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## SERVICE COMMEMORATES ANNIVERSARY OF SEPTEMBER 11

Clark Township continued its tradition of remembering the events of September 11, 2001 by holding a memorial service in honor of those who died in the terror attacks and those who bravely responded in the wake.

The 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony was held at James Nelson Memorial Park located at Grand Street and Broadway, at 9:15 am.

Mayor Sal Bonaccorso presided over the event joined by the members of the Town Council. Father Denis Surban of Saint Agnus Church in Clark shared an opening prayer and a benediction. Resident Jerry Scaturo shared his memories of his friend and neighbor James Nelson, a Port Authority Police Officer who perished trying to save others. Edward Ruth, also a Clark resident, reflected on his experience working at the World Trade Center.

Those in attendance found it important to keep the memory of the event fresh for the following generations and to pay tribute to the brave first responders.



(above) Father Denis Surban, giving the benediction at Clark's 9/11 service, is flanked by the Mayor and Town Council.

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(above) Jerry Scaturo at Clark's 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony.



(above) Edward Ruth, who spoke of his experiences was accompanied by this grandson Matthew Gubernat.

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## CLARK STUDENTS EXPRESS FEELINGS ABOUT SEPTEMBER 11TH FOR ANNIVERSARY

### FIFTH GRADERS CREATE POEMS IN HONOR OF 9/11

Students in Miss. Cemelli's fourth grade class at Valley Road School in Clark created acrostic poems about the heroes on September 11, 2001. In class, the students learned about what it means to be a hero and the heroic events that happened on 9/11. The students used what they learned to create stimulating sentences to describe what a hero is to them. These patriotic fourth graders show their enthusiasms and gratitude towards all of the heroes from 9/11. Miss. Cemelli states, "I was beyond impressed with some of the sentences the students came up with. I can tell they truly are inspired to become heroes in their everyday lives."



(above, l-r) Fourth graders Michael Karnaugh, Haley Knorowski, Jack Young, and Gabe Rizzuto proudly display their acrostic poems.

### WHO IS YOUR HERO?

Students in Ms. Grigoli's Class at Valley Road School in Clark discussed different types of heroes as a way to take part in commemorating 9/11. Students were asked, "What makes someone a hero?" As a class students and teacher brainstormed different types of everyday heroes. Some of the everyday heroes the students came up with were Mom, Dad, firefighters, doctors, police officers, and teachers. Students were asked, "Who is your hero?" Each student drew a picture of their hero.



(above, l-r) Students Dylan Mulroy, Jaden Figueroa, and Nathan Kurek hold up their picture creations depicting their heroes.

### FIFTH GRADERS CREATE POEMS IN HONOR OF 9/11

After learning about the events that took place on September 11th, 2001, students in Ms. Olivia Gerlitz's 5th grade class at Valley Road School in Clark created original poems. The fifth graders used their creativity to honor those that we lost that day and the heroes that so bravely severed our country. "Students truly used the poems to express their feelings. Their messages were heartfelt and moving," said Ms. Gerlitz. She has taken their poems and created a book to share with their families.



(above, l-r) In the picture above, Tyler Washington, Nick Duffala, Tara Starita and Tara Marie Viofara proudly display their illustrated poetry creations.

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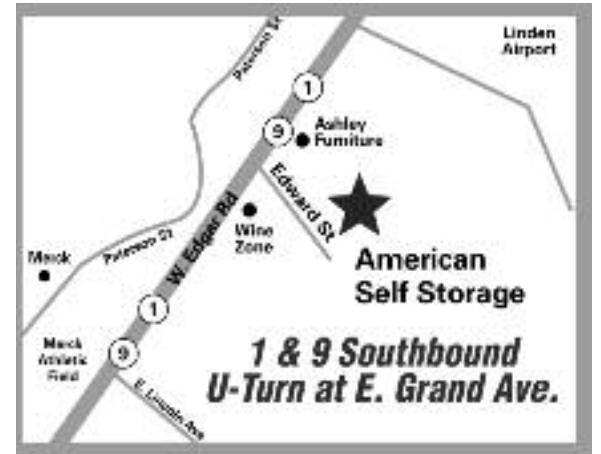
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# LOCAL SINGER MOVING UP ON THE CHARTS



It's never too late to live your dream as vocal artist Leah Kamiya of Roselle Park is discovering. Leah's recent release of "Because the Night" has been climbing steadily in the last month on the FMQB National AC chart. It entered the chart at #145 and, as of mid-August, it is now #25. FMQB airplay tracking is of great use to artists/labels because: It tracks commercial radio (as opposed to non-commercial/college radio.) It includes small to medium radio stations (an essential pulse of America's radio markets).

