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## Students learn about a life of crime firsthand

**By Maura Duffy**  
SPRING LAKE — Wearing their "state khaki" prison uniforms, three convicted felons visited the H.W. Mountz School here on Tuesday morning to talk with the seventh- and eighth-grade students about the choices they made at a young age which led them to now reside in a correctional facility.

Through the coordination of the Spring Lake Drug Prevention Alliance, the Mountz students were able to experience Project P.R.I.D.E., which stands for "Promoting Responsibility In Drug Education." The program brings minimum custody offenders from a state correctional facility to have a candid talk about their personal experiences with drugs and alcohol.

"That's when [seventh grade] I started making the choices that were about to change my whole life, but I didn't know it then," said 22-year-old inmate, Jen, an offender serving a 10-year prison term for carjacking.

According to Michael Ritter, the coordinator of special programs for the N.J. Department of Corrections, there

are an estimated 27,000 men and woman incarcerated in New Jersey and over 80 percent of the prisoners have an issue relating to drugs.

Only the first names of the inmates are used when they visit schools.

When Jen was 13 years old she started hanging out with students from her neighborhood who were known to be involved with drugs. By the end of that year she was smoking marijuana and eating "mushrooms" and doing acid.

At 14 years old, she tried heroin thinking she would be able to control her intake of the highly addictive drug, but she was not able to, she said.

"By the time I was a freshman in high school, I was addicted. I had to have it," Jen said.

After her father found her passed out and blue from a heroin overdose, Jen was kicked out of her home. She intermittently attended some rehabilitation programs but always opted for getting high instead of



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**Inmates, like 29-year-old Morris [above], from various state correctional facilities visited with the seventh- and eighth-grade students at H.W. Mountz School this week to discuss how they ended up in prison.**

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## Lynch ends career with Boro of Belmar

**By Kara Lott**  
BELMAR — After a 41-year career with the borough that began with a summer job working for the town's public works department in 1964, and included stints as a police officer and chief of police, Borough Administrator Richard Lynch will retire effective June 1.

He informed the governing body of the news following last Wednesday night's borough council meeting.

"Belmar has been my passion and I will miss her, but I feel it is time to move on," Mr. Lynch wrote in his resignation letter, dated April 27. "I would like to extend my thanks to the mayor and council and to the people of Belmar who allowed me to 'eat the entire apple' and for all the experiences I have had working here in Belmar."

Mr. Lynch, who will turn 61 in September, began working as the acting borough administrator in January 2003, when he took leave of absence from his position as borough police chief. He was officially appointed to the position of borough administrator in August of that year.

Jack Hill was appointed as acting police chief in January 2003 and was later officially named chief of police, a post in which he still serves. Mr. Lynch explained this week the official appointments were delayed for over one year until then-Lt. Hill was released from National Guard Reserve

duty in New York. He was called up to active duty after the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

Mr. Lynch was first employed by Belmar as a college student at Mount St. Mary's, when he took a summer job working for the borough's public works department in 1964. He left college in his junior year — he was studying business at the time but said he did not find it interesting — and in 1966 began working for Belmar's police force as a special officer.

Mr. Lynch recalled that after that summer, he took the police exam to become a regular officer, at the encouragement of then-police chief Larry Vola. He was hired Feb. 1, 1967 as a regular officer with the Belmar Police Department, where he worked his way up the ranks to be named police chief in 1994.

"I began what has turned out to be a storybook career for a young guy from the 400 block of 5th Avenue," Mr. Lynch said in his resignation letter.

While Mr. Lynch had other odd jobs when he was younger, the bulk of his working life has been with the borough.

"The only real job I've had was working for the Borough of Belmar," he said.

Mr. Lynch, who has worked under four different Belmar mayors, said he has seen a lot of changes in the town, including the

**"Belmar has been my passion and I will miss her, but I feel it is time to move on."**

**— Belmar Borough Administrator Richard Lynch**

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## D'Jais bar put on notice by Belmar



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**Belmar has opted to hold a study period of D'Jais' [above], specifically its occupancy levels, through June 22, after quality of life complaints were voiced by residents at a hearing last week. The borough will decide then if it will reduce the bar's current occupancy limit.**

**By Kara Lott**  
BELMAR — Citing neighboring residents' allegations of intoxicated patrons leaving D'Jais Oceanview Bar & Cafe, the borough council here last week voted to renew the establishment's seasonal liquor license with the condition that a study period be imposed through June 22 to analyze the bar's operations and occupancy levels.

Acting as the local Alcoholic Beverage Control [ABC] board, the governing body ruled last Wednesday night that Jack Hill, the borough's police chief, will work with the owners of the bar and possibly the state ABC during that time on the study.

The resolution approved by the council states that a second hearing will be held on June 22 to report back on the observations made during the study period. The council could, at that point, decide to reduce D'Jais' occupancy limit, which is currently set at 655 patrons, officials said.

"At that time, the mayor and borough council will impose such conditions as they deem proper or take such other actions as they deem appropriate," the resolution states.

The seasonal license renewal approved by the council last week is effective May 1, the date the Ocean Avenue bar opened for the season, and runs through Nov. 14. The bar is owned by Frank Sementa, Lewis Conner and William Luddecke.

The proceedings were held since the borough received a written objection by the Belmar Homeowners Association to the license being renewed. Borough Attorney Karl Kemm said the borough was subsequently required by law to hold the hearing.

During the nearly three hours of testimony heard by the council, residents both in support of, and opposed to, the D'Jais' license being renewed spoke, along with several employees of the establishment.

Many of the quality of life violations that objectors said were the result of patrons leaving D'Jais were disputed by the bar's attorney, William Wolf, as "hearsay" since in some cases, the residents said they believed the patrons were coming from the bar, but did not actually see them exit from

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**Belmar Borough Administrator Richard Lynch [above] will retire from a 41-year career of public service on June 1. The former borough police chief said he is looking forward to spending time working on various renovation projects and with his family.**

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**Belmar**

**Connolly Station to replace Pat's Pub, J.L. Sullivan's Steakhouse**

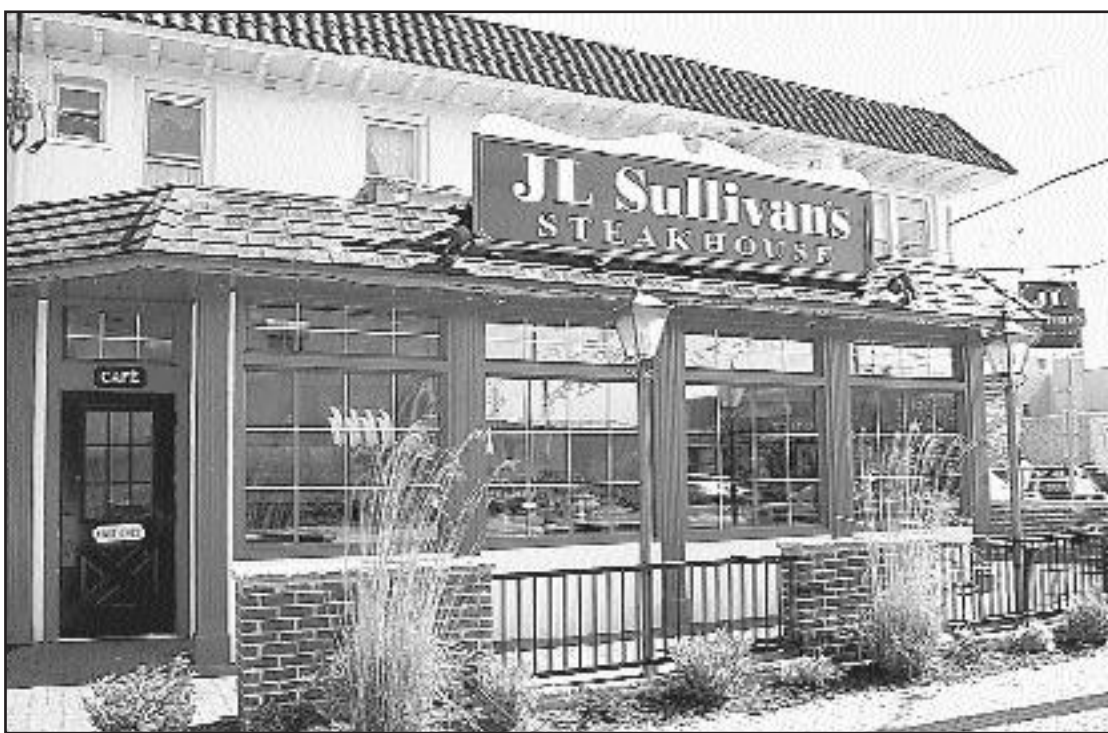
**By Kara Lott**  
The new owners of the former Patrick's Pub and J.L. Sullivan's Steakhouse in Belmar told the borough council last week they plan to merge the two businesses together under one menu and one name — Connolly Station.  
The governing body last Wednesday night approved the transfer of the retail consumption license from Belmar Business Inc., which traded under the names of Patrick's Pub and J.L. Sullivan's Steakhouse, to Mark Farrell and Mark Herrmann of 8th Avenue Ventures, LLC,

through June 30, when all yearly licenses expire.  
The new owners will have to file with the ABC to have the license renewed as of July 1.  
Borough Attorney Karl Kemm recused himself from the matter due to a potential conflict of interest since he once did work for one of Mr. Farrell's partners.  
Mr. Farrell and Mr. Herrmann discussed their plans for renovations to the interior of the site during the council's agenda session, prior to the regular meeting, last Wednesday night.

Mr. Farrell described Connolly Station, which he said is slated to open May 16, as a "clean, classy establishment."  
He said he and Mr. Herrmann plan to add a common foyer that will link the two former businesses at the site together and a vestibule with an all-new main entrance on Main Street.  
Other changes include the addition of a sushi bar "in the heart of the restaurant," where patrons can sit and eat, Mr. Farrell said following the meeting. He told the council patrons will have to purchase alcoholic beverages from their waitresses while dining at the sushi bar since no alcohol will be served there.

In addition to the sushi bar, Connolly Station, a restaurant and tavern, will feature American food with "some Irish specialties," Mr. Farrell said this week.  
He said the business will utilize the outdoor dining on 8th Avenue, for which the property was previously approved.  
Connolly Station will be open seven days per week for lunch, dinner and Sunday brunch, according to Mr. Farrell.  
He said the establishment will also have nightly entertainment and "happy hour" on Fridays with acoustic music.

In October 2003, the Belmar Council, acting as the local Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) board, issued a 16-day liquor license suspension against Belmar Business Inc. on charges of underage drinking and failure to provide borough-issued employee ABC identification cards.  
When asked to comment on the matter this week, Mr. Farrell said Connolly Station will feature a "family-friendly atmosphere."  
"We plan on being a neighborhood bar and restaurant," he added.  
Last week, Belmar Mayor Kenneth E. Pringle asked the owners whether they had considered making the new business non-smoking.  
He said the borough has an ordinance "in the hopper" that, if approved, would ban smoking in Belmar's licensed establishments. Mayor Pringle added the borough has been waiting to see whether New Jersey Legislature would take action with a statewide ban before moving ahead with the proposed ordinance.  
Mr. Farrell said he and Mr.



The site of the former J.L. Sullivan's Steakhouse in Belmar [above] and Patrick's Pub will soon be replaced by Connolly Station, a new restaurant and tavern.

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Herrmann would prefer to see a ban for all bars in the state, to lessen the potential financial impact. He said they have been lobbying state representatives for such an initiative.

In the meantime, however, Mr. Farrell said the majority of the building will be non-smoking, including one of Connolly Station's two bars. J.L. Sullivan's

Steakhouse was also non-smoking.  
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A sign posted on the door of the former Patrick's Pub on Main Street this week indicated a new restaurant and tavern — Connolly Station — will soon be arriving. Owners estimated the new Belmar business, which will also be replacing J.L. Sullivan's Steakhouse, will be opening May 16.

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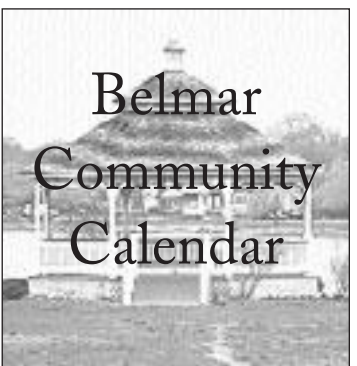
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**History of Homes**

The Belmar Historical Council will host a "Spring Tea," featuring a program on "How to Research the History of Your House" on Monday, May 9.

Terry Lewis, a longtime Belmar resident and historical researcher, will give step-by-step advice for learning the secret past of homes.

In addition, the Jersey Shore Bottle Club will present a show and tell of bottles made and found at the Jersey Shore.

Guests can find out the story behind that old bottle in their cabinet, basement or attic.

The program, open to the public, will be held at Taylor Pavilion at 7 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

**AC Bus Trip**

The Jerry Lynch Association will host a bus trip to the Hilton Hotel and Casino in Atlantic City on Tuesday, May 17.

The bus will leave the former Acme parking lot in Belmar at noon.

The cost is \$17 per person with a rebate of \$19.

For reservations, call 732-292-0721.

**Shipwreck Symposium**

The New Jersey Historical Divers Association Inc. will hold its third New Jersey Shipwreck Symposium on Friday, May 20, from 8 to 10:30 p.m. at the Taylor Pavilion in Belmar.

Admission is \$15 per person; \$10 for NJHDA subscribing members. Seating is limited — reservations are required.

Proceeds will benefit the NJHDA Archives Facility in Wall Township.

The featured presentation will be on the wreck of the MALTA, a 1,600-ton steam freighter that ran aground and broke up 200 yards off Belmar on November 24, 1885, with rescue affected by the local Life Saving Service station.

The MALTA wreck was significant as it was within sight of the Belmar oceanfront, there was a rescue operation, it is visible at low tide, and artifacts from the wreck can still be seen around town if one knows where to look.

The host for the evening will be Capt. Stephen D. Nagiewicz.

**Chamber Dinner/Dance**

The Belmar Chamber of Commerce will hold its second annual Citizen-of-the-Year dinner/dance on May 21 at The Barclay in Belmar.

This year's honorees are the Hines brothers of Belmar with special recognition to Richard Taggart, principal of Belmar Elementary School, who is retiring in June.

Tickets are \$65 per person and a part of the proceeds will be utilized for scholarships.

To purchase tickets, contact the chamber office at 732-681-2900.

**Story Hour**

The Belmar Public Library will hold pre-school story hour every Thursday morning from 10 to 11 a.m.

The library will feature guest story readers. Parents who would like to participate are also invited to read.

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Belmar Board of Education newcomers Patricia Corea [above, from left] and Christopher Koesseian, and returning member Mark Walsifer, were sworn into their seats on the school board last Thursday.

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## Firm representative updates BOE on new heating system for school

By Jerry Kimbrough

A representative of the firm handling the Belmar Elementary School's plans to construct a new, traditional hot-water heating system updated the board of education last week on the project, presenting members with a tentative timeline and outlining specifics about the new system.

Design specifications call for a gas-fired, two-pipe boiler system, said Frank Tomaino, of Tomaino, Tomaino, Imello and Associates, the firm in charge of the project. The system will be controlled through a "simple" control mechanism, one that can be used to isolate specific rooms in the building and heat those rooms individually. In the gymnasium, the current heating system will remain. Engineers will make a few modifications to the rooftop vents there.

In the auditorium, possible plans call for a new gas-fired rooftop unit, with heating and cooling for the auditorium. That will be separate from the other heating system, so heating and cooling mechanisms can be turned off when the auditorium is not in use. But, the school's business administrator said, that component of the plan may be removed, depending on the bids the board receives.

As part of the plan, the electrical system in the school will see a substantial upgrade to ensure it is in conformance with current codes. Plus, Business Administrator Loretta Hill said, the system will be handling a heavier load due to the new heating systems, making a new electrical system even more important. Asbestos will be removed from

the piping near the existing system in June to avoid interrupting the construction process, Mr. Tomaino said.

He said plans call for a July 15 advertisement for bids for the new heating system. He said he expects to receive those bids by Aug. 15, and to award them on Sept. 15. Construction on the new heating system should start in mid-October of this year, he said.

Most of the work will be completed during the summer of 2006, he said, with a construction completion date tentatively set at Oct. 1, 2006, he said.

In other business at the board of education's reorganization and regular meetings:

• The board of education swore in members Patricia Corea,

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## Fund-raiser deadline extended to May 13

By Kara Lott

The deadline for submissions to be entered for a chance to compete in the "Battle of the Bands" fund-raiser at Belmar Elementary School later this month has been extended by nearly two weeks to May 13, according to organizer Michele Van Der Linde this week.

She said the original deadline of April 30 had to be pushed back to next Friday because not enough eligible participants were notified of the benefit in a timely fashion.

"The reason we've extended it [the deadline] is because the flyers were not distributed to the students as quickly as we had hoped," she stated.

Earlier this week, Mrs. Van Der Linde said she had received three submissions, so far. But she said many more students saw the flyers distributed to Belmar Elementary School and neighboring districts notifying them of the fund-raiser too close to the original deadline, making it nearly impossible to submit their audition tapes in time.

Prospective bands must submit an audition tape or CD, of either homemade or professional quality, by the May 13 deadline.

Members must each submit their name, school they attend, grade and instrument played. Phone numbers and names of a contact person from each band should also be included.

The finalists will be notified the following day, on May 14, according to Mrs. Van Der Linde.

She said the May 13 deadline is now one week before the show, which is slated to be held May 20 at 6 p.m. in the auditorium of Belmar Elementary.

Proceeds from the fund-raiser will go to a trust fund set up for Dylan and Devon Simone, the children of Belmar resident Bill Simone, who died in February after a two-year battle with cancer.

Mrs. Van Der Linde, who, along with her husband, were close friends of Mr. Simone, received support from both the Belmar Arts Council and the Belmar Board of Education for the benefit.

To be eligible to participate, band members were originally required to be only in elementary school. However, this week, Mrs. Van Der Linde said the maximum age of participants is now 15.

The majority of band members must be in grammar school, she added.

Participating bands must submit a \$5 entry fee per band member. Tickets to the event cost \$8 for adults and \$5 for school-age children. Children 5 and under will be admitted free of charge.

Mrs. Van Der Linde said 50/50 chances will be sold the night of the competition. Donated gifts, including a bicycle and a surfboard, will be raffled off, as well.

Mrs. Van Der Linde said prizes will be awarded to the first-, second- and third-place winners. The first-place prize is a \$500 shopping spree at the Guitar Center, donated by Frank Semeta, the owner of D'Jais, she said.

To submit an audition tape or to find out more information about the Battle of the Bands fund-raiser, call Mrs. Van Der Linde at 732-681-4227 or e-mail her at Belmar BOTB@aol.com.

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## Proposal to raze River Avenue home comes under fire, again, by neighbors

By Kara Lott

An application heard by Belmar's Board of Adjustment last week requesting permission to tear down the home at 304 River Ave. and build a single-family house in its place drew criticism, once again, from several neighboring homeowners who said the new home would still be too large for the property.

A similar plan came before the borough's planning board in January. Previous owners Dan Gibney, who serves as a commissioner in Avon-by-the-Sea, and his wife Cheryl, were seeking 40.5 percent lot coverage, where 25 percent maximum is allowed.

Neighbors, including Ken Malian and his partner Steve Moran, who were the most vocal opponents to the original plan, protested the size, setbacks and scale proposed in the Gibney application. The planning board agreed to carry the application until its March meeting, based on concerns with the proposed size and setbacks.

Since the planning board's January meeting, the borough reactivated its board of adjustment, which was approved by voters in a special referendum last November. The board of adjustment hears mostly homeowners' appeals of decisions made by borough zoning officials.

The Gibneys have also since sold the River Avenue property to North End Builders, LLC, which includes principals Bill Merkler and Board of Adjustment Chairman Dave Kinsel. Mr. and Mrs. Gibney did not come back before the planning board at any time with amended plans.

Mr. Kinsel recused himself from the proceedings last week and left the borough hall building, where the meetings are held.

The applicant's attorney, Bill Shippers, said North End Builders reduced the number of variances requested in the original application from six to three, including front-yard setback, where 20 feet is required and 16.5 was proposed; lot size, where 7,500 feet is required and 6,529 feet was proposed; and lot coverage, where 25 percent is the maximum and 36.1 percent was proposed.

The property sits on an under-sized lot and fronts on two streets, both River and 3rd avenues.

Mr. Malian and Mr. Moran, who live at 305 River Ave., said last week that while they were happy the dilapidated home currently on the lot would be improved, they still had concerns with the proposed size and scale of the new plan.

As they had done previously with the planning board, the two submitted a letter to the board of

adjustment, which contained the signatures of six other residents who also opposed the application.

Mr. Malian and Mr. Moran said North End Builders did not prove enough of a hardship to be granted the variances it requested. They told the board the proposed two and one-half story home would also measure 35 feet tall "front to back," which is almost double the current home now, they said.

Mr. Shippers noted that borough code allows residential homes in that zone to stand 35 feet.

Mr. Merkler said he lives a "stones throw away" from the property and hopes to build something there that will increase property values in the neighborhood.

Since he and Mr. Kinsel acquired the property, Mr. Merkler said they have "secured" the home and boarded up the windows. He

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## Fire study encourages use of smoke alarms

Nearly 3,400 people died in fires at home in 2002, according to a new study released by the Federal Emergency Management Agency's U.S. Fire Administration.

Michael Brown, undersecretary of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security for Emergency Preparedness and Response and FEMA's director, called the special report, named Fatal Fires, "alarming."

"Residential structure fires, the very place people should feel the safest, unfortunately account for the vast majority of fatal fires," said Mr. Brown.

"What's most worrisome is that in a full two-thirds of these fires, smoke alarms are missing or not working," he added.

Smoke alarms, when present, need to be tested frequently and batteries need replacing every six months.

"It's time to do some spring cleaning on your alarm to make sure it works when you need it most," Mr. Brown said.

According to the new FEMA report, structure fires accounted for 74 percent of the 3,300 fatal fires in 2002. Of these fatal structure fires, 94 percent occurred in residences.

Arson was the leading cause of fatal residential structure fires at 22 percent, followed closely by smoking at 21 percent.

There were 3,380 fire-related deaths in 2002, down slightly from other years. The report summarizes some of the major characteristics of fatal fires and is based on data from the National Fire Incident Reporting System [NFIRS].

"An unacceptable number of Americans are losing their lives and being injured by fires each year," said U.S. Fire Administrator R. David Paulson.

"We know that smoke alarms, escape plans, child fire prevention programs and residential sprinklers save lives. We continue to encourage everyone to take the steps necessary to ensure their homes are fire safe today." Borough of Belmar Fire Administrator John Rizzitello added, "Protect your family, make sure your home has at least one working smoke detector on each floor."

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**Bus driver suspended after harassment charge**

By Kara Lott

A school bus driver from Belmar has been suspended pending the outcome of a charge he allegedly made harassing comments to a 12-year-old Wall Township girl on his route, according to the general manager of Laidlaw transportation company.

Paul Baskin, 34, was charged by Wall Township Police April 19 with one count of harassment.

Laidlaw general manager Don Weir said Mr. Baskin is still on the company's books but is not currently operating a bus.

"We reached a mutual agreement to suspend actual employment until this whole issue gets resolved judiciously," Mr. Weir stated this week.

Mr. Baskin was slated to be in Wall Municipal Court Tuesday, but the matter was rescheduled until June 16 at 1:30 p.m.

Wall Township Police Det. Lt. Gerald Ihnken said Mr. Baskin allegedly called the juvenile, a student at St. Rose Grammar School in Belmar, several times on her cell phone. However, he said it was unclear how many phone calls were actually made or when the incidents began.

"It's been ongoing for a period of time," Det. Lt. Ihnken stated.

He said Mr. Baskin apparently made two phone calls to the girl in one day — the first call was inviting her to help him prepare for a party, and the second was more general in nature, with Mr. Baskin asking the girl, "What are you doing?" and "Where are you?" Det. Lt. Ihnken said.

He said it was reported Mr. Baskin would also ask the victim and her sister to blow up balloons on the school bus. Det. Lt. Ihnken said the girls thought the request was "weird," one time when the victim refused, Mr. Baskin "got upset," he added.

Det. Lt. Ihnken said the girl's mother reported the incidents to Wall Police and the Laidlaw bus company.

He said the girl did not "specifically" give Mr. Baskin her cell phone number but how he obtained it "is still up in the air."

"That's not something that we're totally clear on," Det. Lt. Ihnken stated.

Mr. Baskin began working for Laidlaw in the 1990s as a mechanic, according to Mr. Weir. He said the Belmar resident was then hired by the company as a school bus driver in January 2004.

Mr. Weir said Laidlaw, which is headquartered in Illinois but has a local office in Wall Township, has an "extensive computer software program" that enables the company to comply with all state regulations, including criminal history background checks through a fingerprinting system and a driver's physical.

He said Mr. Baskin's information came back "clear."

Mr. Weir said Laidlaw also has a policy that school bus drivers must first complete 35 hours of training behind the wheel — criteria he said the state does not require — before hitting the road.

"Certainly we don't know what took place, we don't know what was said," he said of the charge filed against Mr. Baskin.

However, he said Laidlaw cooperated fully with Wall Police on the matter and will provide officials with whatever records they need as part of their investigation.

Mr. Weir said Mr. Baskin agreed with Laidlaw representatives that it would be better for all involved if he was suspended until the matter was resolved.

He added that incidents such as this happen "few and far between" but when they do occur, "they need to be treated with seriousness."

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CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

The board of adjustment in Belmar last week unanimously rejected a use variance request by the owners of 1601 Ocean Ave. to allow a food establishment at a site on the property which the planning board previously cited as for non-food businesses only. Neighbors complained they already see enough garbage blown from dumpsters [above] onto their properties from the food establishments already in business at the property.

**Board rejects plan to add food establishment at Ocean Ave. site**

By Kara Lott

The Belmar Board of Adjustment unanimously shot down a request last week by the owners of 1601 Ocean Ave. to overturn a previous planning board decision prohibiting food-related retail establishments at a portion of the site.

After listening to neighboring residents argue against the proposal for a change of use variance, since they said there is already too much garbage in the area from several other food establishments currently on the property, board members voted 7-0 against the application last Thursday night.

Board member Edward McCormick said he sat on the planning board back in 1999 when it originally allowed non-food related retail establishments as a condition of approval at the site in question, and said listening to the concerns of the neighbors last week was like "déjà vu."

"I think we should live by what the board did six years ago," he stated.

Charles Dayon, a principal of 1601 Ocean Avenue LLC, said the company has owned the property since June 2003. The site includes three units that house a Dunkin' Donuts, a Subway, 3 Brothers Pizza, Eastern Lines surf shop and a former video arcade that has sat vacant for the past year and a half. There are also two apartments above the site, he said.

Mr. Dayon explained one of the residential units sits above the vacant arcade while the other is above the surf shop. The property measures approximately 4,000 square feet in total, he said.

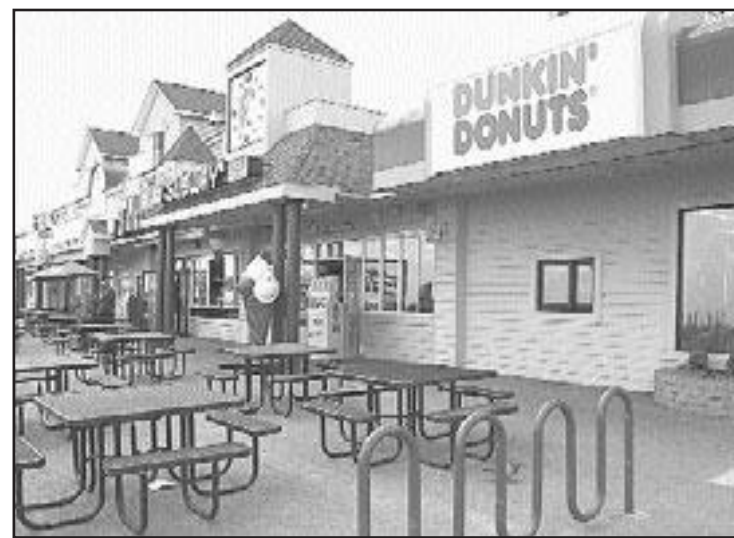
According to Mr. Dayon, one of the property's tenants, Tom Rogers, the owner of the Ocean Avenue Subway, voiced interest in leasing out the vacant site. But it was not until Mr. Rogers was going through the permit process with the borough that he was told food was not allowed at the former arcade site due to a previous planning board decision, Mr. Dayon said.

He added it "never occurred" to the owners that food was prohibited in half of the building, since it was permitted in the other half.

According to the applicant's attorney, Timothy Middleton, the prior owner, Greg Kapalko, obtained approval from the planning board in 1999 to expand the Ocean Avenue property for retail use on the first floor and residential apartments on the second floor, over the surf shop.

The neighboring Ocean Vista Condo Association objected to the application since members did not want food at the site and filed litigation to overturn the planning board's decision, Board of Adjustment Attorney Kevin Kennedy told the board last week. He said the case was settled and the planning board adopted a revised application for non-food retail establishments at the site of the former video arcade, which measures approximately 1,500 square feet.

Mr. Rogers said last week he



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

The owners of 1601 Ocean Ave. in Belmar [above] which includes a Dunkin' Donuts, a pizza shop and a former video arcade, will not be allowed to add a food establishment to the site after the board of adjustment unanimously denied their application last week.

had no plans to cook at the site if the Ocean Avenue LLC's application was approved, but, instead, would bake bread. Mr. Dayon said there would be "minimal" odors coming from the new proposed establishment and would be similar to Subway, for which the owners have never heard any complaints. Mr. Rogers later noted the on-site baking would bring a "nice smell" of bread and cookies to the establishment.

Mr. Dayon said Mr. Rogers currently operates a Subway shop and TR's Grill, which includes ice cream and a grill. The new business would be called TR's Food Court and include a convenience store, he said.

Mr. Dayon estimated the new hours of operation at the business would be roughly 8 or 9 a.m. until 10 or 11 p.m. He explained the landlords do not set hours for the property, but instead leave it up to each tenant. Mr. Dayon said most of the businesses there, however, are open seven days per week, depending on the time of year.

According to Mr. Dayon, garbage would need to be picked up four or five times per week if the food establishment was permitted by the board, instead of the three weekly pickups currently scheduled. He said deliveries are now made at the property's loading zone at the corner of 16th and Ocean avenues.

The traffic engineer for the applicant, Michael Chasin, testified deliveries would increase at the site if the proposal was approved, but not to the extent to create any problems of traffic or parking in the area. He said there would also be no adverse impacts to the neighbors or existing stores.

Ms. Chasin said parking availability would not change much since none of the businesses currently at the site are "destination-type" restaurants, but instead attract more walk-in patrons.

Pat McMahon, the borough's director of code enforcement, urged the board not to approve the application, since he said the site cannot handle the amount of garbage from the current food establishments.

According to Mr. McMahon, tenants of the property fight

among themselves and the area has become unsightly with grease all over the sidewalk from garbage bags being dragged outside. To further convince the board not to approve the application, Mr. McMahon noted that the previous owner had "promised no food" as a condition of approval for the improvements to the property.

Attorney Bill Shippers represented two objectors of the application — the owner of 3 Brothers Pizza, Richard Tarzian, and Ocean Avenue resident Barry Zimmerman.

Mr. Zimmerman, who is a councilman in town and lives one block north of the applicant's property, displayed pictures to the board of shrubs on his front lawn, which he said are often littered by trash that blows onto his property from the neighboring food establishments. He said the garbage includes paper plates and napkins.

Mr. Zimmerman said he served as chairman of the planning board at the time it approved the original application. He explained a variance was given to the previous owner for parking since 57 spaces were required because of the additional residential units added to the property.

If the zoning board were to give the green light to the use variance request before it last week, members would be setting a "dangerous precedent" for future applications, Mr. Zimmerman said.

Seventeenth Avenue resident Greg Dempsey also took pictures of the refuse area, which he showed to the board last week. Mr. Dempsey told the board the garbage sometimes flows over the dumpsters out onto the street.

Board chairman Dave Kinsel questioned how the property could handle the garbage load of an additional food establishment in the summer if there were already problems on a day in April.

Board member Theresa Pierce called the conditions at the site "deplorable," adding food space should be removed from the site, not added. She said she also objected to heat emanating from a food shop, when there are apartments located above.

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**Monmouth County Master Gardener Ron Ryner [above, center] discussed vermicomposting, fertilizing with worms, at a gardening workshop at Belmar's "Magical Garden" Greenhouse and Community Garden on 15th Avenue and E Street last Saturday. The session was sponsored by the community garden and the Belmar Environmental Commission.**

Concert series to be held in Belmar gallery

Network 1 Financial will host a spring concert series throughout May in Belmar.

The concerts will be held Friday nights, May 6 and 20, and Saturday, May 14 from 7 to 8:30 p.m., with the doors opening at 6:15 p.m.

The concerts will be held at the 500 Main Street Gallery in Belmar, next to Strollos.

Admission is free and the concerts are "ice cream friendly."

Local merchants will be sponsoring refreshments, as well.

The concert series will consist of a variety of performers and genres of music.

May 6 will feature Kindred, performing lively dance music from Motown to the present.

There will be two performers on May 14; from 7 to 8 p.m., the Karma Doctors will be playing; and from 8 to 9:30 p.m., a bluegrass group called the Bad Dogz will play.

The Jazz Lobsters will finish up the series on May 20 with eight performers playing jazz music, including swing.

Network 1 Financial will be relocating to Belmar within the next several months. Sponsoring the series provides the opportunity for Network 1 Financial to continue its support of the cultural community in Belmar.

For additional concert information, call Carrie at 1-800-886-7007 or e-mail carriecapron@netw1.com.

MODC luncheon slated for May 20

The Monmouth-Ocean Development Council's [MODC] Economic Development Committee is presenting "What's Good For Business?", Making New Jersey Business Friendly, on Friday, May 20 at the Waterview Pavilion in Belmar.

Guest speaker Philip Kirschner, president of the New Jersey Business and Industry Association, will be discussing how many business leaders feel that the State of New Jersey could do a much better job of creating a welcoming atmosphere for the purpose of attracting and retaining business in the state.

An annual survey conducted by NJBIA repeatedly reflects a number of issues that the business community feels need to be addressed by the administration and legislature in order to counter the stigma of New Jersey being "business unfriendly."

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Friends of Belmar Harbor offers sailing program to teens

Looking for fun in a sport that doesn't involve line drills, running laps or calisthenics? The Friends of the Belmar Harbour has partnered with Avon-by-the-Sea, Belmar, Neptune City and Neptune and Wall townships to offer a three-week instructional junior sailing program this summer.

Each town will offer eight residents, ages 11 through 16, a sponsorship to participate in the instructional sailing program free of charge. All equipment will be supplied. Transportation to and from Belmar's Maclearie Park [near the tennis courts] is up to each participants' responsibility.

The program will be offered at

the Belmar Marina from noon until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, Aug. 1 through 19.

Eligible participants must be able to take part in the entire three-week program, have parental consent and have transportation to and from the marina. The program is for beginners and participants must know how to swim.

The instructional sailing program will culminate with light competition in a "Mayors' Trophy Regatta" on Aug. 19, highlighting the skills learned during the program.

Interested applicants should contact the respective individuals in their town on or before May 10:

in Avon, David Calnan, 732-673-0112; in Belmar, Brian Magovern, 732-681-3700 ext. 211; in Neptune City, Tom Adcock, 732-774-0089; in Neptune Township, Dawn Thompson, 732-869-1202; and in Wall, Wilma Morrissey, 732-938-3550.

Through this program, the Friends of the Belmar Harbour hope to introduce participants to some watercraft skills, and share their enjoyment of being on the water.

Library concert to kick off summer on June 29

The Belmar Public Library will hold a concert on the library lawn featuring "Bluetooth and Pringle" for the ninth year on Wednesday, June 29 at 7 p.m.

They will play music from yesterday and today in the yearly event to usher in the summer, librarian Lois Gallagher said.

The nostalgic night brings back memories of beautiful summer

evenings at the Jersey Shore. It is a concert for all ages.

Everyone is asked to bring their own lawn chairs.

The concert is sponsored by the Belmar Tourism Commission and the "Friends of the Belmar Public Library."

For more information, call Mrs. Gallagher at the library at 732-681-0775.

Belmar reports fire activity for April

Borough Fire Administrator John Rizzitello recently reported the Belmar Fire Department responded to 15 emergency calls for service in April.

The calls included nine fire alarm activations of various causes; two haz-mat incidents, which included a fuel spill and leaks; one residential natural gas leak; one brush/outside vegetation fire; one residential carbon monoxide response — no CO found — and one structural-related fire.

In other news:

• Current and future fire officers of the fire department are currently in the process of completing a 24-hour course in instructional techniques for fire company officers.

Once completed, members will be able to set up and instruct in-house training and fire company drills, underneath a New Jersey Division of Fire Safety certified fire instructor. The course is being taught by Capt. Tom Caruso of the Fort Monmouth Fire Department.

• The Belmar Fire Department is staffed by dedicated volunteers on a 24-hour, seven-days-per week basis. The department is always looking for new members.

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# Council OKs free beach admission for members of military

By Kara Lott

The borough will, once again, show its appreciation to the men and women serving in the Armed Forces this summer after the council voted last week to reauthorize "Operation: Thank You" by providing free beach admission to all active military personnel and their dependents during the 2005 beach season.

The governing body first enacted the measure in May 2004, making the borough was the first Shore town in the area to provide free beach badges to members of the military, including activated National Guard Reservists and their dependents.

Officials said the initiative was to recognize the sacrifices made by those in the military, as well as by their families.

As part of the effort, the borough hung "Operation: Thank You" banners on the light poles at each block of the boardwalk.

Surrounding towns, including Manasquan, adopted similar resolutions.

In other news from last Wednesday night's Belmar Council meeting:

- Maureen McCaffery of the Belmar Homeowners Association and Police Chief Jack Hill discussed a "citizens on patrol" initiative with the council during its agenda session.

They said the measure would include resident volunteers using their cell phones to call police if they witness quality of life violations in the borough this summer.

Chief Hill stressed the volunteers will not be allowed to confront people on the street or make arrests, but will act, instead, as "eyes and ears only." He said the residents will be stationed in different areas of the borough on Friday, Saturday and possibly Sunday nights in the summer from 10 p.m. to about 2 or 3 a.m.

Councilwoman Patricia Provenzano said she was concerned for the safety of the volunteers since she said some of the violators could be confrontational.

"What caused you to want to be in the fray of it?" she asked Ms. McCaffery. "Why do you feel the need to be on the street at those hours?"

Ms. McCaffery explained some residents have already been doing a "neighborhood patrol" for the past two summers.

Mayor Kenneth E. Pringle said he was supportive of the plan as long as the police chief had additional officers to handle the patrol's calls and a plan to mobilize them.

"I'm comfortable if the chief is comfortable," the mayor said.

He reminded Ms. McCaffery the proposal will only be effective as long as the police witness the violations or the volunteers are willing to sign complaints against the violators themselves.

Ms. McCaffery said the patrol would be disbanded if it was found to be ineffective.

"We'll monitor it and see where it goes," Chief Hill stated.

- The council approved an ordinance allowing for handicapped parking on the south side of 315 13th Ave.

The space will be located starting at a point 205 feet east along the southerly curblin from the southeast corner of C Street and 13th Avenue and continuing for 25 feet in an easterly direction.

- Mayor Pringle appointed Joseph DeCristofaro to the borough's board of adjustment to replace Nancy Maupai, who resigned, for a term expiring Dec. 31, 2008.

- The council voted to establish the location of the police substation this summer again at the corner of 16th Avenue and A Street.

- The council approved a resolution authorizing a grant agreement between the Belmar Environmental Commission and the state Department of Environmental Protection for project "Natural Beach Signs" on 1st Avenue in the amount of \$2,500.

- The council authorized a seasonal retail consumption license to Encumbrance Inc., trading as The Tropical Pub, for a period ending Nov. 14.

- The council awarded a series of contracts for improvements to the Belmar Marina, including to Marine Development, of Manasquan, in the amount of \$26,100 for dock boxes.

The council awarded a contract to Laubar, Inc., Florida, in the amount of \$44,291 for Sea Technology Dockhead II powerheads. The governing body also awarded a state contract to Jewel Electronic Supply Company, Jersey City, in the amount of \$39,000 for the purchase of cable electrical wiring for the marina.

In addition, council members awarded a contract to RWV Land & Livestock, Jackson, in the amount of \$79,700 to remove the dredge spoils located in a berm in the Belmar Marina parking lot.

Robbin Kirk, the borough's chief financial officer, said last week prior to the meeting, that the dredge spoils would be carted to a Neptune landfill. In addition, she estimated the berm, which was first created in 2002, would be completely dismantled by July 4.

Finally, the council approved a change order number in the amount of \$53,685 for transient dock construction at the marina. The increase was necessary for additional pilings — for which charter boat owners have agreed to pay for a portion, officials said.

- The council authorized the payment of unclaimed checks from the Belmar Municipal Court to the borough's general account in the amount of \$1,716. According to officials, the issued checks are at least six months old and have not been cashed.

- Council members rejected bids for curbside garbage collection since the bids, received last month, came in too high.

- The council voted to advertise for bids to lease a portion of the 16th Avenue basketball facil-

ity at Dempsey Park for an AAU tournament.

- The governing body voted to advertise for bids to lease a portion of Taylor Pavilion for a yoga fitness concession.

- Mayor Pringle said officials are continuing to look into ways to strengthen Belmar's pay-to-play ordinance and set forth even more stringent restrictions on related policies than what the borough already has in place.

The mayor's comments were in response to the FBI charges

levied against former Monmouth County Freeholder Director Harry Larrison Jr. last week for allegedly accepting two bribes from two developers. Eleven public officials from Monmouth County were arrested in February on corruption charges after an FBI bribery sting.

"There's not a lot we can do as elected officials to convince you we're not like them," Mayor Pringle said last week.

The mayor added he did not believe Mr. Larrison would be

the last public official to be charged.

"It is, I admit, sickening though every time it happens," he said. "The man was a legend, I thought!"

Mayor Pringle's comments elicited a round of applause from the audience, but he said officials should not be applauded for being honest.

"That should be the basic minimum thing you expect from us," he said.

# School holds meeting after profiles, pics found of students on Internet

By Kara Lott

Myspace.com — an online social network that allows participants 16 years of age and older to share pictures and talk with friends — raised concerns at Belmar Elementary School recently, after the technology coordinator found nearly two dozen profiles, some with alarming content, of seventh- and eighth-grade students posted on the site.

School Superintendent Dr. Lester Richens this week said administrators called a meeting on April 27 with the students' parents since they were worried the children were sharing "too much information about themselves" on the web site.

Borough Police Chief Jack Hill said the meeting, which was also attended by Belmar Det. Sean Pringle, the department's juvenile officer, and Det. Robert Angelini from the Monmouth County Prosecutors Office, focused on how sexual predators use sites such as Myspace.com to lure their young victims.

"We were trying to reinforce that parents have to be ever vigilant to safeguard their children from these sexual predators," he stated.

Dr. Richens said Ken Hayes, the school's technology coordinator, found about 23 profiles of students from Belmar Elementary on Myspace.com, which cannot be accessed through the school, approximately one month ago during a routine check.

According to Chief Hill, some of the profiles were graphic in nature — several students wrote they like to "par-tay," smoke marijuana and have sex. He said pictures posted by some of the students along with their profiles also included children from Belmar Elementary "lighting up crack pipes and drinking."

"So that causes us alarm," he said, adding, "We certainly don't know if they're doing the nefarious acts they claim or they're putting on a show."

"We're not making accusations," Dr. Richens stated. "These are kids saying whatever they want to say."

"We don't know if some were bragging or trying to be brave or what," he added.

The chief said the site allows participants to post their first and last names and the school they attend. Officials were able to identify the Belmar students profiled on Myspace.com by either their pictures or their names, he said.

Under Myspace.com's terms of use agreement, eligible members are asked to represent that they are in fact 16 years of age. The site then goes on to say, "Your profile may be deleted without warning, if it is found that you are misrepresenting your age, and you are younger than 18."

Representatives of the company could not be reached to explain the age discrepancy. It is unclear if the users must be 16 or 18.

Dr. Richens explained the school was mainly concerned the the postings could put some of the students "in a compromising situation someday."

"You don't know who you're talking to on the web," he said. "When you're 14 years old, you're invincible, but things happen."

Dr. Richens said Mr. Hayes made copies of the material posted in the children's profiles so the superintendent could show their parents.

"We just think the parents should have been made aware," he said.

Dr. Richens added he and Chief Hill felt it was important to be "proactive instead of reactive."

The superintendent said the district never posts pictures of its students on the school web site. But on Myspace.com, he said some of the children downloaded pictures from the eighth grade class trip, exposing their unwitting classmates to potential danger.

"There's no way to monitor it," he stated.

Dr. Richens said the school has not wanted to forbid cameras on class trips in the past, but because of this incident will have to "evaluate very carefully" whether or not to ban them in the future.

Chief Hill said parents of the students who were found on Myspace.com were notified by letter of last Wednesday night's meeting — only about 50 percent of those invited attended, he said.

"I would think as a parent I would definitely think it would be a priority to ensure the safety of my child from predators," Chief

Hill said.

"We would have liked 100 percent of the parents [to attend]," Dr. Richens agreed.

Chief Hill said officials in the meeting discussed various sexual predator cases from around the country. In addition, Chief Hill said they also talked about how predators utilize web sites, like Myspace.com, to befriend juveniles, eventually convince them to meet in person and then "what happens" after they meet in a percentage of cases.

Chief Hill said sexual predators use "every [web] site available to them" to try and establish a relationship with young children in order to take advantage of them.

"This is one example of a predator's hunting ground," he said of Myspace.com.

Of the parents who attended last week's meeting, Chief Hill said they asked questions, were attentive "and hopefully will be more vigilant in the future."

Dr. Richens said he has since heard from several of the parents who did not attend last week's meeting, who have met with him in private to discuss the matter. He added there are still about five or six parents that he will reach out to, once again, if he does not hear back from them.

Since the meeting, many of the profiles of Belmar students have been removed from Myspace.com by the children and/or their parents, according to Dr. Richens.

He said the school will continue to monitor that site and others like it. The superintendent said he also plans to hold another program with Det. Angelini from the prosecutor's office to address parents who come to the district's open house in the fall on the matter.

This week, Chief Hill advised parents to keep an eye on what their children are doing on the Internet and keep their home computer in a room where the door cannot be closed.

"Those types of common sense procedures should be in place in every household," he stated.

As for juveniles, the chief advised them not to lie about their age to gain access to any web site.

"There are people out there who will hurt you and will take advantage of you," he said. "Don't grow up too fast."

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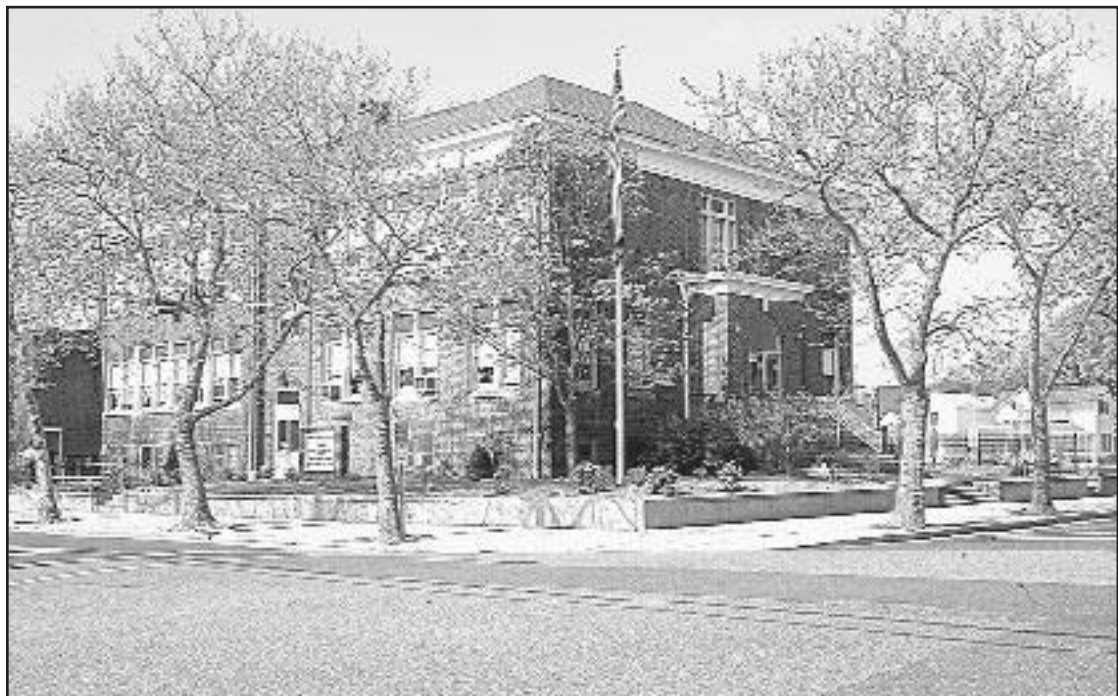
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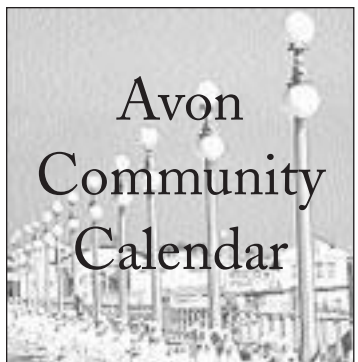


The Avon-by-the-Sea Board of Education is thinking about presenting voters with a referendum in December, as part of a board proposal for an addition to the existing elementary school [above] on Lincoln Avenue.

## Avon-by-the-Sea board of ed leaning toward bond referendum in December

**By Jerry Kimbrough**  
Avon-by-the-Sea school officials are leaning toward presenting a bond referendum to voters this December, and are trying to drum up support from residents to support a building addition and renovations to the existing elementary school on Lincoln Avenue.

An ad hoc committee charged with brainstorming ideas for school renovations has been



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### Town-wide Garage Sale Set

The Avon-by-the-Sea Recreation Department is hosting a town-wide garage sale, set for May 21.

Applications to take part in the sale are available at borough hall.

### Avon Day 5K Run/Walk

The Avon Day 5K Run/Walk is set for Saturday, June 4. The race will start at the corners of Ocean and Norwood avenues at 8:30 a.m. Registration forms are available online at www.jsrc.org or at the borough office, 301 Main St. For more information, call 732-502-4519. Registration fee before May 27 is \$15, and \$20 afterward and on the day of the race.

The fee includes a T-shirt for the first 500 registered, refreshments, and first-, second-, and third-place awards and random prize drawings, open to all contestants [must be present for eligibility]. Proceeds benefit the Avon First Aid and Safety Squad. The race is being staged with the help of the Jersey Shore Running Club.

Walk-up registration will be at the Avon Pavilion May 28, 29, and 30 from 9 a.m. to noon and June 3 from 6 to 8 p.m. and on race day from 7 to 8:30 a.m.

### America's Boating Course

Coast guard Auxiliary, Flotilla 16-08, will be teaching the one-day "America's Boating Course" on April 23 and May 28, at the Shark River Coast Guard Station, Washington Avenue, Avon.

Class begins at 9 a.m. and finishes at 5 p.m. There is a \$55 fee to cover course materials and administrative costs.

The course has been approved by the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators and is an efficient approach to satisfying state licensing requirements.

To register, call public education officer Teresa Morrone at 732-462-4822 or the Coast Guard Auxiliary hotline at 732-775-6707.

meeting for the last few months, and has been poring through a number of proposals before ultimately settling on the one he presented last week. At a public presentation during last Wednesday's board of education meeting, architect Frank Messineo, of USA Architects, showed attendees and board members, via a PowerPoint presentation, the ad hoc committee's top pick.

By way of background, Mr. Messineo said the existing school building was built in 1904. Additions to the structure were constructed in 1926 and 1946, he said.

Mr. Messineo said improvements to the school have become necessary, as it has been in use for over a century.

Under the auspices of the plan presented to residents last week, an 8,700-square-foot addition, with 2,900 square feet encompassing the ground, first, and second floors of the existing school, will be built.

On the ground floor of the building, a new entrance to the school is set to be constructed. The school's administrative offices will be moved from the first floor to the ground floor, Mr. Messineo said. A nurse's office suite will be added to the ground floor.

In the 2,900-square-foot addition on the ground floor, a new science lab will be built, as well as two small group instruction classrooms.

The existing kindergarten classroom, art room and faculty room on that floor will all be untouched under the plan.

The boiler room on the ground floor, as well as offices currently there, will be remodeled under the proposal.

A small group instruction room and a new media center, which would host the school's library and computers, is set to be constructed on the first floor, in the new addition.

New boys and girls bathrooms are set to be built on that floor, and the existing media center/library would be remodeled into fifth-grade classrooms. The former school administrators' offices, which are moving downstairs to the ground floor, will be converted to first-grade classrooms.

On the first floor, existing second-, third-, and fourth-grade classrooms will all remain as they are currently situated.

On the second floor, the proposal calls for a cafeteria/multi-purpose room, which school officials believe can be used in a multitude of ways.

"The room [would be] big enough that we could hold assemblies in it," School Business Administrator Amy Lerner said. And educators could use the multipurpose room to host indoor gym classes in the event of rain or host school assemblies there, she added.

Mr. Messineo said the entire school population, roughly 120 students, could be easily accommodated in the cafeteria, if it were ultimately built. If the board chose to have its public meetings there, the room could hold even more people, he said.

"We could do a lot of things in that room," Mr. Magrini said.

Sixth-, seventh-, and eighth-grade classrooms will remain on the second floor. An existing fifth-grade classroom there would be moved to the first floor, according to the plan.

New boys and girls bathrooms will be constructed on the second floor. The school nurse's room, which is moving to the ground floor, will be converted into a room for the storage of the school's computer servers.

In other improvements, the school's boiler system will be updated; improvements will be made to the heating and air-conditioning systems in the building; windows will be replaced; and the electrical system will be updated.

On each floor, a corridor will be built that leads from the existing school to the addition.

Though Mr. Messineo estimated project costs as totaling around \$5 million — including construction and soft costs — he said that number is far from set in stone, and is only a very preliminary estimate. He contended everything depends on the amount of state aid the district could receive for the project.

Time is of the essence, he stressed. The pot of money the state has set aside to fund school construction projects is steadily dwindling. The district could realize up to 40 percent of the project's total costs, numbering in hundreds of thousands of dollars, but only if the board acts quickly, he said.

Board members admitted the timing of the referendum request could be perceived as poor, seeing how voters shot down the district's 2005-2006 proposed budget just a few weeks ago. But they stressed the changes to the building's infrastructure, and added space, were necessary.

"We're not looking to burden the taxpayers. We're a good school now, and we need to be great," Mr. Magrini said.

If the board were to go ahead and present the plan to voters in a referendum in December — and if that referendum were to be approved — the district would likely bond the necessary money over a 30-year time period.

## Board of ed says goodbye to departing member

**By Jerry Kimbrough**  
The Avon-by-the-Sea Board of Education bid farewell last Wednesday to former board president Fran Rooney, who chose not to seek re-election to a three-year term.

"Her guidance helped us get through some difficult [times]," said board member John Magrini. "We'll miss her."

Superintendent Dr. George Petty seconded that sentiment, calling Ms. Rooney a dedicated board member who was fully committed to the children of Avon. His voice cracked slightly as he spoke.

"Organizations, especially school [boards], are only as good as the people that make up those organizations," he said.

"I'm not going far," joked Ms. Rooney.

Newly-elected board member Kenneth Child was officially sworn in at the meeting by Business Administrator Amy Lerner.

Mr. Magrini, in a unanimous vote, was appointed president. Member Andrea Magovern will serve as vice president.

After the board voted on the positions of president and vice president, Ms. Rooney walked over and moved two placards — which read "president" and "vice president" — to rest in front of Mr. Magrini and Ms. Magovern.

In other business, the board approved a tuition program policy for admission of non-resident students, for a fee, to the Avon Elementary School. Last year, the tuition policy was dubbed a pilot program, as the board was testing the program out. Having deemed it a success, the board decided to make the program official.

Under the policy, a child can be accepted to a class with a total enrollment of 12 students or less. Class sizes may not exceed 16 pupils without prior board approval.

Under the policy, parents of students enrolled in kindergarten through eighth-grade classes would pay a \$2,500 annual tuition payment for the first child enrolled; \$2,250 for the second; and \$2,000 for the third. A \$100 acceptance fee, required before any other payments aside from the \$75 application fee, would go toward tuition fees.

Parents of non-resident tuition students are responsible for providing transportation to and from school.

The board approved and adopted the 2005-2006 school calendar.

The board approved a sixth- and seventh-grade class trip to the Ocean County Planetarium, Toms River, for today.

Members voted to approve the fifth-grade class trip to Philadelphia, Pa., for May 19.

The board approved the fourth-grade class trip to the Franklin Institute, in Pennsylvania, set for May 19.

The board approved the first- and second-grade class trip to the Count Basie Theater, Red Bank, set for May 20.

The board approved the kindergarten and first-grade class trip to the Monmouth Museum,

Lincroft, set for May 27.

- The board approved the school safety patrol's field trip to Great Adventure, Jackson, set for June 8.
- The board approved the following personnel for re-employment: Angela Rust, Michelle Liga, Mary Tivenan, Arlene Ahearn, Natalie Zenkert, Patricia Farrell, Phyllis Sardoni, Joanne Langon, E. Susan Oliver, Concetta Cannon, J. Michael Sanderson, Patricia Johnson, Maura Carhart, Charlene Smith, and Meg Livingood.
- The board appointed Superintendent Petty as the affirmative action officer for the 2005-2006 school year.
- The board approved *The Coast Star* and the *Asbury Park Press* as its official newspapers.
- The board named Allaire Community Bank, Belmar, as the official depository for school funds for the 2005-2006 school year.
- Patrick R. Collum, Rumson, will serve as school treasurer as per a board vote.
- The board appointed Kenneth Fitzsimmons as attorney for the school board for the 2005-2006 school year.
- Hutchins, Farrell, Meyer and Allison, Freehold, was appointed as the board's official auditing firm for the 2005-2006 school year.

