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They are a delightful tradition. Street fairs, town days and festivals are a nice way for family, friends and neighbors to experience a unique sense of their community. Live music, festival foods and a variety of attractions are fun. Face painting, games, rides and inflatables add excitement. Community and civic groups introduce themselves, provide information, hand out give-a-ways, hold fund-raisers and do demonstrations. Visiting vendors add interest with unique jewelry, clothes, antiques, memorabilia, etc. A pleasant way to end the summer season.

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### Good Neighbor Day Benefits Food Pantry

Bill O'Shea's Florist promoted Good Neighbor Day on Wednesday, September 14, 2016. Owners, John and Linda Kosakowski, said that they gave out about 150 bunches of roses with the stipulation recipients keep one rose and pass along the others. During the event, food donations were collected for the Hasbrouck Heights Food Bank, netting about 80 bags of food.

It is believed that the first Good Neighbor Day was started by the late Brook Jacobs, owner of Greenbrook Flowers in Jackson, MS, in 1994. It was adopted and promoted by FTD nationally, with Bill O'Shea's Florist joining the program and continuously participating since 1995. ###



### A Delightful Afternoon with Italian Light Opera

On Saturday afternoon, September 17, 2016, The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights continued its focus on its Multicultural Celebration with a spotlight on Italy.

The Hudson Lyric Opera Company performed a colorful and lively performance with 15 music selections of well known operatic arias and Neapolitan songs. A tasting of Italian pastries was included. The event was sponsored by The Friends of The Hasbrouck Heights Library. The group is based in the Hudson Valley region and provides communities with opera, operetta and musical shows. For more information go to: http://hudsonlyricopera.org/###





## **Moonachie Breaks Ground**

U.S. Representative Bill Pascrell, Jr. (D-NJ) joined local, state, and county officials on Monday, September 12, 2016 for a ground-breaking ceremony for the new Moonachie Borough Hall, replacing the one that was destroyed in Superstorm Sandy, nearly four years ago.

Attendees also included: Chris Hartnett, Head of Public Assistance at FEMA Region 2, Moonachie Mayor Dennis Vaccaro, State Senator Paul Sarlo (D-Wood-Ridge), Assemblyman Gary Schaer (D-Passaic), Assemblywoman Marlene Caride (D-Ridgefield).

Bergen County government representatives, Moonachie Council members and employees, and State and County Office of Emergency Management personnel.

Hurricane Sandy caused a devastating tidal surge from the Hackensack River that inundated Moonachie.

This surge caused Moonachie's Borough Hall and the Police Department (housed *inside Borough Hall*) to sustain significant damage and forced municipal officials and police officers to be temporarily relocated to mobile offices.

FEMA provided an origi-

nal estimate of only \$68,000 for the damage to Borough Hall, significantly less than the costs required to repair the destroyed structure.

In March 2012, Rep. Pascrell helped negotiate an initial agreement between FEMA and the Borough on a replacement cost of \$1.1 million for the municipal building, still far less than the actual cost.

Moonachie appealed FE-MA's decision and, with Rep. Pascrell's assistance, were able to get FEMA's approval for \$4.58 million to repair and elevate Borough Hall. ###

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## Lodi Super Bubble Fun Time

Gazillions of bubbles! Lodi Memorial Library put on a bubble show on Wednesday afternoon, August 24, 2016.

Children and adults were amazed by a colorful rainbow of bubbles in all shapes and sizes. They enjoyed music, bubbleology, games and comedy. The event was sponsored by The Friends of The Lodi Memorial Library. ###





### Little Ferry Police Awarded Accreditation

On September 13, 2016, during a Mayor and Council meeting, Harry J. Delgado, Accreditation Program Manager, NJ State Association of Chiefs of Police, presented the Little Ferry Police Department a Certificate of Accreditation from the NJ State Association of Chiefs of Police.

Accreditation is a symbol of professionalism, representing a significant professional achievement. Having fulfilled all of the accreditation standards as established by the NJ

State Association of Chiefs of ments. Police, and independent reviewing authority, LFPD was hereby awarded a three year certificate of accreditation that runs through June 2019.

Only 162 out of 470 law enforcement agencies are accredited. Accreditation is a process that takes about 2 years. Twenty-nine states have an accreditation program. New Jersey started their program in 2002. Accreditation is voluntary and available to police, sheriff and prosecutors' depart-

Accreditation standards give the Chief a proven management system of written directives, sound training, clearly defined lines of authority and routine reports that support decision making and resource allocation.

Accreditation represents a significant professional achievement. Accreditation is a progressive and time-proven way of helping law enforcement agencies calculate and improve their overall performance. ###



## Hundreds Enjoy a Late Summer Picnic

American Legion Post 310 in Little Ferry held its 34th Annual Picnic on Saturday, September 10, 2016, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., at their Post picnic grove. There were all you can eat hamburgers, hot dogs, sausage & peppers, clams on a half shell, corn on the cob, Manhattan clam chowder, salads, beer and soda. Entertainment by DJ Jack Jam. Many brought lawn chairs. There was a large tent for shade. All proceeds benefit Veterans and children's programs. ###



### Honoring Hometown Heros

Rutherford's Lincoln School commemorated September 11th by honoring our hometown heroes, the first responders. Students and staff wore red, white and blue to school. Class representatives from each of the classes in Grades One through Three placed flags lining the walkways at the entrance of the school in appreciation and remembrance. The teachers and staff reminded students to continue to show gratitude to all who keep us safe. Provided by JoAnn Hughes. ###

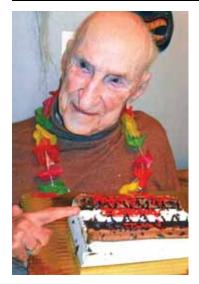
## **August Ocean Commotion**

The week of August 8, 2016, **Bible Baptist Church** in Hasbrouck Heights, opened its doors for its annual VBS Summer Program titled "Ocean Commotion."

More than 85 kids from 1st to 6th Grade attended daily. They learned about how Noah learned to stand for God, obey him and trust him when God warned Noah about the flood and what Noah had to do to prepare.

Kids brought in items like toothpaste, mouth wash, soap and shampoo that will be handed out to those who are less fortunate by Wrapped In Hope. For more information about what Wrapped In Hope is about or how you can support them -- email Wrappedinhope347@gmail.com

On the last day, parents and kids came together for some fun while enjoying an ice cream sundae bar. ###



Wood-Ridge resident John Havlicek turned 99 earlier this year. He is an active senior who loves life and lives it to the fullest. ###

### **ERCPA** Gala September 29

The East Rutherford Civic Pride Association will host their 2nd Annual Gala September 29, 2016 honoring East Rutherford coach and sportscaster, Dick Vitale, of the Jimmy V Foundation as 2016 Man of the Year at Il Villaggio. At 4 p.m., The Borough of East Rutherford will dedicate the Grove Street Park Basketball Courts to Dick Vitale for his East Rutherford High School basketball coaching accomplishments. Tickets are \$250 or a table of ten for \$2,250. Music by the Joe Caroselli Orchestra. ###



A hint of the treasure trove of memorabilia, the Assumption Parish 90th Anniversary Exhibit is in the final stages of completion. A tapestry of beloved images and memorabilia of both the parish and beloved school, the exhibit will be on display in Father Patrick Morris Hall until June of 2017.

The lights are shining bright in Assumption. Literally. With the new lighting system installed, the Church interior is brightened not only in visual clarity but in a vibrant Franciscan spirit. In addition, the elevator installation, the renovation of handicap accessible bathrooms, new industrial kitchen and the completed prayer garden will set the

stage for a new chapter in the Church's future.

As the Assumption Parish renovation project is in the final stages, the parish community is set to have a wonderful year of treasuring the past and celebrating the future, while implementing a new era in accessibility and community outreach. Provided by Rose Lepore. ###

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and comedy of Artie and Jack,

better known as 'Two for the

Road'. Despite having problems with their equipment, they carried on to entertain the members. Artie and Jack are like the colors red and green or like the spices salt and pepper. They work well together. There are times the duo could be compared to the team of Martin and

Lewis -- fun loving and warm.

During the meeting portion of the afternoon, members signed up for the Halloween Party, the Thanksgiving Luncheon and the Christmas Party. They also received information about the Flu Shots and the Wellness Luncheon.

Linda Cross from the Division of Senior Services in Bergen County will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of the Leisure Club scheduled for October 12, 2016, at 12:30 p.m. Ms. Cross is an expert on all current information related to Medicare. Photo and story by Marie and Peter Gallo Jr. ###



### Knights Thank Residents

The St. Anthony Council #11585, Knights of Columbus located in Wood-Ridge, want to thank all who helped make their Annual Community Blood Drive a success.

The drive was held on Friday, September 9, 2016, instead of the usual September 11th date. This was due to a conflict in obtaining a Bloodmobile on that date.

The Community Bloodmobile was stationed on Valley Boulevard at Veterans Park (Valley Boulevard between Highland Avenue and Marlboro Road). Knights Chairman John Johansen also thanked all Knights who assisted the personnel from the county. PG ###



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East Rutherford's American Legion Post #67 recently presented plaques to two Becton High School seniors for their participation in the NJ Boys State program this summer.

The two boys, sponsored by the Post, were among 1,000 boys at Rider College who took part in a week-long program that teaches youth about taking an active role in the democratic form of government of our State and nation, and in the privileges and responsibilities of citizenship.

Pictured left to right, are Rich Powers, Post Commander, Ryan Strauss, Billy Armstrong, Vice Commander, Neel Shaw and Paul Weiss, Post #67 Boys State Chairman. Provided by Paul Weiss. ###

### Mothers of Pre-schoolers

MOPS is where you can connect with others who will celebrate your joys with you and share in your daily struggles and adventures as a mom. Hasbrouck Heights MOPS invites all moms with kids ages 0–6 from any town to join in at "WONDERfull You" Thursday, October 20, 2016, 7-9 p.m.

Event hosted by Bible Baptist Church, 31 Passaic Avenue, Hasbrouck Heights.

Free MOPPETS childcare provided by RSVP only. Monthly Friday morning get together and outings too. For more info: hasbrouckhtsmops@gmail. com; 862-239-MOPS; Fb – Hasbrouck Heights Mothers of Preschoolers. ###

## Stuff a Backpack for a Homeless Vet

Rochelle Park American Legion Post 170 will again this year run a backpack drive to help support homeless Veterans.

Needed items: long johns, heavy socks, gloves, hoodies, flannel shirts, sweatshirts, and pants, warm hats, scarves, gently used winter outwear such as boots, shoes and coats.

Small size toiletries such as toothpaste and brushes, deodorant, hand and face lotions, handi-wipes, playing cards, etc.

All of the items collected will be given to Catholic Charities, SOS Vets in order to help our homeless Veterans.

Last year's drive was an overwhelming success thanks to the many contributors who helped. The drive will run until October 31, 2016, every day from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Any questions email: bobsalvini@att.net.

### Hunter's Moon

The October full moon appears on Sunday, October 16, 2016, at 12:23 a.m. It is called the "Full Hunter's Moon."

### ICHS Hosts "A Night to Shine" Gala Dinner October 26

Immaculate Conception High School will host its annual gala on Wednesday, October 26, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. at the Estate at Florentine Gardens. The evening's theme will be "A Night to Shine." The gala will benefit academic excellence and student tuition support.

The focus of the evening will be to honor and showcase outstanding individuals for their unyielding commitment to ICHS including; Joseph R. Azzolino, Wanda Huderski '67, Sister Mary Fidelma Klutkowski, C.S.S.F (*posthumously*), Stephen and Diane LoIacono, Sister Theresa Mary Martin, C.S.S.F., Joseph and Dorothy Mastropaolo, Sister Marilyn Marie Minter, C.S.S.F., Michael Nardino, Gregory Vasilik, and Tara Lynn Wagner '90.

The evening will feature remarks from all honorees as well as the new "Shooting Star" award to a current ICHS student, who exemplifies the Felician Core Values.

Guests will be greeted with a cocktail reception, followed by a delectable three course dinner menu, video presentation, dancing, and raffle.

"We are truly blessed to have so many people who support our school, live out the Felician Core Values, and carry on the traditions of ICHS. Our gala dinner is a night for ICHS to shine and celebrate our outstanding history," said Joseph R. Azzolino, President/ Principal.

The ticket price is \$100 pp; Grand Raffle tickets for \$50, sponsorship opportunities available. For tickets call at 973-773-2400.

For more information contact Renee Gitto, Director of Advancement at ICHS at rgitto@ichslodi.org or call 973-472-7231. ###

## Hasbrouck Heights Garden Club

The Hasbrouck Heights Garden Club will be meeting on Wednesday, October 19, 2016, at 6:30 p.m., in The Library Meeting Room located at 320 Boulevard on the second floor. Refreshments will be served before the meeting that begins at 7 p.m. and is over by 8:45 p.m. There is an elevator available and plenty of parking behind the building and across the street on Central Avenue.

The Garden of the Season Award for the summer was presented to Gail Petrino of 230 Coolidge Avenue. Even though this is a small garden, it is a beautiful garden. Her garden shows what you can do with small spaces. Gail has been presented with an award certificate, invited to the Garden Club meeting to speak about her love of gardening and also received a plaque to be placed in her front garden for the season.

They hope everyone enjoyed the Boulevard in Bloom planters this summer. Thank you to all who watered them to keep them healthy, the DPW, who once again delivered, watered and removed the pots. and the BETA Club for taking care of the pots for the summer.

Thank you to everyone who gave of their time, donated and purchased plants on Town Day, September 24. All of the money raised will be used for the payment of speakers for the monthly meetings.

If you are interested in joining the Garden Club just come to one of their meetings! They welcome everyone not only from Hasbrouck Heights but also from other towns!

For further information please call Judy at 201-288-2615. ###

### **Rutherford Taxpayers** Association Meet

## *Mum and Garage Sale October 1*

The Moonachie First Aid & Rescue Squad will be holding its 12th Annual Mum Sale on Saturday, October 1, 2016, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., at 121 Moonachie Avenue, Moonachie, NJ. Beautiful 8" pot size mums in assorted colors will be on sale for \$8 each, 3 for \$15.

Advance orders welcome. Will deliver larger orders.

Together with the mum sale, the Squad will also be hosting a garage sale featuring housewares, toys, clothes, books, etc.

Donations welcome. Drop off at the Squad building the night before. For oversized items, call 201-641-9094.

All proceeds go directly to the Squad for operating expenses. ###

### Shred-it Event October 1

Hasbrouck Heights will host a Shred-it event on Saturday, October 1, 2016 at the Central Avenue parking lot on the Boulevard from 9 a.m. to noon. Paper only. No plastic or metal objects.

The Satellite Recycling drop-off will also be located at the this parking lot during this shredding event.

This disposal site collects the following items for recycling: bottles, cans, plastic bottles, newspapers, cardboard, magazines, junk mail, and E-waste such as computer equipment and TVs. For more details, call 201-288-1072. ###

## Stash the Trash October 15

Moonachie Stash the Trash will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2016 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Redneck Fields. There will be hot dogs and refreshments for all of the volunteers. Community Cleanup sponsored by Borough of Moonachie, South Bergen Rotary and Bergen County Clean Communities. To register email: melatwork15@ gmail.com ###

### Songs and Letters of World War II Oct. 30

On October 30, 2016, at 1 p.m., you are invited to join the members of the Wood-Ridge Historical Society in the Arnault/Bianchi House on First Street to experience this moving tribute to the resiliency of the human spirit and in particular, to the men and women who struggled, fought, lived and died during World War II.

Following the program, light refreshments will be served. There is no admission charge, but donations to the Society in support of their activities and events will be gratefully accepted. ###

### Christmas Excursion: Broadway Dinner Theatre December 2

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Rosary Confraternity will host a Christmas excursion to the Westchester Broadway Dinner Theatre on Friday, December 2, 2016.

This Christmas season, treat yourself or your loved ones to dinner and a very special holiday show..."Christmas Inn."

Enjoy a hilarious evening of holiday music, laughter, and a story of Christmas magic performed by a Broadway cast. The show features all of your favorite Christmas music, including an old-fashioned sing-along!

The price of \$120 includes bus transportation, and your dinner and show package, including entrée of your choice, salad, vegetable, potato or pasta, fresh rolls and corn muffins, Chef's Choice dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee or regular tea prior to the performance.

The bus will leave from in front of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Wallington, promptly at 4 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6 p.m., with show time at 8:00 p.m.

According to "The Farmer's Almanac," with the leaves falling and the deer fattened, it is time to hunt.

Since the fields have been reaped, hunters could easily see fox and other animals which have come out to glean.

Other names for this moon include "Full Travel Moon," and "Full Dying Grass Moon."

The Native American Indians of the northern and eastern United States kept track of the seasons by giving a name to each recurring full moon. European settlers followed the custom. ### Art Association of Rutherford

The October meeting for the Art Association of Rutherford will be held Thursday, October 6, 2016, 7:30 p.m., at Tamblyn Civic Center in Rutherford.

They plan to paint ornaments for their donated holiday tree for the Kip Center, supplies are provided, and all are welcome! Free for new visitors, and snacks provided. Contact lissanneart@gmail.com for more details. ### The Rutherford Taxpayers Association monthly meetings are held on the first Wednesday at Rutherford Borough Hall beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The RTA presents information to local citizens in a nonpolitical form through monthly meetings, newsletters and open forums on a particular topic. Membership is open to all Rutherford residents and

property owners, regardless of political affiliation, for \$10 per year from September through August.

To enroll or renew your membership by mail, send a check to the RTA at P.O. Box 361, Rutherford, N J 07070. ### Payment is due at the time of reservation. Limited tickets available.

Please call Ginny at 201-715-2087 for additional information and reservations. ###

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## Turkey Luncheon

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church of Carlstadt will sponsor their monthly luncheon on Tuesday, October 11, 2016, in the Community Hall, Third Street, Carlstadt.

