in the auditorium after the 9 a.m. Mass.

Tickets cost \$9 for adults and \$4.50 for children aged 3-10. The guest speaker will be the Rev. John Hillan.

For further information call 233-7453 or 233-4576.

Back to normal

The Springfield Public Library has resumed regular operating hours. The library will be open from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

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Applications for both the reduced-price and the free lunch programs have been mailed to the parents of all of the high school students, and additional forms are available at each of the three high schools.

These applications may be submitted at any time during the school year. For more information about these programs, contact Director of Special Services John Christiano at 376-6300, Ext. 280.

Luncheon scheduled

The Mountaineer Municipal Alliance has scheduled a luncheon for senior citizens during which the effects of smoking tobacco and tobacco company marketing strategies will be discussed.

Buffet scheduled

The Springfield Presbyterian Church on Deer Path

A \$3 donation will be asked of each attendee. For more information or to make reservations, call Julie Allen at Borough Hall at 232-2400, Ext. 39.

New lights needed

Mountaineer's Christmas tree is in need of new lights.

Due to the tree's growth, additional decorative lights are needed to cover its branches. The Tree Committee plans to replace the present lights with miniature bulbs, which is expected to be less expensive than the bulbs used in past years.

To donate money for the new lights, send a check, payable to Lewis Strohmeier, to 300 Creek Bed Rd. in Mountaineer.

Philanthropy thanks



Executives of Garden State Business Machines flank SEEDS President Blair Machines upon the company's receipt of the 1995 Corporate Philanthropy Award. SEEDS, a non-profit organization that benefits gifted, economically deprived youngsters, presented the award to the Springfield-based firm as thanks for the \$50,000 GSBM had raised in a golf tournament on SEEDS' behalf.

Bassano sponsors bill for youth services

The Senate Law and Public Safety Committee has introduced legislation sponsored by Sen. Louis Bassano and Sen. Matthew Denno to create a youth services commission to coordinate county youth services commissions.

Under the terms of S-2309, the county services commissions would be charged with assessing and prioritizing the needs of youth involved or at risk of becoming involved in the juvenile justice system. In addition, the commissions would develop, implement and contract for community programs for juveniles, and review and monitor new and existing community programs to determine their effectiveness.

By bringing this process down to the local level, authorities can intervene before a juvenile has become so entrenched in the juvenile justice system that there appears to be no hope. Local officials can identify a potential problem in the making, hopefully heading off future trouble by addressing the youth's needs right away," said Bassano.

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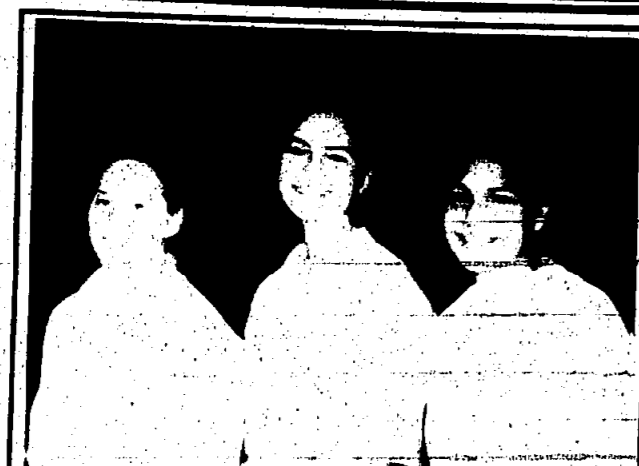
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student update



Oak Knoll seniors, from left, Jennifer McKenna, Sara Bonomo and Flavia Lega, have been named semi-finalists in the 1996 National Merit Scholarship Program. They are among the top one-half of 1 percent of New Jersey's eligible seniors.

Oak Knoll students are in national semi-finals

Jennifer McKenna of Summit, Sara Bonomo of Chatham and Flavia Lega of Berkeley Heights seniors at Oak Knoll School of the Holy Child in Summit, have been named semi-finalists in the 1996 National Merit Scholarship Program. This honor places them in the top one-half of 1 percent of New Jersey's eligible seniors. They will now have the opportunity to earn one of the 6,000 Merit Scholarships to be awarded nationally in the spring.

An outstanding student, McKenna is a member of the Concert Choir and the Oak Knoll Swim Team. She is an honors student and an Advanced Placement student, and she is a published author. She is interested in pursuing a future in genetics and physical therapy. She is the daughter of Walter and Constance McKenna of Summit. Bonomo is an honors student and has served as president of both the science and Spanish clubs. She is a frequent participant in volunteer

Oak Knoll student named AP Scholar

Flavia Lega, a senior at Oak Knoll School of the Holy Child, has been named an AP Scholar by the College Board in recognition of her exceptional achievement on the college-level Advanced Placement Examination. Lega has earned the AP Scholar Award by completing three or more AP Examinations with grades of three or higher. Though she is now a senior, this award recognizes her achievement as of the end of her

Students semi-finalists in scholarship program

National Merit Scholarship Corp. announced the names of some 15,000 high school seniors who are semi-finalists in the 41st National Merit Scholarship Program. The following Summit students were among the honorees:

In Summit High School — Janet Laven, Vincent Martin, Alan Marx, Brian White and Mary Wilkins. **In Oak Knoll School of the Holy Child —** Sara Bonomo, Flavia Lega and Jennifer McKenna. **In Kent Place School —** Bonnie Kullin, Anne Korman and Meredith Zilkin.

These academically talented young men and women have an opportunity to continue their education at approximately 6,000 Merit Scholarship awards, worth about \$2 million, to be offered next spring. NMSC is a privately financed, not-for-profit corporation whose scholarship activities are supported by about 600 independent sponsor organizations and institutions. The publicly holding NMSC seeks to broaden educational opportunities for these students and to encourage the pursuit of scholastic excellence at all academic levels. NMSC is a 501(c)(3) organization with about 100,000 United States high schools in the 1996 Merit Program by taking the 1994 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) which is administered by the Educational Testing Service. The program awards Merit Scholarships to students who score in the top 1 percent of the state's high school seniors.

Kent Place senior chosen

The names of approximately 1,500 Semi-finalists in the 1996 National Achievement Scholarship Program were announced. Kent Place School student Jeanette Ponder was among those honored. These academically able black Americans are high school seniors who will continue in the competition for Achievement Scholarship awards to be offered next spring. The Achievement Program is an annual, privately financed competition for some 800 Achievement Scholarship awards worth nearly \$3 million, that are supported by some 140 corporate organizations, company foundations, higher education institutions, and the program's own funds.

Nearly 100,000 black students entered the 1996 Achievement Program by requesting consideration when they took the 1994 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT). Semi-finalists are designated in geographic regions, and they are the highest-scoring program entrants in the states that make up each region.

To be considered for Achievement Scholarship awards, Semi-finalists must advance to the Finalist level of the competition. To become a Finalist a Semi-finalist must fulfill additional requirements that include having a record of high academic performance throughout high school, being endorsed and recommended by the school principal, and earning SAT scores that confirm the earlier PSAT/NMSQT performance. In addition, information is provided about the student's activities, contributions to the school and community, and educational plans and goals in a detailed scholarship application the Semi-finalist and a school official must complete.

About 1,200 Semi-finalists are expected to become Finalists, and all Achievement Scholarship winners will be chosen from the Finalist group. Award recipients will be the candidates judged to have the greatest potential for academic success in college, based on their abilities, skills, and accomplishments.

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C. Harris Publishing Co. Inc., 2000 Lane, Suite 300, Austin, TX 78762. Here's a chance to get back in touch with some old friends, make new friends, plan social gatherings and see how everyone is doing. The school needs your help. If you are looking for lists and updates of alumni names and addresses from all class years so that as many alumni as possible can be listed in the directory.

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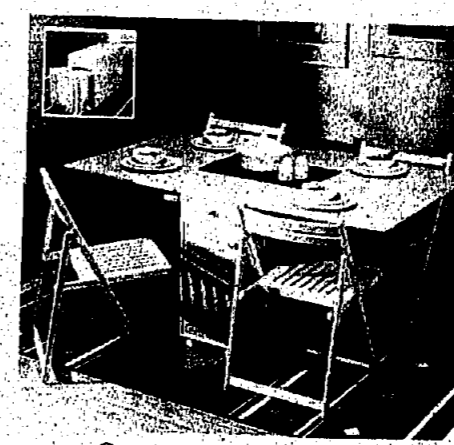
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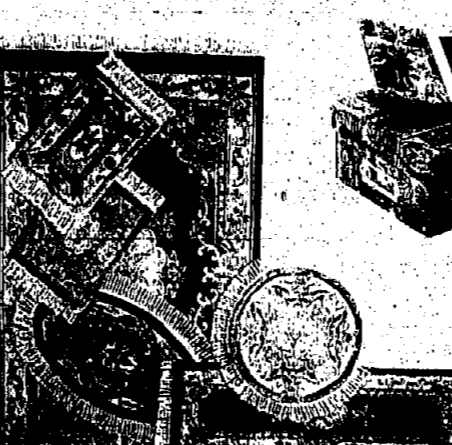


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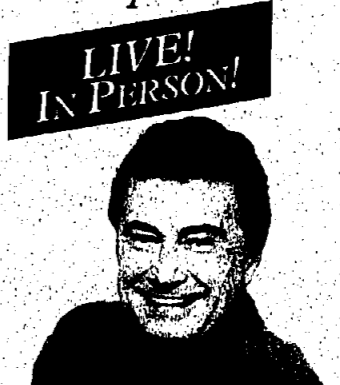


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Jazz heritage



Bass player Vincenzo Buccol, also known as Vinnie Burke, leads his jazz trio through a number during the Mountside Heritage Day weekend celebration earlier this month. Buccol, a Springfield resident, has been a regular in the jazz scene for decades, playing on recordings by Billie Holiday, among others.