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## Avon Police report activity in borough

The Avon-by-the-Sea Police Department has announced the following activity in the borough for the period ending May 1:

On May 1, Ptl. John Riley investigated a report of burglary, theft, and criminal mischief to a boat dock on the north side of the Shark River Inlet.

The incident occurred between 6 p.m. April 30 and 6:45 a.m. May 1. Det. Lt. Terry Mahon and Ptl. Chris Garrity assisted.

On April 28, a Main Street resident reported criminal mischief done to her vehicle while parked overnight. The victim

believes the damage was done by a friend, with whom the victim had an argument just prior to the damage being done.

The incident occurred between 10 p.m. April 27 and 8 a.m. April 28. Ptl. Greg Torchia is investigating.

On April 28, Special Officer Jim Ketcham investigated a report of criminal mischief to newly poured concrete on Fifth Avenue. The incident occurred at approximately 2:30 p.m. The appropriate repairs were made before the concrete hardened.

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## Lake Como

## Lake Como Council discusses defeated school budget

By Mike Gray

At the Lake Como Council meeting Tuesday night, Board of Education President Robert Kirk reviewed the 2005-2006 school budget, which voters rejected in last month's school board election.

The proposed budget carried a local tax levy of \$2,351,521, which would have meant a 16-cent tax rate increase for borough residents.

Mr. Kirk gave an overview of the budget to the town council and the audience, but not before addressing some other concerns first.

The school board president first discussed the idea of consolidating Lake Como's school board with the Belmar Board of Education.

Mr. Kirk said he and an auditor had conducted a review several years ago to see if the Lake Como school board members could

"vote themselves out of existence." According to Mr. Kirk, the 1998 review found that in addition to the budget increases the district faces each year on its own, consolidation would have increased the tax levy here by \$51,428, which translated to an additional 5-cent rate increase.

"The auditor said some years it'd be to our advantage, and some to our disadvantage. It would be like playing Russian roulette with the taxpayers' money," said Mr. Kirk.

He also addressed concerns with special education costs and their effect on this year's school budget.

"You will see that this year we will spend \$412,693 to educate nine students. Special education has gotten completely out of hand. I know there's a need for special education, what I want is for the government to fully fund it," said Mr. Kirk, adding the government's handling of special education costs is ineffective. "They take our money, and we get some back, but they tell us how to spend it," he said.

Focusing on this year's school budget, Mr. Kirk handed out comparative sheets of tuition costs and school taxes to the audience, that randomly sampled six households in Lake Como that have at least two children in the school system. Of the six homes on the list, four were being rented. Mr. Kirk argued the families renting the houses do not pay taxes in the town, and proposed a flat tax on every residents' income, to fund education costs.

"I know it won't go anywhere, but it is my feeling we should have a flat tax on everyone's income, and pay a gross percentage on their income," said Mr. Kirk.

With his presentation completed, the council asked questions

about the proposed school budget, with every council member holding a copy of the 2005-2006 school budget for reference.

Councilman Basil T. Wolfe said Lake Como is a non-operating district and does not have any control over its costs, adding, "If I do not approve of this, what the people of this town have rejected, then we are taking away from the children."

Mayor Lawrence Chiaravalle asked why the cost for the resource room in Belmar Elementary — a special education program designated for students who need help in specific areas of study — had risen so sharply from last year. School Board Secretary Tom West said the Lake Como Board of Education had underestimated its costs for the resource room last year, and needs to pay back both the difference as well as the costs for the 2005-06 school year.

Mr. Kirk added this issue was currently under discussion in closed session between the Belmar and Lake Como school boards and he could not get into specific details until closed sessions were over.

Councilwoman Frankie Jones asked if the \$120,000 resource room cost was part of the \$356,000 the district proposed spending in tuition costs. Mr. Kirk said the two costs were separate.

Mr. Kirk also said the number of children from Lake Como using the resource room has doubled in the past year, and suggested Belmar Elementary is not pushing "in-class support," according to federal mandate that demands school districts to mainstream special education students.

Councilman Douglas Witte asked for a comparison between 2005-2006 school budget and the current spending plan. "In order

for myself to make a comparison, we need to compare...line-by-line what's gone up or down," Councilman Witte said. "We need to see where we can save money."

"There is no place to save money," said Mr. Kirk in response. "It is my fondest hope that you can find a place to save money in this budget."

Councilman Wolfe said the same thing happened two years ago when the budget was shot down by voters, and the council tried to find places to make cuts.

"It didn't accomplish anything," he said, adding that he would have supported the budget tonight if voted on. Councilwoman Jones said she would have as well.

Mayor Chiaravalle made a motion for the council to review the budget further before voting and to report the council's findings at the next meeting, on May 17. The council approved the motion unanimously. It was also mentioned the town council and school board must submit a final budget to the state by May 19.

Later in the meeting, Councilman Witte remarked the town had rejected the budget, and though he thinks nothing can be done about the costs, "the council owes it to the town" to review the budget.

In other council news:

- Angelino's Pizza owner Bryan Kirby asked the council to approve outside dining seating for his restaurant, located at 1617 Main St. Mr. Kirby stated there was 16 feet open between his storefront and the curb, and the outside dining area would take up only 8 feet of the sidewalk, leaving 8 feet open for pedestrian traffic. Only 4 feet is required to be left open by town ordinance.

The council saw no problem with granting approval for outdoor seating, but raised concerns over

the closing time of the pizza parlor.

Councilman Wolfe said the previous owner tried to stay open after 2 a.m., the closing hour mandated for all businesses in a borough ordinance.

"I want to see the streets clear by 2:30 a.m.," said Councilman Wolfe. Mr. Kirby said he would make sure the pizzeria would follow the ordinance.

- During the workshop before the regular council meeting, the council discussed the new town clock that was purchased.

Councilwoman Ronell Giresi said the clock was purchased by the tourism commission and will have the town seal as the face, and in smaller type on the top have "2005" and underneath that "Lake Como" in gold lettering. The new clock is a green two-faced fixture and is expected to be placed on the right side of the borough hall parking lot entrance, with the time visible to traffic coming both north and south on Main Street.

She added the clock should arrive in 60 days.

- A block party was approved by the town council. Belmont Avenue residents signed a petition seeking permission from the town council to throw a block party on May 21 from 2 to 10 p.m. The residents mentioned the party would be held in various yards along the block, but would not take place in the street.

- The council approved an agreement for the preparation and execution of a complete program of reevaluation of real property for the borough of Lake Como. According to the resolution, four bids were received for the reevaluation, with the contract going to Professional Property Appraisers, of Delran, for \$59,500.

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## Lake Como will see uncontested primaries

By Maura Duffy

On June 8, Republicans and Democrats in Lake Como will head to the polls to choose their respective parties' candidates for the two three-year seats open on the governing body this year.

Both primaries are uncontested and, barring a successful write-in campaign, the Democratic candidates will likely be incumbent Councilman Basil Wolfe and former councilman Mike Ryan. This year's Republican candidates are expected to be newcomer Lynda Poland and former councilman Ken Shinn.

Democratic Councilwoman Frankie Jones has decided not to seek re-election.

Mr. Ryan, 57, served two terms on the borough council, during which he served as the council president for three years.

"I'd like to carry on what the Democrats have been doing," said Mr. Ryan.

The borough-wide infrastructure improvements and the purchasing of new equipment are two projects Mr. Ryan said he would like to see continue.

Mr. Ryan said a decision also has to be made about who will inhabit the old borough hall building. If the police department continues to operate out of the building, he said improvements need to be made to the structure. He said as the plans develop for the use of the building, he would like to see the needs of the police department and the school board met.

With things like Dr. Joseph Louro's new townhomes with lower level retail space, Mr. Ryan said he would like to know how any new structures will impact the school district and the taxpayer.

Mr. Ryan said he is in favor of the new Main Street redevelopment, but would like more research done on the matter, specifically from a professional planner.

"Downtown definitely needs to be revitalized," he said.

Mr. Ryan also said the council could be doing more to communicate with the residents about the development, saying he was not sure how many bedrooms would be in the townhomes.

Mr. Ryan said another thing he thought deserved some attention

from the council is a possible pay-to-play ordinance. Since the arrest of numerous Monmouth County officials, Mr. Ryan said he thinks corruption should be looked at on every level, even in small towns like Lake Como.

Residents have to trust their elected officials in order to be confident that they are making the right decision for the town, said Mr. Ryan.

Working with the council members in a bipartisan effort is a top priority for Mr. Ryan, he said. Mr. Ryan and his wife, Marlene, live on E Street. The couple has no children.

Mr. Ryan moved to Lake Como in 1990.

Councilman Wolfe is a Lake Como resident of 30 years. He is married to Margaret Wolfe. They have a son, Joseph, and two grandchildren.

Councilman Wolfe is also a U.S. Army veteran, who was awarded four Purple Hearts. He is seeking his second term on the council.

Bipartisan cooperation was something the expected Republican nominees touted, as

well.

Mr. Shinn, 53, of North Boulevard, said a main issue the borough faces is the "unfortunate opposition and resistance between parties which continues to hinder community pride and activities."

Mr. Shinn, an 18-year borough resident, said with the name change to Lake Como, the residents have "the opportunity to create more community involvement and pride for all who live here."

"I believe our goal should be to go above and beyond the call of duty in focusing on working together as a whole," said Mr. Shinn.

Mr. Shinn previously served on the council about five years ago, when he was appointed to fill an unexpired term for a few months, he said.

Mr. Shinn has two full-time professions. He has owned United Crane for 35 years and has owned Holistic Health Care on Main Street for the last six years. He also has had his real estate license for 30 years which he uses for his own purchases, rentals and sales.

"I consider myself an independent, self-motivated, positive

thinking business person with much interest in community involvement," said Mr. Shinn when asked about what assets he would bring to the council if elected.

Mr. Shinn said taxes, which are a result of the school district's expenses and the costs of running a small town, is an issue the governing body needs to address.

Mr. Shinn has served as a member of the planning board for 16 years and as a member of the master plan committee. He has been a member of the environmental commission for the past six years and a member of the tourism commission for three years.

The father of three children, Mr. Shinn and his wife are separated. He attended St. Rose High School and over 3,000 hours of professional, trade and vocational schooling.

"I would like to see us reach out and encourage others to share their talents and welcome the thoughts, ideas and efforts of all the residents," said Mr. Shinn.

Political newcomer Ms. Poland,

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## A Glimpse of the Future



Last week Dr. Joseph Louro leveled the existing structures in the 1700 block of Main Street in Lake Como and erected a sign [above] displaying the townhomes to be built in the coming months.

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**Honoring A Life Lost On Sept. 11**



Suzanne Shea, treasurer of the Union Landing Historical Society [above, right], recently accepted a check for \$500 from Frederick Rimmele II and his wife Marilyn for the society's Sept. 11 memorial fund drive. The Rimmele's son Dr. Frederick Rimmele III was killed in the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks on United Airlines Flight 175.

**Brielle board of adjustment approves addition to Holly Hill Drive home**

By Kara Lott

Despite objections from a neighboring homeowner, the Brielle Board of Adjustment Tuesday night voted 6-1 to approve a plan for a rear addition to 610 Holly Hill Dr.

Dr. Caroline Glitzman, who owns the home with her husband Dr. Clint Ferenz, explained they would like the addition for a small office space and to modernize the kitchen in order to accommodate their family of four children.

The couple was asking for a 26-foot rear-yard setback where 40 feet is required. They were also

seeking variances for a gazebo and swimming pool, which their attorney Michael Rubino argued were pre-existing nonconforming conditions on the property.

Frank Hartmann Jr., of 611 Oceanview Road, who was represented at the meeting by attorney Edward Stokes, told the board he opposed the application since the addition could affect the privacy he enjoys in his own backyard, as well as the investments he has made into his home.

He added the Holly Hill Drive home is "towering" over his property and is "already too big."

"I just think they're asking for way too much," Mr. Hartmann stated.

The only board member to vote against the application, John Visceglia, also raised concerns with the dimensions of the proposal.

But other board members said after listening to testimony that they felt the couple had few other

**DeMatthews graduates from Rutgers' U**

David Edward DeMatthews, the son of Lewis and Donna DeMatthews, of Brielle, recently graduated from Rutgers University, Newark, with a grade point average of 3.45.

DeMatthews majored in political science with a minor in urban studies.

He played NCAA Division II basketball for Goldey-Beacom College, Delaware, on an athletic scholarship after graduating from Manasquan High School in 2000.

David was accepted into Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Mass. He will teach history and work as an assistant basketball coach in the Baltimore school system.

options than to add the addition to the rear, despite the large setback request. Board member Terre Vitale said she was "overwhelmed" by the owners' efforts to maintain the integrity of their home and member Dr. Joseph Petrone agreed the couple had done "exhaustive research."

The home was originally built in 1905, according to Dr. Glitzman. She said she and her husband bought the home in the winter of 1991 when she was pregnant with their first child.

Dr. Glitzman said the current kitchen area, located to the rear of the home, was originally used by servants and was last updated in the 1960s.

Dr. Glitzman said she and her husband looked at ways to expand the kitchen without going out in the backyard, but were advised by experts it might not be safe because of the age of the home.

Engineer Ray Carpenter testified there are two principal load-bearing walls in the home that, if removed, could cause the home to collapse.

He said the first wall separates a mudroom from the kitchen, while the other was constructed in the location of a three-story fireplace.

Mr. Carpenter said it could be "opening up Pandora's Box" by removing either of those walls. He added several "well-placed" evergreens would prevent adjacent property owners from even seeing the rear addition.

An architect and professional planner for Drs. Glitzman and Ferenz also agreed the most prudent move would be to expand the kitchen out to the rear.

Planner Andrew Janiw said the plan was actually a benefit to the community since proposed dry wells and other drainage improvements on the lot would prevent runoff from traveling onto other properties.

**Brielle resident to speak on quilt-making at meeting**

Making quilts has traditionally been an art form, as well as a matter of practicality.

Brielle resident Joan Hamelberg will speak on the history of quilting in America and locally at the May 9 meeting of the Point Pleasant Historical Society.

"They were needed for warmth and people did use them," Ms. Hamelberg, a member of the American Quilt Study Group, said of quilts.

Persons of all social standings participated in quilt making. If a quilter was well off, she was likely to be able to afford to make her quilt out of finer fabrics, while someone of modest means would probably use many different kinds of materials, whatever was around.

At the meeting — which is slated to be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Woman's Club, 513 St. Louis

Ave. in Point Pleasant Beach free of charge and open to all — quilts from the Point Pleasant Historical Society's collection will be on display, including one from the 1890s from the Lawrence family.

Photos of members of the family who made the quilt will also be shown. One of those quilts "was taken to Cuba and back, and it looks like it was," Ms. Hamelberg noted.

Among the quilts and related photos she will be bringing will be one from the 1890s made by a Bay Head summer resident. She is also researching several quilts made by local Quakers and is hoping some of those attending the lecture can assist her research.

The Point Pleasant Historical Society can be reached by telephone at 732-892-3091, e-mail at [pphist@worldnet.att.net](mailto:pphist@worldnet.att.net), or by mail at P.O. Box 1273, Point Pleasant Beach, 08742.

**Bayberry Garden Club announces upcoming events**

The Bayberry Garden Club of Brielle will conclude its season with an installation luncheon on June 14 at the Manasquan River Golf Club located on Riverview Drive in Brielle, at 11:30 a.m.

A musical program titled "Ballads and Bouquets" will be presented by John Newman and Mark Cook of Bouquets to Remember.

Tickets are \$30 each and anyone interested can contact 732-288-1024 or 732-223-7680. Also, Brielle Perennial House at 732-528-9070.

On Tuesday, May 10, at 10:30 a.m., the club will meet for its

monthly luncheon meeting at the Curtis House in Brielle.

After the business meeting, the luncheon will be chaired by Edith Nesbitt, who will be assisted by Audrey Gunther, Lyn Vogel, Ottilie Kossack, Elaine Hennessy and Grace Bruder. Mary Lou Bolger will make the table arrangement and Kathy Plumacher will design the mantle. Cathy Shaloo, the president of the club, will give a presentation on ladybugs.

The Youth Gardeners will also be having a plant sale on May 7.

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# Brielle BOE reorganizes

By Mike Gray

The Brielle Board of Education swore in two new board members and two returning members, and reorganized staff and administration personnel for the 2005-2006 school year at a meeting last Wednesday night.

New board members Mark Dellosso and Larry Dunning took the oath of office, along with returning board members Tedd Vitale and Nancy Riordan at the beginning of Wednesday night's meeting. Superintendent Joe Torrone administered the oath and welcomed the new and returning members to the board.

Mr. Dunning was elected to a one-year unexpired term, while the other three board members were elected to three-year terms.

In addition, the board elected a new board president and vice president. Board member David Earickson was nominated by board member Jennifer McGuire as president. In turn, Mr. Earickson nominated Mrs. McGuire as vice-president. Both nominations were supported by the board.

The board of education then set out to reorganize the personnel appointments for the 2005-2006 school year. Superintendent Torrone was appointed as the interim board secretary, public agency contract officer, health plan administrator and the custodian of public records, while Ed Miklus was appointed as interim business administrator.

On the matter of re-appointing board attorney Wayne J. Oppito and auditor Robert A. Holsart, Mr. Dunning suggested the board put out the positions to bid. "I'm not sure what the procedure is, but it's a good idea to take a fresh look at that," said Mr. Dunning.

While Mr. Earickson said he did not recall that ever being done, Superintendent Torrone said it had been done in the past, and it would be possible for an interim committee to solicit bids or find other candidates for those positions. Mr. Earickson noted there was no more pending business with the current auditor, and only one piece of potential business with the current attorney.

Though the positions were approved by the board, Superintendent Torrone reminded the board this is not a permanent appointment, "but in case something comes up, we have someone to go to."

Board president Earickson said a review of the two positions would be delegated to two committees. With this issue cleared up, the appointments were approved.

While the approval of depositories and signatures for school monies, designation of official newspapers, and the re-adoption of the New Jersey School Board Members Code of Ethics were approved without comment, Mr. Dunning questioned the raising of the bid threshold for school utilities, equipment and services from \$17,500 to \$25,000.

Superintendent Torrone explained the increased bid threshold would allow the board

to move quicker on items that are expensive, using the example of the purchase of a tractor.

"And this allows us discreet bidding," said Superintendent Torrone, going on to say that the process of opening a bid to the public can be more costly in both time and money than doing a closed bid between three competitors.

Mr. Earickson also explained the detriments of having to go to public bid. "It's much more efficient for us to go after three bids than go to public bid, and avoid the hearings and having to advertise in the paper. Plus it's quicker for us — much quicker," he said.

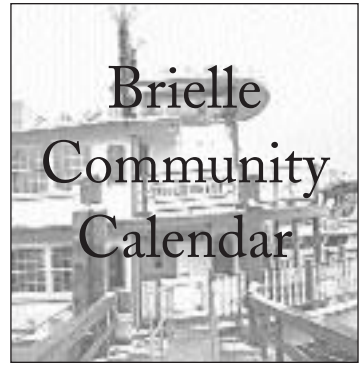
When Mr. Dunning raised concerns over the higher spending a private bid could invite, asking what would stop the school from buying something for \$50,000 without informing the public, board president Earickson explained the bid threshold cannot be raised any further.

"Even going over the \$17,500 limit required state authorization," he said.

With all reorganization items for the 2005-2006 school year approved, however tentatively, the superintendent gave the administration report.

Superintendent Torrone thanked the community for passing the budget during the school elections April 19, which carried a 10.5-cent tax rate increase. "We're looking forward to the next couple

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## Brielle Community Calendar

To submit a calendar listing or Brielle news story, e-mail [klott@thecoaststar.com](mailto:klott@thecoaststar.com)

### Brielle Beach Pictures Wanted

The Brielle Recreation Commission is looking for anyone who has old pictures of "Brielle Beach."

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Brielle Recreation is in the early stages of a possible clean up of the area. Please drop off any pictures at borough hall in care of Brielle Recreation/Marty Quigley.

### Tennis Lessons

The Brielle Parks and Recreation Commission will be offering three different tennis lesson sessions this spring; the first one is already underway.

The second session will begin May 9 and conclude the 20. The third session will begin May 23 and conclude June 2.

Each session will cost \$36.

### Brielle Rec Events

The Brielle Parks and Recreation Commission will hold a trip to New York City on Sunday, May 22 to see "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" on Broadway at 3 p.m.

Tickets for the show are \$109, which includes transportation. For more information, call Laura at 292-0668.

### Scouts Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Brielle Cub Scouts Pack 63 will hold its annual spaghetti dinner on Sunday, May 22 from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Brielle fire house.

Scouts are currently selling \$8 tickets for adults and \$3 for children ages 3 to 11.

For more information, call Jack Tobin at 223-4268.

### Library Programs

Brielle Public Library has announced its children's programs for May as follows:

- Baby storytime series, ages 10 to 23 months, with parent/caregiver, on Thursdays, May 5, 12, 19 and 26, from 11 to 11:30 a.m.

- Toddler storytime series, ages 2 to 3 and one-half, with parent/caregiver, on Tuesdays, May 10, 17, 24 and 31, from 10:15 to 10:35 a.m. or Thursdays, May 5, 12, 19 and 26, from 10:15 to 10:35 a.m.

- Preschool programs, ages 3 and one-half to 5, on Tuesdays, from 11 to 11:30 a.m. or 1:30 to 2 p.m. Half-day kindergartners welcome.

- May 10 — All in the family, stories and fun activities.

- May 17 — Join the K-9 unit of the Monmouth County Sheriff's Office for a live demonstration and discussion of how police dogs aid both the police and the community at 3:30 p.m.

- May 24 — Picnic in the park, stories, games and activities.

- May 31 — By the sea, stories, craft and fun activities.

- School-age programs, grades kindergarten to four, on Tuesdays from 3:15 to 4 p.m.

- May 10 — Family ties, stories and fun activities.

- May 17 — Special presentation with the K-9 unit at 3:30 p.m.

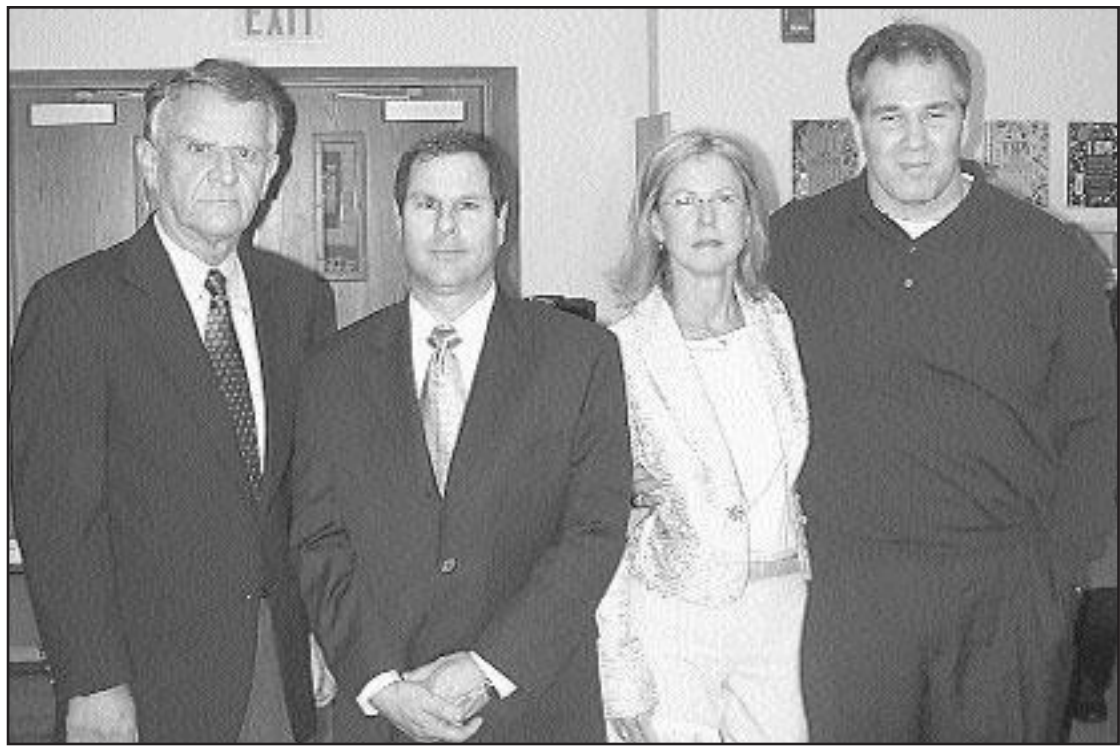
- May 24 — Off to the park, stories, games and activities.

- May 31 — Out to sea, stories, craft and fun activities.

The library is located at 610 South St. For more information, call 732-528-9381.

### Shade Trees Available

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New board members Larry Dunning [above, from left] and Mark Dellosso and returning members Nancy Riordan and Tedd Vitale were sworn in at last Thursday's Brielle Elementary Board of Education reorganization meeting.



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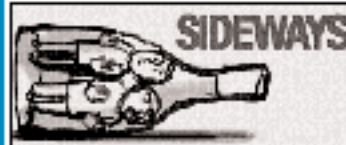
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## Spring Lake Sergeant says thank you to HW Mountz students

By Maura Duffy

Staff Sergeant Randal Habick, of the U.S. Army Reserves, paid a visit to the H.W. Mountz School last Friday afternoon with one mission in mind — to say thank you to the students who corresponded with him and his fellow soldiers while they were stationed at the Guantanamo Bay U.S. Naval Base in Cuba for the past year.

Students from the third, fourth, sixth and seventh grades had been corresponding with the 119 soldiers in Sgt. Habick's unit, the 367th Military Police [MP] Company.

Coordinated by the sergeant's wife, Kathy, and the H.W. Mountz teachers, the students sent letters, care packages and Christmas stockings to Cuba for the soldiers.

"They sent us everything in the world you could think of," Sgt. Habick said about the care packages.

As a Spring Lake resident and H.W. Mountz graduate, Sgt. Habick has a vested interest in the school with two of his four children enrolled there. On his visit Friday, he brought certificates for the classes who sent letters and a flag which previously flew over Camp Delta, the high security prison located at the U.S. Navy base.

"It's where we hold all the bad guys," said the sergeant.

Sgt. Habick explained that his unit provided for the welfare and care of the detainees housed at Guantanamo Bay. He is not allowed to discuss the logistics of his daily activities.

"We really appreciate that we have someone back home thinking about them," said the sergeant while presenting the flag to H.W. Mountz School



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Staff Sergeant Randal Habick [above, left], Spring Lake, of the U.S. Army Reserves, presented H.W. Mountz third grade teacher Suzanne Cisek [top row, from left] fourth grade teacher Ann Marie Callahan, third graders Stephen Smith and Justin Burrus, seventh grade teacher Donna Blair [bottom row, from left] one year-old Tyler Habick, fourth grader Courtney Habick and third graders Sarah Cannon and Chelsea Chinery with certificates thanking them for writing letters and sending care packages to his military unit while they were stationed at Camp Delta on the U.S. Naval Base Guantanamo Bay.

Superintendent William Palmer. He said it was especially nice to hear from the students and receive packages around the holidays in December.

"It would be so nice to get something from home when we were not able to be there [home]," said Sgt. Habick.

Mrs. Habick said for her, a big part of why she stays so active communicating with the soldiers is to keep busy.

"I'm a mother, that's what I do," said Mrs. Habick about why she got involved in the process.

Mrs. Habick serves as the leader of the family readiness group for Sgt. Habick's unit, which consisted of men from over 22 states.

"She really gave us a contact base here [at home in the United States]," said Sgt. Habick about his wife.

There was a need for people to be taken care of, Mrs. Habick said. She did all the planning and coordinating for the families to stay in touch and sent things like

birthday cards to each soldier. Mrs. Habick also planned a large homecoming party for the soldiers for their arrival in mid-April.

Sgt. Habick and his wife have four children, Kristin, 17, Bryan 13, Courtney 10 and Tyler, 17 months.

Sgt. Habick described military life as "rough," saying it has its ups and downs. He said down times are when he is away from home or involved in combat.

When asked what the benefits of military life are, Sgt. Habick said without hesitation it is "the people, the fellow soldiers."

"You make lifelong friends," said Sgt. Habick. "People who would go anywhere with you."

"I can only hope that they feel the same way," Sgt. Habick added.

He also said the regimented lifestyle is a benefit of Army life. "You always know what to expect," he said.

Sgt. Habick joined the Army 18 years ago and served out his time in Germany. During the first war with Iraq he said he was considering joining the U.S. Army Reserves to help out, but by the time he had made a decision the U.S. military was leaving the region.

"It's something I felt I needed to do," he said of joining the Reserves this time around.

"It's a duty that I needed to show my children," he added.

Sgt. Habick described Cuba as hot, dry and desert-like. His advice to fellow soldiers who may be heading there was know that it is not as bad as one would think.

There are beaches, pools and other activities that the Army tries to encourage to relieve stress while serving in Cuba.

While home he will go back to his normal life, and continue serving as a Reservist his one weekend a month and two weeks in the summer.

Sgt. Habick said sometime in the near future his unit is expected to head somewhere overseas. This was all the information he could provide about his coming tours of service.

He recommended keeping in touch with friends and family as much as possible. "If it wasn't for her [his wife] it would have been a much harder life," said Sgt. Habick.

"I needed to say thank you," said Sgt. Habick of his visit to H.W. Mountz.

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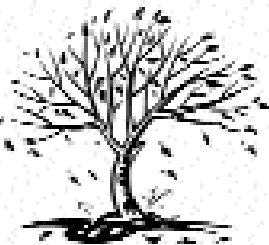
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#### Wine Tasting

On May 11, The Southern Monmouth County Chamber of Commerce will hold a multi-chamber business after-hours wine tasting and networking event at the Atlantic Hotel & Banquet Facility in Spring Lake.

The event offers the chance to taste wines from various regions and sample a premier networking experience. The Chamber asks to come and join them for a tasty nosh, good networking and great fun. For reservations in advance call the Chamber office at 732-280-8800.

#### Sidewalk Sale

The Greater Spring Lake Chamber of Commerce's Annual Sidewalk Sale will be held on Saturday, May 21 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. This year, along with great shopping and bargains, there will be an antique car on display, clowns and balloons for the children, an area on Morris Avenue to meet and learn about local civic organizations and more. For more information contact the Chamber office at 732-449-0577 pr via e-mail at splk.cofc@verizon.net.

#### Art Exhibit

The Spring Lake Library will be hosting an ongoing art exhibit by artist Judy Hughes. The Library asked to please stop in and see the beautiful oil paintings.

#### Art Classes

Local art teacher Debra Stasiak is offering her Great Impressionism classes for students age 6 through 12 and adults in the community.

Children's classes are on Thursdays from 4 to 6 p.m. and the adult classes are on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Both are open to all residents and meet at the Next Level Activity Center on Third Avenue. Adult classes are \$40 per three hour class and the student classes are \$25 per two hour class. All materials are included in the price.

For more information, call Ms. Stasiak at 732-449-9099.

#### Golf Outing

The 11th Annual H.W. Mountz Booster Club Golf Outing will be held on Monday, June 13 at the Spring Lake Golf Club. The day includes an afternoon shotgun start, lunch, cocktails and dinner as well as a raffle and gift auction. The \$250 donation includes all of the above as well as 18 holes of golf, cart and bag drop off services.

There will also be a super 50/50 for \$10 a ticket or \$50 for a booklet of tickets. If interested in the dinner portion of the night, the cost is \$60 per person which includes admission to the gift auction, cocktail hour and dinner.

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# Mayor breaks tie in favor of hiring two full-time DPW employees

By Maura Duffy

"And I will gladly vote yes," said Mayor Thomas J. Byrne as he broke a 3-3 tie and approved hiring two new full-time employees for the borough's public works department Tuesday night.

Councilwoman Janice Venables made a motion to hire the additional workers. However, the governing body was deadlocked after she, along with Councilmen Joseph Erbe and Walter Kimm voted in favor of the new hires, while Councilman Gary Rich, Councilman Brian Reilly and Councilman G. Wayne Patterson voted against the resolution.

Superintendent of Public Works Frank Phillips has petitioned the council twice this year asking for more full-time employees, but the governing body had postponed hiring anyone new while it researched outsourcing services.

The public works staff has decreased from 25 full-time members to 17 full-time staffers, said the mayor.

"He [Mr. Phillips] is stretched out and the town is showing it," said Councilwoman Venables.

Councilman Reilly argued against the measure and said the public works department's duties at the beach and pools are a "self-contained unit" with seasonal staff.

Councilwoman Venables said the summer help is not enough, noting the seasonal employees are hired every year.

"We are not giving Frank any full-time skilled labor," the councilwoman said.

Councilwoman Venables said with projects like the boardwalk extension, the Fifth Avenue improvements and since the public works employees are always "bailing out" the private contractors, the staff is stretched too thin.

This summer's seasonal public works staff is larger than it has ever been before, Councilman Reilly said, adding jobs have been reassigned in the department which will alleviate the strain on public works and give Mr. Phillips more staff.

"We can't go hastily hire two men that we can't keep busy," said Councilman Reilly.

"The public works has made this town what it is," Mayor Byrne said, a remark which drew applause from the crowd.

Resident Pat Barry said what is happening to the town is "heart-breaking."

"Whatever you are doing is wrong," said Ms. Barry to Councilman Reilly. "Your part-timers are not working and you're proud of it," she added.

The mayor and Councilwoman Venables said the public works

department has been reliable over the years and has upheld a high standard of work, like the Wreck Pond bulkhead replacement and the reconstruction of the boardwalk after the storm in 1992.

"We live in Spring Lake, which is probably one of the most affluent towns in the country, and we're running it like we are a bunch of paupers," said Ms. Barry.

Bob Wallace, of the Spring Lake Preservation Alliance, agreed the town was in disrepair because of the lack of work getting done by the public works.

"This town is deteriorating very rapidly and we're losing the battle," said Mr. Wallace.

Although no specific salary was cited in the resolution the council adopted this week, Mayor Byrne said the new employees would likely receive a starting salary of approximately \$35,000 per year.

In other news from the council meeting:

- Residents and members of the business community asked if there was any way for the governing body to place some sort of stop on the development going on at Third Avenue.

- "We represent hundreds of Spring Lake residents who are nervous about not having the downtown," said Cathleen McCusker, a member of the Spring Lake Historical Society, the Spring Lake Preservation Alliance and the Homeowners Association.

- She said recently the groups met and agreed that something needs to be done quickly.

"Yes, we have high property values, but that is on paper," said Ms. McCusker.

Councilwoman Venables said she was waiting to hear back from Planning Board Attorney George McGill about whether it was legal to put a stop on the development.

The councilwoman said Borough Planner John Maczuga had previously informed her that there was no such law for the council to enact in this situation.

"We have known about this for a long time," said resident Helen Motzenbecker. "And in the interim, contracts are being signed, leases are being signed. Something should have been done a long time ago," she added.

A land use meeting is scheduled for 5 p.m. today at borough hall. Two possible ordinances limiting the use on the first floor of Third Avenue buildings will be discussed, officials reported.

- The borough council approved a change order to add no more than \$20,000 to a contract to Valley Painting Inc., allowing the contractor to repair the newly found deficiencies at the water tank on South Boulevard, per the request of Borough Engineer Charles Rooney.

- Mr. Rooney explained while workers from Valley Painting Inc. were sandblasting the water tank, they found the tank was more severely damaged than officials had realized.

- The \$20,000 will go to repairing 39 linear feet of roof seams, the installation of a lap plate to cover corroded steel and to pit and

cover some holes found in the tank floor, reported Mr. Rooney.

- The council was awarded \$100,000 from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs' Sharing Available Resources Efficiently [SHARE] program to implement a shared dispatching service with the Borough of Spring Lake Heights.

- Councilman G. Wayne Patterson said borough officials will meet with officials from Spring Lake Heights tomorrow at 5 p.m. at the Spring Lake Heights Borough Hall in a public meeting to discuss the matter.

- He also thanked Borough Administrator Tom Ferguson for his efforts with the grant application.

- Councilwoman Venables motioned to have the blue light at the first aid station temporarily turned off, which the council passed unanimously.

- The councilwoman and Councilman Reilly plan to meet with the architect involved at the first aid building to seek some solutions to the lighting situation which is, according to residents' complaints, too bright, said Councilman Venables.

- The governing body approved a resolution to reject the bid received for street sweeping services in town, at the request of Councilman Reilly.

- The town is in the process of analyzing how much it would cost to outsource street sweeping services as opposed to having the public works department handle the job.

The one bid the borough received for the proposal came from a company named TCM. The company's bid of \$245,250 was way over the amount the council anticipated. The project will be re-bid, reported Councilman Reilly.

- The borough is considering withdrawing from the Monmouth County Department of Health. The council passed a resolution to notify the county board of health it is looking into other options. The borough is legally required to put the county on notice.

- Michael Burke, the chairman of the environmental commission, wrote a letter to the borough council asking the governing body to support trying a "safe laser" to rid the town of the geese around the lakes.

- Mr. Burke explained the \$950 laser gun would discourage the geese from staying in the area by annoying them with flashes of light. Mr. Burke said the borough can receive a refund if it is not satisfied with the device, and added Middlesex County uses the laser.

- After voicing an overall favor for the laser, the council members asked Mr. Burke to research when would be the best time for the trial period to begin. Once a start date has been determined, the council indicated the matter could be discussed further.

- The council approved a bond ordinance to purchase the body of a new sanitation truck in the

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## Antiquing in Spring Lake



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John Nye [above, left], of Dawson and Nye Auctioneer and Appraisers, was on hand to offer his expertise on the value of antiques to area residents, like Avon local Jim Morrissey [right], at the Spring Lake Historical Society's Evening of Antique Appraisals held recently.

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## Board will hear Second St. application again on May 11

By Maura Duffy

Even after Councilwoman Janice Venables pleaded with her fellow council members to reconsider the plan to subdivide and sell the property located at Second Street and Prospect Avenue, the council voted to send a revised application to the planning board, and introduced an ordinance which, if passed, will give away a 3,600-square-foot piece of borough property.

At the next meeting of the planning board, scheduled for May 11, the borough will present an application which will provide a 35-foot conservation buffer between Black Creek to the property and a 25-foot easement to allow for the installation of water lines on the northern half of the vacated street between the borough-owned property and the neighbor, said Borough Attorney Walter Schoenewolf.

In mid-October, the Spring Lake Planning Board rejected the borough's application to subdivide the much-publicized piece of land, located in the southwest part of town. Mr. Schoenewolf said the conservation buffer was something the planning board was looking for when the plan was originally under review.

The original application, denied by a 4-3 vote, proposed subdividing the property into three lots. Planning board members Rosalind Seaman, Cindy Napp, Colleen Panzini and Michael Burke voted

the application down, citing a lack of evidence showing how the positive criteria outweighed the negative.

If the borough vacates the rights to a paper street listed on the site, then the land in question would be divided between the neighboring property owners — in this case the Borough of Spring Lake and a private homeowner.

Councilman G. Wayne Patterson, a longtime proponent of the plan, said the 25-foot easement will be located within the property the neighboring homeowner will receive, meaning the homeowner will not be allowed to build on that section of the lot.

"I want to restate my original position that I do not think it is necessary to sell this property," said Councilwoman Venables in protest to the course of action.

When the application was denied by the planning board and the borough appealed the denial to Superior Court, the council had the opportunity to reconsider the matter, the councilwoman added. Instead, she continued, the council is selling off borough assets and not doing the right thing with the money.

"We're doing things in this budget that I'm not in favor of," she said, adding any funds generated from the sale of borough property should be used to hire more public works employees or special officers for the beach.

In a letter to the council Roger McLaughlin, the attorney handling the case for the borough, advised sending the revised application back to the planning board instead of going through the appeal system.

"We believe there is a substantial likelihood of success upon return to the planning board at this time," Mr. McLaughlin wrote.

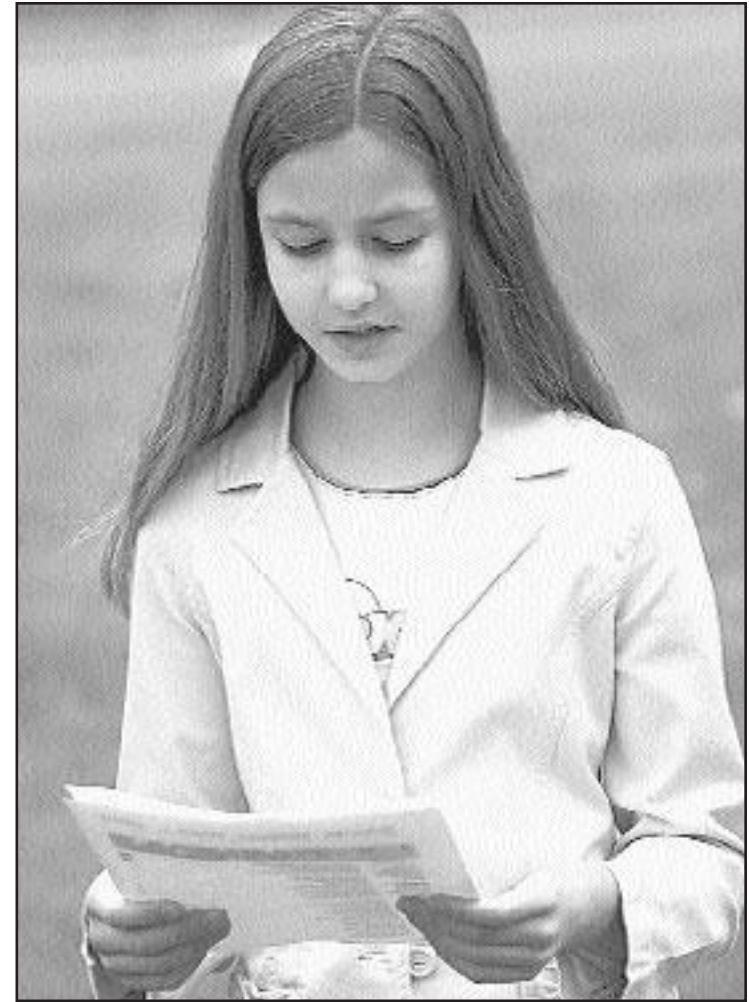
He has argued that vacating the street will create a fundamental difference in the application which will benefit the plan when it is again reviewed by the planning board.

"With this subdivision, we are allowing three more houses to be squeezed in over there [at Black Creek]," said Councilwoman Venables.

Vroom Avenue resident Eleanor Twomey agreed with Councilwoman Venables and asked the council to hold off on making a decision about this property.

Councilmen Gary Rich, Joseph Erbe, Brian Reilly and G. Wayne Patterson disagreed and voted in favor of sending the new plan to the planning board and introducing the ordinance which will vacate the street.

Councilman Walter Kimm abstained from voting and Councilwoman Venables voted against both measures.



SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
H.W. Mountz fourth grader Mattie Maynard [above] read a poem at the 2005 Arbor Day Celebration in Spring Lake.

## Garden Club plants tree for Arbor Day

By Maura Duffy

Friday morning, the H.W. Mountz fourth grade students took a short walk from Tuttle Avenue over to Fourth Avenue for the borough's 2005 Arbor Day Celebration.

The small tract of land east of the railroad tracks between Church Street and Fourth Avenue — a tract of land Councilwoman Janice Venables has been trying to beautify — was where the students were headed to meet the Spring Lake Garden Club President Geri Ruka and Councilman G. Wayne Patterson.

Beginning with the Pledge of Allegiance, the ceremony included the students reading a poem and the book "The Giving Tree" by Shel Silverstein, followed by a message from Ms. Ruka, and a reading of the proclamation and the tree planting.

Every year to celebrate Arbor Day the Garden Club tries to plant a tree somewhere in town where it is needed, said Ms. Ruka.

She said this land — on the border between Spring Lake Heights and Spring Lake — is a section in town that is going to be "rehabilitated," so she foresees the club planting more and more trees and flowers there.

Arbor Day began in 1872 when over 100 trees were planted in Nebraska at the request of J. Sterling Morton. This is the 133rd anniversary of the holiday, according to the borough's proclamation.

She said the land is a "nice, little area," but also "a bit of an eyesore." The club hopes to beautify the area with more vegetation, she said.

Trees can reduce erosion of soil,

moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce oxygen and provide habitats for wildlife, according to the borough's proclamation of Arbor Day.

They serve an environmental purpose and an aesthetic purpose, said Ms. Ruka.

Councilman Patterson said the town has put aside money in the 2005 municipal budget to add curbing and draining to the tract of land. He explained that part of the roadway will be replaced to add the curbing.

Councilwoman Venables has been trying to secure funding for the spot over the last year, in order to make the area nicer.

Other beautification projects the borough is undertaking in the near future are the painting of the gazebo and flagpole, and the replacement of some of the railings at the boardwalk, according to Councilman Patterson.

The council, along with the Friends of the Spring Lake Five group, is also in the process of extending the north end of the boardwalk all the way to the edge of town at the Spring Lake gates. Councilman Patterson said the estimated \$400,000 project is still waiting to hear from the state on the CAFRA permits.

As a safety precaution, the boardwalk extension will allow runners to exit the boardwalk at its widest point, said Councilman Patterson. The extension will stand to the east of the sea wall and the gates, allowing for runners to stay

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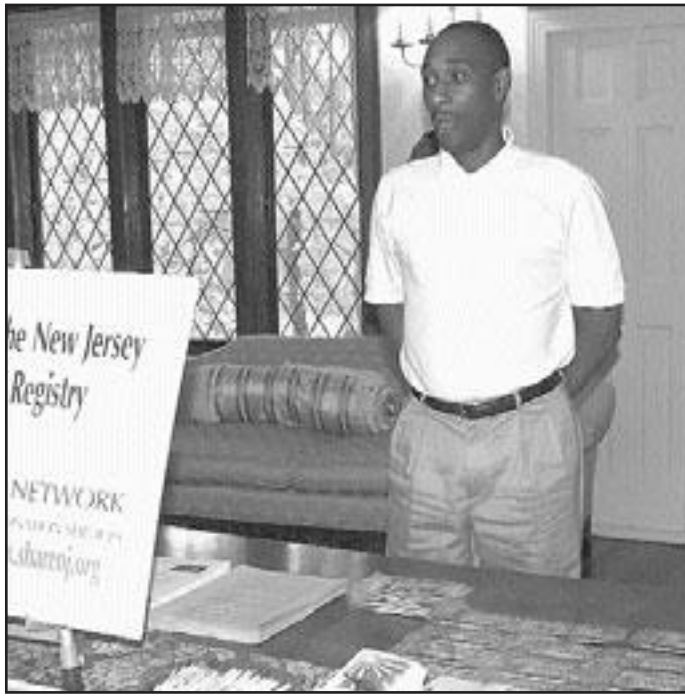
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CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star  
The Woman's Club of Spring Lake Evening Division hosted guest speakers, like Anthony Calloway [above], on Saturday afternoon to discuss the benefits of organ donation. Speakers included organ donors and organ recipients like Mr. Calloway who received a new liver from an organ donor in 2002.

First aid president questions proposed funding cut in 2005 municipal budget

By Maura Duffy

Two weeks after introducing the 2005 municipal budget, Spring Lake Council members found themselves facing questions this week about the amount of funding the spending plan allocated for the local first aid squad.

The council held a budget workshop immediately before Tuesday night's regular meeting to give residents and department heads an opportunity to discuss the budget with the governing body.

Ellen Gannon, president of the first aid squad, asked why the proposed budget would cut the borough's contribution to the squad by 38 percent. The spending plan includes a \$10,000 donation to the first aid squad — the volunteer squad received \$16,200 from the governing body last year.

"We need \$6,000 more than last year, let alone \$6,000 less," said Mrs. Gannon.

She explained the cost of supplies, like oxygen and bandages are rising, and the first aid squad is still getting less from the borough.

"We don't spend any money on anything that's not absolutely necessary," said Mrs. Gannon.

Councilman G. Wayne Patterson, the chairman of the finance committee, called the \$10,000 a "reasonable donation" and pointed out that the first aid squad recently joined the borough's general insurance plan, saving the squad an estimated \$7,000.

On average, the Spring Lake First Squad has an annual operating budget of \$60,000, Mrs. Gannon said. She said the budget is comprised of a combination of donations from Spring Lake, the \$25,000 the squad receives from Spring Lake Heights, and contributions from individuals, residents and community organizations. In addition to serving Spring Lake, the squad also responds to calls in Spring Lake Heights.

"I just can't imagine what we are going to do when you cut our budget \$6,000," said Mrs. Gannon.

Councilwoman Janice Venables said she thinks the squad should at least receive the same amount from the borough as it did last year.

Mrs. Gannon also said it is a misconception that the first aid squad has received the funds from the estate of Madeleine Stockdale.

Although Monmouth County Superior Court Judge Ronald Lee Reisner ruled the first aid squad was the rightful heir of the widow's estate — valued at somewhere between \$6 and \$8 million — the squad has yet to receive a penny since Ronald

Sollitto, a neighbor who was named Mrs. Stockdale's heir in another will, has appealed the decision.

Mrs. Gannon said the squad has not seen any of the money from Mrs. Stockdale's estate and may not for quite some time.

Mayor Thomas J. Byrne noted the first aid squad, like all borough departments, had submitted a budgetary request to the finance committee as it was preparing the 2005 spending plan. He asked why the committee did not meet the squad's request, but also reduced the amount of funding the squad received in 2004 without speaking with squad officials first.

"You have to meet with the department heads," said the mayor.

Councilman Patterson said the town is paying a significant amount of money on bonds which paid for the reconstruction of the first aid building. Mrs. Gannon said that had nothing to do with the operating costs for the squad.

Mrs. Gannon said the squad cannot count on donations for all its financial needs because donations can fluctuate.

"We buy all our equipment every year," said Mrs. Gannon. As an example, she said the squad buys its own ambulances without using taxpayer dollars.

At the end of the discussion, no decision was made about changing the \$10,000 donation to the first aid squad. Mrs. Gannon invited the finance committee members to come and look at squad's records and asked the mayor and council to reconsider what they were giving to the first aid squad.

The budget workshop this week also included discussion of the proposed reduction in the number of special police officers working in the borough this summer.

Mayor Byrne asked if the finance committee had decided to provide any additional funding for special officers and, if not, if that meant patrols of the boardwalk would be limited.

Last year, the police department was allocated \$110,000 for special officers' salaries, but only spent \$84,000, according to Councilman Patterson.

Councilman Patterson said the 14 special officers on staff last year were paid a total \$84,000, so he was not sure why more money would be needed to hire the same number of officers this summer.

Councilman Patterson said he "could not get a straight answer" out of Police Chief Robert Dawson about how he was able to run a 14-member special officer staff last year for \$84,000, but could not do the same this year.

Messages left for Chief Dawson were not returned by press time.

Mayor Byrne asked why the amount of money spent on legal fees jumped from \$82,000 in the 2004 budget to \$132,000.

Councilman Patterson explained the borough actually ended up spending about \$108,000 on legal fees last year. He said the \$108,000 earmarked for legal fees in this year's budget is due to the number of affordable housing issues the borough will be dealing with in the coming year.

"John Maczuga [the borough planner] is working on the nuts and bolts of it, but it all has to be put in a legal document for COAH [Council On Affordable Housing] to approve," said Councilman Patterson.

"I don't think going up \$24,000 is an unrealistic expectation for what we have in front of us," added Councilman Patterson.

When the budget discussion had exceeded the time allotted, Mayor Byrne asked Borough Clerk Mary Anne Coogan to set up a special meeting to continue the budget workshop next week. A date for the workshop had not yet been set at press time.

"We didn't even put a dent in this," said the mayor when scheduling more time to talk about the budget.

Board of Ed looks into making scheduling, curriculum changes

By Maura Duffy

As the 2004-05 school year enters the home stretch, the Spring Lake Board of Education turned its attention this week to changes it hopes to make for the school district's older students starting in September.

The board discussed easing next year's fifth-graders into a middle school environment and changing the math curriculum for the school's seventh- and eighth-grade students.

At the recommendation of Superintendent and H.W. Mountz School Principal William Palmer, the members of the school board reviewed the proposed fifth-grade schedule at Monday night's meeting.

In order to acclimate next year's fifth-graders to a more mature environment, their classes will be "semi-departmental," meaning for one period a day the fifth-graders will receive either science or social studies lessons from an upper grade teacher, said Mr. Palmer.

In some cases, the fifth-grade class will travel to another classroom and sometimes the teacher will come to their classroom, he continued.

"We want them to get used to what class will be like the following year," said Mr. Palmer.

"It's almost as if we're redesigning the fifth grade," said Board President Susan Scribner.

She said the "pilot program" sounds like an "excellent way of matriculating them into a middle school," but wanted to know more of the specifics, for example if the fifth-graders would be using a different textbook or if they would be working from a notebook.

Mr. Palmer said an outline of the changes could be drawn up for the board members' review.

The board also discussed Mr. Palmer's recommendation to alter the seventh- and eighth-grade math classes to include a daily 61-minute math lesson. Currently, the seventh- and eighth-graders' math lessons are 41 minutes long.

Similar to the 80-minute double-period language arts block the seventh- and eighth-graders have now, the superintendent said the math block will give the students more time with the subject. Although he said the double-period program has worked well in language arts classes, Mr. Palmer said he does not feel an entire two periods of math is necessary.

"The math would not be served well with the double period," said Mr. Palmer about keeping the program to 61 minutes.

The students will use individualized computer programs during the extra time in the math class, said Mr. Palmer.

"We definitely want to put more time in for math," said board member Anne Kennett.

The extra time for math lessons will likely be taken away from what Mr. Palmer called "specials," like computers and Spanish.

"We think that it's going to make a world of difference," said Mr. Palmer.

The scheduling in grades kindergarten through fourth grade will remain the same for the 2005-06 school year, said the superintendent.

In other news, Board Administrator Debra Allen said the funds were in place for the

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## Domestic dispute in car turns to foot chase

On Tuesday, May 3, at 6:30 p.m., Wall Township Police responded to a reported domestic dispute occurring in a motor vehicle in the area of Rt. 71 and Seventeenth Avenue.

Prior to arrival, police learned that Phillip L. Thrasher, 27, of Webb Avenue, Asbury Park, had

exited the vehicle and was walking east towards Lake Como. Upon arrival, responding Lake Como officers Sgt. Lakas and P.O. McCormack stopped Mr. Thrasher and during the interview that followed observed the defendant attempting to discard a Controlled Dangerous Substance, which was later found to be cocaine.

A struggle ensued between Mr. Thrasher and police, with the suspect assaulting police. Following a brief foot chase ending in the 200 block of Walling Avenue, the defendant continued to resist arrest, assaulting the officers further before being taken into custody and transported to the Wall Police Department for processing.

Mr. Thrasher was criminally charged with Aggravated Assault on a Police Officer, Resisting Arrest, and Possession of a Controlled Dangerous Substance. \$1,586 was also seized from the defendant for narcotics violations.

Bail was set by Judge Evan Broadbelt at \$30,000 with no 10 percent option.

Mr. Thrasher was transported to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution in lieu of bail.

Ptl. S. Powers and K9 Arras conducted the investigation.

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## Rainfall causes rocks, mud to slide onto Route 18

Wall Police responded last Wednesday to Route 18 southbound, near the Brighton Avenue exit, at roughly 4:36 p.m. after motorists reported mud and rocks sliding down a hill onto the roadway, authorities said.

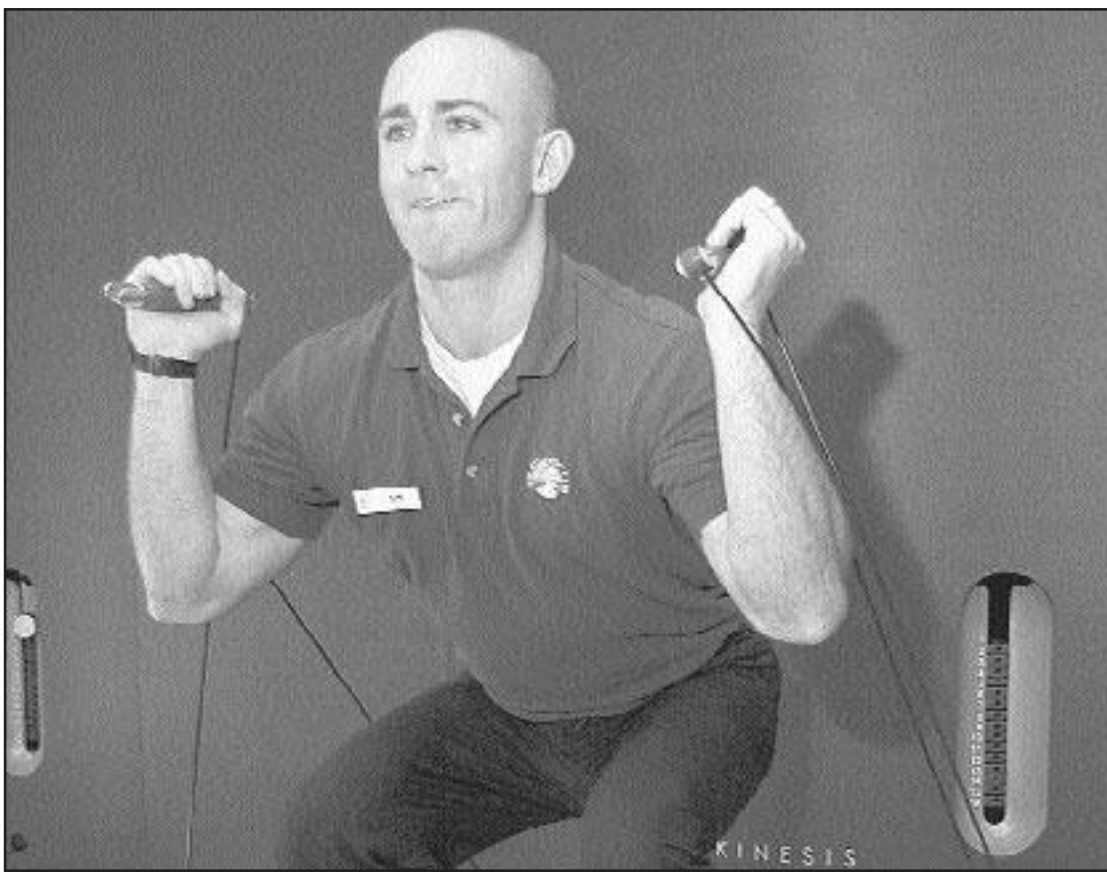
The condition was caused by heavy rains, police said. Traffic was directed around the debris. Township police and the public works department responded to the scene.