Turkey dinners will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Donation is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children/students. For take out orders call 201-438-5526. ###

## Oktoberfest November 5

St. Margaret of Cortona in Little Ferry will have its second annual Oktoberfest on Saturday, November 5, 2016. Tickets are \$25 pp and include real German food from the Swiss Pork Store, commemorative beer mug and dancing. Music by Ronnie and Chris Oompah Band. For tickets, call Ellie at 201-641-0883. ###

## Free Lunch Saturday

Everyone is invited to the First Presbyterian Church of Moonachie for the "Free Lunch Saturday" program, which will be held on October 1, 2016, at 11:30 a.m. This hot lunch features "Chicken."

They will celebrate everyone's Birthday with party hats, games and cake!

This program is an expansion of the Church's ministry of feeding hungry bodies and hungry hearts. If the economy's got you down, or you want to share a meal with others, come for the food and fellowship. There are no strings attached. A free-will offering is taken. ###

## Breakfast Oct. 9

Lodi KC Pancake

The St. Michael's Council of the Knights of Columbus are having their monthly buffet-style Family Breakfast on Sunday, October 9, 2016, 8:30 a.m. to noon, at 39 Washington Street, Lodi.

Menu includes: all-youcan-eat fresh scrambled eggs, pancakes, French toast (to order), sausage, hash browns, fresh rolls, orange juice, fresh hot coffee, and tea.

Adults: \$6; children over 6: \$4; children 6 and under: free. Profits to benefit local charities. ###

## All You Can Eat Breakfast October 30

The Wood-Ridge Fire Department is hosting an "All you can eat" breakfast on Sunday, October 30, 2016 from 8 a.m. to noon.

Tickets only \$5. Menu includes eggs (your choice) sausage, juice, coffee, tea, milk, roll and butter. There will be a big screen TV raffle and 50/50's.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or by calling 201-939-2387.

Bring your family and have breakfast with ours at 85 Humboldt Street, Wood-Ridge. ###

### American Legion Pancake Breakfast October 9

Lodi Post 136 and Rochelle Park Post 170 will hold a pancake breakfast on Sunday, October 9, 2016 from 8:30 a.m. till noon at 33 W. Passaic Street, Rochelle Park.

There will be pancakes, eggs, sausage, coffee, tea, juice, fruit cocktail and homemade crumb cake (while they lasts), all for a \$5 donation with children under 6 free.

They will also be collect-

### Soup and Sandwich Social

The VFW Little Ferry Auxiliary to Post 809 will sponsor a Soup and Sandwich Social on Monday, October 10, 2016, from noon to 3 p.m. at the Post Home, 100 Main Street, Little Ferry.

Various soups will be made by members of the Auxiliary. Ticket donation is \$10 pp. Call Adele at 201-641-2298. A prize will be awarded for the most patriotic ensemble. Join them for a fun afternoon. ###

### Evening of Jazz October 20

On Thursday, October 20, 2016, Care on the Corner presents an Evening of Jazz with Tricky Tray at The Fiesta. Doors open at 6 p.m.

Jazz music and dancing, with live entertainment, featuring Mark Wright on the keyboard.

Tickets are \$45 each and include dinner, door prize and some gaming tickets.

There is a limit of 200 tickets and this event usually sells out early. Reserve today.

Event benefits Care on the Corner programs. For more information call 201-288-9460 or go to: www.careonthecorner. org ###

### Beefsteak September 30

The Most Sacred Heart Rosary Confraternity is sponsoring a Beefsteak on Friday, September 30, 2016 at the Most Sacred Heart Great Hall, 127 Paterson Avenue, Wallington. Cost is \$40 per person and includes dinner, coffee/tea and dessert. BYOB.

Doors open at 7 p.m. No one under the age of 18 will be admitted. Catering by Hap Nightingale. Entertainment by Anthony Tabish. For information call Eileen at 201-933-0576

## AWS Meets October 20

American Wine Society Meadowlands Chapter is proud to present their very best of private Grand Reserve wines on Thursday, October 20, 2016. This meeting will feature some of the very best wines from the private collection of the award winning wine makers "Make Wine With Us."

A unique collection of some of the very best that MWWU has to offer from their private Grand Reserve collection, will be offered for tastings and for purchase. This will be a great way to supplement your wine collection with some great tasting wines, at a faction of the retail cost.

This event is like going to a vineyard and having them offer some of their private collection to the public. The wines will be introduced and discussed by Diane and John, owners of MWWU.

As you know MWWU always makes wine only using the very best grapes that are available during a growing season, and this group has reaped the benefits of that dedication to details over the last three wine seasons producing several award winning vintages for us.

What fun it will be to put your unique labels on these wines to make them your own. We are very excited to be part of this special event.

As always there will be tasty snacks both savory and sweet to please your palate.

So why not come to the October 20 meeting starting at 6:30 p.m., Make Wine With Us, 21 Currie Street, Wallington. Cost for this meeting is \$15 for members and \$20 for nonmembers.

Don't forget their Holiday/ Christmas party is December 3, 2016 at The Fiesta.

You can follow us at http://

wineclub201.blogspot.com for more details.

To ensure that they have enough seating, please RSVP to the wineclub201@gmail. com. Chapter President Angel Martinez and all around good wine guy Vice President Philip Miuccio. Cheers & Salute! ###

### A Taste of Hasbrouck Heights & Friends

The Hasbrouck Heights Public Library, in collaboration with the Chamber of Commerce, cordially invites the public to a food sampling of delicious signature dishes from 35 local area restaurants all under one roof. Music provided by DJ Steve Feuss.

This event will be held at the Hasbrouck Heights VFW located at 513 Veterans Place on Monday, November 14, 2016, from 6 to 9 p.m. Tickets are available for purchase at The Library. Tickets cost \$35 in advance or \$40 at the door. For details, call 201-288-0488. We hope to see you there!

This event is sponsored in part by **The Gazette Newspaper, VFW Post 4591 and Heights Flower Shoppe.** ###

## Beefsteak with Uncle Floyd

The Carlstadt/East Rutherford Lions Club announces their Annual Beefsteak Dinner with entertainment by special guest, Uncle Floyd.

The October 21, 2016 event features all the filet mignon you can eat, salad, fries and dessert. Beer is also included along with soft drinks, coffee and tea. The price is \$45 per person. Tables of ten can be reserved. The dinner begins at 7:30 p.m. in the East Rutherford Civic Center, 37 Vreeland Avenue, East Rutherford.

All tickets must be purchased and paid for in advance. For tickets or to donate prize baskets please call 201-306-0987. *Please bring in your old, unused eyeglasses.* ###

## Oldies Night October 29

Suddenly it's 1950, get out your Poodle skirt, saddle shoes and penny loafers. St. Francis of Assisi Knights of Columbus Council 4524 is having an Oldies dinner dance on October 29, 2016. Dinner from 6 p.m. till 7:30 p.m. Italian buffet catered by Annabella's, beer, and mixers supplied, music till midnight with live band by Four Man Trio, and DJ Dick Italiano. Location: St. Joseph's Church School Auditorium, 120 Hoboken Road, East Rutherford. Parking in lower parking lot behind school. Tickets are \$30 each. The deadline is October 20, 2016. No tickets will be sold at the door. They can set up tables for groups. For ticket information, contact Joe at 201-842-9262 or Pat at 201-638-0309. ###

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Salvini at bobsalvini@att.net or Francis Carrasco at mrfajc@ hotmail.com ###

### or Betty at 973-473-4876. ###

## Oktoberfest

On Saturday, October 15, 2016, starting at 3 p.m., the Carlstadt Turn Verein, 500 Broad Street, Carlstadt, will sponsor Oktoberfest.

Donation is \$40 per person and includes live music by Bernie's Orchestra, food and drink, coffee and cake. Kitchen opens at 2:30 p.m. Cash bar. Call 201-652-0968 or 973-777-6677 for reservations. ###



### Rutherford Lions Spaghetti Dinner

The Rutherford Lions Club will be hosting their Annual Spaghetti Dinner on Monday, October 24, 2016, from 5 to 8 p.m., at 55 Kip Center, 55 Kip Avenue, Rutherford.

Donation is \$7 pp. For tickets call 201-390-6734 or visit www.lionsclubofrutherford. org Tickets are available at the door. ###

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### Lodi Town Wide Flea Market October 29

The Borough of Lodi will hold a town-wide flea market on Saturday, October 29, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the parking lot behind Borough Hall.

Applications must be submitted with the Borough by Friday, October 21. Fee is \$10 for 10' x 10' space and \$20 for 10' x 20' space. Set-up begins at 8:30 a.m. and must be removed by 4 p.m. Vendors must provide their own table and chairs.

Space #'s will be posted on October 26 on the Borough website: www.lodi-nj.com and the entrance of the parking lot on October 29.

Parking is permitted at 2 Memorial Drive (*old KMart*). ###

### Flea Market October 22

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church of Carlstadt will sponsor a flea market on Saturday, October 22, 2016, in the Community Hall, Third Street, Carlstadt, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The following tables will be featured: Christmas items, jewelry, books, appliances, collectables, household itmes, games, etc. No clothing. Hot dogs, chili, hot and cold drinks and cakes will be sold at noon. For more information call 201-438-5526. ###

### **Boulevard Stroll Oct. 19**

Discover the Boulevard. Enjoy a leisurely stroll with friends and family on Wednesday, October 19, 2016, from 4 to 8 p.m. Rain or shine.

The Hasbrouck Heights Chamber of Commerce announced that several activities are planned. To participate, call Ray at 201-288-5464. For current information go to: www.

### Flea Market

**FOCAS Holds** 

The FOCAS Flea Market is Saturday, October 22, and Sunday, October 23, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the American Legion, 100 Liberty Street, Little Ferry.

This market features specialty items that make unique gifts, a selection of household items, jewelry, collectibles, linens, games, toys, pet supplies, cds/videos, and more. Refreshments and baked goods are available.

Flea Market merchandise donations are gratefully accepted. (*Not accepted are TVs, PC monitors, exercise equipment, clothes or magazines.*)

They may be dropped off at the American Legion on Friday, from 4 to 6 p.m. and Saturday (all day) of the Flea Market weekend.

For additional information call the FOCAS Help Line at 201-943-4019, email info@ focasnews.org, or visit www. focasnews.org ###

### **Indoor Fall Flea Market Nov. 19**

The Parish Social Life Committee of Saint Margaret of Cortona Roman Catholic Church is sponsoring an Indoor Fall Flea Market on Saturday, November 19, 2016 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tables are \$25 each. For information and contracts, call Ellie at 201-641-0883. ###

### Vendor Show October 23

The Ladies Auxiliary Unit #147, will host a Vendor Show at Legion Place, Elmwood Park on Sunday, October 23, 2016, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Vendors Wanted! \$25 gets a spot (*bring your tables*). Rentals available.

Reservations or questions call: Debe at 201-925-4389, Theresa at 201-522-7619 or

### Kip Center Casino Trip

The Kip Center hosts a Sands Casino Trip the second Monday of every month. Bus leaves at 8:30 a.m. from the Kip Center, 55 Kip Avenue, Rutherford. The cost is \$30.

You will get \$30 back when you arrive. 55 Kip Members first priority, but spaces are generally available for your friends. Reserve early.

New to the Kip Center? Give it a try, there is always something going on! Call 201-460-1600 for more information. ###

### Casino Bus Trip

The HH VFW Post 4591 sponsors Casino Bus Trips on the last Wednesday of each month. Bus departs at 10 a.m. The cost is \$35 paid in advance; includes a continental breakfast from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., a casino voucher and a goody bag on your trip home. Games, prizes and a movie make the travel time pass quickly. For detailscall Andy at 973-773-1812, Susan at 973-641-6562 or the Post at 201-288-1112. ###

## 6th Annual Casino Night

The Rutherford Educational Foundation will host their 6th Annual Casino Night on Friday, November 11, 2016, from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Fiesta.

Tickets are \$80 per person and include buffet/open bar, music and \$100 in play gambling chips. RSVP by November 1, and receive \$100 bonus chips.

Tickets are available from eventbrite.com (*Rutherford Education Foundation 6th Annual Casino Night*) or from REF Board Members. For more info, call Rich at 973-309-3522 or Joe at 973-668-1866.

The Rutherford Education Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that raises funds to enrich the educational experience of Rutherford students by privately funding special academic, athletic and extracurricular activities. ###

## Moonachie 11th Annual Town-Wide Food Drive

First Presbyterian Church of Moonachie joyfully announces its 11th Annual Townwide Food Drive, to be held at the Church on October 21 and 22, 2016, between 9 a.m. and noon.

In a time when so many people are in need, it is good to find ways to help out, and even a single can or boxed item can make a difference in fighting hunger.

According to the workers at the Center for Food Action,

### Italian Night Dinner Oct. 8

The Elks Lodge 1962, 128 Baldwin Avenue, Hasbrouck Heights, is hosting an Italian Dinner Dance on October 8, 2016 from 6:30 to 11:30 p.m. Cost is \$25pp. Music by DJ Nick. For more information call Cathy at 386-852-4881. ###

### Rutherford Hosts Band Competition October 8

The Rutherford High School will be hosting a Band competition on Saturday, October 8, 2016 starting at 5 p.m. at Tryon Field in Memorial Park. This is their second year. Refreshments available. No rain date. Thirteen bands are slated to compete before an expected 1,500. RHS Marching Band is a two-time, back-to-back Chapter 10 Champion, winning the title in 2014 and 2015. ### the need is greater than ever this year. They are having a hard time keeping enough food on the shelves.

Most needed items include: canned meat, canned tuna, canned chicken, canned beef stew, Parmalat, 100% fruit juice, macaroni and cheese, canned pasta, peanut butter and jelly, canned fruit, pancake mix, and syrup, canned soup, rice, baked beans, cleaning supplies, paper goods and large-size disposable diapers.

The Moonachie EMS Squad delivers announcements throughout Moonachie at the end of September.

Any questions call Linda at 201-641-1272. ###

### Red, White and Blue Dinner Dance November 19

The Vietnam Veterans of America will host a Red, White, and Blue Dinner Dance to benefit their scholarship fund on November 19, 2016, from 7 to 11 p.m.. at the VFW Post 809 at 100 Main Street, Little Ferry.

Donation is \$35 and includes a buffet. For tickets call Colin at 201-410-3705 or Margaret at 201-460-8614. ###

### Garummage Sale October 15

The First United Methodist Church at Division and Burton Avenues, Hasbrouck Heights, is holding a Garummage Sale on October 15, 2016, starting at 9 a.m. ###



BoulevardStroll.com ###

## *Comedy Night November 13*

American Legion Post 310, 100 Liberty Street, Little Ferry, is hosting a Comedy Night from 7 to 10 p.m., featuring Bud Abbott & Lou Costello & Frank Sinatra. Tickets are \$35pp and include family style pasta and salad, beer, wine and soda. Music by DJ Jack. Call 201-641-9774 for tickets. ###

Conserve Energy When not in use, turn off the juice. Barbara at 201-835-7920. ###



### Care on the Corner presents the Annual

## **Tricky Tray**

Thursday, October 20, 2016 at The Fiesta Doors open at 6:00 p.m.

Featuring Live Entertainment with Mark Wright

Tickets: \$45 ea. • Call 201-288-9460

*Limit 200 tickets* • *Call early for reservations* Ticket includes dinner, door prize & some gaming tickets

All monies go to support the programs of Care on the Corner • www.careonthecorner.org



Immaculate Conception High School's Gala Dinner honoring distinguished alumnae, faculty, staff, and community supporters including:

Joseph R. Azzolino Wanda Huderski '67 Sister Mary Fidelma Klutkowski, C.S.S.F (posthumously) Stephen and Diane Lolacono Sister Theresa Mary Martin, C.S.S.F.

Joseph and Dorothy Mastropaolo Sister Marilyn Marie Minter, C.S.S.F. Michael Nardino Gregory Vasilik Tara Lynn Wagner '90

Wednesday, October 26, 2016 at 6:30 pm The Estate at Florentine Gardens 97 River Vale Road • River Vale, NJ



To sponsor the event or purchase tickets, please contact the ICHS Advancement Office at 973-472-7231 or email rgitto@ichslodi.org

## Felician Reading Center **Offers Fall Classes**

The Felician Reading Center will offer a Fall Reading Improvement Program for students in Grades 2 - 3 - 4.

The program began on September 19, 2016 and finish eson December 16, 2016. Late registrations are accepted.

The classes are held twice a

## **Gift Auction** November 11

The Church of the Transfiguration, 135 Hathaway Street, Wallington, is hosting a Gift Auction on Sunday, November 13, 2016. Admission is \$8pp.

Doors open at 1 p.m. Auction starts at 2:30 p.m. For more information call Linda at 201-791-9272; (www.transfigurationpncc.org) ###

week, Monday and Wednesday, for students in Grade 3 and Tuesday and Thursday for students in Grade 4. The classes are from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The students for Grade 2 have a different scheduled time for their classes. The teacher will be in contact with the parent.

This program aims to help each student advance at his/ her own pace and to develop reading proficiency through a multi-sensory approach to reading.

There will be a weekly fee for services rendered.

The Felician Reading Center is located at: 260 South Main Street, Lodi, NJ 07644

For further information, please call Sister Mary Andrew at 973-473-7447 - Extension 123. ###





## **Trivia Night! October 21**

Rebuilding Together North Jersey (formerly Rebuilding Together Bergen County) will hosts another fun-filled Trivia Night on Friday, October 21, 2016, at the Woman's Club of Ridgewood.

Doors open at 7 p.m.; game begins at 7:30. Tickets are \$30 per person or \$250 for a table of ten friends who will compete against other teams in eight categories of trivia Q&A, while helping raise funds for Rebuilding Together.

Many area residents know that Rebuilding Together helped more than 80 eighty homeowners whose houses were damaged by flooding from Superstorm Sandy - and that the organization also repaired 175 mobile homes in Moonachie and several area community buildings in the three years following the storm. Since its founding in 1998, more than 500 homes were made safer, healthier, and more accessible.

