Published by Renna Media

Issue 73 • October 2017

THINKING OF SELLING?



CALL JERRY & LISA SCATURO

SELLING HOMES FAST & FOR TOP DOLLAR



GIRL SCOUTS CREATE "LEARNING GARDEN" FOR SCHOOL

Cadette Girl Scouts Lauren England, Madison Pardo and Gabriella Scipioni, lead by Girl Scout Leader Alicia Scipioni, wanted to take action to help end hunger and to help educate children about making healthy eating choices. They ultimately decided to create a sustainable garden for the Valley Road Elementary School which would also help them earn their Silver Award. The Silver Award is the second highest award of the Girl Scouts of the USA, and the highest award that a Girl Scout Cadette can earn. Only Cadette Scouts ages 11–14 or in grades 6-8 can earn the Silver Award. The girl scouts wanted to give back to their community and create a garden for their former elementary school. The Scouts named the garden "The VRS Learning Garden." It is their goal for the garden to become a STEM project for students and a source of food that can be donated to local food pantries.

To accomplish their project, the Girl Scouts reached out to Mrs. Pinto (formerly Miss Fisher), a second grade teacher who was also excited about the idea and became their advisor during the planning and creating of the project. Mrs. Pinto will use the garden with her second graders as a cross-curriculum project that will encourage not only good nutrition, but also give them a hands on approach to learning. The students can

predict, observe and collect data as they work with the garden. They can also donate the foods they grow to local food pantries, as a way of paying it forward.

The garden was created in a large 25 foot U-shape within the school's courtyard so students can easily assemble around it to harvest and plant crops. At completion of their project, the Cadettes were excited to present Mrs. Pinto with picture books she can use in her classroom to further enhance her students' learning. Many people lent a handing in helping the girls receive their award. Mr. Fisher, who is a farmer, was very resourceful. He helped the Cadettes enrich the soil, decide which seeds to plant first and helped set-up a self-watering system.

The Girl Scout Cadettes would like to thank parent volunteers Valentino Scipioni and Mark England for teaching the girls carpentry skills so they could build the garden from scratch using railroad ties and make signs. They would also like to thank principal, Joseph Beltramba and the Clark Board of Education for all of their support throughout the project. Lastly, the girls would like to thank Bartell Farm and Garden Supply of Clark and Home Depot of Colonia for all of their donations.

PRSRT STD U.S. POSTAGE PAID PHILA PA 191 PERMIT NO.7575

ECRWSS



(above l-r) Mrs. Pinto, Gabriella Scipioni, Madison Pardo, Lauren England and VRS Principal, Joseph Beltramba.

POSTAL PATRON CLARK, NJ 07066



In a hurry, text your order to: 732-993-4422

f Like us on facebook@koukoucoffeeNJ

Instagram@koukoucoffee

Lyelp Yelp@koukoucoffee

Family owned business Brother and Sister Georgia and Angelo Koukoumis

HELP KOUKOU COFFEE FIGHT CANCER DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.

With every purchase of Coffee or Tea we will be donating a portion of the proceeds. Help us hit our 10,000 cup goal for a worthy cause!

1065 Raritan Rd., Clark, NJ 07066 • 732-499-9000

Clark Monthly

Clark Monthly is published by Renna Media. 6,500 newspapers are printed monthly and mailed to every business and resident in Clark.

Although great care has been taken to ensure the information contained within is accurate, Renna Media assumes no liability for errors or omissions.

©2017 Contents of this newspaper cannot be reproduced without written consent from Renna Media LLC.

Clark Chamber of Commerce c/o Gateway Regional Chamber of Commerce P.O. Box 300 • Elizabeth, NJ 07207-0300 Vice President of Operations Bidisa Rai bidisarai@gatewaychamber.com 908-352-0900

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Emergency	911
Non-Emergency Police	732-388-3434
Non-Emergency Fire	732-388-3434
Non-Emergency First Aid	732-388-0001
Mayor's Office	732-388-3600
Board of Education	732-574-9600
Board of Health	732-428-8405
Public Works	732-428-8402
Recreation	732-428-8400
Senior Services	732-382-7134
Recycling	732-388-3600
Tax Collector	
Construction Official	732-428-8401
Building Inspector	732-428-8401
Township Clerk	732-388-3669
Municipal Court	732-381-5395
Historical Society	732 340-1571

RennaMedia.com

The website features a calendar of events, archives of Clark Monthly Newspaper, photo albums, and advertisments.

Advertise in this newspaper **6,500** papers are printed monthly and mailed to every and business in Clark. Reserve space in the next issue. Call Tina today at 908-418-5586

or email info@rennamedia.com

CLARK MONTHLY • Page 2 • October 2017

MRS. CONNER'S FRESH BATCH OF SMART COOKIES

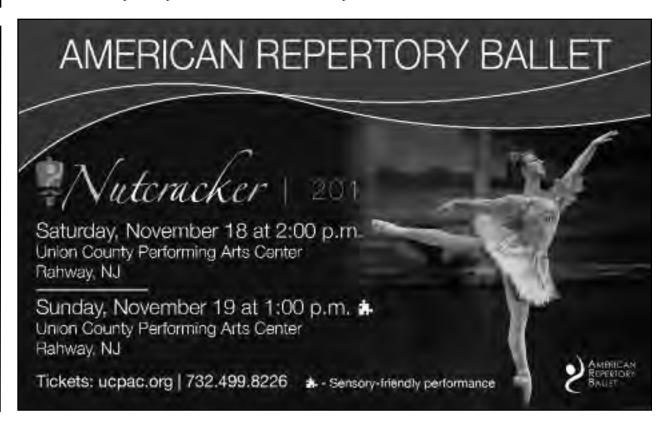
Mrs. Nina Conner's fourth grade students at among their many goals. Frank K. Hehnly Elementary School in Clark began the school year with creating new goals. After brainstorming their full year growth objectives, students were prompted to write how they would achieve this goal at home and at school. Students identified, "becoming a better reader," "a master of multiplication," and "winning the MVP Physical Education Award"

The students' goals are displayed on a bulletin board outside their classroom. Mrs. Conner will refer to the bulletin board in the upcoming months and remind her students, "Perseverance and hard work will be required if they want to achieve their goals.

Much harder work than baking a perfect sheet of cookies!"



(above) Mrs. Conner and her fourth grade language arts students posing in front of their "Fresh New Batch of Cookies" themed bulletin board.





Thinking of Buying or **Selling Your Home?** Make the right choice

This is the sign that sells Clark! **FREE Home Evaluation, Call Now!** Don't wait. The market is red hot!