Leah takes this Bruce Springsteen/Patti Smith hit to a whole new creative level with her lilting, acoustic version of this well-known song. Raised on an inspiring dose of Pat Benatar,

Natalie Merchant, Madonna and Shakira, the Japan-born, Jersey-bred singer and performer discovered her calling early, at age 13 to be exact, when she set foot in a Tokyo studio to record tracks for TDK Electronics, where her grandfather was vice president at the time.

Arranged and produced by Joe Kurasz on the Ren Music record label, Leah's version of "Because the Night" was recorded at the New Jersey Center for Media Arts in Linden. Her video can be seen on [www.njcfma.com](http://www.njcfma.com).

Wanting to touch people through music, Leah has worked hard to develop her talents in multiple styles of dance and voice. Only recently has she been able to turn her dreams into reality with this recording and video.

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Scouting helps develop academic skills, self-confidence, ethics, leadership skills and citizenship skills. While various activities and youth groups teach basic skills and promote teamwork, Scouting goes beyond that and encourages a deeper appreciation for service to others in their community. Scouting promotes activities that lead to personal responsibility and

high self-esteem. As a result, when hard decisions have to be made, peer pressure can be resisted and the right choices can be made.

Some of Pack 145 activities include field trips, community service projects, camping adventures, arts & crafts, sports, skits, storytelling, hiking, archery and Pinewood Derby races to name just a few.

Cub Scouts is open to boys entering first through fifth grade. All boys are encouraged to bring a buddy. Please visit our web site at: [www.Cubpack145.info](http://www.Cubpack145.info)

## CUG SCOUTS HOST RECYCLING PROGRAM

Cub Scout Pack 145, in conjunction with Secure Shred Recycling Services, would like to offer the residents of Clark the opportunity to have their papers and computer hard drives recycled. This is a win-win situation for the Town of Clark. The town will receive credit for all items recycled and the residents will have their papers recycled/destroyed in a safe manner.

Date: Saturday, September 29th, 2012

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### 2013 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS HAVE ARRIVED

Boy Scout Troop #310 of Bishop Justin J McCarthy Council #5503, Knights of Columbus in Clark, Linden, and throughout Union County are currently selling the 2013 Entertainment Books to raise funds for much needed Troop Equipment and Boy Scouting Activities.

All New Jersey and NYC books are available for \$30 each. Out-of-state books are available by special order. Purchase books through any Troop member or by calling Martha at 732-827-2883 or Debra at 908-862-5469. Books are valid from the date of purchase through November/December 2013.

July 20th, 2012 was a rainy Friday in the middle of the summer. But a ray of sunshine came to Clark. His name is Kevin Cancino, a senior at Roselle Park High School.

In June, he approached Nancy Raymond the Clark Health Officer, with a plan to host a blood drive. Kevin offered to do everything from scheduling the event, staffing, setting up, and he would provide balloons, entertainment and refreshments. All he asked for was a room.

The blood supply typically falls short during summer months as people vacation and schools and colleges break. Never is there more a need than the summer for these same reasons. One pint of blood can service 3 people.

“Although the rain may have kept some people away, the event was still successful. I

was extremely impressed and proud of Kevin, his enthusiasm, the volunteers and Kevin’s dedication to helping save lives.” said Ms. Raymond.



(above, l-r) Davin Sota as the blood drop, Alison Cueto and Kevin Cancino organizer of the event.