**Rebuilding Together North** Jersey continues to help low-income homeowners by improving their homes and revitalizing communities.

With the name change, the nonprofit group is expanding beyond Bergen County and working in Passaic County as well, focusing initially on the City of Paterson.

Trivia Night is an annual "fundraising night of brainbusting fun" that supports the mission of Rebuilding Together. Attendees enjoy a light supper, soft drinks (BYO wine and beer), 50/50 and Tricky Tray raffles.

For more information, visit RebuildingTogetherBergen.org or call 201-447-8886. ###

## **Roast Beef** Dinner Nov. 5

The First Reformed Church in Hasbrouck Heights is sponsoring their annual Roast Beef

### Oktoberfest October 22

Knights of Columbus Council 7041 is sponsoring their Oktoberfest Dinner on Saturday, October 22, 2016, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., in the Corpus Christi School Cafeteria. German-style food.

Tickets will be available after all Masses and at the door the night of the dinner. There will also be a Tricky Tray raffle and 50-50.

Cost is \$15 pp. Adults only. Proceeds benefit Knights of Columbus charities.

For more information call John at 201-727-1919. ###

### ER Columbus **Day Parade**

A Columbus Day Parade and Street Festival -- The parade begins at noon on October 8, 2016. It starts from Paterson Avenue and Herman Street, goes East on Paterson Avenue making a right onto Park Avenue. The Parade ends at Park and Orchard where the Street Festival begins.

Park Avenue will be closed until approximately 11 p.m. for the Street Festival which includes food, vendors and music.

The event is sponsored by the East Rutherford Civic Pride Association and East Rutherford Mayor and Council. ###

### **Holiday Winter** Wonderland with **Peter Lieberman** December 11

The Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 4591 is hosting a Holiday Winter Wonderland Dance featuring Peter Lieberman on Sunday, December 11, 2016 from noon to 4 p.m. at the Post, 513 Veterans Place, Hasbrouck Heights. Doors open at 11:30 a.m.

Cost is \$15pp in advance and \$20pp at the door. Cost in-

### **Carlstadt Women's Club Meets Oct. 4**

The Woman's Club of Carlstadt will hold their first meeting of the fall season on Tuesday, October 4, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church Community Hall located on Third Street, Carlstadt.

The program to be presented is "Strong Women-Powerful Financial Strategies." Guests are welcome. For questions about this program or about becoming a member of the Club please contact Renee Engelhardt, President at 201-403-6442. Members are reminded that the annual dues of \$40 for the year are due. CJ. ###

### Adelphi Orchestra presents "Slavic **Celebration: Young** Artist Showcase"

Adelphi Orchestra, now in its 63rd season of Music for All, presents "Slavic Celebration: Young Artist Showcase" the first of its 2016 concerts dedicated to the orchestra's long standing young artist initiative, Sunday, October 23, 2016 at 3 p.m., River Dell Regional High School. The concert is free and open to the public.

The Adelphi Orchestra presents concerts with accomplished guest soloists and distinguished conductors.

For more information visit www.adelphiorchestra.org ###

### St. Mary High School **Annual Fall Fashion** Show/Tricky Tray November 3

St. Mary High School will host the 2016 Annual Fall Fashion Show/Tricky Tray at the Fiesta on Thursday, November 3, 2016. Doors open at 6 p.m.

Tickets are \$50pp and includes dinner, high end fashion show and one sheet of raffle tickets for fabulous prizes. No tickets will be sold at the door. For tickets email: Lillian at



## HOUS September 25th at 12pm October 20th at 7pm

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Dinner on Saturday, November 5, 2016 from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

Cost is \$18pp, under 10 is \$5. For more information call Janet at 201-288-2923 or Nancy at 201-288-3963. ###

cludes hot lunch, cake, coffee/ tea. There will be a 50/50 and mini-tricky tray.

Call Debbie at 201-866-4854 for tickets. Come dressed in your Holiday Best! ###

### Road Courtesy is Contagious



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BBCDivorceCare@gmail.com

lkgdahl@gmail.com ###

## **Rummage Sale** October 28

The Rutherford Congregational Church, 251 Union Avenue, will be holding a huge rummage sale on Friday, October 28, 2016, from 7-9 p.m., and Saturday, October 29, from 8-11 a.m. The Saturday sale will be \$3 a bag day. There will be clothing, books, toys, household items, jewelry and many more items available.

Donations of clean usable clothes, shoes, household items, jewelry, etc. welcome. Drop off Thursday, October 27 after 7 p.m. No electronics or furniture.###

### Lodi Library October Computer Classes

Lodi Memorial Library offers free introductory-level 90-minute computer classes. Basic mouse and keyboard typing skills are required. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. Please call or visit The Library for the schedule.

Topics include:

• Intro to Microsoft Word: Learn to create, save and format a document. Tuesday, October 4 at 1:30 p.m.

• Internet & Email Basics: How to search for websites; use a browser; change browser settings; email settings and attachments. Saturday, October 8 at 1:30 p.m.

• Intro to Microsoft Excel: Learn to create, edit and format a spreadsheet, enter numeric and text information and basic formulas. Tuesday, October 11 at 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, October 13 at 6 p.m. (*Thursday is a repeat of Tuesday: Register for only one class.*)

• Microsoft Word Intermediate: Learn more formatting and editing options. Tuesday, October 18 at 1:30 p.m.

• Google Drive & More Apps: Learn a suite of webbased tools for file management, collaborative work, word processing, spreadsheet, presentations, research and more. Saturday, October 22 at 1:30 p.m.

• Microsoft Excel Intermediate: Learn worksheet formatting options, sheet tabs, autofill; freeze panes; work with formulas, sort data, print options. Tuesday, October 25 at 1:30 p.m.

Call 973-365-4044 or visit The Library to register. Lodi residents have priority for registration. Classes are held in the first floor Conference Room.

One-on-one 30-minute sessions with the instructor are also available, for assistance with using the mouse and keyboard; and setting up Email and Facebook accounts. ###

### The Great American Songbook Through the Decades

### Rutherford Free Computer Classes The Rutherford Public Li-

brary will hold a series of free computer classes throughout October. Classes will begin at 1 p.m. and be held the following Tuesday:

• Tuesday, October 11 – Computer Basics

• Tuesday, October 18 – Internet Basics I

• Tuesday, October 25 – Internet Basics II

• Tuesday, November 1 – Email

Registration is required for each of these classes. Seating is limited. For more information or to register, please call 201-939-8600.

The Rutherford Public Library will also hold a series of drop-in computer classes focused on Microsoft Word Tips and Tricks. These classes will be held on Tuesday, October 11, 18, 25, and November 1 at 6:30 p.m. and will be aimed towards individuals who already have a working knowledge of Microsoft Word. No registration is required for these classes. For more information, please call 201-939-8600. ###

## Tech Tutor

Looking to maximize free content for your tablet, Kindle, or smart phone? The Rutherford Public Library is offering appointment-based Tech Tutor services to provide personalized instruction on downloading free e-books, e-magazines, audiobooks, music, and movies to personal devices.

Librarians can also assist with research, setting up e-mail accounts, and basic computer instruction. For an appointment or for more information, please call 201-939-8600 and ask for Reference.##

### E-Resources at The Rutherford Library

The Rutherford Public Library will host a series of drop-in classes to introduce Library users to the e-resources available to them, including Zinio, a resource for digital magazines, Hoopla, a service that allows users to stream and download movies, music, audiobooks, ebooks, and comics, and Rosetta Stone, a language learning service.

## Knit, Read

The Knit One, Read Two knitting/book discussion group at The Rutherford Public Library will meet on Wednesday, October 5, 2016 at 6 p.m. to discuss "Top Secret Twenty One" by Janet Evanovich.

The meeting will be held on the Library Mezzanine. All those who knit or crochet are warmly invited to bring their needlework and join the discussion. Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk. For more information, please call -201-939-8600. ###

### Monday Evening Book Group

On Monday, October 3, 2016, at 6:30 p.m., the Monday Evening Book Group will meet to discuss "Life & Times of Michael K" by J.M. Coetzee. Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk of the Rutherford Public Library. ###

### *Kip Center Daytime Reading Group*

On Friday, October 28, 2016 at 1:30 p.m., the Daytime Reading Group will meet at the 55 Kip Center to discuss "The Lowland" by Jhumpa Lahiri. Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk of The Rutherford Public Library, 150 Park Avenue, Rutherford. ###

## Girl Waits With Gun

On Wednesday, October 19, 2016, at 7 p.m., The Carlstadt Evening Book Club will be discussing "Girl Waits With Gun" by Amy Stewart. Light refreshments will be served. New members always welcome!

Please call Rebecca at 201-438-8866 ex. 204 for further information. ###

## The Burgess Boys

On Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at 7:15 p.m,. join your neighbors and friends at The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library to discuss "The Burgess Boys" by Elizabeth Strout. Copies of the books are available at the Circulation Desk. All are welcome. ###

### **Falling Together**

Lodi Library Book Club meets Tuesday, October 11, 2016, 6:30 p.m. This month's selection is "Falling Together" by Marisa de los Santos. Light refreshments are served.

Pen, Will, and Cat, three college friends, meet again at a reunion after six years apart. What happens there sends past and present colliding and sends Pen and her friends on a journey across the world, a journey that will change everything.

For more information on upcoming books, visit http:// lodi.bccls.org/tuesday-nightbook-club.html ###

## Film Screening October 25

On Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at 6 p.m., The Friends of The Library of Rutherford will present a free film screening at The Rutherford Public Library. Title to be announced. The film will be shown in The Library Auditorium. ###

### Carlstadt Tuesday Movies

Let Carlstadt "take" you the movies every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. for a feature film. This month they will be showing ...

• "The Meddler": October 11 at 1:30 p.m. Running time: 1 hr 43 m Rated: PG-13

• "Genius": October 25 at 1:30 p.m. Running time: 1 hr

### **Basic ESL**

The Rutherford Public Library has ongoing Basic English as a Second Language classes taught by a certified ESL instructor.

The classes are intended for beginner to intermediate level students and will be held on Tuesday and Thursday morning at 10 a.m. Students may register in person at the Reference Desk.

For more information, please call 201-939-8600, ext. 7. ###

### **Conversation Group**

English language learners are invited to attend the English Conversation Group at The Rutherford Public Library. The group will meet on Monday from 10-11:30 a.m. and on Thursday from 1:00-2:30 p.m.

The group provides a good opportunity to practice spoken English in an informal setting. This is a free program and all are welcome. No registration is required. For information, please call 201-939-8600, ext. 7. ###

## W-R ESL

The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library hosts English as a Second Language classes for adults at no charge.

Classes will meet every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday morning at 10:15 a.m. No registration is required. For more information, please call The Library at 201-438-2455. ###

### Crafty Crafters Adult Craft Club

On Saturday, November 19, 2016, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., get your craft on with Carlstadt Library new adult only Craft Club. This Club meets every third Saturday of the month (*no crafts in October*). Supplies are provided by The Library. Supplies and space are limited. Please register online, in-person or call 201-438-8866 ext. 204 ###

On Wednesday, October 26, 2016, at 7 p.m., The Carlstadt Library will host vocalist, Carol Erickson, as she sings classics and standards from the Great American Songbook.

Refreshments will be served, and all are welcome to attend!

Read more about Carol Erickson: http://www.carolericksonvocals.com ###

Boulevard Stroll October 19 5:30 to 8 pm All of these resources are free through The Rutherford Library with a Library card. These classes will be held on Monday, October 3, 17, 24, and 31, 2016 at 6 p.m. No registration is required. For more information, please call 201-939-8600. ###

### **Chicks with Sticks**

### - Knitting and Crocheting Club

On Thursday, October 20, 2016, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., come have a ball and join Chicks with Sticks every third Thursday of the month.

Knit, crochet, and chat the night away at The Carlstadt Public Library. Bring along your projects and get tips and ideas from others who share this favorite pastime!

Please call Rebecca at 201-438-8866 ex. 204 for further information. ### 44 m Rated: PG-13

\*Movies are subject to change. Popcorn and beverages will be provided. No registration required for this free event!

Please call Rebecca at 201-438-8866 ex. 204 for further information. ###

### Lodi Library Wednesday Movies

Lodi Library presents free recently-released movies on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

For information on the movies showing each week, visit:http://lodi.bccls.org/newly-released-movies.html or call 973-365-4044. ###

## W-R Book Sale

The Friends of the Wood-Ridge Memorial Library will hold its Fall Book Sale on Saturday, October 8, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Wood-Ridge Senior Center, adjacent to The Library. All proceeds benefit The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library. Come support The Friends and get some great deals! ###

**Read to Your Child** 

Paws to Read

On Monday, October 17, 2016

from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m, children

are invited to The Wood-Ridge

Memorial Library to read to

Rodney, an award-winning

may register for a 15-minute

session. Therapy dogs provide

a safe, nurturing experience for

emergent readers to practice

their literacy skills. To register,

call The Library at 201-438-

Children ages 5 and older

certified therapy dog.

2455. ###

Drop-In

Storytime

The Rutherford Public

Library will host a morning

drop-in storytime program on

Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19,

and 26, and also on Thursday,

October 6, 13, 20, and 27 from

10:30 – 11 a.m. All children,

from infants to 5-year-olds and

their caregivers, are warmly

invited to stop by for stories and

fun. Make some new friends

and get ready for reading! No

advance registration required.

For more information, please

**Children's Programs** 

at Carlstadt Public Library, 420

Hackensack Street, Carlstadt,

presents Crafternoons at The

Library! They create all kinds

of amazing make and take craft

projects. For children ages five

and up. Wednesdays in October

come all and have a ball at

Story Time! They sing, dance,

clap, wiggle, jiggle and some-

times even craft the morning

away in a convivial (and kid

friendly!) atmosphere. Babies

to age five are welcome to at-

tend with caregivers. Thursday

• Story Time: Come one,

201-438-8866 ext. 203:

at 3:30 p.m.

October Children's Events

Crafternoon: Miss Nina

call 201-939-8600. ###

**Carlstadt Library** 

Young readers wanted!

### Lodi Library Series: *Health and Wellness*

October is Health Literacy Month. The Lodi Memorial Library offers the following health and wellness programs. Space is limited; call 973-365-4044 to reserve your spot.

• Kids Culinary Challenge: Saturday, October 1, 2:30 - 4 p.m. join dietitian Ms. Julianne from ShopRite to create yummy snacks that are good for you too! For Teens and Adults (Grades 7+) Thursday, October 6, 5:30 - 7 p.m.

• Blink Fitness Challenge: (Grades K-12) Thursday, October 13, 4-5 p.m. Blink Fitness will show you how to challenge yourself to be the strongest person you can be!

• Chair Yoga (Adults): Monday, October 17, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Finally, a yoga class for people suffering from joint pain and stiffness associated with conditions such as arthritis and fibromyalgia. In this class, students will use chairs rather than yoga mats. Presented by Stone Center for Yoga and Health.

• Music Together: Wednesday, October 19, 11:30 a.m.-12 p.m. Singing! Chanting! Moving! Music Together incorporates interactive activities, original songs, sing, play, and lullabies from their award winning CDs. Your child will be learning tonality, moving with accurate rhythm and keeping a beat while drumming, shaking and dancing.

• Salsa and Merengue Dancing, (Adults): Saturday, October 22, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Simply Social Dancing presents this fun workshop that combines the joy of dancing with fun social interaction. Light refreshments will be served.

• Kids Yoga (Grades K and up): Tuesday, October 25, 6:30 p.m.-7 p.m. This class will introduce children to the basics of yoga, breathing exercises, and silent meditation.

• Brain Challenge: Puzzlemania!: Saturday, October 29, 2:30 p.m. Are you a puzzle enthusiast? Join a team effort to solve the Sunday New York Times crossword in one hour or less! ###

### Lodi Children's October Events

Lodi Memorial Library offers events for children ages 4 and up in October 2016.

• **Kids Crafts** are offered Tuesday from 3:30 to 4 p.m.

• **Preschool Crafts** are offered Wednesday from 11 to 11:30 a.m.

• **LEGO Build**, Tuesday, 4 to 5 p.m., Library provides Legos and displays your creation

• **Board and Card Games,** Wednesday 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

• Minecraft Gaming on laptops is offered for two age groups:

- Grades K-4 Monday at 4 to 5 p.m. (*No program October 10*)

- Grades 5-8 Thursday 4 to 5 p.m.

Laptops are first-come first-served; gamers should arrive on time to guarantee a spot.

• Movies for Kids and Teens: Children's movie rated G or PG will be shown Tuesday, October 11 at 4 p.m.

Teen movie rated PG or PG-13 will be shown Monday, October 17 at 4 p.m.

• **Story Time:** Friday at 11 - 11:30 a.m.

• Play Group: Friday 11:30 a.m. to noon

• Teen Booksters: A group for teens Grades 7-12 who love to read, Tuesday, October 25, 4 – 5 p.m. Bring any book you've been reading. Need a suggestion? Ask or check this out: www.nypl.org/voices/blogs/ blog-channels/sta. You're also welcome to bring your own creative writing or artwork. They have snacks, too!

For more information call The Library 973-365-4044. For a schedule of more free events for children and adults, call or stop by The Library, or visit http://lodi.bccls.org. To sign up for the monthly email newsletter, scroll down the homepage and click Sign Up Now. ###

### Circle Time! With Sukey Molloy

### Heights Library Children's Events

Hasbrouck Heights Free Public Library October children's events. Registration required. For more information, call 201-288-0485.

• Scientesses Classes. Calling all GIRLS...Princesses aren't the only girls with power! Join in helping a Girl Scout earn her Gold Award all the while learning about STEM careers with fun activities and experiments. Classes will be every Monday for the month of October for girls ages 7-13 starting at 3:30 p.m.