IN I HOME



107 SWEET BRIAR DR \$599,900

OUTSTANDING CUSTOM COLONIAL IN THE DESIRABLE TOWN OF CLARK FEATURING 4 BEDROOMS & 2.5 BATHS. UPDATED KITCHEN WITH AN ABUNDANCE OF WHITE OAK CABINETS, GRANITE COUNTERS, STAINLESS STEEL APPLIANCES & A CENTER ISLAND. THE OPEN FLOOR PLAN LEADS TO A BANQUET SIZED FORMAL DINING ROOM & THE ADDITION IS A 4 SEASON SUNROOM WITH A CATHEDRAL CEILING, SKYLIGHTS & A GAS FIREPLACE. UPDATES INCLUDE NEWER BATHROOMS, NEWER FURNACE, CENTRAL AIR, SIDING, ROOF & WINDOWS, BEST OF ALL THE BACKYARD IS A PARADISE WHICH INCLUDES A 20X40 HEATED INGROUND POOL, A POND, A PERGOLA, AN OUTDOOR BBQ, VINYL FENCE & LANDSCAPING THAT WILL TAKE YOUR BREATH AWAY! THERE IS ALSO AN OVERSIZED 2 CAR GARAGE & SO MUCH MORE!



74 JAMES AVE \$379,000

ABSOLUTELY CHARMING CAPE SITUATED ON THE CRANFORD BORDER IN THE DESIRABLE TOWN OF CLARK! THE LIVING ROOM HAS AN INVITING BAY WINDOW & NEW BELLA HARDWOOD FLOORING THROUGH OUT. THE KITCHEN HAS AN ABUNDANCE OF CHERRY CABINETS & A SEPARATE DINING AREA. THE WONDERFUL 3 SEASON ROOM OFF THE KITCHEN LEADS TO A LARGE DECK & A GENEROUS BACKYARD! DONT FORGET TO CHECK OUT THE KOI POND! THE OVERSIZED GARAGE IS ANOTHER OUTSTANDING FEATURE OF THIS OUTSTANDING PROPERTY BEST OF ALL LOW TAXES! SITUATED CLOSE TO SCHOOLS, TRANSPORTATION & CLARK COMMONS...THIS IS A MUST SEE HOME!



67 BROOKSIDE TERR \$799,9002 WORDS BEST DESCRIBE THIS CUSTOM HOME...AMAZING & HUGE! 5
BEDROOMS, 3.5 BATHS, GOURMET KITCHEN WITH AN ABUNDANCE OF CABINETS, BREAKFAST BAR, GRANITE COUNTERS & A MARBLE FLOOR BANQUET SIZED DINING RM, FAMILY ROOM, GLEAMING HARDWOOD FLOORS, HIGH CEILINGS, RECESSED LIGHTING, THE 1ST FLOOR MASTER BEDROOM & MASTER BATH IS PERFECT FOR ANY MOTHER/DAUGHTER ACCOMODATION, WALK-IN CLOSETS GALORE TOOL THE SLIDERS LEAD TO A DELLIKE PAVER & CONCRETE DECK & AN ENORMOUS BACKYARD...(104X187) THE PAVER DRIVEWAY IS BEAUTIFUL TOO! THIS CUSTOM HOME WAS COMPLETELY REBUILT IN 2000 & THERE ARE SIMPLY TOO MANY AMENITIES TO LIST!



(732) 381-1190

30 BRANT AVENUE CLARK, NJ 07066



42 ROSS ST \$359,000 WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO LIVE IN THE DESIRABLE TOWN OF CLARK AT AN AFFORDABLE PRICE! IMMACULATE & SPACIOUS BEST DESCRIBES THIS BEAUTIFUL 3/4 BEDROOM, 1.5 BATH COLONIAL, UPGRADES INCLUDE NEWER KITCHEN WITH GRANITE COUNTERS & STAINLESS STEEL APPLIANCES, FORMAL DINING ROOM, NEW MAIN BATHROOM WITH STUNNING TILEWORK, GLEAMING HARDWOOD FLOORS, NEWER WINDOWS & SO MUCH MORE! THE LIVING ROOM IS HUGE, THE FIRST FLOOR FAMILY ROOM COULD ALSO BE A 4TH BEDROOM & THE HIGH & DRY BASEMENT IS ALMOST FINISHED! GENEROUS BACKYARD TOO...THIS IS A MUST SEE HOME



640 MADISON HILL RD \$550,000

LOOK NO FURTHER! LOVELY HOME SITUATED ON A HUGE 347' DEEP LOT WITH A HUGE OVERSIZED 2/CAR GARAGE WITH LARGE UPPER FINISHED LOFT, REAR PARKING FOR MANY CARS OR TRUCKS (GREAT PROPERTY FOR LANDSCAPER, OR OWNER WHO NEEDS ROOM FOR BOATS OR TRUCKS) PROPERTY IS PROFESSIONALLY LANDSCAPED & YARD ALSO OFFERS TWO SHEDS, TREX DECK AND GREAT FOR ENTERTAINING & BBQ'S! THIS CUSTOM CAPE HAS BEEN EXPANDED AND FEATURES 3 BEDROOMS WITH A OPTIONAL 4TH BEDROOM, 2 FULL UPDATED BATHS, SPACIOUS LIVINGROOM, FORMAL DINING ROOM, MODERN KITCHEN FEATURES GRANITE COUNTERS & SEPARATE BREAKFAST ROOM, FINISHED BASEMENT WITH RECROOM AND OFFICE MUST SEE TO APPRECIATE OWNER WANTS OFFERS!

Call Today!



AMAZING CENTER HALL COLONIAL SITUATED IN A TOP LOCATION CALLED THE HILLCREST SECTION IN THE DESIRABLE TOWN OF CLARK. THIS IMMACULATE HOME OFFERS 5 BEDROOMS & 3.5 BATHS AND IS SITUATED ON A HUGE LOT! (100X150) FROM THE MINUTE YOU ENTER THE SPACIOUS FOYER YOU WILL BE CHARMED BY THE UPGRADES & IMPROVEMENTS & ATTENTION TO DETAIL THROUGHOUT... THE NEWER KITCHEN OFFERS BEAUTIFUL CABINETRY GRANITE COUNTERS, STAINLESS STEEL APPL & A CENTER ISLAND! THE FAMILY RM HAS A COZY GAS FIREPLACE & THE LARGE FINISHED BASEMENT IS HIGH & DRY AND HAS A WET BAR. ABUNDANT CLOSETS & STORAGE GALORELLIPGRADES INCLUDE A NEW BOOF & GUTTERS. REFINISHED. HARDWOOD FLOORS & A NEW MASTER BATHROOM THAT IS PERFECTION! THERE ARE TOO MANY AMENITIES TO LIST...THIS IS A MUST SEE HOME!