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## ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE FOOD PANTRY DRIVE-BY FALL COLLECTION

The Clark Give and Share /Saint John The Apostle Food Pantry will be hosting a drive-by collection on Saturday, October 20, 2012 between 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon at the Clark Municipal Building, 430 Westfield Ave., Clark in the horseshoe driveway, rain or shine.

This will be our second drive by collection this year. The first collection in March was a huge success. The donation truck was filled to capacity.

Anyone interested in donating can simply drive to the front of the Municipal Building and our volunteers will unload your vehicle.

Items to be collected during this drive include non-perishable food items (no glass jars please), personal hygiene items for men and women (shampoo, deodorant, tooth paste, tooth brushes, disposable razors) and baby items (diapers of all sizes, baby powder, lotions). In addition, the drive will kick off our Holiday toy drive.

The Give and Share Program will also be launching a new collaboration with the Itmann Food Pantry in West Virginia.

Each year one of our volunteers and her family trek to the Itmann Center in Wyoming County West Virginia to assist with their pantry, painting, home repair etc. A special request for new or gently used boy's clothes has been made on behalf of the Itmann Center.

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## KUMPF STUDENT'S MEMOIR IS PUBLISHED



Gabriella Smith, a student at Carl H. Kumpf Middle School, was recently published in the MAAP Newsletter, a quarterly newsletter for families of more advanced individuals with Autism, Asperger Syndrome, and Pervasive Developmental Disorder (Volume 3, 2012). Gabby's memoir, "My Life with Asperger's" provided a candid glimpse into the life of a sixth grader growing up with Asperger's. The memoir assignment required students to reflect on six of the most important experiences in their lives. In addition to developing their narrative writing skills, students illustrated the books and shared them with the class.

Ms. Christine Casale and Ms. Megan Consiglio, Gabby's writing teachers, noted that she worked very hard on this assignment. Ms. Casale stated, "It was really important to her to educate others about Asperger's Syndrome. Her story touched so many of our students that we knew it would benefit others in the community as well."

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Companies and families have donated prizes including a 40" television, tickets to family attractions, theatre tickets, numerous gift cards, designer bags and accessories and much more. There will be door prizes, special raffles and a 50/50 drawing. Admission is \$12 per person. Tickets will be sold on a first-come first-serve basis. Guests are asked to order admission tickets in advance.

Tables of 12 people can be reserved in advance with payment only. Advance "Cash Savers" ticket packages are available.

Troop 145 will be collecting food for the local food pantry at the event. Bring at least two cans of food and be entered into a special drawing to win a fabulous prize.

Guests are welcome to bring their own food and non-alcoholic beverages. No children are allowed; only adults ages 18 and older will be admitted.

Doors open at 5 p.m. First ticket will be called at approximately 7 p.m. For more information and to order tickets e-mail Patty at troop145momsclub@yahoo.com or download a ticket form from troop145momsclub.com.

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# ARTHUR L. JOHNSON RANKED AS #40 HIGH SCHOOL IN STATE IN SEPTEMBER 2012 ISSUE OF NEW JERSEY MONTHLY MAGAZINE

Arthur L. Johnson High School in Clark has received the ranking of #40 among 328 of New Jersey Public Schools for 2012, according to the September issue of New Jersey Monthly Magazine, which ranks the state's public school high schools every other year.

This 2012 ranking reflects a dramatic improvement over the school's previous rankings, which were #95 in 2008 and #101 in 2010. The 2012 ranking thus underscores a movement of 61 positions up the chart by the Clark School District high school. The current ranking of the 328 public schools in the State of New Jersey is available online, and hit the newsstands with the publication of the September 2012 issue of New Jersey Monthly Magazine on August 28th. In addition to its impressive ranking as the #40 high school in the state, Arthur L. Johnson High School was cited as the top performing high school among all high schools in the District Factor Grouping of "F" schools based on municipal wealth, and in the Top 15 most improved high schools over the past two years.

Data for the New Jersey Monthly ranking of the state's high schools were obtained from the state Department of Education's most recent New Jersey School Report Card. According to New Jersey Monthly Magazine, Leflein Associates, an independent research company in Ringwood, analyzed the data and compiled the independent rankings.