No injuries or accidents were reported in relation to the incident. The condition reportedly originated from a hill at the end of Stines road, near Rose Hill Park.

Sandbags were used at the top of the hill to stop the mud and rocks from sliding down the hill.

Traffic was backed up onto Route 18 south into Neptune Township for approximately 45 minutes, authorities reported.

## Wall Township



SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
Instructor Tim O'Neill [above] demonstrated a Kinesis movement at The Atlantic Club's unveiling of its new Kinesis studio last week.

## The Atlantic Club debuts new exercise system on East Coast

By Maura Duffy

This past week, The Atlantic Club, one of the nation's premier fitness facilities, introduced the Eastern seaboard to a new movement in the world of mind and body exercise with the grand opening of the facility's two Kinesis studios.

Kinesis, "the Movement Revolution," is a fitness practice focusing on strength, balance and flexibility that allows the body to move freely in a three-dimensional manner.

"Kinesis is the future. It is designed by the movement of the body," said Claudio Bellini, the President of Technogym USA, the company which introduced the Italian exercise system of Kinesis to the United States.

"The system has a tri-dimensional effect, not a linear effect like a traditional machine," added Mr. Bellini.

The Fitness Director of The Atlantic Club in Red Bank, which also opened a Kinesis studio last week, and Kinesis Specialist Ed Hulit, echoed the same explanation as Mr. Bellini.

"The system allows for 360 degrees of movement," said Mr. Hulit. "It is designed to do whatever movements you want to do."

Kinesis uses full gravity technology with a three-dimensional pulley system, said Mr. Hulit.

There is a wall in the Kinesis Studio lined with pulleys and cables that are attached to certain weights to create resistance.

The system makes the person ground themselves and keep a core to center themselves, said Mr. Hulit. After establishing a core, a person simply follows a certain regiment of movements to work his or her muscles, the fitness director explained.

"It's really the next level of resistance training," said Mr. Hulit.

The application of the program is far reaching, he added.

"The real benefit of Kinesis is that it deals with real movement, the movement of every day life," said Mr. Hulit.

When someone lifts groceries, or picks up a child, or rakes the yard, these are all movements that are replicated in Kinesis training. They are movements that are strengthened in Kinesis training, according to the fitness director.

"It applies full gravity to your range of movements," said the fitness director.

The level of resistance increases on a weight system, but it is not equated in pounds, said Mr. Hulit.

"You train in movement, not in exercise," said Mr. Hulit.

"It's a more efficient mode of exercise," said the fitness director. "It burns more calories. It helps with joint range. It gets your heart rate up," said Mr. Hulit about the many benefits of the Kinesis workout.

"It creates a new training experience, improves balance, flexibility and strength and it engages the mind and body," said the fitness director.

The whole Kinesis system creates a positive, calming environment, explained Mr. Hulit.

As opposed to a sometimes intimidating weight room, the atmosphere in the Kinesis studio is welcoming and relaxing.

The programs are designed as 30-minute workouts, as opposed to the usual hour that most classes last.

The neutral-colored studio has a waterfall and soothing music playing in the background. The Kinesis wall with the pulleys and

cables is a curving wood with a polished finish. All of these features add to the mind and body experience, said Mr. Hulit.

"It is not machine based. It is based on the human body," said Kevin McHugh, the Vice President of Marketing and Sales at The Atlantic Club.

"It is a strong workout. The idea is that it is about the person, not about the workout," said Mr. McHugh.

The important element is that for the first time, the equipment is supported by the individual as opposed to the individual being supported by the equipment, explained Mr. Hulit.

The human becomes the machine in a way. A person must pull in and tighten their abdominal and back muscles. They must keep a stable center, additionally working out the core of the body, like the stomach and chest muscles, said the fitness director.

Another large aspect and feature of the Kinesis system is sports training, Mr. Hulit explained.

With such a large and limitless range of motion, a tennis player can practice the motion of his or her swing and build strength while doing so, said Mr. Hulit.

Athletes who play tennis, golf, baseball and many other sports will be able to practice on the Kinesis wall, said Mr. Hulit.

The workout gives you a completely different feeling and people appreciate a different way to train, said Mr. Bellini.

Mr. Bellini said The Atlantic Club was a premier location to introduce Kinesis on the east coast because it is a club with sophistication and members of all ages.

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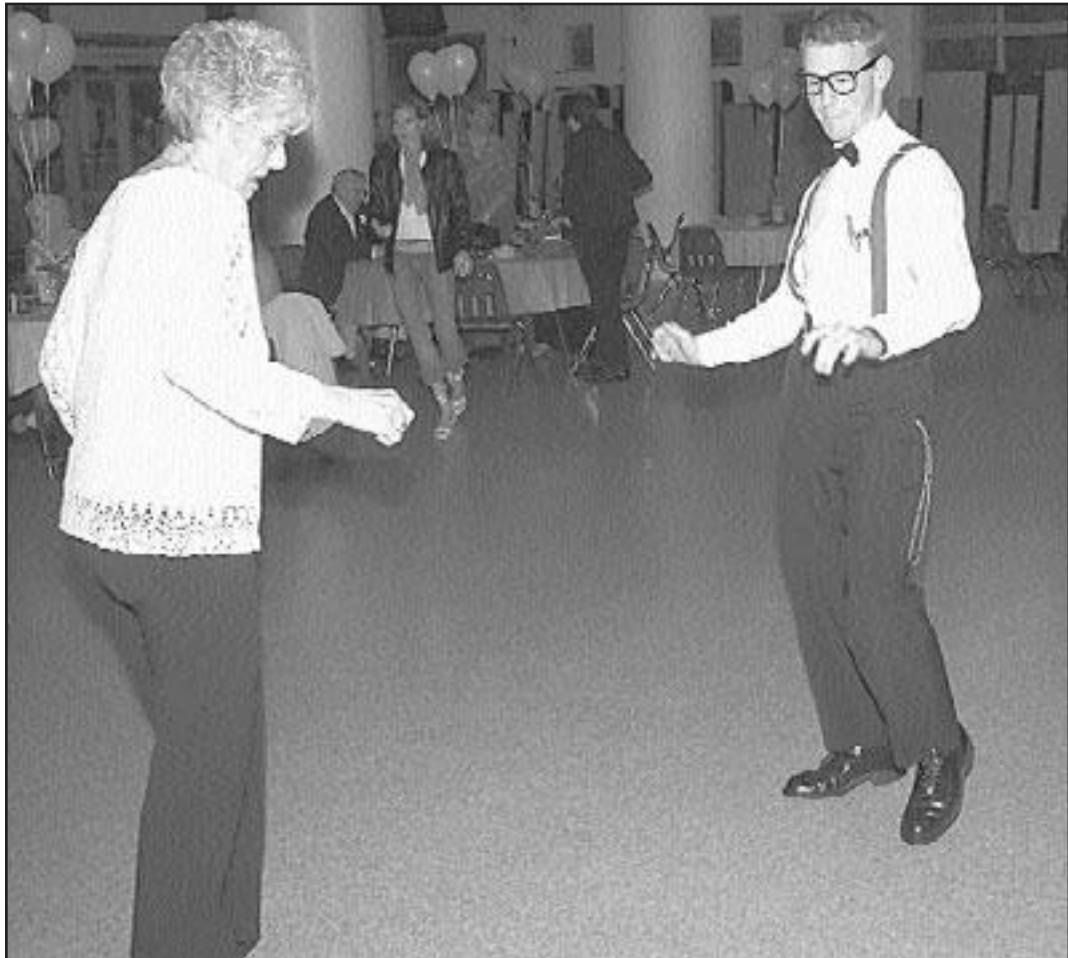
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Dancing The Night Away



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star  
The New Jersey ROTC of Wall Township High School Booster Parents threw a "Senior Prom" this past weekend on Saturday night at the high school. With help from the cadets, like Josh Barnick [above, right] the event recreated a high school prom complete with punch, corsages and tuxedos. Seniors like Marge Krupin [left] shared in the fun.

Children learn about health through survey

Delivering industry updates to healthcare executives is the meat and potatoes of the Wall Township-based Healthcare Intelligence Network's (HIN) business, executives there say. But this week, HIN expanded its customer base to include a new market share: youngsters participating in the nationwide "Take Your Daughters and Sons to Work Day."

With parental guidance, the children of HIN employees electronically quizzed their peers about their knowledge of the new "MyPyramid" food guidelines, issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

"We periodically survey our clients on the latest healthcare trends to determine their information needs," said Melanie Matthews, the executive vice president of HIN. "We thought it would be interesting to have our children do the same thing, while giving them a chance to learn about healthy lifestyles and options."

Mrs. Matthews was joined at the office Thursday by her daughter Rebecca, 5, and the children of

other employees, including Corina Collins, 7, Lakewood; Nora Donovan, 10, of Manasquan; Brittany Keifer, 12, of Point Pleasant; and 10-year-old Eric Kosinski, of Wall Township.

The online survey, which was e-mailed to 20,000 HIN customers, included questions on eating healthy and MyPyramid, the USDA's overall food guidance system that emphasizes the need for a more individualized approach to improving diet and lifestyle.

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District being 'overly cautious' by reporting all incidents to police

By Jerry Kimbrough  
Administrators in the Wall Township school district are not reporting each and every minor incident to police as a way of thumbing their noses at the governing body, Superintendent Dr. James Habel said this week.

Rather, he said, administrators are simply being "overly cautious."

Due to the current climate between the district and the township committee, which slammed the board of education in March for allegedly failing to report crimes and criminal activity to police in a timely manner, or sometime not at all, administrators are being careful to report each occasion in which they run up against an incident that could be construed as criminal.

"Quite honestly, I don't think what we're doing right now ... is good for the district, good for the teachers, and certainly not good for the kids," Dr. Habel said.

The township committee had blasted the school district in a scathing statement, claiming the school district covered up several incidents of criminal activity in the district over a roughly two-year period. The board of education later posted a response to those allegations denying the claims.

Last week, police responded to calls to the schools that could be construed as minor or insignificant. One dealt with a salad that had been stolen from the cafeteria at Wall Intermediate School on April 26. Another call on the same day was about a 9-year-old student who threw a ball at another student's head, with no resultant injuries. Police were also told

about an incident in which a girl splashed water on a classmate after she was splashed with soap.

Some of the items reported to police, though, were significant — such as one that occurred April 27 at Wall Intermediate School, where a teacher found someone had placed a pornographic video clip on her computer without her prior knowledge. In another incident April 26, three Wall High School students reported a private bus company driver had made bias remarks to a pedestrian crossing in front of the bus.

The township's attorney said this week the governing body has no problem responding to calls for assistance from Wall schools, regardless of their perceived importance or severity.

"The township committee and our police department would much rather have a lot of insignificant matters reported to our police department than have even one serious case go unreported," Township Attorney Roger McLaughlin said.

Mr. McLaughlin said the township committee has consistently said it believes the school system's teachers are "first-rate."

"We have full confidence that they [the teachers] understand the difference between an abused child and a missing salad. Perhaps Dr. Habel does not have the same confidence," he said.

Dr. Habel contends, though, that it's better for school administrators to err on the side of caution.

"It never hurts to notify," he said. He said administrators report each incident that could be seen as

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The Wexford's Best Friend



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Residents Shirley Craig [above, from left] and Carol Seaman of The Wexford at Wall Township assisted living facility, enjoyed the company recently of one of the residence's most popular visitors — Beau, a shiloh shepherd that visits once per week for pet therapy.

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## Wall Township Residents question low income rentals

**By Bill Miller**  
Approximately 24 residents packed the Wall Township Committee Workshop meeting last Wednesday with concerns about a proposal to install low-income rental units in the midst of Walling Avenue and Adams Street.

Fred Weiss, of 2920 Adams St., said he was concerned about the adjacent lot at 2918 Adams St. being proposed for one of the township-owned Mount Laurel low-income rental units. Mr. Weiss said he represented a group of residents on Adams Street and Pacific Avenue.

"We feel our neighborhood is congested enough," said Mr. Weiss, who added the lot for the proposed low-income unit is smaller than a typical lot in the zone. He added there are 18 children living on the street.

"This is ill-advised," said Mr. Weiss.

"We're not wild about this idea either," said Mayor Ned Thomson.

He said the low income rental units are being proposed as part of the township's second round of Mount Laurel obligations, so named because of a 1975 state Supreme Court decision that called for the municipality of Mount Laurel — as well as all other towns in the state — to provide affordable housing. He said the township has a four-unit deficiency that must be filled.

Mayor Thomson said the bor-

ough prefers to use lots that it owns for ownership units rather than rental units, but had to make a proposal on the rental units.

"We are using this as a stopgap measure to ward off the court while we work on many other options," said Mayor Thomson.

Township Attorney Roger McLaughlin said the committee needs another 30 days as it negotiates another option for the four units, which would not be in the type of residential area currently proposed. Mr. McLaughlin declined to comment on where the committee is negotiating to put the units.

He said the municipality had to demonstrate that it could fill the gap, which is why it named the sites it did, however, he said this does not lock the municipality into using those sites.

Mr. McLaughlin said the municipality keeps these "scattered site" lots that it owns in various residential neighborhoods to meet its Mount Laurel obligations, although the preference is to use them for ownership units. He said

the municipality will not sell these lots to adjacent property owners as there will be a third round of Mount Laurel obligations to comply with.

"It is not our first choice to act as a landlord. Ideally we would want these in one location," said Mayor Thomson.

Township Administrator Joseph Verruni said the township thought it found an alternative location for the sites on Route 34, however, the courts rejected that location because of the traffic volume on the highway.

Eileen Ziesmer, of Walling Avenue, said many of the residents would not be as upset about ownership units on their street. She said with rental units the concern in there would be a turnover in tenants every few months, and the tenants would not maintain the property.

"A lot of us would feel profoundly different about ownership," said Ms. Ziesmer.

Mr. McLaughlin reiterated the township is working to find another location for the rental units.

"We are very hopeful this new alternative will work out," he said.

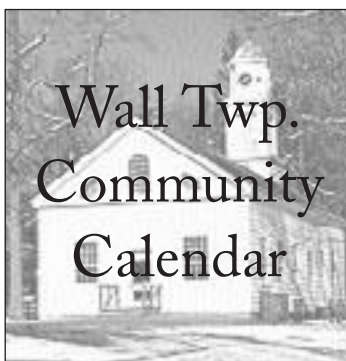
In other news from the committee meeting, Mr. Verruni informed the committee of a notification from the Monmouth County Park System about an extension of deer hunting in the Shark River area.

He said currently, hunting is allowed in the Tinton Falls and Neptune areas of Shark River. He said the proposed extension would allow bow hunting along Wall's Route 18 border, east of Remsons Mill Road.

He said the standard regulations for bow hunting would be in effect, along with an additional restriction preventing minors from participating in the hunt. He said normally individuals 16 and older may hunt. He said the expanded hunting was being proposed to deal with an excess doe population this year.

Mr. Verruni said there have been some complaints from residents in the area about the hunting extension, but that ultimately it is the county's decision.

Wall Twp.  
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Calendar



To submit a calendar listing or Wall Township news story, e-mail [wall@thecoaststar.com](mailto:wall@thecoaststar.com)

### Blood Drive

The Southern Monmouth Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a blood drive today, May 5, from 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Garrow Family Chiropractic, in the Sea Girt Mall. All donors will receive free chair massages from Ginny Knust and a gift basket compliments of Garrow Family Chiropractic. Call 732-223-1990 to reserve a time slot.

### Senior Day

Wall will host senior health screenings at the municipal building from 9 a.m. to noon May 14. Admission is free. There will also be food and prizes. For more information, call Dr. Tony Carrow at 732-223-1990.

### Business Expo

On May 17, the Southern Monmouth Chamber of Commerce will hold its Annual 2005 Business Expo at the newly renovated Spring Lake Manor, in Spring Lake Heights, for area businesses to display their services and products, and for the general public to attend and enjoy. The SMCC is based out of Wall Township.

For the fourth year in a row, one of the highlights of the event will be a fashion show with SMCC members as models. The theme will be "Build Your Business." Prizes will be awarded continuously throughout the expo. Reservations to exhibit are still being accepted. Call the SMCC's office at 732-280-8800 for more information.

### Movie Night

The Calvary Presbyterian Church, located at Allenwood and Atlantic avenues, will be hosting a free movie night on Friday, May 27 beginning at 7:30 p.m. featuring the film "Hanged on a Twisted Cross: The Life and Martyrdom of Dietrich Bonhoeffer."

### Caregivers Support

A caregivers support group meets at the Allaire Senior Day Center on the last Monday of each month, at 3 p.m. Call Cheryl Fenwick at 732-974-7666 for more information.

### Food Pantry

God's Pantry at Shore Christian Center Church, 4041 Squankum Road, Allenwood, is open after every service on Thursday nights and Sunday mornings. Those with a temporary need for food are invited come to a service, hear a life-changing message, and receive a coupon to redeem for groceries following the service. Call 732-938-4353 for service times and information.

### Roll The Bones



Local residents tried to avoid rolling "snake eyes" — or two ones, usually considered an automatic loss in the game of craps — at the Wall Sunrise Rotary Club/Wall Pop Warner Casino Night, held last Friday at the Barclay in Belmar.

### Volunteers Put Finishing Touches On Park



Volunteers from the Wall Township Policemen's Benevolent Association [PBA] Local No 234 including Todd Verrecchia [above, from left], Bob Brice and Pete Lawkerson spent Saturday putting the final touches on a face lift for Brice Park, which recently received new playground equipment due to the fund-raising efforts of the PBA. The park is named after the late-Wall Police Lieutenant Robert L. Brice and was originally dedicated in May 1973 following his death in December 1971. Lt. Brice was a beloved member of the Wall Township Police Department and represented the hallmark of selfless service to the Wall Township Community, police officials said.

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**Chic Guarino [above, left] and her dance partner, Bob White, took advantage of the "Senior Prom" by sharing a dance. The event was hosted by the cadets of the NJ ROTC of Wall Township High School and the group's booster parents this past Saturday night.**

**Pride of Wall Seniors sets luncheon for June**

The Pride of Wall Seniors now has a membership 220 strong, and will be hosting its annual spring luncheon June 8.

All paid members can buy tickets at the May 3 and May 24 meetings.

The speaker for the May 3 meeting is Assemblyman Sean Kean, who will talk about Social Security, prescription plans and taxes, as well as any other interests senior citizens may have. A representative of the SPCA will speak at the May 24 meeting on

topics involving animals.

It was announced at the April 19 meeting that on June 21, Pride of Wall Seniors will honor all members who are 90 years of age or older. All members, past or present, are urged to contact Elaine Doyle, the membership chairwoman, at 732-528-1780, so the group's list can be updated and so no 90-year-old or older members are overlooked.

The group meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month, except for July and August, at the municipal building, Allaire Road. Wall residents 55 or older are welcome to attend. Dues are \$5 per person.

Refreshments are served at 11:30 a.m. and the meeting begins at 12:30 p.m.

**Police in Wall arrest men on drug charges**

Wall Township authorities arrested two 24-year-old Toms River men on drug possession charges last weekend, police said.

At about 1:55 a.m. last Sunday, police stopped a motor vehicle for having a brake light out while traveling on Route 138 west, in the Route 18 area. On-scene investigation led to the arrest of Robert Dosil Jr. and Joseph Galucci for possession of cocaine, possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

They were also charged with having an open bottle of alcohol in the vehicle. Bail was set at \$2,000 for both men.

**Atlantic Farms employee charged with sexual assault**

By Jerry Kimbrough

Authorities on Friday arrested Long Branch resident John A. Tobia, the father of Wall Committeeman John W. Tobia, on charges the 67-year-old retired police officer committed a sexual act with an underage youth last year.

"This was continuous. It happened more than once," Monmouth County Prosecutor John Kaye said Tuesday. Documents show an incident of sexual assault occurred in March 2004, but the prosecutor did not have a list of other dates available when abuse occurred.

The girl is under 13 years old, and was identified by prosecutors as a relative of the elder Tobia's.

The elder Tobia was charged with one count of aggravated sexual assault, a first-degree crime punishable by up to 20 years in prison, and one count of endangering the welfare of a child, a third-degree crime.

"Myself, my mom, and my brother — we are having nothing to do with him," said Committeeman Tobia. "Basically, he's on his own in this. It's devastat-

ating to the family."

The elder Tobia helped his son out on the farm, and was doing so as early as last week, his son said.

"He has been barred from any contact with our family and residences, including Atlantic Farms," Committeeman Tobia said. "He will no longer be allowed on the premises."

Committeeman Tobia has reached out to Wall Township Police and has briefed Chief Roy Hall on the matter. The committeeman will pursue a restraining order against his father, if necessary, he said.

The elder Tobia is a former Long Branch police officer who retired in 1986, Committeeman Tobia said. He served in the department for 25 years, as a patrolman, serving as a traffic safety officer for 11 of those years.

He also worked for the Monmouth County Division of Traffic Safety Engineering, as chief of traffic maintenance operations, after his 1986 retirement from the Long Branch police force. He retired from the county position in 2002.

"These crimes must be prosecuted. And we are going to cooperate with the Long Branch Police Department and the Monmouth County Prosecutors Office to whatever extent is necessary," the committeeman said.

Those two agencies, he added, deserve a great deal of praise for the professional and thoughtful manner in which they dealt with the case, he said.

A Monmouth County judge set bail last Friday at \$150,000. The prosecutor's office consented to a request from the elder Tobia's attorney, Charles Uliano, to reduce bail to \$50,000, Mr. Kaye said. Mr. Uliano, a West Long Branch lawyer, did not return phone calls seeking comment by press time.

The elder Tobia had not posted bail as of yesterday afternoon, according to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution, Freehold. His son said neither he nor his immediate family members plan to bail him out.

Wall Township Police Det. Lt. Gerald Ihnken refrained from commenting on the matter. Long Branch Police Lt. Bruce Johantgen referred all comments to the prosecutor's office.

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## Spring Lake Heights

# Science teacher to retire after nearly 30 years in the classroom

By Matt O'Brien

For 22 years, Spring Lake Heights Elementary School students have been accustomed to learning their science Ps and Qs from teacher Richard Muhlenbruck.

Once the current school year comes to a close, the longtime science teacher will be hanging up his lab coat for good.

"I felt it was time for someone with new ideas and new techniques in science to be teaching," he said about what led to his decision to retire. "I was just too entrenched in the methods that brought me some degree of success."

With 29 years of teaching under his belt, including a seven-year stint at Brielle Elementary and 22 years in Spring Lake Heights, Mr. Muhlenbruck developed a hands-on approach to introducing students to the world of science.

Mr. Muhlenbruck, 55, said he substituted textbook learning with hands-on experiments that would capture the attention, and hopefully the interest, of young minds.

Any scientific concept or law that can be demonstrated in the classroom was part of the curricu-

lum, he said.

Mr. Muhlenbruck said as a boy one of his own science teachers, Nick Zedlovich, used a similar hands-on approach in his classroom.

"All his lessons were through visual hands-on experience. He would then verbally quiz us on what we were seeing," Mr. Muhlenbruck said. "When I decided to become a science teacher [I decided I] would do exactly the same."

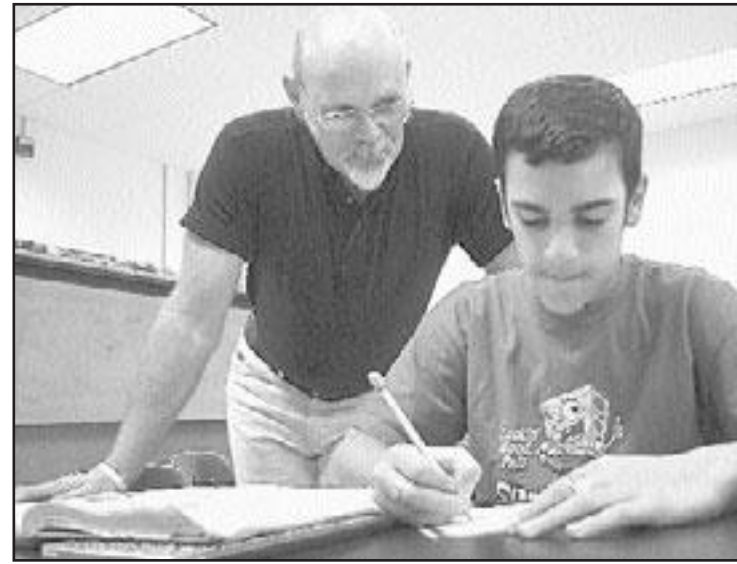
And indeed he did.

The Flushing, Queens native originally wanted to become a New York City police officer like his father. However, life threw Mr. Muhlenbruck a curve. The city youth went blind in one eye, which disqualified him from becoming a police officer.

"I still wanted to serve the public and make an impact rather than make a lot of money," he said.

He said he felt teaching would allow him to make the impact he desired.

While growing up in Flushing his interest in teaching and science blossomed when he would venture off to the world famous museums



SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star

Spring Lake Heights Elementary School science teacher Richard Muhlenbruck (above, left) has decided he will retire at the end of the school year. Mr. Muhlenbruck has worked with Spring Lake Heights students, such as David Atillio, for 22 years.

in Manhattan and the Bronx Zoo.

"That was my science lab as a kid," Mr. Muhlenbruck said of the huge museum halls. "We would just roam the halls of the museums and absorb as much information as we could."

His parents always had books and magazines lying around the house, which he said help foster his interest in the academic world.

"We grew up on a policeman's salary, but we always had a steady supply of good books and magazines," he said.

After graduating from high school Mr. Muhlenbruck attended the City University of New York where he graduated in 1974 after completing a double major in physical education and science.

While in college he worked late into the night at JFK Airport servicing airline jets. He fueled the planes, handled baggage, and cleaned up the planes. In between flights, when there was not much work to be done, he spent time

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## Commission starts review of state stormwater policies

By Matt O'Brien

The Spring Lake Heights Environmental Commission will begin to review state-mandated stormwater management ordinances that must be implemented by the borough within the next year.

During Monday evening's meeting, public works superintendent Art Hemer, who now sits on the commission, said the state require-

ments are "minimal standards" and that the borough would exceed some of the laws.

The most pressing issues the ordinances target are stormwater runoff pollution conditions, Chairwoman Mary Beth McKnight said.

The commission will begin to review the laws that affect housing,

See POLICIES, page 36

## Windsor Terrace applicants may another floor to home

By Matt O'Brien

A Windsor Terrace couple received approval to build a second-floor addition onto their home from the Spring Lake Heights Board of Adjustment last Thursday evening.

Gerald and Elaine Donaty were seeking side-yard and front-yard setbacks as well as lot coverage variances to increase the living space of their home.

The 50-year-old one-and-one-half story, two-bedroom Cape Cod style home was proposed to be increased to a two-and-one-half story, four-bedroom Colonial-style home that would accommodate the Donatys growing family, the applicant's attorney, Michael Rubino, said.

One hardship the applicants had while developing design plans for the home was the difficulty of trying to conform with the undersized lot dimensions, architect Ronald Rheume said.

He noted the 50-foot-wide lot was undersized according to the zoning regulations and that the home's footprint could not be increased.

"The only way to add is to go up," Mr. Rheume said.

The 930-square-foot home violated a five-foot side-yard setback. The pre-existing condition encroached on the property line by 2.8 feet, Mr. Donaty said.

The Donatys also wanted to build a 5-foot-wide porch, which attributed to the front-yard setback violation. The front of the home measured 28.5 feet from the curb, where

30 feet is required, board members said.

Mr. Rubino said the proposed increase in the home's size would not affect the air and light conditions between the neighboring homes because of the way they were "angled off."

Mr. Donaty said he discussed the plans with his southern and northern neighbors who expressed their approval and had no problem with the plans.

The Donatys also sought a lot coverage variance of 28.4 percent, where 25 percent is allowed.

Board members looked favorably on the Donatys' decision to remove a concrete porch on the northern side of the home that would have increased the lot coverage, board engineer Lou Lobosco said.

Board member Dennis Pearsall asked fellow board member Joseph Zach — who was familiar with the neighborhood — if all the other lots on the block were undersized.

Mr. Zach said yes, most of the lots were undersized, which underscored the reason why the Donatys were seeking the variances.

"We should approve this ... It would be a substantial improvement to the neighborhood," Mr. Zach said. "I walk by there every day."

Mr. Pearsall said he approved the application with "reservations."

He explained the couple should have taken into consideration the room they needed for their growing family when they purchased the small home a year ago.

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## Spring Lake Heights

## Community says good-bye to journeyman Henry King

By Matt O'Brien

Spring Lake Heights resident Henry Brazell King, who led the United States Brewers Association for more than two decades, was named a Knight of Malta by Pope John Paul VI, won the prestigious George Foster Peabody Award for a radio program he hosted and was a long-time member of the local American Legion Post 432, died Tuesday, April 16 after a long bout with cancer.

He passed away less than a month after celebrating his 84th birthday.

Mr. King had led a life full of achievement, but his most cherished and proud accomplishment was his family.

"He was proud of his family," said his son Gregory King. "He reveled in the company of his children and their spouses."

Mr. King was the father of 17 children and grandfather of 38 grandchildren.

"He is going to be missed. He did a lot of good in the world," Dr. Michael Cahill said, who had known Mr. King for 20 years.



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

**Pallbearers carried Henry Brazell King's flag-draped casket [above] into St. Catharine's Church in Spring Lake on Saturday. Friends and family turned out to pay their last respects to the 84-year-old Spring Lake Heights resident who was the father of 17 children, 38 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.**

The journeys Mr. King made in his life found him crossing paths with many prominent people, such as Presidents John F. Kennedy, Ronald Reagan, Senator Hubert Humphrey and Pope John Paul VI

while traveling as far as the south Pacific and South America.

Gregory said his father's remarkable experiences in World War II had given him the courage to accept the many challenges he would confront over time.

The Philadelphia native had enlisted with the U.S. Navy in 1942 where he served as a gunnery officer aboard an amphibious landing craft.

As a 21-year-old, he was subject to 13 bombing attacks and other hostile fire from Japanese aircraft in the battle of Vella Lavella of the Solomon Islands.

"Having been shot at, without success, he was as a result fearless and willing to take risks," Gregory said.

He won the Silver Star Award for his actions in World War II.

Mr. King was also awarded a Purple Heart and 14 combat decorations while serving in the Pacific.

His amphibious landing craft carried future President John Kennedy and the crew of PT 109 back to base after the ship was smashed in half. Mr. King gave his bunk bed to President Kennedy on the return journey.

In December 1944, he married Otilie Rosina Sandrock of New York, who predeceased him in 1979. They had 15 children during 34 years of marriage.

He and his wife were among the founders in the 1950s of the Christian Family Movement and the Cana Conference Movement.

"He had a real strong commitment to the faith," Gregory said.

For his involvement in the Christian movement and other humanitarian activities in South America, Mr. King was named as a Knight of Malta and a Knight of the Holy Sepulcher.

Mr. King worked for the United States Trademark Association where he fought to protect the trademarks and brand names of more than 200 major companies from 1945 to 1952. Mr. King also worked for a series of advertisement firms and food distribution companies.

In 1960, he became president of the Quaker City Grocery Company in Philadelphia where he founded the Shop N Bag chain.

After holding a series of jobs in the food industry, in 1962 Mr. King became president of the United States Brewers Association, a job he held for the next 22 years.

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## Brennan files complaint against Councilman Ford

By Matt O'Brien

Former Spring Lake Heights Councilman John Brennan recently filed a lawsuit in Monmouth County Superior Court against sitting Councilman Frank Ford for allegedly physically assaulting him during a 2004 St. Patrick's Day party at the borough's community center.

Councilman Ford and his attorney denied the allegations.

Mr. Brennan alleged that following the March 31, 2004 Spring Lake Heights Democratic Club St. Patrick's Day party at the borough's community center, "defendant, [Councilman] Ford, had intentionally pinned plaintiff up against a window with a rolling bar and held him there applying greater degrees of pressure and menacing him."

Mr. Brennan was a councilman in the borough at that time.

Mr. Brennan's complaint also claims, "At the time defendant [Councilman] Ford had been drinking and was noticeably intoxicated."

The complaint continues, "Such conduct constitutes an intentional offensive, non-consensual touching and is an assault and battery."

Mr. Brennan claims he suffered injuries from Councilman Ford's actions.

Mr. Brennan also alleged that

Councilman Ford "made statements to *The Coast Star* which were republished. Specifically, defendant [Councilman] Ford 'vehemently denied' ever assaulting Councilman Frank Ford for allegedly physically assaulting him during a 2004 St. Patrick's Day party at the borough's community center."

"Defendant [Councilman] Ford's comments were of or about the plaintiff, were false, were published to third parties and constitute defamation. Plaintiff has demanded a rectification of the public record and the defendant has refused," Mr. Brennan's complaint states.

His complaint concluded that he was seeking punitive damages, interest and costs of suit.

Mr. Brennan would not comment other than saying, "The truth will come out."

Councilman Ford's attorney, Walter Koprowski, of Hock, Graziano & Koprowski, P.C. in Verona, said, "we deny the allegations the plaintiff has made of assault and defamation."

In Mr. Koprowski's answer to the complaint it states, "The complaint in this matter fails to state a claim on which relief can be granted. The plaintiff is a public or political figure and any such statement made by the defendant

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## Mortgage maven discusses seniors' financial options

By Matt O'Brien

During a recent Spring Lake Heights Trendsetters meeting, Reverse Mortgage Consultant Daryn Murdoch addressed seniors about mortgage options they could pursue to offset rising taxes and costs of living.

"Eighty-five plus is the fastest growing segment of the population. They have all kinds of needs and find it difficult to pay for [bills] and taxes," Ms. Murdoch said.

She explained people age 62 and up who own their own home are eligible for a reverse mortgage.

Reverse mortgages allow senior homeowners to convert a portion of the equity in their homes into tax-free funds without making a monthly payment, she said.

Senior homeowners can use these funds to supplement their retirement income, cover medical expenses, make home improvements or even take a vacation. Additionally, many seniors utilize a portion of the tax-free funds to cover the cost of private long-term care insurance premiums, said Ms. Murdoch.

The reverse mortgage loan draws on the equity established in the home.

Reverse mortgages allow senior homeowners to choose how they want to receive their mortgage funds. They may attain it in a lump sum payment for immediate financial needs, or in monthly payments to supplement monthly income, or as a growing line of credit for future expenses, or in any of those combinations, Ms. Murdoch said.

There are no monthly payments made on a reverse mortgage during its term, she said.

"It simply becomes payable when the home is sold or vacated for other reasons. Any excess proceeds belong to the homeowners or the estate," she said. "Homeowners with a reverse mortgage never owe more than the value of their homes or the amount borrowed under terms of the loan, whichever is less."

Ms. Murdoch also teaches yoga for the Trendsetter group on the first and third Mondays of each month, which are held at the community center from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

## Benefit dinner planned for borough's Matt Hayduk

By Matt O'Brien

Friends and family of Spring Lake Heights resident Matt Hayduk, 21, have planned a benefit dinner on his behalf to help him win his battle with leukemia.

Mr. Hayduk was diagnosed with Acute Monocytic Leukemia [AML] on Jan. 10 and is now hospitalized at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in New Brunswick where medical bills have "overwhelmingly" piled up, said his mother Nancy Maclearie-Hayduk.

Leukemia is a blood cancer that attacks white blood cells, which are vital for the human body's immune system.

Mrs. Maclearie-Hayduk said her son is strong-willed and looking forward to returning to work and school.

In addition to attending New York Yankee games and Jon Bon Jovi concerts, Mr. Hayduk is also looking forward to going back to school at Middlesex County College, where he plans to study business, she said.

"He is just an everyday average 21-year-old," Mrs. Maclearie-Hayduk said.

While the family has been coping with the illness, members of the community have come out and helped the Hayduks, she said.

Mr. Hayduk's aunt, Mary Beth Maclearie, who helped organize the benefit dinner, said she is hoping the Spring Lake Heights community and surrounding area will turn out on Thursday, June 2 at the Breakers Hotel in Spring Lake in a show of support.

During the dinner event, patrons will have the opportunity to participate in a lottery style 50/50 game, Ms. Maclearie said.

Only one ticket will win \$10,000, but many other cash prizes will be awarded, as well.

A silent auction will also be held. The top prize is a paid five-day vacation to Saw Grass Golf Resort in Ponte Vedra, Fla., Ms. Maclearie said.

"It's one of the top rated golf resorts in the country — it's very exclusive," she said.

One hundred and fifty tickets are available for the "Winners Dinner" benefit. The tickets include dinner and entry into the

lottery game.

A ticket for only dinner is \$50. Tickets for dinner and a game ticket are \$160. A couple may attend for \$210 which includes two dinners and a game ticket.

Ms. Maclearie said she and the rest of the family are hopeful the benefit dinner will raise \$15,000 for Mr. Hayduk's cause.

A cocktail reception will begin at 6 p.m., dinner will be served at 7 p.m. and the lottery game starts at 7:30.

Patrons will have their choice of chicken francaise or a prime rib plate.

Those who are interested in purchasing tickets for the "Winners Dinner" may call Ms. Maclearie or Michelle Wood at 732-775-2300.

Updated information about Mr. Hayduk's progress as well as a link for more information can be found on his web site, [www3.carbridge.org/nj/matty/index.htm](http://www3.carbridge.org/nj/matty/index.htm)

## Spring Lake Heights Community Calendar

To submit a calendar listing or Spring Lake Heights news story, e-mail [mobrien@thecoaststar.com](mailto:mobrien@thecoaststar.com)

## Pancake Breakfast

The Spring Lake Heights Independent Fire Company Number One will be hosting the monthly pancake breakfast.

There is a \$5 donation and children under the age of 5 are free.

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For more information call 732-449-5535 or email [slhfd@slhfd.org](mailto:slhfd@slhfd.org).

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## Culinary Classic

The FoodBank of Monmouth and Ocean Counties will be holding its 14th annual Culinary Classic on Monday, May 16 at The Mill in Spring Lake Heights.

The event will showcase the talents of area chefs who donate their time and talent each year. Guests will get to sample signature dishes from 38 area restaurants and from five premier vineyards and two breweries. Live music will be provided.

Only 800 tickets are sold for this event with a cost of \$75 per person. Tickets can be purchased by calling the FoodBank at 732-918-2600.

## Health Fair

Spring Lake Heights councilmen Rich Gannon and Frank Ford in conjunction with Harry Beal are announcing the details of the second annual Spring Lake Heights Senior Citizens Health Fair.

Jersey Shore University Medical Center is providing an array of medical services for borough seniors. There will also be several independent doctors on hand offering their services.

The event will be held on Saturday, May 21 from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

For more information call borough hall at 732-449-3500.

## Quilting Program

The borough senior recreation committee will be holding its quilting program each Thursday from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Wall United Methodist Church in Spring Lake Heights.

Since the group began meeting two years ago they have completed many projects including seasonal items, table-runners, placemats and quilts.

If people enjoy quilting, want to learn or just want to be part of a friendly group, stop by any Thursday afternoon and meet the senior recreation committee members.

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Manasquan

# Residents protest council proposal to vacate end of Parker Avenue

By Jerry Kimbrough

Five out of six members of Manasquan's governing body supported a plan Monday to vacate a portion of Parker Avenue, as part of a so-called "developer's agreement" between the municipality and the owners of two abutting lots there. The move, officials claim, would go a long way in solving a major parking problem plaguing the Surf Taco restaurant, in addition to providing other benefits to the town — including better drainage and more pleasing landscaping.

But borough Councilwoman Patricia Connolly, as well as a number of residents, blasted the plan. They voiced concerns about a lack of open space in the borough and a fear of residential sprawl and condominium construction at the site. That was all despite other council members' claims that the borough will make out on the deal, and that it is highly unlikely any residential units will be built as a result of the road vacation.

Through the agreement, which the governing body took its first steps toward approving Monday night, the borough would relinquish roughly 2,500 square feet to the owners of two lots. One is on the west side of Parker Avenue, and backs up to the elementary school — the other is on the east side of the roadway.

But the owner of the eastern parcel of land would essentially only net roughly 1,000 square feet, based on a stipulation in the agreement. That property owner would deed 1,400 to 1,600 square feet of property over to Manasquan. By doing so, through a conservation easement, the borough would be able to protect a nearby creek and a sensitive forested area there.

The owner of the western lot would still get 2,500 square feet, but a fair chunk of that would be unbuildable, due to water and sewer lines running underneath the property, officials said.

Councilman Bill Giunco, who spearheaded the committee in charge of investigating the vacation of the road, said keeping the land would ultimately do more

harm than good. He had fiercely opposed the proposal when it initially came before the council, he said. But after digging deeper into the possible benefits of simply giving the road away — and getting concessions from the property owners — he said it appears to be the best move the borough can possibly make.

If Manasquan kept that portion of the road, the town would be required to fix it up at a cost town engineers have estimated at over \$100,000. Councilman Giunco said his research indicates it would be very difficult, if not impossible, to secure any amount of grant funding to fix that portion of the road, which is a dead end. That means taxpayers would foot the bill to repair that area of the street, which is not included as part of a recently initiated project to improve the remainder of Parker Avenue.

In short, he said, the benefits far outweigh any possible detriments. The borough would see added tax revenue if the roadway were vacated — around \$2,260 annually, he said. The estimated assessed value is \$178,000, he said.

By law, the town cannot sell off the land. It can only vacate it or keep it, he said.

Councilman Bob Briant, who said he supported the plan, said he would have voiced concerns if he thought there was any chance of condominiums being built there.

"That's sort of a red herring," he said, referring to any possibility of residential units being constructed on that spot.

Plus, Councilman Giunco added, building residential units in that area, a business zone, would require a two-thirds supermajority from the town's planning board. Anyone who might seek to build homes of any type would likely face pleading a fairly tough case in front of the borough's planners.

Councilwoman Connolly said she feared the possibly intensification of traffic in that area could pose a danger to youths playing or walking near that roadway, adding she found it hard to believe fixing that road could cost \$100,000 or more.

"Let's get our Shade Tree Commission to plant some trees down there," the councilwoman said.

"We should not be doing this," she said later in the meeting. "We're going out of our way for [a] developer."

Manasquan citizen John Tischio, who said his fellow residents should act as "stewards" in terms of land and open space preservation, spoke out vehemently against the proposal. He cited concerns about intensified traffic in the area, and said vacating the road does not fit into what he perceives as the borough's role as "stewards" of town land.

"This is a developer who wants something. It's a municipality dealing with a developer," Mr. Tischio said. "How about Riddle Way? Let's give that away."

The borough would only retain control over what happens on the road if the town keeps it, he added, and would lose that control if the road is given away.

The two owners of the lots in question, Tom White and Tom Leskow, are not in the residential development business, according to Mayor Richard Dunne. Mr.

White owns several garages situated on the western lot — he leases those buildings out to plumbers and other tradesmen who need spots to store their vehicles. Mr. Leskow is in the wholesale medical equipment distribution business, and uses a warehouse on the eastern lot to store the items he sells.

Both the mayor and Councilman Giunco said Tuesday it would be more fair to call the two men "property owners," and not developers.

Other residents felt they should get the land, not somebody else.

"If you want to give the land away, give it to us," said Parker Avenue resident Natalie Rooney. "All you're making is more traffic for us."

Ms. Rooney said she and seven other residents of that street, including her husband, have signed a petition against the borough council's proposal.

But at least one resident thinks the governing body might be making the right move.

"It seems like what we're vacating is a problem," resident Kelan Vorbach said, adding he felt the borough was only trying to remove "a liability."

Per the agreement, the owner of each lot would provide for drainage from Parker Avenue through the lot in question to the stream, through yet-to-be-determined means. Each owner would fix up and beautify the borough-owned portion of land abutting the stream, through plantings, to protect drainage into the stream.

Under the agreement, a total of 13 public parking spaces will be provided to customers who might need to park in that area. Those spaces would be created through the movement of some curb-cuts at the roadway's end, and some other changes to the street's infrastructure.

Currently, Mayor Dunne said, five cars can park at the end of Parker Avenue, though spaces are currently not marked off.

"If you drive down into the property ... you wouldn't know where to park. There's no curbs, no signs," the mayor said.

Mr. Leskow, under the agreement, would provide an easement for access to the water line under his property, and would provide for more on-street public parking on Parker Avenue. Curbing at the site would be replaced.

Mr. White would provide for an easement for access to the Parker Avenue water/sewer lines and would provide another easement for access to the nearby elementary school. That way, emergency and construction vehicles would be able to cut through the property to get to the school, if necessary.

For both property owners, anyone who needs to park at their sites for business-related purposes would use on-site spaces, officials said.

Referencing Mr. Tischio's use of the word "steward," Councilman Briant said the governing body has gone above and beyond the call of duty in showing environmental sensitivity. He cited the recently purchased so-called Brennan tract, a parcel fronting on Stockton Lake, and the \$6 million purchase of the Sea Watch beach, as evidence of that.

# An Earth Day Cleanup



In recognition of Earth Day, and to help St. Denis School Principal Trudy Bonavita get the school ready for spring, St. Denis Daisy Troop 970 of Manasquan recently pitched in to help clean up the school's grounds. Daisies LeAnne Donnelly [back row, from left], Jordyne Pfister, Isabella Carannante, Shannon Donnelly, Haley Peanoski, Gianna Occigrosso, Alexandra Bennett [middle row, from left], Megan Lisowski, Kelsey McCartin, Mara Bennett, Julia Ninjens, Josephine Decker, and Tess Courtwright [front row].

# Tourism commission finalizes list of bands

By Jerry Kimbrough

The beaches of Manasquan will be alive with music this summer, the borough's tourism commission promises.

At a commission meeting last Thursday, group members finalized the list of bands set to perform this summer, and went over some of the scheduled events that members believe will bring a smile to the faces of residents and visitors alike this summer.

Most of the bands slated to perform might be familiar to followers of commission-hosted events. The full list of bands set to perform as part of the commission's summer concert series includes:

- May 28: Moonlighting.
- July 2: Billy Lawlor.
- July 7: Paul Cilinski.
- July 14: Willie Lynch.
- July 21: Joe Baracata.
- Aug. 4: Reggae Club.
- Aug. 11: Chic-A-Boom.
- Aug. 18: Jason Taylor.
- Aug. 25: Pat Roddy Band.
- Sept. 1: Moskitto Coast.
- Sept. 3: Billy Lawlor.

The tourism commission's slate of summer events will kick off with a bang — during the annual The Mill at Spring Lake Heights Memorial Day Fireworks show, slated for the evening of May 28, Mr. Summers said. A rain date of May 29 has been set. The 9 p.m. fireworks show will be preceded by a concert.

In a new commission event, children are invited to decorate their bicycles for the Fourth of July parade. The theme, chairman Ray Summers said, will be a patriotic one.

And all of the staples of the tourism commission's schedule of fun summer events are still set to take place. Tourism events include:

- The commission's Memorial Day celebration, slated for May 28 and sponsored by The Mill at Spring Lake Heights. The evening's gala will include music by Moonlighting at 7:30 p.m., and a

festive fireworks show afterward. The rain date for this event is May 29.

- The tourism commission's Fourth of July celebration, slated for July 2, with a July 3 rain date. A parade will commence at 6:30 p.m. at the Manasquan Coast Guard station, with a 7:30 p.m. concert featuring Billy Lawlor taking place afterward. The sponsors for this event are the River House, the Mahogany Grille and Leggett's Sand Bar.

- The annual canoe race is slated for July 23, with a rain date of July 24.

- Two pizza-eating contests, a well-known event to those familiar with the commission's summer slate of event, are set for July 14 and Aug. 18.

- The annual sand castle building contest, slated for Aug. 13.

- The tourism commission's annual Labor Day celebration will cap out this year's slate of summer activities. A 7 p.m. Billy Lawlor concert will kick off the festivities, with fireworks immediately to follow.

All tourism commission-sponsored events are free.

# Pupils collecting used, new sports equipment

Two students from Manasquan High School are collecting used and new sporting equipment, which will be donated to various groups, clubs and programs in the surrounding area.

Groups include underprivileged sports teams, recreation teams and programs for handicapped children. Anything can be used. Organizers urge anyone who might be throwing out old baseball gloves, basketballs, or lacrosse equipment to instead donate those items.

Monetary donations are also appreciated, for the purchase of new equipment.

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## Manasquan

# Board allows applicant to continue construction after 'oversight'

**By Jerry Kimbrough**  
The Manasquan Planning Board agreed Tuesday night to allow applicant Michael Lynch to keep an oversized exterior wall on a residence he is building on East Main Street.

In February, code enforcement officials told the applicant that the wall at his residence, located at 557 East Main St., did not conform to borough codes after one of those officials drove by the building and noticed the "knee wall" — an exterior wall that supports roof rafters — on the left side of the house was 3 feet tall. In the B-1 business zone, where Mr. Lynch's house is located, knee walls may only be 1 foot in height.

Board officials attributed Mr. Lynch's appearance before the planning board this week to seek a variance to allow the knee wall to remain, to an oversight. When applicant originally submitted his plans to the board, the 3-foot high knee wall was depicted on the plans, but borough officials did not comment on the violation at the time.

Initially, Mr. Lynch had considered building a mixed-use commercial and residential building on the lot. However, that application was never formally filed with the planning board, according to Mr. Lynch. His attorney at the time, Keith Henderson, had approached the board informally about that particular plan, and board indicated they



**The Manasquan Planning Board agreed Tuesday night to allow applicant Michael Lynch to keep a 3-foot exterior wall, which violates borough zoning code, that he had constructed at a residence located at 557 East Main St.**

were not in favor of the idea.

Mr. Lynch subsequently revised his application to call for a two-and-one-half story, two-unit home. He sought a 37-foot-high structure, with a loft area set for the half-story. The board approved that application last year.

The building, which is still under construction, is only 36 feet, 8 inches high, Mr. Lynch told the board Tuesday. In the B-1 zone, a building's height cannot exceed 40 feet.

Architect Paul Amelchenko said the matter of the knee wall never came up in any conversations he had with code enforcement officials prior to the start of construction. He

said the 3-foot knee wall was necessary to the building's construction, but no one had brought that part of the application up as a specific problem.

But in February, as construction at the site was ongoing, a code enforcement official noticed the 3-foot high knee wall. Though an official stop-work order was not issued, Mayor Richard Dunne said, letters were sent to Mr. Lynch telling him he was proceeding at his own risk.

Board Engineer Elissa Commins said the house currently under construction is consistent with the blueprints approved by the board last year.

"It was an oversight," she said, referencing the oversized knee wall. Board members asked Ms. Commins for her opinion on the matter. She said the building was "substantially" in compliance with the blueprints that were approved by the board last year, and that, in essence, the only reason code enforcement officer noticed the discrepancy was because the home was under construction.

"You won't even see it when the facade is completed," Ms. Commins said.

Mr. Lynch told the board members nothing about the building will be exacerbated by approving the 3-foot knee wall. In fact, he said, he would cut back on two decks, set to be built as part of his application, from 7 feet in length to 5 feet.

Mr. Lynch's attorney, Ben Montenegro, said the building provided adequate light and air, and was consistent with buildings in the neighborhood.

Mr. Amelchenko, though, said he deserved the blame for the oversight.

"I want to take the hit for this. This time, I just wasn't paying attention to that particular aspect of the ordinance," Mr. Amelchenko said.

The board agreed to allow Mr. Lynch to complete the project without any alterations to the knee wall.

# Drainage improvement plan to be discussed at workshop

**By Jerry Kimbrough**  
Borough officials will, within a few weeks, sit down in a workshop session to address drainage and ponding problems in the Glimmer Glass area in Manasquan, as per a suggestion from borough engineer Charles Rooney made during Monday night's borough council meeting.

Mr. Rooney stressed fixing the drainage along several roadways in that area will likely be extremely expensive, and would be an undertaking that will probably last several years. Improvements will, most likely, be made through a phased plan, he said.

Work will begin at the Glimmer Glass harbor, after officials hash out a complete plan of action. Engineers will work their way upstream from the harbor, improving drainage as they go.

In other news from Mr. Rooney's monthly report on engineering projects in the borough:

- Improvements along Parker Avenue are scheduled for this autumn, as part of a two-phased plan seeking both the replacement of an aging water/sewer line under that roadway and other improvements to roads and sidewalks in that area.
- The water and sanitary line replacement on Parker Avenue will encompass the first phase of the overall plan; new curbing, sidewalks, and road resurfacing are set for several other streets in town as part of the second phase.
- Mr. Rooney said a field survey is slated for this spring. Bidding and design for the project is set for this summer, with water- and sewer-related improvements tenta-

tively scheduled for this autumn. The borough recently submitted a grant application in an attempt to secure \$253,576 in funding for the second phase of the Parker Avenue improvement project.

The governing body in April passed a \$800,000 bond ordinance for work on Parker Avenue.

Through a second grant application submitted by the borough, Manasquan hopes to grab \$100,140 for new curbs and sidewalks for Parker and Pierce avenues, for roadway portions north of Main Street, said Mr. Rooney.

A decision on the two grant applications is expected from the state Department of Transportation this summer, he added.

Construction is underway at the boardwalk comfort station on Riverside Drive, Mr. Rooney reported. The governing body in February awarded a contract to Innovational Construction and Design, Red Bank, for the building's construction.

The new bathrooms should be ready by Memorial Day weekend, Mr. Rooney said.

Engineers are waiting on a committee to decide on a final scope of improvements for the Stockton Lake Park project, Mr. Rooney said. Improvements at that site entail moving the borough's skateboard park to the back portion of the property, rearranging the baseball field, and moving and expanding the existing InLine Hockey facility.

Mr. Rooney said construction could begin on, or near, July 5. A completion date is set for the end

of September.

In other business from Monday night's meeting of the Manasquan Borough Council:

- Councilwoman Patricia Connolly said she, Councilman Bill Giunco and Councilman Ron Jacobson will meet with representatives from the board of education on May 11 at 2 p.m. to mull a plan of action for the Manasquan Board of Education's failed school budget, which was shot down by voters last month. The council can either chop parts of the spending plan or let it stand as is.
- Councilman Jacobson said the governing body will likely award a bid to one of several architects at a council meeting this month for work at the historic Coast Guard station. The architect will assist the borough and work with engineers to remove asbestos at the building, while ensuring none of the historically significant portions of the structure are affected during the asbestos abatement process.
- A patrol car has been stationed at the corner of Ocean and Second avenues, in respond to residents' complaints about vehicles that speed through that area, Councilman Joe Lucas said. Most of those vehicles, he added, belong to parents picking up their children from Little League or other athletic events.
- Residents in that area have already reported decreased speeding in that area, the councilman said.
- The governing body passed a resolution allowing the municipality to apply to the Local Finance

Board, in hopes of participating in a New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program. That financing mechanism that could save the borough money on interest payments related to the purchase of the Sea Watch beach, according to borough officials.

Through the trust fund, the borough could secure loans for the beach purchase, and pay back 75 percent of the cost balance at no interest rate over a 20-year period. The other 25 percent would be paid back at market interest rates, also over a 20-year period, the mayor said.

Prior interest rates through the MCIA were estimated at 3 to 3.5 percent, the mayor said.

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Manasquan

# Wall, Squan softball teams celebrate 'common bond'

By Jerry Kimbrough

The advisor of the Manasquan Fellowship of Christian Athletes believes that despite a long-standing rivalry between Manasquan and Wall Township's varsity softball teams, the young athletes who belong to the team are tied to each other through two specific common bonds.

One of those is an overarching desire to play well while being a good sport, ensuring each youth represents their school, team, and community in a respectable manner.

The other bond, he said, is religion, and the love of God. That is why volunteers from two local Fellowships of Christian Athletes [FCA] brought the two teams together for a pre-game pasta "sportsmanship dinner" last Sunday, one day before a Monday softball game this week. The event was jointly sponsored by the Manasquan and Wall Township FCAs.

Roughly 30 athletes came to the dinner, which was held at the First Baptist Church in Manasquan, FCA advisor Jim Freda said. In addition to team members, Manasquan High School coaches Pat Barnaba and Greg Kapalko and Wall High School coaches Tony Vodola and Tom Jansky came to enjoy a meal.

"Getting the teams together to share dinner is a great way to foster friendships, and sportsmanship, between each other," Mr. Freda said.

Mr. Freda said the pastor of that church, Joe Gratzel, offered the two teams the use of the church's Fellowship Hall for the event.



**Ted Kenny [above], a professional Christian recording artist, provided music at a pre-game softball dinner attended by Wall and Manasquan's varsity softball teams. The dinner, held Sunday, was organized by the two schools' Fellowships of Christian Athletes.**

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"What brings us together here, tonight, is the common bond that you, as players and coaches, share together through softball," Mr. Freda told attendees Sunday. "We all want to win. But we want to do so in a way that exemplifies our outstanding characters and schools."