• Halloween Craft and Story Time on Thursday, October 27 at 3:30 p.m. for children in Grades K-3. They will be reading some great books and making a craft to take home.

• Lego Club Join the Hasbrouck Heights Lego Club! Show off your architectural talents and come create with us. Legos will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. Next meeting dates will be Tuesday, October 4 and 18 starting at 3:30 p.m. for ages 5-12.

• Craft Club for Tweens. Calling all tweens in Grades 4-6. Monthly Monday Night Craft Club is back. October 17 at 7 p.m., come and get crafty.

• Little Artist For students in Grades 2-5, come learn about an artist or type of art and recreate a famous work or make your own masterpiece . No experience is necessary. There are no mistakes in art! Thursday, October 20 at 3:30 p.m.

• **Book Bingo**. BINGO! Join us for a game of Book Bingo and win prizes! They meet on Thursday, October 6 starting at 3:30 p.m. for ages 5-12.

• Book Clubs for Kids. Join one of two Book Clubs for kids at -- Best Books for students in Grades 2-3 meets on the first Friday of each month. -- Critics' Choice for Grades 4-6 meets on the third Friday of each month. For details, call 201-288-0485. ###

## sin October at 10:30 p.m.Young Adult Cooking

### Heights Teen Readers' Club

Calling all teens that are enrolled in Grades 7-12, to participate in the Teen Reader's Club at The Hasbrouck Heights Public Library!

This Club meets on the second Tuesday of the month from 7-8:30 p.m. and provides teens with an opportunity to talk about books, eat snacks, play games, and make new friends.

On October 11, 2016, they will be holding the first Teen Readers' Club of the school year and discussing "Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children" by Ransom Riggs.

A spine-tingling tale about a young man who journeys to a remote island off the coast of Wales, he discovers the crumbling ruins of an old orphanage that was home to children who were more than just peculiar, possibly dangerous -- who may still be alive.

Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk. For further details or to sign up, please contact Teen Librarian Elysse Fink at 201-288-6653. ###

## Music with Miss Fran

Music with Miss Fran will be at The Rutherford Public Library on Friday, October 14, 21, and 28, 2016. from 11:15am – 11:45 a.m, for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers.

Come by for singing, dancing, and fun! No advance registration is required. Musical Mornings are generously funded by The Friends of The Library of Rutherford. For more information, please call 201-939-8600. ###

## Music and Movement

The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library will host a free

### New/Used Books, Media, Games Donations Wanted

The Friends of The Lodi Memorial Library are seeking donations for new or gently used books, children's books, DVD's, music CD's, puzzles and games for their Ongoing Book Sale. No magazines, encyclopedias, trade or text books, VHS tapes or damaged materials. Donations can be dropped off at the Circulation Desk. Call 973-365-4044. ### The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library will host Circle Time! with Sukey Molloy on Wednesday, September 28, October 5, October 12, November 2, and November 9, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.

Join Sukey Molloy for her award winning series of musical play activities, designed to encourage movement, play and song in the developing years. Children ages 6 months to 5 years of age and their caregivers are invited to attend.

Classes will be held at the Wood-Ridge Civic Center. Registration is required. To register, please call The Library at 201-438-2455. ###

### W-R Chess Club

On Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19, and 26, 2016, The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library will host a free Chess Club for learners of all ages. Children meet from 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. and adult beginning players meet from 4:30 p.m. – 5 p.m. Designed for all ability levels, the Chess Club is led by a coach who can teach new chess players the basics, and help experienced players sharpen their skills. ###

Good manners are always in style

**Class:** Miss Nina will show you the ropes on making simple dishes. Grades Five and up are welcome to attend. This month's dish is Easy Sushi. Tuesday, October 11 at 7 p.m.

• Lego Club: They provide the Legos, you bring your creativity for crazy Lego creations using teams and themes. Lego builds are routinely featured on The Library's Facebook. Thursday, October 20 at 3:30 p.m. ###

music-and-movement class with Miss Nita on Friday, October 28, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.

Children ages 5 and under and their care-givers are warmly invited to share the joys of making music together!

Classes will be held at the Wood-Ridge Civic Center. Registration is required. To register please call The Library at 201-438-2455.





### AHOF Open Cockpit Weekend October 22/23

The Aviation Hall of Fame will host an "Open Cockpit Weekend" on Saturday, October 22 and Sunday, October 23, 2016, from 10 a.m. till 4 p.m.

Visitors can sit in the cockpits of a TWA Convair 880 jetliner, a rare Lockheed-designed Bush Plane, a Cobra gunship helicopter, an HH-52A Coast Guard helicopter, an OV-1A Mohawk close support aircraft, a Bell 47 helicopter, a "Little-Cut-Up" aircraft control demonstrator, and the control cab of a real Airport Rescue and Fire-Fighting truck.

People, young and old can learn how the flight systems work. Qualified pilots will help guests understand the instruments and controls of these special aircraft.

Additionally, experience their new multimedia international space station and "Buzz" Aldrin exhibit.

Admission: \$10 adults, \$8 seniors and children, under 12, free.

For more information go to: www.njahof.org, e-mail njahof@verizon.netor call 201 288 6344. ###

## AHOF Hosts BCC Drone Presentation

The Aviation Hall of Fame and Museum of NJ announces a presentation by: The STEM Department at Bergen Community College on October 21, 2016 at 6 p.m.

An introduction into an uncrewed aerial vehicle's potential in the future skies. This aircraft was designed by Bergen Community College students with the purpose of providing cargo delivery with an internal payload.

## Park Avenue Toastmasters

Looking to develop speaking and leadership skills? Ace a job interview? Ignite your career? Toastmasters International is a world leader in communication and leadership development.

The Park Avenue Toastmasters will meet at The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library on Monday, October 3, 17, and 31, 2016, from 6:30 to 8:15 p.m. ###

### The New York Times Online

Now you can read the New York Times online whether you are in The Library or at home! The Rutherford Public Library is providing access within The Library to anyone who is logged on to The Library's Wi-Fi.

Note that you must register or log in to the Times for access. Rutherford residents who wish to read the Times at home may do so by visiting www.nytimes.com/redeemaccess, but first will need a code provided by The Library.

Pick up a copy of the code at The Rutherford Public Library or email reference@ rutherford.bccls.org with your name and address for the access code. For more information, please call The Library at 201-939-8600 and ask for Reference. ###

### **Museum Passes**

The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library is lending free admission passes to 12 NJ and NYC museums. Museums include the American Museum of Natural History, the Aviation Hall of Fame & Museum of New Jersey, the Museum of Modern Art, the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum, Grounds for Sculpture, and Imagine That.

Each pass offers free admission for multiple guests; some passes offer additional discounts at the museum's gift shop. Passes may be borrowed by any Wood-Ridge resident, age 18 and older, with a Library card in good standing. Passes are loaned for three days and may be reserved online through The Library's website at Wo-

## Job Seekers Workshop

The Rutherford Public Library will host a series of drop-in Job Seekers workshops throughout October to discuss various aspects of job searching.

These workshops will be held on Thursday at 2 p.m. on October 6, 13, 20, and 27, 2016. No registration is required. For more information, please call 201-939-8600. ###

### Friends of The Hasbrouck Heights Library

The Friends of the Hasbrouck Heights Library have planned a trip with Collette Travel for April 27, 2017 – May 5, 2017.

It is a fun filled trip to Canyon Country featuring Arizona and Utah. There is still time to sign up. They will be visiting Scottsdale, Oak Creek Canyon, Kaibab National Forest, Grand Canyon, Lake Powell, Choice of Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park or a Canyon Adventure Cruise, Bryce Canyon National Park, Zion National Park, and Las Vegas.

Per person rates: double \$2,979; single \$3,729; triple \$2,949. Included in price: air fare; air taxes and fees/surcharges, hotel transfers.

You can pick up a brochure at The Hasbrouck Heights Public Library located at 320 Boulevard, Hasbrouck Heights, or call The Library and they will mail the brochure to you.

The "Friends" thank all those who stopped by their table on Town Day, September 24.

The membership drive is beginning for 2017. Thank you to all those who have always supported us throughout the years. Because of you The Library has been able to present many different programs for our children, young adults

### Demonstration of Mediumship

Attend a demonstration of Mediumship with RoseMarie Rubinetti Cappiello on Tuesday, October 18, 2016, at 7 p.m. at The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights.

RoseMarie will bring forth those Spirits who seek to make connection with people in the audience. The connections and messages often affect the whole group.

If you have ever wondered what Mediumship is or how it works, here is your chance to experience one and learn about it.

RoseMarie is a gifted Medium/Intuitive/Healer who has worked professionally in this capacity since 2000 throughout the Tri-State area.

Following her demonstration, she will discuss her new book, "Speaking from Spirit." Books will be available for purchase and may be personally signed by the author.

To register, please call 201-288-0488 or log on to http:// hasbrouckheights.bccls.org and go to calendar. ###

## Ancient Olympics

The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights is pleased to present the following seminar as part of the "Monday Afternoon at the Library" series – Ancient Olympics.

This program will be held in the Library Conference Room on Monday, October 17, 2016, from 3 to 4 p.m.

The guest speaker is Dr. Mike Norris. He spent twenty years at the Cloisters Museum and the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York and has lectured on trips all over the world. Come learn about the original Olympic Games through the art of ancient Greeks.

Learn how this religious event developed over 1,100 years that drew the Greek city-states together. This topic is timely due to the recent Rio 2016 Olympics still fresh in our minds. To register, call 201-288-0488 or log on to http:// hasbrouckheights.bccls.org and go to calendar. ###





The event will highlight the process of aircraft design, uncrewed aerial systems, 3-D printing, aircraft simulation, and STEM.

Showcasing the importance of education in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and its application in advanced manufacturing.

The presentation will begin shortly after 6:00 p.m. and will conclude with an open floor discussion regarding this new type of aircraft and its capabilities. *–Robert Gomez* ###

**Drive** Responsibly Library at 201-438-2455. ### East Rutherford Memorial Library announced that museum passes are available for "Imagine That!!" and Aviation

Hall of Fame and Museum. For

more information, stop by the

front circulation desk. ###

odRidgeMemorialLibrary.org.

For more information call The

and adults.

Their main event "Summer Bash" was once again a huge success (*See The Gazette Newspaper, September 2016*).

All the money raised throughout the year has always gone to support The Library. Their merchants have always been our best supporters and they hope that their "Friends" members will continue to support them also. Always remember to present your Friends Membership card when you are doing business with the merchants. Thank you all for being a "Friend." *Provided by Judy Mascis.* ###

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#### **Smile for Halloween**

As children, we can all remember the advice from our parents, "don't take candy from strangers." Except, the reality is that on one day a year children are encouraged and permitted to seek and ask for as much candy from others regardless if they know them.

Parents can help ensure the safety of their little costumed trick or treaters by celebrating within their costumes at a party or other group function. A controlled environment may mitigate some of the risk when trick or treating to strangers.

Another risk from the Halloween treats is the effect on the teeth. Sugary treats can cause cavities in teeth and result in pain, infections, and tooth loss. Proper brushing and flossing can reduce the affects of sugar on teeth. Some treats are better and some are worse as listed below.

#### Better

1. Sugar-free lollipops and hard candies: These treats stimulate saliva, which prevents dry mouth. A dry mouth allows plaque to build up on teeth faster, leading to an increased risk of cavities.

2. Sugar-free gum: Chewing gum can actually prevent cavities, not only because it helps to dislodge food particles from the teeth, but also because its increases saliva. Saliva works to neutralize the acids of the mouth and prevent tooth decay.

3. Dark Chocolates:

### **Thyroid Cancer** Support Group

Thyroid Cancer Survivors' Association, Inc. will meet on Thursday, October 6, 2016 from 6 to 8 p.m. at The Wood-Ridge Memorial Library. All are welcome. No registration required. ###

Chocolates are loaded with sugar, but studies have shown that antioxidants in dark chocolate can be good for the heart and may even lower blood pressure. Just be sure to eat it in moderation.

#### Worse

1. Sugary snacks: Candy corn, cookies, and cake all contain a high amount of sugar which can cause tooth decay.

2. Chewy/sticky sweets: Gummy candies, taffy, and even dried fruit can be difficult for children and adults to resist, but they are a serious source of tooth decay, particularly when they get stuck in the crevices between teeth and make it nearly impossible for saliva to wash away.

3. Sour candies: High acid levels in these treats can break down tooth enamel quickly. Saliva slowly restores the natural balance of the acid in the mouth.

Be certain to brush and floss after consuming any of the sugary treats. Your dentist may offer other strategies to reduce the risk of tooth decay.

Ref: Academy of General Dentistry 2014

Dr. Jeffrey Mason is a cosmetic and general dentist at 232 Boulevard, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ. 201-288-4447, www.DrJeffreyMason.com

## Moonachie **Free Rabies** Clinic Oct. 19

The Moonachie Board of Health will host a free rabies clinic for Moonachie residents on October 19, 2016 from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Kathryn E. Flynn Civic Center, 125 Moonachie

## Caregivers Conference **October 6**

A Caregivers Conference is scheduled for Thursday, October 6, 2016, from 5:00 pm through 9:00 pm, at One Bergen County Plaza in Hackensack.

Several presentations and exhibit tables of interest to overwhelmed family caregivers are planned.

Cultivate some Caregiver Resiliency, listen to the Elder Law Attorney's presentation, Learn How to Deal with Difficult People, or learn more about Basics of Alzheimer's Disease.

Stop in after your work day, we'll even treat you to a lite dinner!

Sponsored by BC Department of Human Services, Division of Senior Services. For more information, call Eleanor at 201-336-7416. ###

## **Operation** Take Back October 22

Hasbrouck Heights Police Chief Michael J. Colaneri announced that on Saturday, October 22, 2016, between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., the Hasbrouck Heights Police Department, 248 Hamilton Avenue, will be participating with the DEA as well as the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office in "Operation Take Back New Jersey."

"Operation Take Back New Jersey" is a program to provide the citizens with a safe and legal method to dispose of their unwanted, unused, and expired medications. Please be advised that if an individual wishes to surrender obvious, non-pharmaceutical, illicit drugs, they may do so at that time. This program is anonymous and all efforts will be made to protect the anonymity of individuals

## **YOUR AD**

Call 201-288-8656

## Chair Yoga

On Friday, October 7 and 21, 2016 at 11 a.m., The Carlstadt Library presents Chair Yoga.

Exercise your mind and body with certified Yoga instructor, Ernesto Alicea. Join as he guides you with an hour of meditation and balance.

Please wear comfortable clothing. Registration is required. Register online, inperson or call 201-438-8866 ex. 204. This event is limited to ten adults. ###

Road. Cats and dogs are allowed, but must be accompanied by an adult.

All dogs must have a 2016 dog license, which will be available at the Clinic. The fees per dog are \$10 spayed/ neutered and \$13 not spayed/ neutered.

Acceptable payments are exact cash or checks made payable to "Borough of Moonachie."

If you purchase a dog license at the rabies clinic, the license still expires on January 31, 2017 and must be renewed in January 2017.

Call 201-641-1813 ext 6 or email:jcooney@moonachie.us for up to date information. ###

disposing of medications.

Each year a growing number of teenagers quietly turn to a seemingly unlikely source to score drugs-their parents and family members' medicine cabinets.

The goal of the program is to allow the citizens of NJ to deliver all of their unused, unwanted, or expired medications to law enforcement officials who can in turn dispose of these controlled substances in a safe and non-hazardous manner, preventing these pills from falling into the hands of juveniles or into the illicit market in our communities.

Syringes and other sharp instruments will not be accepted. ###



Pep Rally with Cheerleaders & Players wearing a Bulldog uniform for 2016. Flag (Kindergarten) thru our Varsity HS teams (12th Grade).

## **Bulldogs Open With A Panther Sweep**

The Rutherford Mighty Mites (7 year olds) 32 strong, took to the field for the first time in 2016 and played the first annual Blue & White game.

They ran, they tackled, they smiled, they cried, but the most memorable moment of

## High Noon at High Point

Rutherford Fire Engine Co. #2 proudly presents The Louis S. Eberspeacher Memorial Golf Outing (*aka The Louie Open*,) at High Point Golf Club, Montague, NJ on Saturday, October 1, 2016.

Lunch and Registration at 10:30 a.m. Shotgun start at noon. Cost is \$150 per golfer includes lunch, 18 holes of golf, cart, prime rib dinner and prizes. Beverage cart available. Bus transportation available for additional \$20. Call Bob at 201-522-9939 or e-mail boxcom@ aol.com ###

## 5K Walk Oct.15 at Depken Field

The Children's Dyslexia Center of NJ, located at 301 Division Avenue, will sponsor its 8th Annual Hasbrouck Heights 5K Walk to help support Dyslexic children on Saturday, October 15, 2016, at Depken Field. The course is 5K (*3.1 miles*). the afternoon was the energy and enthusiasm they put into the Cha-Cha slide dance at half time for the hundreds in attendance.

The lone score of the game came early in the 1st quarter, on a pass to Corey Simmons. Quinn Weber threw the screen pass to his tight end (Simmons) who raced down the right sideline for a forty-yard touchdown. The remainder of the game

was a defensive stalemate. Offensively, the White team found little running room. Quarterback Myles Balchan was under pressure all day, and running backs Joey Philp and Russ Snyder found little daylight.

The White team was sparked defensively by Jaden Arlauskas, Will Holman, Roc-

### Rutherford PBA Halloween Foot Pursuit

On Sunday, October 23, 2016, at 10 a.m., Rutherford PBA #300 will sponsor its 5th Annual 5K/1 mile walk beginning at Memorial Park in Rutherford. Costumes welcome.