Criteria used in ranking New Jersey's High Schools included standardized rank scores for average combined SAT scores, percentage of students attaining advanced proficiency on the High School Proficiency Assessment, students scoring a 3 or higher on Advanced Placement Tests as a percentage of all juniors and seniors, and graduation rates, among others.

Clark School District Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Knops stated that he was pleased with the enhanced status of Arthur L. Johnson in New Jersey Monthly Magazine's 2012 ratings. "I was pleased to see that criteria used in the past that was more focused on school spending was eliminated, and a greater emphasis was placed on student outcomes and



(above) Arthur L. Johnson High School Class of 2012 Valedictorian Loretta Vill and Salutatorian David Roglieri with their parents.

performance. Spending greater sums of money is not an indicator of student success and educational achievement. Rather, setting higher district standards, providing greater rigor, developing creative and innovative programming resources, hiring outstanding teachers, and supporting the professional growth of all staff are areas I believe will enhance the quality of education. It's a delight to see Arthur L. Johnson listed prominently in the Top 15% of high schools in the state, it's an honor richly deserved by our students, staff, parents, administration, and Board of Education."



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There's no better way to introduce your kids to new, healthy foods than teaching them to cook. Involving your kids in menu planning, food shopping, preparation, and cleanup can help them shape healthy eating habits that will last a lifetime.

**Getting started:** Before going food shopping, ask your kids about their likes and dislikes. They'll appreciate being asked and will likely take a more active role in helping you shop. Make a list and menu plan for the week ahead. When the topic of "treats" comes up, just let them know that these are "once-in-a-while" foods and will be enjoyed on special occasions. Teach them that healthy foods can be fun and delicious too.

**Getting kids in the kitchen:** Give kids simple tasks like stirring, measuring ingredients or even setting the table. Look for kid friendly recipes that involve minimal/easy preparation so you can really involve them in the process—plus it won't leave your kitchen in disarray. Here are a few ideas to get you started:

**Italian Grilled Cheese**

- 1 ShopRite whole-grain sandwich thin
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Over the kitchen sink, have kids squeeze out any remaining liquid in spinach. Set aside on a paper towel. Separate the sandwich thin and have kids layer with cheese, spinach and tomatoes. Place the sandwich on a griddle and have them press it down with a spatula until cheese is melted, being careful not to touch the hot pan.

**Mini Taco Bites**

- 1/4 lb ShopRite 100% ground turkey breast - cooked with reduced sodium taco seasoning
  - 4 ShopRite corn tortillas cut into mini circles with cookie cutter, about the size of cupcake liner
  - 1/4 cup low-fat cheddar cheese
- Taco toppings: lettuce, tomatoes, salsa, avocado  
Place corn tortilla circles into the muffin tin so that they go up the sides of the pan slightly. Fill with 2 tbsp cooked turkey taco meat. Top with shredded cheese. Place in the oven at 350°F until cheese is melted and tortillas are crisp about 15 minutes. Have kids top with their favorite taco toppings. Enjoy!



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**FRESHMAN EXCITED FOR P.E. SPEEDBALL TOURNAMENT**

Students in Laura Bundy's 7th period class at ALJ in Clark are very eager to begin their speedball tournament against their classmates. Speedball is a quick, fast paced sport that combines many aspects of other sports. The goal of the game is to throw or kick the ball into a goal. It is played with two teams of five, each with one goalkeeper on a basketball court or football/soccer field. Miss Bundy's Speedball tournament begins in all her classes on Thursday September 13th.



(above, l-r) Andrew Calo and Tino Ciaramella.

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**Nutrition and Wellness for Older Adults**

Friday, September 28 at 1:00 p.m.

Join Lauren Purdy, R.D. from ShopRite of Clark and Norman Zong, Registered Pharmacist for a seminar discussing nutrition and wellness specific to the older adult population. Learn about the foods you can incorporate into your diet to better your health. Be sure to come with questions and you will leave with answers!

**Get Up and Go!**

Friday, October 12 at 10:00 a.m.

Movement program for children ages 2.5 - 5 years old.

**Lego Club**

Friday, October 12 at 3:15 p.m.

We provide the Legos; you provide the creativity for children in grades 1 - 5. No registration for this program.