Mr. Freda said Sunday was the first event he has ever heard of in

which two opposing teams come together to share a meal.

Guest speakers at the dinner included FCA State Director Harry Flaherty and FCA state board member and former Wall Township High School graduate Dave Suckey, Mr. Freda said. Those two men reiterated the message Mr. Freda had initially delivered to attendees — that their

acceptance of Jesus Christ into their lives changed them forever, Mr. Freda said.

All of the food at the event was donated by The Boathouse, in Belmar. Manasquan High School FCA teacher and MHS graduate Ted Kenny, a professional Christian recording artist, provided the music, Mr. Freda said.

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# Official: residents should watch out for new scams

By Jerry Kimbrough

A number of Manasquan residents have recently fallen prey to scam artists, a town official said this week — and there are two new scams that seem to be prevalent throughout Jersey Shore towns.

The two scams have been circulating throughout shore area towns, Councilman Joe Lucas,

the borough's liaison to the public safety department, said this week. Both involve cameras and the theft of critical financial information, including credit card numbers and PIN numbers to bank cards, he said.

As local towns are gearing up for summer, and as more and more tourists come to the Jersey Shore to enjoy the warm weather and sunny beachfronts, so-called scam artists become more prevalent, as a larger number of visitors are patronizing area stores and merchants. That is when the scam artists are most likely to go

on the attack, the councilman contends.

The councilman urged all residents to keep a close eye on anyone standing close to them while waiting in line at retail or grocery stores or restaurants.

As most cellular phones now come equipped with a camera attachment, scam perpetrators can easily take a picture of the victim's credit card. That gives the scam artist a photographic record of the card, with the accompanying name, number, and expiration date.

In the other newly prevalent

scam, perpetrators get jobs at local gas stations and hook up cameras near gas pumps, so they can photograph a customer's bank card PIN number as that individual is entering it after a purchase. The scam artists would then use that information to make a duplicate bank card, the councilman said.

"It's important that they make an effort to prevent being a victim of camera cell phone scams or gas station fraud," said the councilman.

# Algonquin Arts set to host performing arts camp this summer

Back by popular demand, Summer Stage, a performing arts camp, is now entering its fourth season at Algonquin Arts, running July through August.

The camp was started 3 years ago, and has now tripled in size under the direction of Algonquin's artist-in-residence, Leslie Pandolfe.

Teachers are selected every year to keep the camp up to date with all new techniques and activities. Summer Stage offers children a chance to explore their artistic abilities in all areas of creative

dramatics, including improvisational playwriting, acting, voice, music, movement, and dance. The goal of the camp is to provide a safe and fun environment where children can develop their creative and dramatic skills.

The camp is broken down into three two-week sessions. During the first week, students devise their own original play that they perform at the end of each session for their families and friends.

The camp runs Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The

dates for the three sessions are: July 1 through July 15; July 18 through July 29; and Aug. 1 through Aug. 12.

For more information contact Ms. Pandolfe at 173 Main St. Manasquan, 08736, call 732-528-9224, or email [leslie@algonquinarts.org](mailto:leslie@algonquinarts.org).

Algonquin Arts was founded in 1992 as a nonprofit corporation to promote and advance artistic, social, literary, education, and community theatrical endeavors in Central New Jersey. Algonquin Arts outreach programs bring cultural and educational programs to schools, community centers, and long-term adult care facilities throughout Monmouth and Ocean Counties.

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## Seniors Meeting Set

The Manasquan Senior Citizens Organization, composed of residents 60 years old or older, will meet Monday, May 9 at 1 p.m. at the Woman's Club building. Undersheriff Thomas Pegut, of the Monmouth County Sheriff's Office, will give a presentation about the new senior gold star travel program.

Call Joan Pizio at 732-528-7003 or Joan Harriman at 732-528-2245 for more information. Annual dues are \$10.

And tomorrow, the organization's walking club will meet for the first time at 9 a.m. at Sea Watch Beach. All are welcome. For more information, call Marilyn Heinze at 732-223-4633.

## MHS Class of 1985 Seeks Graduates

In preparation for a Nov. 26 Manasquan High School class of 1985 reunion, organizers are trying to compile a full list of fellow 1985 MHS graduates.

Organizers need updated contact information — email addresses or phone numbers — and current home addresses of class of 1985 graduates. Send an email to [suan1985@yahoo.com](mailto:suan1985@yahoo.com) or call Jennifer Harry-Abrecht at 732-223-2430, Jackie Brothers-Crines at 732-722-8137, or Pam Johnson-Herrmann at 732-292-0009.

## Plant Sale Set

The Sea Lavender Garden Club will hold its annual Mother's Day plant sale Saturday, May 7 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Curtis Park. Children's gift baskets will be \$4 to \$5. In addition to hanging baskets, large floral baskets are also available.

The fund-raiser supports 22 gardens throughout Manasquan and Manasquan High School scholarships.

## Beach Cleanup Set

A beach cleanup, sponsored by the Manasquan Elks and local Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and Brownies, is set for tomorrow, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in Manasquan.

Call Michael O'Boyle at 732-528-7687 for more information.

## Book Fair

A book fair will be held at the Manasquan Public Library, Broad Street, on May 9, 10, 12, and 13, from 10 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. The library is closed Wednesdays.

The library will be open Friday, May 6 from 7 to 9 p.m.

## Showboat Casino Trip Set

A bus trip to the Showboat Casino, sponsored by Friday's Group, is set for Friday, May 6. The cost is \$15, with an \$18 coin-return from the casino.

For more information, call Jean Gruber at 732-223-3516.



Manasquan

# Children, adults celebrate tree care on Arbor Day

By Jerry Kimbrough

According to statistics provided by the National Arbor Day Foundation, a single tree can manufacture five pounds of pure oxygen per day.

They provide the cooling equivalent of ten room-sized air conditioning units. And they consume carbon dioxide, which effectively combats the so-called greenhouse effect.

They conserve energy, reduce soil erosion, clean the air and provide other benefits. It is perhaps fitting there is a day to honor them.

On the local level, Manasquan's Shade Tree Commission certainly seems to think so. Members visited the town's elementary school last Friday to spread the word about the importance of trees, and to give a seedling to each participating youngster. And afterward, the commission hit the streets to let adults know about the benefits of trees.

The school's formal Arbor Day observance, which kicked off last Friday morning at the elementary school, featured not only third-, fourth-, and fifth-grade pupils at the school — but various town dignitaries, educators and Shade Tree Commission members, as well.

Councilman Bob Briant and Councilwoman Patricia



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Manasquan Councilwoman Pat Connolly [above, from left], Councilman Bob Briant, Shade Tree Commission member Joanne Van Stolk, Vice Principal Richard Kirk, fifth-grade pupil and first-place poster contest winner Morgan Neill, Shade Tree Commission Chairman Art Harriman, fifth-grade pupil and third-place poster contest winner Andres Stewart, commission member Jane Haisser, fifth-grade pupil and second-place poster contest winner Jessica Thomulka, and commission members Anna Thomulka and Frank Servidio gathered at the Manasquan Elementary School last Friday for a slate of activities planned to celebrate Arbor Day.

Connolly, the borough council's representative to the Shade Tree Commission, were in attendance. Shade Tree Commission Chairman Art Harriman, Vice Chairman Jane Haisser and members Frank Servidio, Anna

Thomulka and Joanne Van Stolk also attended the observance.

At 10 a.m., elementary school Vice Principal Richard Kirk offered a few words of introduction, effectively kicking off the day's celebration of trees. Councilman Briant then read a proclamation about Arbor Day, and offered a few highlights as to the benefits trees provide to the environment, Mr. Harriman said.

The posters, designed by a total of 14 fifth-grade students at the elementary school, were all themed around important energy benefits trees provide to the world. Fifth-graders Morgan Neill, Jessica Thomulka and Andres Stewart all took top honors, nabbing first-, second-, and third-place awards in the contest, respectively. Morgan's poster, which was pre-judged, had been sent to the New Jersey poster contest coordinator in February.

With the assistance of commission members, the three top winners in the poster contest planted a dogwood tree in front of the elementary school. Each student received a seedling tree, with accompanying planting instructions, on behalf of the

New Jersey Forestry Service's community forestry program.

Everyone participating in the contest came out a winner, though. Shade Tree Commission members handed out ribbons to each poster contest entrant.

During last Friday's observance, third- and fourth-grade pupils read poetry relating to the importance of trees.

Shade Tree Commission members visited youngsters in the elementary school's second-grade classes to lecture about the importance of understanding and caring for trees.

Commission members were not yet finished, though.

After presenting awards and discussing the importance of trees to Manasquan's children, they took to the streets to reach out to adults. From about 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., group members set up a table outside Eckerd Drugs, on Main Street in Manasquan, to give out pamphlets and brochures detailing the importance of caring for — and preserving — trees, along with information about how to properly plant a tree.

## 'Together for Teresa' fund-raiser set for May

On Feb. 24, Teresa Schroeder, 21, a 2002 graduate of Manasquan High School, was in a tragic snowboarding accident in Lake Tahoe, Fla. She suffered a broken neck, which involved the fracture of four vertebrae, two of which have been fused, while the other two remain functional, despite severe damage.

Though initially on a respirator, Ms. Schroeder is now breathing on her own and is slowly regaining sensation in her legs. With extensive rehabilitation, she is now capable of a near or total recovery.

She will walk again, but only with everyone's help. Because of a dispute over the effective date of coverage, she has no medical insurance.

To date, only one rehabilitation hospital in the country, in Oregon, is willing to temporarily treat her while she lacks insurance. Without immediate and extensive rehabilitation, Ms. Schroeder could face her adult life bed-ridden and unable to walk again.

Her family is attempting to raise the \$120,000 that has been deter-

mined to be the total cost of her rehabilitation.

In beginning the daunting task of raising money for therapy, and giving Ms. Schroeder her life back, there will be a fund-raiser, titled "Together for Teresa," next month at Leggett's, First Avenue.

The fund-raiser will be May 15, from 3 to 7 p.m.

The \$25 donation entitles attendees to two drinks, a buffet, and entertainment by local bands. "The Intoxicados" — a local band that used to play in area bars several years ago — and friends will reunite for the event.

Payment can be made either at the door or through Elaine Johnson, who can be reached at 732-292-3058. A 50/50 and auction are also set to take place at the fund-raiser. Prize contributions would be greatly appreciated.

Anyone who wants to donate a prize can call Nancy Barrett at 732-223-2092 or contact Ms. Johnson.

Contributions can be sent to Together for Teresa, P.O. Box 385, Manasquan, 08736.

## Manasquan police report activity in boro

Manasquan Police Chief Dan Scimeca has reported the following activity in the borough for the period ending May 2:

- On May 2, John J. Higgins, 55, of Neptune, was arrested and charged with theft, obstruction, resisting arrest, possession of a controlled dangerous substance and paraphernalia and on a warrant. Ptl. Tom Morton made the arrest.

- On April 28, Keith J. Day, 42, of Brick Township, was arrested and charged with failure to appear. Ptl. Brian Gillespie made the arrest.

- On April 28, Jason Wallace, 36, of Manasquan, was arrested and charged with failure to appear. Ptl. Jerry Murphy made the arrest.

- On April 26, Jeffrey J. Skellern, 26, of Manasquan, was arrested and charged with failure to appear. Ptl. Gillespie made the arrest.

- Investigation continues on the theft of a surfboard, reported April 29 on Marcellus Avenue to Ptl. Gillespie.

- Investigation continues on an incident of criminal mischief, reported April 29 on South Street to Ptl. Gillespie.

- Investigation continues on the theft of a handbag, reported April 29 on Main Street to Sgt. D.S. Clayton.

- Investigation continues on an

incident of burglary/theft, reported

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## PUBLIC AUCTION

Notice is given that the Borough of Manasquan will hold a public auction, Saturday, May 14, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in the Public Works Borough Garage Iroquois Road, Manasquan, New Jersey. See legal notice for list of items.

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# WWII photographer invited to France to display war photos

**By Matt O'Brien**  
When the mayor and other officials in Reims, France were searching for photos to commemorate Nazis' surrender in 1945, the reached out to a Sea Girt resident for help.

Last August, World War II combat photographer Albert Meserlin received a phone call from a French official who requested his presence and the black and white photos he took in Reims 60 years ago to mark the end of the war that took the lives of an tens of millions of people.

"The French government is flying us over there to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the German surrender," he said on Monday, one day before boarding a plane for France.

Mr. Meserlin will take part in a three-day event commemorating the occasion with top officials from France, Germany and other European nations.

Reims officials had sent him an invitation that was decorated with some of his pictures he had taken during the parade held there on May 7, 1945 to celebrate the Nazi

surrender. That day staff aides of U.S. Army Gen. Dwight Eisenhower and other officers signed the surrender agreement with German Maj. Gen. Wilhelm Okenius, Army Col. Gen. Alfred Jodl and Navy Gen. Adm. Hans George von Friedeburg.

Earlier in the war, once Paris was liberated by Allied forces, Mr. Meserlin was assigned to be Gen. Eisenhower's personal photographer.

"The colonel came in and saw a bunch of us getting drunk on champagne," Mr. Meserlin said about the day he was selected to photograph the future president. "I must of looked the most sober so I was selected to go with [Gen.] Eisenhower."

During the remainder of the war in Europe, Mr. Meserlin took hundreds of photos of the general, famous sites of the war-torn continent and other famous military figures.

On Monday, the day before Mr. Meserlin and his wife, Irene, departed for France, he was busy not only packing his clothes but his famous photographs as well.

One photo he toted to France this week is shot of Gen. Eisenhower discussing war plans with Army Gen. George Patton and Army Gen. Bill Bradley.

Out of his entire collection, Mr. Meserlin said his favorite photograph is of Gen. Eisenhower stepping out of an Army jeep. It's his favorite because it was for unusual for the general to be traveling in such a vehicle, Mr. Meserlin said.

During this week's celebration in France there will be an awards ceremony and lectures at town hall, huge lunches and dinners with representatives of the French government and other events, the photographer said. During that time Mr. Meserlin said he will have an opportunity to share his photos with residents and government representatives.

After departing the European continent in 1945 he returned to America and went to work with a bank in Newark. Mr. Meserlin never worked as a photographer again. Once the war was over, Mr. Meserlin said the "on-the-run lifestyle" of a photographer no longer appealed to him.



Photo courtesy of Albert Meserlin  
Sea Girt resident Albert Meserlin [above] served as a combat photographer during World War II, constantly shadowing Army Gen. Dwight Eisenhower during the European campaign. He was recently flown to France to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Nazi surrender, which he photographed in Reims, France in 1945.



Photo courtesy of Albert Meserlin  
On May 7, 1945 Sea Girt resident Albert Meserlin photographed German Maj. Gen. Wilhelm Okenius [above, from left], an aide and interpreter Army Col. Gen. Alfred Jodl and Navy Gen. Adm. Hans George von Friedeburg signing Germany's surrender in World War II with [not pictured] Army Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's chief of staff and Army Lt. Gen. Walter Smith.

# Officials say pavilion project expected to start in September

**By Matt O'Brien**  
After hitting a financial snag in December which ruined plans for building a new pavilion along Ocean Boulevard, Sea Girt Councilman Ray Bogan said officials expect to get underway with the project this September.

Officials received two bids, one for \$1.45 million and one for \$1.49 million during the winter to construct the pavilion. Officials

originally expected it to cost roughly \$600,000.

Borough engineer Peter Avakian and other council members have said the proposed community room — which would include climate control, ventilation, special flooring and other materials — was the reason why companies submitted high bid amounts.

Since then, officials have been

making modifications to the new pavilion's designs to bring it within budgeting reality.

"When we get revised plans I will reach out to people," Councilman Bogan said.

In the meantime, council members said officials would begin maintenance work on the current pavilion for the 2005 summer season.

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Sea Girt

# Military award ceremony honors county veterans

**By Matt O'Brien**  
Monmouth County war veterans assembled at the Sea Girt National Guard Training Center last Thursday to receive service medals for their time served in battle.

High ranking military officials and local politicians were on hand to meet and give thanks to the veterans by awarding them the Vietnam, N.J. Distinguished and New Jersey Meritorious service medals. Veterans from World War II, Korea, Vietnam and Operation Desert Shield and Storm were each called up to the podium to receive their respective honors.

Saturday marked the 30th anniversary of the fall of Saigon where U.S. Ambassador Graham Martin and 7,100 U.S. and South Vietnamese personnel evacuated the southeast Asian nation, which signaled the end of the Vietnam War.

"It was hurtful at the time that you could not say you were in the Army because you would be called a war monger," Spring Lake Heights resident Don Walsh, who received the Vietnam Service Medal, said about veterans' experiences of returning home from the Vietnam War.

Assemblyman Steve Corodemus [R-11] who was also on hand, said he remembered the political climate during the mid-1970s and how Vietnam veterans

were labeled by the anti-war movement as "baby-killers" and other terrible terms.

With those days long gone and with the realization that these men and women were fighting and sacrificing their lives for their country, local and federal officials have issued medals honoring those who served in the controversial war.

Assemblyman Corodemus, who attended his second award ceremony at the Sea Girt National Guard Training Center, said the event provided Vietnam veterans a chance to share their experiences without having to worry about negative public scrutiny.

The Vietnam Service Medal was enacted by the state legislature in November 2000 and since then has been awarded to many of the state's veterans.

The N.J. Distinguished Service Medal was originally issued in 1858 for those who served in the New Jersey Militia, but was used infrequently until re-authorized by former Gov. Thomas Kean in 1988.

Mr. Walsh was one of the veterans who received what is considered the state's highest military awards, the N.J. Distinguished Service Medal, last year.

"It was very exciting," he said of last Thursday's event. "To see the guys now get a lot of praise is

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SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
**Spring Lake Heights resident Donald Walsh [above], who served as a staff sergeant for the U.S. Air Force in the Vietnam War, received a Vietnam Service Medal from Brig. Gen. Marcia Falca-Dodson last Thursday at the Sea Girt National Guard Training Center.**

# Council looking to prohibit coolers on the beachfront

**By Matt O'Brien**  
The Sea Girt Council may prohibit patrons from using or carrying coolers onto the beach this summer season, it was reported during last Wednesday evening's meeting of the governing body.

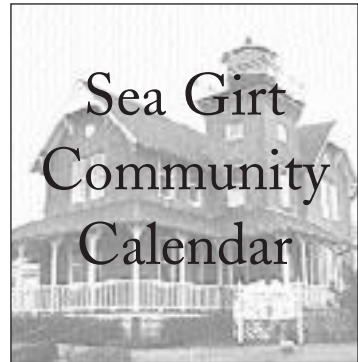
"I feel they should not be allowed there," Councilman Ray Bogan said about coolers on the beach. His remarks were prompted by Trenton Boulevard resident Judith Gately's inquiry into the council taking steps to eliminate trash, such as plastic bottles, from the beach.

Mayor Edward H. Ahern said the beach committee, which

Councilman Bogan sits on, will look into the matter.

In a related beach matter, council members said they would look into having beach staff carry walkie-talkies this year to enhance communication for security and other reasons. They added they will also look into posting two beach staff members at each entrance point on the beach this year to better monitor pedestrian beach traffic.

In another beach matter, Councilman Bogan said 1,000 beach badges have already been sold for the 2005 season.



## Sea Girt Community Calendar

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### Holly Club

The Sea Girt Holly Club is planning a visit to Deep Cut Park today at noon. Members will meet at the Sea Girt Lighthouse to then car pool to the park.

Members should remember to bring their own sandwiches and cameras.

### Beautification Committee

The Sea Girt Beautification Committee will be holding its annual P.L.A.N.T. meeting on Tuesday, May 10 at the library at 2 p.m.

All are welcome.

### Kitchen Tour

The Sea Girt PTO presents its annual kitchens-by-the-sea tour on Saturday, May 21 beginning at 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. While on tour people will be invited to sample entrees and desserts from local restaurants.

Lake Como Trolley is available for transportation to carry people from home to home.

Local decorators like Sweet Pea and Whimsicality will showcase their work at the 10 different homes.

Tickets are available in advance for \$45 by calling Leslie Vincent at 732-974-0213 or stop by Sweet Pea, Giunco's Market or Chantilly Too. Tickets are available the day of the event for \$50.

### Pancake Breakfast

On Sunday, May 29 the Sea Girt Cub Scouts Pack 55 will be holding the monthly pancake breakfast at the fire house on Baltimore Boulevard and 4th Avenue.

The breakfast will run from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Donations are \$5 and children age 5 and under are free.

### Lighthouse 2005 Opening

The Sea Girt Lighthouse will once again be open for tours. The lighthouse will be open every Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. It will be staffed with docents who are available to give guided tours. Lighthouse items and gifts are available for purchase.

The lighthouse has undergone some changes over the winter with the interior being repainted and new artifacts have been added to the collection.

### Junior Woman's Club

This spring the Sea Girt Spring Lake Area Junior Woman's Club will award a \$1,500 scholarship and a \$500 scholarship to two local area high school students who are actively involved in community service. The award is available to a high school senior who plans to continue their studies at an accredited college in 2005.

Students may obtain an application from their high school guidance department or by contacting Debbie Daniels at NextLevel Computer Center, 1308 Third Ave., Spring Lake via phone at 732-282-0722 or via email [Debbie@nextlevelcc.com](mailto:Debbie@nextlevelcc.com).

### Yoga

Sea Girt Yoga has moved to the Spring Lake Community House on 3rd and Madison avenues. Yoga sessions will be held on Sundays from 10 to 11:30 a.m. All are welcome.

For more information call Margo at 732-558-1881.

### Support Our Troops

"Support our troops" yellow ribbons are available at the Sea Girt National Guard Militia Museum on Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. There is a \$5 charge or donation. For more information call 732-974-5966.

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## Bradley Beach

# Grant to help develop plant life on dunes, signage on boardwalk

**By Mike Gray**  
A newly acquired grant from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) will ensure plant life on the dunes will continue to develop, according to Richard Held, chairman of the environmental commission.

The grant will go towards diversifying plant life on the dunes in Bradley Beach. As Mr. Held explained, "We basically have one type of plant called American beach grass. It's a good start with the dunes, but it only has a lifespan of 5 to 7 years."

Mr. Held, along with the rest of the Bradley Beach Environmental Commission, discussed options for the \$2,500 grant from the DEP. The grant requires the environmental commission to pass a resolution to commit to the project description originally outlined to the DEP when the grant was initially applied for, according to Mr. Held.

The resolution was passed at last Thursday's meeting, but there is still another step to take before the grant can go into effect. "The town has to pass a resolution as well," said Mr. Held. "The DEP grant is for \$2,500 and the town has to pass a resolution that they will match it."

This matching grants program was developed by the DEP to aid local governments to develop environmental programs. A stipulation of the grant is that the proposed project must be executed within a year of its resolution.

Though the commission has not

decided on what new plants will be added to the dunes, Mr. Held said the work would be done by volunteers from the community. Citing it was "too early" to plant new dune grass, the actual planting may not happen until March — which is fine with Mr. Held, because "it gives us time to order plants."

Another aspect of the approved resolution allows for part of the grant money to be immediately applied to developing environmental signage for the town. This means informative signs will be created and placed along the boardwalk that will detail and highlight different environmental aspects of the immediate area.

"[The signs will] describe a particular type of seagull ... or dune. You'll see these at state parks ... so we're planning to do at least a few of those, as money permits," said Mr. Held.

The second resolution for the grant is expected to pass at the next town council meeting.

In other environmental commission news:

- The Environmental Club at Bradley Beach Elementary School is going to be placing warning emblems on storm drains around town. The town will be purchasing emblems to inform the public not to dump waste into the drains, as the drains empty out directly into the ocean. The school children, while supervised by adults, will be placing the emblems onto storm drains around town.

Mr. Held said he expects this project to happen sometime between now and the fall and believes it will help the children understand what storm drains are for.

• The commission will be focusing on recycling, particularly around the beachfront area, in the coming months. To underscore this, the commission will be running a poster contest at the elementary school in cooperation with art teacher Gail Mayer.

According to Mr. Held, the poster contest will be open to students in grades 6 to 8 and the environmental commission will be the judges to select a first-, second-, and third-place winner. Though the available prizes are still being decided upon, Mr. Held said the contest will occur "definitely before school is out" this year.

The winning three posters will be displayed around town, including at the environmental commission's booth at the upcoming International Food Festival on June 25.

• The commission discussed the Clean Ocean Action beach sweep on April 23 and mentioned there will be no more debris-monitoring beach sweeps until October.

"Public works is starting to rake the beach, getting it ready for summer," said Mr. Held. He also mentioned the town has purchased new recycling bins, which will be placed at the entrance of each beach in time for the summer crowds to use.

### Bradley Beach Community Calendar

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#### PTO Brick Sale

The Bradley Beach Elementary School is having its main entrance remodeled. The school is looking for people who want the messages of their choice to be permanently inscribed in stone.

The PTO's goal is to have 1,000 4-by-8-inch engraved paved blocks grace the exterior walkway block.

The 4-by-8-inch blocks are available for \$50 donations. Additionally, 6-by-9-inch blocks are available for \$100 donation. All proceeds will be allocated toward the purchase of the school's permanent playground equipment.

Applications are available at the Bradley Beach Elementary School, or call 732-775-4413 for more information.

#### Adopt A Flower Bed

All residents, organizations and clubs are invited to plant flowers along the beachfront and adopt a flower bed. The planting date is scheduled for May 14 at 9 a.m. All participants will be meeting at the gazebo on Fifth and Ocean avenues. The program entails the planting and maintaining of the adopted flower bed. The borough will supply all materials needed.

Anyone interested in participating can contact Lori Marchak-Ortiz at borough hall 732-776-2999.

#### Fire Department Fundraiser

The Bradley Beach Fire Department will be holding its second annual Spring Fling Dinner Buffet and Dance on Saturday, May 14 at the Banquet Hall Fire House, 815 Main St., Bradley Beach. The fund-raiser will be to support the building fund. The event begins at 7 p.m. and there is a \$25 donation per ticket for the evening. There will be music, beer, wine and a buffet dinner at the fundraiser. For more information call 732-988-6450

#### Dog Licenses

Dog licenses have been renewable since Jan. 1. Dog owners may renew at borough hall, at 701 Main St., or through the mail using the dog license form. There has been a \$10 late fee, effective March 1.

#### Beach Badge Sale

This year's male and female adult beach badges are now available at borough hall, at 701 Main St. The cost is \$60. Also on sale now are senior citizen badges for those over 60, and junior badges for those 14 or 15, at the regular discount price of \$25. Call 732-776-2999 with any questions.

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Fourth-graders Josh Kucinsky [above, from left] James Russotto and Juan Carlos Ortiz pitched in to help plant trees at last Friday's Arbor Day celebration at Bradley Beach Elementary School.

## Public works getting town set for summer

**By Mike Gray**  
With only a month to go until Memorial Day weekend, the kick-off to summer for shore towns around the area, the Public Works Department of Bradley Beach is kicking into high gear.

On Tuesday this week, the Public Works Department started planting flowers on Main Street. Utilizing community service workers and inmates from the Monmouth County Correctional Facility, two to three thousand

flowers were planted along the main road of Bradley Beach. Richard Bianchi, operating supervisor of the Public Works Department, said he anticipated the planting to be completed within one day.

The beachfront has also been readied for the summer, with Mr. Bianchi reporting that all the bathroom facilities and on-beach showers are open and ready.

"We're open down here, we're functioning," said Mr. Bianchi.

Raking of the beach is also underway, with four rakings already completed, and more scheduled in the following weeks. According to Mr. Bianchi, the week before Memorial Day, raking will be daily.

In addition, handicapped-accessible walkways will be installed on the boardwalk within the next

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Bradley Beach



Bradley Beach's town greenhouse [above] has been used to grow flowers that will be part of the Adopt-A-Bed project, to commence on May 14. All residents, organizations and clubs are invited to adopt a flower bed and plant flowers along the beachfront.

## Adopt-A-Bed invites residents to plant flowers on May 14

By Mike Gray

With spring in full bloom, Bradley Beach is looking to make the town a little brighter by inviting the public to adopt and plant flower beds on May 14.

The Adopt-A-Bed project is open to all residents, organizations and clubs — and even people outside of the Bradley Beach area. "Everyone is welcome — we're trying to beautify our town for the community," said Councilwoman Lori Marchak-Ortiz, who has spearheaded the project since its early stages of development.

The town greenhouse has been utilized to grow the flowers, which will be planted along the beachfront in flower beds on the boardwalk.

"We toured the greenhouse last summer and decided, since we had the greenhouse facility, to try and grow our own flowers," said Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz.

It will be the responsibility of a person who adopts a flower bed to plant the flowers and maintain the flower bed throughout the season. The borough will supply all materials needed for the planting.

There is a variety of flowers that will be available to the public for planting, including begonias, pansies, impatiens, geraniums, and snapdragons, all of which

were grown in the greenhouse. In addition, coral bells, russian sage, varieties of seagrass and many more selections will be delivered by Kube Pak, a nursery and wholesale flower business located in Allentown, on May 13.

Both the flowers being used and flower bed arrangements were decided upon by Kube Pak, who was contacted for advisement by Richard Bianchi, operating supervisor for the public works department.

According to Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz, a representative from Kube Pak reviewed the existing flower beds in Bradley Beach and figured out what plants would be suitable for the oceanfront.

Even though outside help was sought, a majority of the flowers were grown in the town's greenhouse.

"More than half the flowers, about 70 percent we grew [in the greenhouse]," said Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz. She added the town decided to go with perennials, to avoid having to plant again next spring.

Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz, Mr. Bianchi, and public works employee Ronnie Long and his wife Sheila have been the main coordinators of the project.

"[Mr. Long] decided to take this

[project] on. His wife is doing it on a volunteer basis, and so is he. They spend about three hours a day in the greenhouse, planting, watering, checking the heaters ... he adopted all of these flowers and made them grow," said Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz.

This project came out of a want for "community involvement," a day when the town could get together as a whole to make things nicer for everyone, according to Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz.

She also noted the cost efficiency of utilizing the town greenhouse, and seeking volunteers from the community rather than paying for professional landscaping.

"We're saving the town a substantial amount of money — we want to try something different instead of the same old committees. We really wanted to reach out to everyone," said Councilwoman Marchak-Ortiz.

The flowers ordered from Kube Pak will be delivered to the public works department on May 13, where they will be stored overnight before being brought down to the 5th Avenue gazebo the next morning for planting. Public works will be making holes in the flower beds along Ocean

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## BOE re-organizes administration, board

By Mike Gray

Administrative and board of education appointments were the focus of last Tuesday's Bradley Beach Elementary Board of Education meeting.

The board approved appointments of a number of administrative positions for the 2005-2006 school year, and held the swearing-in of two new board members.

The meeting began with an administration of the oath of office to new and returning board members, which included the swearing in of two new faces to the board.

Eleanor McClymont and Tammi Totten were voted onto the board in April's school elections. Mrs. Totten was not present at the meeting for the oath, but Mrs. McClymont, a former Director of Special Services in the Scotch Plains district, was sworn in at the meeting.

The nomination and election of both a board president and vice-president were approved. Current board president Paul Charette was re-nominated for the position of president of the school board, who in turn nominated board member Todd Migdon for the post of vice-president.

A motion was made to approve the re-appointment of a number of administrative positions for the 2005-2006 school year. There had been no change in personnel from last year, and all persons who had held administrative positions from last year were approved to continue in those same positions.

In addition, the appointment of Valerie Cioffi as Assistant Principal and David Tonzola as Assistant to the Business Administrator was approved by the board.

A letter of retirement from teacher Isobel McCutcheon, a secretary, and letters of resignation from Kristina Gallucci, a part-time special education teacher, and Jennifer Willis, an art teacher, were read and accepted by the board.

While Mrs. Willis' position will be filled, it had not been decided at press time what would become of the positions left vacant by Mrs. McCutcheon and Ms. Gallucci. When reached for comment on who would be teaching the special education students that fell under the unrenewed position Ms. Gallucci filled, Superintendent Dr. Wayne Turner said he could not comment on personnel organization matters for next year at this time.

Summer hours for the Child Study Team were approved. Joanna Giuliano, Supervisor of Special Services and psychologist, has been retained for \$2,500 for up to 50 hours of work. Carolyn Iraggi, LDT-C, had been retained for \$1,000 for up to 28 hours, and Alison Zylinski, a social worker, has been retained for \$1,000 for up to 28 hours of service.

In addition, the recommendation to approve service providers Dr. Morris Reby, psychiatrist, for \$370 a case, Dr. Dorothy Pietrucha, a neurologist, for \$175 a case, Deborah Conklin, an occupational therapist, for \$70 a case, and Barbara and Michael O'Boyle, physical therapists, for \$70 an hour, was passed.

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## Discussing The Importance Of Trees



Sea Girt Shade Tree Commission Chairman Conrad Yauch [above] discussed the importance of trees in the community before a crowd at the elementary school during the Arbor Day ceremonies. This year's cherry tree, which was donated by the shade tree commission, was dedicated to crossing guard Marguerite Ciallella [right] who has served at that post since 1970.

## Weichert Realtors names top associates

On April 19, Jim Johnson, branch manager of Weichert Realtors Sea Girt Office, announced that two sales associates were recognized for their industry achievements in the month of March.

David Easley led the office in listings. A licensed real estate professional, Mr. Easley studied sociology at Rutgers University.

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Mr. Kirschner will highlight those areas of concern, and will reflect on the climate in Trenton as it proceeds through the state's budgeting process and a gubernatorial campaign year.

A networking reception will begin at 11:30 a.m., followed by lunch and the luncheon speaker's

presentation. The cost of the event is \$30 per person [\$35 for non-MODC members] and includes lunch.

For more information or to make reservations, contact MODC at 2520 Route 35, Suite 205, Manasquan, 08736.

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## Just A Friendly Game Of Roulette



The Wall Sunrise Rotary Club/Wall Pop Warner Casino Night, held recently at the Barclay in Belmar, invited locals to test their luck at a variety of games, including roulette [above].

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## Woman's club to hold luncheon on May 12

The Woman's Club of Brielle will conclude its present season with a luncheon on May 12 at The Breakers in Spring Lake.

End-of-year awards will be given out, including the Tulip Award, which is presented annually to the member who has done the most for the club.

Entertainment will be provided by Leslie Pandolfe, artistic director at the Algonquin Arts Theatre, who will take the club through the years with familiar tunes.

Ms. Pandolfe holds a master of

arts degree in educational theater from New York University, and has been acting, singing and dancing since age six. She recently was on stage at the Algonquin Arts as the principal role in the children's musical, Magic of Spring.

Members of the woman's club will spend the summer preparing for Brielle Day in September, and the luncheon fashion show in October.

For membership information, call 732-528-8553.

# WE'RE MAKING STRIDES FOR IGA NEPHROPATHY

By Bonnie Schneider

**\$42,000 Raised for IGA Nephropathy Research!!!**

### TO MY WALKERS:

**WOW!** Talk about communities coming together for our son Eddie Schneider (13 yrs) 1,127 walkers and runners from all over New Jersey took part in this incredible day. The weather was on our side Sunday, April 24th, however I don't think the rain would have prevented this fantastic group of participants from attending.

Eddie was diagnosed 1 year ago with a chronic kidney disease known as IGA Nephropathy. The cause of this disease is the kidney's inability to breakdown the protein we have in our body known as IGA. Over the course of time the kidney filters breakdown which can lead to dialysis and end stage renal failure. There is little ongoing research and NO cure at this time. This is why we formed an organization and incorporated under the name "STRIDES FOR IGA NEPHROPATHY". We are a non-profit organization with all proceeds going to research specifically for this disease.

We will be attending the National Kidney Foundations Patient Empowerment Initiative in Washington D.C. on May 4-6th. These three days will educate us through training sessions on how to become best advocates on issues affecting Eddie's health, all affected with IGA Nephropathy and the effects it has on us as a family. This education is instrumental to us as we step up and put IGA Nephropathy in the front line with other diseases. Because of your faith in Eddie and us you will be with us in our hearts as you have made this possible. It is going to be a long and hard fight but with this tremendous community support we will get there!

### THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU!

**TO MY AWESOME COMMITTEE:** You were tireless! You made my dream come true! You are and always will be "the wind beneath my wing" I love you guys! We felt it didn't end? Robin Dillon, Judy Shina, Barb Allen, Paul Lacy, Sarah Timko, Holly Crawford, Louise Dett, Tracy Roche, Peg Hall, Robin Gannon, Marylou Jeffrey, Marge Shiba, and my husband Ed Schneider.

**MY WEEKEND CRUNCH TIMERS:** Thank you for letting me consume your spouses for months. You were key to having this event run smoothly. We needed you! Ralph Shinn, Tom Crawford, Cliff and Michelle Tracy, Jim Roche, Tim and Beth Sheridan, Ali Napolitano, Jean Mcniff, Renee Ridge, Tom LaBanca, Rich Gannon, Joe Hall, Robin Thomson, Claire Fortenza, Lisa Erdman, Peter and Lucy DeLuise, David Cohea and Jim Maliff.

**TO MY HUSBAND ED SCHNEIDER:** This has been a difficult year with Eddie then Michelle (our daughter with Hodgkin's lymphoma). We have been blessed with so many people who care about us we can get through anything. Thank you for putting up with my lows. Thank you for taking over when I needed you to. Now let's move mountains.

**MAKING OUR DAY SUCCESSFUL:** Many thanks to all our volunteers who had a part in making the event successful. Monmouth County Police Pipe and Drum Band, Sr. Margo Kavanaugh, Sue Mueller our photographer, South Wall Fire Company, Wall First Aid and Rescue, Mike Kirby our DJ, Manasquan High School Health Club volunteers, Cathy Cunningham from the Atlantic Club with the St. Catharine's Cheerleaders, Wall Township Mayor Ned Thomson, Civil Air Patrol, Theresa Artigas Photo Gallery, our 7th grade St. Catharine's School volunteers and McCann's Tavern for the wonderful buffet for all the walkers.



Eddie looks on as the walk begins with the South Wall Fire Company.



Walkers gather by the bandstand for the opening ceremony at the National Guard Training Center, Sea Girt on Sunday April 24th.

**OUR REFRESHMENTS:** If you were there the refreshments were awesome! Thanks to our chairperson Tracy Roche. We had fantastic support from Valente's Italian Deli (thanks Lenny), Dunkin Donuts, ShopRite, Foodtown, Midway Ice House, Canada Dry of Asbury Park, Keri and John Roche, Manhattan Bagel, Einstein Bagel, the Marsicano family and Laguori family.

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**Bonnie & Ed Schneider**

# Inmates talk to students about drugs leading to crime

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"I never wanted to take the chances that were given to me," she said.

Due to a lack of money and income, she turned to a life of crime. She was arrested in 2000 for car jacking and sentenced to 10 years in jail. Next year, after serving five years, she will be eligible for parole.

"I should be about to graduate college, but I am not. I am sitting in prison because of the choices I made," Jen said. "I missed my prom. I missed my graduation and I can't get that time back."

The other two inmates also mentioned the experiences they have missed out in life.

An inmate named Jesse said he recently spoke with his mother about a man he went to high school with, who now, at 24 years of age, runs his own business and owns his own home.

"I could have my own house. I could have a degree," said Jesse.

Another theme that all three inmates stressed was that any type of drug and alcohol abuse can lead down the path to a life of crime.

"Just smoking weed leads to other things. The choices that you make now, they might seem like little choices but they add up into big choices before you know it," Jen said in closing.

Jesse, who was an outstanding athlete at a young age, said sports "went right out the window" after he started getting high from smoking marijuana and drinking alcohol.

Jesse, too, began robbing people and homes for money for drugs. He is serving a 15-year sentence for burglary.

The third prisoner, a man from Deal named Morris, is in his eighth year of an 11-year sentence for armed robbery.

Morris explained his problems started with gambling, which then escalated into drug dealing because he needed the money to cover his betting and debt.

As he became more involved with drugs, he started using more and more and started stealing to buy



SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
**H.W. Mountz seventh grader Kerry Spillane [above] listened intently to the prisoners from Project P.R.I.D.E. who spoke about the dangers of drug-use this past Tuesday morning at the school.**

more drugs. The police raided his home and arrested him after he entered a neighbor's home and demanded money from the occupants.

"I never thought it could happen to me," said Morris, who informed the students he and his friends from high school called themselves "the untouchables."

He said none of his friends have visited him or wrote or called since he has been incarcerated.

"I paid a horrible price for the lifestyle I was living," said the inmate, who added quickly that he hopes none of the students watching would have to ever do the same.

"The only people that stuck by me were my parents, my sisters, and my aunts and uncles," said Morris.

Mr. Ritter stressed to the students if they were having any problems, even things that were not drug-related, to seek help from parents, teachers or peers or adults in the community.

A stressful situation may not be as large of a problem as using drugs, but it is something that could lead to a problem, Mr. Ritter said.

He also recommended the students talk to the student mentors

from the Spring Lake Drug Prevention Alliance, some of who were at the presentation at Mountz.

"It can happen to anybody. Addiction doesn't discriminate," Jen stressed to the students. She herself is from an affluent town in Northern New Jersey, according to Mr. Ritter.

Mr. Ritter explained the P.R.I.D.E. program tries to bring in inmates with similar backgrounds to the group they are visiting.

"We bring who we think the students will best relate to," said Mr. Ritter. "Hopefully, they will connect with at least one of the inmates."

"They're here only because they care," said Mr. Ritter, when he explained to the students that the inmates volunteer to be a part of Project P.R.I.D.E.

The idea is not to scare the students but to try to relate to them on common ground, said Mr. Ritter. Everyone is 13 years old at one point in their life and faces the choice to make wise decisions or destructive ones, said Mr. Ritter.

"Hopefully the program steers the kids away from destructive decisions," he added.

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**Jerry [above] and Patti Brown carefully examined a slew of items up for grabs at the Manasquan Football Club's tenth-annual gift auction, held last weekend.**

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# RECAPPING THE RECORD

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### 50 YEARS AGO

- An 18-year-old Elizabeth youth was charged with reckless driving Sunday night after a two-car accident left four injured. Police said William A. Decker was given a reckless driving summons after his car hit an automobile driven by Edward Hayes, Jr., Manasquan, at Second Avenue and Washington Boulevard, Sea Girt.
- The Allenwood Grange will present its Minstrel and Musical Revue at the Wall Central School auditorium Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m.
- The show features a cast of 44 people who will present singing, dancing, and comedy talents of the Grange.

### 25 YEARS AGO

- Manasquan will try harder to prevent people in bathing attire without beach badges from using the borough's ocean-front walkway. This contemplated action — backed by a strengthened ordinance amendment adopted by the borough council Monday night — stems from disapproval of Sea Watch Incorporated, which owns a 200-foot string of walkway running north from Ocean Avenue.
- Spring Lake firefighters would like their fire chief to have a recognizable vehicle.
- The foreman of the Spring Lake Goodwill Fire CO. NO. 2 asked borough officials to consider transfer of an unassigned borough-owned 1973 Dodge passenger vehicle to the fire department.

### 10 YEARS AGO

- Manasquan and its sending districts have tried to get a regionalization study off the ground, but continuing twists have made the outlook for the student unclear. Spring Lake and Sea Girt, which initially expressed interest in joining the study, dropped out late last week. Manasquan Superintendent Carole Knopp Morris said. Wall Township, which had expressed interest before both Sea Girt and Spring Lake, dropped out before those two towns.
- The future generations of erosion specialists and just plain beach-lovers got a chance to learn about the intricacies of erosion and what needs to be done to protect their beach they have come to know as a part of the community when the State Beach Erosion Commission met in front of an unusual audience — Manasquan Elementary School students.

### 1 YEAR AGO

- Board of Education President Robert Kirk doesn't want to live in a municipality called South Belmar anymore. But he isn't moving to another borough, or even changing houses. He just wants the town to change its name — to Lake Como. Mr. Kirk proposed the move to the South Belmar Borough Council at Tuesday's meeting, and though he said he was met with a "so-so" response from council members, he still remains optimistic there is a possibility for change.
- To parishioners attending a Catholic Mass celebrating First Holy Communion on Sunday, 8-year-old Brielle resident Haley Waldman appeared to be a healthy young girl receiving the Holy Eucharist for the first time. Most were unaware of one very significant difference, however, in Haley's Communion host — the wafer was gluten-free and the main cause of a swirl of controversy over the last several months in the parish she was formerly a member of — St. Denis in Manasquan.

- Chances are the township committee won't make many cuts to the school budget voters shot down last month, one of the governing body's liaisons to the board of education said this week. The township committee is again charged with the task of reviewing the school budget and making cuts after voters rejected the board's \$54 million spending plan by a 1,696-1,109 vote.

## Upcoming Meetings

- MONDAY, MAY 9 —
- Avon Board of Commissioners, 7 p.m. regular, borough hall, Main Street.
  - Manasquan Council, 7 p.m. workshop, borough hall, 201 East Main Street.
  - Brielle Council, 7:30 p.m. regular, borough hall, 601 Union Lane.
  - Spring Lake Heights Council, 8 p.m., borough hall, Brighton Avenue.
  - Lake Como Planning Board, 7:30 p.m., borough hall, Main Street.
- TUESDAY, MAY 10 —
- Bradley Beach Council, 6:30 p.m. workshop, 7 p.m. regular, borough hall, Main Street.
  - Brielle Planning Board, 7:30 p.m., borough hall, 601 Union Lane.
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 11 —
- Spring Lake Planning Board, 7:30 p.m., borough hall, Fifth and Washington avenues.
  - Wall Committee, workshop 7 p.m., regular 7:30 p.m., Municipal Complex, 2100 Allaire Road.
  - Sea Girt Council, 7:30 p.m., elementary school, Bell Place.
  - Belmar Council, 6:30 p.m. workshop, 7 p.m. regular, borough hall, Main Street.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

WALL POLICE, BOE NEED TO STOP FEUD NOW  
 Editor, The Coast Star:

The Wall taxpayers will end up paying more property taxes again. The latest feud between the School Board and the Township Committee is going to cost us more. At the present time, we pay the salaries of the teachers and administrators of the schools to run the schools. As with every school in our country, this means enforcing rules to protect the students in the school. We pay a police force to enforce laws to protect the citizens in the community. The Township Committee wants the police more involved in the schools.

Before you make up your mind, you should read the documents prepared by both groups. The Township Committee's position can be found at www.wallnj.com. You should look under their statement and the police incidents they wanted reported. You should then read the Board of Education's response. This can be found at www.wall.k12.nj.us. After reading both of these, I wondered why we have to spend all this time on this controversy. I assume we have already spent some tax dollars to get the lawyers to write up the charges against each group. I wonder how much it costs for the Township Solicitor to write a 15-page letter. We also have been paying the professionals in our schools and police department for their time to give their explanations to the politicians in this argument, instead of doing their other duties.

After the meetings to try and resolve this we have now moved to the next phase. The schools are now reporting all incidents to the police as the Township Committee requested. We now have reported to the police the disagreement between the two girls in the girls bathroom. One girl splashed water and one threw soap. I assume that the police will have to keep all records of incidents reported to them. Will we have enough storage space for the files in the police department for all these items or will this be a new addition to be built with taxpayer dollars? We also have the police investigating the missing salad from the Intermediate School. If they do not solve this now, maybe years from now when it is in the cold case files it will be solved.

The time to stop this is now. I am concerned that the public officials, who said they would provide us with good government, lack the skills to resolve this issue. It is not good government to have this controversy ongoing. It hurts the reputation of the community, and that could have an effect on property values. It cost us to waste the time of our paid police and school employees as they come up with answers for the elected officials in their argument. After you read both sides, let your officials know to stop now. If this continues we only are hurting ourselves. Right now rumors are spreading through out the Township. One rumor is that this has been caused by a politician's choice for a job in the schools was turned down and by the schools. I sincerely hope this rumor is false. When public officials lack the skills to resolve their problems by discussion and compromise, it cost us wasted tax dollars and harmful rumors.

EDWARD C. MORGAN  
 West Magnolia Avenue, Wall Township

GRANDMOTHER UPSET BY WALL POLICE, SCHOOL BEHAVIOR  
 Editor, The Coast Star:

I am a grandmother living in Monmouth County, who has two grandchildren in the Wall school system. I am appalled by

the news that everything involving confrontation between the students in the Wall school system shall be reported to the police. I cannot believe the attitude of the adults, that they would consider holding children hostage while they duke it out between themselves regarding their own political disagreements. What a lesson the students are learning taught by adults. The teachers, the principals, the superintendent of schools will be stripped of their power to discipline, to react, to connect with their students. Instead, the police will be called. Instead of chasing terrorists, the police are chasing missing salads. I am not talking about students who carry weapons, or about gangs. I am talking about kids who are kids. Contact among children is their way of expressing themselves. But now it could be written down as a complaint. If a child is involved in a skirmish, that child could be labeled troublesome and that complaint could follow him the rest of his life. I hesitate to tell you how many skirmishes I was in during my childhood. The police would have been kept busy with me. I shudder to think we are becoming a police state. Where our actions are monitored and reported. Where we begin to fear more the power of those who have no business involved in our personal lives and the lives of our children. And what about our freedoms and the freedom of our children. The freedom of expression without fear. The freedom to be different, to defend oneself within reason — the freedom to learn from our mistakes. And what about our teachers and their freedoms...the good teachers...the dedicated ones...dare they touch the shoulder of a child, and would the police be called for such an action. What is acceptable behavior? Would someone explain that to me. Is there going to be a booklet published of such behavior? Who will write it? Who will decide acceptable behavior for the public?

And we are the public. Do not forget it. And when we are threatened, and yes, this time we are being threatened, just watch us react. We have the power through words, through our vote, through our protests to protect the rights that we have been given upon birth, in this country. What we are teaching our children by this issue is to disconnect, not to touch, not to express, and in doing so, they will think even less of each other and less of us for allowing it. Shame on all of you who are the adults involved in robbing kids of being kids. You had that privilege in your lives. Why take it away from them.

HARRIET MAY SAVITZ  
 Park Place Avenue, Bradley Beach

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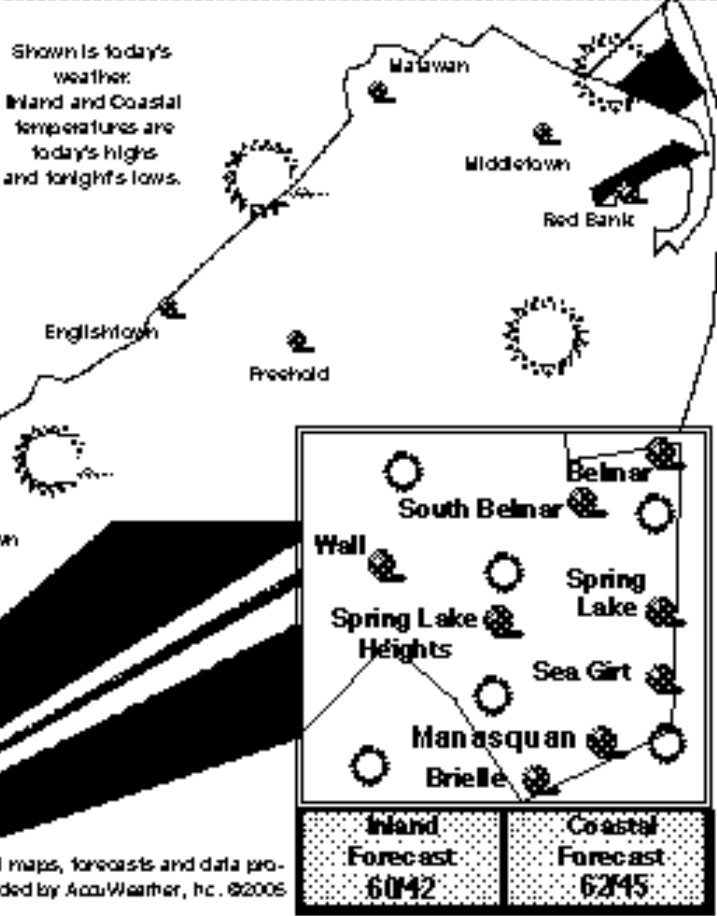
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Sunday	8:10 p.m.	5:1	1:29 p.m.
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Tuesday	8:41 p.m.	5:0	2:07 p.m.
Wednesday	9:11 p.m.	4:8	2:54 p.m.
Thursday	9:02 p.m.	5:7	2:48 p.m.
Friday	9:54 a.m.	4:6	3:25 a.m.
Saturday	10:03 p.m.	5:5	3:27 p.m.
Sunday	9:54 p.m.	4:8	4:11 p.m.
Monday	10:42 p.m.	5:2	4:06 p.m.

Shown is today's weather. Inland and Coastal temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.



Sun & Moon	
Sunrise	Sunset
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FRI 5:49 a.m.	7:57 p.m.
SAT 5:48 a.m.	7:58 p.m.
SUN 5:47 a.m.	7:59 p.m.
Moonrise	Moonsit
THU 4:57 a.m.	5:24 p.m.
FRI 5:16 a.m.	7:23 p.m.
SAT 5:43 a.m.	8:42 p.m.
SUN 6:16 a.m.	9:49 p.m.
Moon Phases	
New	First Full
May 16	May 29
May 23	May 30

### Observations of ADAM YANKEE

Leadership depends on the ability to make people want to follow voluntarily.



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HEIGHTS RESIDENT WANTS MORE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP

Editor, The Coast Star:  
There were articles on the same page of another newspaper on the late Sam Mills and Jeremy Shockey. I thought it was a perfect example of the good and bad of professional sports. Sam Mills was a pro-bowl performer and more recently assistant coach. Jeremy Shockey came out of the University of Miami a few years ago as extremely egotistical and has become even worse. I realize that money is the prime factor in professional sports — however, it is sad to see someone like Wellington and Tim Marra, who have always been a credit to the sport, going along with this player pampering. If the Giants are looking for a high-caliber, extremely talented tight-end next year, they should look to nearby Verona, New Jersey. Anthony Fasano will be coming out of Notre Dame.

JOHN J. MERRINGTON  
Garden Place, Spring Lake Heights

ASSEMBLYMAN TO HOLD CONFERENCE ON TERRORISM JUNE 9

Editor, The Coast Star:  
As you are aware, since September 11, 2001, our nation and our state face many new threats to our safety and Homeland Security has become a major part of our lives. Hence, I believe it is imperative that residents know some of the efforts presently being undertaken in an effort to reduce the likelihood of another attack.

As a result, I believe the public can support this fight against threats by becoming educated in aspects of what is being done to ensure security. Thus, I am inviting the community to join me at a conference I am hosting on June 9th from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Wall Township Intermediate School Auditorium, 2801 Allaire Rd., Wall.

Members of the various areas of the homeland security community will be in attendance to discuss Homeland Security issues, funding perspectives and what we can do to more effectively protect ourselves in the event of a terrorist attack.

Also, members of the public can offer their unique perspectives on these issues. I urge you to attend this event and your thoughts or comments are welcomed.

SEAN T. KEAN  
Assemblyman, 11th District

FORMER BOARD MEMBER THANKS SUPPORTERS

Editor, The Coast Star:  
I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many members of the Spring Lake community who have supported me over the past ten years on the Board of Education. It has been a pleasure to serve as your representative. H.W. Mountz School has seen many changes over the past ten years. Highlights include:

- Passing the referendum.
- Building a new addition that allowed for more classroom space.
- A Best Practices Award via Arts through the Curriculum.
- An Exemplary School Partnership Award for our NJMUSST program with seventh graders and senior citizens working together.
- HW Mountz students representing NJ at the National Geography and Spelling Bees in Washington, DC [multiple times].
- The MARE program receiving an award for best ocean studies curriculum.

And most importantly, working with an exemplary administrative, teaching and support staff.

In a small school, staff members wear many hats. They perform above and beyond what their job descriptions call for and always have the students' best interests at the forefront. Our students are well-prepared for high school and whether they attend Manasquan, St. Rose, CBA, RBC or the specialized programs.

I encourage parents and community members to continue supporting our school and the budget. As board members, we always try to be responsive to taxpayers while providing a quality education for our students; however, the reality is that fixed costs make up ninety percent of the budget, which leaves very little room for trimming.

I wish Jim Panzini the best of luck as the newly elected board member. I know that he will be reasonable and fair. Our commitment to public education is always worth our time and effort.

BEVERLY WEST  
Worthington Street, Spring Lake

WALL REPUBLICAN CLUB THANKS SPONSORS, MEMBERS

Editor, The Coast Star:  
On behalf of the Wall Republican Club, I would like to thank all of the sponsors, patrons, and committee members who worked so hard to make this year's Mayor's Ball a huge success. In all, roughly 225 people came out to The Mill in Spring Lake Heights to pay tribute to our esteemed neighbor and mayor, Edward H. Thomson, III. The event also paid tribute to the Exceptional GOP Honoree, former Wall Township mayor Robert F. McKenna.

Event chairs Todd Luttmann and Kevin Orendler put on a great show, and they could not have done it without the expertise and hard work of Mary DeSarno and the rest of the Mayor's Ball committee. It was especially gratifying to see so many new faces and first-time attendees. With all the dancing that went on late into the night, I think it's safe to say that everyone will be back for more next year. Don't miss the photos that will be posted at www.WallRepublicans.org. Thanks again to all of the com-

mittee, all of the door prize donors and all of the sponsors who made the night such a huge success.

JO SCHLOEDER  
President, Wall Republican Club

RESIDENT COMMENDS TOWN ON D'JAIS MEETING

Editor, The Coast Star:  
I'm writing to commend Belmar Mayor Kenneth E. Pringle's chairmanship of the April 27 meeting dealing with the seasonal license of D'Jais Bar and Restaurant. There was large-scale neighborhood resistance to the renewal of the license because of the unacceptable behavior of the Bar clientele in the surrounding area, such as public urination, littering, vandalism, noisiness, etc. All those who wanted to be heard were given the opportunity to voice their opinions at length, pro or con.