53 LEFFERTS LANE \$549,900

ONE FLOOR LIVING AT IT'S BEST! BEAUTIFUL & SPACIOUS BEST DESCRIBES THIS COMPLETELY UPDATED WELL BUILT BRICK RANCH SITUATED ON A LOVELY STREET IN THE DESIRABLE TOWN OF CLARK! 3 BEDROOMS, 2.5 BATHS, THE SPACIOUS LIVING RM HAS A COZY WOODBURNING FIREPLACE & A GLEAMING HARDWOOD FLOOR, LOVELY FORMAL DINING RM, THE NEW KITCHEN WILL AMAZE YOU WITH THE ABUNDANCE OF KRAFTMAID CABINETS, GRANITE COUNTERS, CENTER ISLAND, BUILT IN BUFFET & KITCHENAID ARCHITECT SERIES APPLIANCES.THE UPDATED BATHROOMS ARE PERFECTION. THE BASEMENT IS ALMOST FINISHED & INCLUDES THE BAR & POOL TABLE. FNCI OSFD REAR PORCH AFFORDS A VIEW OF THE FREE FORM SALT WATER INGROUND POOL. 2 CAR GARAGE, WITH ATTIC STORAGE, NEWER ROOF & CENTRAL AIR. THIS AMAZING HOME HAS TOO MANY AMENITIES TO LIST!



4 HALL DR \$649,000 LOOKS CAN BE DECEIVING! THIS CUSTOM HOME WAS EXPANDED & RENOVATED IN 2012 IT OFFERS A DESIRABLE OPEN FLOOR PLAN FROM THE SITTING RM. LIVING RM. KITCHEN, DINING RM & FAMILY RM. THE KITCHEN HAS BEAUTIFUL CABINETRY, QUARTZ COUNTERTOPS & SS APPLIANCES PLUS A CENTER ISLAND. 5 BEDROOMS, 3 FULL BATHS & THE FIRST FLOOR HAS A MASTER BEDROOM & EXQUISITE MASTER BATH WHICH COULD EASILY ACCOMODATE A MOTHER/DAUGHTER SITUATION. THE SITTING ROOM HAS A COZY WOODBURNING FIREPLACE. BEST OF ALL THE PROPERTY IS HUGE & HAS A NEWER SALT WATER INGROUND POOL & LARGE DECK. THIS IS A MUST SEE HOME!

www.alltownerealty.com

CLARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PROMOTING A HEALTHIER GENERATION

The Clark Public School District has made strides this year in supporting healthy eating habits and continues to acknowledge the growing number of students with serious food allergies in the community. This past school year, both Frank K. Hehnly and Valley Road Schools worked together towards a healthier, safer school environment.

Students' birthdays are now recognized with non-food celebrations and may include parents coming into classrooms to read a story or participate in an activity. In addition, the PTAs continue to sponsor three celebrations a year where snacks are selected from a list of foods which not only follow the State's nutritional guidelines for sugar content and other unhealthy ingredients but are also free of the top allergens affecting school-aged children. This list was most recently updated after a meeting in May with parents, teachers, administrators, and school nurses and is monitored regularly.

To further support these efforts, these schools have joined the Alliance for a Healthier Generation and have action plans in place to make their school communities even healthier. The goal is for them to become one of the 35,000 schools recognized nationwide as a Gold, Silver, or Bronze National Healthy Schools Recipient.

The Clark Schools look forward to a healthy, productive year ahead and will continue to work towards their goal of receiving a National Healthy School Award.







(908) 202-1702 CELL (908) 301-2046 DIRECT LINE (973) 387- 4457 EFAX (908) 233-5555 EXT: 117 OFFICE elizabeth.bataille@coldwellbankermoves.com





VILLAGE INSURANCE AGENCY

95 Westfield Avenue • Clark, NJ • 732-396-4466

www.Village-Insurance.com

Auto • Home • Business

We are agents for 20 major companies including Progressive, Travelers, AIG, and CNA.



Call us for a FREE estimate before you renew your insurance.

Save up to 40% by bundling auto and home insurance.

To help you prepare for life's challenges, Village Insurance offers a wide range of services and products for individuals, families and businesses who are seeking financial protection and peace of mind.

We do business the old fashioned way, through personal relationships. 90% of our business comes from satisfied clients' referrals.

Aldo Tripicchio

Serving the Clark community since 1979

MURSELI PRO CONSTRUCTION

STEPS

908-361-6372

Family Owned & **Operated For** 15 Years

ROOFING

MASONRY

- All Work Guaranteed
- 24/7 Emergency Service
- 20% Senior Discount
- Major Credit Cards
- NJ Lic. 13VH08570100









Carbon Monoxide is invisible. odorless. MONOXIDE and can kill you!

MASONRY

SIDING



DRIVEWAYS

FOUNDATIONS

- STEPS
- BRICK & **BLOCK**
- SIDEWALKS
- REPAIR

ROOFING

CHIMNEYS



- RE-ROOF
- NEW ROOF
- ROOF REPAIRS
- SHINGLES
- FLAT ROOF

CHIMNEY



- CLEANING
- RE-LINE REPAIRS
- REBUILD
- CAPPING

GUTTERS

- CLEANING
- INSTALLATION
- SCREENING
- REPAIRS
- REPLACEMENTS

Special! CHIMNEY LINER Why Should I Use A **Chimney Lining System?**

- Protect your house from heat transfer combustibles
- Protect the masonry from the corrosive by products of combustion
- Provide a correctly sized flue for optimum efficiency of appliance



Fire Safety





Long Term Easy & Effective Preservation Cleaning

ESTIMATES

Summer Special

COMPLETE SET OF STEPS

Up to 6 Feet, 5 Steps / Brick, Limestone & Concrete

With coupon. Cannot be combined With any other offer. Expires 10/6/2017

or FREE GUTTERS **ANY COMPLETE ROOF**

With coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/6/17.

GUTTERS CLEANING (Any Average House) With coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer.

Expires 10/6/17.

ANY ROOF REPAIR

of \$500 or more With coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/6/17. **ANY CHIMNEY REPAIR**

of \$800 or more

With coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/6/17.

CLARK MONTHLY • Page 6 • October 2017





ANNUAL SENIOR BBQ

Over 300 Clark seniors recently enjoyed the annual senior complimentary BBQ at the Deutcher Club in Clark. In addition to the BBQ food and beer, a DJ was on hand to entertain the seniors and many danced to the music. Mayor Sal Bonaccorso made a brief speech introducing staff from his administration including Councilmen, Bill Smith, Angel Albanese, Al Barr and Frank Mazzarella, Recreation Director Ralph Bernardo and Police Chief Pedro Matos were also in attendance. A great time was had by all, marking the 17th anniversary of this event.