Course is sanctioned and certified by USATF-NJ. Timing and scoring is done by "Rock Race Timing," with results posted at: www.rockracetiming.com

There will be monetary awards for top three overall male and female finishers and best adult costume and best children's costume. "T" shirts and race packets are available while they last. Check-in begins at 7:45 a.m. Costume contest judging at 9:30. Zumba warm-up at 9:45 a.m. 10 a.m. 5K run begins. 10:05 1 mile walk begins. 11 a.m. BBQ and family activities.11:30 a.m. ceremony/costume awards. Pre-registration is \$25. Day of race is \$35. Family package available. To register go to: rutherfordpba5k.com. Online sign up: www.runsignup.com Proceeds to benefit Rutherford PBA Local #300, Rutherford Fire Department, and the Rutherford Ambulance Corps ###

co Mearizo and Giancarlo Glass.

The Blue team's defense was relentless and was led by two strong corners, Rudy Garofalo and Matthew Bonagora, sealing up the outside. The inside was just as stingy, led by tackles Troy Waddell, AJ Nunziato, Anthony Montanez, Nicholas Gremanis and linebackers Damian Gregory and Emmett Carney. Joseph Marullo had 3 carries for 22 yards for the Blue team.

Both teams will be going on the road this week to battle division rivals. The Rutherford Pee Wee Bulldogs (8-9 year olds) defeated the Wallington Panthers 27-0 in the 2016 season opener. The Bulldog defense, Nick Scalley, Marchello Fernandez, David Rojas, Ryan Hayes, Laudan Henry, Jimmy Queli, Antonio DeCarlo, Devon Burgos, and George Brewton set the tone by not allowing the Panthers into Bulldog territory.

The Bulldogs rushing attack was off to a good start with Antonio (Animal) De-Carlo scoring the first of two touchdowns on the Bulldogs first offensive play. Laudan Henry also contributed with two touchdowns and an extra point behind the solid blocking of Cuya Khan, Joe DeMayo, Nick Scalley, David Rojas, Devon Burgos, Ryan Hayes, and Andrew Moeller. Jake Torre led the offense at quarterback, James Queli carried for an extra point, and Andrew Moeller sealed the victory by pinning back the Panthers with an excellent deep kick off in the third quarter. The second half was just as dominant with Chris Kasperan leading the offense; and the Bulldog defense Declan Manning, Vincent DeNunzio, Jaycub Decarlo, Johnny Amatucci, Edward Chmura, Kai Doyle, Angelo Pizza, and Nick Lora completing the Bulldog shutout. The Rutherford Junior Bulldogs (10-11 year olds) began the season with an incredible last minute win over the visiting Bridgewater Panthers.

The game turned into a defensive battle as both teams kept the opposing offenses off of the scoreboard.

The Bulldog offense led by quarterback Van Weber, Anthony Bonogura, Danny Francisco, Danny Carr, and Ryan Ward moved the ball well throughout the game but could not punch in the needed touchdown.

This was due in large part to the kicking game of the Panthers who continuously pinned the Bulldogs back in their own territory. The defense played solid in the shutout letting up only one first down during the entire game.

Linebackers Zach Herninko, Cole Goumas, Luke Cerruli, TJ Sing, and Van Weber were relentless as they filled holes. Cornerback Anthony Bonogura and Danny Francisco shut down the outside and the defensive line led by Danny Carr, Owen Fernandez, Christopher Lora, and Ryan Ward dominated in the trenches.

With a few minutes left and the game tied 0-0, the Bulldogs put together a solid drive moving the ball to the Panther 2 yard line.

The line of Luke Cerruli, Steve Pisciotta, Sal Fernandez, Arthur Costan, Alejandro Garcia, and Owen Fernandez opened up big holes. But again, the Bulldogs could not punch it in, as they were stopped at the goal line on fourth down. while John Fernandez, Robbie Cartwright and Anthony Doren stuffed the middle.

After a long completed pass by the Panthers, the Bulldogs stiffened and stopped the Panthers on downs.

The offense took the field and started blasting off tackle. Doren, Cerulli, Christian Montefusco and Jake Rangel took turns carrying the rock off tackle on both sides.

The offensive line of Evan Ward, Lugo, Justin Sarnowski, Fernandez, Christian Goumas, Cevallos and Erik Goumas continued to push when Doren broke for a 70 yard TD run. The PAT by Montefusco was good making it 8-0 Rutherford.

The Wallington Panthers responded with a TD of their own making it 8-7 Bulldogs. The Senior Bulldogs were stopped on the next series but the defense stepped up as cornerback Cevallos intercepted a pass giving the Bulldogs possession.

The Bulldogs blasted their way down the field again with Cerulli punching it into the end zone. Montefuscos' PAT was good again, leaving the Bulldogs with a 16-7 lead at the half.

The second half saw much of the same as the Senior Bulldogs kept blasting their way off tackle. Anthony Doren broke for another 70 yard TD run but Wallington came back with another deep pass.

With the score 22-14, the

The Walkathon will be held rain or shine. Registration starts at 9 a.m. and the Walk begins at 10 a.m. Registration is \$15 for adults and \$5 for children under 12 years of age. Participants who register prior to the event will receive a commemorative "T" shirt at registration.

Proceeds go directly to the cost of training tutors and tutoring children. Make checks payable to: Children's Dyslexia Center of NJ, indicating Hasbrouck Heights on the memo line. Send to Hasbrouck Heights Learning Center, 301 Division Ave., Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604 or call Ms. Sue Speidel at 201-288-1183. ### The defense which took the field with a minute to play forced a fumble. On the ensuing play, Anthony Bonogura swept around the right end and the Bulldogs took the lead in incredible fashion. The extra point pass from Van Weber to Dan Carr sealed the win at 7-0.

The Rutherford Bulldog Senior team (11-12 yr olds) blasted their way to a 30-14 victory over the Wallington Panthers. The Panthers won the toss and took the field on offense.

The Bulldog defensive unit saw Wallington try and run either side but Alex DiMaulo, Erik Goumas, Rich Lugo and JJ Herninko protected the edges Bulldogs started digging deep. A combination of the heat and physical game saw the "Dogs" come together in true teamwork fashion. Players including Connor Finan, James Earnst, Brendan Ahearn and Michael Ferrara all took turns rotating through multiple positions to finish the game strong. Cerulli, Doren, DiMaulo, Rangel, Herninko and Ward all rotated in the backfield as Doren found the end zone one more time from 20 yards out. Erik Goumas sealed the game on a Panthers fumble recovery.

For up to the minute Bulldogs info: www.leaguelineup. com/rjfbulldogs. *Story by Michael Paskas, RJF&C Trustee.* ###

## **Artful Thinking**

By Artie Maglionico • Lodi Historian

There was a full moon that night if I recall. If there wasn't there should have been because it was Halloween and since this is my story I'm sticking with a full moon...any objections? Okay then let's continue.

The year was 1959 and the streets up on the Lodi Hill... Lodi, New Jersey, that is...were filled with creatures of the night who were out in force going from house to house collecting their due bounty or else.

I, along with the kids from Westervelt Place, was among them. The Hill was so busy with ghouls and goblins that it was normal to have a dozen or more of them showing up at a doorstep at the same time vying for position doomed to repeating that exhausting phrase "trick or treat."

In those days even the shy-

est kid was bound to collect more than his or her share of goodies. There was everything from Clark Bars and Three Musketeers to jelly apples and those notorious tooth decay promoters known as "Candy Corn." Those sugar coated little kernels were a parent's worst nightmare and a dentist's best friend.

Now folks you have to take into consideration that a parent didn't have to examine each treat individually before allowing it to be consumed by their child. Jelly apples? Are you kidding? Not today my friend in fact if it doesn't come in a tightly sealed wrapper it is not finding its way into a kid's treat bag let alone past a mothers watchful eye.

Anyway...wait, what was I saying? Oh yeah trick or treating, under a full moon, with the kids from Westervelt Place.

Many of the costumes were homemade of course ... you know... hobos, rag dolls, clowns, witches and the occasional Frankenstein mask which a kid couldn't keep on for more than a few minutes at a time due to the lack of oxygen.

Our pal, Johnny Rannou, took the easy way out and donned the traditional ghost costume. It was simply a bed sheet with two holes cut out of it to see through.

Unfortunately, for Rannou, the costume was made out of his mom's brand new, yet unused, bed sheet.

The next thing we saw was a panic stricken Rannou darting out of his front door freeing himself from under the bed sheet as he ran down the steps. He didn't stop running until he was sure that his mom had given up the chase.

To go trick or treating without a costume was deeply frowned upon by the Keepers of Halloween lore and for the kid who fit that description it could mean only one thing... No Candy!

Now Johnny Rannou was first at many things but being the first kid in history without a costume on Halloween was one distinction he wanted no part of. I gave him an old cowboy hat of mine that was left over from my Hop Along Cassidy want to be days and a black mask with a long rod attached to the side of it so that you had to hold it over your eyes instead of actually wearing it.

I don't recall where that mask came from but it had to belong to somebody's aunt. Anyway, Rannou's costume dilemma was solved. He looked like The Lone Ranger at a masquerade ball.

Now I'm going to back. It was getting late...for a 9 or 10 year old 7 p.m. was pushing it but since this Halloween fell on a Friday we didn't have to worry about school the next day...Yes folks it was a Friday night and there was a full

by Columbus School. On the side of the street, across from the school, there was a ditch that the DPW had been working on all that week. It had barriers on each side upon which hung round kerosene lanterns that gave off enough light to ward off an oncoming vehicle or hob goblins like us.

Tired and feeling the effects of all that candy we decided to sit down on the curb near that dimly lit hole in the ground.

By the way for those of you who are interested in the exact location of that ditch it was in front of a white brick house with a long walkway that leads to the front door.

Anyway there we sat comparing our treats to see who got more Milky Way bars and if a tradeoff was the next order of business.

Suddenly in the heftiness of the night air we heard what sounded like a muffled groan coming from out of nowhere.

We looked at one another, shrugged our shoulders, then continued to rummage through our treat bags...stuffing ourselves in the process.

Moments later we heard it again only this time it was loud enough so that it caught our attention and caused us to gulp down the wad of candy that had just found its way into our mouths. It was a deep, agonizing sound that sent chills through our young bones and creased the night air in its passing.

Immediately, Halloween took on a different meaning, at least it did to us. A mud caked hand reached from out of that ditch and grabbed my cousin Anthony's foot. My frightened cousin jumped completely out of his shoe and fell backward onto the sidewalk. We turned to Anthony who was pointing frantically in the direction of the ditch.

There before our panic stricken eyes was none other than "Hank" struggling to climb out of the abyss, coated with dirt and with the look of death on his battered face.

his house whistling for his son to come home. Going home with only one shoe did not bode well for my cousin Anthony since it was a school shoe and a new one at that and still months away from a visit to Benny the shoe maker.

The next thing we knew the family car was backing out of the driveway and headed in our direction. It stopped at the corner as my cousin rolled down the window and told us to climb in the back seat.

We were headed back to that dreaded ditch where, as far as we knew, Horrible Hank was lying in wait. On the way we told my uncle about our frightening encounter and how it scared the shoe out of his son...or was it the other way around?

We got out of the car and hid behind my uncle as we approached the ditch. We were still shaky but with my 6'2, 220 pound uncle with shoulders as wide as a Cadillac Fleetwood running interference for us we had gained a new found sense of bravado. There, at the edge of the hole, slightly muddied but no worse for wear, was Anthony's shoe.

As my uncle bent down to pick it up we heard that horrific groan again. Armando turned, looked down into the ditch reached into it and pulled out none other than the gruesome one himself. By then we had all run back to the car which was parked in front of Columbus School.

We watched in total amazement as my Uncle Armando dusted Hank off, made sure that he wasn't hurt, then handed him what appeared to us to be money. He then sent Hank off on his way until he vanished into that moonlit Halloween Night.

It had turned out, according to my uncle, that poor Hank, after experiencing a "stupefied" "loss of equilibrium, had fallen into the very ditch he'd been digging and was knocked unconscious when he hit bottom. Maybe old Hank was unconscious before he fell in...who's to say? "It's a good thing you lost your shoe." Said my uncle to his son as we drove home. "They might have filled that ditch up with Hank still in it. They'd have buried him alive." Buried alive? A ghastly image to ponder in our young, sugar coated minds. Yet in the end it was my cousin Anthony's lone Buster Brown that gave this otherwise macabre Halloween story a happy ending. Happy Halloween from the kids from Westervelt Place Thank you Mary "Candy" Pe*trisin.* ###

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He looked at us and reached out his hand as if he wanted us to help him out of the hole. Did he want us to pull him out or did he want to pull us in? We didn't stick around to find out instead we grabbed our treat bags (hey, we were scared but not hysterical) and hightailed it out of there at a frenzied pace.

My cousin Anthony led the way minus a shoe which didn't slow him down at all in fact, he didn't realize it was missing until we made it safely back to the corner store.

We barely caught our collective breath when we saw Anthony's father, my uncle Armando, standing in front of



## **Ragamuffin Parades**

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#### **East Rutherford**

### Moonachie

On Sunday, October 30, 2016, from 6 to 8 p.m., the Annual East Rutherford Ragamuffin Party will be held at the Civic Center. Bring your camera. Refreshments will be served. ###

#### **Hasbrouck Heights**

On Saturday, October 29, 2016, at 1 p.m., the Annual Hasbrouck Heights Ragamuffin Parade will depart from the Public Safety Building on Hamilton Avenue and march along The Boulevard to the Senior Center at Central Avenue for a "boo-ti-ful good time." (In the event of rain, go directly to the Senior Center.)

Munchkin Mash Party with DJ and snacks. Event sponsored by Mayor's Celebration Committee. ###

#### Little Ferry

The VFW Auxiliary Post 809 is sponsoring their 56th Annual Ragamuffin Parade for all Little Ferry children through Grade 8 on Saturday, October 29, 2016, starting at 12:30 p.m.

The parade route is: VFW grounds to Pickens Street to Washington Avenue to Marshall Avenue to Main Street and returning to the VFW grounds.

Bring out your little monsters and have some Halloween fun.

At 3 p.m. there will be a Trunk and Treat at Mehrhof Park Soccer Field. ###

On Saturday, October 22, 2016, at 11 a.m., the Moonachie Ragamuffin Parade will be held, rain or shine, at the Robert L. Craig School Gymnasium. Refreshments and goody bags will be provided. Trick or Treat Bags will also be provided by Moonachie Municipal Alliance. Parents and residents are invited to dress in their

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costumes. Bring your camera.

The Annual Halloween Parade will be held on Saturday, October 29, 2016, at 10 a.m. The parade begins outside the Rutherford High School auditorium and ends at Lincoln Park.

Costume judging, prizes and treats will be distributed at Lincoln Park. In the event of rain, the parade will be held in the High School Auditorium. ###

#### Wood-Ridge

On Saturday, October 29, 2016, at 10:30 a.m., the Wood-Ridge Ragamuffin Parade will line up at The Boulevard and Sussex Road with the parade starting at 11 a.m. and proceeding to the Middle School. (In case of rain, go directly to the the Middle School.) Tickets are necessary and are available at the Civic Center. ###

On Sunday evening, October 30, 2016, there will be a Trunk 'n Treat at the Wood-Ridge Intermediate School. ###

### **Rag-A-Muffin** Halloween Parade

It's Halloween Fun for Everyone with the Annual Rag-A-Muffin Halloween Parade sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary and Post 809 in Little Ferry.

Young and old love this annual parade. All children, Kindergarten through Eighth Grade, are welcome. On Saturday, October 29, 2016, the lineup starts at 12 p.m. at the VFW Post Home at 100 Main Street, Little Ferry.

The parade will go from the Post to Pickens Street, Washington Avenue, Marshall Street and Main Street to the Post Home where prizes will be awarded and refreshments served. ###

### Ghost, Monster and Horror Stories on Local Community FM Radio

It's a Thriller on WSBP-LP (94.3 FM) Halloween, Monday, October 31, 2016, from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Have some fun and take a journey back in time to listen to the Old-time Ghost, Monster and Horror Radio Shows.

They are also planning to rebroadcast old-time radio shows for Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 24, 2016, and Christmas Day, Sunday, December 25, 2016 at the same time slot.

Due to their location in Wood-Ridge, it would be best to review their coverage area online at http://www.wsbp943. org ###

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### Pumpkin People in the Park

The Woman's Club of Rutherford will be hosting the Annual Pumpkin People in the Park event. Come and dress up a pumpkin person. Be creative and innovative!

They will be displayed in Lincoln Park, Rutherford, from October 15 through October 30, 2016. It's a great way to promote your business or just have some family fun.

Patch plots will be 8' x 10'. Prizes will be awarded for First, Second and Third Place. Entries are limited to a total of 30 on a first come, first served basis. The deadline for entry forms is September 15, and the cost is \$50 per entry. A pumpkin sign and a bale of hay will be provided. For an application or questions, contact: Donna at 201-939-8815 or 201-675-0978. ###

## **23rd Annual Boulevard** Window Painting Contest **Boulevard Stroll October 19**

Area residents can stroll The Boulevard in Hasbrouck Heights during late October 2016. Local businesses, in conjunction with the three grammar school PTAs, will sponsor the 23rd Annual Halloween Window Painting Contest.

On Wednesday, October 19, 2016 (rain date October 20), almost 400 3rd, 4th and 5th Grade students will paint a Halloween-themed illustration on a space provided by Boulevard businesses. Graphics will be judged upon originality and artistic expression.

Winners from each grade

will receive 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Ribbons. All the window painting participants receive ribbons.

Event is sponsored by: Bill O'Shea's Florist, in cooperation with the Hasbrouck Heights Chamber of Commerce, 2016 Home School Association (Corpus Christi), and Lincoln and Euclid PTAs. ###

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## Halloween Magic Show

On Friday, October 21, 2016, at 4 p.m., The Rutherford Public Library is excited to present magician, Joe Fischer and his Halloween Magic Show.