**Penguin Pointers**

Sunday, October 14 at 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.

Watch a penguin waddle around the library! Learn about the care, feeding and conservation of these creatures.

**Halloween Story and Craft**

Wednesday, October 17 at 3:30 p.m.

For children in grades K - 5.

**Family Storytime**

Saturday, October 20 at 10:00 a.m.

Interactive storytime for children ages 2 through 5. No registration is required for this program.

**Sperry Observatory - All About Telescopes**

Saturday, October 20 at 2:00 and 3:00 p.m.

Learn all about what to look for in a telescope for the Amateur Astronomers at Sperry Observatory.

**Virginia Apelian Book Talk and Signing**

Sunday, October 21 at 2:00 p.m.

Former Clark Councilwoman Virginia Apelian will discuss her book, "Musa Dagh Girl: Daughter of Armenian Genocide Survivors." Copies of Ms. Apelian's book will be available for purchase.

Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted. Visit our online calendar at [www.clarklibrary.org](http://www.clarklibrary.org) or call 732 388 5999 for more information.



(above) Children at the Clark Public Library enjoy an interactive retelling of the classic folktale Stone Soup.

**LIBRARY PASS TO THE INTREPID MUSEUM**

The Friends of the Clark Public Library are pleased to announce the acquisition of a Library Membership Pass to the Intrepid Museum in New York City. The pass will admit up to 6 people per day. Discover history, heroism and experience hands-on fun. Learn about life on board an aircraft carrier and the heroism of all who served aboard her. The aircraft carrier USS Intrepid served tours of duty through World War II and Vietnam, making seven trips around the globe and surviving five kamikaze attacks and one torpedo strike. Please note that admission to the Shuttle Pavilion is not included with pass.

The pass will be available only to resident adult Clark Public Library cardholders in good standing and will be checked out for four days on a first come, first served basis. Diane Smith, President of the Friends of the Clark Public Library would like to thank Kim Alongi, Secretary of the Friends for securing the pass for the museum. Smith states "It is the hard work and dedication of our volunteers that make these programs possible."

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# UNICO FEAST - COLUMBUS DAY WEEKEND



(above) Members of the Clark UNICO Chapter celebrated Italiano Day at the Somerset Patriots Ballpark held on September 9th.

Clark UNICO Chapter President Ralph Bernardo wants to remind everyone that the 6th Annual UNICO Italian American Feast is just around the corner. This year's feast will take place Columbus Day Weekend – October 5-6-7th on the Clark Municipal Building grounds at 430 Westfield Avenue. The feast will be open Friday night from 6:00-11:00 pm, Saturday from 1:00-11:00pm, and Sunday from 1:00-10:00 pm.

The annual feast is Clark UNICO's largest fundraiser. "At the end of last year we gave back in excess of \$25,000 to the township of Clark in donations" Bernardo said.

The feast will bring back all of your favorites including rides, games, raffles, nightly entertainment, beer, wine and of course a huge selection of food including all your favorites such as sausage and peppers, zeppoles, funnel cake, seafood, barbecue, pizza, funnel cake, pastries, pastas, ice cream and lots more.

UNICO is one of the last remaining Service organizations in the area. That is what makes UNICO unique in that we are proud of our Italian heritage and live our motto of "Service above self" For more information about the feast, club or membership call 908-337-7773.

## CLARK RECREATION FALL/WINTER SEASON-2012

Fall is here and Clark Recreation has introduced all of the new and returning fall and winter programs.

"We have something for everyone," explains Ralph Bernardo, Recreation Director for Clark. "We have brought in some new classes such as Comic Book Creation, Young Entrepreneurs, Sophisticated Ladies, Little Bakers, Creative Art and the Secrets of Magic. We will continue with our regular exercise classes made up of Zumba, Yoga, Aerobics, Tai Chi, Kickboxing, Pilates,

Body Conditioning and a new class - Meditation.

All sports will return including Golf, Indoor Soccer, Middle School Tennis, Karate, Skate Boarding, Roller Hockey, Basketball, and Wrestling." Registration is ongoing. Stop in the rec center for flyers regarding the fall programs.