JOHNSON ICE HOCKEY TRICKY TRAY

Tickets on Sale Now \$15 in advance - \$20 at the door.Price includes one sheet of tickets.

Friday, October 13, 2017 **ALJ High School**

365 Westfield Ave. Clark, NJ 07066 5:30 Doors Open

7:30 Drawings Start

Tables of 12 can be reserved.

Ticket Saver Packets available at door.

Credit Card Purchases available for your convenience.

Make all checks payable to JOHNSON ICE HOCKEY

Call, Text or Email Michelle Gesior for Tickets

(908) 377-0565 or mgesior1@aol.com





24/7 EMERGENCY SERVICE



- Re-Roofing
- New Roofs
- Roof Repairs
- Shingles
- Flat Roofs



- Cleaning
- Installation
- Screening
- Repairs
- Replacement

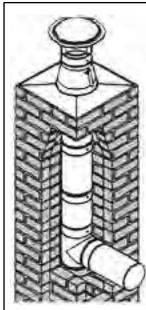


- Driveways
- Steps
- Repair
- Brick & Blocks
- Sidewalks



- Cleaning
- Rebuild
- Repairs
- Capping

11



FULL INSURED LIC# 13VH09057400

CHIMNEY LINING SYSTEM

Benefits:

- Protect your house from heat and corrosion
- Improve the performance
- of your furnace
- Easy and effective cleaning

15% OFF SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT

MAGIC IMPROVEMENT 800-206-8529

With this coupon. Coupon may not be combined with any other offer.

\$125 OFF ANY CHIMNEY REPAIR

MAGIC IMPROVEMENT 800-206-8529

With this coupon. Coupon may not be combined with any other offer.

\$300 OFF ANY JOB \$2,000 OR MORE

MAGIC IMPROVEMENT 800-206-8529

With this coupon. Coupon may not be combined with any other offer.

\$250 OFF ANY ROOF REPAIR \$800 OFF ANY NEW ROOF JOB

MAGIC IMPROVEMENT 800-206-8529

With this coupon. Coupon may not be combined with any other offer.

CLARK RECREATION HOLDS FIRST PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT

Clark Recreation recently held its first ever Pickleball tournament with both singles and doubles teams competing. The tournament was created and managed by Clark Recreation's instructor John Silvestri. John donates his time and talents to the residents of Clark, introducing and teaching the great and upcoming sport of Pickleball.

(right) Doubles Champions: 1st Place Gold Medals: Barbara Tyburczy & Walter Scott (center), 2nd Place Silver Medals: Henry Badillo & Ed Nowak (left), and 3rd Place Bronze Medals: Lois Dick & Subhash Warrior, proudly display their medals and trophies!







Quality & Honest

Auto Repair & Service

Conveniently located across from the Linden Train Station!

218.W ! Elizabeth Ava _ Lindon. NJ 908-862-9071

www.BSEAutomotive.com

UGLY HOMES WANTED FOR TELEVISION PROGRAM IN THIS AREA

We need 30 Ugly Homes with Ugly Kitchens, Bathrooms, Siding, Window, etc., Inside or Outside that need fixing or Remodeling. We will Repair and Remodel them and shoot video for training film and future TV show on Home Remodeling Work.

Must Sign Release, for purpose of filming job! This must be a complete remodeling job, not just patch up work. This remodeling is to be specially priced out of work, with compensation back to the homeowner for signed release.

CALL 1-800-281-1582

Ask for TV Project Department, for job evaluation and estimate of cost and compensations!

Serious Inquiries Please!





Rake in your savings with a GREAT RATE CD

NYCB ELITE RATE 1.25% APY

\$500 minimum to open and to earn interest. Get this great rate when you enroll in NYCB Elite, link your CD to a new or existing NYCB Elite Gold Checking account and maintain \$1,00,000 or more in combined balances.

myNYCB.com • (877) 786-6560



Garden State Community Bank

A Division of New York Community Bank • Member FDIC



"Annual Percentage Yield (APV) above is accurate as of date of publication and is subject to change without notice. The minimum animode to open the promotional CD and to earn the states APV in \$500. The litterest rate remains fixed until maturity. A penelty may be imposed for with drawels before misturny. Fees could reduce carryings. The Promotional CD must be opened with new money not currently on deposit with the Bank. To earn 1.25% APV on the 7-Month CD, enrollment in NYCB Bite Gold or Platinum is required. NYCB Bite Gold Checking account minimum to open is \$5,000. NYCB Bite Relationship Terms and Conditions apply. Not evaluable for non-profit or business accounts. Maintain \$100,000 or more in combined belances in the NYCB Bite Gold relationship to waive monthly fee. Those not enrolled in NYCB Fire will earn 1.15% APV on the 7-Month CD.

Rates are available for accounts opened in branches located in New York and New Jersey only. Offer may be withdrawn at the discretion of the bank at any time. The bank is not responsible for typographical errors. 15/2017 New York Community Bank

DORMERS & ADDITIONS . DECKS & PORCHES . MASONRY STEPS & PATIOS













Low Monthly Payment Plans

Porches/Steps \$105 Bathrooms \$199 Roofing \$179 Windows \$189 Kitchens \$289

Basements \$295 Decks/Patios \$139 Siding \$259

o% for up to 18 Months

Estimated monthly payments. Rates & payments based on credit approval.

www.MagnoliaHomeRemodeling.com













Hoursed & Prairied + 1065755 + NJ DCA 13VH07755303



Call Today for a Free Estimate!

855-624-6655

Affordable, Professional & Reliable

- / Family Owned & Operated
- √ 25+ Years Remodeling Experience
- ✓ Angie's List Service Award Winner
- ✓ BBB A+ Rated
- ✓ HomeAdvisor Screened & Approved
- ✓ GAF Certified Roofing Installer
- √ 100% Financing Available
- √ 0% Interest Programs
- / Outstanding Workmanship
- ✓ CertainTeed Building Solutions Specialist

Family Owned & Operated











KUMPF MIDDLE SCHOOL EARNS SCHOOLS TO WATCH REDESIGNATION

On Wednesday, September 20th, Carl H. Kumpf Middle School in Clark, NJ, was redesignated as a School to Watch during a banner ceremony held at the school. The event, a celebration of achievement for the entire school community, was attended by students, parents, faculty, administration, and board members. Ms. Gail Hilliard-Nelson, Schools to Watch State Director, presented the school with a banner representing the school's redesignation.