This program is for children ages 4 to 11 and their caregivers, and no registration is required. The Library thanks The Friends of The Library of Rutherford for their generous funding of this program. For more information, please call the Children's Department at 201-939-8600. ###

## Halloween Party Oct. 25

Calling all guys and ghouls for a fun, fabulous Halloween Party on Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at 4 p.m.! Trick or Treat at The Carlstadt Library, dress up, and stick around for Magician Brian Richard! All ages are welcome, no registration needed.

Call 201-438-8866 ext. 203 or visit carlstadt.bccls.org for more information.

The Carlstadt Public Library is located at 420 Hackensack Street, Carlstadt. ###

## Pumpkin Festival October 1

Care of the Corner will hold their Second Annual Pumpkin Festival on Saturday, October 1, 2016, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Terrace and Franklin Avenues in Hasbrouck Heights. Rain date is October 2.

Bring the kids for some fall fun with yummy harvest treats, cider to savor, etc. Wear your costume and bring your cameras. There will be a large array of small, medium and large pumpkins for purchase from local farmers.

For more information go to: www.careonthecorner.org ###

### Halloween Craft Event for Teens & Adults

The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights will sponsor a fun-filled afternoon for teens and adults to create a special Halloween-themed craft on October 19, 2016 from 3-4:30 p.m.

This craft activity will immediately follow the regularly scheduled "Crafts-to-Share" Club. The group will create witch pumpkins designed to cast a spell on Trick-or-Treaters.

You start with pumpkins, and with the help of a little glue, fancy paper, scissors and some imagination, one will come away with a perfect addition to add to one's Halloween decorations. Seating is limited. Register by calling 201-288-0488 or log on to http://hasbrouckheights.bccls.org and go to calendar. ###

## Pumpkin Pick

On October 15, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Little Ferry children up to Grade 4 can pick, paint and take home a pumpkin at the Memorial School basketball court.

### Halloween Party at 55 Kip Center

Students from Rutherford High School Interact Club will once again join 55 Kip Center's members for their annual Halloween Party on October 29, 2016. The fun begins at 10:15 a.m. with "Batty Bingo" followed by a ghoulish lunch at noon. At 1 p.m., the students will join for their very own monster mash with live entertainment. Wear your costume to win prizes for most creative, beautiful and scary. Cost is \$5 and is open to all members. For more info call Cathy 201-460-1600. ###

### Carlstadt Library Halloween Programs

Halloween Children's Events at Carlstadt Public Library, 420 Hackensack Street, Carlstadt, 201-438-8866 ext. 203:

• Shrunken Heads: On Tuesday, October 18, 2016, at 7 p.m., kids Grades Five and up will be be making some spooky apple shrunken heads.

• Spooky Magic Show: On Tuesday, October 25 at 4 p.m., don your costume and join a *(not too)* spooky magic show! Get your thrills and chills in costume, or come as you are. This event is for ages five and up, please. Seating is first come, first served, no registration required.

• Paint a Pumpkin: On Wednesday, October 26, 2016, at 3:30 p.m., there will be a very special Crafternoon session. They'll be getting messy painting pumpkins.

You bring the creativity, they provide the paint and pumpkins! Registration is required; children of all ages are welcome. Call 201-438-8866 ext. 203. ###

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In case of inclement weather, the event will be held at the First Aid Building at 195 Main Street.

Event is free for Little Ferry residents and includes a candy apple and goody bag. Rain or shine. Sponsored by the Mayor and Council. ###

### Aviation Museum

Aviation Hall of Fame Tuesday - Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. \$8 Adults • \$6 Seniors & Children Group Tours • Birthday Parties Available 400 Fred Wehran Drive, Teterboro 201-288-6344 • www.njahof.org R. L. Craig School Class of 2017 is sponsoring the third annual SpookTacular Tricky Tray on Friday, October 21, 2016, from 7 to 11 p.m., at the school gym, 20 West Park Street, Moonachie.

Admission is \$10 (adults only). Coffee, tea and light snacks and dessert will be provided. Additional refreshments and snacks will be available. You are welcome to bring your own food, but alcohol is not permitted.

For tickets, call Anty at 201-410-9636, Laurie at 201-926-6973 or Michelle at 201-896-0906. ###

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About 36 youngsters, from 5th to 8th Grade, participated in the Carlstadt Police Department's Third Annual Junior Police Academy held August 22 through August 26, 2016, from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

There was a full schedule of intense activities. On Monday, the cadets wearing their official "T" shirts, started with self defense training.

On Tuesday, after marching, there were team building activities. The NJ National Guard trained with the cadets. The highlight was when a National Guard helicopter landed on the school field and the pilots spoke with the youngsters.

Wednesday morning began with obstacle course and riot training at the school field.

After lunch, the Bergen County SWAT Team discussed their capabilities and showcased their specialized equipment.

On Thursday morning, they toured the Bergen County Jail. That afternoon, Carlstadt Police detectives demonstrated fingerprinting. There was a lecture and demonstration of the Bergen County Bomb Squad robot. Prosecutor's Office major crime unit was open for cadet inspection. Carlstadt Police demonstrated motorcycle skills on an obstacle course.

Friday was a tour of the "Teardrop Monument" in Bayonne. The Jr. Police Academy program concluded with a pizza party in the Fire Department meeting room. The presentation of certificates took place in the Court Room. ###







### members. This year's selections, chosen by Director, Joe Ascolese,

are "I Don't Care," "Bad Medicine," and "Smells Like Teen Spirit." This is Ascolese's 22nd

The Hasbrouck Heights

The 40 members, consist-

The marching band con-

year. The drill design and instructor is Michael Coppola. The color guard instructor is Candice Anastasi.

This year's Drum Major is Sydney Fontaivo. Captain of the Color Guard is Jade Remo.

All band members are Heights kids, although some attend the Academy. The marching band practices about four hours a week.

They used to go away to camp at a cost of \$200 per member. The cost of at home Band Camp is \$40 each for refreshments and lunch. The Hasbrouck Heights Music Parents Association organizes the food and refreshments. This is the 10th year the Band Camp has been held at HHHS. Lisa Ratkowski is president of the Music Parents Association.

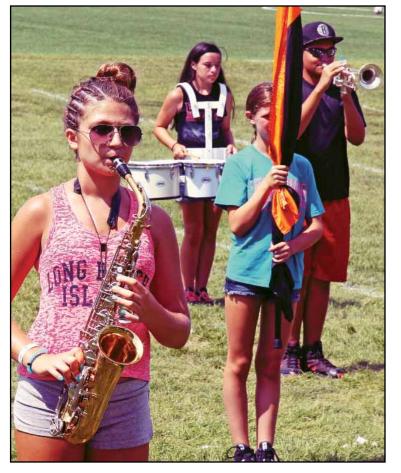
The marching band performs at all home and away football games and town parades.

The marching band's first performance this season was September 10, 2016. ###











































## **Rutherford** Hosts 41st **Annual Labor** Day Antique and Craft Fair

Over 35,000 people attended The Borough of Rutherford's 41st Annual Labor Day Street Fair on September 5, 2016, which ran from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

One of the most well attended street fairs in the state, visitors enjoyed over 250 vendors lining the streets, parks, and plazas featuring antiques, collectibles, and craft vendors from all over the East Coast.

There were many rides and amusements, a children's stage with a costumed character musical revue, magic show, balloon artists, and variety of street performers.

Live musical entertainment held at the Hutzel Memorial Band Shell in Rutherford's Lincoln Park starting at 10:15 a.m., running all day long. Included were Lise Avery Trio, Bill Turner and Blue Smoke Band, Neil Thomas (of White Tiger), Bobby Memphis (Elvis Tribute - the early years), Anthony Liguori (Elvis Tribute - later years) along with a puppet show by the Rutherford Bible Chapel.

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Political candidates for local and state elections were there to meet the public and answer questions.

For event information, contact Cliffhanger Productions at 201-460-8335 or email info@cliffhangerproductions. com ###

















### Wood-Ridge **Contemporary Club Outlines** Activities

Wood-Ridge Contemporary Club meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Senior Center.

At the October 13 meeting, Bergen County Surrogate Judge Michael Dressler will be the guest speaker. Judge Dressler was elected to his post first in 1997 and then again in 2001, 2006 and 2011.

Over the past 20 years he has made it his mission to bring knowledge about the important issues that his office deals with; such issues as probating of wills, appointing estate administrators, supervising the appointments of guardians and administrating adoptions.

The Contemporary Club will hold their Indoor Garage sale on Saturday, October 15 and on Monday, November 7 the Club will attend the Christmas Show at the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse. Story by Peter Gallo Jr. ###

## Moonachie **Seniors Going Places**

The following are the last trips scheduled by the Moonachie Senior Club this year.

• On Wednesday, October 12, the Club will be going to Doolan's at Spring Lake to celebrate the 'Octoberfest-Ach Der Lieber." The cost is \$52 pp. The bus leaves at 10 a.m.

 On Thursday, November 10 to the Brownstone in Paterson to see "Viva Las Vegas." The cost is \$50 per person. The bus leaves at 10:15 a.m.

• On Wednesday, December 14 to the elegant Hunterdon Hills Playhouse to see their delightful show called "Playhouse Christmas." The cost is \$65 .The bus leaves at 9:30 a.m.

Busses leave from the Moonachie Senior Center behind the First Aid Squad.

### **ER Seniors**

The East Rutherford Seniors will hold their meetings on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at the Vreeland Avenue Senior Center. Meetings are at 1 p.m. followed by coffee, dessert, fun Bingo and socializing.

Community senior bus service to Shop Rite and area malls is provided to all residents. Bus transportation provided to all meetings.

Call Carole 201-655-3149 for further information on all events.

You do not have to be a Club member or resident to attend monthly bus trips to Atlantic City or entertainment venues. Provided by Carole Cosentino. ###

## Lodi Senior **Club News**

The Lodi Senior Citizens Club meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, for members only. Lodi residents over the age of 55 are welcome. Membership is \$13 per year.

Every Thursday the Club opens 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. with non-members welcome. Programs include: Senior Exercise 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.; Line Dancing 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.; Bingo 12:45 p.m. to 2 p.m.

The Club has a pool table, a shuffle board, cards, art center, a Library, games, Chit-Chat and bocce (in season). Refreshments are served. For information, call during open hours at 973-472-6994. For bus, call Kim between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. The Lodi Senior Club 2016 events include:

 October 12: Peddler's Village, PA, Luncheon and Show

• December 9: Christmas Party, Venetian ###

## **AC Bus Trip** September 27

The Little Ferry Seniors

### Friendship Club

The Carlstadt Senior Friendship Club meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month. On the 3rd Wednesday a visiting nurse is available to take blood pressure readings of all Carlstadt residents, not only members of the Club.

Several trips are planned: September 27-28 to Sight & Sound in Lancaster, PA; October 31 Stony Hill; and November 10 Thayer Hotel at West Point and December 10 a New Year's celebration at the Brownstone. Call 201-933-6949

An invitation is extended to all Carlstadt residents to join the Club for good information and entertaining meetings. Bingo follows all meetings. Provided by Eleanor Costa. ###

### Wallington AARP Chapter #4115 Welcomes Members

AARP Chapter #4115 meets on the third Tuesday of the month at the Civic Center at 24 Union Boulevard in Wallington at 1:30 p.m. An informative meeting is held, followed by coffee and refreshments. after which Bingo is played. They are looking for current members to attend as well as new members from the surrounding towns to join. They look forward to greeting you. Story by Eleanor Costa. ###

### Bridgebuilders Wanted

Become a Kip Center Bridgebuilders Home Friend Volunteer and make a difference in the life of a homebound elderly or disabled person in your own community. You can help someone with shopping or transportation to a doctor's appointment. Volunteers serve in Carlstadt, East Rutherford, Rutherford, Hasbrouck Heights, Lyndhurst, North Arlington, Rutherford, Wood-Ridge and neighboring communities. For information, call Cathy 201-460-1600. ###





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are running a bus trip to Atlantic City, Resorts Casino on September 27, 2016. The bus departs 8 a.m. from the Senior Center, 95 Main Street, Little Ferry. The cost is \$25.00 which is returned to you from Resorts Casino. For details call Gloria Marino at 201-440-4815. ###

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## October 2016 Heights Senior Calendar

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### SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Monday, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Games, cards & coffee 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Senior Lounge open to all **Tuesday**, October 4, 11, 18, 25 10:00 a.m. Line Dancing \$1.00 2:00 p.m. Adv. Chair Yoga \$1.00 6:00 p.m. Card Game Night Wednesday, Octboer 19, 26 10:00 a.m. Games, cards & coffee 2:00 p.m. Senior Aerobics \$1.00 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Senior Lounge open to all Thursday, October 6, 13, 27 10:00 a.m. Games, cards & coffee 11:00 a.m. Mahjong 2:00 p.m. Senior Yoga \$1.00 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Senior Lounge open to all Thursday, October 20 Noon to 3 p.m. Halloween Party Friday, October 7, 21 12 p.m. Zumba Gold \$1.00 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Games, cards & coffee 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Senior Lounge open to all Friday, October 14, 28 10:00 a.m. Fun Bingo 12 p.m. Zumba Gold \$1 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Games, cards & coffee Check Center Bulletin Board for any changes **CLUB MEETING SCHEDULE** 

Wednesday, October 5 10:30 a.m. Executive Board Meeting Wednesday, October 12 12:30 p.m. Leisure Club Meeting



## Bingo Returns to Moonachie

There will be many smiling faces and winners as Bingo is again played at the Moonachie Senior Center on Moonachie Road, right behind the First Aid Squad building.

The games are played on the first Wednesday of the month between 12:30 and 3:30 p.m.

Due to the work of a widely recognized artist, Mr. K., Moonachie is considered by many people to have the most beautifully decorated senior center in Bergen County.

They have a variety of games to play that will please the most devoted Bingo players.

So enjoy an afternoon with your friends and neighbors and other compatible people at the Senior Center.

Moonachie is a small town with a big heart. If you are in it, playing Bingo, you can also win money in it. *Charles R. Pallas, President, Moonachie Senior Citizens Club.* ###

**Bingo** is held every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at the **Little Ferry Senior Center**, 95 Main Street, at 12:30 p.m. ###

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### Lodi AARP #2015 Program Schedule

The AARP Chapter #2015 of Lodi meets at noon the third Tuesday of every month at the Lodi Boys & Girls Club. Each meeting will have either a speaker or entertainment as well as light refreshments. New members are welcome. Dues are \$10 a year. For membership information contact Stan at 973-779-8544.

Upcoming events:

• October 18, 2016: Regular meeting with cash food drive. Entertainment by Pat Longo Band.

• November 9, 2016: Bus trip luncheon & show at Ehrhardts Waterfront Resort (*now known as Silver Birches*) in Hawley, PA. \$40 for members; \$45 for non-members.

• November 15, 2016: Regular meeting. Entertainment by the Bell Ringers from the Felician School for Exceptional Children. *Provided by Kathleen Zalenski.* ###

## Kip Center Autumn Trips

The Kip Center still has seats for these bus trips. Call Cathy for more details at 201-460-1600.

• Haunted Happenings in Salem, MA: October 14-16. Package includes 2 nights at area hotel, meals, motor coach transportation. Cost is \$425 double occupancy.

• Tony Orlando's Great American Christmas Show, Sands, PA: Monday, November 28. Cost is \$75 pp and includes bus transportation, casino bonus and show ticket. ###

### 55 Kip Center Through the Years Celebration

On Friday, October 7, 2016, from 7 to 11 p.m., The 55 Kip Center will hold a "Though the Years Celebration" at the Fiesta. The event will honor retiring Director Peggy Letsche.

Cost is \$75 pp for Kip members (\$100 non-members) and includes sit down dinner, open bar and entertainment. Dance the night away with The Cameos. Cocktail attire requested.

The Kip Center, Bergen County's only nationally accredited Senior Center of Excellence with a membership of over 700, has been under the guidance of Peggy Letsche for over 22 years. The Gala, which will serve as a fundraiser for 55 Kip Center, is an opportunity for the community to honor Peggy for her many years of undivided service to the community.

A special Souvenir Journal is also being planned for distribution as a remembrance of this occasion. Please help support the Kip Center by purchasing a 50/50 charity raffle ticket. Winner to be announced on October 7.

If you have any questions, please contact Maria Johnson at 201-424-8341 or email maria.johnson@55kipcenter.org. Tickets and Journal information are available by visiting http://www.55kipcenter.org/ home/fall-gala ###

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Every 15 minutes, two hayride trailers will take turns collecting riders at the Harrison Avenue end of the pavilion and go around to the back section of the park where they will be frightened by a variety of terrifying citizens of the night.

Youngsters should sign up for the earlier time slots as the

**Trunk or Treat October 30** 

The Hasbrouck Heights Jr. Woman's Club will host a Trunk or Treat, Sunday, October 30, 2016, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Hasbrouck Heights Swim Club parking lot. Rain or shine.

Come dressed in your costume. Activities for all ages to include silly string war, candy, and spooky tent. Light refreshments will be available.

Tickets are \$5 per child. To purchase tickets visit: www. hhjuniors.org or email: hhjuniors@gmail.com

Trunks needed. Decorate your trunk and have some fun handing out candy. Attendees vote for best decorated trunk for a prize. Entrance fee is \$10 per vehicle.

Proceeds to benefit Prevent Child Abuse - NJ and Scholarships for HH Seniors. ###

### **Fun Halloween Facts**

• Halloween is the second highest grossing commercial holiday after Christmas.

• According to Irish legend, Jack O'Lanterns are named after a stingy man named Jack, who, because he tricked the devil several times, was forbidden entrance into both heaven and hell. He was condemned to wander the Earth, waving his lantern to lead people away from their paths.

fright station tableaus will be less scary.

After the horrific experience ride, they can escape at the Roosevelt Avenue end of the pavilion — where they will be treated to cider and cookies.

The pavilion fireplace will be warm and glowing. Al DeAngelo and Pantophobia Haunted Attractions will assist in this event.

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Organizations are invited to "set-up" and operate a fright station. Call Rob Brady at 201-288-4143 for details.