The borough council is to be commended as well because the proceedings were quite tiring and there was a regular scheduled meeting that followed. Well done to everyone.

J. THOMAS DILBERGER  
River Road, Belmar

FORMER RESIDENT SAYS, GIVE LOU MEEHAN A PAT ON THE BACK

Editor, The Coast Star:  
I remember many things about playing tennis at the Jersey Shore. It [my humble career] began on the backboard that still stands at the Sea Girt Elementary School. At age [6 or 7] my mother would let me hit against the wall for hours and would eventually get me tennis lessons at the now defunct Allaire Racquet Club [ARC].

I played at ARC from age 7 until I left for college. ARC was a place of entertainment and energy. It was around 1984-85 tennis professional Lou Meehan arrived at court No. 5 as the new tennis pro for ARC. Lou was a peculiar character to an 11 to 12 year old tennis player from Sea Girt. Lou instantaneously gave ARC animation; he brought humor, insight and talent that like no pro previously. He essentially gave ARC and the local tennis community an IV of tennis life.

Soon after Lou's arrival my ranking jumped to the top ten in New Jersey in the 12 and under and I won my first real M.S.T.A. Tournament at the Tom's River Country Club in 1985. I was by no means Lou's best student. Red Bank Catholic's Jay Nerenberg [State Champion] was far too talented for me to be fairly compared. However, I was a hard worker and Lou demanded that from his players, if you were on the court you gave 100 percent with no excuses [and we had some good excuses]. It was a simple notion, play your hardest or get off the court! Like any real coach/student relationship we had some ups and downs. Nevertheless, I can assure we were genuine with each other in our years playing together.

The Jersey Shore tennis community is lucky to have Lou Meehan. He has improved the games of young/old for years. Although, ARC and Wall Racquet Clubs are gone, and some public tennis courts are now for skateboarding, one commodity stands true at the Atlantic Club, tennis professional Lou Meehan. When a person like Lou gives so much of themselves to a sport and its people, the community sometimes forgets to say thank you. In my opinion he is still the best tennis lesson a person can find 20 some years later. If you see Lou Meehan pat him on the back and say thanks for giving so much time and effort without ever asking for applause.

DONALD MARRIOTT  
High Point, N.C.

[Donald Marriott is a certified PTR tennis professional and the Director of Tennis at the High Point Country Club in High Point, N.C. He played his college tennis at High Point University [1991-1995] where he was a Carolina All-Conference and a Millis-Scholar Athlete.]

WALL RESIDENT FINDS SCHOOL INCIDENT REPORTING RIDICULOUS

Editor, The Coast Star:  
In an April 26 article on the comprehensive reporting to the police of criminal incidents at Wall high School you editorialized that some of the incidents were small or "ridiculous." Your writer's opinion was out of place in an otherwise excellent, factual news article. Salad theft should not be minimized. Perhaps a high school vegetarian was deprived of her lunch by this crime, an incident that should not be trivialized by your reporter.

The article reported serious crimes — pencil stabbing, salad theft, assault and battery by soap and water, and school bus bullying. I am reassured that there were no spitball incidents, a fact that surely indicates that the students are getting a good education on stopping the spread of infectious disease.

I wish your article had sought the informed opinion of professional educators on what happens when politicians and police intervene in the educational environment. How does the police presence at Wall high school affect the students and administrators? Do the police officers investigating the water splashing assault and battery think this is a good use of their police academy training? Do high school students have an opinion on the role of the police at their school? Should the school have a jail cell for repeat offenders? How much have Wall taxpayers paid to lawyers and others to implement this new oversight/reporting policy? Are criminal incidents on the rise compared to other schools that have lax reporting requirements?

If the new reporting requirement helps just one student avoid a life of crime then it will be successful. Personally, I feel a lot safer knowing

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TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2005 5PM

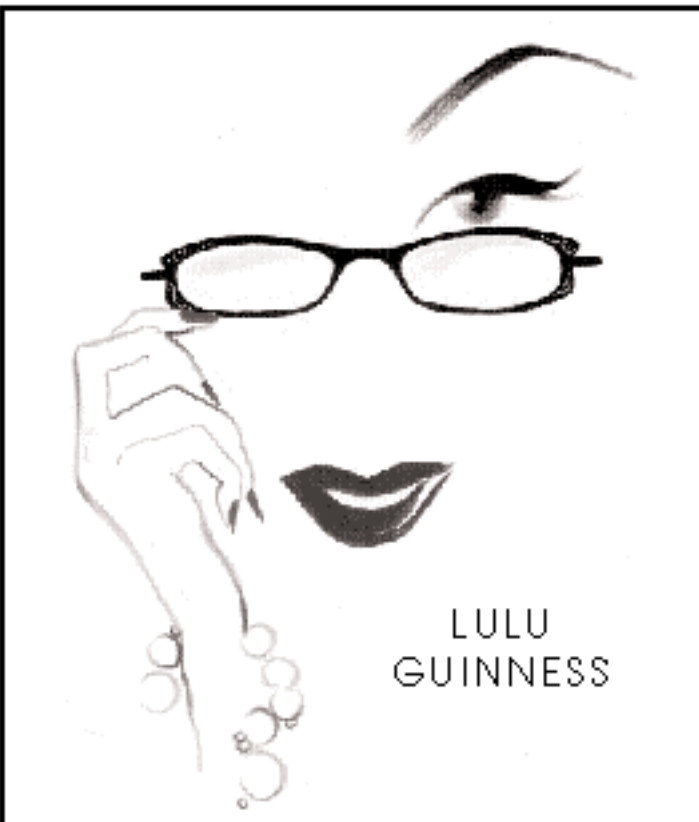
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# Council renews D'Jais liquor license; will review capacity

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but did not actually see them exit from D'Jais itself.

Seventeenth Avenue resident Rita Dempsey, who chairs the Belmar Homeowners Association's membership and public relations committee, told the council she witnessed two specific incidents last year which she said have caused D'Jais to be a "source of irritation" for her and her family.

According to Ms. Dempsey, the first incident involved a "major fight" on the corner of her block, which she said originated inside D'Jais. She said the participants were using obscene language and some were even bleeding.

"There was mayhem," Ms. Dempsey said.

She said the second incident occurred when three female patrons of D'Jais were walking down her street, in front of her home, when one of the women fell "smack on her face."

Ms. Dempsey added she did not believe the business should lose its license, but instead be required to meet specific quality of life conditions.

Rick Kahrmann, who co-chairs the Belmar Homeowners Association's public safety committee, testified he has seen patrons "staggering" out of D'Jais to their cars. He said he has also witnessed some patrons dropping beer bottles on the ground outside of the establishment before going inside.

Surf Avenue resident Jeffrey Poll and his wife Aimee, who also chairs the association's public safety committee, both testified that they saw alleged patrons of D'Jais "fornicating" in a car. Mr. Poll, whose son worked at the bar

last summer, said he called the incident in to police and watched the couple enter D'Jais after being roused out of their motor vehicle by responding officers.

Mr. Poll said he has witnessed various other quality of life infractions from patrons of D'Jais, including disorderly conduct, excessive noise and alleged possible drug use. He claimed he has also seen, on several different occasions, people walking unsteadily out of the bar and either vomiting or passing out on the street.

According to Mr. Poll, D'Jais has implemented a "shush patrol," by putting several security guards wearing D'Jais t-shirts on the corner of 18th Avenue to encourage patrons leaving the establishment to be quiet and respect the residents of the neighborhood. However, he said the measure "is not that effective."

Mr. Sementa, who lives upstairs, on the top floor of the establishment, said the shush patrol is out in force Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. He said he was planning to expand the patrol's coverage area south of 18th Avenue to 20th Avenue this summer.

His attorney, Mr. Wolf, held up a sign which Mr. Sementa read aloud that asks patrons to show respect to the neighborhood and keep the level of noise down when they leave the bar. He said the sign is hung up in the lobby of D'Jais.

Mr. Poll alleged D'Jais has also been in violation of Belmar's noise ordinance, since he said the sound system can be heard vibrating through the neighborhood, as well as in his house. He said Mr. Sementa tried to remediate the

problem by placing mattresses on the roof of the bar — which Mr. Poll added only "deadens the sound on occasion."

He suggested soundproofing the establishment better and installing video monitoring inside and outside of the bar.

Mr. Sementa, who has owned D'Jais for the past 26 years, said he filled each of the air mattresses halfway with water to absorb the vibrations from the bass of the music played inside the bar. He told the council Mr. Poll did not like how the mattresses looked, so he covered them with beach balls.

"We do lower the bass," Mr. Sementa said, adding that music without the bass, however, is "kind of flat."

This week, when called for comment, Pat McMahon, Belmar's director of code enforcement, said he did not believe the mattresses or beach balls on the roof constituted a code violation of any sort. He said he has never seen the mattresses that were spoken of at the hearing.

Mr. McMahon added that Mr. Sementa has never been issued a violation for debris on his property.

"He keeps the cleanest place on Ocean Avenue," he said. "Every time I ask him to do something, he does it right away."

Mr. Sementa said the bartenders hired by D'Jais all attend a certification class that explores over-serving and the signs of intoxication. According to Mr. Sementa, bartenders at D'Jais are instructed not to make any alcoholic beverages too strong and to stop serving visibly intoxicated patrons.

If someone inside the bar is seen by bar personnel as being overly intoxicated, they are

brought outside to "stall them as long as they can" and given something to eat, he said. Mr. Sementa added he also keeps a running list of people he has selected who are not allowed, for whatever reason, to return to the bar.

Chief Hill told council members that borough police responded to 32 calls at the establishment last year, including for thefts, sex offenses and first aid assistance.

The chief testified there are in fact intoxicated people who leave the bar.

"It's a bar," he stated.

By lowering D'Jais' occupancy, Chief Hill said, bartenders could better identify which patrons are over the legal limit for intoxication to prevent over-serving.

The chief said he was also concerned with the length of the line of patrons often waiting to get inside D'Jais.

"It makes a very congested area," he stated.

Chief Hill credited Mr. Sementa for working to correct some of the problems in the past.

"His cooperation is not a problem," he stated.

However, Chief Hill said, those efforts have had "limited impact."

Belmar Mayor Kenneth E. Pringle added those efforts are only as effective as when patrons are sober enough to respect the neighborhood and listen to D'Jais requests to be good neighbors. After hearing many of the residents' concerns, the mayor said he was most troubled with the allegations of noise, people leaving the bar drunk and just overall public nuisance issues.

Chief Hill said the bar's occupancy limit is one of the last few items the borough can use to address the quality of life concerns voiced by residents. As part of the study, he said police would place plainclothes officers in the bar to go unnoticed by patrons.

The chief said the borough also has the equipment to measure the decibels coming from the establishment, to see if the music is, in fact, violating the borough's noise ordinance.

Chief Hill said this week "no major problems" were reported at D'Jais during the bar's opening night last Sunday, May 1. There was, however, a "large crowd" at the establishment, he said.

Chief Hill said there were six officers on walking beats in the area of the establishment last Sunday to enforce quality of life issues. He said the bar will be open only on weekends through May 19, when it opens up Thursdays through Sundays for the season.

The chief said he has assigned a study team to monitor noise read-

ings, occupancy levels, and bartenders' abilities to identify intoxicated patrons at the bar, as per the request of the council.

It is a violation of ABC law to serve an intoxicated person, Chief Hill pointed out.

Despite the number of neighbors who voiced concerns with D'Jais, several people spoke in favor of the establishment at last week's hearing, including two senior residents — George Malgran and former Belmar Councilman Jack Manutti.

Mr. Manutti, a retired Belmar police chief, noted D'Jais has been in business for 50 years. In that time, the owners have helped out in the community in many ways and have always been cooperative with police, he said.

Mr. Manutti said borough police could handle any concerns at the establishment and that residents should report any problems while they are happening. He said it would be "fine" if the borough chose to impose conditions on the bar's license, but he strongly opposed stripping D'Jais of its liquor license.

"You can't do that," he implored the council.

Mr. Malgran agreed, saying to take D'Jais' license away would be "unconstitutional."

Both his and Mr. Manutti's comments received a round of applause from members of the audience.

Several D'Jais employees also voiced their support of the bar and its owners, noting Mr. Sementa's volunteer efforts in the community, including with the borough's annual sandcastle contest. Most of the employees talked about how the bar has helped them to pay for college, graduate work or even raising a family.

Mr. Sementa asked the council to consider letting him "do better" first, before deciding to lower his occupancy.

He noted a judge granted D'Jais an occupancy limit of 830 patrons prior to Mayor Pringle's administration. Mr. Sementa said he reduced that allowed occupancy originally in light of any quality of life concerns the residents may have had.

He told the council it would "put me out of business" if the borough reduced his current occupancy limit of 655 by even 100 patrons.

While the mayor said he wanted to be "fair" on the occupancy issue, he also told Mr. Sementa he did not care about putting his business in jeopardy if the current occupancy limit is found to be too much for bartenders to police.


He added that occupancy is "the issue that determines everything else."

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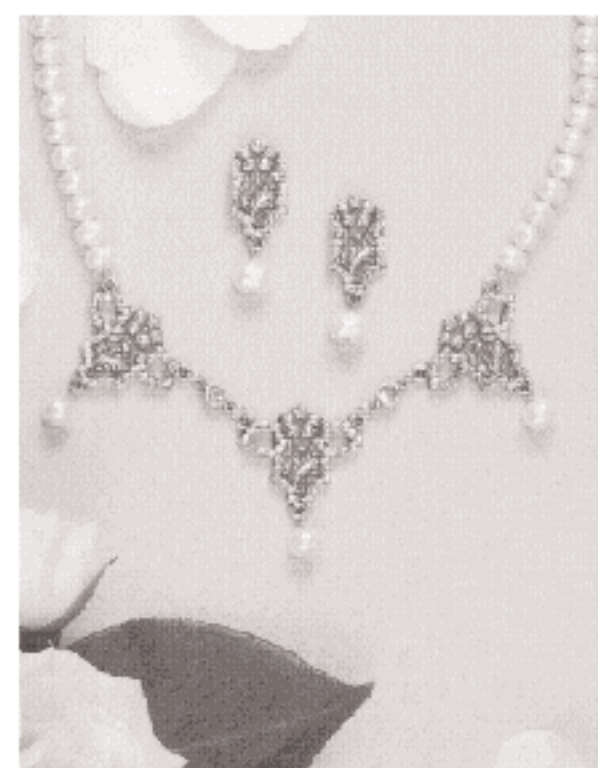
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# Borough administrator Lynch retires from post

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borough's change of government in the early 1990s from a commission to a small municipality under current Mayor Kenneth E. Pringle.

"It's good," he said of his tenure with the borough. "I've been here all along — and other people have come and gone."

Mr. Lynch, who now lives on 9th Avenue with his wife, Mary, explained the biggest reason for stepping down is the borough's upcoming redevelopment project, which he called "immense."

"Once I got my teeth into it, I'd find it very difficult to pull up stakes and say, 'Alright, time to go,'" he said.

Mr. Lynch added he is not the type of person who can quit a project once it is started. If he does not retire now, and the redevelopment project gets underway, he said he will "be kicking myself for not leaving earlier."

Mr. Lynch estimated the borough's redevelopment plans,

which include revitalizing the downtown area with a mix of commercial and residential use, will take about three years to get the bulk of what needs to be done started. He said that time frame will, most likely, include moving the current borough hall building to an as-yet undecided location.

"All of these things that are happening are very exciting, but they're going to have to happen without me," he stated.

Mr. Lynch said he took the job as borough administrator with short-term goals in mind — something he said he informed the mayor and council of when he was appointed.

"I never intended to take the job for 10 years," he said.

Mr. Lynch cited several accomplishments as administrator under his belt, including the monthly department head meetings he implemented and hiring a part-time supervisor for the borough marina.

He said he also worked to have

the borough hire a full-time engineer without any additional cost to taxpayers. He explained this was done by giving her certain jobs typically done by the borough's engineering firm of Birdsell Engineering, such as application reviews for the planning board. Mr. Lynch said the engineer is also making sewer inspections as part of the borough's sewer improvement project.

"That's saving us a tremendous amount of money," he said.

Despite his retirement, Mr. Lynch said he plans to speak with Mayor Pringle about staying involved with some ongoing projects and seeing them through to completion, including contract negotiations, which he said have been going on for the past two years.

Because of his extensive involvement with the negotiations, Mr. Lynch said it would be "detrimental" to the borough for him to just walk away.

Mr. Lynch said he still receives a

pension for his years with the Belmar Police Department and explained he will not receive one for his current job since he did not work in the position long enough.

He earns an annual salary of \$65,000 as borough administrator, which he said has remained the same since his appointment.

Mr. Lynch said while he will miss working for Belmar and with the numerous employees he deals with on a daily basis, he is looking forward to having more time to spend on his hobbies, including gardening and building, and with his family.

He and his wife have four sons, Chris, 34; an officer with the Belmar Police Department; Kevin, 30, a financial advisor; Brian, 26, a professional basketball player in Belgium who Mr. Lynch said he likes to visit "quite often;" and Patrick, 23, who graduated from Bentley College in Boston this year and who works as a substitute teacher at H.W. Mountz Elementary School in Spring Lake where he coached basketball.

The couple also has a 20-month-old granddaughter, Emma.

"She can say 'pop-pop,'" Mr. Lynch said with a giant smile.

Mr. Lynch said he owns several summer rentals in Lake Como that he also plans to renovate, and his wife wants a new kitchen. Mr. Lynch also owns a home in Florida.

"So I look forward to those things, which are good," he stated.

Mr. Lynch added he has no plans to enter politics.

"I'm not the political animal," he said.

Belmar Councilwoman Patricia Provenzano, who is Mr. Lynch's sister, wished her brother well.

"He's entitled to his retirement,"

she said. "I think the time has come for him to enjoy life a little bit."

Mrs. Provenzano, who also serves as council president, said the role of borough administrator is "an all-consuming job" that requires a large amount of time and responsibility.

"He certainly stepped in and did his job," she said. "He's been very open with us."

As for finding a new administrator, Mrs. Provenzano said the position, which is appointed by the mayor, is optional under the borough's form of government.

"I don't know what the mayor has in mind," she said. "I'm sure we'll interview people."

Mayor Pringle could not be reached for comment this week.

When asked about the many Monmouth County officials — the most prominent being former Monmouth County Freeholder Director Harry Larrison Jr. — who have been arrested recently for corruption charges after an FBI bribery sting, Mr. Lynch said that type of activity will never occur on his watch.

"I've always prided myself on my integrity," he stated. "I've been an open book, probably too open."

He added he was used to being scrutinized "by everybody" when he served as chief of police, and he was pleased to say, "I've always come out perfect."

Mr. Lynch also expressed frustration with what he said are "the times we live in."

"This is a result of these bad guys. They've given the rest of us in public government, who've dedicated our whole lives to public government, a black eye," he said. "I think that is just a terrible thing."

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gym renovation and the project has been approved by the state. The board had previously awarded a contract for the gym renovations, however work could not begin until the state Department of Education signed off on the project. The funds from the gym foundation will pay for a new gym floor and other various improvements.

Also on Monday night, the school board reorganized for the coming year which entailed swearing in newcomer James Panzini, and making new committee appointments.

Mrs. Scribner was re-elected to serve as board president and Mrs. Kennett was re-elected as the board's vice president.

Board member Trish Hansen volunteered to be the Spring Lake School District's representative to the Manasquan Board of Education.

The board approved a slate of committee appointments. Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Kennett will serve on the finance committee. Mrs. Scribner and Mr. Panzini will serve on the policy committee. The legislation committee will be made up of board member Anne Stockton, who will replace Mrs. Kennett. The buildings and

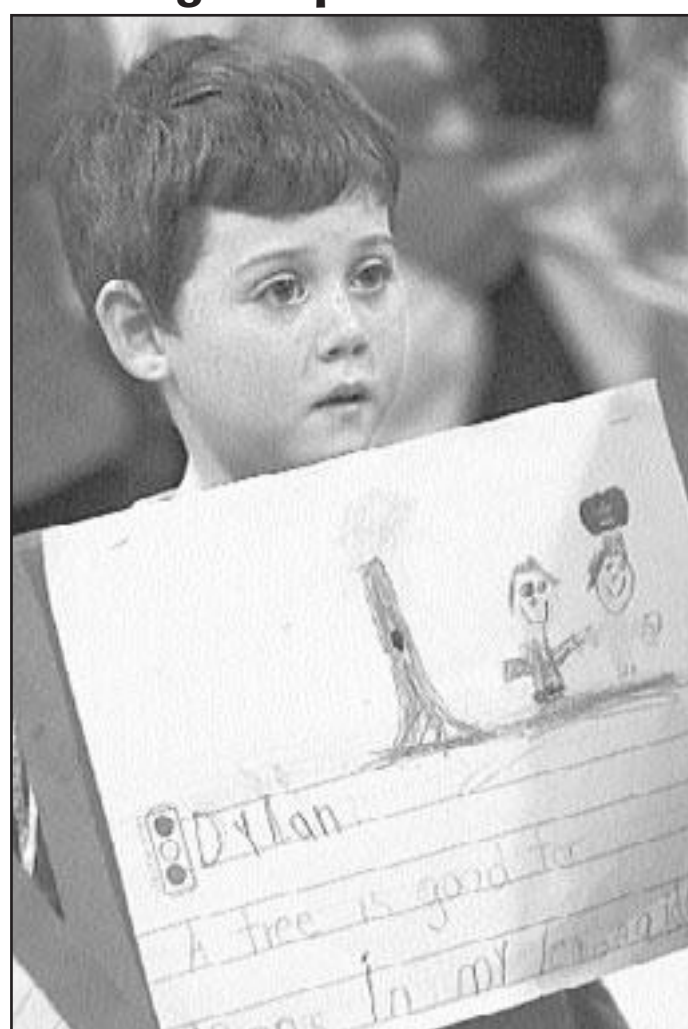
grounds committee will consist of Mrs. Kennett and Mr. Panzini.

Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Scribner will serve on the personnel committee. The negotiations committee will once again consist of Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Kennett with Mrs. Stockton serving as an alternate. Mrs. Stockton and Mrs.

Scribner will serve on the curriculum and education committee.

Mrs. Allen and Mr. Panzini will make up the transportation committee. All the board members will be involved with the newsletter committee and the substance education will be handled by the administration.

## A Young Perspective On Trees



Sea Girt Kindergarten student Dylan Ownes [above] showed an audience gathered at the school for the Arbor Day ceremony his artwork depicting trees and their importance in the community.

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where the state would require newly-built homes to address impervious surfaces and drainage conditions, she said.

"We are pretty much in line with everything," Ms. McKnight said.

One issue Mr. Herner said he would like to address regarding runoff is when people place piles of leaves at the curbs for extended periods of time.

"Some things have gotten out of hand where people stick everything out at their curbs hoping it disappears," he said.

Mr. Herner also said if Black Creek ever gets dredged, there would probably never be a need to dredge the body of water again considering officials now know how to prevent runoff and materials from entering the creek's watershed area.

Over the next several months certain commissioners will be reviewing the state ordinances and submitting their recommendations to borough council.

In other news from Monday

evening's meeting:

• Commissioners announced that the borough's environmental body will be receiving a \$2,500 matching grant from the state to help finance producing a newsletter.

The newsletter could be distributed to residents once or twice a year, commissioners said.

Ms. McKnight said some of the material the newsletter would address could be stormwater management practices, GeesePeace information and facts about Wreck Pond's watershed area.

Commissioner Kat Krippen said half of the material would be educational, but could also contain feature stories on the environment to grab people's attention.

The borough's commissioners applied for the grant last year but were rejected, Ms. McKnight said.

• Mr. Herner said the sprinkler system in Black Creek, which adds oxygen and flow to the water to prevent stagnation and algae growth, cannot work in the water's shallow levels.

"The soil can burn out the motors," he said.

The sprinkler system usually starts operation when good weather occurs on a regular basis. However, this year's operation is doubtful considering the water level.

Atlantic Avenue resident John Tangeman said officials could look into placing fencing around the sprinklers to prevent soil from getting into the motors.

Mr. Herner said borough employees would be looking into the matter.

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# Manasquan Pastor Joe Gratzel Love brought him down the

**J**oseph Gratzel never knew when he took a job at a steakhouse many years ago that he would fall in love with a co-worker and change the direction his life was heading — ultimately going down a path that lead him to Jesus Christ.

Gratzel understands the challenges and pitfalls that young people face today firsthand — as he faced those same temptations as a young man. When Gratzel is not busy riding his Yamaha V-Star motorcycle down Wigwam Path, volunteering his time with the Manasquan First Aid Squad or helping to raise his seven children, he can be found at the First Baptist Church, serving as its head pastor.

He made quite a change in his life as compared to his younger, pre-married days. Now, he serves God and the church community.

"It provides a unique opportunity to care for people from cradle to grave and to create a healthy family-like relationship at a time when so many people don't have [that]," he said of his role as pastor.

Pastor Gratzel, 47, has been trying to imbue that sense of family and belonging at First Baptist Church since 1996, shortly after a pastoral search committee found him preaching at a church in Oakland [NJ].

His discussions of the church, community and the role he must fulfill between the two almost always centers around his efforts to make his flock feel like an extended family.

To demonstrate how close-knit his flock is at First Baptist he asked, "If you had to call someone at three in the morning, who would you call?"

Pastor Gratzel wondered how many people would have no one to turn to in time of need.

"People in the church community do call each other at three in the morning," he said. "They have, over the years, shared the sad and happy occasions."

Pastor Gratzel did not realize his future would include service to God and the community until he met his wife, Denise.

The two met when they were both 18 and working at a Bonanza Steak House restaurant in Toms River while Pastor Gratzel was attending Ocean County College, where he was studying law enforcement.

"She swore she would never date me because she thought I was a jerk ... and I was a jerk," he said, laughing.

"He was not the typical guy I would date," Denise Gratzel, 47, admitted. "I was an introvert. He was outgoing and very sociable. We were absolute opposites."

Pastor Gratzel said he eventually won her over with his "charm."

Before meeting his wife, the former car salesman, computer

technician and political science major shared in life's twists and turns, uncertainties and challenges.

He grew up in a middle class family in Teaneck during the turbulent 1960s. At that time, he recalled the town was implementing integration policies to wipe out segregation. His school was no exception.

"I went to school with kids from every walk of life," Pastor Gratzel recalled.

The son of a mother who was a homemaker and a father who was a service manager for a Ford dealership, Pastor Gratzel experienced a wild, and at times, emotionally painful, youth.

"Between the experiences and mistakes I have made and the pain I have seen with friends and family, I could have chosen a road of bitterness and self-destruction or a road of hope and life," he said. "I chose a road of hope through Christ."

He credited his wife with pointing him down the right path.

"If she had stuck to her guns, [and not gone out with him] I would have ended up in jail like so many of my other friends," he said.

The relationship that put him on the right track in life came close to never happening, Mrs. Gratzel recalled.

Pastor Gratzel left the steak house to devote more time to his studies at Ocean County College. One day he returned to let her know that he wanted the relationship to end.

"He told me, 'You are one commitment too many,'" Mrs. Gratzel said. "He broke my heart because I knew he was the one."

However, two weeks before she and another young man were going to attend the senior prom, Pastor Gratzel returned and

begged for her to come back to him.

She said she dropped her prom date "like a hot potato" and took him back, and the two have never looked back.

When Pastor Gratzel entered his senior year at Rutgers University, where he was studying political science, the couple decided to get married.

"Denise told me if I wanted to marry her I had to go to her church," he said.

When Pastor Gratzel attended East Dover Baptist Church for the first time, he slowly realized the importance of the church community and had the revelation that it was one of the things he had been missing in his life.

He explained it was a completely different experience from his prior days as a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

Pastor Gratzel said he was captivated with the church's intimate, close-knit community environment.

"There was a sense of belonging [with] the people I admired," he said.

Shortly after the two were married, Pastor Gratzel found himself gravitating closer and closer to the church and its members.

The Gratzels slowly took over the teaching responsibilities at East Dover Baptist Church's Sunday afternoon youth group. The two also became involved with a summer Baptist camp in Lebanon [NJ]. The camp required them to volunteer one week out of the year to work with children.

Two years into his experiences with Sunday school and the summer camp, Pastor Gratzel decided he wanted to devote his full attention to the church and the service to God, he said.

"In August of 1985, after we did a week of camp, I told my wife that I was not going back to work," he said. "She asked, 'What do you mean?'"

He had made the decision to quit his job at the now-defunct computer company, Megaram, where he was employed as vice president, and he applied to the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Gratzel understood and was supportive of his decision, he said.

With Pastor Gratzel waiting to be accepted into the seminary and with no job, the couple, who were living in Toms River at the time, faced financial hardships. Not only did they have to take care of themselves, but they were now responsible for their newly adopted son, Christopher.

Confronted with financial woes and uncertainty about what the future could bring, Pastor Gratzel received some help from the community he now serves every day.

A friend who learned of his plans and financial plight decided to help out.

The friend decided to call a mutual friend who attended the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary and asked how much the first year's tuition would cost.

"During a trip to a concert she handed me an envelope full of money for the first year of tuition," Pastor Gratzel recalled. "I was floored. I couldn't believe it."

The generosity his friend had displayed — Pastor Gratzel would not mention who it was other than to say it was a church friend — enabled him to attend the school and reminded



See **PASTOR**, page 47



Pastor Joseph Gratzel [above] has been the head pastor at First Baptist Church in Manasquan since 1996. It was not until he was 27 years old that Gratzel decided he would devote the rest of his life to the church and God. Pastor Gratzel [left, standing, second from left] and wife Denise adopted all seven of their children over the years. Christopher, 21, [standing, from left], Sarah, 15, [standing, right] Gavin, 8, Mike, 10, Iris, 9, Josie, 12, Kelly, 7, make up the Gratzel family on Wigwam Path in Manasquan. Mrs. Gratzel said the entire family supports each other and pulls together, always helping her wherever needed.

STORY BY  
MATT O'BRIEN

PHOTOGRAPHS BY  
CHERYL THOMAS

“

He is always helping other people when they need it.

— Sarah Gratzel  
Pastor Gratzel's 15 year old daughter

“

He is a wonderful pastor.

— Richard Dunne  
Mayor of Manasquan

“

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— Alice Hemphill  
First Baptist Church member

“

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Pastor Gratzel's wife

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# Street Beat

*"Do you think Americans should have the option to invest a portion of their Social Security on their own?"*



"Yes, it's our money."

JILL ROSSICS  
WALL



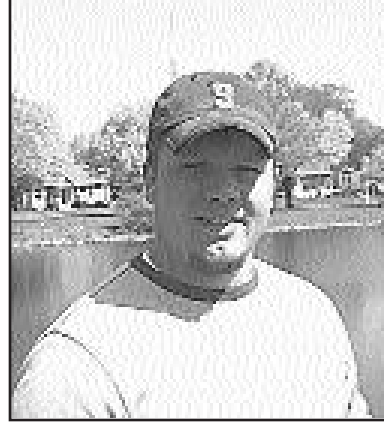
"Yes."

KELLY BAXTER  
SPRING LAKE



"Yes, so we are guaranteed."

MIKE AMATO  
LAKE COMO



"Yes, because it looks like it's not going to be there."

NATHAN MELTON  
SPRING LAKE



"I think you should have the option to invest your money, but I feel it could create problems because there is no guarantee you'll get the money."

BOB THOMAS  
WALL



"Yes, I do believe we should have the choice to do so, also have the opportunity to filter the money where we want."

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### — PROPOSAL —

From Page 3

added the home is beyond repair and demolition would be the most appropriate action for the property.

"I'd think you'd be happy to get rid of this [the current home]," board member Theresa Pierce commented to Mr. Malian and Mr. Moran.

Board member Edward McCormick said he was concerned the same neighbors who opposed the application would be back in front of the board again if the plans were revised

### — TREE —

From Page 14

off the street in Spring Lake, explained Councilwoman Venables in an interview last week.

Councilman Patterson said he did not know of any plans for Belmar to meet the extension at the border.

Next for the Garden Club, they will be having a plant sale the week of June 4 to kick off National Garden Week. One day they will be set up outside Marucci Park selling small collectibles and baked goods, along with plants.

"We do this every year," said Ms. Ruka about the tree planting. "It is a nice event."

saying "it's still not enough." Another board member, Janice Keown-Blackburn, however, agreed with the objectors that the proposed house should be scaled down a bit.

"This looks a little too big," she said.

After taking a brief recess with

### — SUMMER —

From Page 28

week.

The Public Works Department also reported the street sweeper has been on schedule since April 15 and residents are reminded to move their cars off the street when the sweeper is making its rounds. As scheduled, street sweeping is every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday until Nov. 1.

### — BOE —

From Page 11

months being very, very busy around here," he said. The superintendent added that both the board and staff is positive, "Now that the needs of the children can be met," due to the approved tax rate increase.

Superintendent Torrone also mentioned the first grade will be increasing in size this school year, from three sections to four, and a new teacher will be added to teach the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Also, said Superintendent

his attorney, Mr. Merkler agreed to lower the roofline along the back of the proposed new home, as well as to eliminate a storage room on the upper level.

The board carried the application until its next meeting on May 26.

The leaf disposal procedure has also changed, effective May 1. From now until Oct. 1, leaves must be left at curbside in clear plastic bags, instead of left loose at the curb. Pickup is still scheduled for Tuesdays.

Copies of all schedules can be obtained from borough hall. Call 732-776-2999 Ext. 10, or visit the Bradley Beach web site, www.bradleybeachonline.com, for more information.

Torrone, the administration is waiting to see the enrollment numbers for kindergarten to decide whether or not to expand the sections, noting the projected enrollment for next year is already at 92 students.

In addition, Superintendent Torrone said the extracurricular program is being expanded, including a new literacy program.

Commenting on the new programs and expanded curriculum, Superintendent Torrone said, "We've been biting at the bit for that, and now we're actually going to be able to bite."

### — BLOTTER —

From Page 25

April 27 on Brielle Road to Ptl. Gillespie.

• Investigation continues on an

incident of aggravated assault, reported April 24 on First Avenue to Ptl. Gregory Restivo.

• Investigation continues on an incident of criminal mischief, reported on Ocean Avenue to Ptl. Keith Smith.

### — AWARD —

From Page 27

nice."

Mr. Walsh had served three tours of duty in Vietnam as an Air Force staff sergeant.

During his first tour he was stationed at Ching Chung Khong Air Base in Taiwan where he served aboard refueling planes that supplied mid-flight B-52 bombers and F-4 Phantom fighter jets.

His second tour found him at an air base in Okinawa performing the same duties as in Taiwan.

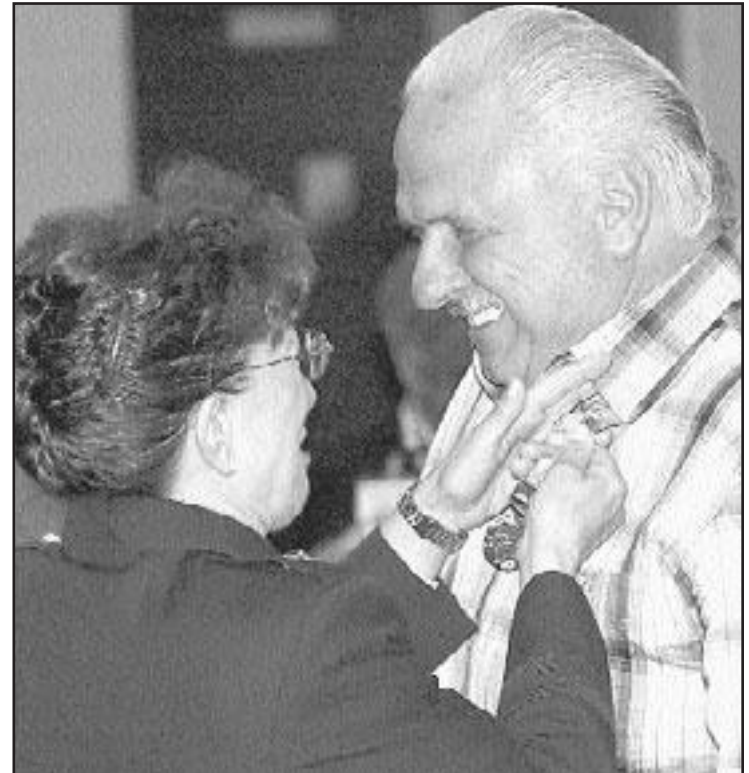
In his third tour he was stationed at Anderson Air Force Base in Guam where he was a flight member aboard a B-52.

Along with 600 other B-52s, the squadron bombed the North Vietnam cities of Hanoi and Hi Phong on a daily basis, Mr. Walsh said.

"Hanoi was the most heavily defended city in the world. ... They shot down 26 B-52s in an 11-day period," he said.

The heavy bombing forced North Vietnam to join peace talks in Paris in 1972.

After the 1972 Paris peace discussions, former President Richard M. Nixon implemented his "Vietnamization" policy that slowly withdrew U.S. soldiers over the next several years, which ultimately brought the conflict to an end in 1975.



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Wall Township resident Ronald Melyan [above] received the Vietnam Service Medal from Brig. Gen. Marcia Falca-Dodson at the Sea Girt National Guard Training Center last Thursday. Mr. Melyan had served as a Specialist Four in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War.

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## Mosheet Adi Raz marries Benjamin Bram

Mosheet Adi Raz, Spring Lake Heights, and Benjamin Ernest Bram, also of Spring Lake Heights, were married Oct. 24, 2004 at Crystal Point, Point Pleasant by Rabbi David Booth.

The bride is the daughter of Samuel and Judith Raz, Ra'ananna, Israel.

The groom is the son of Gail Bram and William Bram, Belmar.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents. The wedding was a traditional Israeli one, in which both the bride and the groom were escorted down the aisle by each of their parents. The signing of the ketubah was witnessed by the bride's brother-in-law, Assaf Shaked, Atlanta, Ga., and family friend Seth Levitz, Israel.

The bride's gown was white and her bouquet consisted of lavender, pink, and white roses.

The bride's best friend, Maya



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Levitaz, served as the matron of honor. After the wedding, a reception was held at Crystal Point.

The bride and groom's first dance was to Freddy Cole's "There, I've Said It Again". The bride is a graduate of the

Holon Academic Institute of Technology, Holon, Israel, with a bachelor's degree in visual communications. She also has a degree in design from the Graphic Design School of Zvi Markovitch, Ramat-Gan, Israel, and graduated from the Tel-Aviv University from the cinema and television department/television editing. She is employed as a freelance graphic designer.

The groom is a graduate of Manasquan High School. He graduated from Albright College, Reading, Pa., with a bachelor's degree in business administration and English. He is employed as a department manager at Norkus Enterprises, Point Pleasant Beach. He is also a tap dance and tango instructor.

After a wedding trip to Disney World, Fla., the couple will reside in Spring Lake Heights.



**Caroline McCabe Coombs**  
Caroline McCabe Coombs was born on Saturday, April 16 in the Monmouth Medical Center, Long Branch.

She weighed 7 pounds 1 ounce, and was 19 1/4 inches long.

Caroline is the first child of Rob and Beth Ann Coombs, Wall Township.

Her maternal grandparents are Bob and Jan Donofrio, Wall Township.

Her paternal grandparents are Whitney and Nancy Coombs, Littlestown, Pa.

Her great grandparent is Tony Donofrio, Ocean Grove.

**Padraic Ryan O'Hearn**  
Padraic Ryan O'Hearn was born on Friday, April 22 in the Jersey Shore University Medical Center, Neptune.

He weighed 5 pounds 10 ounces, and was 18 inches long.

Padraic is the fourth child of John and Erin O'Hearn, Spring Lake.

He has two brothers, John Patrick, 6, and Michael Cahill, 3, and a sister, Ann Mary, 1.

His maternal grandparents are Dr. Michael Cahill, Spring Lake, and the late Mary Ann Cahill.

His paternal grandparents are John and Ann O'Hearn, Waban, Mass.

**Madeline Lou Anderson**  
Madeline Lou Anderson was born on Monday, April 11 in the Ocean Medical Center, Brick Township.

He weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces, and was 21 1/4 inches long.

Madeline is the second child of Doug and Kristine Anderson.

She has a brother, Haden, 2.

Her maternal grandparent is Lucille O'Hare, Toms River.

Her paternal grandparents are Jerry and Betty Anderson, Manasquan.

**Padraig Richard Quinn**  
Padraig Richard Quinn was born on Wednesday, March 16 in the Monmouth Medical Center, Long Branch.

He weighed 6 pounds 3 ounces, and was 19 inches long.

Padraig is the fourth child of Erin and Colin Quinn, Spring Lake Heights.

He has three brothers, Colin Francis, 5, Dillon Robert, 3, and Aidan Cahill, 2.

His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lame, Spring Lake Heights.

His paternal grandparent is Mrs. Mary J. Quinn, Spring Lake.

His great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Boyle, Spring Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lame, Belmar.

[Have a birth announcement you would like to share with the community? Access our birth announcement form on our web site: www.thecoaststar.com]

## Belmar Elementary names honor roll students

Belmar Elementary School Principal Richard Taggart recently announced the sixth-through eighth-grade students who were named to the honor roll for the third marking period.

Principal's honor roll, sixth grade: Lauren Keosseian, Krista Neal and Mark Walsifer.

Seventh grade: Cody McCorry.

Eighth grade: Susie Lo and Rachael Waldman.

Honor roll, sixth grade: Maya Arenas, Shane Bogusz, Grace Cassidy, Brian Flintoft, Yadit Hernandez, Torri Jaime, Courtney Jones, Taylor Kirschenbaum, Alexander Langel, Anthony Lepore, Matthew Lucas, Marissa Montalbano, William Moran, John Pringle, Phillip Ragan, Ernesto Ramos, Nicholas

Richmond and Tobi Thompson, Shumard, Avital Steltzer and John Walsifer.  
Seventh grade: Ciaran Brennan, Donna DeCotiis, Eighth grade: Meghan Dering, Asianai Foster, Taylore Fowler, Brandon Dzwonkowski, Jessica Chelsea Phillips, Anthony Johnson, Patrick Manzo, David

Marion, Branden Mattern, Edward O'Connor, Kayla Phillips, Lael Phillips and Anthony Yannazzone.

## Kessler named to dean's list at Gettysburg

Jamie L. Kessler, of Wall Township, was recently named to the dean's list at Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pa.

To qualify, a student must take 12 or more credits in the semester, achieve a current grade point average of 3.3 or higher and receive no grade lower than a "B."

Ms. Kessler is the daughter of James and Christina Kessler of Wall Township. She graduated Wall High School in 2004.

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# SCHOOL NEWS AND VIEWS

## Guests of a different breed visit H.W. Mountz

By Maura Duffy

Recently at the H.W. Mountz School, students spent the morning with some unique visitors. Unlike a traditional assembly with a guest speaker or musical act, the students were paid a visit from two alligators, a fennec fox, a tarantula and many other animals through a Wildlife Encounters assembly.

Wildlife Encounters was brought to the school by the H.W. Mountz Parent Teacher Association [PTA]. With crates in hand, Sarai Paige, the presenter, brought the animals to the school's auditorium for the show.

Starting with the tarantula, Ms. Paige explained to the students where these hairy spiders naturally live, what they eat, who their enemies are and the basic biology of the spider's anatomy.

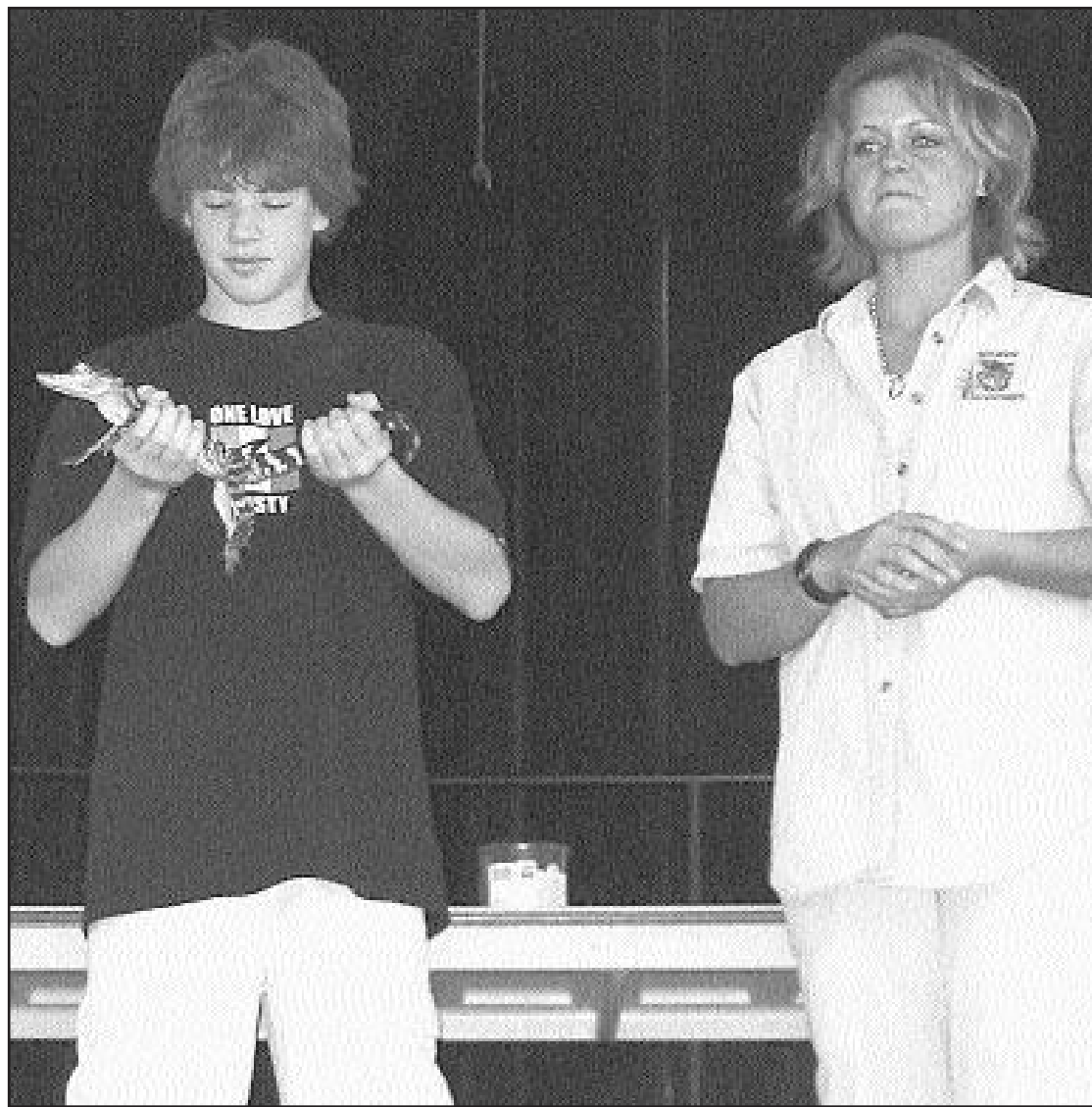
PTA member Lisa Martin, who was in charge of coordinating the assembly, explained that the parent's group tries to bring educational assemblies to the school that are fun and different.

Previously, the PTA has coordinated an African music and dance presentation, an Earth balloon, and a whales program, which was a part of the school's MARE program.

MARE is the Marine Activities and Resources in Education program which teaches the students about sciences related to the ocean, said Mrs. Martin.

Mrs. Martin said the PTA likes to try to cover a lot of ground with the assemblies for the students with different concentrations like the arts, sciences and literature.

"We try to bring in things that are interactive for the students," Mrs. Martin added.



Seventh-grader Michael Pecoraro [above, left] served as a brave volunteer as he held an alligator during the Wildlife Encounters school assembly given by Sarai Paige at H.W. Mountz.

MAURA DUFFY, The Coast Star

Some volunteer students got to hold the animals and test some of their motor skills by teasing the animals.

Other exotic animals that the children learned about were a coa-

timundi, a kinkajou — which are both natives of Belize — and a bush baby from Africa, according to Mrs. Martin.

The Wildlife Encounters program tries to give students a sam-

pling of animals around the world, said Mrs. Martin.

"I think it does get the kids interested [about the sciences]," said Mrs. Martin.

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## Squan Elementary pupils named to honor roll list

Manasquan Elementary School education officials recently announced the follow students have been named to the honor roll for the third marking period:

**First honor roll, grade six:** Megan Burke, William Chamberlin, Kaitlyn Harris, Alexander Kloof, Kaitlyn Krauss, Shane McCoy, Maura McLaughlin, Sean McLaughlin, Lindsay Muir, Alexander Pettit, Sara Robinson and Jessica Spataro.

**Second honor roll, grade six:** Shane Best, Kelsey Brandon, Bryan Brown, Clinton Crawford, Kara Dibble, Philip Granite, Brendan Halton, Nicholas Ilaria, Elizabeth Krajewski, Lauren Lemig, Dennis Maher, Kendall Miller, Shawn Miller, Margaret Newcomer, Tyler Place, Zachary

Pepe, Robert Peters, Ryan Pettit, Nicholas Scoras and Sarah Zappulla.

**First honor roll, grade seven:** Emily Blumette, Elizabeth Corcoran, Peter DeFranzo, Katherine DeSomma, Rebecca Edick, Andrew Hannah, David Kelly and Megan Neill.

**Second honor roll, grade seven:** Daniella Bogstahl, Kailey Boland, Victoria Campagna, Kelsey Comerford, Noelle Crosby, Caroline Dettlinger, Veronica Eichmann, Sarah Forman, Jared Hannah, Veronica Kovacs, Danica Kovats, Savannah Kuper, Kira Mabil, Taylor Murphy and Matthew Sampson.

**First honor roll, grade eight:** Trevor Beutel, Alexa Bogstahl, Gabrielle Cudney, James Dalgarno, Patrick Gallagher,

Victoria Grille, Daniel Kerrigan, Colleen Langan, Samantha Lowes, Ann Robinson, Megan Thompson and Sophia Weston.

**Second honor roll, grade eight:** Colin Briant, Nicole Casey, Caitlin Dapson, Paula DiSalvo,

Kerry Fechter, Ian Gray, Michele Illmensee, Brian Lemig, Ursula Librizzi, Joshua Lopez, Daniel Maher, James Miller, Lindsay Morrow, Conor Quigley, Genna Rutka, James Trubenbach and Sarah-Ann Yersin.



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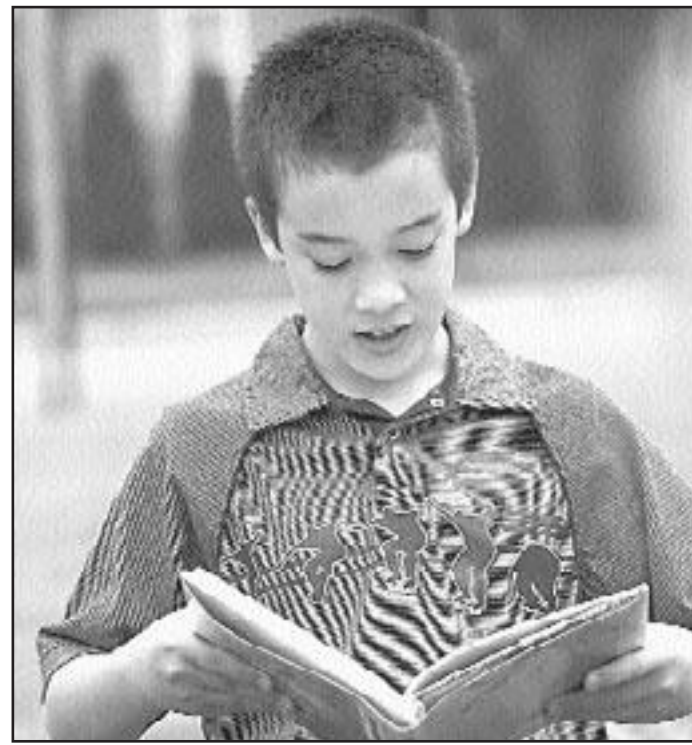
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Te Westervelt [above], a fourth-grader at H.W. Mountz, read Shel Silverstein's "The Giving Tree" at the borough's 2005 Arbor Day Celebration held last Friday morning.





# SCHOOL NEWS AND VIEWS

## Arbor Day observed by students, officials

By Mike Gray

The students, faculty and administration of Bradley Beach Elementary School celebrated Arbor Day last Friday by holding a ceremony and planting trees.

The celebration was attended by parents, grandparents, friends and borough officials, including Mayor Stephen Schueler and council members Gary Engelstad, Megan McAtasney and Lori Marchak-Ortiz. Mayor Schueler read the proclamation that proclaimed April 29 as Arbor Day. The mayor urged all residents to observe this day by "recognizing the importance that trees have in brightening residents' lives."

Board of Education member Betty Baker and Bradley Beach Shade Tree Commissioners Moira Sharkey, Janet Siri and Warren Siri were also present. Vice-Principal Valerie Cioffi welcomed all present and introduced eighth grader Michael Mortimer, who read an informative article entitled "What Is Arbor Day?"

Mrs. Siri, Chairperson of the Shade Tree Commission, was then introduced. She made two announcements, the first being that Bradley Beach was, for a third year in a row, recognized as a Tree City USA. The second announcement was that the Shade Tree Commission had recognized an oak tree located in front of the school as a Heritage Tree.

To be designated as a Heritage Tree, a tree must be native to, or adapted to, the climate conditions of an area. The diameter must also be 25 inches and the tree must be at least 100 years old.

Mrs. Siri explained the oak tree in front of the school is at least 125 years old. She showed pictures that were taken in front of the school dating from the 1920s, where the newly-dedicated Heritage Tree can be seen in the background.

"This tree has been working 24 hours a day, 365 days a year for 125 years. It has cleaned the air we breathe and provided shade to keep us cool. It has been home to birds, butterflies and squirrels, and probably raccoons," she said.

Mrs. Siri concluded her remarks with a quote from famous architect Frank Lloyd Wright — "The best friend on earth of man is the tree."

Teachers Mrs. Zarcaro and Miss Hamemick, and first graders Alexandra Gavralovic, AmberLee Dix, Jamie Loughlin and Shane Nolan read a play entitled, "The Tree That Could Talk."

Under the leadership of Gail Mayer and Sandy DeLopoulos, members of the Environment Club, Devyn Bales, Jessica Clauberg, Chloe Fallon, Jessica Hunter, Jamie Lopez, Alexia Richards, James Russotto and Adam Strittmatter read a poem entitled "Forest Planting", which described the benefits given by trees.

The first graders ended the program by performing a song entitled "Recycle Rap", after which tree planting began. Students of the school became further involved in the spirit of the day by digging holes and planting new trees around the elementary schoolyard.



Bradley Beach Elementary students (above) helped plant trees around the schoolyard during last Friday's Arbor Day celebration.

CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

## Spring Lake Heights Elementary School announces honor roll

The Spring Lake Heights Elementary School has announced the names of the students who have achieved high honors and honors for the third marking period.

The following are grade six students who earned high honors:

Shannon Brahn, Thomas Czerminski, Hugh Ferguson, Sarah Kirk, Quinn Levin and Erin McLean.

The following are grade seven students who earned high honors:

Grace Boyan, Taylor Coles, Tara Kelly, Mary Kresge, Christine Lobosco, Elizabeth Maricic, Francesca Napolitano, Laura Philips, Max Rothfeld, Kristin Thompson and Jill Turner.

The following are grade eight students who earned high honors:

Geordie Folinias, Kevin Mack, Bryan Nadrowski, David Papanu, Peter Schenke and Laura Turner.

The following are grade six students who earned honors:

Jenny Algor, Kevin Brendle, Taylor Britton, Olivia Carmody, Teva Cinciute, Kendal Commesso, Colleen DeVoti, Nicole Hamilton, Kyle Harrison, Elisabeth Kelsey, Katharine Kennedy, Colleen Kresge, Kristoffer Librizzi, James Margetis, Richard Masini, Harmony Schwiier and Courtney Voigt.

### WHS to hold spring concert on May 6

The Wall High School music department will present its annual spring concert, featuring the Wall High School chorus, orchestra and wind ensemble on Friday, May 6 at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The following are grade seven students who earned honors:

Jeffrey Algor, Samantha Bellefeuille, Eric Bloodgood, Timothy Brennan, Matthew Caughey, Shane Clark, Jessica Culver, Colin English, Timothy Frangione, James Gilligan, Zachary Hirschler, Joseph McGary, David Mitchell, Adit Patel, Colette Sabins, Joseph Smith, Gina Solebello, Matthew Vadas and Casey Voorhees.

The following are grade eight students who earned honors:

Frank Aklus, Zachary Britton, Michael Brown, Thomas Butts, Andrew Clark, Nicole Coccodrilli, Jessica Commesso, Craig Corbeels, Elise Fay, Christopher Froehlich, Kyle Froehlich, Bridget Kelly, Colleen Kelly, Jillian McAlary, Kiersty McNamara, Louis Mitchell, Katherine Nolan, Ashley Palkowetz, Daniel Stroud, Caroline Styslinger, Stephen Wall and Kyle Woodward.

## Academic awards night set at Wall Intermediate

The Wall Intermediate School will host the eighth-grade academic awards ceremony next Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The recipients of academic awards have demonstrated a commitment to academic achievement throughout their years at Wall Intermediate School, according to educators.

Criteria include:

- For academic excellence: high honor roll status for seven marking periods.

- For academic achievement: high honor roll status for five marking periods and honor roll status for two marking periods.

Educators start measuring criteria beginning at the first marking period for the seventh grade, and stop criteria measurement at the end of the third marking period for grade eight.

The following students are up

for the academic excellence award: Peter Allmer, Molly Brennan, Vincent Buddle, Michael Cavanaugh, Julian El-Abidin, Samantha Falotico, Lauren Golin, Thomas Kelly, Frank Labrusciano, John Mueller, Marissa Pardue, Mary Ragan, Kayla Sprengel and Vincent Tomasuolo.