Assistant Principal Amanda Davidson stated, "We are so excited to receive our Schools to Watch Redesignation Banner. I'd like to thank the teachers, students, and parents who worked tirelessly on the application process and site visitation. It was wonderful to see the entire building come together for this."

Kumpf Middle School was first designated a School to Watch in 2014. Schools to Watch is an initiative launched by the National Forum to Accelerate Middle-Grades Reform. Through the Schools to Watch initiative, the National Forum identifies schools across the United States that are well on their way to meeting the Forum's criteria

for high performance. According to the Forum, high-performing middle-grade schools are:

Academically Excellent - These schools challenge all students to use their minds well.

Developmentally Responsive - These schools are sensitive to the unique developmental challenges of early adolescence.

Socially Equitable – These schools are democratic and fair, providing every student with high-quality teachers, resources, and supports.

The Forum believes: To achieve this level of

performance, high-performing schools establish structures, and organizational norms, arrangements to support and sustain their trajectory toward excellence. They have a sense of purpose that drives every facet of practice and decision-making.

Principal Rick Delmonaco stated, "It is an honor to be recognized as a School to Watch. It is a testament to the dedication of the teaching staff and all they do to make Kumpf School a great place for students to learn."



(above) Principal Rick Delmonaco, Katelyn Van Clief, Juliana Rama, and Assistant Principal Amanda Davidson





Café Gallo Pizzeria & Restaurant 908-756-4745 www.cafegallos.com

1153 Inman Avenue • Edison, NJ 08820

(Plenty of parking located in the North Side Plaza)

Authentic Italian Cuisine. Serving... Italian Specialities including Fresh Seafood, Steaks, Pastas, etc. Specializing In Family Style Portions

On & off Premise Catering . . . Customized to fit your personal needs. Party Room available up to 90 people!

OPEN 7 DAYS - Mon. - Thurs. 11:30 am to 10 pm Fri. Sat. 11:30 am - 11 pm Sun. 12 noon - 9 pm

WE DELIVER - Min. \$10

B.Y.O.B. Corporate accounts welcome

BEST CATERING FOR ALL OCCASIONS!

PLAN AHEAD Book your next party today!

On-site Private party seating for 90.





HIBACHI GBILL

supreme buffet

Serving
LOBSTER or CRAB LEGS
with other Special Items
Every Holiday

10% DISCOUNT
Seniors 60+, Military,
Police, College Students
Hibachi Grill Supreme Buffet (Show ID)

For more information, please call

908-490-1600

Fax: 908-490-1601

www.hibachigrillandbuffetnj.com BLUE STAR SHOPPING CENTER



Large Parking Lot to Accommodate our Cus<u>tomers</u>

1701 U.S. Highway 22 West • Watchung











MONDAY - THURSDAY

Lunch 11am - 3	3:30pm	Dinner 3:30pm	-10:00pm
Adult	\$7.99	Adult	\$11.99
Kids 7-10	\$5.99	Kids 7-10	\$7.49
Kids 3-6	\$3.99	Kids 3-6	\$5.99
2 & Under		2 & Under	FREE!

FRIDAY - SATURDAY

Lunch 11am - 3:30pr	n Dinne	r 3:30pm · 10:30pm
Adult\$7.		\$11.99
Kids 7-10\$5.	99 Kids 7-1	10\$7.49
Kids 3-6\$3.		5\$5.99
2 & UnderFRE	E! 2 & Un	derFREE!

SUNDAY ALL DAY DINNER 11am - 10nm

Adult\$11.99
1
Kids 7-10\$7.49
Kids 3-6\$5.99
2 & UnderFREE!

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE

SUSHI

Fantastic range of freshly prepared sushi.

Most selection and top quality among all competitors.

It is far from the typical "buffet quality" sushi.

At HIBACHI, you don't sacrifice taste for price.

BUFFET

Elegant, modern, fresh, executed with care and confidence. HIBACHI Grill Supreme Buffet brings together 250+ of fresh-made Asian dishes in eleven buffet bars.

HIBACHI

Choose your favorite ingredients from dozens of seafood, meats and vegetables. Watch our chef preparing them in our special hibachi sauce to create a full-flavored dish.

ASK US ABOUT CATERING YOUR NEXT EVENT!

We have a large party room available for birthday parties, office meetings & weddings.

\$\frac{125}{ADULT BUFFET}

With purchase of a beverage per person
Watchung • 908-490-1600
Cash Only. Limit 4. Not valid with any other
offers or discounts. Expires 11/10/17.

\$250 OFF 2 ADULT BUFFETS

With purchase of a beverage per person Watchung • 908-490-1600 Cash Only. Limit 4. Not valid with any other offers or discounts. Expires 11/10/17.

\$10 OFF ANY ONE PARTY

Of \$100 or more. Monday - Thursday Only.
Watchung • 908-490-1600
Cash Only. Limit 4. Not valid with any other offers or discounts. Expires 11/10/17.

\$500 OFF

With purchase of a beverage per person
Watchung • 908-490-1600
Cash Only. Limit 4. Not valid with any other
offers or discounts. Expires 11/10/17.

ALJ ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB KICK OFF MEETING

On Wednesday, September 6, 2017, the Arthur L. Johnson High School Crusader Athletic Booster Club held their first meeting of the year. In attendance at the packed house were coaches, players, and parents who had the opportunity to meet the coaches and listen to them speak on behalf of their teams in addition to listening to a guest speaker who talked about maximizing your high school athletic experience.

The following coaches attended and spoke on behalf of their teams: Fall Cheerleading Head Coach Lindsey Barrett, Cross Country Head Coach Robert Cahill, Gymnastics Head Coach Brianna Ferdinandi, Girls' Tennis Head Coach Chris Raguseo, Volleyball Head Coach Michelle Zaleski, Girls Soccer Head Coach Kenneth Leeder, Boys Soccer Head Coach Dan House, Field Hockey Head Coach Katrina Poskay, Football Head Coach Anthony DelConte, Winter Cheerleading Head Coach Lindsey Barrett, Bowling Head Coach Michele Zaleski, Boys' Basketball Head Coach David Kennedy, Girls' Basketball Head Coach Joseph Marino, Ice Hockey Head Coach Brian Klimchak, Swimming Head Coach Robert Cahill, Winter Track and Field Head Coaches Christopher Marcin and

Stephen Barry, Wrestling Head Coach Michael Siter, Baseball Head Coach David Kennedy, Golf Head Coach Daniel House, Lacrosse Head Coach Lou VanBergen, Softball Head Coach Christopher DiNucci, Boys' Tennis Head Coach Christopher Raguseo, and Spring Track and Field Head Coaches Christopher Marcin and Stephen Barry.