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On Thursday, August 16, 2012, members of the Arthur L. Johnson High School Crusader Football Team participated in a visit to the First Children's School, located in Fanwood, NJ.

The First Children's School in Fanwood is a stepping off point for children who need highly specialized educational services for some period of time in their lives. First Children's services extend into the home districts of students with special needs where they are invited to work with faculty and administration to assure that children with special needs get cutting-edge services in their home schools. The dedicated staffs, including teachers, aides, and therapists, are prepared to deliver their services in the schools and homes of the children they serve. First Children partners with districts and other providers like Children's Specialized Hospital and Eden Autism Services to make sure that the children receive the very best services possible.

Members of the Crusader Football Team went into various classrooms and participated in a multitude of activities relating to the school's curriculum. In addition, in honor of the Summer Olympics, the First Children's School organized a "Closing Ceremony" where Crusader Athletes and children from the First Children's School participated in a walk around the campus while



representing a wide variety of different countries.

Michael Mancino, Head Football Coach, had this to say about the event. "The football program was thrilled to be able to assist with the daily routines and to participate in the Olympic Ceremonies held at the First Children's School. It was fun watching the High School Student Athletes as they interacted with the children, and I think both groups not only enjoyed the experience, but learned a lot while doing it."

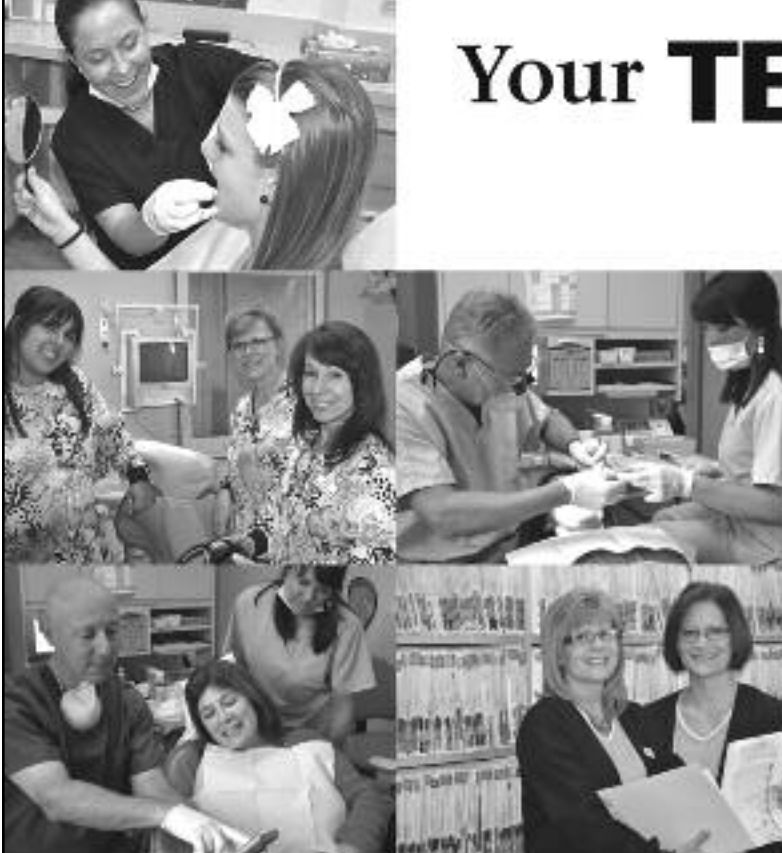
The Arthur L. Johnson High School Crusader Football Team would like to thank everyone associated with the First Children's School for welcoming us and allowing us to be a part of a fabulous day.

## FASHION PREDICTIONS FOR FALL AND WINTER

In celebration of Fashion Week in New York City, Ms. Golinowski's Sixth Period Fashion Marketing Class at Arthur L. Johnson High School created collages to represent what they believe will be the fall/winter trends for 2012. The students predict we will be seeing clothing, shoes, and accessories with animal prints along with brightly colored leather garments.



(above, l-r) Rose Caffrey, Anya Szewczuk, Rachel Dias, and Nicole Nugent.