The event is sponsored by the Hasbrouck Heights Recreation Department. Tickets are \$5. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. For tickets email hhrec@aol.com. For more information call 201-288-4143. ###

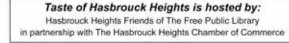
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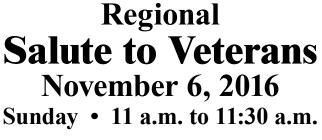
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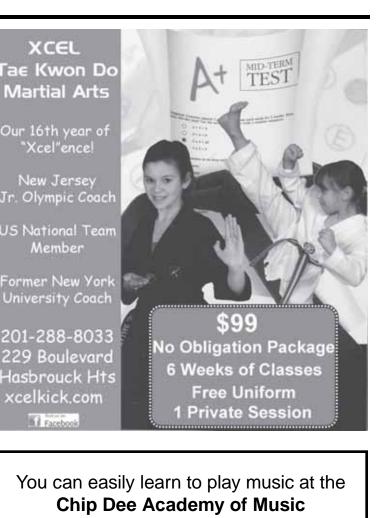


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• The first Jack O'Lanterns were actually made from turnips.

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## Public Safety Officials wish you a safe, fun Halloween! **Halloween Safety**

Halloween is a cherished automobile. tradition, but the excitement of the night can cause children to forget to be careful.

There is no real "trick" to making Halloween a real "treat" for the entire family.

The major dangers are not from witches or spirits but rather from falls and pedestrian/car crashes.

Both children and adults need to think about safety on this annual day of makebelieve.

The Wood-Ridge Fire Department passes along these safety suggestions for a safe Halloween.

#### **Parental Tips**

• Make sure that an adult or an older responsible youth will be supervising the outing.

• Do not use open flame candles in jack-o-lanterns. Commercially available battery lights are much safer and do not pose a fire hazard.

• Parents should never let their children carve a pumpkin unsupervised.

• Do not hand out homemade or unwrapped candies to children.

• Parents should plan a route for their child to use while trick-or-treating and set an early return time for them.

• To welcome trick-ortreaters, switch on your porch lights or any exterior lights.

#### **Trick or Treat Tips**

• Do not go inside anyone's house. Remain on the stoop or porch at all times.

• Do not go into a stranger's



• Walk, do not run, from house to house. Do not cross yards and lawns where unseen objects or the uneven terrain can present tripping hazards.

• Do not take shortcuts through backyards, alleys, or parks.

• When crossing the street look both ways. Do not cross between cars.

• Always use the sidewalk.

• Trick-or-treat on well-lit streets within your neighborhood.

• Children should always travel in a group.

• Use the buddy system, and make sure you have at least one buddy with you the entire evening.

• When you return home, have an adult examine and discard all candies that are not factory sealed or wrapped by the candy manufacturer. Never eat homemade or unwrapped treats.

• Children should carry spare change or cell phone in case of an emergency or if they need to call home.

#### **Costume Tips**

• Only purchase and use flame retardant costumes.

• Children should wear white, reflective clothing, or use reflective tape and carry either a flashlight or glow stick.

• Costumes should fit properly; avoid loose or baggy costumes.

• Costumes should not be so long that they are a tripping hazard. (Falls are the leading cause of injuries on Halloween.)

• If children are allowed out after dark, outfits should be made with light colored materials. Strips of retro-reflective tape should be used to make children visible.

• Avoid any type of open flame while wearing a costume. • Encourage children to nose openings are large enough to ensure adequate breathing and full range of vision.

• Materials made of 100% polyester or modacrylics are best for making homemade costumes. They are less flammable. 100% polyester and modacrylics may be purchased at most local fabric stores.

• **REMEMBER** – A flame-retardant costume does not mean that it is fire proof. Always keep your costume away from any type of open flame or other heat sources.

#### Accessories

• Knives, swords and other accessories should be made from cardboard or flexible materials. Do not allow children to carry sharp objects.

• Bags or sacks carried by youngsters should be lightcolored or trimmed with retroreflective tape if children are allowed out after dark.

• Carrying flashlights will help children see better and be seen more clearly.

#### Motorists

The Hasbrouck Heights Police Department Traffic Bureau urges motorists to be especially alert on Halloween.

• Watch for children darting out from between parked cars.

· Watch for children walking on roadways, medians and curbs.

• Enter and exit driveways and alleys carefully.

• At twilight and later in the evening, watch for children in dark clothing. ###

### HHFD Fund Drive

The Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department begins their annual fund drive by delivering their appeal letters to each household starting Sunday, September 25, 2016, and for up to 3 days afterwards. Please mail your donation by sending a check in the enclosed return envelope. Residents not receiving an appeal letter may send their contribution to HHFD, P. O. Box 492, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604. This is the Department's only fund drive. ###

### **Don't Wait: Check the Date** Fire Prevention Week October 9 - 15

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)y announced "Don't Wait: Check the Date! Replace Smoke Alarms Every 10 Years" as the official theme for this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign, October 9-15, 2016.

Hasbrouck Heights Fire Chief Pat Hayes said, "The focus on smoke alarm replacement comes as the result of a recent survey conducted by NFPA, which showed that only a small percentage of people know how old their smoke alarms are or how often they need to be replaced."

NFPA 72, National Fire Alarm Code<sup>®</sup>, requires smoke alarms be replaced at least every 10 years, but because the public is generally unaware of this requirement, many homes likely have smoke alarms past their expiration date, putting people at increased risk in the event of a home fire, accordoing to South Hackensack Fire Chief Chief Jerry D'Amico

Wood-Ridge Fire Chief Ronald Phillips Jr. said, "Smoke alarms play an essential role in home fire safety, but they have to be working properly in order to protect people."

Moonachie Fire Chief Justin Derevyanik noted that "This year's Fire Prevention Week campaign represents the final year of a three-year effort

### **Fire Engine Rides** Coming to W-R October 16

Join the Wood-Ridge Fire Department on Sunday, October 16, 2016, from 1-4 p.m. at the Wood-Ridge firehouse located at 85 Humboldt Street.

Children, ages 5-13, will be treated to donuts and apple cider, see a short film on fire prevention and then take a ride around town inside of an actual fire truck! The Bergen County Fire Prevention trailer will be on-site so that children can to better educate the public about the importance of smoke alarms, and what it takes to make sure they're in working order."

Lodi Fire Chief Mike Varrecchia stated that according to an NFPA report, in onefifth (20 percent) of all U.S. homes with smoke alarms, the smoke alarms aren't working; three out of five home fire deaths result from fires in properties without smoke alarms (38 percent) or with no working smoke alarms (21 percent).

Carlstadt Fire Chief Tony D'Amico said, "People tend to assume that simply having smoke alarms in their home ensures adequate protection from fires, but it takes regular testing and maintenance to ensure that that's the case." According to

Little Ferry Fire Chief Michael Mickendrow Jr. said, "Part of that effort is making sure you know how old the smoke alarms in your home are, and that they're replaced every 10 years."

East Rutherford Fire Chief Michael Felten noted that the age of a smoke alarm can be determined by looking for the date of manufacture on the back or side of the alarm, and to replace the units 10 years from that date.

Rutherford Fire Chief Kelcey Keeler concluded with, "To learn more about smoke alarms and Working Smoke Alarms Saves Lives," visit NFPA's website at www.firepreventionweek.org" ###

### **HHFD Open** House Oct. 23

The Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department will be holding an Open House on Sunday, October 23, 2016, from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. at Fire Headquarters, located at 248 Hamilton Avenue. This event is open to the public and will feature Fire Prevention demonstrations, sign-ups for the carbon monoxide/smoke detector program and fire equipment demonstrations. ###

wear face paint as opposed to a mask. Face paint should be non-toxic and meet FDA standards.

• If a mask is worn, make sure that the eye, mouth and

experience a "smoke-filled environment.

A parent or guardian will have to be present the day of the event to sign a permission slip for their child to participate.

Join your neighbors for a day of fun that your child will never forget! For more information call 201-531-0259. ###

### WRFD Inspection

The Wood-Ridge Fire Department will hold their Annual Inspection, 5:30 p.m., on Saturday, October 1, 2016.

The Department will be in full dress uniform. The equipment and Fire Headquarters will be presented for inspection. Department personnel will be available to answer any questions. The event is attended by local officials as well as Fire Chiefs from area towns. The public is invited to attend. ###

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There are some jobs that are beyond Chore's capacity. Chore cannot service emergencies, and does not do outdoor work, painting, work requiring high ladders, tiling, door or window replacements, heavy lifting, new wiring or appliance repairs, cosmetic repairs or interior decorating.

Chore serves Bergen County residents who are at least age sixty (60) or who are permanently disabled of any age. Chore operates three vans which are staffed by 45 volunteers. Crews, comprised of a driver and two to three volunteers, are on the road every business day year round.

Each year, Chore volunteers make approximately 2,000 home visits, complete over 5,000 repairs, and log in over 10,000 hours of service.

Chore volunteers are also needed. A Chore Handyperson volunteer goes on service calls one day a week from 9 am to 2 pm. Volunteers enjoy being part of a crew of one or two other volunteers plus a driver. Each crew is assigned 4 to 5 service calls each weekday.

Back-up volunteer handymen and women are also welcome.

Prospective volunteers should be able to perform minor household repairs such as those that able-bodied homeowners must do. Ideally, volunteers will be available on a regular basis so Chore can schedule a regular day with the same crew.

Chore provides service without charge; the only cost to the client is for parts necessary to complete the repair. To schedule a repair, or become a Chore Service volunteer, call 201-489-7790. For info: http:// bergenvolunteers.org/ ###





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## **Real Estate Insight**

By Mary Ellen Courtney

### Fall, the New Spring

I read someplace that, for the first time in recorded history, October has surpassed June as the most popular month to get married.

And it struck me: these autumn-loving brides may be on to something. Because, although the spring months are famously the best time to buy real estate (as well as have a wedding), fall is lately becoming the new ideal season to purchase a home.

Sure, spring is always busy for real estate sales because it leaves time for families to relocate in the summer, before school starts.

And, of course, many homes look their best amid green leaves and flowers. Summer's thought to be too hot for trudging from home to home, and winter days too short and cold.

Now, though, the fall real estate market is almost always a hot season.

That's not to say that homebuyers time their purchases according to the calendar; after all, buying a home is not like buying an air conditioner or season tickets to Yankee Stadium.

The home buying process is a journey, one that happens on your own time and only after you've done enough research, seen enough homes and have your financial house in order. But there are factors that a serious homebuyer should consider as they relate to this time of year. Here are a few....

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There's less competition: Many people still consider the fall to be off-season in real estate. Yet there are many homes still for sale - and often times there's just as much inventory as there was during the spring and summer.

Fall represents a time of new inventory and repositioned old inventory that didn't sell during the prime season. This puts buyers in a better position to negotiate.

Sellers are tired: Those who put their homes on the market earlier in the year may have been overconfident by listing them for more than buyers were willing to pay.

Now, perhaps, they're more ready to make a deal because, otherwise, it might mean them waiting 6 months for spring to roll around again.

There are tax break advantages (First-time homebuyers *take note!*): Though you can't avoid paying income tax, you can reduce what you owe when you become a homeowner.

This is because property tax and mortgage interest are both deductions you can take for your whole years' worth of income, even if you closed on your home in December. Any payments that are made prior to the closing of the loan are tax-deductible.

It might mean a serious difference in the amount you owe to Uncle Sam at the end

### Selling as is... Think Again... Home Staging Works!

The East Rutherford Memorial Library will be hosting "Spaces That Speak Home Staging" program presented by Lori Carbone on Monday,

of the year.

More attention on you: Spring and early summer are the traditional time for home buying and you can believe that we real estate agents are usually pretty busy then. As a result - in some instances - the consumer might not be able to enjoy our most complete and undivided focus.

Likewise, other service providers like mortgage lenders, title companies and movers may become swamped and unable to perform as quickly. In contrast, attention is greater and delays far less frequent with the advent of the fall season.

Those wonderful end-ofyear sales. They could mean important cost advantages for you on home improvement materials plus appliances and other consumer goods.

Interestingly, RealtyTrac, a real estate data firm analyzing more than 32 million sales of single-family homes and condos since 2000, found that buyers have gotten the best deal on a home purchase, on average, in October.

Of the 2.7 million sales made in October over the last 15 years, the average sales price was 2.6% below the average estimated full market value at the time of sale.

I don't know if this year's October is going to mean more of the same, but that's a pretty noteworthy statistic to keep in mind....

Mary Ellen Courtney is owner of Real Living Gateway Realtors, 201-288-0004. www. GatewayToHomes.com ###

### Keep This, Toss **That: Holiday Edition Nov. 2**

Get ready for a stress-free holiday season!

On November 2, 2016, at 7 p.m., join Jamie when she returns to The Carlstadt Library with another laugh-out-loud funny program on how to clear the clutter and store the stuff for a stress-free season and a fresh start to the New Year.

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### Blessing of the Animals October 1

St. John the Divine is going to have a Blessing of the Animals service at 5 p.m. on Saturday, October 1, 2016 in their Memorial Garden, 229 Terrace Avenue, Hasbrouck Heights. All pets are welcome. For more information call 201-288-0002. ###

### Corpus Christi Rosary Society

The Rosary Society opened the 2016-17 year with a "Welcome Back" social and business meeting.

Rev. Raymond Holmes continues his leadership role as Moderator, and President Jackie Mazza, Vice President Maria DeFedele, Treasurer Peggy Corcoran, and Secretary Patrice Wilson will remain in office.

The next General Meeting is Thursday, October 6, 2016 in the school cafeteria following the recitation of the Rosary at 7:15 p.m. and Mass in the Chapel. The agenda includes the induction of new members and a Brown Bag Auction (*bid on packaged items with minimum value of five dollars*) for the benefit of Birthright and Meals with a Mission.

Members have received a mailing with the calendar for the coming year. Important upcoming dates include the annual Corpus Christi School Eighth Grade Rosary and Tea on October 17, the Mass of Anointing on October 15 and the Mass of Remembrance on November 5 (both events hosted by the Rosary Society), collection of Christmas Stocking items for local children at the November 10 meeting, and the Christmas Celebration at Risotto House on Sunday afternoon, December 4.

The numbers continue to grow – they inducted five new members this past year. The commitment is not difficult, recite a decade of the Rosary daily, attend monthly meetings, pray the Rosary for deceased members, and participate in service projects whenever possible. Simply come to a General Meeting or call Membership Chairperson Maria DeFedele at 201-727-0820 for further information. Submitted by Carol Viceconte. ###

### Pre-Cana for Engaged Couples to be Held in W-R

Assumption Church in Wood-Ridge will be offering a full day Pre-Cana program on Sunday, October 23, 2016.

Engaged couples who participate will attend the 11 a.m. Mass where their engagement rings will be blessed. At the end of the Mass they will report to the Church basement where a light lunch will be served.

Throughout the remainder of the afternoon the couples will have an opportunity to discuss honestly with each other their strengths and weaknesses in family living, communication, finances, Christian sexuality, problem solving, the Sacrament of Matrimony and their role in the Church and society, all under the supervision of married couples.

The Pre-Cana program ends at approximately 6 p.m. All engaged couples who will be married within the next year should consider attending.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Marie at 201-288-0276. ###

## Francis and the Sultan October 15

Sister Kathy Warren of the Rochester, Minnesota Franciscans will describe the interreligious dialogue that Saint Francis of Assisi carried on with Sultan Malek-at-Kamil in 1219 as they tried to end the Fifth Crusade, when she presents Francis and the Sultan at a special conference to be held at Felician University in Lodi, NJ on Saturday, October 15, 2016.

Sister Kathy is a nationally known religious speaker and her lecture will include exploration of ways to build a different world where other people are not "threats" but truly our brothers and sisters.

The event will take place

### Felician Sisters Memorial Service November 6

The Felician Sisters of Lodi, New Jersey, will celebrate the lives of the Sisters who have completed their journey on this earth with a memorial service Sunday, November 6, 2016.

Prayers will also be said for all the faithful departed. The service begins at 1:30 p.m. in the Immaculate Conception Chapel at 260 South Main Street in Lodi.

Weather permitting, the conclusion of the prayer service will be a procession to the convent cemetery. Light refreshments follow.

Each year at our Memorial Service we remember all of the deceased of our religious communities, our families, our friends, those to whom we minister or with whom we minister.

In a special way we recall the lives of the Sisters and Felician Associates who died since the last Memorial Service.

Relatives, friends, colleagues, co-workers, students of the deceased Felician Sisters and all who know the Felician Sisters are invited to this ceremony which is an annual event held on the first Sunday of each November. Immaculate Conception Chapel is handicap accessible. For further information, call Sister Mary Virginia at 973-473-7447 ext 114. ###





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This event is sponsored by the Franciscan Federation of Region I. The general public is warmly welcomed to attend. If you are interested in securing a registration form, please call Sister Mary Virginia at 973-473-7447 ext 114 or e-mail her at sistervirginia@ feliciansisters.org ### *coffee & tea included* 117 Moonachie Road, Moonachie 201-641-4010 www.bazzarellirestaurant.com

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## Veterans Today By Thomas Marshall

The Vietnam Veterans of America will host a Red, White, and Blue Dance to benefit their scholarship fund. It will be held on November 19, from 7 to 11 p.m. at the VFW Post 809 at 100 Main Street, Little Ferry.

Donation is \$35.00 and includes a Buffet. For tickets call Colin at 201-410-3705 or Margaret at 201-460-8614. Thanks in advance for your support.

October has come. Wow, how fast a year can go. This is Halloween season. It's the time for monsters and ghosts and goblins to come out trick or treating.

Also time for some kid to egg houses and destroy personal property, but that's not this article. Horror movies on the TV, candy and all the fun stuff that comes with the spooky holiday, all a good time.