The program continued with Chris B. Williams, a guest speaker that has inspired audiences across the country through keynote addresses, corporate training sessions, student leadership conferences, awards ceremonies and other events with his powerful, insightful and relatable messages of leadership development and personal growth.

As a positive energy coach, motivational speaker, entrepreneur and mentor, Chris B. Williams captivates with an optimistic outlook on life. Whether working with teenagers, college students, athletes, organizations or anyone seeking inspiration, he engages and elevates everyone he encounters.

For Chris, positivity starts at home. Born and raised in Philadelphia, he was an All-City and All-State basketball player before receiving a full scholarship to Manhattan College where he led the team to the NCAA tournament, winning the MAAC Championships in 1993.

Charismatic, charming, energetic and always

Stephen Barry, Wrestling Head Coach Michael Siter, Baseball Head Coach David Kennedy, Golf Head Coach Daniel House, Lacrosse Head Coach With Positivity to Leadership, Relationships, Lou VanBergen, Softball Head Coach Dreaming Big, Ethics and Professionalism.

Among the many organizations that have already benefited from his words of encouragement are the Disney Dreamers Academy with Steve Harvey, Rutgers University, the New Jersey Institute of Technology, the City University of New York, Amida Care, the Miami Heat, the New York City Department of Education and various high schools, colleges and churches throughout the country. Over the years, he has worked with Cuttino Mobley, Steve Lappas and Fran Fraschilla and has been featured on ESPN.

Gus Kalikas, Athletic Director at ALJ, had this to say about the event. "The Booster Club was thrilled to be able to bring Chris B. Williams into our school district to talk to our student athletes, parents, and coaches. The messages of the evening resonated with our audience in all aspects of one's life. I am sure that everyone in attendance will implement some of these valuable ideas and incorporate them into their everyday lives."

The Booster Club and Arthur L. Johnson High School would like to thank Chris B. Williams for an educational and tremendous evening for all who attended.



We're honest and Reliable, We Assure You a Great Job!

732-574-0480

www.lennysplumbingandheating.com

WATER HEATER
REPLACEMENT & REPAIR

FREE ESTIMATES



PARTICIPATING DEALER

Lenny Grieco, Proprietor

State Lic. # 6249 • Bonded & Insured

\$150 OFF Any Hot Water or Steam Boiler Replacement

\$125 OFF

Replacement Water Heater

\$75 OFF

Replacement Sump Pumps

\$50 OFF Any Heat Repair

\$25 OFF Any Stoppage

Cannot be combined with any other offers. Expires Nov. 15, 2017



(above) Chris B. Williams was a guest speaker during the ALJ Athletic Booster Club first meeting of the school year.





All Absolute CONSTRUCTION

5-STAR GUARANTEED ROOF!

LAST TIME LAST CHANCE SUMMER SPECIAL

EVERY ROOF INSPECTED BY YOUR CITY OR TOWN INSPECTOR BEFORE WE SHAKE HANDS!

SPECIAL

With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/15/17.

All Absolute CONSTRUCTION

SPECIAL COMPLETE SET OF STEPS

(up to 6ft. - 5 Steps Brick, Limestone & Concrete)

All Absolute CONSTRUCTION

With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/15/17.

SPECIAL PAVERS & DECK WORK

With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/15/17.

All Absolute





6-2390

FREE ESTIMATES

FULLY INSURED • NJ LIC #13VH08860300 • MAJOR CREDIT CARDS

Zero Money Down At Signing For Qualified Customers



CHIMNEY

- Repairs Rebuild
- Recline Cleaning
 - Cuppling



ROOFING

- New Roof Re-Roof
- Flat Roof Shingles
 - All Repairs



GUTTERS

- Cleaning
 Repair
- New Gutters
 - Gutter Screening



MASONRY

- Steps Sidewalks
 - Driveways
- All Brick & Block Repairs

Senior & Military Discounts 100% Satisfaction Guaranteed **FIREPLACES**

- Cleaning
- Repairs
- Dampers Installed SIDING
- Installs & Repair
- California Stucco
- Brick Facing
- Cedar Shakes
- Vinyl
- Aluminum

SPECIAL Average Home 4" or 5" \$1250

All Absolute With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other CONSTRUCTION offer. Expires 10/15/17.

SPECIAL GUTTER CLEANING! 39.99

With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/15/17.

SPECIAL FOUNDATION \$300 OFF

with this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other conSTRUCTION. with this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Expires 10/15/17.

SPECIAL CHIMNEY/ROOF REPAIR \$300 OFF

All Absolute With this coupon. Cannot be combined with any other

CLARK RABIES CLINIC

The Clark Health Department will be sponsoring a free rabies clinic for dogs and cats on Wednesday, November 8th, 2017 between 6:00-7:00 p.m. at the Clark Municipal Building, 430 Westfield Ave. Parking is available in front of the building.

Dogs must be on a leash and under the control of an adult at all times. Cats must be in carriers.

Pre-registration is required by calling Nancy Raymond, Health Officer at 732-428-8405, beginning the week of October 1st 2017. Preregistration will close once all reservation slots have been filled.

Clark Chamber of Commerce Meeting

October 25, 2017 8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **FINANCIAL PROFESSIONAL NORTHEAST PLANNING CORP** 1150 Raritan Road, Suite 201 **Clark NJ 07066**









Clark PBA together with Clark Recreation

PRESENTS

The Fifth Annual TRUNK or TREAT

Saturday, October 28th - 12:00-2:00 PM **ALJ High School Parking lot**

Prizes for: Best Overall Costume, Group Costume and **Best Decorated Car!**

Haunted Train Ride, DJ and Activities! FREE TO CLARK RESIDENTS.

Be sure to bring your camera!

If you are interested in participating in this event, meaning parking

n below so we king lot.
**
T-Fanni
1 uhha
Halloween

From the Superintendent of Schools, Edward Grande

Dear Members of the Clark Community,

The most remarkable aspect of being an educator is that each September we get to start anew, building on the strengths of the past but making the necessary adjustments to become even stronger as we move ahead. For that reason, the opening of our new school year has been accompanied by the traditional excitement for me. I would be remiss if I did not thank our twelve-month and ten-month/two-week administrators and support staff for all of their diligent work this summer. Their efforts are a central reason why we were ready for an outstanding beginning. Our maintenance team led by Mr. John Pingor is deserving of a special acknowledgement for their preparation of our buildings and grounds. They engage in projects throughout the year so that our students and staff are provided with enhanced facilities. The importance of this physical upkeep of our schools should never be devalued.