Springfield Library automates circulation

Continuing efforts to update the facilities of the public library, the computerization of the circulation system was completed recently.

Barcode labels have been affixed to all library materials, and patrons now are receiving new plastic library cards bearing their own personal barcodes. This combination allows for quick scanning of patrons' cards and library materials, the same way items are scanned in grocery stores.

Library users who wish to locate a book or other library materials, may now look up the author, title or subject in the On-Line Public Access Catalog. Training sessions for the public will be announced at a later date; staff members will be available to assist patrons as needed.

In the future, patrons will be able to reserve materials using computers, look up their own records and call and search for materials from home.

The library hired the same firm that installed automation equipment in 1984. Gaylord Brothers of Syracuse, N.Y., returned to the library 21 years after automating the hand-stamping of due dates on library materials and the handwriting of the titles of books borrowed.

Library patrons who have not already done so, are encouraged to visit the library to fill out a new library card application and receive a new card. Patrons will be unable to circulate library materials without the new card.

The new library card was designed by Library Board of Trustees member and local artist Helen Frank. The card features a revision of the township seal: a Revolutionary War Minuteman reading a book while standing next to a computer.

The Springfield Free Public Library is located at 66 Mountain Ave. Full hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

people in the news

Local man plans show

Mountside resident Donald Wagner is producer of "River of No Return," at which eight major bands will perform in an all-day festival of alternative Christian music, at Princeton Alliance Church, 4315 U.S. Route One, Moonmouth Junction on Oct. 7 from 1 to 11 p.m.

The bands include Dodavaha, Maybe Tomorrow, Ghost Hook, Agape, Sero Hour, Red Letter Print, Alternator and Sunday Night, and the host bands, Culture Dogs, and the Night Light band.

"These are the finest Christian bands from the New Jersey area, Delaware and Virginia," said John Edgar Caterson, the church's teaching pastor.

Caterson is executive director of Night Light, a monthly event that utilizes the latest multimedia, music and methodology, including videos, drama and comedy, in an effort to effectively communicate the gospel of Christ to people in their late teens, 20s and early 30s, the Generation X age group," he said.

"The event reaches beyond the confines of tradition to present God to a generation in a way that is relative to their perspective," he added.

Night Light is sponsoring the River of No Return festival.

Proceeds will go to the homeless program of the Exchange Club and to the domestic violence program of WomanSpace, which provides residential shelter for battered women and children; group counseling and support; an advocacy program to aid women through the court system; and workshops that focus on personal skills such as communication, self-esteem and job search preparation. The Exchange Club works with homeless families temporarily sheltered along Route 1.

Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$12 at gate. For information, call the church at (609) 799-9000, Ext. 2030.

Mascot memories



Deerfield School fifth-graders display their classes' mascots. Slacy Vlachkis, in Mrs. Lubash's class, has Penta Panda. Frank Mazzeo, from Mrs. Meissner's class, holds Moosner the cow, and Kaley Wheaton, of Mrs. Unchester's class, shows off Teacher's Pet Bear. The mascots accompany students' home on weekends, vacations and class trips, and accounts of the mascots' exploits will be recorded in diaries.

GOP leaders to honor Maureen Ogden

Retiring Assemblywoman Maureen Ogden, R-Union, of Short Hills will be honored by area Republicans during this year's Republican Committee Fall Salute, Sunday from 4:30 to 7 p.m. at the home of Kelly and Jim Hatfield, 215 Oak Ridge Ave.

In recognition of Ogden's outstanding service and dedication to helping the City of Summit and its residents, Mayor Janet Whitman will proclaim Oct. 1 as Assemblywoman Maureen Ogden Day.

Ogden was elected to her first term in 1981 and re-elected six times since. Ogden serves as chairman of the Assembly's Committee on Environmental Quality, and a member of the Policy and Rules Committee. She has played a formative role in legislation for historic preservation, the arts, the environment, women's issues, and preventing drug abuse. She announced her retirement from office this past spring.

Ogden is a former mayor of Millburn and a Township Committee member. She attended Millburn schools and Kent-Pacer School in Summit. She is a graduate of Smith College and holds graduate degrees from Rutgers and Columbia universities. She has been associated with the Ford Foundation and the Foreign Policy Association. She and her husband Robert have three sons and two grand-children. Their son Henry is a candidate for Summit Common Council from Ward II in this fall's general election on Nov. 7.

Also saluting Ogden at the Fall Salute will be her Assembly partner, Assemblyman Monroe Laubscher, also of Short Hills; Cedar Grove Mayor Kevin O'Toole, who is running for re-election; Acting Union County Sheriff candidate Peter Novargic of Clark; Freeholder candidates Railway Councilman and former Freeholder Jim Fulcomer, Rosetta Mayor Joe Safaryn, and Cranford attorney Nick Giudice.

Co-chairing the Fall Salute are Betty Anderson of Rotary Drive, and Lenore Ford of Oak Ridge Avenue. Assisting them will be Summit's candidates for office this fall — Walter Long, running for mayor; Eric Mauer, candidate for council at large; and Ward candidate Bill Rosen and Henry Ogden.

A donation of \$35 per person is requested of attendees. Proceeds will go toward financing the operations of the Republican City Committee for the next year. Checks should be sent to City Committee Treasurer Donald Anderson, 189 Blackburn Road, Summit, 07901. For further information, contact Mrs. Anderson at 273-5113, or Mrs. Ford at 273-9277. There will be refreshments of wine and hors d'oeuvres.

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news clips

Alumni football show

The Summit Football Alumni Association again presents their weekly look at the Summit High School football team...

Free flu clinic

Free flu immunization clinics are being sponsored by the Regional Health Department of Summit, New Jersey...

Adoptive workshop

An adoptive parents workshop will be held Wednesday, Oct. 25 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Commerce breakfast series returns

A View From the Top, the Suburban Chambers of Commerce Friday Breakfast series continues tomorrow at 7:45 a.m. at the Grand Summit Hotel.

Center's screening detects coronary risk

Multi-Care Health Center, an affiliate of the St. Barnabas Health Care System, is offering a Coronary Risk Screening blood test to detect elevated cholesterol levels.

Advertisement for Saint Michael's Medical Center featuring a photo of a doctor and text about heart surgery and medical services.

Seed drive-through

Cardinals prefer sunflower seeds as the winter blue jays, chickadees and evening grosbeaks. There is a favorite of house finches, goldfinches and pine siskins while downy woodpeckers and chickadees choose sun.

Sugar Plum Shop

The Kent Place School Parents Association announces the revival of the Sugar Plum Shop, a Kent Place School for girls.

Perennial color

Subjects, desks, splashes and team edges are among the "Variegated Perennials" Kent Russell will bring to the Reeves-Rood Arboretum in Summit this Saturday.

Foreign language for younger students

Expand its program to a single 20-week session that will start the first week of October and run through March, following the Summit Board of Education calendar.

Manhood presented as sacred path

We are at a time in our society where there is so much emphasis on success and pressure on "getting ahead" that we have forgotten how manhood can be a sacred path.

Whitman signs 'wheelchair' bill

Gov. Christine Whitman recently signed into law a bill sponsored by Assemblyman Alan Augoustinos, R-Union, which would protect disabled consumers from incurring the cost of repeatedly repairing defective motorized wheelchairs.

Disposal Day set for Saturday

The first Fall Household Special Waste Disposal Day of 1995 held in Scotch Plains produced a total of 630 vehicles, whose drivers brought their household chemical waste for proper disposal.

School work

St. James School students Attila Vigilante and Alay Vigilante give new meaning to school work, as they help move furniture in their classroom in preparation for the first day of school.

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Professional Directory listing various services such as Accountants, Attorneys, Chiropractors, Dentists, and more.

Large advertisement for Investors Savings Bank featuring a "Guaranteed Rate" and a table of mortgage loan options.

Large advertisement for "DON'T MISS NEXT WEEK'S ISSUE" of the Springfield Leader, including subscription rates and contact information.

Large advertisement for "LUSTRADER & O'TOOLE" featuring photos of the attorneys and text about their legal services.

Large advertisement for "GUARANTEED RATE" with a table of mortgage loan options and contact information for Investors Savings Bank.

reunions

Our Lady of Lourdes Grammar School will hold a reunion of graduates, faculty and former students to commemorate the 70th anniversary of the school on Oct. 21 from 7:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Prepaid reservations are \$15 per person, \$25 per couple. With payment, include maiden name and year of graduation or attendance. Send reservations or requests for information to Our Lady of Lourdes School Reunion Committee, 100 Valley Way, West Orange 07092, or call (201) 325-0555.

The Arts High School, Class of 1975, will have its 20-year reunion on Nov. 25, 7 p.m. to 2 a.m. at the Newark Airport Marriott Hotel. Alumni, or anyone knowing the whereabouts of former classmates, should contact: AHS '75 Reunion Committee, P.O. Box 1310, Summit 07902-1310.

Summit High School, Class of 1965, will hold its reunion on Oct. 21. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunion Time, 1350 Campus Parkway, Wall 07724, or call (800) 22-CLASS.

Union High School, Class of 1950, will have its 45th reunion on Nov. 24 at the Gallop Hill Inn, Union, Conn. Contact Joan Schille Ammend, 1311 Liberty Ave., Union 07083.