The following pupils are up for academic achievement awards: Kaitlin Alexander, Victor Bartash, Bianca Basilone, Thomas Briant, Moriah Burr, Cortney Cavanaugh, Beau Decker, Patricia DelPazzo, Monica DeMartin, Jenna Dundas, Kimberly Heaton, Siobhan Kenney, Stephanie Krausser, Peter Krzystek, Christopher Lim, Victoria Lopomo, Breanne Medford, Jaimee Mulholland, Alexander Peacock, Ryan Petersen, Jessica Ramsden, Stacey Tavis, Lisa Valenziano and Matthew Zoller.

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## Spring Lake Heights Police report recent borough activity

The Spring Lake Heights Police Department has reported the following activity:

- On Thursday, April 14 Ptl. Edward Gunnell arrested Neptune resident Michael Outlaw, 29, on an outstanding motor vehicle warrant after posting \$1,000 bail.
- On Friday, April 15 a resident reported criminal mischief had been done to their motor vehicle sometime during the evening hours.

Someone had keyed the side of their vehicle. Ptl. Gunnell is investigating.

- On Friday, April 15,

Levittown, Pa. resident Ramadan Balik, 24, was charged with driving while suspended after being stopped for a motor vehicle violation. Ptl. Travis Ventimiglia made the stop.

- On Saturday, April 16 Ptl. Gunnell arrested Spring Lake Heights resident William Davis, 30, on an outstanding warrant from another agency. He was released on his own recognizance after posting \$1,544 bail.

- On Sunday, April 17, Ptl. Zachary Ramp arrested Point Pleasant Beach resident John France, 25, for driving while intoxicated after being stopped for a motor vehicle violation.

- On Monday, April 18 Ptl. Christopher Bennett arrested Brick resident Robert Palmer, 37, for driving while intoxicated after striking a fire hydrant and telephone pole with his motor vehicle.

- On Friday, April 22, a resident reported criminal mischief had been done to their motor vehicle sometime during the evening hours. Someone had keyed the hood of their vehicle. Ptl. Robert Shafer is investigating.

- On Saturday, April 23 Ptl. Gunnell arrested Spring Lake Heights resident Janet Vigilante, 44, for simple assault involving an alleged incident of domestic violence after she had an altercation with her husband.

- On Saturday, April 23 a sister made terroristic threats toward her brother because the brother wants to sell his house. The sister is currently living in the brother's residence. Sgt. Dan Gunning is investigating.

- On Saturday, April 23, someone removed a red-and-black Quasar mountain bike from a commercial business after the owner left it leaning against the wall of the building they worked in. The owner of the bicycle finished working and went outside to find the bicycle was gone. Ptl. Christopher Bennett is investigating.

- On Sunday, April 24, Manalapan resident Michelle Nunez, 34, was charged with driving while suspended after being stopped for a motor vehicle violation. Ptl. Michael Matunas made the stop.

- On Sunday, April 24 Ptl. Matunas arrested Brooklyn, N.Y. resident Clifford Mulhare, 41, on an outstanding motor vehicle warrant after being stopped for a motor vehicle violation. He was released on his own recognizance after posting \$215 bail.

- On Tuesday, April 26 Ptl. Matunas arrested Manasquan resident Roy Dahlquist, 27, for driving while intoxicated after being stopped for a motor vehicle violation.

### Computer lessons set at SLH Elementary

The Spring Lake Heights Board of Education is offering complimentary computer instruction to adult members of the community [parents of school-age children and older] in May.

The Spring Lake Heights Elementary School computer lab will be open from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Monday evenings this month. Faculty and student assistants will be available to assist attendees with a variety of computer-related topics.

The remaining date for the 2005 school year is May 16.

### — FLOWERS —

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Avenue and will be present to show participants in the planting where the flowers will be going.

The flower bed arrangements have already been computer generated and laid out by Kube Pak.

A participant will receive their flower and an accompanying photograph, then go to the designated spot for the flower to be planted.

There are assigned places for the flowers, but some people have chosen their own spots, said Mrs. Marchak-Ortiz. She added, "wherever you want to go, you

can go."

There are spots still available for anyone to adopt. All participants will be meeting at the gazebo on Fifth and Ocean avenues on Sat., May 14 at 9 a.m. For more information, or to adopt a bed, contact Councilwoman Lori Marchak-Ortiz at 732-776-2999.

### — DEBUTS —

From Page 16

coast, but it also the first fitness center to introduce Kinesis for children.

The Atlantic Club is offering four Kinesis programs; foundations, flow, intense and transform. Foundations is an entry level program which focuses on the fundamentals of the kinesis movement, like trained movement and flexibility.

Flow is a mind-body focused class that fuses yoga, pilates and functional training to help improve balance and coordination.

The intense program is a core-focused class that offers a blend of circuit training and calisthenics to create a heart-pumping, calorie-burning experience.

For a lifestyle changing experience that incorporates a nutritional component that helps redefine the mind and physical self, then the transform program is best.

The Atlantic Club will be the first fitness facility to offer Kinesis to children. Through a child wellness program, The

Atlantic Club will offer classes for children ages 10 to 14 years old. Located in The Atlantic Club's Fieldhouse, the Junior Fitness and Sports Performance Studio will also have a Junior Kinesis studio with a wall with cables and pulleys.

In the summer, they will offer not only fitness Kinesis classes, but, sports Kinesis, like Kinesis tennis, baseball, lacrosse and basketball.

Similar to the adult program, the children will be in small groups with relaxing music to create a calming atmosphere. The Junior Kinesis studio is also parent-free, said Mr. McHugh.

Soon, The Atlantic Club will also offer a Panatta studio which is designed for children ages 6 to 9 years old. This space-age studio will offer things like exercise bikes and other toys that make exercise fun, said Mr. McHugh.

The Kinesis Studio can be used individually with a personal trainer or in a class. After having a series of introductory classes and trial sessions, The Atlantic Club is in the process of forming regular classes. For more information, call 732-223-2100.

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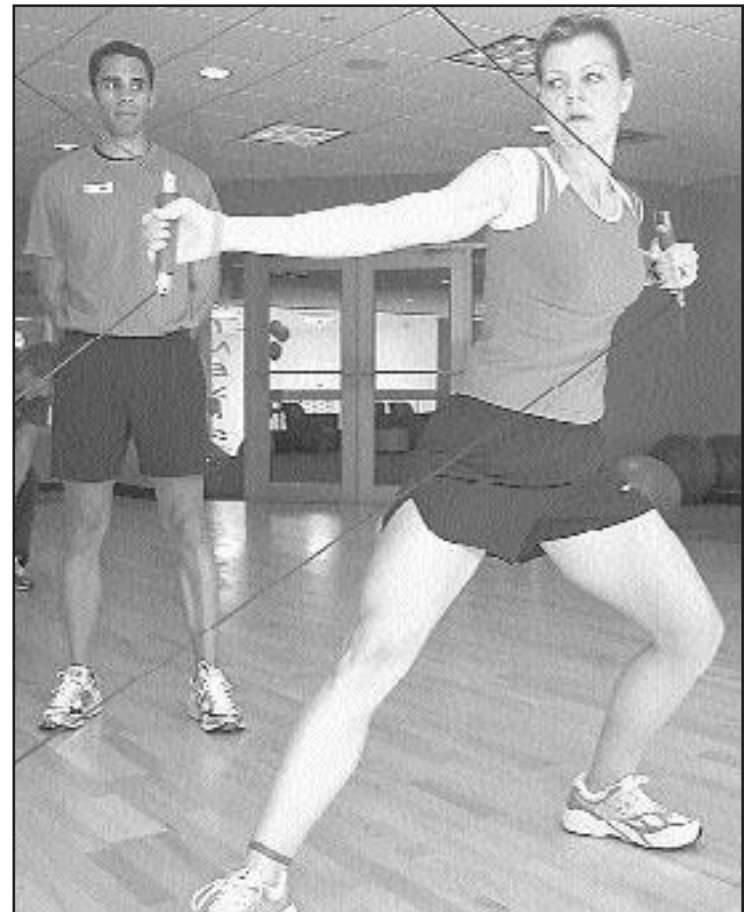
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**— KING —**

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In a 2000 edition of "American Brewer" it identified him as one of the 50 most significant figures in brewing over the past millennium.

For several years in the early 1960s, Mr. King moderated the Sunday morning radio program "Family Living" along with actress Arlene Frances.

For the last 22 years he taught at Georgian Court College.

Following the death of his first wife, Mr. King married Patricia Poe in 1980, with whom he had two sons, Andrew, 18, and Timothy, 16, both born in Honduras.

The couple had built and maintained the House of Friendship, made up of five homes that housed orphaned and abandoned children throughout Honduras.

Mr. King had such a devotion to the small South American nation that he brought some of the sharpest minds in the medical field from the Jersey Shore to Honduras to help the poor there.

Dr. Cahill said numerous Honduran lives were saved from malnutrition because of the King family's assistance.

He recalled the two weeks he and Mr. King and a few others would take every year to visit

Honduras to roam the impoverished countryside helping families who were in need.

During one of the visits the Kings had adopted two Honduran children.

Dr. Cahill said he will always remember Mr. King's spirit and ageless drive in life.

In 1981, President Ronald Reagan appointed Mr. King to the Presidential Commission on Drunk Driving. He also served during the administrations of President Jimmy Carter and Reagan on the White House Trade Association Advisory Committee.

Among his many interests were the environment. From 1963 to 1978 he served on the Board of Directors of Keep America Beautiful, which he helped develop and implement ideas for the "pitch in" logo and public trash receptacles.

Mr. King was a long-time member of the Spring Lake Volunteer Fire Department, the Spring Lake Golf Club and American Legion Post 432.

Past Commander of the American Legion Post 432 John Patterson said he did not know Mr. King personally, but did recall a moving speech he made at the 2000 Memorial Day services in Spring Lake.

"We were extremely proud to have him as a member," Past

Commander of the American Legion post 432 Paul Drew said.

Among some of his favorite destinations in the world was Eggiman's Tavern.

He resided in Belmar for 20 years before moving to Spring Lake Heights two months ago.

Gregory said his father loved the New Jersey Shore because it gave him a real sense of home.

"He loved the people and loved the character of the communities," he said.

He was predeceased by his first wife and son, John.

Mr. King is survived by his wife, Patricia; his eleven sons and five daughters, Michael and his wife Susan, Montclair; Henry, Jr. and Carol, Kensington, Md.; Mary and Dr. Robert Jarmon, Spring Lake; Matthew and Maureen, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; Patrick and his fiancée Walsi Crawford, Syracuse, N.Y.; Vincent and Lisa, Cold Spring, N.Y.; Anthony and Debra, Pittsfield, Mass.; David and Katherine, Holmdel; Gregory and Peter Sultan, Baltimore, Md.; Otilie and Spiros Drogitis, Bethesda, Md.; Robert and Cynthia, Westwood; Margaret, Washington D.C.; Elizabeth and Timothy Wall, Rye, N.Y.; Bibiana and Gregory Hueth, Wall; Andrew and Timothy, at home; 38 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**— MAYOR —**

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amount of \$52,250.

The council approved T.R. Deveney and Curran Fallon's request to place a box on the beach to store the surfboards for the recreation department's surf camp.

The camp directors will also meet with the beach and pool managers to set up what beaches the camp will use and if the

**— PRIMARIES —**

From Page 8

56, of Main Street, agreed with Mr. Shinn that the name change has had a positive effect on town.

"I would hope that we market the momentum Lake Como has established [with the name change] to encourage and attract quality housing and new business which will lead to balancing out the individual tax burden," she said.

Ms. Poland, a real estate agent with Coldwell Banker Residential Real Estate, is a graduate of Jacksonville University in Florida.

She said rising property taxes are a major problem in town, adding "it remains difficult for smaller municipalities to receive a fair share of state revenue returned for local school based costs."

Partisan disputes between council members occur at the residents' and business owners' expense, said Ms. Poland.

"We need to have a more proactive, non-partisan meetings to

camp can use the pavilions in inclement weather.

Police Chief Robert Dawson advised resident to be aware there is some construction going on in the borough to replace water lines. He said there are projects currently on Ocean Avenue and next the work will be heading to Passaic and Fifth avenues.

The council authorized the borough engineer to purchase magnetic flow meters at the South End Pool at a cost of about \$8,000.

foster a more efficient, cost effective, cooperative government," she said.

Ms. Poland said she considers herself someone who has "strong motivational, organizational, problem solving and negotiating skills aimed at ending partisan roadblocks and addressing residents' concerns," when asked about what assets she would bring to the board. She has lived in Lake Como all her life except when she was in college in Florida.

Ms. Poland, who is single with no children, said her father, Henry Poland, "who served the town most of his life," would be proud of the new municipal building after he spent years working out of a trailer on the municipal lot.

"I would like to support his wishes for each residents' quality of life to be the best it can be and that we support our police, fire and first aid departments," Ms. Poland said was a goal if elected to the council.

The primary election is June 8 and the council election will be this fall.

"I'm hoping we can come to some kind of agreement and move forward," he said. "And that cooler heads prevail."

**— WALL —**

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criminal to the school's resource officers. And, he said, the school administration is not reporting each and every incident simply to make a point.

"I think that's how they're trying to portray it," Dr. Habel said of the committee.

Dr. Habel said a letter has been sent to the Monmouth County Prosecutors Office, requesting additional training from authorities there for Wall Township school administrators.

"The administrators are quite concerned. We have administrators who have been following the same reporting protocol for nine years, and all of a sudden they're accused of covering up crimes or impeding investigations," Dr. Habel said.

He said the board of education will meet today to pick a date to meet with the township committee for further talks.

**— TEACHER —**

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reading and catching up on his studies.

A year later he moved to the Jersey Shore because his future wife, Eileen Brennan, was living in Manasquan.

Already possessing a passion for the ocean, Mr. Muhlenbruck Manasquan and surrounding communities and the people enticed him to stay at the Shore permanently.

By 1991 he had earned a master's degree in science from Georgian Court College.

Mr. Muhlenbruck taught sixth-through eighth-grade American history at Spring Lake Heights

Elementary until the school "departmentalized," which after which he began to teach science exclusively.

In his retirement Mr. Muhlenbruck said he will be keeping busy with helping out at a friend's seafood restaurant business in Point Pleasant.

Mr. Muhlenbruck is also looking to teach swimming and life-guarding at the local YMCA's pool where he and his wife have swam four nights a week for years.

"My wife is a much better swimmer than I am," he admitted.

When not working Mr. Muhlenbruck will be hitting the beach to pursue another passion, surfing.

He said when he was a youngster he and his friends would head off to Rockaway Beach in New York to learn how to surf. He still surfs to this day, and said his favorite spot to catch waves is near the Manasquan Inlet. He even manages to make his traditional yearly trip to Cape Hatteras, N.C.

As part of his interest in natural history Mr. Muhlenbruck collects seashells from beaches all over the world.

Over the years when his students would be celebrating their birthdays he would give them a seashell from his own collection.

During last week's board of education meeting, board members said they regretted accepting Mr. Muhlenbruck's resignation.

... This defendant acted upon reasonable and probable cause under the then existing circumstances."

Mr. Koprowski's answer concluded, "the claims therein are not warranted by existing law or by a non-frivolous argument for the extension, modification or reversal of existing law, or the establishment of new law. It is further believed that the factual allegations do not have and are not likely to have evidentiary support."

No court date has been set, Mr. Koprowski said.

**— FILES —**

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about him is privileged."

The answer also states in response to the defamation allegation that "any such statements were made with the sincere belief of the defendant that the contents thereof were and are true. ... any such statements were invited and instigated by acts and statements of the plaintiff and constituted a fair reply thereto, and therefore such statements are privileged and

non-actionable." It also claims that Councilman Ford "acted on reasonable grounds and without malice and is, therefore, not responsible in damages to the plaintiff."

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## Women's club hosts local artist at meeting

Symon Cowles, a renowned local artist, presented what event organizers called a stimulating and informative program titled "Art & The Artist" at the monthly meeting of the Four Seasons Wall Women's Club, held on Monday.

Over 70 men and women were in attendance at the meeting.

Mr. Cowles displayed 15 of his original works for the examination of audience members. Attendees were presented with a

sheet containing reduced copies of 31 of his works, each number.

Using that sheet as a reference, Mr. Cowles discussed such areas as texture, medium, lighting, location, framing, pricing and reproduction. He also gave insight as to specific influences on his career and how his career developed.

Visit [www.symoncowlesart.com](http://www.symoncowlesart.com) for more information on Mr. Cowles.

## Wall Primary School to hold rummage sale

The Wall Primary School, located at Bailey's Corner Road and New Bedford Road, will hold its annual Rummage Sale this Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon on the school's front yard.

Due to the weather the sale has been put off for the past two weeks, but is set to run this Saturday.

The event will offer "gently used" items like adult and children's clothing, accessories, toys, appliances, house wares and books, said Janet Combs, the president of the Parent Teacher Group [PTG] which organizes the event.

There will also be a bake sale along with the rummage sale, she said.

Funds from the rummage sale are used by the PTG for programs and assemblies for the students of Wall Primary School, said Ms. Combs.

Wall Primary School is a special education school with about 85 students. The students are broken up into three groups which are at the school for three different shifts in the day, said Ms. Combs.

Programs the group likes to

bring to the school include a presentation from Jenkinson's Aquarium with a penguin, a nature program from the Monmouth County Park System, a performer for the school's fun day and other various assemblies.

The sale is one of the largest sources of revenue for the PTG, so the group encourages people to come out and visit the rummage sale, held rain or shine, for fine merchandise and a snack, said Ms. Combs.

### Allaire State Park bird walks scheduled

On Saturdays in May, the Allaire State Park Nature Center will be offering bird walks at 8:30 a.m.

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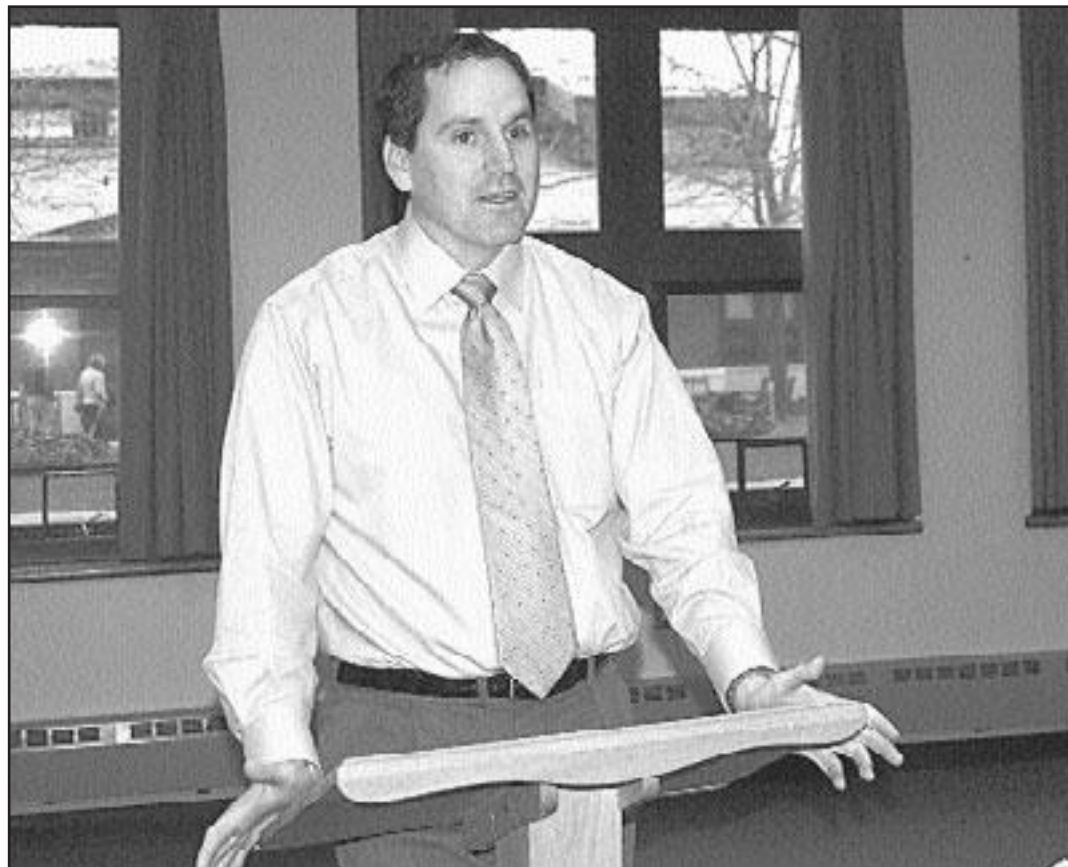
## A Cut Above The Rest



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The Wall Township Environmental Advisory Committee [WTEAC] recently won an award at the 36th Annual Park & Recreation Dinner from the Monmouth County Board of Recreation Commissioners. The WTEAC received the 2005 Victor E. Grossinger Award for Innovative Programming for the "Allenwood Educational Native Landscaping Demonstration Project" at the Ocean Place Resort in Long Branch. Accepting the award on behalf of the WTEAC at the dinner was WTEAC Member Tony Rembiszewski [above, first row, from left] Monmouth County Freeholder Theodore Narozanick, WTEAC Chair Wilma Morrissey and Committeewoman Mary Burne, and WTEAC Member Loren Diedrichsen [top row, from left] and Board of Recreation Commissioner Fred Rummel.

## Library Hosts Elder Care Attorney



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

John W. Callinan [above], a certified elder law attorney based on Highway 35 in Wall Township, spoke at the Wall Library this past Monday night about living wills and trusts.

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# The Shore Palate

## Freeze and thaw

Along with the arrival of spring comes spring cleaning. I organized a brilliant plan to whisk through the house and get the job done quickly and thoroughly. That was several weeks ago and I'm still in room number one, the kitchen. At first it was the banter and debate over whether to keep or get rid of precious items like my darling cherry pitter and the radish flower gizmo I used in the '80s.

Once I got over the emotional tug of war with such possessions, I felt free and ready to move on with intrepid determination and tenacity. I headed for the fridge and freezer. Truth be told, it has been rough. Cleaning out a refrigerator is grueling enough, but the freezer is a real challenge. However I unlocked some mysteries, like discovering the wonton wrappers I bought to make butternut squash ravioli, and finding many small individually wrapped cubes of arugula pesto I made last summer. With a sparkling clean and empty freezer, I promised myself this would never happen again. To this end I did some research on freezing and thawing foods to pass on to you.

## To freeze or not to freeze?

That is the question I have been getting from several readers lately. The answer is yes, freezing is good, but there are guidelines and suggestions for successful freezing and, more importantly, for thawing.

When you freeze foods, the pathogens which cause food-borne illnesses, cannot grow. Freezing also preserves quality by slowing down the chemical processes that destroy foods. However, if foods are frozen for too long a period, the color, texture and flavor will deteriorate. Best to follow any labeling directions or expiration dates on all packaged foods you stash in the freezer. Consider that foods you buy from the freezer department in your supermarket are usually "flash-frozen" or individually quick frozen [IQF] in

industrial machines that freeze food in minutes. Your home freezer does not have the capability to drop to the low temperatures of commercial freezers. It's a good idea to buy a freezer thermometer [sold in any supermarket] and keep it in freezer. Check it periodically to be sure freezer temp doesn't go above 0 degrees.

## Tips for packing foods to freeze

When placing fresh foods in freezer, arrange on a single layer until they freeze. Small amounts freeze faster. Faster is better because it gives less of a chance for destructive ice crystals to form. As the water in food freezes, these crystals form and rupture cell walls resulting in changes in flavor and texture of food. For example, it is better if you freeze 2-cup portions of stock instead of a 1-quart container.

Since oxygen is the enemy of stored food, choose airtight containers, heavy duty freezer bags or freezer paper to store foods and avoid "freezer burn," a condition that occurs when water molecules move from one area to another causing the surface of the food to dry out. It's best to match container size to volume of food.

Foods placed on freezer floor or near walls chill more efficiently.

Freezers work best when full, although jamming packages and containers into the freezer is not the best way to go. You can fill a plastic jug with water and freeze to fill space.

Refrigerator freezers are not meant for long-term freezing because of temperature fluctuations through opening the door. The self-defrost feature in your freezer heats and cools to melt frost, causing more temperature irregularities. Short terms of one to two months are a reasonable window.

If you keep a home freezer in the basement or garage, here is a timeline for foods that freeze well and those that don't. Flour and egg whites are good for up to a year.



JUDITH JONES AMBROSINI

Bread and dough for 8 months, peeled bananas for 1 month, nuts and butter are safe up to nine months, soups, stews and stocks up to four months, red meat four to 12 months, poultry nine to 12 months and seafood keeps safe three to six months.

Certain foods rebel with taste and textural changes when banished to the freezer. Cream and custard fillings, sour cream, yogurt, milk, high moisture vegetables like cabbage and lettuce, all let it be known they do not want to spend time in the freezer.

Then again there are foods that travel quite nicely direct from freezer to oven or microwave or boiling water. If time is of the essence to get dinner on the table in 20 minutes, these foods are your treasure troves.

## Safe thawing

Resist the temptation to dig around for the old ice pick when you are looking for a quick thaw. Instead, thaw meats, fruits, vegetables, prepared foods and dough in the refrigerator to avoid growth of microbes and other unwanted visitors. It may take time, possibly a few days, when you are looking at a 15-pound turkey or large roast to thaw, but it really is the safest method. In some cases — frozen shrimp for example — a soak under cool running water will coax thawing. Safety is the most important factor, so be patient and do some simple creative cooking for a few days as the big bird relaxes in the fridge. As for breads, cakes and

cookies, they can be defrosted safely on the kitchen counter.

## Secrets from the deep freeze

- Keep frozen food inventory by labeling and dating or marking with a permanent marker.
- Foods that will be stored for a long period require extra wrapping. After they are wrapped in plastic or foil, insure them with a freezer bag.
- Frozen foods are more nutritious than canned food because there is less processing.
- Make up your own TV dinners from leftovers. They will surely be more interesting.
- When going away on vacation, place bags of ice cubes around the freezer in case of power loss.
- Freeze fish in clean milk cartons filled with pure water. When

you thaw fish use water to fertilize plants.

- To prolong freezer time for roasted or cooked meats, cover with gravy.
- To make clean up an easy task, line the bottom or floor of refrigerator freezer with plastic wrap, but be sure not to cover fan vent.
- Always cool food to room temperature before freezing. Chilled food freezes faster and tastes fresher when reheated. Putting hot or warm food into freezer lowers the machine's temperature.
- When you see freezer burn, frost, color or textural change, it means that item has spent too much time hibernating in the freezer. Dump it.

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— LETTERS —  
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that teenage crime is back under control.

A more compelling issue that merits another factual article would report on all of the many positive things that the Wall Township Committee members have done during 2005 to improve the quality of education at the high school. Committee members need to step up and tell residents what they have done and what they plan to do to improve the quality of education. Let's hear from the committee, the mayor and any political candidates seeking to join the committee.

RICHARD N. TILTON  
Baileys Corner Road, Wall Township

**SQUAN FIELD REFRUBISHMENT ISSUE HANDLED BADLY**  
Editor, The Coast Star:

I read with interest recent letters on the topic of the refurbishment of high school athletic fields. One particular letter written by Pat Connolly, a member of our borough council, advised the Manasquan Board of Education to "concentrate on the quality of education and not the quality of recreation." Maybe if the borough council would concentrate on "the quality of recreation" for our youth, the BOE wouldn't have to.

She also placed a negative spin on a decidedly fledgling plan to enhance recreational space for community and school use, while saying she hadn't been presented at any work session or regular meeting of the council "with such a plan. Making a statement in the newspaper about a plan you know nothing about? Sounds like one of two things: politics as usual or not very smart.

Notwithstanding, it's a sad day when the BOE needs to take advice from a councilwoman who has shown time and again a complete lack of understanding as to the requirements for thorough and efficient education. Thank goodness the state Department of Education protects our schools through its many laws from being dismantled, piece by piece, by people who don't understand what a kid needs for a complete education. And really, Ms. Connolly, do you expect anyone to believe that much of the town knew about Bob Briant's good faith effort to bring the borough and the board together on this idea and you did not. Or was it that you turned a blind eye to it? It's foolish to stand in the way of this type of plan if you consider the impact upgrading the recreational facilities can have on the enhancement of a community.

This plan is in its infancy, however, it has the potential to change the very essence of available recreation space, not just for kids, but for community members. As an elected official, if you can't be productive in an effort to enhance life for our youth and back and plan with promise you should simply excuse yourself from the process for lack of knowledge.

Many of us have witnessed the interest, or lack thereof, in recognizing the need for balanced education certain members of the council have shown in the past. The history isn't good. Not just in the area of support for BOE plans, but for the development of a recreational plan that should come directly from council. So I ask parents "when are you going to get sick and tired of certain council members taking a 'hands-off attitude' about the enhancement of recreation for our youth"? Not every council member has ignored opportunities that could lead to recreational options for our community. However, those members who have shown interest in providing or upgrading places where our kids can exercise their bodies while they exercise their minds and stay out of trouble, have been in the minority and they have done so at personal peril. The truth is it's not in one's political interest to suggest a plan for something that might be controversial. Certain voters don't like that and well, let's face it, kids don't vote.

ANNE MICHALS  
Euclid Avenue, Manasquan

**THANKS FROM NJROTC BOOSTER CLUB**

Editor, The Coast Star:

On Saturday, April 30, Wall Township High School NJROTC Booster Club held their first annual "senior prom." I would like to thank all who attended, and the Wall High School NJROTC cadets who assisted. And special thanks to Mike Barnick, who donated his "top notch" DJ service, Robin, Pam, Tammy, Elizabeth, Susan, Edith and Kathy who volunteered countless hours, and all the booster parents who helped at the "senior prom." It was a great success — thanks to all.

KATHY CASSIDY  
President, Wall H.S. NJROTC Booster Club

**SHARED SERVICES BETWEEN MUNICIPALITIES A GOOD IDEA**  
Editor, The Coast Star:

It has been said that if New York City was run like New Jersey's 262 small towns, there would be a separate police department, fire department and school system every five blocks.

As our own state points out, the failure of municipalities to share public services, wherever possible, is one of the primary reasons for our notorious high property taxes. And not combining police dispatching services with our neighbors is a prime example of taxpayer waste. This year, it will cost Sea Girt's taxpayers more than a quarter of a million dollars just to cover the payroll for having its own 24 hour a day, seldom called-on police dispatchers, not to mention the cost of the expensive radio equipment and operating facilities. So obvious is a joint police dispatching service an opportunity for substantial savings for the taxpayers, the state has offered us a \$20,000 grant to pay the cost of evaluating its benefits, and an additional \$100,000 for implementing such a joint service.

Unfortunately, those who hold the power in Sea Girt have not only rejected sharing such services, but with having a councilman in charge of overseeing the police department who comes from a lawyer background rather than being a hard-nosed, cost-conscious businessman, the salary increases given to our police, over the past 5 years, amount to an unheard-of increase of over 31 percent — a recipe for bankruptcy in the business world. It now costs the borough's taxpayers more than \$100,000 a year for each of the top 10 police officers, or over a million dollars for just 10 of their employees! If this doesn't say something about inefficiencies, there is another troublesome aspect to the situation...as everyone knows, Sea Girt is the same small 1-square-mile town that it has always been — with the same number of homes and the same population that it had 30 years ago. What then justifies the need for some 26 police officers to protect the exact same number of people that 9 or 10 police were well able to protect in the past?

Unexplainably, Mayor Ahern and Councilman Grubaugh have vehemently opposed money-saving shared services, and have turned down the invitation of Spring Lake and Spring Lake Heights to join them in a joint police dispatching operation. It would certainly seem, if a single police dispatching facility in Brooklyn can effectively serve the entire city of New York, with its 7.5 million people and thousands of patrol cars, from the Bronx to Staten Island, there is no logical reason why one police dispatching operation cannot effectively serve the small area in which the people of Sea Girt and its neighbors live. Yet, when the matter was raised during several recent council meetings, the mayor and Mr. Grubaugh refused a serious up-to-date factual study of the money the taxpayers would save by such a move — even though the state is willing to pay for the study!

As with so many other suggestions from residents to achieve better local government, the concept of sharing services with our neighbors has now been relegated to Sea Girt's usual burial ground — the "Let's wait and see what develops," "We've already looked into it," and "We'll keep an eye on it" department ...

M. CLAY ADAMS  
Stockton Boulevard, Sea Girt

**REPUBLICAN CLUB OF SQUAN INVITES RESIDENTS TO MEETINGS**

Editor, The Coast Star:

The Republican Club of Manasquan is an active organization of citizens interested in the everyday workings and concerns of the business of Manasquan. We meet every fourth Wednesday of the month in the borough hall at 7:30 p.m. with a planned topic to discuss. We have had guest speakers from the county government, state government, and candidates for governor and freeholder. Three councilmen, Ron Jacobson, Bill Giunco and Jon Lucas, in addition to Mayor Richard Dunne are in attendance at each meeting. They speak on topics of interest regarding Manasquan and are available to answer any questions you might have in a very informal and relaxed setting.

We would like to encourage any interested resident to come to our meetings with the intent of keeping up with the current events in Manasquan, the county and state. Your family and your home are probably two of the largest investments you have or will ever have. This is your opportunity to keep informed, shared ideas, and try to protect and enhance what you have worked so hard for. What happens across town also happens to you. Your concern may be someone else's concern. In reality, all of Manasquan is your back yard.

If you would like additional information regarding our Club, please call Lia Trench, president, at 732-223-0328; Kelan Vorbach, vice president, 732-223-3626; or Marilyn Jacobson, secretary, 732-223-0328.

MARILYN JACOBSON  
Secretary, Manasquan Republican Club

**'SCLEDERMA AWARENESS' BOARDWALK-A-THON IS BACK**

Editor, The Coast Star:

On Sunday, June 5, hundreds of caring New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Delaware residents will gather at the north end of the Belmar boardwalk to help kick off our fifth-annual "Scleroderma Awareness" Boardwalk-a-Thon which will help raise funds for a disease that afflicts more than 300,000 sufferers in the United States alone. Since our 2004 walk was such a huge success with over 1,000 people walking in pursuit of a cure, more are expected this year as part of the National "Stepping Out To Cure Scleroderma" initiative.

Scleroderma, or systemic sclerosis, is a chronic autoimmune disease that affects approximately 300,000 people in the United States alone. While the disease is diagnosed most often in women between the ages of 25 and 50, it can affect both sexes and persons of all ages. An over-production of collagen causes thickening and fibrous hardening in the various organs of the body that may include the skin, heart, lungs and kidneys. The effects can range from varying degrees of discomfort and disability to life-threatening.

Dedicated volunteers, many affected by scleroderma themselves, are helping us in our three-fold mission to raise awareness, expand education to patients, caretakers, governmental representatives, and health care professionals, and to continue to finance over \$1 million annually in new research for treatments and a cure.

The Scleroderma Foundation, Delaware Valley Chapter [SFDV] is a 501(c)3 nonprofit corporation which serves central/southern New Jersey, eastern Pennsylvania and all of Delaware. If you would like to be part of this great event on June 5, please call toll-free 1-866-675-5545 to get your kit that includes all the walk information. You can make a difference. Join us by "Stepping Out To Cure Scleroderma."

PAT JOHNSEN  
Executive Director, Scleroderma Foundation  
Delaware Valley Chapter

**WALL RESIDENT FINDS DEER HUNTING POLICY A MISTAKE**

Editor, The Coast Star:

It is no surprise the Monmouth County Parks Department is reporting the initial deer parks hunt was a success. Did anyone really think the Parks Department would say their own decision was a mistake? A review of both their Deer Management Background and Program reports dated 04/01/2005 shows how flawed their assessment is. For example:

- The background report lists only total deer population and deer killings statewide. There is no information on the county parks deer population to know if there is overpopulation.
- The Parks Department determine that nearly 50 complaints to them during the hunt is "minimal." By whose standards is this considered minimal or a success?
- 307 deer were killed. Of that, 205 were females. Our Parks Department states they "assume" that will help with overpopulation. Without knowing the deer population in the parks, there is no validity to their assumptions or their success claim.
- Only 1 in 5 hunters killed a deer. The Parks Department considers 20 percent a success.
- 42 percent of the hunters were from outside the county. The Parks Department considers closing our parks for recreation use by county residents so outsiders can kill deer best use of our tax-funded parks and a success.
- The reports make no mention of the Parks Department doing any further investigation into non-lethal methods, including cost comparison, and funding available.
- Now the Parks Department, with their flawed reports, is recommending:
  - Expanding hunting to more parks acreage and 3 more locations.
  - Expanding the number of days and hours each day for hunting.
  - Allowing the killing of all deer, not just antler-less.
  - Eliminating tree stand hunting only to allow for hunters to track in the parks.
  - Adding parking for hunters to have easier access to the parks. I am a resident and neighboring property owner to one of the new locations being considered. What the parks department did not say in their report was that there already is illegal hunting going on in the park next to my house. And they did not say there have been complaints from me and my neighbors about illegal tree stands in our area, or the injured deer with an arrow in its side in my yard. They never mentioned that after these incidents were

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# Pastor Gratzel cultivates his large family with love

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him of a phrase that he often uses in such instances, "God's will will never take you where God's love will not sustain you."

For three years, Pastor Gratzel lived on the Philadelphia campus. There, in addition to his studies, the body of students and teachers showed him one of the intangibles of being a religious leader: the sense of fellowship and community.

His understanding of the church was heightened, as well, he said.

Throughout seminary school and in the ensuing years, the Gratzels adopted seven children.

After their oldest son, Christopher, joined the family through a private adoption arrangement, the couple adopted Sarah, who is now 15 years old.

Sarah would have never lived with the Gratzels if the couple had not been at the right place at the right time.

While the couple was vacationing in New Hampshire with friends who lived there, they heard an adoption agency's advertisement on the radio, Pastor Gratzel said. The ad caught their immediate attention. The agency had an office in New Jersey and provided a phone number in the radio broadcast.

In a stranger twist of fate, the Gratzel's New Hampshire friends, who always take notice of such ads since they are adoptive parents also, later said they had never heard the ad before that day and never heard it again afterwards.

Eventually the agency placed Sarah in the Gratzels' care.

"Through strange and incredible circumstances we got them," Pastor Gratzel said of each child's story of adoption. "God gives people gifts in different ways."

He and his wife's gift was raising and giving their children the best life possible, he added.

Not only are all seven of the Gratzel's children adopted — Christopher, 21; Sarah, 15; Josie, 12; Iris, 9; Michael, 10; Gavin, 8; and Kelly, 7, are all multiracial.

All the children also have special needs that the couple must attend to on a regular basis, which can be stressful, Mrs. Gratzel said.

"I thought many times, 'How are we going to do this,' but people kept coming into our lives telling us he needed us and we needed him," she said of their youngest son, Gavin who is wheelchair bound and needs regular attention.

Mrs. Gratzel said she and her husband acted as a team and received support from the church community, their extended family and their children.

"Every day is a challenge, but for every challenge there is a blessing," she said in reference to her upbeat perspective on the challenges of rearing seven children.

Mrs. Gratzel said she is particularly happy when the children come home from school with artwork, good grades and other achievements that makes the tough times all worthwhile.

"Joe and I are not just doing this for us, its about our children and



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

**First Baptist Pastor Joseph Gratzel [above] spent time with his adopted 8-year-old son Gavin right outside the doors of the church. Denise and Joseph Gratzel said they are always busy trying to provide their seven adopted children good lives.**

raising them the best that we can," she said.

"He's [Pastor Gratzel] got a big heart and teaches me the right things," Pastor Gratzel's daughter, Sarah, said.

The Manasquan High School freshman added her father always finds the time to help her with her homework, even when he was busy with his numerous responsibilities. Again faced with financial hardship as they tried to provide for their growing family, Pastor Gratzel and his wife found the help they needed from the public.

He was able to attain public aid through a New Jersey program called "home ownership of permanency" which allowed the Gratzels to add one and one-half stories and four bedrooms to their Manasquan home with a low-interest loan, he said.

"I would have never been able to fit seven kids in my three-bedroom house," the Wigwam Path resident said.

After graduating from seminary school in 1988, he served as an associate pastor in Fair Lawn for two years. Next, he became the head pastor for a church in Oakland for six years and then was selected by the First Baptist Pastoral search committee in Manasquan to head up the parish here, which had been without a full-time pastor for 18 months.

Since then, Pastor Gratzel has made an indelible mark on the Manasquan community.

"He is a wonderful pastor and very involved with the first aid squad and a number of events in town," Manasquan Mayor Richard Dunne said. "He doesn't confine his interest to the parish."

Shortly after Pastor Gratzel joined First Baptist Church, Mayor Dunne approached him and asked if the community could make use of the church's facilities for the First Night Festival, a family-oriented, non-alcoholic New Year's celebration event.

"He jumped right into it with hands and feet," the mayor said. "It shows you where his heart is."

Pastor Gratzel said when he became the head pastor at First Baptist, it was a smooth transition for the church.

"I came into it with a church that

was in a very good state," he said.

Alice Hemphill, who has lived in Manasquan since September 1947 and has attended First Baptist for 55 years, said the pastor has an ability to attract people from every walk of life to the church.

"He has a lot more people involved in our church," she said.

One demographic Pastor Gratzel has been able to appeal to is young people. This section of society is usually busy with work, starting a family and being very socially active, she said.

Because of other time-consuming activities, younger people usually become detached from the church, Ms. Hemphill said. However, Pastor Gratzel has been able to attract that crowd like no other pastor at First Baptist since she has been a parishioner, she said.

Ms. Hemphill, who served as secretary for past First Baptist pastors, said she first experienced Pastor Gratzel's ability to connect with and care for people when he first arrived.

After 18 painful days of visiting her husband in the hospital, Ms. Hemphill was paid a visit by Pastor Gratzel, who supported her in her time of need.

"He is always helping other people when they need it," his daughter Sarah noted.

Pastor Gratzel spent a considerable amount of time with Ms. Hemphill while her husband laid ill in his hospital bed.

"He made me feel so comfortable," Ms. Hemphill said. "I never felt like a stranger with him."

Settling into his role as pastor was also helped by the local ministerium, which is a group made up of local churches and their head pastors and priests.

"The ministerium is a really close group that has been a great source of support and encouragement," he said.

The group organizes several community projects that aim to battle domestic violence and attempt to reach out to the community through worship and educational services.

"It's a community problem that we are passionate about," Pastor Gratzel said about domestic violence.

The group supports counselors who work for the 180 Turning Lives Around program that assists women who have been victims of domestic violence.

Pastor Gratzel and others in the ministerium attend community meetings to help increase public awareness about the nature of domestic violence and how people can get involved and help.

The group even traveled to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution in Freehold once to discuss the problem with convicts and how they could better themselves to better the community.

A project the ministerium will be coordinating with thousands of churches and hundreds of thousands of Christians, called the 40 Days of Purpose, aims to help people understand God's role in their lives in the 21st century, Pastor Gratzel said.

Church leaders will preach on Sunday mornings, hold six weekly Bible study classes and daily readings of "Purpose Driven Life," a book written by Saddleback Church Pastor Rick Warren, to underscore the meaning of God in today's society.

"Purpose Driven Life," a *New York Times* bestseller, is based on a study of how people perceive God in their daily lives.

The 40 Days of Purpose program is a tool that church officials will be using to help people understand and "apply God's truth in their daily lives," Pastor Gratzel said.

It is part of a bigger problem in today's developed nations, such as America, where religion is losing a niche in most people's lives, he said.

"People in the U.S. are comfortable and complacent," he said. "[Where in the] still-developing world, the church is growing because people are compassionate and committed."

He said he hopes the 40 Days of Purpose and other outreach strategies will change the way people understand and perceive the church.

"The church needs to change to be meaningful to people today," Pastor Gratzel said. "The challenge is to change the church without changing the fundamental message

because the message is eternally true."

He added that he attempts to give services that are not "stiff and boring" but to be more engaging in people's lives.

"He teaches from the Bible, but makes it pertinent to our lives," Ms. Hemphill said.

Another part of First Baptist's jump into the 21st century was adding a huge projector and screen, which looks very much like a large flat screen television, where services are held.

Pastor Gratzel is hopeful the projector and screen will be helpful for people who learn visually.

He said with the projector and screen people will be able to hold their heads up when joining in to sing church songs rather than looking down into a book because now the lyrics will be seen on the screen.

The church has also made all of its facilities handicapped accessible, Pastor Gratzel added.

With the rapid changes in today's world and the busy pace it demands from people, perhaps they may feel lost or even troubled. Pastor Gratzel stressed that everyone must find their own answer to hard times, adding that the church will always be there to welcome those who are searching for answers.

"Find a community of faith and a support network that will help you get on the right track," he suggested. "This will encourage you through difficult times — for me that was my wife's church down in Toms River."

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Obituaries

**Christopher B. Candito**

Matawan resident Christopher B. Candito, who was a long-time resident of Spring Lake, died suddenly Thursday, April 28 in Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, New Brunswick.

He was 33 years old. Born in Edison, he had lived in Spring Lake until moving to Matawan 10 years ago. He had attended HW Mountz Grammer School, Spring Lake, Red Bank Catholic High School, and had attended the University of Tennessee. He was a former communicant of St. Catharine's and St. Margaret's Parish, Spring Lake. Mr. Candito was involved in wrestling competitively since he was 14 years old. He was a professional wrestler for many years.

His family wrote of Mr. Candito, "Chris will be regarded as one of, if not the best professional wrestler in the history of the sport. He held more titles than could be counted, including the WWE Tag Team Titles, ECW Tagteam Titles, the WCW Cruiserweight Title, and the NWA World Title, just to mention a few. He whole-heartedly loved the art of Professional Wrestling and passed on at the peak of his career. To know him was to love him, as he was a passionate, determined, and ever benevolent human being. He is seen as an angel by many, proving the old adage "only the good die young." He will live on eternally as a "legend of the squared circle." Truly one of a kind, as a person, he was the kindest, most caring and giving individual you would ever want to meet. His legacy has only just begun. All who knew "No Gimmicks Needed" would agree

that nobody does it better...CC, We Miss You Already." He is survived by his wife Tamara Sytch; father and his wife Donald and Gisele Candito, Middletown; mother and her husband Margaret "Peggy" and Gregory Rea; two sisters, Amanda and Amy Rea, and brother Jonathan Rea, all of Spring Lake; and grandmother Margaret Kunak, Nazareth, Pa.

Funeral arrangements were from the O'Brien Funeral Home, Wall Township. In lieu of flowers his family requests donations to the Christopher B. Candito Foundation, c/o Bank of NY, 1310 Third Ave., Spring Lake, 07762, for the establishment of a scholarship to benefit a student at his "alma mater" HW Mountz Grammer School, that demonstrates excellence by his/her performance during the academic year.

**Anna Mary Rozum Hoblitzell**

Manasquan resident Anna Mary Rozum Hoblitzell died Friday, April 29 peacefully in her home surrounded by her family.

She was 87 years old. Born in Two Rivers, Wis., Mrs. Hoblitzell was the daughter of Annie Tesarik and Anton Rozum. She resided in Plainfield before moving to Manasquan 34 years ago.

Mrs. Hoblitzell graduated from Marquette University College of Nursing in 1938. She served as a 2nd Lt. in the Army Nurse Corps during World War II. While at Fort Bragg, N.C. she met and married her late husband, Walter R. Hoblitzell, in 1942. She was a devoted wife, mother and homemaker. For many years she served as a member of the Laurel League, the Monday Afternoon Women's Club and the Altar Rosary Society of St. Bernard's Catholic Church, Plainfield. After moving to Manasquan, she became an avid bowler and belonged to a number of bowling leagues. She was a communicant of St. Denis Catholic Church, Manasquan, where she was a member of the church's Altar-Rosary Society and the St. Denis Seniors for many years. A resident of the Manasquan beachfront, she loved the beach and the ocean.

Mrs. Hoblitzell was predeceased by her husband Walter R. Hoblitzell, who died in 1971; sisters Rose Gillespie and Anita Stoldr; and brothers Edward, Anton and John Rozum.

She is survived by her sons and daughters-in-law, Richard and Kathleen Hoblitzell, New Milford, Conn., and Bruce and Jeanette

Hoblitzell, Seattle, Wash; daughter and son-in-law Diane and Robert Radnich, Dover, Del.; daughter Carol Hoblitzell, Manasquan; and grandchildren Jennifer Dumans, Krysta Todice, Garth, Travis and Chase Hoblitzell and Christopher and Ross Radnich. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were from the Neary-Quinn Funeral Home, Manasquan. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of New Jersey, 77 Route 37 West, Toms River 08755 or to the Manasquan First Aid Squad, 65 Broad St., Manasquan 08736.

**Marion G. Krott**

Brick Township resident Marion G. Krott, formerly of Spring Lake Heights, died Sunday, May 1 in her son's home in Bayville.

She was 83 years old. Mrs. Krott was a 35 year resident of Spring Lake Heights and a seventeen year resident of Elkton, Md. before moving to Brick Township in 2004. She had worked as a paralegal at Ft. Monmouth in the Patent Agency, retiring in Oct. 1987.

Mrs. Krott was predeceased by her parents, George L. and Anna W. [nee Walling] Stille and twin sister Myra Elizabeth in 1952.

She is survived by her husband of 56 years, John Krott; two sons, Robert L. and wife Lisa, and Ronald G. and wife Nancy, both of Bayville; daughter Luanne M. Stout and husband George R., Brick Township; seven grandchildren, Duane, Bradford, Greg, George, Danielle, Alissa and Kimberly; and four great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held today at 11 a.m. at the Johnson-McGinley Funeral Home, 2652 Rt. 138, Wall Township. Interment will follow at the Atlantic View Cemetery, Manasquan.

**William S. Wilkins**

Manasquan resident William S. Wilkins died Sunday, May 1 in the Jersey Shore Medical Center, Neptune.

He was 83 years old. Born in Colts Neck and raised in Belmar by his grandparents Annie and George Wilkins, Mr. Wilkins was a life-long resident of the Jersey Shore, having graduated from both Belmar Grammer School and Manasquan High School. He was the owner of Wm. S. Wilkins Men's Shop, Manasquan for 45 years. Mr. Wilkins was a veteran

of World War II, serving in the European Theater of Operations with the Army Air Corps and Army Infantry. Organizations in which he was actively involved included Manasquan Kiwanis Club, where he was recognized for 43 years of attendance, Manasquan Chamber of Commerce, where he served as treasurer and two terms as president, Manasquan VFW since 1946 and Manasquan United Methodist Church. Mr. Wilkins was completely devoted to the town of Manasquan.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Carolyn; daughter and son-in-law Carol and Michael Kirkman, Pa.; daughter Judith Wilkins, Texas; son and daughter-in-law Lawrence and Donna Wilkins, Neptune; and granddaughter Jaclyn Kirkman.

A funeral service will be held on Friday at 10:30 a.m. at the Neary-Quinn Funeral Home, 39 South Street, Manasquan. Interment will follow in Greenwood Cemetery, Brielle. Visiting will be today 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. and tomorrow morning from 10 to 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers contributions in his memory may be made to the Manasquan United Methodist Church.

**Donald J. Roche**

Belmar resident Donald J. Roche died Sunday, May 1 in the home of his daughter in Wall Township.

He was 77 years old. Born in Newark, he was raised in Irvington before moving to Shark River Hills, Neptune during 1963 and to Belmar in 1971.

Mr. Roche was a US Navy veteran of World War II during 1945-1948 as an Electronics Technician. His service included two years on the Destroyer USS Floyd B. Parks [DD-884] in the Pacific Theatre. Mr. Roche received the following citations: the American Campaign Medal, WWII Victory Medal, Navy Occupation Service Medal with Asia, China Service Medal — Extended with the Good Conduct Medal. He was a member of the Tin Can Sailors of NJ, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1333, Asbury Park, and the American Legion Post 346, Neptune.

Mr. Roche was a graduate of Seton Hall University, School of Business Administration, South Orange, class of 1952. He was employed for 35 years by Dun & Bradstreet at Newark and later in Freehold as a Business Analyst and District Service Consultant, retiring Dec. 31, 1986. He was also a communicant of the Church of St. Rose, Belmar, where he served as an usher.

Mr. Roche was predeceased by his parents James J. and Sabina McHale Roche.

He is survived by his children and their spouses, James J. and Tracy C. Roche, John M. and Kerry C. Roche, Mary Frances

and John T. Lane Jr., all of Wall Township, and Sarah M. and Stephen Adams, Atlantic Highlands; former wife Mary C. Roche, Wall Township; and eight grandchildren, Jimmy, Kelly, and Colleen Roche, Kate and John T. Lane III, and Lauren, Casey, and Jack Roche.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at 10:15 a.m. from the O'Brien Funeral Home, Hwy. 35 at New Bedford Road, Wall Township, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. at St. Catharine's Church, Spring Lake. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Interment will be at St. Catharine's Cemetery, Sea Girt. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to Meridian Hospice, 4900 State Rt. 33, Suite 200, Neptune 07753-9930.

**John J. Conte**

Manchester resident John J. Conte, who has family in Wall Township, died Monday, May 2 in the Community Hospital, Toms River.

He was 64 years old. Born in Jersey City, Mr. Conte attended St. Paul the Apostle Grammer School, St. Michael's high School, and St. Peter's College, Jersey City. He lived in the Jersey Shore area for over 30 years before moving to Manchester 10 years ago. Mr. Conte worked for Johnson & Johnson as a salesman in the Codman Division selling neurological supplies. He was responsible for the New York territory. Mr. Conte was a communicant of St. Peter's Church, Point Pleasant as well as a Eucharistic minister. He taught CCD classes for several years and was a communicant of St. Catharine's Church, Spring Lake and St. Denis, Manasquan.

Mr. Conte was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed golf, biking, bowling, sailing and boating. John was president of the Leisure Village West Bowling team, a member of the Leisure Village West golf club, and a volunteer for the American Cancer Society. Mr. Conte was a well-read person and was always reading and staying up on current events.

He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Mary Ann [nee Swallow] Conte; three sons and three daughters-in-law, Christopher and Anne Marie Conte, Wall Township, Mark and Nancy Conte, Toms River, and Craig and Erin Rochester, N.Y.; and six beloved grandchildren, Nicole Ann, Brandon, Brianna, Ryan, Megan, and Kevin.

Relatives and friends are invited to call today from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Oreander Family Home for Funerals, 2643 Old Bridge Rd., Manasquan. A Celebration of Life ceremony will be held today at 8 p.m. at the funeral home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. at St. Catharine's Church, Spring Lake. Interment will be private. Condolences may be sent to www.oreanderfamilyhome.com. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 2550 US Hwy 1, North Brunswick, 08902.

**Cornelius Patrick Barrett**

Spring Lake resident Cornelius Patrick Barrett died Monday, May 2 in the Jersey Shore Medical Center, Neptune, after a long illness.

He was 88 years old. Born and raised in New York City, Mr. Barrett lived in Port Washington, Long Island before coming to Spring Lake 48 years ago. He was a U.S. Army Veteran of World War II, serving for five years in the Asiatic Pacific Theatre. After leaving the service, he worked for Pittsburgh Corning and International Permalite Corp. in New York City as Eastern Marketing Sales Manager.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Mary Ellen O'Toole Barrett; sons Neal and Justin Barrett; daughter Patricia Barrett; grandchildren Jackie and Christina; brother Thomas Barrett; and sisters Rita O'Shea and Lynn Oswald.

Funeral arrangements were from the O'Brien Funeral Home, Wall Township.

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For more information, call 732-776-8806.

THE CHURCH IN BRIELLE

821 Riverview Dr., Brielle
Rev. Paul J. Walther will lead the Sunday Worship Service at 10 a.m. Sunday school is at 10 a.m. Nursery care is provided for children up to 3 years old.
Monday there is an Al-Anon meeting at 7:30 p.m.
Friday there is an Overeaters Anon meeting at 10 a.m.
For more information, call the church at 732-528-7070, or visit http://churches.rca.org/brielle/.

ST. CATHARINE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Spring Lake
Weekend Masses will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday and at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on Sunday.
Weekday Mass at 6:45 and 8 a.m., Monday through Saturday. Confessions will be heard at St. Margaret on Saturdays from 2 to 3:30 p.m.
For more information, call 732-449-5765.

ST. ANDREW'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

West Lake and Fourth avenues
Spring Lake
Worship service begins at 9:30 a.m. with a coffee hour immediately following.
Sunday school begins at 9:30 a.m. All children are to meet in the sanctuary.
The Rev. Murphy has a children's message, so the church welcomes all children.
Call 732-449-5147 for further information.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

13th Avenue and E. Street
Belmar
Sunday morning blended worship service begins at 10 a.m.
Sunday morning Bible classes for all ages are at 11:15 a.m.
The church will hold an "Indoor-Outdoor Yard Sale" on Saturday, May 14 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be many items, including glassware, kitchenware, decorative items, furniture, LP records and more. The church will also have hot and cold beverages for sale.
For more information on small groups, youth and children's activities, and Bible studies, call 732-681-0940.

ST. ROSE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Belmar
Schedule of Masses is as follows: Saturday Vigil Mass, 5 p.m.; Sunday Masses, 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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2014 Main St., Lake Como
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Sunday school is conducted at 9:30 a.m. and includes classes for nursery through adult.
A mid-week prayer service is held on Wednesdays from 7 to 8 p.m.
Youth group for ages 11 to 18 also meets Wednesdays at 7 p.m. as does the Good News Club for ages 4 through the fifth grade.
For more information, call 732-681-3712, or visit www.thegrac-etabernacle.org.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

703 17th Ave., Lake Como
Sunday school for children and adults begins at 9 a.m.
Sunday morning worship begins at 10 a.m. Wednesday evening Bible study is from 7:30 to 9 p.m.
Rev. Jesse W. Evans, pastor.
For additional information, call the church at 732-681-1730.