Schools reopened for students on Thursday, September 7. This first day of school is always a most special one and one that we, as a school district, are excited for. This year was no exception. Getting to see a large number of our parents and guardians at our various Back-to-School Nights will be equally rewarding. ALJ's is scheduled for Monday, September 25, VRS's for Tuesday, September 26, FKH's for Wednesday, September 27, CHK's for Thursday, September 28, and CPA's for Wednesday, October 4. Please know that we, as an administrative team, have an open door policy and are here to address any concerns that you may have. It is our sincere hope to continue to "inspire greatness" through the work that we do.

Respectfully yours, Edward Grande Superintendent of Schools





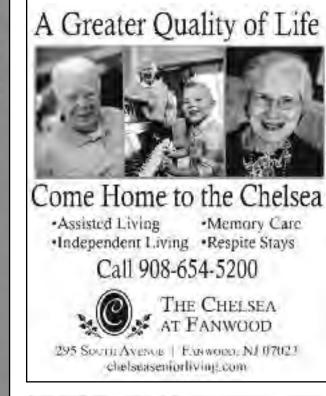
TrinitasRMC.org

RINITAS Regional Medical Center

WE'RE GETTING BETTER, TOGETHER









CLARK PUBLIC LIBRARY

Registration is required for programs unless noted. Additionally, free movies are shown at the library on Monday and Wednesday at 1:00p.m. Newly released DVDs are featured each Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. No registration is required for movies. Visit our online calendar at www.clarklibrary.org or call 732 388 5999 for more information.

The library will be closed on Monday, October 9

Sunday Family Movie Matinee

Sunday, October 8 at 2:00 pm

The elderly Big Friendly Giant kidnaps ten-year-old orphan Sophie to help him on a mission to get rid of the evil, man-eating giants who have been invading the human world. Rated PG.

Pajama Time Storytime

Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 pm

Come in your PJs for our evening family story time! Stories, songs, and fingerplays for children ages 2 - 5 years old. Great for working parents and busy families.

Mad Science Workshop: Electricty

Thursday, October 12 at 7 pm

This workshop introduces students to the fundamental concepts of electricity: circuits, conductors, insulators, and how electricity is converted for everyday uses. Students get to create different circuits, interact with plasma balls, discover "sticky" static electricity and make their own static energy chambers to take home. For children in grades 3-6. Registration is required.

Union County Division on Aging Services Monday, October 16 from 10- Noon

Do you have a questions about services for seniors or their caregivers? The Union County Division on Aging will be at the Clark Public Library to answer them. Drop by anytime between 10am-12pm and get answers to your questions about: pharmaceutical assistance, home energy assistance, home care, home delivered or congregate meals, caregiver relief, medicaid, transportation, and other questions you may have.

Maker Monday

Monday, October 16 at 3:30 pm

This program is for children in grades K - 5. Please be sure to bring a smock or old t-shirt as we will be working with paint! Registration is required and will close on Sunday, October 15 at 10:00 am.

Adult Book Club

Monday, October 16 at 7:00 pm

We will be discussing "The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks" by Rebecca Skloot. Doctors retrieved cells from Henrietta Lacks, the descendant of freed slaves, and used them to create the first immortal human cell line grown in culture-with important consequences for cancer research, in vitro developments, gene mapping, and more. But they never told her or her family. Please speak with a librarian for information on obtaining a book.

You're invited INDOOR HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

at the Clark Library **Sunday October 15** 2:00 - 4:00

Admission: \$5.00 per child



GAMES, CONTESTS, PRIZES. FACE/HAND PAINTING, FORTUNE **TELLER, AND MORE WEAR YOUR HALLOWEEN COSTUME AND ENTER OUR COSTUME CONTEST**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Clark Library

How to Start a Small Business in New Jersey

Thursday, October 19 at 10:00 am

Join Solange Pimentel & Tilesha McCall from Taxation University, the training and outreach unit of the New Jersey Division of Taxation, for this two hour workshop on starting a small business in New Jersey. This course will teach you how to register a small business in New Jersey, including legal entity registration and individual structured business registration, different business structures, and how to report your New Jersey business income. Registration is required.

Medicare Workshop

Thursday, October 19 at 6:00 pm

Justin Lubenow of Senior Advisors will present this informative workshop on what you need to know about Medicare. What changing in 2018? Discover the 5 biggest mistakes made by most Medicare beneficiaries, learn about the Medicare supplement policies, and how the Medicare prescription drug program works. What are some of the proposed changes to Medicare in

the future? Star Wars Light Saber Class with Fit FUNd Kids

Sunday, October 22 at 2:00 pm

Train like a jedi in this Star Wars inspired workout class with Fit FUNd Kids!

Little Jedis unite! Kids use a saber as part of a martial arts infused class. The class focuses on proper form, agility, balance, and most importantly, focus! For children ages 3-10. Registration is required.

Afternoon Book Club

Tuesday, October 24 at 1:00 pm

We will be discussing "The Cuckoo's Calling" by Robert Galbraith. Working as a private investigator after losing

his leg in Afghanistan, Cormoran Strike takes the case of a legendary supermodel's suspicious suicide and finds himself in a world of multi-millionaire beauties, rock star boyfriends, desperate designers, and hedonist pursuits. Speak with a librarian for information on obtaining book.

Night at the Library

Thursday, October 26 at 6:30 pm

This special event is for the students of Frank K Hehnly and Valley Road Schools. There will be an art show, bookmark creating, scavenger hunt, and dance party with prizes!Our regular Storytime sessions will continue through the month of October.

Tales for Tots

Mondays or Thursdays at 10 am

Stories, finger plays, and songs for active listeners. Geared toward ages 2-3 with a caregiver. Older children are welcome! 30 minutes of open play follows.

Baby Bookworms (formerly called Lapsit for Little Ones) Tuesdays at 10 am

Stories, songs, nursery rhymes, and movement. Geared toward babies and toddlers under 2 years old with caregiver. 30 minutes of open play follows.

Stories & More

Thursdays at 1:30 pm

Stories, movement, songs and a craft for active listeners ages 3 -5 years old. Sorry, younger siblings may not attend. Registration is required.

Grown-Up Coloring Club Meets Weekly on most Fridays

September 8, 15, 22, and 29 at 1:30 p.m.

Coloring isn't just for kids anymore! Join us for a relaxing afternoon of coloring for grown ups. Relieve some stress while stimulating your creativity! No registration is required.