Hillside High School, Class of 1985, will have its 10th reunion on Oct. 28. Alumni, or anyone knowing the whereabouts of former classmates, should contact Dawn Maynor Moore, (908) 953-8553, 6 Roosevelt Place, Irvington 07111.

Hillside High School, Class of 1981, will have its 15-year reunion in July 1996 on board the Spirit of New Jersey cruise ship. Alumni, or anyone knowing the whereabouts of former classmates, should contact Dawn Maynor Moore, (908) 953-8553; 6

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Central High School, Class of 1965, is planning its 30th anniversary reunion for Nov. 10 and 11. Interested classmates should send their address and telephone numbers to Class Reunion Committee; c/o Mary E. Thompson; P.O. Box 22264; Newark 07101.

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Nutley High School, Classes of 1962-'68 to Pasta Night at Arnie's Tavern and Restaurant in Jersey City on Nov. 24 at 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$25 per person. Call (201) 667-6610, (201) 235-1996 or (201) 284-1032.

Roselle Park High School, Class of 1960, is planning its 35th reunion. Alumni or anyone knowing of other interested classmates should contact either Elaine Whitney at (908) 272-0473 or Ellen Kline at (908) 245-0580.

East Orange High School, Class of 1970, is planning its 25th reunion on Nov. 25 at the Ayrton Way, 619 Langdon St., Orange. The cost is \$45 per person and anyone interested in attending should send a check or money order to E.O. High, Class of 1970 — Reunion Committee, P.O. Box 1152, East Orange 07017.

Orange High School, Class of 1955, will be celebrating its 40th reunion at the Hanover Manor on Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. All friends of the class and '56 alumni are invited to attend. Contact Whippary 07091.

Clifford J. Scott High School, Class of 1945, will celebrate its 50th reunion on Oct. 22 at the Afton restaurant, Flatbush Park, at 4:30 p.m. Alumni or anyone knowing the

whereabouts of former classmates should contact the reunion committee, 35 S. Sailer's Quay Dr., Brick 08723.

Weequahic High School, Class of 1946, will have its 50th reunion on May 19, 1996. For more information, call (908) 255-8453.

Union High School, Class of 1970, is planning its 25th reunion for Nov. 24 at the Grand Summit Hotel, Summit. Interested alumni should contact Kathleen Segale Beach, 979 Arnet Ave., Union 07083.

Hillside High School, Class of 1966, is planning a 30th reunion for October 1996. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of former classmates can be sent to Jerry Eben, 26 Walker Road, West Orange 07085, or call (201) 325-1710.

Roselle Park High School, Class of 1945, is having its 50th reunion on Oct. 28 at the Westwood in Garwood. Send addresses of class members to Elaine Pasquonelli Weismantel, UHS, Contact John M. Cutinello at (908) 830-5439.

Barringer High School, Class of 1960, is having its 35th reunion on Nov. 25 at the Fairmont, Route 23, Little Falls. Alumni or anyone knowing the whereabouts of former classmates should contact Phyllis Meador, 17 Hillside Road, Pine Brook 07068.

Union Catholic Boys and Girls High School, Class of 1975, will have its 20th reunion on Oct. 7. The evening will begin with a 6:30 p.m. Mass in the high school gym. Following the Mass, a cocktail party and buffet will be at the Clinton Manor in Springfield. For further information, call UCHS at (908) 889-1600.

Linden High School, Class of 1945, is having its 50th year reunion. Alumni or anyone who knows one should call (908) 474-8460, days, or (908) 396-9424, evenings.

Linden High School, Class of 1950, will have its reunion on Oct. 21

at the Holiday Inn in Carteret. Anyone who was not notified or those interested in attending should contact Darin Mazar Cryan at (908) 381-6384 or Michael Pieggi at (908) 862-2497 for more information.

Hillside High School, Class of 1960, will have a reunion on Oct. 14 at the Westwood in Garwood. For further information, contact Linda Aniszyk Lick, 48 Garden Oval, Springfield 07081-1822.

St. Casimir's Elementary School, Class of 1956, is looking for fellow classmates. Alumni or anyone who has information about them, should call (201) 635-8844, or write: Ron Killian, P.O. Box 91, Chatham 07928.

Union High School, Class of 1955, is having its 40th reunion Nov. 25 at the Gallop Hill Caterers in Union. Send addresses of class members to Elaine Pasquonelli Weismantel, UHS, Class of '55 Reunion Committee, 2149 Tyler St., Union 07083-5269.

Union High School, Class of 1966, is planning a 30-year reunion on Nov. 20, 1996. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunions Unlimited Inc., P.O. Box 150, Englishtown, N.J., 07726, or by calling (908) 780-8364.

East Orange High School, Class of 1955, is planning a 40th reunion for November. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of former classmates can be sent to Phyllis Vasta, Room 577 Centre St., Nutley, N.J., 07110.

Union High School, Class of 1975, is planning a 20-year reunion on Nov. 25, 1996. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunions Unlimited Inc., P.O. Box 150, Englishtown, N.J., 07726, or by calling (908) 780-8364.

Westfield High School, Class of 1945, is planning a 50-year reunion on Sept. 30. More information can be

obtained by writing to Reunions Unlimited Inc., P.O. Box 150, Englishtown, N.J., 07726, or by calling (908) 780-8364.

Westfield High School, Class of 1965, is planning a 30-year reunion on Nov. 25. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunions Unlimited Inc., P.O. Box 150, Englishtown, N.J., 07726, or by calling (908) 780-8364.

Linden High School, Class of 1970, is planning a 25-year reunion on Nov. 18. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunion Time, 1350 Campus Parkway, Wall 07724, or call (800) 22-CLASS.

Linden High School, Class of 1960, is planning a 35-year reunion on Oct. 6. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunion Time, 1350 Campus Parkway, Wall 07724, or call (800) 22-CLASS.

St. Joseph's Academy, Newark, Class of 1945, is planning a 50th reunion. Those interested can write to Reunion Committee, care of 563 Essex Ave., D-2, A-6B, Spring Lake Heights, N.J., 07770.

Livingston Regional High School, Berkeley Heights, Class of 1986, is planning a 10-year reunion. More information can be obtained by writing to Reunions Unlimited Inc., P.O. Box 150, Englishtown, N.J., 07726, or by calling (908) 780-8364.

Freeholder sees PATH as county-wide issue

By John Walsh
Staff Writer

Union County Freeholder Donald Sullivan would like to see the "World Trade Center" built in Jersey, but he says it is not for the county as a whole.

"The World Trade Center is a very important project for the state and the nation," Sullivan said. "But it is not a project that we can support as a county. It is a project that is too big for us."

Sullivan said that the county should focus on other projects that would benefit the county as a whole, such as the expansion of the Port Authority's transit system.

"We need to focus on the transit system," Sullivan said. "We need to make sure that we have a good transit system that can serve the county as a whole. That is the key to our economic development."

Passing out



St. James School students Meghan Bubba and Katie Tupper help their teacher by collecting books from the storage room and passing them out to their fellow students.

Tenants organization announces endorsements

The 65,000-member New Jersey Tenants Organization has announced its endorsements for the Nov. 7 General Election.

According to NJTO President Michelle Ripar, "All the endorsed candidates, both Democrats and Republicans, share the belief that a municipality must decide whether and what kind of rent control it needs to serve its own citizens, and that the state should not interfere in that decision. All of these candidates are deeply concerned about vacancy de-control as a threat to tenants which encourages landlord harassment."

The NJTO has endorsed 33 candidates for Assembly seats throughout the state, and one candidate for Senate in a special election in District 5. The NJTO also has endorsed Hudson County Executive Robert Janiszewski for reelection.

The NJTO supports and urges election of the following candidates: District 20, Neil M. Cohen and Joseph Saliga, Democrat for Assembly; District 21, Roy Hirschfield, a Democrat for Assembly.

NJTO First Vice President Matt Shapiro says the candidates were judged on their positions and on their commitment to vital tenant issues such as rent control, displacement, the tenant tax relief, vacancy decontrol and eviction protection. "In addition," Shapiro said, "past and present voting records, local activities and recommendations by affiliates, were strongly considered."

"Tenants throughout the state will now be notifying tenants in their buildings and towns of the endorsed candidates," said Ripar. "There will be literature drops and phone banks. We will do everything possible to maximize our ability to elect pro-tenant candidates."

Kean College will host urban education seminar

Kean College of New Jersey will be hosting an Urban Education Conference on Oct. 6 in the college's Downs Hall. Teachers, administrators, guidance counselors and other personnel are encouraged to attend.

The conference also will make the community aware of model programs that are available in urban school districts.

Participants will learn about the four elements for success in urban schools. They include: developing accelerated curricula; building student self-esteem; involving parents as partners; and increasing the number of minority teachers.

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Registration will begin at 8 a.m. Pre-registration is encouraged. The conference will begin at 9 a.m., with keynote speaker Larry Leverett of the New Jersey State Department of Education. He will address attendees on the "Pedagogy of Poverty."

There will be four morning presentations beginning at 10:15 a.m. They include the following:

- Curriculum Development — conducted by Linda Hopson, Kean College's Department of Instruction, Curriculum and Administration.
- Family Involvement — conducted by Amanda Jacobs, assistant director of special services, guidance and testing, Livingston School District.
- Self-Esteem Building — conducted by Sharon Boyd-Jackson of Kean's Psychology Department.
- Minority Teacher — conducted by Maria del Carmen Rodriguez and Diane King from the College Pathways/Project TEACH and Department of Special Education and Individualized Services.