Witchcraft, black magic, curses, hexes, and evil are all brought to mind with the Halloween movies. Dracula and werewolves and demons all take to the big screen to scare the audience. As every movie fan knows Dracula is repulsed by garlic and the Cross. Werewolves can be killed by silver bullets.

Halloween is all complete nonsense but a lot of fun. This month I tell the tale of the silver bullet. Not a bullet for werewolves, but another kind.

During the Revolution, both the Americans and the British used spies. Not really news of course. Spies have been used and are still used to gain every advantage over an opponent in war and peace. It's a dangerous business. To get caught means death.

So spies used many methods to hide their secrets. Invisible ink, coded messages, hidden compartments have all been used to hide messages They advance up to Bear Mountain and take two small forts, Fort Montgomery and Fort Clinton. He sends out a messenger with a secret message for John Burgoyne.

As history shows, Clinton's move up to Bear Mountain and Kingston, New York was too little too late. The Americans in front of Burgoyne's army were not affected. After the Battle of Saratoga, Burgoyne was forced to surrender anyway, but what of the messenger Clinton sent out? What happened to him?

The book I read didn't give me his name. So I don't know if history records it anywhere or not but he hid his message from Clinton to Burgoyne in a small capsule. The capsule was round and the same size of a musket ball. It was silver and popped open to reveal the message inside.

To get a message to fit inside it was written on tissue paper. Tissue is thin and light and it has the ability to be compacted more than paper or parchment to fit such a small space as provided with a silver musket ball. Now all he had to do was get it to Burgoyne.

For some reason he waited two days before leaving to travel north to see Burgoyne.

On October 10, 1777, he goes north to New Windsor and is stopped by a group of men on guard duty. He told them he must get through. When they questioned him he said he was a friend and demanded to see General Clinton. They took him to General Clinton. Once in front of General Clinton he realized in horror that he was standing in the wrong camp.

How can this be? A trick, a curse, black magic, an evil spell or witchcraft might all explain what happened to him that day in a long gone October, but I'm going with old fashioned bad luck. General Clinton lost patience and told him to cough it up or we can tie you to a tree and cut it out. Again the concoction went down.

Again the ball came up, this time in two halves. The ball opened in his stomach and the message was now irretrievable. The message now gone, the silver bullet was enough proof. He was a spy.

The British sacked Kingstown and the spy was hung in a nearby apple tree. Yes, October is the month of crazy scary stories. Certainly tall tales are told. Is this a fake story? Did this happen? Could someone be that unlucky?

Go to Fort Ticonderoga when you get a chance. It's a long car ride from Northern New Jersey but should you want proof of the truth of this story stroll the Fort and check behind the doors. Behind one of them is a glass display case.

What's in it? The Silver Bullet of course. Take a look at it. It was the last meal of a spy that left him bobbing for apples. Happy Halloween. ###

### Chat and Chew Program for Women Vets and Those on Active Duty Starts Oct. 3

Depressed? Anxious? Trouble sleeping? Eating out of control? Confused about healthy eating?

Vets Chat and Chew is a program for women Veterans and active Military women to come together and learn about food, how it can make you feel, cook it, share the meal together and make some new friends.

Food information will be introduced that can help you start to feel better.

You will create and share meals together and learn food lifestyle changes from the techniques of a nutrition consultant.

You will learn how to cook meals from a professional chef. Healthy, simple and inexpensive recipes will be introduced.

## The Jerseymen at Gettysburg

#### Part 3 of 7 Cavalry

An infantry company, when formed, was to have one hundred men. Ten companies, lettered A to K (the letter J was not used), formed a regiment. Four to six regiments formed a brigade. Two to four brigades made up a division. Two or more divisions made up a corps.

At Gettysburg, The Army of the Potomac had seven infantry corps and one cavalry Corps. In the Union Army, Corps were designated by Roman Numerals.

The 1st Brigade, 1st Division, VI Corps, was known as the "FIRST NEW JERSEY BRIGADE."

The brigade was made up of the 1st New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, Lt. Col. William Henry Jr., Commanding. The 2nd NJ Vol. Inf., Lt. Col. Charles Wiebecke, Commanding. The 3rd NJ Vol. Inf., Col. Henry W. Brown, Commanding.

The 4th NJ Vol. Inf., Major Charles Ewing, Commanding, and the 15th NJ Vol. Inf., Col. William H. Penrose, Commanding. The brigade was led by Brig. Gen. A.T.A. Torbert.

The brigade was one of the best and most experienced in the Union Army. It was formed in 1861, trained and led by General Phillip Kearny. Kearny led the brigade until his death at the Battle of Chantilly, Virginia, in 1862. The men of the brigade so loved their fallen leader, they had a town named after him in Hudson County.

The VI Corps was a hardmarching outfit. From June, 28-30, they averaged 21 miles a day. At this time, 13 to 15 miles a day was the norm for most Union Corps.

On July 1, 1863, the brigade was at Manchester, Maryland. At 10 p.m. they were ordered to march to Gettysburg. They arrived at 4 p.m. on July 2. The brigade covered 35 miles in just 18 hours. Seven companies of the 4th NJ were assigned to guard the Artillery Reserve supply train. The other three acted as Provost guard of the brigade. The VI Corps was placed in Army Reserve and was not actively engaged during the battle. of eleven men wounded, one was mortal, from Confederate artillery fire. On July, 5, the VI Corps would lead the Army in the pursuit of the retreating Confederates.

Another well-traveled regiment was the 13th NJ Vol. Inf., of the XII Corps, under the command of Col. Ezra Carman.

During the battle, the 13th was transferred to various locations around the battlefield. They arrived about 4 p.m., on July 1, near Rock Creek and formed a line here to protect the right flank of the Army. At 9 a.m., the regiment was moved to Culp's Hill. In the afternoon, they again shifted their location to a hill near where their monument is now located. At around 6 p.m., the 13th was sent to support the III and V Corps on the Army's left wing. After the line had stabilized, they were ordered back to Culp's Hill. Arriving about 10 p.m., they found that their old position was now held by Confederate troops. At 4 a.m., the XII Corps attempted to take back their lost position.

The 13th supported attacks by the 2nd Massachusetts and 27th Indiana. This unsuccessful attack inspired the Confederates to launch a counterattack. This was directed against the left flank of the 13th.

It was during this attack that the regiment saw its heaviest casualties. One killed, one mortally wounded and one wounded, at that time.

At 6 p.m., the regiment was shifted right and, at 7:30 p.m., they were sent four miles east to support the cavalry. By the time they arrived, the cavalry battle was over. Here they spent the night.

After arriving back, the next morning, on Culp's Hill, they were sent on a reconnaissance to check the area around Culp's Hill. They confirmed that the Confederates had pulled back. In all, the 13th had marched about 23 miles during the battle. During the three days, they suffered a total of 21 casualties.

from the eyes of the enemy.

General John Burgoyne and his army are in New York State in the year 1777. They are trying to fight their way to Albany. They ran into stiff resistance and need help.

So he sent messengers to New York City to ask Sir Henry Clinton for help. Burgoyne wants Clinton to send a force north to put pressure on the American Army blocking his way. Sir Henry does move a force to do just that.

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You see what he didn't realize is that the British had General Henry Clinton and the Americans had General George Clinton. George Clinton and his men just lost Fort Montgomery and Fort Clinton (named after George, not Henry) and they were regrouping at New Windsor.

The unlucky British agent took the silver musket ball out of his pocket and promptly swallowed it. The sentry saw him do it. They poured some concoction down his throat to induce vomiting.

On the ground he puked up the musket ball but, ever faithful to his cause or more likely to his life, he scooped it up and swallowed it down again. All activities are designed to modify behavior and teach nutritional techniques that can be used for the rest of your life.

The program consists of six 2-hour weekly sessions, from October 3 to November 7, 2016, from 6 to 8 p.m., at VFW Post 2867, 340 Outwater Lane, Garfield. Limit 12-15 participants per group.

\$20 for travel and meal ingredients will be provided after each session. Call Anne at 201-592-1130, email vetschatandchew@gmail.com or go to www.vetschatandchew.com or facebook. ### The 4th NJ, at the height of the Confederate bombardment on July 3, were deployed along the Baltimore Pike, in the rear of the Union line, to stop and hold those men who felt it was not safe in the front lines.

These men were turned over to the Army Provost Marshal. The brigade had a total Provided by Civil War Enthusiast Jim Halloran. ###

### VFW Post 809 Seeks Auxiliary Members

Little Ferry VFW Post 809 Auxiliary is now accepting new members to join and help out with Post functions.

If you are interested please call 201-641-9759 or come down to Post 809, 100 Main Street, Little Ferry, NJ. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. ###



# **POW/MIA Recognition Service**

On September 11, 2016, following a service to commemorate the 15th Anniversary of 9-11, Little Ferry Post 806 Veterans of Foreign Wars, their Auxiliary, and the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 800, held a POW/MIA service.

The third Friday in September has been reserved by Congress for the Recognition of our POW's and those that are Missing in Action.

Here are excerpts of the program:

VFW Post Commander Joseph Wisneski stated: "We must not forget the sacrifices these comrades are still making and the suffering they are still enduring for us and our way of life.

They must remain alive in our minds and hearts until we know they have returned home to their loved ones or have been called to the bosom of Our Heavenly Father. We must continue to give moral support to their families who continue to suffer along with them. Join with me now as we all remember their sacrifice to our Glorious Republic.

them had no mercy at all.

World War II gives us many examples of the horror that life for a prisoner of war was and is today.

Germany took 95,500 of our men as prisoners during the War. Men were hoarded into overcrowded camps suffering food shortages and unsanitary conditions. There are many cases where men surrendered and were just executed.

Japan took 27,465 U.S. Army and Air Corps personnel as prisoners.

The Japanese viewed surrendering as dishonorable, because of this, the treatment these prisoners were given was horrible in every way. They were subjected to murder, beatings, forced labor, medical experimentation, starvation and poor medical treatment.

33% of them would die in captivity. Japan even went so far as to issue an order in March of 1943 that the Imperial Navy was not be allowed to take a prisoner at sea. and order them to tell the press they were receiving good treatment.

If they refused, they would be beaten. These beatings would sometimes lead to the prisoners' death. Like the Korean War, the Vietnam War would also lead to speculation as to whether we received all of our men back when the War ended.

The War in Afghanistan and Iraq brought new horror to anyone taken prisoner. Without reason or compassion they execute prisoners, civilian and military, and put the execution on the Internet for the entire world to see. They have hung our countrymen from bridges and have thrown their bodies into rivers. Their actions resemble more of the conduct of barbarians than honorable enemy combatants.

To be a prisoner is certainly something no one plans on being when they go overseas. Possibly the only thing worse is to go missing in action. Missing in action is the term applied to anyone that has disappeared while on military service. In the chaos of combat where thousands of men are fighting for their lives and the lives of their comrades, it is all too common to lose track of soldiers and not be sure of what happened to them when the fighting is over. Some no doubt, were blown to pieces by artillery shells or landmines, some captured by the enemy, others crash landed on the battlefield and in jungles. The canopy of a jungle can cover a downed plane in a week. With no confirmation of what happened to these servicemen, they get listed as missing in action.

The hardest part is that the military has no answer for the family when they ask what happened to my son, my husband my father? Who can tell me where my daughter's plane went down? Did my aunt survive the crash? Thousands of times over the years these questions have been asked. Their families are tortured by the unknown fate of their loved ones.

Over 400,000 Americans lost their lives in World War II. What most people forget is that 73,000 went missing in action. They remain unaccounted for to this day.

In Korea 53,000 lost their lives and another 7,500 remain missing from the War. from a long ago mission, in a war most people forgot.

Many times they have found the remains of one of our Countrymen and repatriated them back into the United States.

They close a mystery for their families and give America a chance to bury a serviceman with full Military Honors. The search continues and will never cease until each one of our service personnel has been accounted for. "

Auxiliary President Roseann Nemec then made the following presentations:

• George Latko and Maureen DeHaven, in honor of the sacrifice your father, Chester Latko, made for his country as a POW captured during the Battle of the Bulge in WWII, I present you with this POW/ MIA flag.

•Comrade Raymond Kooman in honor of the sacrifice you made as a POW captured during the Battle of the Bulge in WWII, I present you with this POW/MIA flag.

Since the birth of our Nation during the Revolutionary War we have always known the risks of war.

Men enlist and die in service fighting our enemies. There is no way around the fact that war means death. So too is the fact that many of our service men have been taken prisoner. To be a prisoner of war means that you are now at the mercy of our enemies. History has shown that most of In the Korean War it would be more of the same. Men that were captured were subjected to torture and executions. They suffered malnutrition and diseases. Unlike the past wars, when the Korean War ended in 1953, it was reported that 900 of our men were never given back to the United States.

In Vietnam like all the past wars, our POW's were subjected to torture, starvation, beatings and murder.

To hide all this from the U.S. press, they would dress prisoners up in clean clothes

In Vietnam 58,000 Americans gave their all by laying their lives down for our way of life and another 1,600 never returned, their where-a-bouts unknown but to God.

126 Men remain missing in action during the Cold War and 7 are missing in action from the wars in the Middle East.

Those that are missing are not considered dead. We have the hope and wish that they may all still be returned to us alive. Search teams have been sent to every country Americans have ever fought in.

These teams dig at crash sites and battlefields looking for a trace of the men missing Master of Ceremonies Thomas Marshall concluded the program, "To the thousands of Veteran POWs' that have survived captivity, we can never repay you for your suffering. We are forever grateful for your service. To our Missing Comrades still out there. Know now that we continue our search to account for each one of you. We will never stop our search, until we can welcome all of our Comrades Home." ###

## Their Memory is Still in Our Hearts

Many communities held 15th Anniversary services remembering September 11, 2001. Below are memorials from Carlstadt, East Rutherford, Hasbrouck Heights, Little Ferry, Moonachie, Rutherford, and Wood-Ridge. ###











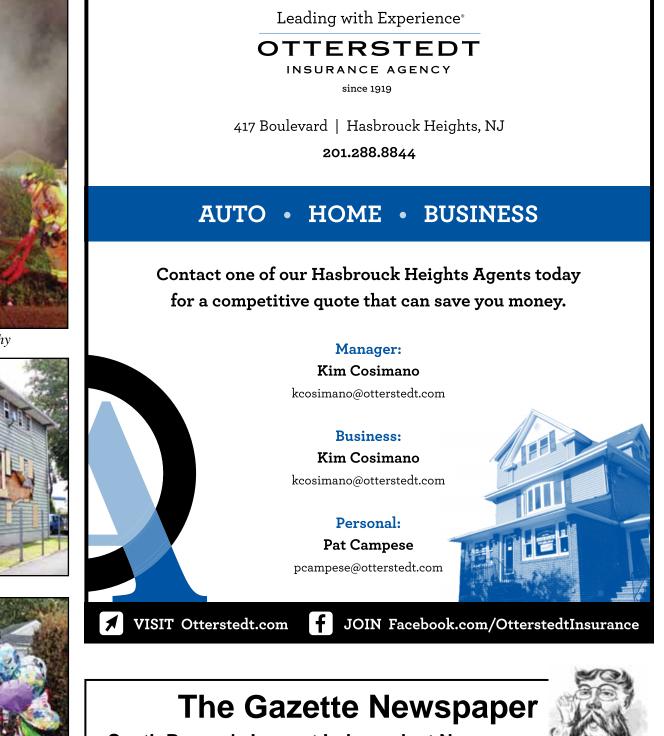


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## **Fatal Little Ferry Fire**

At about 11:30 p.m. on August 16, 2016, an explosion and fire that engulfed a three family home in Little Ferry, claiming the life of a 5-year old and her grandmother who were trapped. Victims had to be lowered or jumped to escape. At least seven residents were injured. Three Police Officers who went into the burning home were treated for injuries. No firefighters were injured.

Fire was under control around 2 a.m. Fire departments responding included: Carlstadt, Little Ferry, Moonachie, Hasbrouck Heights, Hackensack, South Hackensack, Ridgefield Park, River Edge, (FAST Team) Rutherford, Wood-Ridge. EMS responding included Little Ferry, Moonachie and Wood-Ridge.

Victim assistance: Gift cards only to Meadowlands Family Success Center, 100 Washington Ave. and monetary donations to Bergen County United Way Compassion Fund. (www.bergenunitedway.org) Organizations such as the Moonachie Fire Department, and the LF American Legion and SAL Post 310 are making donations. ### 201-939-7708

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## **LFFD** Inspection

The Little Ferry Fire Department held their annual inspection and memorial service on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at the Firemen's Memorial Park.

Led by their Honor Guard,

played. Sounding of the "Third Alarm Bell" concluded with a Departmental hand salute.

There was an inspection of personnel and equipment by the Mayor and Council and attending Mutual Aid Fire Chiefs.





Firefighters marched to Memorial Park. The program began with Pledge of Allegiance and National Anthem. The invocation was delivered by Hose Co. #1 Ladies Auxiliary President Donna Kral.

Fire Chief Michael Mickendrow Jr. welcomed Department members, guests, introduced the 2016 Fire Officers and recognized LFFD Life Members.

Wreaths were placed by the Ladies' Auxiliary, Sue Aitken and Donna Kral and Fire Chiefs Mike Mickendrow, John C. Schwedhelm and Bill Riedel.

Deputy Chief Schwedhelm read the "LFFD Honor Roll" of departed members. "Taps" was Mayor Mauro Raguseo delivered his personal remarks. Board of Fire Officers Sec-

retary Brian Busico gave the closing prayer and concluded the program with "God Bless America."

Chief Mickendrow thanked the members' families who make sacrifices which allow members to be firefighters.

The annual dinner was held later that evening. Service Awards were presented to: John D'Amico (5), Tina Cappadonna and Walter Hurrell (10) Frank Fuchs Jr. (15), Battalion Chief Bill Riedel and Robert Cordasco (20), Chief Mike Mickendrow Jr. (25), Gary Riccio and Brian Busico (40) years of active service. ###





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