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Clark Nursing & Rehabilitation Center located at 1213 Westfield Avenue in Clark held a Grandparents' Celebration on September 12, 2012. Over 120 visitors and residents attended this family-centered BBQ event. They had caricatures, face painting, live music, food and popcorn. Fun was had by all.

Information about Clark Nursing & Rehabilitation Center can be found on-line at [www.clarkrehab.com](http://www.clarkrehab.com). They can be reached by phone at 732-396-7100.

(right. l-r) Mickey and nurse manager Mariza.



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## COMMODORE BARRY DAY

First grade students in Miss Price's class at Frank K. Hehny Elementary School in Clark celebrated Commodore Barry Day on Thursday, September 13th. They learned about the Father of the Navy, compared what the Commodore wore to current uniforms, and listened to the Navy theme song. The first graders finished up their celebration by creating Navy hats like Commodore Barry.



(above) Miss Price's 1st graders Emily Darcy, Noelia Gomez, Jessica Kaczmarek, Vincent Gioffre, and Evan Cusick.

## STUDENTS INTRODUCED TO NEW SMART TECHNOLOGY IN MATHEMATICS CLASSROOMS

Students in Cristina Faro's seventh grade mathematics classes at Carl H. Kumpf Middle School have the opportunity to use SMART Response technology as a part of the new Progressive Math Initiative (PMI) curriculum being used in all mathematics classrooms this year. Each student is assigned a SMART Responder, which is used to answer questions electronically throughout the lesson to evaluate student progress on various topics and units. During the first week of school, students practiced using the responders to answer multiple choice, true or false, and numerical answer questions. The students were very excited at the opportunity the new program.



(above, l-r) Taylor O'Connor, Ryan Palmer and Robert Prussack, learn how to operate the new SMART Response system through a tutorial.

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- Criminal Justice Day at the Morris County Jail with First Responder Demonstrations

The overall goal of the partnering between Team Eagle Foundation and Patriots' Path Council, BSA was to provide learning opportunities and programs at "no cost" to all youth and young adults that were candidly nominated and accepted. These nominations focused on well-rounded individuals that excelled in school, sports, music, and

(especially) in their communities.

Support for this program has come from various sources, but the NJ County Sheriff's Association, NJ Elks (especially the Madison & Boonton Lodges), and the Madison Rotary were vital to the development and implementation of LEDR – both as financial and curriculum partners.

Attendee connected to Clark was – Arthur L Johnson Freshman Andrew Kamichoff, Eagle Scout of Troop 310 in Clark and a member of the Patriots' Path Council Youth Executive Committee, Boy Scouts of America. Nominated by Dennis Kohl, Patriots' Path Council Scout Executive and Elsie Hemmings, Development Director of Connecticut Yankee Council and Advisor of the YEC, PPC.

Patriot's Path Council, Boy Scout of America's core objective is to build strong personal values, family values and character in young people by providing program activities that teach, support and encourage such values

Team Eagle Foundation Inc. is a non-profit foundation established to recognize the need for the "strategic mentoring" of older youth and young adults by providing them with training in "applicable experience and leadership for the real world"

For more information on the 2013 LEDR program or to learn how you can help out please contact John Kennedy or Dennis Kohl by email at [tef.ledr1@gmail.com](mailto:tef.ledr1@gmail.com) or by phone at 973-520-8035.

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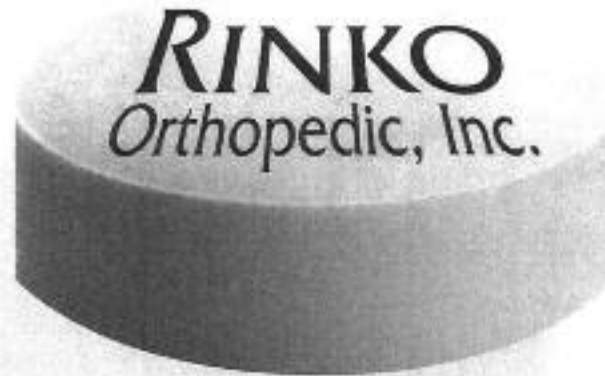
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