The conference's afternoon sessions will demonstrate model programs available in the urban schools. Representatives from various school districts will be available to speak about these programs. Among the model programs represented include: Project Acel, Newark School District; School Planning Management Team; Paterson City School District 28; Winfield Scott Community School; Newark Schools; Elizabeth School District; and Kean College: School of Education, Pathways and Project Teach.

Admission for the Urban Education Conference is \$20 per person and is open to the general public. For more information, contact Conference Coordinator David King of the college's Special Education and Individualized Services Department at (908) 527-2327.

Literacy Volunteers to start fund-drive

Literacy Volunteers of America-Union County has announced the kick-off of its annual fund-raising drive.

According to LVA-UC, more than 80,000 people in Union County are unable to read, write or speak English well enough to function effectively in society. Literacy volunteers help fight low literacy by providing one-to-one tutoring in both basic literacy and English-as-a-second-language. LVA-UC currently is tutoring more than 400 individuals in Union County.

"LVA-UC provides a vital service in Union County by increasing the literacy of its work force," Paardcamp said. "Students are provided tutoring services that help provide money to continue the vital service to county residents."

Paardcamp also announced that the organization is screening individuals to serve on the Board of Directors. "It is of vital importance that we have good representation of civic-minded individuals who understand the needs of literacy," she said.

Anyone interested in volunteering for LVA-UC should contact the LVA-UC office in Linden at 925-7755. Donations may be mailed to Literacy Volunteers of America-Union County, 925 North Wood Ave., Linden, N.J. 07036. Checks should be made payable to LVA-UC.

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Eyeglass recycling drive attracts celebrity talent

New York, Oct. 19 (AP) — An eye clinic and an environmental group are teaming up to offer a tip of the hat to the "green" movement. The drive is to help recycle 10,000 U.S. eyeglasses a year and to help fund research on eye diseases in developing countries.

New Eyes for the Needy has been in the forefront of recycling since 1992 by collecting discarded eyeglasses, jewelry, shoes, watches, dental gold and hearing aids. Precious metal scrap is sold to a refiner to fund the program for needy Americans. Recyclable plastic lenses are used by boot camps and sea overcoats.

Task Force on Aging holds annual seminar

Union County's Mission Task Force on Aging will hold its annual seminar on Aging, on Health and Information Science. The seminar will be held at the Union County Courthouse, 100 N. Main St., on Friday, Oct. 20, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

worship calendar

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Greek foods, music and fun for children and adults may be found during the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church Festival in Westfield.

Church to hold Greek festival this weekend

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church will hold its annual Greek Festival this weekend. The festival features homemade Greek food and traditional Greek music and dance.

Attention churches, social clubs

This newspaper encourages congregations, temples, social and civic organizations to inform the editors about scheduled events and activities.

K-9 unit helps in seizure of cocaine from Vegas

K-9 handlers from the Search and Rescue Unit were instrumental in the seizure of 24 kilos of cocaine, it was announced by Union County Sheriff Ralph Froelich.

On Sept. 6, special agents Mark Rusin and Earl Fichter of the Drug Enforcement Agency requested the assistance of a K-9 handler and dog to do a drug sniff of two pieces of luggage left unattended on the baggage carousel at Terminal C, America West Airlines, in Newark airport.

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Marylou Zotti and Charles Monroe Gilkin III

Marrylou Zotti and Charles Monroe Gilkin III

Marylou Zotti, daughter of Luigi and Lena Zotti of Springfield, and Charles Monroe Gilkin III, son of Charles and Marge Gilkin of West River, Md., were married July 30 at St. James Church in Springfield.

Announcement policy

Couples are encouraged to send their engagement and wedding announcements to the Lifestyle editor. Announcements should be typed, double spaced and legibly handwritten and no longer than one page.

obituaries

Florence Brown

Florence Brown, 86, of Elizabeth, formerly of Linden and Mountaintide, died Sept. 22 in St. Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth.

Louise Rothardt

Louise Rothardt, 85, of Springfield died Sept. 22 in Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth.

Amelia Todd

Amelia Todd, 78, of Holland Township, formerly of Springfield, died Sept. 22 in Hunterdon Medical Center, Flemington.

Mazzi and Gilkin wed

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Blood drives are scheduled

The following blood drives have been scheduled for the Mountaintide area through the Westfield/Mountaintide Chapter of the American Red Cross in cooperation with New Jersey Blood Services.

death notices

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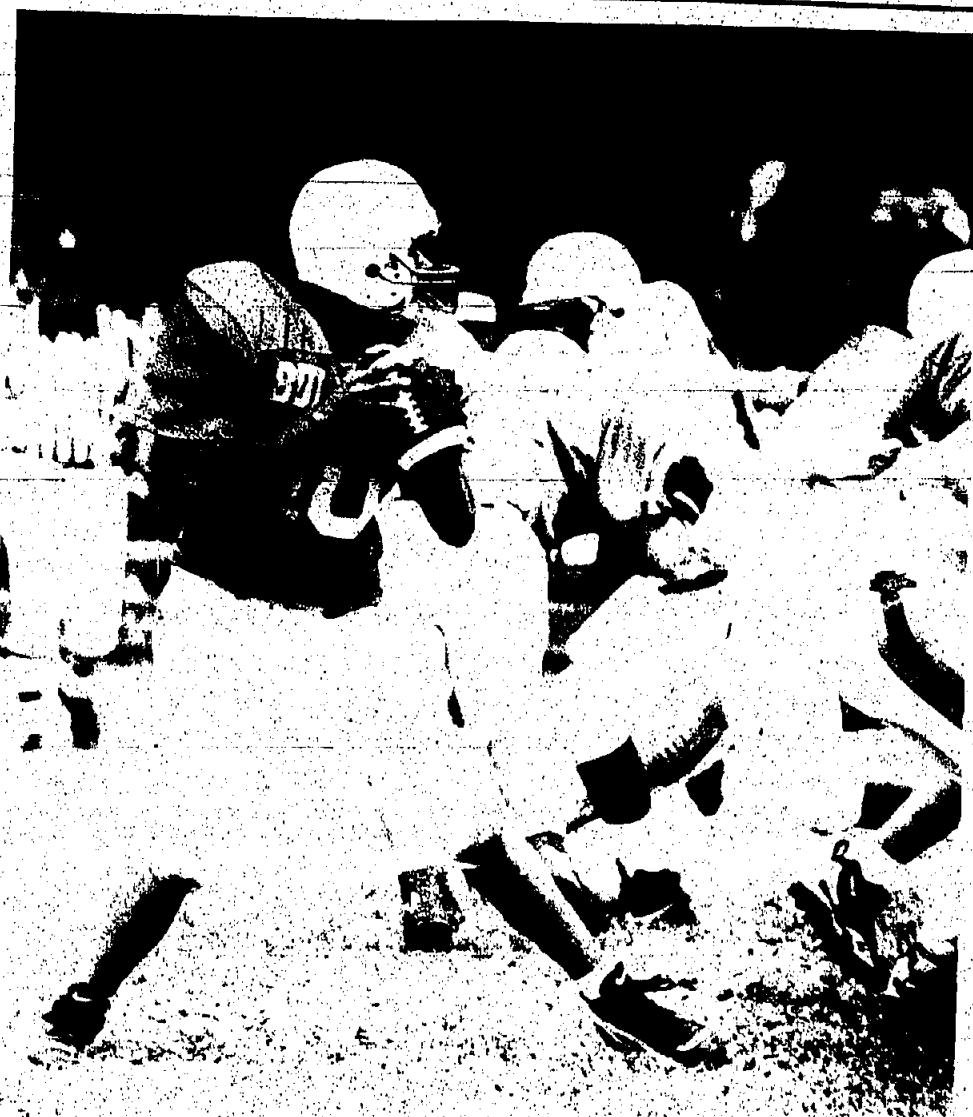
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Dayton Regional High School sophomore quarterback Mark Armento scored the Bulldogs' only touchdown on a 10-yard run in his team's season-opening 19-7 loss to Hillside last Saturday in Mountain Valley Conference-Mountain Division action at Springfield's Meisel Field.

Dayton Regional does well in opener against Hillside Bulldogs show poise in 19-7 setback

By J.R. Parachut, Sports Editor
There's no doubt that this year will be a learning experience for Dayton Regional. The Bulldogs' season-opening game at Springfield's Meisel Field last Saturday afternoon against Mountain Valley Conference-Mountain Division foe Hillside.

Although the Bulldogs were defeated 19-7, they proved to be very competitive. Dayton led 7-6 late in the third quarter before Hillside scored the game's final two touchdowns.

"I think we played well against a team that was much bigger than us and had some good athletes," first-year head coach Ed Rysavage said. "We're playing a lot of sophomores to get them as much experience as possible and I think they did a good job of hanging in there."

Dayton managed to score first and held a 7-0 lead at the half. The Bulldogs moved from their own 35 into Hillside territory behind a 39-yard pass from sophomore quarterback Mark Armento to sophomore tight end Kevin Hagan.

Armento finished the drive by scoring on a nine-yard run. Junior Jarrett Pennes kicked the extra-point.

"We recovered a fumble for the

Gov. Livingston grid team scores late to post victory

High-scoring Highlanders top North Plain, 41-39

Governor Livingston Regional's 1995 high school football season-opener could be referred to as the "Shoofout in Berkeley Heights."

The Highlanders rallied from a 10-point fourth-quarter deficit by scoring the game's final two touchdowns on a thrilling 41-39 victory over Mountain Valley Conference-Mountain Division foe North Plain.

Governor Livingston trailed 39-29 before Tim Pierson's 97-yard eight-yard run and Mike Tombratta found the end zone from 10 yards away.

Tombratta scored three touchdowns for the Highlanders and teammate Paul Piraccione two, on runs of 17 and 27 yards.