WALL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

2414 Old Mill Road
Spring Lake Heights
Sunday worship service led by the Rev. Glenn K. Miller begins at 9:30

a.m. Nursery care is available during the service. Sunday school students begin church with their parents and go to their classes after the children's message. Fellowship and refreshments are provided following each service.
Ongoing activities include: Bible studies on Tuesday at 7 p.m. and Thursday at 10:30 a.m.
Children's choir is held from 6:45 to 7:15 p.m. on Thursday. Adult choir meets from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on Thursday.
Call 732-449-8287 for more church information.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

7th Avenue and D Street, Belmar
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9th Avenue and E. Street, Belmar
Sunday worship services will be held at 10 a.m.
Sunday school also begins at 10 a.m. September through June 13. Bible study is on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.
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GLENDOLA BIBLE CHURCH

1615 Glendola Road, Wall
Sunday school begins at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday worship for all ages begins at 10:45 a.m. and fellowship at 10:30 a.m.
For further information, call 732-681-3029.

ST. MICHAEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Wall Township
Celebration of the Holy Eucharist is at 8 and 10 a.m. on Sunday. Sunday school for children preschool-age through eighth grade. Nursery care is also available for infants and toddlers. Fellowship continues after services in the undercroft.
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For more information, call the parish office at 732-681-1863.

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1000 17th Ave., West Belmar
Contemporary worship service and Sunday school held at 9:15 a.m. Traditional worship service held at 11 a.m.
For more church information, call 732-681-4413.

SAINT URIEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sea Girt
Services at St. Uriel Church, 3rd Avenue and Philadelphia Boulevard, Sea Girt, are at 8 and 9:30 a.m., Sundays. The principal service of the day is a choral celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. Sunday school follows the 9:30 a.m. service.
A nursery is provided for infants and preschool children during the 9:30 a.m. service.
Wednesday celebration of the Holy Eucharist is offered with prayers for healing and the laying on of hands at 9:30 a.m.
For more information, call the church office at 732-449-6173.

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FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

2649 East Hurley Pond Road, Wall
The Full Gospel Church welcomes everyone.
Sunday services include Christian education at 9:30 a.m. [classes for all ages]. The worship service is at 10:30 a.m.
Intercessory prayer is on Tuesday at 10 a.m.
Adult Bible study is Wednesday at 7 p.m.
Royal Rangers and Missionettes, for children 3 to 18 years old, is Wednesday at 7 p.m.
Youth group [for 13 to 18 years old] is Friday at 7:30 p.m.
Prayer and outreach is Friday at 7:30 p.m.; the church welcomes all.
For information, call the church office at 732 681-5335.

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Wall Township
The Religious Society of Friends [Quakers] meet for worship at 11:15 a.m. every Sunday.
Worship is held in the Manasquan Quaker Meeting House, Route 35, off the Manasquan Circle.
First Day School convenes at 10 a.m.
The Society welcomes all.

ST. DENIS ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Route 71, Manasquan
The Mass schedule is as follows: Masses are celebrated in the church at 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays.
Sunday Masses are celebrated at 8, 9:30, and 11 a.m. at the church and at 10 a.m. at the beach chapel.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

23 Church St., Manasquan
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This Sunday, May 8, worship begins at 8:15 a.m. for a brief service of Word and Table, a service of praise at 9 a.m. or a spirited traditional service at 10:30 a.m.
Coffee hour is held between the 9 and 10:30 a.m. services and nursery care is provided for infants and toddlers at both services.
Church school is at 9 a.m. for preschool age children through 12th grade. Children's choir is Wednesdays at 5:15 p.m. [K-2nd grade]. Youth band is held at noon on Sundays. Wesley Club, for grades third to fifth, meets on Wednesdays at 5:45 p.m. Youth choir is on Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m. Women's Bible study is on Wednesday mornings at 8:30 a.m.
For more information, call the church at 732-223-5432.

ST. MARK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sea Girt
Masses are held on Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 8 and 10 a.m. and noon. There is a Hispanic Mass at 5 p.m. on Sunday. Daily Masses are at 7:30 and 11 a.m.
Miraculous Medal Novena will be held after 7:30 and 11 a.m. Masses on Wednesdays.
Our Lady's Rosary is daily after the 7:30 and 11 a.m. Masses.
The sacrament of reconciliation is administered Saturday from 4 to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment.
For more information call the parish office at 732-449-6364.

KING'S HARBOR ASSEMBLY OF GOD

62 Main St., Manasquan
Children's church for ages three through nine is provided during the

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Call for further information, 732-223-2127.

HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

23 Taylor Ave. [Rt. 71], Manasquan
Pastor Joe Santucci will lead Sunday morning worship at 10:30 a.m.
Sunday school is at 12:15 p.m.
DivorceCare begins March 29 at 7:30 p.m.
For more information, call 732-223-4115 or visit www.hopecom.net.

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Main Street and
Osborn Avenue, Manasquan
On this weekend of the seventh Sunday of Easter, the Reverend Mary V. Olson will preach and preside at the 5 p.m. Saturday service and the 8:45 and 11:15 a.m. Sunday services.
All services include Holy Communion, including the 7 a.m. on Wednesday.
Bible Study ["The Bible's Big Story," led by Pastor Stephen Blank] will continue on Wednesday, May 11 at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
The attic treasure sale will be Friday and Saturday, May 6 and 7, from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
For information, call 732-223-0533.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Avon-by-the-Sea
The church has closed for the winter season and will reopen in the spring.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

44 Union Ave., Manasquan
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Prayer and Bible study are held each Wednesday from noon to 1:15 p.m. and again in the evening from 7 to 9 p.m.
For more information, call 732-458-9238.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

16 Virginia Ave. Manasquan
On Sunday, worship services will be held at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Rev. William Librizzi from The Wellspring Counseling Center in Sea Girt will be preaching. Child care will be provided for all three services.
Tonight, May 5, there will be a National Day of prayer service at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary.
For more information, call 732-223-4627.

ST. ELIZABETH CHURCH

Avon
Masses are celebrated at 4 and 5:30 p.m. Saturdays and at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11:30 a.m. Sundays.
Confessions are heard between 3 and 3:45 p.m. Saturdays.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Third and Monmouth avenues,
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SAINT JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH

4th and Hammond avenues
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The church celebrates the Holy Eucharist every Sunday at 8 and 10 a.m. The church warmly welcomes all.
The Rev. Frank M. Goss, rector.
Church school meets every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.
Nursery care is provided during the 10 a.m. Eucharist.
For more information, call the parish office at 732-775-5414 or visit the web site www.saintjamesbb.org.

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For more information, call Pastor Wayne E. May at 732-693-7079 or visit www.bradleybeachcommunity-church.org.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

51 South St., Manasquan
Contemporary service at 8:45 a.m., Sunday school at 10 a.m. and traditional service 11 a.m.
For more information, call the church office at 732-223-4649.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Avon
Sunday worship is at 11 a.m. For more information, call 732-774-4368.

ST. MARGARET CHURCH

Spring Lake
Weekend Masses are Saturday at 4 p.m., Sunday at 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass is held at St. Catharine, see the schedule below.
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Crossword puzzle grid with clues and solutions for 1-50 across and down.

# Bella Sogno offers Italian cuisine with a South Beach flair

## BUSINESS PROFILE

By Mike Gray

Bella sogno means "beautiful dream" in Italian, and around the corner of Main Street, just a few storefronts down Brinley Avenue in Bradley Beach, Bella Sogno restaurant can be found.

This cozy Italian-themed restaurant with warm decor and a spiced up menu was a dream for owners Joseph Shaefer and Tom Sharpe before opening three years ago.

"I was working here as a waiter; we had an opportunity to jump in — we always talked about opening a small place," said Mr. Shaefer.

Purchased a little over three years ago from former Councilman Pat D'Angelo, who ran an Italian restaurant in the same space, the partners renovated the interior and began developing an eclectic new menu. Bella Sogno opened for business in February 2002.

Aware that Bradley Beach had its share of Italian restaurants, Mr. Shaefer — who is also the chef — decided to "throw a little flair" into the traditional dish.

Though the restaurant's menu does reflect traditional Italian cuisine, such as chicken scarpella and veal francese, seafood and grilled specialties are also highlighted selections, with flounder oreganata — a broiled fillet of flounder encrusted with oreganata bread crumbs and garnished lemon — being one of the more popular dishes.

Weekly specials show off the South Beach style Mr. Shaefer learned while working as a line cook in Florida. Among featured dishes are potato crusted crab cakes served over a mixed green salad, topped with papaya and mango sauce.

One of the most popular dishes on the menu is the veal capri, which is sauteed in a rosemary demi glaze, stuffed with fresh mozzarella, Fontina cheese and chopped basil.

Epitomizing the epitome of the chef learned while working in Florida, this summer a pork chop dish topped with sliced bananas in a banana and brown sugar rum sauce will be available.

And a dish, named in honor of the former owner, is also popular: The DiAngelo Special, which is penne sauteed with broccoli rabe, sausage, and white beans in a garlic and olive oil sauce.

Just like the food, the decor of Bella Sogno is a mix of styles.

While incorporating the traditional white tablecloth and warm oak look of traditional Italian restaurants, the dining room also displays a nautically-themed library and a surprisingly contemporary urban aesthetic, particularly with the lighting arrangement, which brings the feel of an upscale New York City restaurant to the dining area.

"We just kind of picked it up eclectically along the way" said Mr. Sharpe.

Being a restaurateur is not the first career for Mr. Sharpe, who owns two hair salons — Classic Cuts and The Hair Group, both in Brick Township. Having cut Mr. Shaefer's hair for 10 years, the two



Owners Tom Sharpe [above, left] and Joseph Shaefer opened Bella Sogno three years ago, and offer a mix of Italian cuisine, seafood selections, and a touch of flair to the standard Mediterranean menu.

formed a friendship that turned somewhat surprisingly into a business partnership. When asked how a hair stylist landed in the restaurant business, Mr. Sharpe said, "This is tranquility coming here. It takes you away from the pace."

The venue has a pace that fluctu-

ates according to season. As with many Jersey Shore businesses, the traffic has a sharp decrease during the winter. But local and loyal customers in Bradley Beach keep Bella Sogno busy even in the slow season.

"We have a group that comes in two to three times a week ... there are a lot of good people and good friends in the area," said Mr. Shaefer. He added the businesses located around the restaurant help each other out.

"The people we've met here in the immediate area are great," said Mr. Shaefer.

During the summer season, the local bed and breakfasts keep the restaurant hopping. Promoting at the local inns has been a boon to the

restaurant, and because of this Bella Sogno's business has been building over the years.

While the restaurant's dining area looks upscale and elegant, Mr. Shaefer wants to make clear the atmosphere is laid-back.

"People think it's like eating at grandma's and they have to dress up," he said. "It's casual upscale — jeans and a nice shirt."

Outdoor seating is available in the summer and the restaurant is BYOB. If a customer forgets to bring their own, however, an in-house delivery service can run around the corner to Bradley Liquors and pick out a select bottle of wine.

Bella Sogno is located at 600 Main St. and Brinley Ave., Bradley Beach. It is a non-smoking restaurant and is handicapped accessible. Catering is available upon request.

Winter hours are from Thursday to Sunday from 4 to 10 p.m. for dinner only. Starting Memorial Day, the restaurant will be seating on Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday from 4 to 9 p.m., and on Friday and Saturday from 4 to 10 p.m. Call 732-869-0700 to make a reservation, which will be needed for Saturday evening dining.

"We are happy to serve the people in this area," said Mr. Shaefer.



A warm atmosphere with soft lighting, Bella Sogno's dining area [above] has tables that can seat a party of ten or a pair of two. The decor, an eclectic mix of classic Italian and nautical themes, has a touch of urban sophistication without coming off as too upscale.

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# Belmar Police report recent activity in boro

The Belmar Police Department reported the following activity in the borough:

- On April 24, Officers Darian Vitello and Cliff Aker arrested Gerard Cerqua, 37, of Wall Township, on outstanding warrants out of Red Bank, Eatontown, Holmdel, Ocean Township and Lake Como. The warrants were issued for contempt of court and totaled \$5,309.
- On April 23, Officer Daniel Lynch arrested George Turner III, 24, of Jackson, on a charge of driving while intoxicated [DWI]. He was released on his own recognizance.
- On April 23, Sgt. William Aker arrested Anna Florek, 20, of Atlantic Highlands, on an outstanding warrant out of Lake Como. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$235.
- On April 22, Officers Tina Scott, Vitello, Sharin and Det. Sean Pringle arrested William Barnes, 35, of Belmar, of possession of a drug paraphernalia. Bail was set at \$1,000.
- On April 22, Officer Ryan Nolan arrested Jemal Kenney, 33, of Brielle, on an outstanding warrant out of Belmar. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$915.
- On April 21, Officers Mark Walsifer, Vitello and Sharin arrested Vance Miller, 21, of Belmar, on charges of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, which was under 50 grams of marijuana, and an outstanding warrant out of the Ocean County Sheriff's Office in the amount of \$2,634. He was released on his own recognizance.
- On April 21, Officers Mark Walsifer, Vitello and Sharin arrested Sean O'Connolly, 41, of Belmar, on an outstanding warrant out of Neptune City. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$555.
- On April 21, Officers Mark Walsifer, Vitello and Sharin arrested Victoria Ventura, 25, of Belmar, on an outstanding warrant out of Wall Township. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$104.
- On April 20, Officers Sharin and Vitello arrested Bryan Zupkus, 21, of Point Pleasant, on

a charge of theft. He was released on his own recognizance.

- On April 20, Officer Vitello and Sgt. Thomas Cox arrested George Burdge, 37, of Neptune, on an outstanding warrant out of Belmar. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$1,569.
  - On April 19, Sgt. Harry Harsin arrested Michael Ludwick, 46, of Belmar, on an outstanding warrant out of Point Pleasant. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$30,000.
  - On April 19, Sgt. Harsin arrested James Wither III, 20, of Asbury Park, on outstanding warrants out of Belmar and Wall Township. The warrants were issued for contempt of court and totaled \$1,500.
  - On April 18, Officer Vitello and Sgt. Cox arrested William Venino, 36, of Long Branch, and Edward Duff, 36, of St. Petersburg, Fla., on charges of burglary, theft and criminal mischief. Bail was set at \$30,500 each.
  - On April 16, Officer Vitello arrested Jamie Steger, 31, of Point Pleasant, on a charge of DWI. He was released on his own recognizance.
  - On April 15, Officer Vitello arrested James Vanblarcom, 34, of Lake Como, on an outstanding warrant out of Avon-by-the-Sea. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$500.
  - On April 13, Officer Sharin arrested Danielle Ammirato, 22, of Lake Como, on an outstanding warrant out of Point Pleasant Beach. The warrant was issued for contempt of court in the amount of \$205.
  - On April 12, Officer Nicholas Walsifer arrested a male juvenile, 16, on a charge of receiving stolen property. He was turned over to his parent.
  - On April 12, Sgt. Harsin arrested David Willis, 36, of Belmar, on outstanding warrants out of Belmar, Wall Township and Neptune. The warrants were issued for contempt of court and totaled \$3,363.
- In addition, there were five borough ordinance summonses and 81 motor vehicle summonses issued during this period.

# Healthy Morsels

by Lynn O'Hara

Licensed Professional Counselor & Registered Dietitian

As a licensed psychotherapist and nutritionist I work with many people who are unhappy with their weight. What starts out as a request for nutrition counseling may, for some, evolve into an emotional journey to discover the drives powering an immense hunger.

Often, needing a "diet" has nothing to do with the problem presented at the first session other than being a symptom of underlying issues. Focusing on food and/or body shape is a "safe" yet deeply troubling issue for the client. Unfortunately, people suffering from disordered eating, including compulsive overeating, never feel like they will make peace with food. Unlike an alcoholic who can quit drinking, a compulsive overeater can't quit food. Food is necessary for life. Quitting is not an option for those who want to live life.

Today's society equates thinness with happiness. Look at television commercials and magazines. Most movie stars and models are thin. Most of us are looking to appease a hunger and are open targets for solutions presented in glossy packages. Many people believe that if they could just lose weight, their hunger would go away. If you believe that your hunger is related to something as controllable as the shape of your body, you don't have to undergo the painful questioning about other things about yourself. You can decide that your troubles are weight-related and you can continue to eat compulsively to fill the hunger.

Sound dismal? For the compulsive overeater it is. But there is a way out. One of the first steps is to identify and separate non-physical hunger from physical hunger. This is tough and time consuming but absolutely is possible. Non-physical hunger may be as simple as a yearning to be held or something far more complex. As Geneen Roth puts it in her book, "Feeding the Hungry Heart", "Hunger is deeply personal — it is the unanswered side of our dreams; it is born of the need for completion, fulfillment and serenity." Once you become aware of what you are hungry for, you can begin to seek appropriate nourishment. Filling a non-physical hunger with

food means that you will never be satisfied. Filling a non-physical hunger with the appropriate nourishment means that excess food is no longer needed to fill the empty void.

Nourishment can take many forms. Nourishment is specific; what nourishes you one day may not fit the bill on another day. Nourishment is personal; what works for one may not work for another. How you choose to nourish yourself depends on how you interpret your hunger. If you aren't willing to let yourself feel hunger, you won't be able to hear what you need. If you can't hear your needs, you can't fill them. Quality of life depends on how your nourish yourself.

Breaking free from compulsive overeating is a process of awareness. Awareness may be tougher to achieve than it sounds. Awareness means not following any rules of dieting. It means allowing yourself to experience feelings. Move through the feeling; absorb it, stay with it for a while and then do something else. If you do use food to get rid of the pain, awareness means paying attention to how that works for you. How long does the pain go away for? Does it come back? Don't judge yourself for using food; learn from it. If food is not satisfying the ache, you can choose a more appropriate way to deal with the hunger.

If you feel you suffer from compulsive overeating there is help available but you won't find it in the form of another diet. Contact a licensed counselor who specializes in this type of issue. This column was not written as a self-help tool but rather as an awareness-raiser. The complexity and individuality of compulsive overeat-

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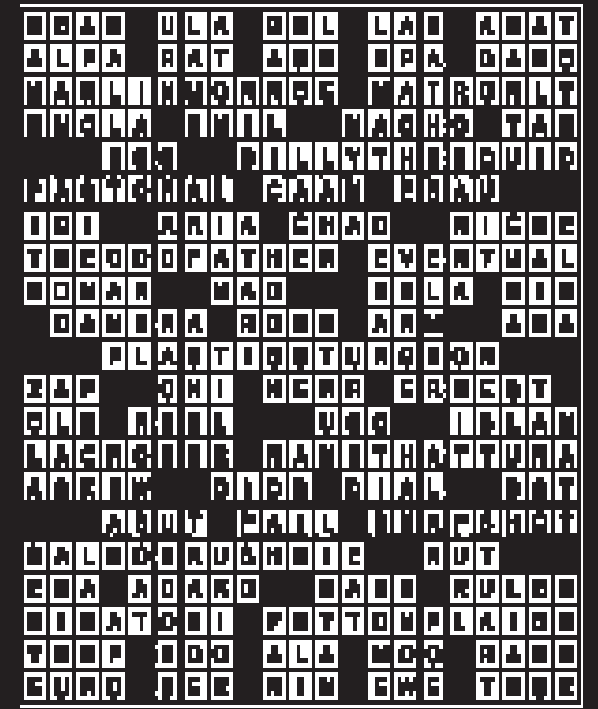


LYNN O'HARA  
M.S., R.D., LPC

ing is not to be underestimated. For further reading on this topic, check out any of the books written by Geneen Roth. Geneen is also a monthly contributor to Prevention magazine. Geneen bases her writings on her belief that the self is worthy of trust, respect and love. I agree.

Until next time, eat healthy, be happy.

## Crossword Solution • Puzzle see page 49



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# Board hears presentation on new heating system

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Christopher Keosseian and Mark Walsifer to the board of education. Robert Kirk, the Lake Como representative to the board, was also sworn in.

Lake Como's school board, on a yearly basis, appoints a representative to Belmar's board, as Lake

Como students are sent to Belmar Elementary School. Because that representative could change depending on the Lake Como board's decision, Mr. Kirk is re-sworn in on an annual basis. However, he has been the choice for many years.

• Superintendent Dr. Lester Richens told the board that last

Wednesday, a meeting was held between school officials and parents about Myspace.com April 27. Myspace.com is an online social network where individuals older than 16 years of age can post personal information, share pictures, and talk to friends.

But educators and police were concerned about elementary school students gaining access to the site. The school's technology coordinator recently found a number of profiles, some with alarming content, of seventh- and eighth-grade pupils on the site [see related story, Belmar pages].

• The board of education welcomed the district's new assistant principal, Paul Shappirio, who was officially hired last Thursday. He will be paid an \$84,000 annual salary, effective Aug. 15 through June 30, 2006.

Principal Richard Taggart will retire on June 30.

• The board appointed Mrs. Hill business administrator/board secretary. Her term will last from July 1 to June 30, 2006.

Mrs. Hill was also appointed affirmative action officer, effective July 1 to June 30, 2006; and district purchasing agent. As purchasing agent, Mrs. Hill is authorized to buy goods and services from various vendors, through state contracts.

• The school board appointed Robbin Kirk, who also serves as Belmar's chief financial officer, as treasurer, effective July 1 to June 30, 2006. She will be paid a \$4,500 annual salary.

• Dr. Golam Noaz was appointed medical inspector, effective July 1 to June 30, 2006. Dr. Noaz will receive a \$9,990 annual salary.

• LDP Consulting was designated the broker of record for all health insurance programs.

Boynton & Boynton was designated as the broker of record for all other insurance programs.

• The board designated the Bank of America and Sovereign Bank as official depositories.

• *The Coast Star* and the *Asbury Park Press* are the board's official newspapers, as per a vote.

• Dr. Richens was appointed as the board's representative to the Monmouth-Ocean Educational Services Commission.

• The board retained the services of environmental services firm Ahera Consultants Inc., Oceanville, for asbestos maintenance services.

• Kenneth Fitzsimmons will serve as the school board's attorney, as per a vote.

• The school board appointed Armour, Hulsart and Co. as the school's auditing firm.

• The board accepted the resignation of Courtney Capizzi, effective June 30.

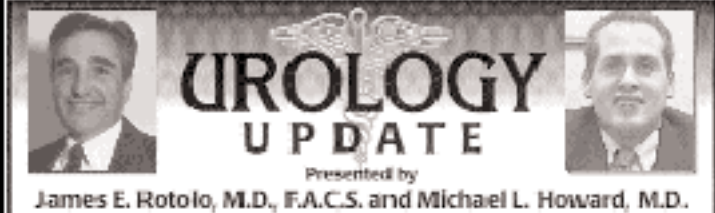
• The board voted to hire Anne Shea as a substitute teacher to provide home instruction to a student at a \$35 per hour rate. Her appointment is effective April 6 through June 30, 2006.

• Members voted to hire Kim O'Neill, Damian Lardieri, and Theresa Pringle as substitute teachers for the 2005-2006 school year. Their hiring is contingent on a criminal history review.



SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
**Robert Kirk [above] was sworn into his seat as the Lake Como representative on the Belmar Board of Education last Thursday.**

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## — LETTERS —

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reported, there was no notification or letter sent to all of my neighbors to warn them of these occurrences. And they never mentioned that during my conversation with park rangers I was told that there were only four rangers available to monitor thousands of acres of this parkland, and that they could never monitor the entire area effectively with hunting hours from one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset.

The truth is the Parks Department reports and assessment is flawed. The deer hunt has not been a success. Expanding it is the wrong thing to do. The right thing is to eliminate deer hunting in our parks.

GARY FARACI  
Gully Road, Wall Township

**SQUAN FOOTBALL CLUB THANKS SUPPORTERS OF GIFT AUCTION**

Editor, The Coast Star:

The Manasquan Football Club wishes to thank all the people that helped make our annual Gift Auction a success. The event was held on Sunday, May 1 at O'Neill's Bar and Restaurant. The Football Club would like to thank all the merchants for their support. Jim O'Neill and his staff deserve a big thank you. Our club is fortunate to have members like Maureen Galvin, Fran Florentine, Lynn Bertscha, Peg Ciufio, and Jim Smith as they planned and coordinated the event.

JOE O'CONNELL  
President, Manasquan Football Club

**THANKS TO PATRICK AHERN FOR HIS GENEROSITY**

Editor, The Coast Star:

I would like to publicly thank Mr. Patrick Ahern of The Ahern Copy Center in Manasquan. When approached to assist us with materials needed for Sisters Academy in Asbury Park, he went beyond the request in his generosity and kindness. This generosity will assist us as we meet the challenge of continuing the Academy.

JUDY Z. HUGHES  
Sisters Academy Volunteer, Manasquan

**'GREAT STRIDES WALK' PARENTS THANK SUPPORTERS**

Editor, The Coast Star:

This past Sunday the Great Strides Walk to cure Cystic Fibrosis was held at the Bradley Beach boardwalk. It was the seventh year our family attended since our son Billy was first diagnosed with this disease at 8 months of age.

We walk each year because raising money for the cure is the only way we can proactively fight this illness. What touches us is to see all the same families come out year after year to support us in our course. Your support means so much to us, not only on the day of the walk but throughout the year, too. Thank you for being there for us in spirit, as well as financially backing the walk with your donations. Raising money for research gives us hope for a long, healthy future with Billy.

Besides thanking our family and friends, we would also like to thank Brownie Troop 1916 and your leaders as well as the members of the First Presbyterian Church of Manasquan for your donations and help at the walk.

We hope one day soon there will be no need for a walk, but until there's a cure we'll keep fund-raising, and as Billy said over the megaphone at the end of the walk, "Thank you, and please come again!"

LAURA AND TIM WALL  
Virginia Avenue, Manasquan

**OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE THANKS JOHN RENNA FOR HELP**

Editor, The Coast Star:

The Open Space Committee of Manasquan acknowledges Mr. John Renna of Allaire Enterprises of NJ, 125 Main Street, Manasquan for his generosity in providing the committee with the signs, 'Open Space Its Up To Us.' His help in their design, manufacture, and placement on the open space maps was certainly appreciated. The maps with their signs are displayed in Manasquan Borough Hall and Library. The signs are not only attractive but they bring attention to our cause. Thank you John very much for your efforts once again.

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# The Coast Star SPORTS

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## Tennis

Warriors, Knights, Roses knocked out of SCT. Page 55

## Track & Field

Knights travel to Unionville, PA for Invite. Page 55



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star  
Shore softball player Alyssa Fransisco [right, sliding] scores the go-ahead run in the top of the eighth inning as St. Rose catcher Megan Cotta tries to field the throw from third baseman Christine Heyl. The Lady Blue Devils clinched the B Central division with the 3-2 extra inning win.

## Shore clinches B Central with win over Lady Roses

By Pat Martin

WALL TOWNSHIP — Heading into Monday afternoon's game against St. Rose, the Shore softball team was on the verge of clinching the B Central title with an 11-1 divisional record.

St. Rose, the only team that could still catch the Lady Blue Devils, had an 8-3 divisional record and needed its best performance to win the game. The Lady Roses gave it all they had in the game but came up just short in the 3-2 extra inning loss.

Lady Roses pitcher Amanda Heyl proved just how deadly leadoff walks can be in this game. Shore scored all three of its runs after leadoff walks in the first, second, and eighth innings.

The Lady Blue Devils scored the go-ahead run in the top of the eighth and shut the Lady Roses down in the bottom half of the inning to earn their 12th win of the season.

Shore jumped out to a 2-0 lead after the first two innings before the Lady Roses clawed their way back into the game with runs in the third and fifth innings to tie the game.

Lady Roses pitcher, Amanda Heyl struggled with her control early, throwing five straight balls to start the game.

"The home plate umpire was calling a tight strikezone," St. Rose head coach Jerry Morano said. "Once she figured it out she threw well. You start a game throwing pitches where you are used to getting strikes. If that umpire is not going to give them there then you have to adjust, which she did. Once she found that zone where he wanted them she did a real good job."

Shore leadoff hitter Julie Vaccinelli advanced to third base after being walked and two wild pitches by Heyl before a one-out fielders choice by Sam Gallo drove her home.

The next batter singled up the middle before Alyssa Fransisco struck out to end the inning.

Lady Roses leadoff hitter Kathy Dalton started her team's half of the first inning with a bunt single before she advanced to third off back-to-back fielders

choice's. Cleanup hitter Christine Heyl was unable to drive her home when she grounded weakly to second to end the inning.

Amanda Heyl struggled again with her control in the second inning by walking the first batter and giving up a hit to the next batter before she got Emily Cogle to ground-out to third base.

Amanda Heyl walked the next batter to load the bases before the base umpire called a balk — he said her foot slipped off the mound — to advance the runners and bring one run home to make the score 2-0.

"They got a little ticky-tack with that call," Morano said. "The clear intent of the rule was that if it is giving the pitcher a clear advantage you call that. There was no advantage there."

The call didn't really affect the game because after recording a strikeout Amanda Heyl walked the next batter anyway — which would have brought a run in. Gallo lined-out to first to end the inning.

"She did a great job of keeping us off balance," Shore head coach Nancy Williams said about Amanda Heyl. "The fact that she struggled with her control made it harder on our batters. They weren't really digging in knowing that she is going to throw strikes. They were a little unsettled in there because she was going deep in the count every time."

The Lady Roses began chipping away at the slim lead in the third inning.

Alexa Ochse drew a leadoff walk, was sacrificed to second by Dalton, and advanced to third on a wild pitch before Kristin Connors earned the RBI by grounding out to second to make the score 2-1.

Dalton came up big in the fifth inning with a clutch, two-out, RBI single that brought Chloe Labella home from second base to tie the game.

"Kathy [Dalton] has really come around," Morano said. "She is real solid. She is playing like the All-Conference player that she was last year. She is hitting over .500 and providing a lot of production at the top of our order."

The Lady Roses had a chance to win the game in the bottom of the seventh with a runner on third base, but

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## Knights knot up game late

By Dan Pennucci

WALL TOWNSHIP— Facing its toughest test of the season, the Wall girls lacrosse team showed that they weren't an undefeated team simply because of the lesser competition they have faced all year.

Against one of the Shore's toughest defensive teams, the Knights got on the scoreboard when they needed it, forcing a 7-7 draw with St. Rose in the process last Friday afternoon at the St. Rose Athletic Complex.

Leah Schanen's goal with 1:29 left in the game knotted up the contest, scoring following a mess in front of the Roses' goal.

In a fast-paced and physical non-divisional game, both teams indeed showed why they are considered some of the tops at the Shore.

Both teams proved up to the task of answering the other and both were not about to see the game slip away.

St. Rose's top scorer, senior Rebecca White, gave the Roses a 7-6 lead with 7:15 remaining in the game. That goal, White's fourth of the day, almost was enough for St. Rose to claim a victory.

Wall threw everything they had at the Roses late in the second half, but it took them almost six minutes to tie up the game. In that six minutes, Roses goalie Sarah Bramhall made two crucial saves on 8-meter shots by Wall ace Carly Welsh.

"Wall's pretty good and I think



CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star  
Wall senior midfielder Carly Welsh [left] takes a shot in the face of St. Rose's Kate Molzon [middle] during Friday's 7-7 tie between the Knights and the Roses.

this was their toughest battle," St. Rose coach Mike Migliorisi said, "where we've been battle-tested already."

Coming back from down 7-6 was not the only rally Wall had to make in the second half. After the game was tied at three at halftime, St. Rose opened up the second half on a 3-1 run, taking a 6-4 lead over Wall.

In that run, the Roses got goals from Rebecca White, Meghan

Withers and junior Alyssa Cannuli and did so in the first 4:34 of the second half.

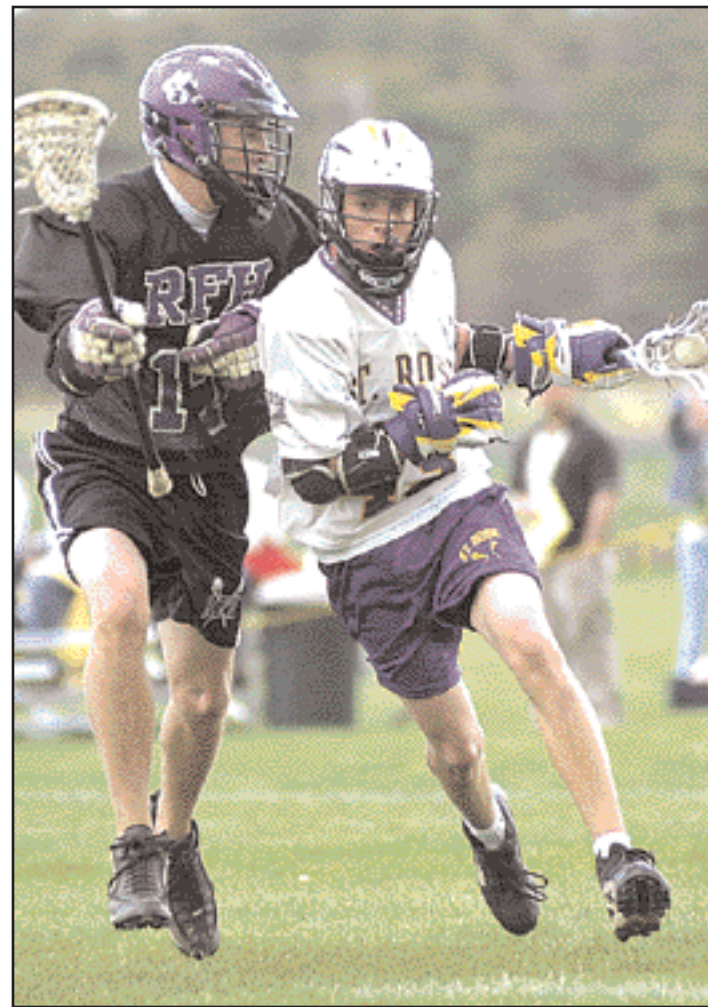
"During halftime we discussed all our mistakes and what we needed to fix," Rebecca White said. "When we got to the second half, we concentrated on that."

"We didn't have a handle on the game after the first 10 minutes," Caulfield said. "They came back strong, tied it and took the lead and we kept our composure

being down and that was good." Trailing 6-4 was probably the first time all year the Knights were behind in a game.

Wall's defense, anchored by Alex Wladich, Heather Melone and goalie Meg Campbell held their opponents to just one goal during the final 20 minutes of the game.

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SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star  
St. Rose's Nick Wall [right] protects the ball from Rumson defender John Gasienica is Thursday's loss.

## Roses play Rumson tough in 9-5 loss

By Pat Martin

WALL TOWNSHIP — The St. Rose boys lacrosse team has been in a little bit of a funk lately.

Heading into this past Thursday's game at the St. Rose Athletic Complex in Wall against one of the Shore Conference's best teams — Rumson-Fair Haven — the team sat one game under .500.

The Roses played the Bulldogs tough and would have had a chance at winning the game if they hadn't decided to take the third quarter off in the 9-5 loss.

"We underestimated them," Rumson head coach Jim Barbieri said. "They are a very good team and we should have prepared harder for them. They have some very talented players and I would have liked to see us

execute our offense a little bit better."

The score was 3-2 Bulldogs at halftime, but after outshooting the Roses 14-0 and outscoring them 3-0 in the third quarter, Rumson took a commanding lead into the fourth quarter.

"We had a great halftime speech and we talked about keeping our adrenaline moving and things of that nature," St. Rose head coach Rick Stainton said. "We said we had a great first half and our intention was to come out and have a great second half."

"Sometimes we let our emotions get to us and that's what happened in the third quarter. We just had a little emotional roller coaster and they got us."

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# Fulfilling promise: Adamczyk fully back from major surgery

By Dan Pennucci

MANASQUAN — Squan pitcher A.J. Adamczyk is currently enjoying the kind of season that most seniors wish they could have. The right-hander is 5-0 after last Friday's 8-0 win over Red Bank Catholic and has a miniscule ERA hovering around 1.00.

Adamczyk's season certainly is playing out the way both he and the Warriors baseball team had hoped it would.

On his right elbow, however, is a scar several inches long that serves as a constant reminder to what he had to go through to enjoy the success he's presently having.

As a freshman loaded with promise, Adamczyk went through a procedure that has played tricks on big league pitchers' careers. Adamczyk underwent Tommy

John surgery to replace the medial collateral ligament in his right elbow after tearing it.

Manasquan athletic trainer Kevin Hyland said that the surgery, named after Yankees' pitcher Tommy John, who became a knuckle baller after having it, is a replacement of the MCL after it has become torn and frayed. That tendon is what generates velocity and to replace it, a tendon is taken from the other arm, leg or foot to replace it.

Only 15 years old, Adamczyk was told that even with the surgery, there was no guarantee he'd be able to return to pitching or playing baseball.

"Some people don't even recover," Adamczyk said. "[It can take] anywhere from nine months to three years. They told me I won't be 100 percent until senior

year and I feel 100 percent now."

Three years later, Adamczyk is back to full strength and baffling Shore Conference hitters.

His ERA resides at a 1.20 and his WHIP (walks-plus-hits divided by innings pitched) is at an even 1.00 after Friday's victory over RBC. He has wins in all but one of his six starts. In that no-decision against RBC in early April, he had a no-hitter working through four innings despite trailing 3-0.

"He's been throwing great," senior catcher T.J. LaBaugh said. "His location and movement on pitches [has been great]. He defini-

tely has good control."

The road back to action was a long and arduous one as he slowly had to work his arm back into shape.

Stretching, light weight exercises, working with bands, increasing range of motion and strengthening his arm are some of the things he had to do and still does.

The day he had his surgery in 2002 was also the day that MLB journeyman relief pitcher Turk Wendell had his Tommy John surgery.

Both were in recovery in the same room and Wendell told

Adamczyk that doctors said Adamczyk's surgery went better than his own.

Hearing Wendell say that gave Adamczyk some reason for optimism with the long recovery road ahead of him.

Adamczyk can still remember the first time he threw a ball after undergoing the surgery. "I had no idea what to do. It felt so weird," Adamczyk said. "The first couple months after throwing, it wasn't bad, then it started getting more painful in different spots."

In addition to having to adapt to throwing the ball again and doing so differently, probably one of the biggest hurdles he needed to overcome was not a physical one, but a mental one.

Squan manager Art Gordon, who relentlessly heckles

Adamczyk for wearing a Mets sweatshirt, estimates that overcoming fear was the biggest thing his hurler had to do.

"Probably going out on the mound and thinking each time 'when's it gonna go,'" Gordon said. "The fear of really letting loose and getting that pain again and going through the operation and the rehab."

"Now I think he's confident that if he does get an injury," Gordon, added, "it will have nothing to do with his Tommy John surgery. He could turn his ankle walking on this infield."

Adamczyk said that it was around May of 2004 he finally started to feel more comfortable on the hill.

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CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star  
Warriors' senior ace A.J. Adamczyk [above] has overcome many obstacles, including elbow surgery to get where he is right now.

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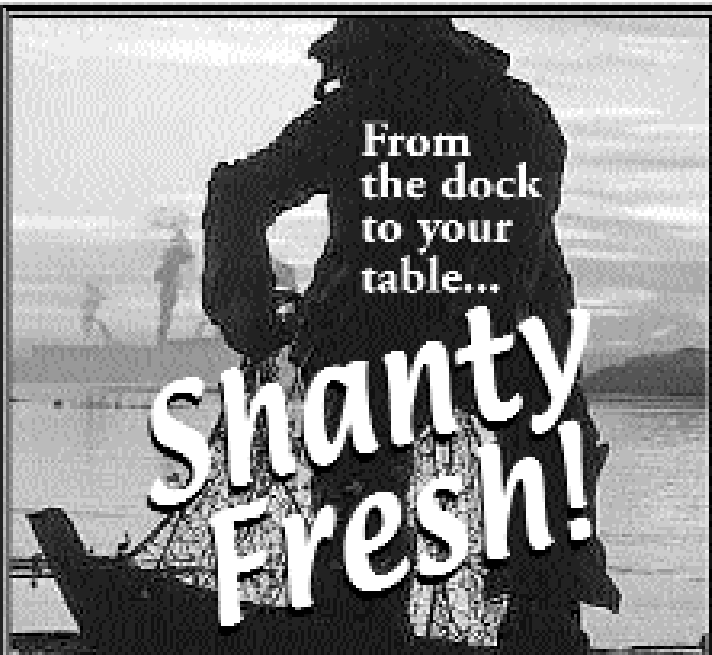
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The action in the past week has been very good from Sandy Hook to Barnegat Bay. It is safe to say now that our spring fishery is in full swing. Striped bass have continued to pour into both bays and we have also seen the first arriving weakfish and bluefish. Bluefish poured into Barnegat Bay last Sunday and anglers that were fishing towards the back of the inlet had all the 2-6-pound fish that you wanted. Along the oceanfront, anglers fishing with clams have been scoring bass regularly and picking away at some bluefish.

Fluke anglers are also all geared up and ready to go for the opener this Saturday. For this year, the fluke season will run from May 7 until October 10 with a 16- and one-half minimum size and eight-fish daily possession limit. All of the local shops are stocked with squid and killies ready to go.

One of the largest surf fishing tournaments in the state will take place this month on Saturday May 21 at Island Beach State Park as the New Jersey Angler Magazine will be holding its 4th Annual Angler Classic Surf Fishing Tournament. Now in its fourth year, the tournament boasts an impressive prize list and promises to be an enjoyable family event, and all for a good cause. All proceeds from the event go directly to the Recreational Fishing Alliance. For more info call the state angler office at 877-NJ-ANGLER.

You should also mark your calendar for June 11 [fishing] and June 17 [ceremony] for the annual Jersey Coast Fluke Tournament. This year's tournament promises to be the best tournament in Jersey Coast history with super port prizes, 120 of them, and a fun time for all while you help JCAA maintain its ability to fight for your fishing rights.

This tournament, in its 11th year, is now one of the largest fishing events in the country. The Jersey Coast Fluke Tournament is a unique concept that will again have twelve ports with each one having its own mini-tournament with its own set of 10 prizes for 2005.

The Division of Fish and Wildlife is encouraging the general public to assist in identifying horseshoe crab spawning habitat throughout the state this spring. Collecting information on poten-

tial spawning habitat is the result of an Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission fishery management plan for horseshoe crabs, adopted in 1998, and is required of all coastal states from Maine to Florida.

The horseshoe crab spawning season in the mid-Atlantic area usually occurs during May and June when large numbers of horseshoe crabs move onto sandy beaches to mate and lay eggs. This spring, persons interested in reporting horseshoe crab spawning activity should be alert to the dates of new and full moons, listed below.

- May 8: new moon.
- May 23: full moon.
- June 6: new moon.
- June 22: full moon.

For a few days before to a few days after each of these four dates, horseshoe crab spawning activity is likely to be at its peak intensity.

Individuals may report their observations on horseshoe crab spawning activity by visiting the division's web site and accessing the "Horseshoe Crab Spawning Habitat Identification Form," or by calling toll free at 1-866-NJ-CATCH [1-866-652-2824].

When calling, be sure to leave your name and telephone number so that someone can contact you to record your information.

The Manasquan Fishing Club held their Annual Awards Dinner for 2004.

The winners in each category were:

- Largest blackfish: Al Wynne, 13.8 pounds.
- Largest sea bass [Donnelly Memorial trophy]: Al Wynne, 3 pounds, 6 ounces.
- Largest striper caught in surf [Danish Memorial Trophy]: D.J. Muller, 51 pounds.
- Largest striper caught by boat: Al Kulaszewski, 39 pounds, 14 ounces.
- Largest bluefish: Jim Puha, 10 pounds 5 ounces [caught in the surf].
- Largest fluke caught in ocean [Fletcher Memorial]: Al Spero, 10.34 pounds.
- Largest fluke caught in river: Doug Finlay Sr., 8.2 pounds.
- Largest weakfish: John Bednarski, 8.8 pounds.

Greg, over at Brielle Bait and Tackle, reports a very large blackfish was caught last Saturday by Doug Starke, Jr., Clarksburg, on his own boat out of Manasquan on an inshore wreck while using green crabs. The fish weighed 15 pounds, 10 ounces. Greg also reports Rob Perhach, Brick, brought in a 35-inch striper caught on Manasquan Beach on a clam.

Bob, over at Captain Bill's Bait and Tackle on the Shark River, reports that he is very pleased with the striped bass action in the Manasquan River. Bob says that he is catching more stripers this year than he was last year at the same time. His best day this past week scored him four bass on the outgoing tide with the largest at 18 pounds. Bob says he is all ready for the fluke opener this Saturday and expects fish to be caught.

He says that divers in the river have reported seeing fluke on the bottom.

**Announcements of Interest**

- May 6: Manasquan Fishing Club monthly meeting, 7:30pm, Women's Club, Manasquan.
- May 7: One-day safe boating class, at the Coast Guard station, Manasquan inlet. Contact Jim Bennett, flotilla 16-10, at 732-606-1227.
- May 9: Manasquan, Metedeconk, and Toms rivers in-season stocking, no fishing until 5 p.m.
- May 21: Fourth-annual Angler Classic Surf Fishing Tournament at Island Beach State Park. Call New Jersey Angler office at 877-NJ-ANGLER.

*Tip of the Week:* If you are going after fluke on opening day try using a full strip of fresh mackerel neatly trimmed into a triangular wedge as bait. These strips work very well in the early part of the season when the water is still on the cold side. Send info, comments, or notable catches to: jfreda@bytheshore.com

**Wall ice hockey team honored**

The Wall Ice Hockey Club hosted its third annual awards dinner earlier this month at the South Wall firehouse.

The President of the club, Gary Dahms, thanked head coach Mike Dianora and assistants Jeff Caulfield, Scott Harrington, Jeff Johnson and Tony Restituto and all the parents for their support this season.

Dianora thanked all the athletes for their hard work and efforts during the season and said he was looking forward to another good season next year.

Dianora then presented graduating seniors Andrew Peck, Tom Burdge, Glenn Binger, Mike Davala, and Matt Jensen with plaques for their outstanding efforts during the season on and off the ice.


Special awards were presented for best rookies — Kyle Middleton and Kevin Dahms; coaches' award — Scott Russell; and most valuable player — Matt Debonis.

Dianora then congratulated his team for their tremendous season. This season the Knights won the Southern Conference, Blue Division Championship as well as earning a berth in the state playoffs.

Also mentioned at the dinner was the upcoming major fundraiser for next season. A golf outing is being held at the Eagle Ridge Golf Club in Lakewood on Oct. 3.

For more information on the outing call Frank Calabrese at 732-223-1530.

**Wizards dazzle the crowd at Wall**



Wall High School soccer coach Garry Linstra [left] guards Jermaine Wright of the Harlem Wizards in a charity basketball game held at Wall High School last week to benefit the Wall softball and swim teams. Another game is scheduled for Friday, May 20 with tickets on sale in the Wall Township schools and at the Wall Athletic Complex window from May 16-18. Tickets purchased in school can be picked up at the window during that time.

SHAWN HUBER, The Coast Star

High School Tennis 2005

# Locals advance in SCT openers

By Dan Pennucci

Local tennis teams found the preliminary round of the Shore Conference tournament to their liking this past Monday as Wall, St. Rose and Manasquan all advanced to the quarterfinals, before bowing to the higher seeded squads.

Wall's 3-2 victory over Point Beach highlighted the day's action as it technically was an upset, as the Gulls were the higher seed.

In the victory, freshman Bryan Keelan again proved vital to the cause with a straight set win at third singles, claiming the second set in a 16-14 tiebreak over Beach's Mark Morales.

The second doubles duo of Dan Burns and John Farruggio picked up a most important point with a straight-set win, taking the second set in a tiebreak at 7-1.

Senior first singles Ryan Ritchey continued his strong play with a two and one win over Mike McCormack. His only losses this season have come to state standouts Andrew Sharnov of Marlboro and Squan's Jarrad Smoke.

However, Wall's SCT run came to an end the following day in the quarterfinals against third-seeded Ocean, falling 3-2.

Ritchey won again though, beating Ocean standout Spencer Freidman in straight sets. The other victory came from Burns and Farruggio at second doubles.

Wall coach Anthony Nardino said since being paired up, the second doubles team has piled up a 7-2 record, winning five straight.

"We're a little disappointed but they played the best they could," Nardino said of the team.

Wall's record now sits at 7-6 and they have qualified for the CJ III tournament.

ST. ROSE

St. Rose rolled to a 5-0 victory over Point Boro in the opening round of the SCT on Monday before bowing out with a 4-1 loss at the hands of CBA. In the loss to the Colts on Tuesday, senior Matt Hiznay suffered his first loss of the season, leaving his record at 11-1.

One of Hiznay's bigger victories this season came against Freidman 6-3, 6-4 last Friday as the Roses upended Ocean 3-2. They also got victories from Andrew Dwulet and the second doubles duo of Colin Kamm and Brendan Leddy.

"Kamm had 16 overhead slams," Roses coach Jerry Joyce said. "He played like a shortstop out there."

The Roses reside at 9-3 and likely will be the top seed in the South B Non-Public tournament, where they are defending champs.

MANASQUAN

The Warriors also fell victim to a higher-seeded foe on Tuesday, battling second-seeded Manalapan tough in a 3-2 SCT loss.

Coach Pete Cahill was happy with how his team performed against one of the Shore's top



CHERYL THOMAS The Coast Star

Wall first singles player Ryan Ritchey is in the midst of a strong senior season with a record of 11-2

opponents. Brian Brateris won at third singles and Smoke won his match 6-2, 7-5.

The day before, Squan beat Red Bank 3-2, getting the winning point from Bryson McTighe and John Van Wagner at first doubles.

Squan has also qualified for the CJ III tournament and is now 8-4

after Tuesday's loss.

County Tournament

All local squads will be participating in the Monmouth County tournament this weekend at Tindall Park in Middletown.

Smoke could be a factor in the first singles race as could Hiznay and Ritchey.

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High School Track 2005

# Wall competes at Unionville Invite; SR gives Shore a challenge; Squan keeps improving

By Pat Martin

The Wall boys track team competed in the Unionville, PA invitational this past Saturday with some success.

Seniors Jeff Hill and Eric Roberts lead the way for the Roses with Roberts winning the 400-meter run and placing fourth in the 200, while Hill medaled in both the long and triple jumps with fifth and sixth place finishes respectively.

"This was the first time that I have ever seriously competed in the triple jump so being able to medal was satisfying to say the least," Hill said.

"It's always great to win a race but to do so against out of state teams makes it that much better," Roberts said.

Most of the teams competing in the meet were from PA and Delaware.

Other athletes to do well for Wall were freshman Jeff Seidel and Branden Cohn in the mile and

Daivon Mora in the sprinting events.

"We have a good nucleus of freshman who will be right up there in the near future," Wall head boys coach Doug Richardson said.

Long time Wall coach Warren Campbell also accompanied the Knights on their trip to Unionville.

Both the boys and girls teams competed against Red Bank at home yesterday.

The meet ended too late for this week's edition of *The Coast Star*.

MANASQUAN

The Squan boys track team competed earlier this week against Raritan and Colts Neck.

While the team lost both meets their were several strong performances put in by Warriors' athletes.

Kevin Kircher excelled in the 400 and 110 meter high hurdles



Wall senior Eric Roberts [above] won the 400-meter run at the Unionville Invite this past weekend.

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## Sneakers Plus Athlete of the Week

# Hiznay, Roses on course for another state title

Senior Matt Hiznay and St. Rose are currently in the midst of yet another strong season on the local tennis courts.

The Roses sit at 9-3 and Hiznay holds an impressive 11-1 record in his fourth season as the Roses' first singles player.

St. Rose won its opening round match in the Shore Conference Tournament, top-

ping Point Boro 5-0 before falling to CBA on Tuesday in the quarterfinals 4-1. In that match, Hiznay suffered his first loss of the season.

While it wasn't an SCT match, the Roses scored a big victory last Friday with a 3-2 win over Ocean in a non-divisional match.

In that match, Hiznay grabbed

a big win over Ocean standout Spencer Freidman in straight sets.

"Matt is our team leader," Roses coach Jerry Joyce said. "He's encouraging and the team looks up to him, even his classmates. He's very serious about the game and he's always trying to improve. He's a couple of years away from reaching his

ly trains at the Atlantic Club after practices and matches.

Hiznay will be continuing his tennis career at the next level, as he's committed to The College of New Jersey.

Although a Division III school, TCNJ has a very strong program with strong players and Hiznay is eager to improve his game once he gets to college.

"He's very serious about the game and he's always trying to improve. He's a couple of years away from reaching his peak, so he still has that fire within him..."

— St. Rose tennis coach Jerry Joyce on Matt Hiznay

"The tennis definitely drew me into the college," Hiznay said. "I can't wait to play the college level competition because you'll have challenging matches all the time."

Hiznay's twin sister, Kerri, is a prominent member of the

St. Rose girls soccer and lacrosse teams. The girls lacrosse team is enjoying another successful season.



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## High School Baseball 2005

# Wall opens Shore Challenge against Randolph

Knights, Warriors to meet Wednesday; Roses hope to get McCann back

By Dan Pennucci

A whole day of rain on Saturday washed out the opening weekend of the Shore Challenge at Shore Christian Center and the Wall Municipal Complex.

Play is to begin again this weekend with five games on Saturday, including games for both Wall and St. Rose.

Wall gets to face a quality foe from North Jersey in Randolph under the lights at 7:30 p.m. at home while the Roses face state power Bergen Catholic at 1 p.m.

The second game at SCC is a contest between Hillsborough and CBA with Ramapo and Central kicking off the schedule at the Municipal Complex at 1:30 p.m.

The second game at the complex is Timber Creek and Middletown North, scheduled to begin at 4:30 p.m.

Wall is excited to face teams like Randolph and following a loss to them last year, Wall went on to have unparalleled success in the postseason.

St. Rose, coming off an 11-1 thrashing against Toms River East last week, may be without star hitter Tim McCann, who's nursing an ankle injury that has kept him out of action. McCann said he was hopeful to be back sometime this week, but he did not know for sure.

McInerney added they are hoping to have McCann back for the Bergen Catholic game on Saturday, but he should be coming back next week if he's not out there on Saturday.

### MANASQUAN

The Warriors got another gem from pitcher A.J. Adamezyk last week, as the senior went the distance in an 8-0 victory over Red Bank Catholic in an A Central game last Friday.

Squan now stands at 8-6 after that victory and a rough loss at the hands of Manchester the day before on Thursday.

Squan manager Art Gordon estimates that the team will need to get to 10 wins in order to make the cutoff for the state tournament, which is next Friday, May 13. The cutoff for the Shore Conference Tournament is the next day, May 14.



St. Rose is hoping to get slugger Tim McCann back in the lineup this weekend against Bergen Catholic.

CHERYL THOMAS, The Coast Star

The Falcons topped Wall 8-5 in the first meeting behind the pitching of senior right-hander Keith Cantwell, a tall pitcher with a strong fastball.

The game against Monmouth is their last B North game of the season and they added two more wins last week, topping Long Branch and Colts Neck. After the loss to Red Bank Monday, Wall's record sits at 10-3 with an 8-3 mark in B North.

In addition to the game against Squan on Wednesday, the Knights will also face Middletown North under the lights this coming Tuesday.

Wall got its MCT title defense off to a good start on Tuesday with a victory over Matawan in the opening round.

### ST. ROSE

The Roses defeated Mater Dei and Henry Hudson last week in B Central play and had their last divisional game yesterday against Point Beach.

They had a chance to heading into yesterday's game against the Gulls to finish the season undefeated in the division. Should they do so, it would mark the second time in three seasons they've accomplished that feat.

"It's a very difficult thing to do," Roses manager Bart McInerney said of finishing the

division undefeated. "Somewhere along line, someone can get you. That would be a nice accomplishment for the players and a credit to them."

Adding to their chances of finishing the B Central series of games without a loss were the victories over Henry Hudson and Mater Dei last week and a 4-2 victory over Shore on Monday.

In the win over Shore, Roses pitchers Conner O'Brien and Chris Rearick combined to go seven innings without issuing a walk. O'Brien pitched the first five innings and McInerney was happy to see them play well without McCann in the lineup.

"They're doing good job," McInerney said. "We've only lost one game since Tim has been out. Guys stepped up and did a good job."

The cutoff for the state tournament is approaching next week and McInerney feels the team controls their own destiny in regards to where they will be seeded.

They face Bergen Catholic, Toms River South prior to next week's deadline. A few wins could go a long way in guaranteeing the Roses several home games in the South B playoffs, possibly the sectional final as well.

They have fallen in the section-

# Squan takes tough 3-0 loss to Raritan

By Dan Pennucci

Facing a rematch with the best team in the A Central division on Tuesday, Manasquan played strong in a 3-0 loss at Raritan. With the win Raritan clinched the A Central title.

The Rockets potent lineup was kept in check most of the game by Warriors junior Joe Florentine, who went the distance allowing eight hits and three runs.

"Joe did an excellent job," Manasquan manager Art Gordon said.

All three Raritan runs came with two outs in the bottom of the

sixth inning after a double led off the inning.

Squan managed two infield hits off Rockets ace Sean Donovan, the pitcher who beat them in the first meeting, where Raritan won 10-6.

Gordon was very pleased with the effort from his squad.

"I'm extremely happy with the way we played and the way Joe came back after struggling a little," Gordon said.

Squan faced Rumson yesterday in an A Central game and will make up the Monmouth County Tournament game with Marlboro tomorrow at home.

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High School Lacrosse 2005

Roses' lackluster third quarter the difference in loss

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"We didn't do very well at all in the third quarter," St. Rose keeper Evan Justyn said. "We kind of fell asleep on the field."

Justyn was outstanding throughout the game, but his 24-save performance still wasn't enough as the Bulldogs fired 45 shots in the game.