While Governor Livingston was putting points on the board, this weekend's opponent — Immaculata couldn't generate any offense. Immaculata was blanked at by Johnson Regional 23-0 last Saturday night.

Governor Livingston plays at Immaculata tomorrow night at 7.

Next of schedule: Oct. 7 at Roselle, 1:00; Oct. 14 at Dayton, 1:00; Oct. 21 at Manville, 1:00; Oct. 28 at Newark Central, 4:00; Nov. 4 at Johnson, 2:00; Nov. 11 at Bristol, 1:00; Nov. 23 at Hillside, 10:30.

Springfield's LA Law softball team finishes second in tournament

Springfield's LA Law softball team, managed and sponsored by Lou Vespasiano, finished second in the New Jersey Senior Softball Association Tournament.

LA Law lost to Ocean County 24-21 in the championship game despite a 6-for-6 performance at the plate by Ed Mikko.

LA Law reached the title game by defeating Roma Savano of Ocean County 14-12 in the quarterfinals and West Orange 8-7 in the semifinals.

Joe Scarpino drove in the winning run in the sixth inning and Vespasiano had six consecutive hits for LA Law in its win over Roma Savano.



FIGHT FOR POSSESSION — Dayton Regional's Witold Szatkutnick, left, battles Johnson Regional's Ron Fullerton during high school boys' soccer game last Thursday in Clark. Johnson won the Mountain Valley Conference-Mountain Division clash 12-0.

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From 'The Editor's Notebook'
By Tom Casanova
Editor in Chief

A people's page has been hanging outside the Union County administration building for a week, awaiting the death of Union County Prosecutor Andrew Ruotolo Jr.

While the people's page would remain as of his death, the second floor of the administration building will remain empty for a week after going to Newark Central this weekend. The schedule only gets tougher.

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When one thinks of law enforcement in Union County, one should think of Ruotolo. He has made that his top law enforcement officer in the five years he has been prosecutor.

And, of course, there was Mary, his wife, who played a pivotal role in her husband's life, not only mothering his three children in happier times, but standing stern alongside him right up until death.

This message was sounded over and over again during Monday morning's funeral service at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church in Westfield.

Hundreds of law enforcement officers, including police chiefs from each of the municipalities in Union County and members of the Essex-Union Auto Theft Task Force, waited outside the church for the arrival of the casket containing Ruotolo's body.

Among those who visited Ruotolo's casket were Higgins and Bonner, Essex-Lake Funeral Home in Westfield during the weekend and the former Gov. Jim Florio, state Attorney General Deborah Poritz and Rep. Bob Franks, R-R.

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Among those attending the church service were Union County Freehold, Frank Lehr and Henry Kurz, as well as former Essex County Executive Nicholas Amato and Essex County Sheriff Armando Fontoura.

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Ruotolo mourned by host of friends

By Chris Gatto
Regional Editor



It wasn't until Andrew K. Ruotolo Jr. was near death that he truly realized what was most important in life: It wasn't his job as Union County prosecutor, nor was it his tenure as an elected official. While those things meant a lot to him, it was his family which actually, in the end, was at the forefront in his life.

On Monday afternoon, the 42-year-old Ruotolo was laid to rest at Fairview Cemetery, not far from his Westfield home. While his family, among an assortment of dignitaries and friends, mourned Ruotolo's passing, his daughters, Lindsay, 13, and Jayne, 8, and son, Andrew, 10, could at least take solace in the fact that it was they who were most important to their now departed father.

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Pallbearers carry a casket containing Union County Prosecutor Andrew Ruotolo, who died Sept. 21, through the doors of St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church in Westfield prior to Monday morning's ceremony. Walking behind the casket are, from center, Ruotolo's daughter, Lindsay, Lyndsay, behind her is his other daughter, Jayne, who are followed by his wife, Mary, and son, Andrew.

Prosecutor loses battle to cancer at the age of 42

—He was a great person. He was a fine prosecutor. He was a wonderful friend.

—Michael J. Lapolla
First Assistant Prosecutor

Union County Prosecutor Andrew K. Ruotolo Jr. died Sept. 21, at home, at the end of a brave six-month battle with cancer.

Ruotolo, 42, had been the chief law enforcement officer in Union County since 1991.

"He was a great person," said First Assistant Prosecutor Michael J. Lapolla. "He was a fine prosecutor. He was a wonderful friend."

Since his appointment by the governor to a five-year term, Ruotolo had in four short years implemented a number of initiatives such as an anti-bias unit, mandatory annual in-service training for every law enforcement

officer in the county and the first-ever prosecutor-sponsored Youth Academy for first-time offenders.

"Drew," as he came to be known by those close to him, was responsible for setting up the first full-time Domestic Violence Unit in the county, directing a countywide protocol for rape victims and the establishment of a satellite office in the City of Plainfield.

He will perhaps best be known, though, for directing the creation of the Union County Child Advocacy Center, where child abuse victims come to a "safe haven" inside a refurbished home in Elizabeth to

begin the healing process while providing evidence to prosecute physical or sexual abusers.

Ruotolo was able to make an impact in the administration of the office by a series of changes, with an eye toward upgrading and improving the prosecutorial emphasis while maintaining the investigative staff, which always has been a hallmark of the office.

He earned All-American honors as a swimmer while at Westfield High School. He then attended Amberst College, where he graduated with honors in 1974 before receiving his law degree from Fordham University Law School in 1978.

He joined the U.S. Attorney's Office in 1981, working in the criminal division and handling a number of high-profile cases including the February, 1984, high-tech smuggling case. See RUOTOLO, Page B3

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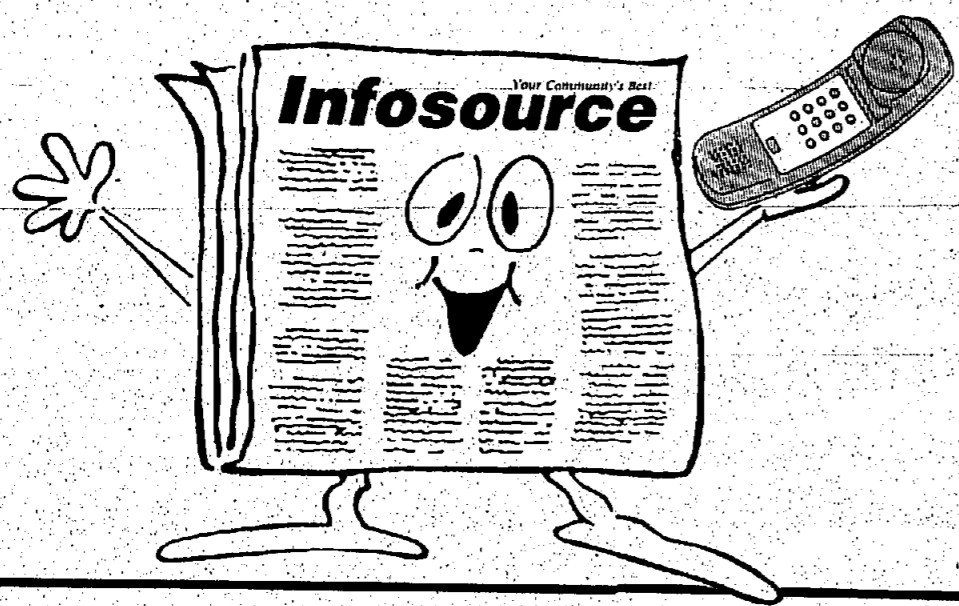
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It will be family Ruotolo misses most

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...in a way that was "not mean" the way he went on.
...Melia said Ruotolo, rather than seeing his life as coming to a crashing halt, saw it for how "rich" it was. His only ambition was to be with his family.
...Luotola, who chose to direct his remarks to Ruotolo's children, had to wipe tears away from his eyes during his speech. After offering individual remarks to each of the children, Luotola said he was trying to imagine what heaven would be like for their father. Luotola said he thought it would be a cross between Cape Cod and Westfield and include activities such as golf and window-shopping which Ruotolo was fond of, and weekly press conferences with all major media.

Ruotolo succumbs to deadly disease

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...case involving Chinese medicine.
...He left and worked in private practice for several years before deciding to establish his own law practice in Montclair, specializing in criminal and civil litigation. He later helped form the firm of Melia and Ruotolo with attorney James Melia in 1967. He was 38 when he took the oath of office as prosecutor of Union County. Juvenile law issues were a major concern of his. For Ruotolo's second or nearly 10 years helping troubled youth on the Juvenile Conference Committee in his hometown of Westfield, he was chairman for eight years.
...While his list of awards and many other fills several pages, Ruotolo is widely credited for his efforts to help create the Essex-Union Auto Theft Task Force. After only two years, the task force of 25 police officers and detectives from both counties joined...

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The workshop will be held at the Elizabethton Gas headquarters in Liberty Hall Center, 1088 Morris Ave., Union. Registration is required. There is a fee of \$25 per person. To register, call the Union County Chamber of Commerce, (908) 552-0000.

'Taste of Towns' feast to benefit local groups

Union County's finest chefs will offer samples of their specialties during the Third Annual "Taste of the Towns" benefit sponsored by the Rotary Club of Elizabeth and the Union County Chamber of Commerce.
"Taste of the Towns III" will be held on Oct. 16 from 5 to 9 p.m. at the Pentagis Renaissance Restaurant in Scotch Plains, and will benefit area charities from 30 of the county's finest restaurants, bakeries and wine merchants will participate.
Among the restaurants and other vendors to be represented are the following: III Amici, Ahre's Coffee Roastery, B.G. Fields Restaurant, The Baxter Group, Bella Palermo Pastry Shop, Bindi Cakes & Desserts, Cafe Repetti/Hamway, Cathy 22, Civile Ristorante Italiano, DiCusino's Restaurants, Italian Deli, Foddy Associates, Garden Restaurant, Giovinetti's, House of Scapolo's Restaurant, Mario's Trattoria, Michellino's Ristorante Italiano, Pugliese Restaurant, Philo Bakery, Raagini, Restaurant Los Faroles, Shiki Japanese Steak House, Souffle's, Twining's Tea, Union County Vo-Tech School, Verda Chocolatier and Winbow, Inc.
"This is truly a community event which brings everyone together for great food and a great cause," said Kathleen Dann, president of the Rotary Club of Elizabeth. "I believe 'Taste of the Towns III' will be long remembered for its fine sampling of gourmet delights and wines, and for the benefit it will bring to worthy causes within Union County. The previous two events completely sold out, and resulted in many satisfied customers as well as over \$15,000 raised for key charitable organizations in our community."
Many participating restaurants also will offer free coupons for 10 percent off a future meal at their establishments.
Tickets for the event are priced at \$30 each and are available by mailing a check payable to "Taste of the Towns" at P.O. Box 971, Elizabeth, NJ 07207. For ticket information call (908) 355-9622.

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Three gain awards for festival entries

By Bea Smith Staff Writer

Three Festival on the Green awards were presented by the Union Township Chamber of Commerce 1995 Awards Reception on Sept. 26 at the Les Melman Art Gallery in the Union Library building.

The evening gala gathering there were with Les Melman, Purchase County Executive, and his wife, Barbara Gladysiewicz, and the family of the late Barbara Gladysiewicz.

Chaperone of the Artists Reception Committee were Laura Goding and Janet Wheeler, The Festival on the Green Committee, which included Joseph Canino, Paul Cohen, Rita DeCarlo, Leann Emmer, Dick Fried, Anthony Gervasio, Gostling, Barbara Gregg, Joe Hansen, Fred Phibbs, Collette Liccardi, Phyllis Morgan, Irving Rosenberg, Schaefer, Schor, Terbeck, Deena Viscio, Cheryl Ann Wasserman, Jodi Wambacher, and Wheeler.

Three award-winning entries were: "A Street Through the Park" by Les Melman, "Star Trail" by James T. Schaefer, and "The Wizard of Oz" by Les Melman.

The judges' panel for the festival included Les Melman, James T. Schaefer, and James T. Schaefer, Executive Director of the Union Township Chamber of Commerce, Sherrill Patel, Co-Chairman of the Festival on the Green, Frank Picholski, Barbara Gladysiewicz, and Jodi Wambacher.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Young actor lives life of normalcy

By Bea Smith Staff Writer

One of the most unforced young actors ever to perform on the stage at the Paper Mill Playhouse, Milburn, is Matthew Fasano, who is 12 years old and plays a 9-year-old child in the role of Young Guido in "Nine," making his seventh appearance in a Paper Mill production.

He came by the offer after an afternoon and Janet Wheeler, The Festival on the Green Committee, which included Joseph Canino, Paul Cohen, Rita DeCarlo, Leann Emmer, Dick Fried, Anthony Gervasio, Gostling, Barbara Gregg, Joe Hansen, Fred Phibbs, Collette Liccardi, Phyllis Morgan, Irving Rosenberg, Schaefer, Schor, Terbeck, Deena Viscio, Cheryl Ann Wasserman, Jodi Wambacher, and Wheeler.

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Counterparts, Paul Schoeffler, right, plays Guido Contini, and Matthew Fasano is seen as Young Guido, with members of the cast in the Tony-Award winning musical, "Nine," which will continue at the Paper Mill Playhouse, Milburn, through Oct. 15.

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Horner show on exhibit at gallery

Swatching Chambers, an exhibition of landscapes and figurative paintings by Ray Horner, is on display at the Les Melman Art Gallery in the Union Public Library at Frisberger Place on Morris Avenue.

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Ray Horner, Jr. of Irvington sits in front of one of his paintings which will be on display at the Les Melman Art Gallery in the Union Public Library through Nov. 10.

Murder comedy pure mayhem

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Music of Marsalis is coming to Kean

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Festival winners gain awards

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There's plenty of 'Nunsense' going on at arts center

What do wise-cracking nuns, a mysterious suitor and mirth-making pirates have in common?

They'll grace the stage of the Union County Arts Center this season as the center launches its inaugural Musical Theater Series.

The series opens in October with "Nunsense," the heavenly off-Broadway sitcom featuring the Little Sisters of Hoboken. It's no joke to laugh out loud as the convent.

Performance dates for this award-winning musical are Oct. 27-28 and Nov. 3-4 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 29 at 3 p.m.

The series takes a more romantic turn in February with the presentation of Arthur Koppe and Maury Yeston's "Phantom." The Tony award-winning "Phantom" is a lush musical love story that will entrance you with its beautiful music and colorful characters.

The Arts Center stage will become the Paris Opera House as the mysterious Phantom pursues his obsession with the lovely Christine.

Performance dates for this theatrical adventure will be Feb. 2, 3, 9, 10, 16 and 17 at 8 p.m. and Feb. 4 and 11 at 3 p.m.

The series concludes in rollicking fashion in April as "The Pirates of Penzance" swashbuckles their way through melodious misadventures. This is an adaptation of the Gilbert and Sullivan favorite.

Performance dates for this tuneful turn on the high seas are April 12, 13, 19 and 20 at 8 p.m. and April 14 at 3 p.m.

Rounding out the season is a variety of dance and musical productions, including the annual Railway High School Musical on March 15, 16, 22 and 23; March 30 at 8 p.m., a Union County Arts Center Dance presentation featuring students in the new dance program on May 4 at 8 p.m. and the Union County Individual tickets are available now for each of these shows at the Arts Center Box Office. Call the box office at (908) 499-8226 to reserve tickets.

Folk art show scheduled for Meadowlands center

The Nation's Leading Folk Art & Crafts Show continues its 1995 New Jersey show schedule at the Meadowlands Exposition Center at Harbortown in Secaucus, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

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By Dennis Segal
If you decide to go out to eat and are looking for a change from the good old American food, consider for a moment a nice, quiet restaurant that specializes in Cajun cuisine.
The Louisiana Bistro, located on Morris Avenue in Springfield, offers a unique dining experience. Once you go in, you know you are in for a treat. Once you are in, you will be greeted with a friendly smile and shown to your table. The tables are decorated with a candle, which together with the music playing in the background and the dimmed lighting, make the restaurant the perfect setting for a candlelight dinner for two. But do not think that a family cannot enjoy it, as it is a wonderful place for a family get-together.
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For your main course, Louisiana Bistro offers a wide selection. New Orleans favorites such as Jambalaya, a delectable combination of shrimp, sausage, scallops, andouille, and a personal favorite, a spicy Creole sauce with rice.
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Weddings are The Atrium's specialty, and they have put together affairs for as few as 30 guests with rave reviews.

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Their well-organized staff, including award-winning European chefs, have been trained to get beyond being courteous, efficient and accommodating. The Atrium Country Club offers each affair graceful, artistic, French-white-gloves service; impeccable presentation and flawless service, all at reasonable prices. A Kosher/Glat Kosher menu is available.

At The Atrium Country Club, banquet consultants can orchestrate your entire party. "We have a gift for keeping our fingers on the pulse of even the biggest wedding in order to produce an affair that is completely personalized down to the last detail," Nazarian said. "From color decor, flowers, music, photography and ordinary delights to limousine service, The Atrium works closely with each individual party to assure complete satisfaction."

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Studio opens invitation site

The Gemini Studio, a graphic design and advertising firm located in Montclair, has opened its Invitation Studio, a division of Gemini specializing in wedding packages and accessories and social announcements for all occasions.

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Registry offers home improvement gifts

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City's fury inspiration for painter

It's not New York's skyline but the "fury of movement" on the city's streets that inspired New Jersey artist Michael McGinley, whose "New Paintings" will be mounted in a solo exhibition at Swain Galleries in Plainfield.

McGinley's latest series are oil paintings of the Bethlehem Steel mill, a landmark in the city's industrial history. In particular, McGinley's "Impulse," "Cathedral," "The Streets," and "The City" show the mill's massive scale and the energy of its workers. McGinley's work is a tribute to the city's industrial heritage and the people who have built it.

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'Running Meters,' a new painting by Michael McGinley, will be exhibited at the Swain Galleries, 703 Watchung Ave., Plainfield, Oct. 7 through Nov. 3. An opening reception is planned for Oct. 7 from 5 to 7 p.m.

A Bridgewater resident, McGinley was head of the Fine Arts Department at the University of New Jersey at Trenton. He continued studies at the Art Students League, N.Y., under Daniel Chester French. McGinley has shown his paintings in numerous area- and national art shows including a group exhibition at the Carver Foundation.

In this exhibit at Swain's, his paintings of Manhattan will include Wall Street, where "bolts of light" strike its canyons; Times Square, with its oversized billboards; Trinity Church, a haven on the heights and a Fifth Avenue merge of east after taxi in a funnel of skyscrapers. Titled "Running Meters," the view shows that not one taxi is unoccupied, not its images is lighted on top.

Also in the show are his images of the old ferry terminal and deserted docks in Hoboken and Somerset County municipalities of River Road, which runs from Route 287 to New Brunswick.

The exhibit opens with a reception on Oct. 7, from 5 to 7 p.m. and continues weekdays, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturdays to 4 p.m. at Swain Galleries, 703 Watchung Ave., Plainfield. For more information call (908) 756-1707.