"He is a very good goalie," Barbieri said. "With the number of shots we had, eventually some of them had to go in."

"We tried our best," Justyn said. "Sometimes we just fall through and other times we just pick ourselves up and just keep hammering them. We just tried our best and I tried to get in front of anything I could."

Roses' attacker Mike Scott, one of the team's captains, took the offense on his shoulders in the final quarter with a tough goal and two assists, but it was a case of too little, too late.

"We didn't play hard enough in the third quarter," Scott said. "We have to play like we did in the fourth quarter the whole game. We needed someone to step up because they were up 6-2. It turned out that I was the guy who stepped up to try and give the team a spark."

Scott scored two goals and two assists total in the game.

"He is one of our captains," Stainton said of Scott. "He is mature enough to understand that sometimes the responsibility falls on his shoulders. At that point of the game he knew he had to take some of that responsibility

and obviously he accomplished what he wanted to do."

St. Rose was able to get within two goals with about two and a half minutes to play, but the Bulldogs added a couple insurance goals in the final two minutes to seal the win.

The game started out with the Roses taking the early lead when Scott scored a goal in transition after Justyn kept the game scoreless on the other end with a number of sparkling saves.

About a minute and a half later, Rumson answered when Dylan Devesty took an Oliver Nuss crossing pass and fired it over Justyn's right shoulder.

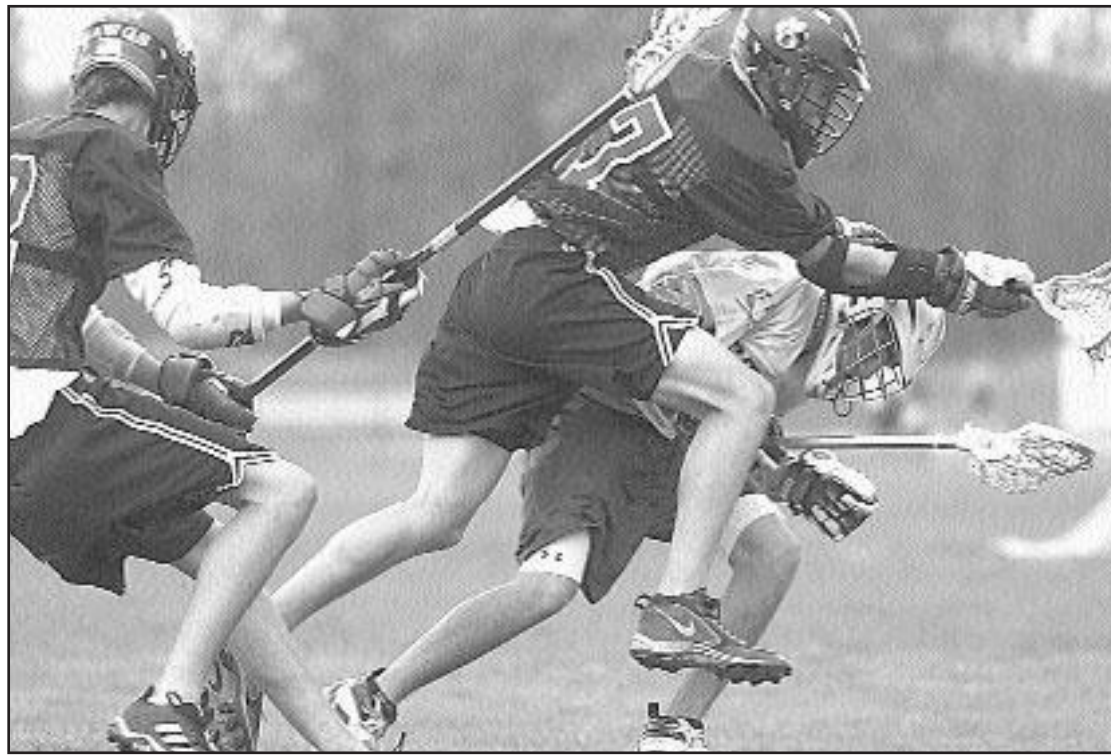
Less than a minute later the Bulldogs' Andrew Mumma bounced a shot in to make the score 2-1.

About halfway through the second quarter the Roses tied the game when Chris Hoffman scored his team's second fast break goal, but the celebration was short lived as the Bulldogs answered the goal about 20 seconds later to make the score 3-2.

St. Rose had a chance to get the equalizer with a little over three minutes to play in the half after Rumson was called for two penalties.

After a timeout to discuss their powerplay opportunity, the Roses came up empty.

St. Rose defender Tim Brogan did give his team a lift late in the quarter with a bone-crushing hit behind his net on Rumson attacker Rob Atkinson a few seconds before the horn sounded for half-time.



St. Rose's Jonyar Bagheri [right] is hit by Rumson's John Gasienica while Ray Gill goes after the ball in last Thursday's matchup at the St. Rose Athletic Complex. The Roses lost the game 9-5.

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St. Rose came out flat while the Bulldogs came out hard in the third quarter.

Clare McIntyre scored a pair of goals while Atkinson snuck from behind the Roses' net and fired a shot in to make the score 6-2 with two minutes to play in the quarter.

St. Rose came out flying in the fourth in an effort to get back into the game.

Scott found Nick Wall open in the offensive zone and got him the ball seconds before being leveled by Rumson's Tim Despo. Wall did the rest and scored the

goal while the Roses were also given a powerplay after Despo was flagged for unnecessary roughness.

About two minutes later Scott took the ball into the heart of the Bulldogs defense and somehow flipped a shot over goalkeeper Shawn Lynch's shoulder while being flattened by two defenders.

Scott's goal made the score 6-4.

After Rumson added another goal, Kevin Hopf took a Scott pass and fired it into the goal with 2:18 remaining.

That was as close as the Roses

could get as the Bulldogs added two late goals.

"It was a good game," Justyn said. "We did the best we could against a really good team."

"This game was big for us," Stainton said. "It shows where we are in the Shore Conference. It shows that if we play a complete game as one we can compete with anyone in the Shore. Our concern now comes to us having some big Shore games coming up and most of them are must win games for us to make the [Shore Conference] Tournament."

Squan continues winning; St. Rose drops 4th straight

By Pat Martin

The Manasquan boys lacrosse team continued to shake off a couple earlier season losses with two more wins this past week sandwiched in between a loss to a tough non-conference team.

This past Thursday the Warriors played Freehold Township at home and dominated in the 12-1 win. The Warriors outshot Freehold 50-10.

Leading the offense was Kelly Mahon who registered three goals and Colin Ford had a goal and four assists.

On Saturday the Warriors traveled to Don Bosco and lost 10-4.

"I thought we played well against Don Bosco," head coach Mike Dowd said. "They were able to score and we weren't able to finish. They capitalized on their chances."

Despite the loss the Warriors should benefit from playing non-conference teams like Don Bosco.

"When you play good teams you get better," Dowd said.

On Monday the Warriors took

on A.L. Johnson and won that game 7-5.

Ford and Mahon once again led the offense, combining for five goals and two assists.

The win raised the Warriors record to 8-4 overall.

"We are playing better," Dowd said. "We are more focused. We just have to maintain our focus. We are preparing for every game because you have to be ready all the time."

The Warriors play at home against Toms River South today and at home against Southern on

Tuesday.

ST. ROSE

The St. Rose boys lacrosse team is on a bit of a slide, losing its past four games.

The latest setback came yesterday in a 8-7 overtime loss to Rutgers Prep.

"It happened again," St. Rose head coach Rick Stainton said. "We were up two with two minutes left and we still lost."

The turning point occurred when the Roses were about to be awarded a powerplay, they retaliated and evened it up, then Prep

earned a powerplay and tied the game up late.

"Our adrenaline was pumping," Stainton said. "Our emotions got to us and we let them back in it instead of putting them away."

Leading the offense for the Roses was Nick Wall who scored four goals and one assist.

This past weekend the Roses lost to Southern 9-4 before a loss to Rumson on Thursday.

The last Roses win was against Toms River North a couple weeks ago.

St. Rose now sits at 4-8 with five games left to play.

They must get to .500 to make states so every game is a must win.

Coming up this week are games against Monsignor Donovan on Friday, and at CBA on Monday.

"The boys continue to learn," Stainton said. "We make mistakes but we are learning from them. We are progressing. The game is the best teacher. The more you play the more you learn."

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## High School Softball 2005

# Oberto notches 100th career hit

### Squan, Wall, St. Rose all set to meet this week

**Pat Martin**  
Manasquan senior softball player Kelly Oberto registered her 100th career hit this past Thursday in a non-divisional game against Manchester to be the first Manasquan player to ever hit the milestone.

This is the second record that Oberto holds for the Lady Warriors after collecting four home runs in a game her freshman



Kelly Oberto [above, center] shows off some cupcakes in celebration of her 100th career hit with her father Kevin [right] and friend Brian O'Connell.

year. "That was a great thing," Barnaba said. "She has the school record. The 100th is a nice milestone."

Oberto registered 36 hits her freshman year, 29 as a sophomore, 16 as a junior, and she is in the mid-twenties so far this season.

"Kelly has been an awesome player all four years," Barnaba said. "She has been a starter since her freshman year. She has contributed both offensively and defensively."

"She is a great kid. She is a great kid to coach. She is a team player and a captain this year and she is really doing a good job with that. She is a great all around person and I am just so pleased that she is on my team and that she performs so well."

Oberto's accomplishments have also earned her a spot on division I Stony Brook University's softball team in Long Island, NY.

**MANASQUAN**  
The Lady Warriors lost to Manchester in a non-divisional game this past Thursday.

Not only did the team lose a close game, but it lost its starting first baseman, Allie Vadas.

"That's when I lost my first baseman," Barnaba said of the Manchester game. "We are missing [Vadas] and that's why everything is all screwed up. There was a collision on a rundown and the baserunner knocked her down very hard. [Vadas] came down and hit

her head and was unconscious for a little while. She has a concussion, a sprained thumb, and another injury to her thumb. She got beat up pretty bad. She is a very important person on this team. She is a great first baseman and a very big bat."

Without Vadas the Lady Warriors lost to Raritan 12-4 on Tuesday.

Their record now sits at 6-8 overall and 4-6 in the division as of today heading into a tough divisional game against Red Bank Catholic on Saturday.

The Lady Warriors also have a non-divisional clash with rival Wall on Monday at home.

"We are looking forward to it," Barnaba said of the Wall game. "It is always a challenge and it's such a good rivalry. It is going to be a good game because I think we are pretty evenly matched."

**WALL**  
The Wall softball team rebounded with a win on Monday after a tough Friday in which they collected their

second and third losses of the season.

The Lady Knights traveled to Colts Neck Friday afternoon and lost a close game 3-2.

"We got beat 3-2 after they scored three runs in the bottom of the sixth and we didn't answer the call in the next inning," Wall head coach Tony Vodola said.

The Lady Cougars collected a couple bloop singles, a solid hit, and a walk and an error in their big inning to earn the victory over the Lady Knights.

"They put it together at the right time," Vodola said of Colts Neck.

Wall also played Friday night at Harry Rash field in the second round of the Monmouth County Tournament and were shut out 2-0 by Middletown North.

On Monday the lady Knights beat up on Red Bank led by Katie Verruni who registered two doubles and a home run.

The win improved Wall to 10-1 in the division and 10-3 overall.

The Lady Knights are home against Manalapan tomorrow before their big matchups with Manasquan on Monday and St. Rose on Wednesday.

**ST. ROSE**  
The St. Rose softball team beat up on Henry Hudson on Friday 14-3.

"We ten runned them in that game," head coach Jerry Morano said of the Henry Hudson game.

This past Monday the Lady Roses lost a close game to Shore in eight innings.

The win clinched the B Central division for Shore and dropped St. Rose to 9-5 overall and 8-4 in the division.

The team also plays Mater Dei today at home after playing at Point Beach yesterday.

The Point Beach game ended too late for this week's edition of *The Coast Star*.

On Saturday the Lady Roses play at Matawan before playing at Rumson on Tuesday and at Wall on Wednesday.

## Squan self destructs against Lady Rockets

**By Pat Martin**  
**HAZLET** — The Manasquan softball team has stuck to the basics and got the job done so far this season and because of that they are close to .500 — despite playing in probably the toughest division in the Shore.

**SOFTBALL**  
Rockets 12  
Warriors 4

**A CENTRAL**  
O n Tuesday afternoon the Lady Warriors traveled to Raritan in a crucial A Central clash and did everything they could to lose the game — they committed numerous errors, walked a number of batters, made base running mistakes, missed signs at the plate, etc.

"The team did not play well today," Manasquan head coach Pat Barnaba said. "We made a couple

nice defensive plays in the game, but too many miscues. Missed throws and things like that."

And despite pounding out 10 hits — including a home run — on Raritan pitcher Moe Szczuplak, the Lady Warriors (6-8, 4-6) fell to the Lady Rockets 12-4.

The game was crucial because with the Shore cutoff looming Squan had a chance to get back to .500. Instead Raritan took advantage and moved a half game ahead of Manasquan with a 7-8 record.

The game didn't start out too bad for the Lady Warriors, but it quickly got worse.

After the first two Squan batters struck out looking, the Lady Warriors hit three consecutive singles to load the bases for Lindsay Ayers.

Ayers bounced to third to end the inning.

Raritan was able to get an

unearned run in the first, but it could have been worse if not for a strong throw by Squan shortstop Kelly Oberto and an even better tag by catcher Kelly Nolan to gun down a runner at home plate.

Squan sat down in order in the second inning before Raritan went back to work on offense.

After a leadoff hit to start the second inning, Oberto made an uncharacteristic two base throwing error that allowed the Lady Rockets to have runners on second and third with no outs.

A wild pitch by Ally Brown scored one runner before Katie Miller lined out to first for the first out.

The next batter hit into a fielders choice and was chased back to third. The next batter lined out to right fielder Meredith Herrmann who made a strong throw to the infield to keep the runner at third

from scoring.

With two outs Brown walked the next two batters to bring a run home and make the score 3-0 before Amanda Sansevere flew out to center to end the inning.

"Brown's arm was hurting her and she couldn't get the ball over the plate enough," Barnaba said.

The Lady Warriors got themselves right back into the game in the top of the third.

Leadoff hitter Jamie Kapalko started the inning off with a single before Oberto drew a one out walk to put two runners on base for cleanup hitter Liz Lowes.

Lowes drilled the first pitch she saw over the left field fence to tie the game at 3 before the next two Squan batters recorded outs to end the top half of the inning.

See **SQUAN**, page 62

## Lady Knights' softball falls in Monmouth County Tourney

**By Pat Martin**  
**WALL TOWNSHIP** — The 2005 Wall softball team is built around defense and pitching — not offense.

That could not have been more evident than on Friday night as Harry Rash Field in the second round of the Monmouth County Softball Tournament.

The Lady Knights fell to Middletown North 2-0 behind an anemic hitting performance and a fast start by the Lady Lions' bats.

"We did struggle offensively," Wall head coach Tony Vodola said. "I think the Middletown North pitcher really pitched a smart game. She kept the ball low and away and kept our hitters guessing. It was a nice strikezone for the

pitchers and we had trouble hitting what she threw."

Lady Lions' pitcher Krista Kinsella limited the Lady Knights to just two hits in the shutout win.

Middletown South started the top of the first inning with three straight hits on Wall pitcher Kaitlin Balka.

After Middletown North leadoff hitter Cara Piascecki doubled, the second batter, Lindsey Nadobay, doubled to drive her home. The next batter, Jenna Criscuolo singled and the runner scored when the Lady Knights threw out Criscuolo trying to advance to second base.

"I'm glad we came out aggressively and came out swinging," Middletown North head coach Don Fadden said. "That's what we wanted to do. In the first inning we wanted to establish something and draw first blood."

Balka retired the next two bat-

ters to end the top half of the inning down 2-0.

"Who would have thought that after the first inning those two runs would be the only runs in the game," Fadden said.

The Lady Knights earned a one-out hit in the bottom of the inning, but were unable to do anything with it after Katie Verruni struck out and Danielle Hayek bounced back to the pitcher.

Balka limited the Lady Lions to just two more hits the rest of the game, but her team supplied no offensive support.

"She pitched a real nice game," Vodola said of Balka. "Every time she hung the ball they tattooed it. When she kept the ball down and kept the hitters guessing and let the defense help her she did alright. She stayed strong in the game."

"I'm proud of the defense and the team as a whole. What we need to do is go back and start working

on hitting that outside pitch. That's what killed us this whole game. [Kinsella] kept it low and away and was very effective. We need to adjust to that."

Lisa Pitale led off the second inning with a double for the Lady Knights, but that was the last hit that Kinsella would allow in the game.

"As far as my pitcher is concerned that was the best game she has ever pitched in her life," Fadden said of Kinsella. "She is only a sophomore. My pitcher was Picasso. She painted the corners and kept the ball down. I'm proud of my pitcher Krista Kinsella. She pitched great. We played great defense behind her. I'm just really proud of the kids."

The Lady Knights only had two more baserunners the entire game after the Pitale double — two walks and an error on second baseman Casey Crist.

High School Golf 2005

# Roses ready to take on SCT Monday

## Wall, Manasquan hoping for good individual efforts

By Dan Pennucci

While Wall will have a full complement of players at Monday's Shore Conference Golf tournament, they will be unable to defend last year's crown.

Wall's quartet of Alex Campbell, Alex Riordan, Christina Hall and Rich Hyde all qualified individually for the SCT, but the Knights did not qualify as a group.

An ironic twist is that should they play well, the four players' combined scores could be enough

to earn a high finish.

St. Rose was the only club to qualify as a team, keeping a several-year streak in tact. Juniors Nick LaBanca and Andrew Hurley have been playing well lately and could be in line for a good day.

"We're feeling pretty good," Roses coach Joe Finn said. "I think we're coming together at the right time... Billy Young is playing extremely smart golf, winning golf. He's made great improvements. If Andrew and Nick play their regular games, I'm hoping we might surprise people. We're going into this very confident."

The tournament will be held at

Sea Oaks in Tuckerton, a course that Finn called very difficult. It's a long course with big greens and moguled fairways.

"It's a very good test of golf," Finn added. "I don't think anybody will be scoring real low on the course. I expect mid 70's to be a winning score."

St. Rose also qualified for the state sectional tournament on May 18 at Mountanside in Ewing Township.

Manasquan will be sending two golfers to the SCT in Paul Mackey and sophomore Jason Pappas.

•Wall continued its strong play in dual matches with a divisional

victory over Ocean at Deal on Tuesday, winning 171-182.

Hyde and Greg Mergel led Wall with 40 and Alex Campbell shot a 43.

Following that win, Wall's record is now 16-4 and 5-1 in the division.

On Monday Wall picked up three wins, shooting a 159 at Rumson Country Club and topping Holmdel, Rumson and St. John Vianney.

Campbell bounced back from a less-than-optimal performance last week to shoot a 38 with Mergel one stroke ahead at a 37.

## Coast Star Scoreboard

**BASEBALL**  
 WEDNESDAY, April 27  
**St. Rose 7, Mater Dei 4**  
 St. Rose (12-2, 11-0).....500 002- 7 9 0  
 Mater Dei.....004 00- 4 6 1  
 2B: (SR) Reilly; (M) Widick 2, Doherty.  
 HR: (SR) McCloskey, Hernandez, Reynolds; (H) Doherty. WP: Crowley; LP: Doherty (3-1).

THURSDAY, April 28  
**Toms River East 11, St. Rose 1**  
 St. Rose (12-3).....000 10- 1 3 2  
 TR East (8-3).....303 15- 11 9 2  
 2B: (SR) Ranaudo (TR) Gavin, Kucinski, Elliot. HR: (TR) Cohen. WP: DeHart (1-0); LP: O'Brien (1-1).

FRIDAY, April 29  
**St. Rose 11, Henry Hudson 1**  
 St. Rose (13-3, 12-0).....132 101 5- 11 10 2  
 Hudson.....000 001 0- 1 3 3  
 2B: (SR) Husko; 3B: (H) Dougherty; HR: (SR) Esposito. WP: Rearick; LP: Hartsgrove.

MONDAY, May 2  
**Red Bank 4, Wall 2**  
 Red Bank (9-3,8-2).....200 110 0- 4 7 1  
 Wall (10-3, 8-3).....010 001 0- 2 6 1  
 2B: (R) Kelly 2; 3B: (R) Livingston; HR: (R) Livingston. WP: Young (5-0); LP: Collazo (0-2).

St. Rose 4, Shore 2  
 Shore.....002 000 0- 2 7 1  
 St. Rose (14-3, 13-0).....012 010 x- 4 7 2  
 2B: (SR) Hernandez; (S) Mahon, Corsi. WP: O'Brien (2-1); LP: Cerrati.

TUESDAY, May 3  
**Raritan 3, Manasquan 0**  
 Manasquan (8-7, 5-5).....000 000 0- 0 2 2  
 Raritan.....000 003 x- 3 8 0  
 2B: (R) Rivera. WP: Donovan (4-1); LP: Fiorentine (1-4).

FRIDAY, April 29  
**Middletown North 2, Wall 0**  
 MNorth (8-6).....200 000 0- 2-5 1  
 Wall (9-3).....000 000 0- 0-2 3  
 2B: (W) Pitale, (MN) Piasecki, Nadoba. Crist. WP: Kinsella (7-5); LP: Balka (9-3).

MONDAY, May 2  
**Shore 3, St. Rose 2**  
 Shore (11-1).....110 0000 01- 3-7 1  
 SR (8-4).....001 010 00- 2-3 0  
 WP: Roma (10-1); LP: Heyl.

**BOYS LACROSSE**

THURSDAY, April 28  
**Rumson 9, St. Rose 5**  
 Rumson (9-3).....2 1 3 3 - 9  
 St. Rose (4-5).....1 1 0 3 - 5  
 GOALS: (R) Devasty 3, McIntyre 3, Mumma 2, Atkinson; (SR) Scotto 2, Hoffman, Wall, Hopf. ASSISTS: (R) Devasty, Nuss, Sharkey, Atkinson; (SR) Scotto 2 SAVES: (SR) Justin 24; (R) Lynch 4. SHOTS: Rumson 45-11.

Tuesday, May 3  
**Rutgers Prep 8, St. Rose 7 OT**  
 Rutgers Prep (4-6).....2 0 3 2 1 - 8  
 SR (4-8).....2 1 0 4 0 - 7  
 GOALS: (SR) Tanullo, Wall 4, Bagheri Moore; (R) Schado 2, Hobbes, Kipstlin 4, Forin. ASSISTS: (SR) Justin, Bianco, Scotto, Hoffman, Bagheri, Wall; (R) Hobbes 2, Johnson 1, Lippencott 1. SAVES: (M) Stafin 3; (CN) Mann 6. Shots: Manasquan 18-10.

**GIRLS LACROSSE**  
 THURSDAY, April 28  
**Manasquan 16, Colts Neck 2**  
 Manasquan (4-4-1).....11 5- 16  
 Colts Neck.....0 2- 2  
 GOALS: (M) McGrath 4, M. Wallace 4, N. Wallace 3, Carmody 3, Scribner, Gytakis. (CN) Meiers, Canfield. ASSISTS: (M) M. Wallace 3, N. Wallace, Barton, Carmody, Duggan. (CN) Bugid. SAVES: (M) Stafin 3; (CN) Mann 6. Shots: Manasquan 18-10.

FRIDAY, April 29  
**Wall 7, St. Rose 7**  
 Wall (9-0-1).....3 4- 7  
 St. Rose (6-2-3).....3 4- 7  
**First half:** (W) Kukucka (Barbieri) 2:45; (SR) Noone 12:39; (W) Schanen (DeBonis) 14:37; (W) Welsh 18:59; (SR) R. White (Noone); (SR) R. White 22:22.  
**Second half:** (SR) Cannuli 25:22; (W) DePaola 27:17; (SR) R. White (Molzon) 27:31; (SR) Withers 29:04; (W) DePaola 30:10; (W) DeBonis 40:51; (SR) White 42:45; (W) Schanen 48:31. SAVES: (W) Campbell 7; (SR) Bramhall 9. Shots: Wall 20-19.

MONDAY, May 2  
**Rumson-FH 12, Manasquan 11**  
 Rumson-FH.....7 5- 12  
 Manasquan (4-5-1, 4-5-1).....3 8- 11  
 GOALS: (R) Cantor 4, Hyde 4, Wacławik 3, Tracina 1. (M) McGrath 4, Leddy 3, M. Wallace 2, Carmody, N. Wallace. ASSISTS: (R) Belmonte, Hyde, Florio. (M) M. Wallace 4, N. Wallace, McGrath. SAVES: (R) Gugliano

7; (M) Stafin 15. SHOTS: Rumson 35-18.

**Wall 18, Point Boro 9**  
 Wall (10-0-1, 9-0-0).....12 6 - 18  
 Point Boro (8-4, 7-3).....6 3 - 9  
 GOALS: (W) DeBonis 7, DePaola 3, Kukucka 3, Welsh 3, Grogan, Damurjian (P) Mackie 4, Billie 2, Lettis, Foray, Goetting. ASSISTS: (W) Kukucka 6, Welsh 2, Schanen, DePaola, Grogan, Cancro; (P) Stoll, Mackie; SAVES: (W) Kane 7; (P) Coccuzza 14, SHOTS: Wall 32-16.

**GOLF**  
 THURSDAY, April 28  
**Wall 187, Neptune 212**  
 at Jumping Brook, par 37  
 (W) Mergel 41, Zimbile 48, E. Hyde 49, Golin 49, R. Hyde 53. (N) Carter 50, Trainor 50, Cahn 56, Loveland 56, Daly 61. Records: Wall (12-4, 4-1).

MONDAY, May 2  
**Wall 159, Rumson 163**  
**Wall 159, Holmdel 182**  
**Wall 159, Vianney 184**  
 at Rumson CC, par 34  
 (W) Campbell 38, Mergel 37, Riordan 44, R. Hyde 40, Golin 44. (SJV) Alcott 46, Codi 51, Szaro 66, McGraner 36, Sabia 41. (R) Antonen 38, Robinson 40, Skirkanich 40, O'Conner 45, Edine 47. (H) Drobbin 42, McDermott 48, Patel 42, Verma 50. Records: Wall (15-4).

TUESDAY, May 3  
**Wall 171, Ocean 182**  
 at Deal  
 (W) Mergel 40, Golin 48, Campbell 43, R. Hyde 40, Hall 48. (O) Bonney 44, Heavy 40, Hollis 53, Cerven 49, Howland 49. Records: at Wall (16-4, 5-1).

**TENNIS**  
 MONDAY, May 2  
 Shore Conference Tournament Preliminary Round.  
**Wall 3, Point Beach 2**  
 Singles: Ritchey (W) d. McCormack 6-2, 6-1; Callan (PB) d. Margadonna 6-1, 6-4; Keelan (W) d. Morales 6-2, 7-6 (16-14).  
 Doubles: Ober-Spencer (PB) d. Lesko-Fitzpatrick (6-4, 6-4); Burns-Farrugio (W) d. Lorenz-Porter 6-3, 7-6 (7-1). Records: at Point Beach (11-4); Wall (7-5).

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18-Holers, Stroke Play  
 Flight A - Low Gross - 1st place - Delia DeMarco, 2nd place (tie) Dorothy Ihde, Peg Smith.  
 Low Net - 1st place - Jo Tull, 2nd place (tie) Nora McPhail, Elsie Edlis  
 Flight B - Low Gross - 1st place - Pat Ruf, 2nd Place- Bernadette Carroll  
 Low Net - 1st place - Mary Hewlett, 2nd place - Sherlie Anderson

THURSDAY April 21  
 9-Holers, Tee to Green  
 Flight A - Low Gross - (tie)Freda Gerardi, Pat Lord  
 Low Net - Cathy Roughley  
 Flight B - Low Gross (tie) - Peg Devin, Gerri Monahan  
 Low Net - Mary Tierney

THURSDAY, April 28  
 9-Holers, Back Nine - Stroke Play  
 Flight A - Low Net - Marlene Howard  
 Low Gross - Freda Gerardi  
 Flight B - LowGross - Kathy Shea  
 Low Net - Pat Campbell

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# UNIVERSITY UPDATE

## Wall's Shupin, GW rolling along

By Dan Pennucci

Wall graduate Mickey Shupin (2002) can't be thankful enough for the situation he is in right now at Washington D.C.'s George Washington University. Shupin and the Colonials baseball team are sitting atop the Atlantic-10 Conference following a sweep of Dayton this past weekend and have a record of 30-13 as of Sunday.

Shupin's enjoying every minute of it. "I'm at college and I'm basically getting paid to play baseball," Shupin said. "It's an amazing feeling. There's no off-season and it's a lot of work, but it's amazing."

The former Wall speedster has found himself at shortstop much recently after bouncing around between there, second base and left field. Shupin is also finding himself in the lineup regularly, something that wasn't the case earlier in the season.

The redshirt sophomore noted that changing his mental approach at the plate helped turn it around for him.

"I took a lot of hacks in the cage and I started to see the ball well," Shupin said. "I stopped thinking. If you think too much, you can't hit [well]."

The approach seems to be working as Shupin is one of the Colonials' leading hitters at a .329 clip and a .398 on-base-percentage as of Sunday. An All-American in indoor track his senior year at Wall, Shupin is second on the team in stolen bases with 14, getting caught only three times and he has a .941 fielding percentage.

"I started off slow and struggled a little early when I had the chance to earn playing time," Shupin said. "I've been playing the way I should [lately]."

One of the Colonial's highlight victories this season came over national power Miami, as they beat them 5-4 in February.

"We beat them in the eighth [inning]," Shupin said, "it was pretty amazing."

Shupin added that several days later, he and his teammates saw the Hurricanes touching up Florida Marlins' ace Dontrelle Willis, the current National League leader in wins, in an exhibition game on SportsCenter.

The season has been going well for the Colonials as they aim to secure the top seed in the upcoming A-10 tournament, which would give them a first-round bye.

The goal for GW remains the same every year; to qualify for the NCAA Tournament, be it an automatic berth or an at-large berth. In addition to the win over Miami, Shupin added that they beat nationally-ranked Georgia Southern earlier in the year. GW has a local rivalry series approaching this week with Georgetown. Wins over a Big East school, like Georgetown, would boost GW's tournament resume.

His cousin, senior Chris Martino, is a regular for the Knights this season and Shupin, a part of the CJ III title team in 2002, is very proud of what Wall has accomplished the last several seasons.

"It's great," Shupin said. "I'm real happy for coach [Todd] Schmitt and all the coaches. I'm real happy for the whole athletic department."

Schmitt remembers his departed lead-off hitter well.

"He's another one of those competitors who hustles and plays hard and does all the right things. He's one of those kids you'll always remember as a gamer," Schmitt said.

## Catching up with ... Mickey Shupin

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**Wall graduate Mickey Shupin has been one of George Washington's leading hitters this season and is second on the team in stolen bases.**

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— SQUAN —  
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“That was a great shot by Lowes,” Barnaba said. After a leadoff walk in the bottom half of the inning, the Lady Warriors recorded three outs and it was a new ballgame with four innings to play. Brown was pulled after 3 and 2/3 innings with arm troubles, so Lindsay Ayers pitched the remaining 3 and 1/3 innings of the game. “She did a nice job for a sophomore,” Barnaba said of Ayers. After being shutout in the top of the fourth the Lady Warriors self destructed in the bottom half of the inning. The first hitter, Kate McDonald, hit a double over Herrmann’s head before a passed ball by Nolan let her advance to third. The next batter hit into a fielders choice and McDonald was thrown out at home.

Another passed ball put a runner on second before a single put runners on first and third with one out. After Szczuplak lined out to third, Ayers walked another batter to load the bases with two outs. A walk brought one runner home before the next batter, Tina Willis, drilled a triple over Herrmann — who misplayed the ball badly — to bring in three runs and make the score 7-3. Willis came home from third after another passed ball by Nolan to make the score 8-3 before Miller Struck out to end the inning. Manasquan got one more run back in the fifth after another lead-off single by Kapalko and an RBI single by Obero before the Lady Rockets put up four more runs in the sixth — including another unearned run — to make the score 12-4.

— SHORE —  
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“They didn’t get any more hits that we did, but they probably walked more than we did,” Morano said. “We were one wild pitch away from winning the game [in the bottom of the seventh with a runner on third].” Shore made St. Rose pay for not capitalizing on their chance in the top of the eighth when pitcher Ally Roma was walked to start the inning and back-to-back two out singles drove her home.

“At the end of the game the kids got a little bit more aggressive and started to swing the bats,” Williams said. “Swing the bats and put the ball in play and see what happens. This was a great softball game played the way softball is supposed to be played.” The Lady Rose’s Megan Alexander managed a hit with two outs in the bottom of the inning, but Christine Heyl grounded out to the pitcher to end the game. “That was just a very well played anybody could have won it game,” Morano said. “What are you going to do?”

**Athletic Calendar**

**THURSDAY**

**Softball:**  
 St. Rose vs. Mater Dei, 3:45 p.m.  
**Boys Lacrosse:**  
 Manasquan vs. TRS, 3:45 p.m.  
**Girls Lacrosse:**  
 Wall @ MonDon, 3:45 p.m.  
**Golf:**  
 Manasquan vs. RBC, 3:30 p.m.  
**Tennis:**  
 Manasquan @ Holmdel 3:45 p.m.  
 Wall @ Pt. Beach, 3:45 p.m.

**FRIDAY**

**Baseball:**  
 MCT: Manasquan vs. Marlboro, 3:30 p.m.  
**Softball:**  
 Wall vs. Manalapan, 3:45 p.m.  
**Boys Lacrosse:**  
 St. Rose vs. MonDon, 3:45 p.m.  
**Girls Lacrosse:**  
 Manasquan vs. Colts Neck, 3:45 p.m.  
 St. Rose vs. Long Branch, 3:45 p.m.  
**Tennis:**  
 Manasquan vs. Rumson, 3:45 p.m.  
 Wall @ Colts Neck, 3:45 p.m.  
**Golf:**  
 Wall @ Southern, 3:30 p.m.  
 St. Rose @ Henry Hudson, 3:45 p.m.

**SATURDAY**

**Baseball:**  
**Shore Challenge:**  
 St. Rose vs. Bergen Catholic, 1p.m.  
 Wall vs. Randolph, 7:30 p.m.  
**Softball:**  
 St. Rose @ Matawan, 2 p.m.  
 Manasquan @ RBC, 1 p.m.

**MONDAY**

**Softball:**  
 Manasquan vs. Wall, 7 p.m.  
**Boys Lacrosse:**  
 St. Rose @ C.B.A., 4 p.m.  
**Girls Lacrosse:**  
 Manasquan vs. TRN, 3:45 p.m.  
 Wall vs. Freehold Twp., 3:45 p.m.  
 St. Rose vs. Manchester, 3:45 p.m.  
**Golf:**  
 Shore Conference Tournament @ Sea Oaks, Tuckerton.  
 Manasquan vs. Freehold Boro, 3:30 p.m.  
**Tennis:**  
 Manasquan @ Raritan, 3:45 p.m.  
 Wall vs. RBR, 3:45 p.m.  
 St. Rose vs. Shore, 3:45 p.m.  
**Track & Field:**  
 Wall @ Monmouth, 3:45 p.m.

**TUESDAY**

**Baseball:**  
 Wall vs. Midd. North, 7 p.m.  
**Softball:**  
 St. Rose @ Rumson, 3:45 p.m.  
 Wall vs. Midd. North, 3:45 p.m.  
**Boys Lacrosse:**  
 Manasquan vs. Southern, 3:45 p.m.  
**Girls Lacrosse:**  
 Manasquan @ Monmouth, 3:45 p.m.  
**Tennis:**  
 Manasquan @ Colts Neck, 3:45 p.m.  
**Golf:**  
 Wall vs. Lower Cape May @ Cape May National, 4 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

**Baseball:**  
 Manasquan @ Wall, 7 p.m.  
**Softball:**  
 Wall vs. St. Rose, 3:45 p.m.  
**Girls Lacrosse:**  
 Wall @ TRS, 3:45 p.m.  
 St. Rose @ TRE, 3:45 p.m.  
**Track & Field:**  
 Monmouth County Championships  
**Golf:**  
 Manasquan @ Colts Neck, 3:30 p.m.  
 Wall vs. Holmdel, 3:30 p.m.  
**Tennis:**  
 St. Rose @ Marlboro, 3:45 p.m.

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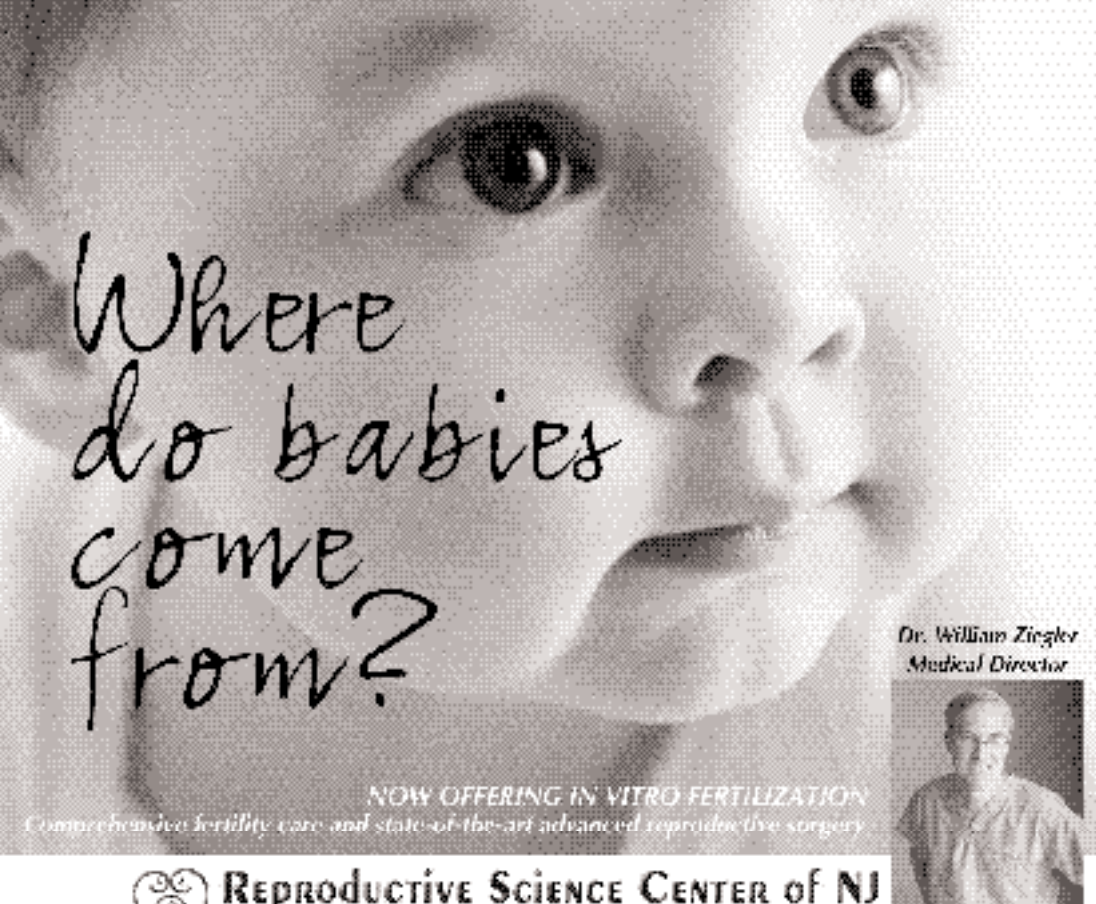
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### — TRACK — From Page 55

while Owen Boyle did well in both the one and two mile runs. RJ Reed did well in the pole vault and Mike Scurman earned some points in the 100 and 200 meter dashes.

"We have a young squad and I am looking forward to bigger things in the future," Manasquan boys coach Dan McHarris said. "We have done a lot of building that needs to be continued."

#### ST. ROSE

Both the St. Rose boys and girls track teams competed Tuesday against Shore — the B Central track power.

The boys were dominated with Chris Capron a bright spot winning the 400 and 800 meter runs.

The girls hung tough, but fell in the end.

"We did a lot better than last year against Shore," head coach Bill Jasko said.

Some bright spots for the girls were Emily McMillan who won the 400 and 800, Megan Hiller who won the pole vault and the high jump, Karri O'Halleran who won the triple jump, and Katherine Gibson who won the 100.

Last week the girls had several runners compete at the Penn Relays with the 4x100 team of Gibson, Jane Dorsey, Stephanie

Cruz, and O'Halleran running a season best and the 4x400 team of McMillan, Fiona Brabazone, Allie Meilnicki, and Krista Kohen doing the same.

The team's next meet is the Long Branch relays with the girls sitting at 3-1 and the boys at 1-3.

### Ice hockey tryouts set for May

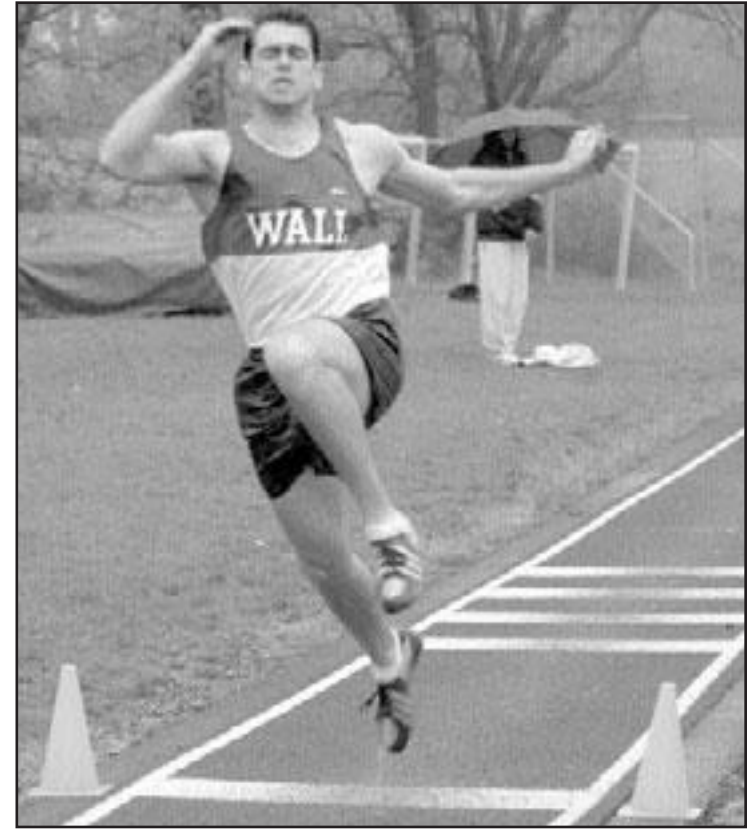
Evaluations for the summer and fall Ice Hockey House Leagues will take place on May 28, 2005 at the Wall Sports Arena on Wyckoff Rd. in Farmingdale.

Children with birth years of 1997 or younger (mites) 9:45 a.m., 1995-1996 (squirts) 3:45 p.m., and 1991-1994 (peewee/bantam) 5 p.m.

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Wall senior Jeff Hill medaled in both the long and triple jumps at the Unionville Invite this past weekend.

## John Crotty camp returns for 12th year

The John Crotty basketball camp will return for its 12th season at the Jersey Shore. The 2005 camp will run from July 11-15 at Manasquan High School and is for boys and girls ages 8-14 and goes from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. daily.

Crotty, an 11-year NBA veteran point guard, and his experienced staff of local college players, high school and elementary coaches have helped many young player develop their basketball skills and increase their enthusiasm for the game.

The camp focuses on instilling a healthy, positive and competitive desire to help young layers excel in what they want to do, both on the court and off. Many players who attended the camp at a young age have returned to work as counselors.

Station work, shooting contests and two games per day fill the busy daily schedule that starts with Crotty greeting each camper every morning. The camp also includes two autograph sessions for the campers and Crotty will work with players daily during station work.

The week culminates with what has been dubbed "Championship Friday," where daily contest winners compete against each other for prizes such as autographed

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For more information, call the camp hotline at (732) 449-7065 or call camp director Pete Pappas at (732) 528-8822 ext. 1308. Applications are available online at johncrotty.net and space is limited. The camp has sold out every year.

### Garden State Baseball league accepting players and teams

The Garden State Baseball League Wooden Bat summer league will be starting up again on May 28 and running until August 7.

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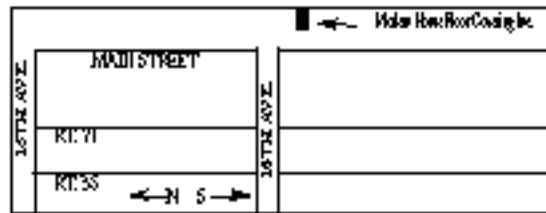
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BELMAR- 215 4th Avenue. May 5, 6, 7 & 8th. 9AM-3PM. Baby/toddler items, stroller, jogger, swing, boy's clothing, newborn to 5T, books, linens, HH.

BRIELLE-MULTI FAMILY, 1009 Cedar Lane. Sat. 5/6, 8AM-12PM. Furn., bikes, handicap items, books, art supplies, HH items & more.

BRIELLE- 1023 Riverview Dr., Fri. & Sat. May 6 & 7. 9AM-1PM. No early callers! HH, yard, kit. items, crib, clothing, books, toys, etc.

BRIELLE- 507 Old Bridge Rd. Sat. 5/7, 8AM-4PM. HH items, outdoor furn., tools, sporting

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BRIELLE- 530 Union Lane. Fri., May 6 & Sat., May 7. A little of Everything!

BRIELLE- 608 Brielle Ave. Sat. 5/7, 9AM-1PM. Rain date Sun. 5/8. Moving sale!

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POINT PLEASANT- 2122 Middle Ave., Sat. 5/7, 9AM-4PM. Rain or Shine. Baby furn./items, misc., HH items, furn., clothes, etc.

POINT PLEASANT- Rain or Shine. 1230 Fleming Ave. & 832 Old Farm Rd. Fri. May 6th, 3-7PM. Sat. May 7th, 9-2PM. Mercury O/B motors, boat supplies, tools, windsurfers, kit./HH items, toys, books, clothing, outdoor light fixtures.

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PT. PLEASANT- 1110 Bay Ave. (corner of Manetta). Sat. 5/7, 9am-3pm. Great clothes, accessories, HH items, pictures.

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PT. PLEASANT- May 7th & 8th,

8AM-5PM. 805 Partridge Run. Furn., DR set, CD's, Mens clothes & Kit./HH items.

SPRING LAKE Hts.- 620 Shore Rd., Fri. 5/6, Sat. 5/7, 9AM-4PM. Futon, kit. table, HH, toys, shed, Mother's Day plants.

SPRING LAKE Hts.- Sat. 5/7, 9AM-4PM. 1024 Wall Rd. Furniture, HH items. Something for everyone! Rain or Shine.

WALL MOVING Sale- 2169 Hidden Brook Dr., Sat. 5/7, 9AM-3PM. Bikes, books, exercise equip., some furniture, children's items, outdoor equipment.

WALL- 3700 Belmar Blvd. Sat. 5/7, 8AM-2PM. Custom Thomas Train table, outdoor furn., kid's & HH items, clawfoot tub, attic fan, wine barrels.

WALL- 1665 & 1653 Glendola Rd. (off Belmar Blvd). Sat. 5/7, 9AM-?. Baby toys, home/holiday decor, HH items, furn., tv's.

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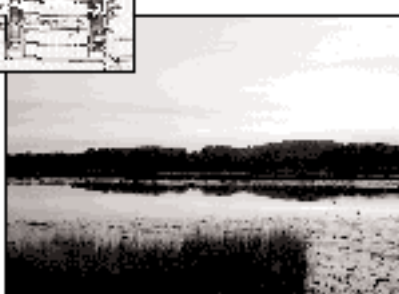
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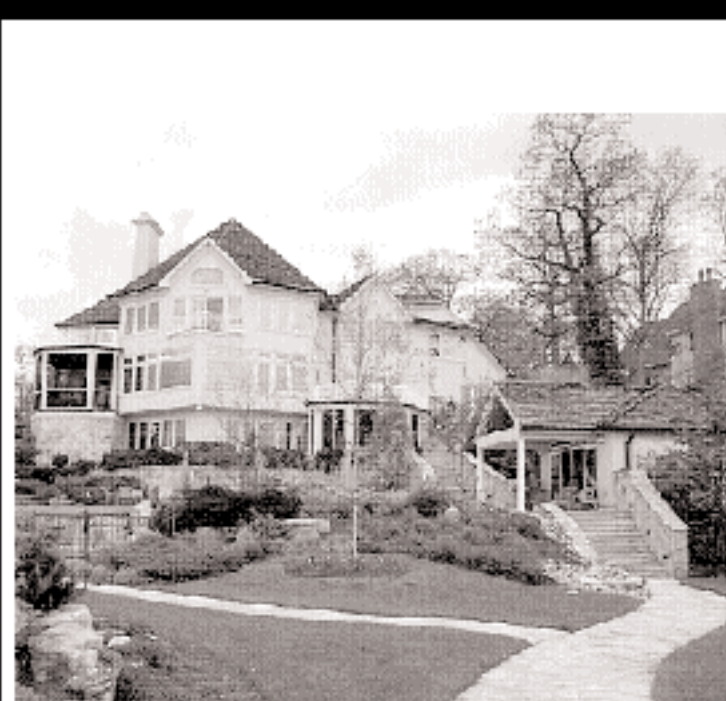


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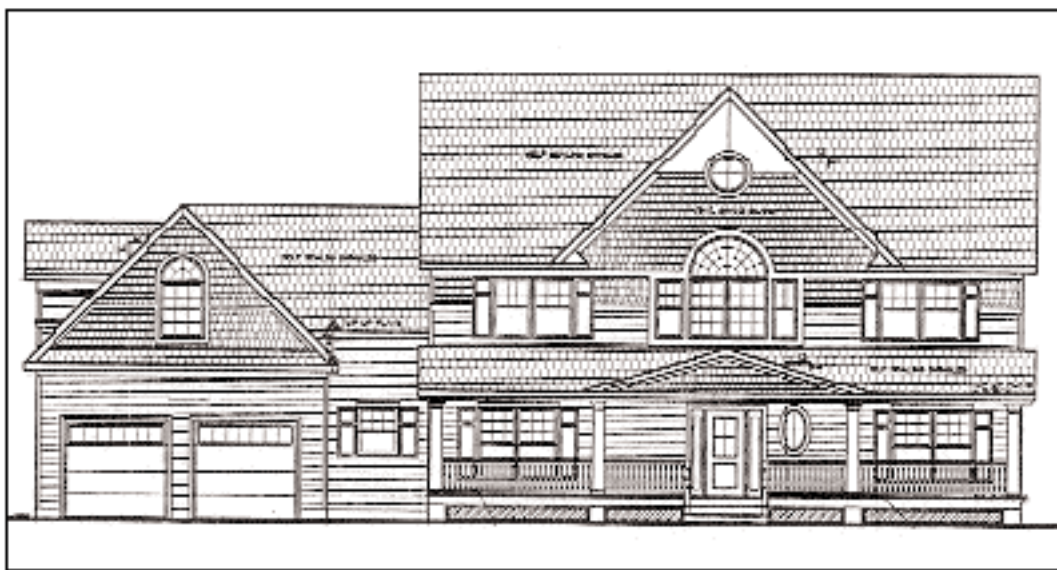
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Name: Unit Description  
Robert Logan 726 T.V. Stand, Dart Boards  
Contents of unit will be sold as a lot. Occupant of each unit may redeem contents by paying all rents, fees and other charges in full prior to the sale. Owner reserves the right to bid at auction, refuse any or all bids, set minimum bids or cancel sale. Sales date and time may be extended without additional notice. Claim may be resolved by contacting the Manager at (732) 223-3355.  
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Manager  
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**WALL STORAGE II NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION**  
To satisfy its lein(s), Wall Storage II of New Jersey, located at 1651 Hwy 34, Wall Township, New Jersey will sell at Public Auction on May 30, 2005 at 1:00 PM, all the personal property stored in its facility by:  
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Contents of unit will be sold as a lot. Occupant of each unit may redeem contents by paying all rents, fees and other charges in full prior to the sale. Owner reserves the right to bid at auction, refuse any or all bids, set minimum bids or cancel sale. Sales date and time may be extended without additional notice. Claim may be resolved by contacting the Manager at (732) 751-1211.  
BARBARA ROMAIN  
Manager  
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**BOROUGH OF LAKE COMO ORDINANCE NO. 2005-758**  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN FEE SCHEDULES IN THE BOROUGH OF LAKE COMO.  
BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Lake Como that the following sections of the Borough of Lake Como

Revised General Ordinances shall be amended to change the fee schedules as follows:  
Chapter 4-8 Businesses not at a fixed location, Hawkers, Peddlers, Itinerant Vendors.  
Chapter 4-8.2 a. shall be amended: The fee for a one (1) day license per person and/or per vehicle used within the Borough shall be one hundred twenty (\$120.00) dollars per day.  
4-8.2b. For a one week license \$ 95.00  
4-8.2c. For a one month license \$275.00  
4-8.2d For a one year license \$ 10.00 per day  
Chapter 9-1.3 Construction Fee Schedule.  
a. The new construction fee shall be amended to read:  
The new construction fee shall be in accordance with the fees established and maintained through the State of New Jersey Uniform Construction Code Standards for Municipal Fees and any and all changes thereto.  
The same shall apply to Items b. through g. and i. through n.  
h. Electrical Fixtures and Devices. Items 1 through 6. The fees shall be amended in accordance with the fees established and maintained through the contract executed by the Governing body with the contractual Electrical Inspection Firm.  
o. In addition to the Construction Fee Schedule, a \$20.00 processing fee will be charged per permit issued for processing by National Geomatics.  
This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication according to law.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on the first reading at the Regular meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Lake Como in the County of Monmouth on the 3rd day of May 2005 and will be considered for second reading and final passage at the Regular meeting of said Governing body to be held on the 17th day of May 2005 at 8:00 pm at the Lake Como meeting room at which time and place any person desiring to be heard upon same will be given an opportunity to be heard.  
LOUISE A. MEKOSH, RMC, CMC, CMFO  
Borough Clerk/Administrator  
(530.10) (86) (05-05)  
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**BOROUGH OF SPRING LAKE HEIGHTS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS LEGAL PUBLIC NOTICE**

**WHEREAS**, chapter 231, P.L. 1975 (Open Public Meetings Law) requires the Board of Education of the borough of Spring Lake Heights, in the county of Monmouth ("Board of Education") to give notice of its scheduled meetings which are held in the Spring Lake Heights Elementary School, and  
**WHEREAS**, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975 authorizes a public body to meet in Executive or closed Session under certain limited circumstances, and  
**WHEREAS**, said law requires the Board of Education to adopt a resolution at a public meeting before it can meet in such Executive or Closed Session.  
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION:**  
1. That it does hereby authorize the following meetings for the remainder of the 2004-2005 school year and the 2005-2006 school year.  
2. That it does hereby determine that it may be necessary to meet in Executive Session on the following dates, and that the matters discussed will be made public when confidentiality is no longer required and action pursuant to said discussion shall take place only at a public meeting.  
The Board will meet at 7:00 P.M. in the Cafetorium of the Spring Lake Heights School every 4th Monday, unless otherwise advertised. Formal actions may be taken at any scheduled meeting.  
Date Type of Meeting  
May 23, 2005 Regular  
June 27, 2005 Regular  
July 25, 2005 Regular  
August 22, 2005 Regular  
September 26, 2005 Regular  
October 24, 2005 Regular  
November 28, 2005 Regular  
\*December 19, 2005 Regular  
January 23, 2006 Regular  
February 27, 2006 Regular  
March 27, 2006 Regular  
April 24, 2006 Regular  
\*3rd Monday, due to Holiday Recess  
SEAN GATELY  
Board Secretary  
(530.80) (88) (05-05)  
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**BOROUGH OF MANASQUAN PUBLIC AUCTION**  
Notice is given that a public auction will be held by the Borough of Manasquan, Saturday, May 14, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in the Public Works

Borough Garage, Iroquois Road, Manasquan, New Jersey. **RAIN OR SHINE.**  
No warranties shall be attached, implied and/or expressed to the items auctioned on this date. All items will be sold in "AS IS CONDITION." All sales will be final.  
Successful bidders shall be required to pay the total bid price at the time of sale and immediately remove the property from the Borough's Garage. For inquiries, please call 732-223-0544, ext. 235.  
The items to be auctioned include the following:  
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Township of Neptune  
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Unit #454 Mary Ann Belcoure  
Unit #268 Linda Castle  
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**TOWNSHIP OF WALL BOARD OF EDUCATION BID NOTICE**  
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Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Wall Township Board of Education, Wall, New Jersey, for the above. Specifications and bid forms will be received at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 17, 2005 in the Administration Offices, 18th Avenue, Wall, NJ where bids may be secured. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept the bid which, in its judgment, is in the best interest of the Township.  
Bidders shall comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, C.127 (Affirmative Action).  
MARGARET H. MUELLER  
Board Secretary  
(514.70) (42) (05-05)  
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**TOWNSHIP OF WALL BOARD OF EDUCATION BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE**  
Following is a list of meeting dates for the Wall Township Board of Education. All meetings will be held at 8:00 p.m. at the Intermediate School unless otherwise advertised.  
Workshop Meetings Regular Meetings  
May 10, 2005 May 10, 2005  
June 7, 2005 June 14, 2005  
July 12, 2005 July 19, 2005  
August 2, 2005 August 9, 2005  
September 13, 2005 September 20, 2005  
October 4, 2005 October 11, 2005  
November 1, 2005 November 8, 2005  
December 6, 2005 December 13, 2005  
January 10, 2006 January 17, 2006  
February 7, 2006 February 7, 2006  
March 7, 2006 March 14, 2006  
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