Keen College to host ballet program's 10th year

New Jersey Ballet opens its fall season season-off from a living start when it opens its 10th season as resident company at Keen College on Oct. 14 at 8 p.m.

The program features rarely seen works including Wagner's "The Ring Cycle" which the company described as "a dance for dancers." The work fills the stage with four couples and guests each of New Jersey Ballet's stars a chance to shine.

The company's artistic director, Jennifer Banks, last Christmas, Andrei Joravlev, Elio Lazzi, Debra Saylor and Jacqueline Lorenzi, Mia Minoro, Rhonda Allen Murray, Rubensy Sabock-Bleich, Melissa Shattlock, James Washington and You Qing Guo. Now this season is Gerardi Saville, a Bolshoi-trained young man who appeared several times with the company at the end of last year, and Chih Han, who trained at the Seoul Institute of the Arts. Han was a finalist in the Korean National Ballet and a principal dancer with St. Louis Ballet.

Chorale picks Parrish to direct performance

Clifford Parrish has been named music director for The Essex Chorale, and will direct the chorale during its next public performance Dec. 2 at 7 p.m. at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Summit.

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For more information, call Susan Colby at (908) 464-0641.

'See My Bones' production contains joys and sorrows

The joys and sorrows that friends share is central to "See My Bones," the new play presented this month at Playwrights Theatre of New Jersey. Set in a retirement community, the play focuses on four people who are starting over — building new relationships in their new surroundings — and still trying to figure out what's worthwhile in life.

The play concerns itself with issues of aging, but more directly with the characters' continuing search for meaning and how to get along with one another. "Aging is something we all do," says playwright Kity Chen. "If you're lucky, we'll all face it."

"See My Bones" by Kity Chen, sponsored by AT&T, is the first production of Playwrights Theatre's 10th anniversary season. It runs through Oct. 8, with performances Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and matinees on Saturdays at 2 p.m. and Sundays at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$17 for evening performances and \$15 for matinees, and can be ordered by calling the theatre box office at (201) 514-1940. Playwrights Theatre is located at 33 Green Village Road in Millburn.

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HOME IMPROVEMENT

Knowing how to mow lawn can make a big difference

If you enjoy working on your lawn and take pride in its appearance, you aren't alone. More than 58 million households are involved in lawn care, making lawn care the number one outdoor leisure activity. Why do so many people spend time working in their yards? A beautiful lawn can enhance the beauty of your home's landscape, provide a soft play area for children, and allow you to enjoy a sense of accomplishment — the "Green Pride" that a beautiful lawn can inspire.

And believe it or not, it is easy being green. By following a few simple mowing techniques, you will encourage a beautiful, healthy lawn that you can enjoy year after year. First, follow the one-third rule, by cutting only one-third of the grass blade per mowing. Some people let their grass grow too high and then cut it too low — this is called "scalping." Scalping can actually choke part of the root system and make it more susceptible to thatch, mold and disease. By following the one-third rule, you are using a special-

Nurserymen offer tips in gardening

Do you need to climb a ladder to trim the trees in your home landscape? Play it safe and call a professional. Instead, recommends the American Association of Nurserymen. This way, you'll not only benefit from healthy trees, you'll avoid the risk of injury.

• Match is good for your garden, right? Not if you buy poor quality, "bar-gain" mulches containing woodchips made of scrap lumber, unwanted wooden furniture or dead and dying trees. Good mulches consist of hardwood bark, pine bark, composted leaves, buckwheat, cocoa hulls, salt hay or pine needles, and they can be found at your local retail garden center.

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• When buying plants in containers, avoid those with roots that are circling out of the drain holes at the bottom of the pot. These plants are from a nursery and need a bigger container, explains the American Association of Nurserymen. You're less likely to find root-bound plants, or those with root problems, when you purchase plants from the professionals at your local retail garden center.

Unique device makes cleaning gutters a snap.

A new and different device promises to make cleaning rain-gutters a chore of the past. The Helmet Helmet and Canada patent offices have granted patents on a unique gutter and kit-on system — the Gutter Helmet.

Homeowners cannot simply ignore gutters, stuffed full of leaves, pine needles and twigs. In the spring, the gutters become full of seed pods that form a nasty mat to block the downspout. Winter or fall off seasons that may be installed over the top of gutters.

Working from the roof, which can be awkward and risky, results in a substantially shorter shingle life. And if the bad news is the overflowing and freezing rainwater, even when the gutters are only partially filled. The only effective solution lies in preventing debris from entering the gutter.

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Union woman exhibits at realty headquarters

Susan Puder, an award-winning photographer, will be exhibiting her work in both color and monochrome, at the Burgdorff Realtors Corporate Headquarters in Murray Hill from Oct. 9 through Nov. 17.

Puder, who resides in Union, has titled her show "Victorian Visions: Styles and Environments." She has shown her work in solo exhibits throughout New Jersey and in New York City, and has won numerous awards in photography at art fairs around the area. Her works are among the permanent collections of The Union Center National Bank, the Township of Union Municipal Building, and in New York state.

Puder is employed as a systems consultant at The Equitable Life Assurance Society in New York City. She is a member of the New Jersey Center for Visual Arts, the Westfield Art Association, Wachung Arts Center, New Jersey Photography Forum, and Millburn Camera Club. Puder has taken photography classes and seminars with some of the country's leading nature photographers.

Puder works primarily in color, producing Chachronnes, as known in the district with gingerbread-trimmed cottages and stately mansions. Additionally, Cape May is well renowned as a mecca for bird migration and wildlife preserves, complete with sand dunes and quiet beaches.

Mohegan Mountain House is also a National Historic Landmark and is one of the few remaining 19th Century mountain resorts in the Catskill area. The Mountain House is a restored seven-story architectural delight situated on Lake Mohegan. It is surrounded by a 20,000-acre natural area in the Shawangunk Mountains. The Victorian character of the house has been preserved throughout, with mountains and seascapes, past and present, each with unique designs, wild-life, flora and sense of being.



"Weathered," one of the photographs on display at Burgdorff Realtors Corporate Headquarters in Murray Hill, was taken by Susan Puder.

Arts and crafts featured at park during weekend

The 10th annual Spring Fine Arts and Crafts Show at Nonahog Park will take place on the weekend of Oct. 27-28, across from Union County College.

This show will feature more than 140 juried, professional artists, photographers and craftspersons displaying and selling their hand-crafted work. The show is co-sponsored by the Union County Board of Children's Services, the Union County Division of Parks and Recreation and Brues-Spartan Productions, Inc.

Local exhibitors who "huddle" in Union County and their area of expertise are as follows: Kathy Scandling, food, Cranford; Kathleen Cruise, art, graphics, Ellrahah; Rocio Hernandez, dolls, art, Linden; and Ariene Luster, fabric, art, Union.

All applicants are judged on originality, creativity, quality of work and general show appeal before being selected to participate. "This year's exhibitors include, in the workshop area, Ellen Rosenberg of Edison, and Virginia Sussman of Washington, D.C. Fashion-oriented exhibitors include: Piketon of Lebanon, and jewelry artist Ellen Rosenberg of Edison, and Virginia Sussman of Washington, D.C. Fashion-oriented exhibitors include: Piketon of Lebanon, and jewelry artist Ellen Rosenberg of Edison, and Virginia Sussman of Washington, D.C.

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Health & Fitness

Cornell Hall gains commission's blessing

Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, a 170-bed, non-profit, long-term care facility and transitional care unit, has been accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. The Joint Commission is the nation's oldest and largest accrediting body.

Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center is an affiliate of the St. Barnabas Health Care System. Located within Cornell Hall is CareLine Transitional Health Care Services, a 25-bed subacute unit.

Formed in 1991, the Joint Commission is dedicated to improving the quality of the nation's health care through voluntary accreditation. The Joint Commission's on-site survey of Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center occurred in May.

"Receiving Accreditation is a significant achievement, one that recognizes exemplary performance" by Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, said Dr. Dennis S. O'Leary, president of the Joint Commission. "The organization stands in commendation for its commitment to providing quality care to the people in its community."

"We are extremely pleased to have achieved this designation," said Cornell Hall Administrator Teresa Edelstein. "Everyone at this facility works hard every day to provide the best possible health care to our residents and patients."

Shirley Cahilo, vice president of nursing home and transitional care operations of the St. Barnabas Health Care System, said receiving accreditation "sends a reassuring message to caregivers of elderly loved ones that Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation is dedicated to providing top-quality care to its residents and that CareLine Transitional Health Care Services is prepared to serve subacute patients." CareLine is designed for patients who have completed the acute phase of hospitalization, but who still require medical and/or rehabilitative care before returning home.

"But we're not going to rest on our laurels," Cahilo said. "This is a wonderful incentive to continue to improve our services."

Cornell Hall/CareLine is staffed by a team of health care professionals who provide around-the-clock nursing and personal care. A variety of social and recreational programs and activities are offered daily to residents and patients. Cornell Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center is one of four nursing and rehabilitative facilities affiliated with the St. Barnabas Health Care System.

Bollwage honored by cancer society

The New Jersey Division, Union County Unit of the American Cancer Society on Oct. 27 will celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Crinson Hall at 7 p.m. at the Hilton at Short Hills.

This black-tie affair will be held in honor of Elizabeth Mayor J. Christian Bollwage and the Suburban News for their ongoing commitment and dedication to programs in cancer research, education and patient services. All proceeds will go toward the fight against cancer.

Anyone interested should call (908) 354-7373. The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives from cancer, and diminishing suffering from cancer through research, education and patient services.

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Health & Fitness

Allergy relief may be in sight

More than 25 million Americans will be seeking relief from their allergies this fall. These people will be using their eyes, nose and skin. This is because many people who suffer from allergies are also sensitive to the pollen in the air. This is why many people who suffer from allergies are also sensitive to the pollen in the air.

Some people, however, are applying to create unique things like pottery, wood, and glass. These people are also applying to create unique things like pottery, wood, and glass. These people are also applying to create unique things like pottery, wood, and glass.

Doctors recommended that fever sufferers stay indoors as much as possible at the fall and keep windows and doors closed. But what if staying indoors is impossible because of your job? And even with doors and windows closed, pollen can still find its way in. So, what if you're allergic to pollen? There are many brands of air purifiers and HEPA filters available.

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Sommer to give speech on nutrition

Dr. Kim Sommer will speak on Osteoporosis: Nutrition and Exercise during the Oct. 5 meeting of the Columbia Branch of the American Association of University Women. The meeting will begin at 7:45 p.m. in the meeting room of the Woodbridge Public Library.

According to Underhill, the CADR score indicates how much clean air an air purifier actually delivers in real world conditions.

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 Regina Flanagan sold property at 427 Aldene Road to Angel Alvarado for \$108,000 on July 27.

Roselle Park
 Richard and Mary Soto sold property at 621 Chestnut St. to Pedro Perez for \$135,000 on July 20.
 Ann M. Callahan sold property at 612 Chestnut St. to Eddy DeJesus Gonzalez for \$108,000 on Aug. 1.
 Anna Kross sold property at 447 E. Westfield Ave. to Gaudencia Salas for \$150,000 on Aug. 1.

Springfield
 Wesley K. and Sarah K. Burton sold property at 315 Northwest Terrace to Howard Fenner for \$285,000 on July 18.
 Mabel W. Scherwin sold property at 343 Mountain Ave. to Israel Congregation for \$100,000 on July 10.
 Samuel and Jayne Tuchman sold property at 552 Ashwood Road to Commercial Financial Company for \$300,000 on July 17.

Summit
 Kenneth J. Schneider et ux sold property at 10 Fernwood Road to Daniel Furman for \$750,000 on July 19.
 Phillip J. and Joanne Cise sold property at 36 Broad St. to William Eng for \$157,000 on July 20.
 Dennis and Cathy Allicco sold property at 5 Denham Place to Avraham Pariente for \$196,000 on July 21.

Union
 Lanthier Barnes sold property at 362 Montclair Avenue to Jennifer J. Werman for \$35,000 on July 7.
 Victor and Rosaria Kaufman sold property at 1204 Liffa Terrace to Romano S. DeVito for \$145,000 on July 14.
 Frank B. and Noreen R. Baris sold property at 328 New Jersey Ave. to Donald K. Langford for \$160,000 on July 14.
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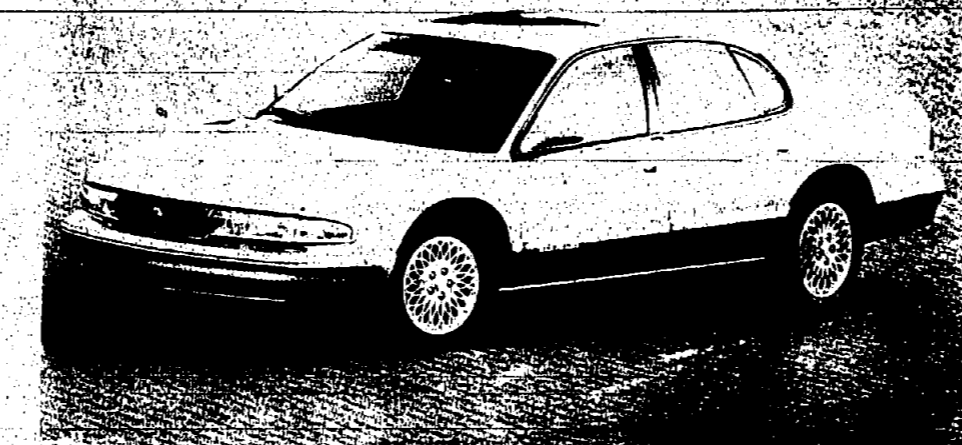
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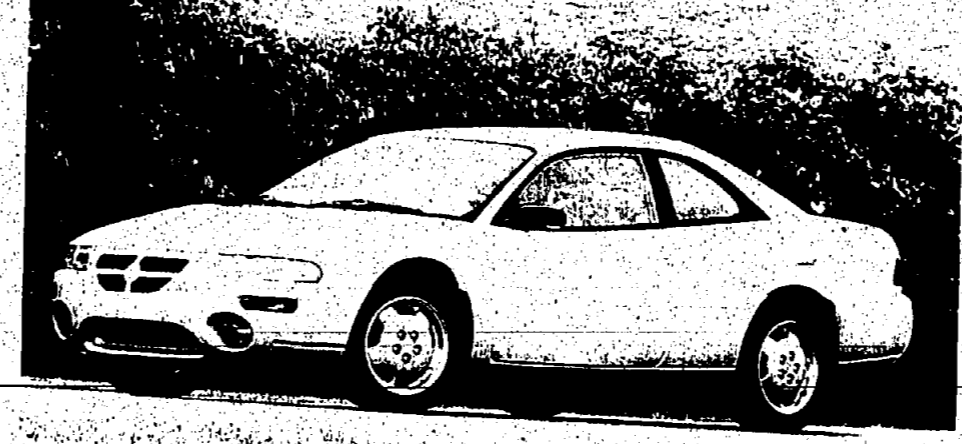
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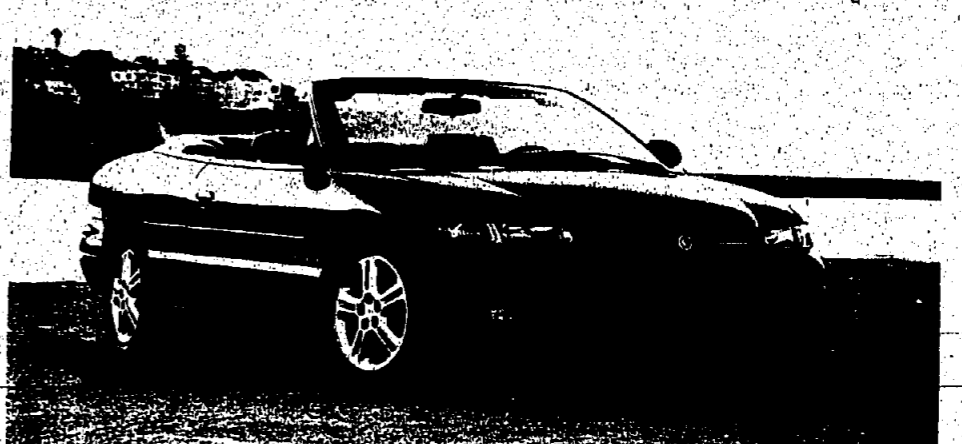
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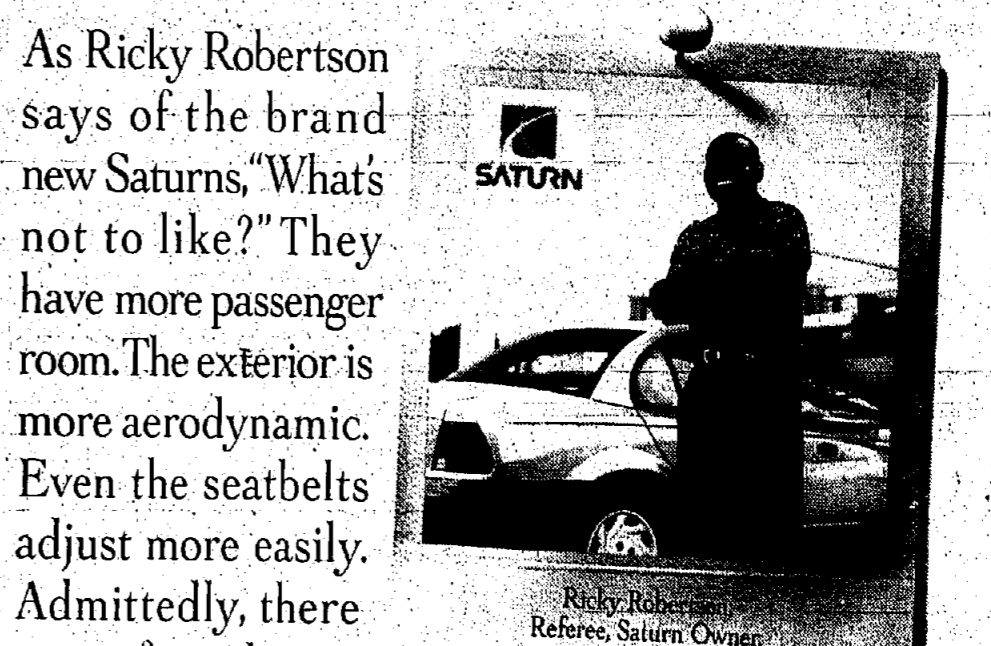
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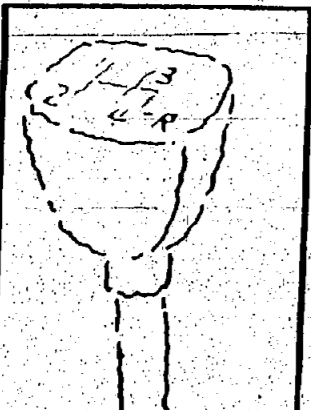
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