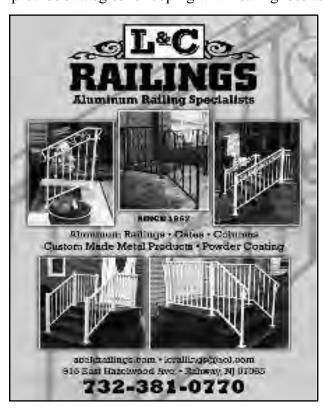
HEARING SOCIETY HOSTS WEEKLY CLASSES

organization serving people with impaired hearing, resumed its weekly sessions in speech (lip) reading on September 14, 2017. The class meets at the First Baptist Church of Westfield, 170 Elm Street, each Thursday, September through May, 10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m., unless otherwise announced. Light refreshments are served before each session.

The classes this year will be under the direction of Morgan Orlowski, speech pathologist, and will provide strategies for coping with hearing loss as

The Hearing Society, a local not-for-profit well as techniques for improving communication abilities. These sessions also serve as a support group for Hearing Society members experiencing the problems associated with hearing loss, and discussions concerning developments in the ever expanding technology of hearing enhancements now available.

> Anyone in the greater Union County area who is interested in membership in the society and participation in its classes may contact Alice Knecht 908-688-8241 (voice) alirobkn@aol.com for more information.





FASHION SHOW TO BENEFIT CENTER FOR HOPE HOSPICE

Hope Hospice and Palliative Care Auxiliary's 20th Annual Fashion Show and Luncheon to be held on October 15, 2017. The event will be hosted at the Pines Manor located at 2085 Lincoln Highway in Edison, NJ from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm.

Each year this event is attended by approximately 400 women, many who have returned year after year to enjoy the fashions, luncheon, prizes, raffles and camaraderie. The fashions this year will be offered by Lord and Taylors. Music and commentary throughout the event will again be provided by the fantastic "DJ Rob" Frannicola.

One of the highlights of the afternoon is the one hundred baskets that are donated by the Auxiliary membership and friends that are raffled off during the event. There is also a Grand Raffle which will award a \$2,000 Visa Gift Card, a 55 inch smart TV and a \$500 Shop Rite Gift Card. There will also be a 50/50 drawing and a chance

Tickets are now on sale for the Center for to win the "Gift Card Apron" worth over \$900 in various gift cards.

> Tickets for the Fashion Show are \$65 and can be purchased by contacting Elaine Pisano at 732-359-7362. Information can also be obtained at the Hope Chest, 26 Prospect Street in Westfield.

> All Proceeds from the Fashion Show directly benefit the Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care located at 1900 Raritan Road in Scotch Plains. The Center offers end of life care to terminally ill patients and also palliative care to patients with chronic conditions in their two inpatient centers located in Scotch Plains and Elizabeth or in a patient's home.

> Each year the Auxiliary raises funds through various fundraisers and also through its thrift store, the Hope Chest in Westfield. New Auxiliary members are always welcome to be involved in our group of caring and devoted individuals. For more information, please visit the Hope Chest or call the store at 908-233-9973 or visit the center's website: centerforhope.com.

VOLUNTEER FOR MOBILE MEALS

If you have one hour each week or one hour each month, please consider delivering meals to your homebound neighbors. Mobile Meals of Westfield needs volunteer drivers to pick up meals in Westfield at 10:45 am and deliver to an assigned route. Delivery takes about 1 hour. Drivers are needed Monday - Friday. Our volunteers deliver more than just a meal, they provide a smile and a daily check in for our clients that can be so vital to someone living alone. Please call Mobile Meals of Westfield at 908 233 6146 today to volunteer once a week or once per month.



\$10 OFF

908-245-0656 587 Raritan Road • Roselle, NJ 07203

(Corner of Wood Ave. and Raritan Rd.)

Monday 11:30 am – 11 pm Tuesday & Thursday 11:30 am – 11 pm Friday & Saturday Sunday & Holidays 12:30 pm - 11 pm

Every Thurs 3-7 pm

\$6 Lunch Menu

REYNOLDS PLUMBING



(908) 276-5367 (201) 666-0003

358 North Avenue East Cranford, NJ

www.reynolds-plumbing.net

Lou DiFabio Lic. #4237

Dan DiFabio Lic. #11749

Residential / Commercial / Industrial





- Fully insured and bonded professional dog walkers
- Locally owned and operated
- 30 minute 1-on-1 walks and 15 minute potty breaks
 - Serving Clark, Cranford and Westfield NJ areas

973-632-1413 WeLeashTheHounds.com

930 Stoyvesant Ave.

Union NJ, 07801 Tel#:(908) 851-2700

Become an ACE student!!!

Act, Achieve, and ACE your future in the Medical Field www.aceheallhcaretrainingcna.com

C.N.A. + Home Health Aide • EXG◆ Phlobatomy◆ Madical

HealthCare Training Institute, Inc.

ENROLL NOW

ROBERT DENA Mortgage Loan Officer MORTGAGE: 973-568-0902 1 LINCOLN PLAZA obert.dena@pnemortgage.com Call for a review of your current mortgage or get an in-depth pre-approval for your new dream home.

PNC is a registered service mark of The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc. ("PNC"). PNC Mortgage is a division of PNC Bank, National Association, a subsidiary of PNC. All loans

NMLS # 403800





- Parking Lot Line Striping
- Driveways & Parking Lots
- Hot Rubberized Crack Filling
- Hot Asphalt Repairs Tennis Courts Asphalt or Coal Tar (Emulsion Sealer)
- Specializing in Large Parking Lots
 Pothole Patching
 SNOW REMOVAL
 - Power Washing
 Asphalt Patch Work

Call for a **FREE Estimate** & Receive a FREE Gift!

5% DISCOUNT FOR SENIORS & VETERANS!

We will beat any legitimate Sealcoat company's written estimate.

FULLY INSURED! Lic# 13VH06534400

DRIVEWAY REPAIR or **SEALCOATING**









HOURS

Monday - Friday 6am - 2pm, 4pm - 11pm Saturday - Sunday 7am - 11pm

Our welcoming restaurant has a little something for everyone whether it's family fun or business networking at the bar. Enjoy our 10 TV's, multimedia center with Wii, and take advantage of our outdoor patio with firepit.

732.574.0100 36 Valley Road, Clark, NJ 07066

Banquet space available with onsite catering for business meetings and/or social functions. - contact Sales Department 732.587.1052

Parkway American Grille

15% OFF **Food Purchase**

Alcohol, tax, and aratuity not included Expires 12.30.17

Holiday Inn \$50 OFF **Your First Meeting Room Rental** Expires 12.30.17

JAZZY 1920S WHODUNNIT THE WILD PARTY OPENS 99TH SEASON AT CDC



(lefte l-r) Nicole Boscanno as Kate, Shane Long as Burrs, Colleen Renee as Queenie and Phil Solomon as Black.

In Andrew Lippa's The Wild Party, decadence and excess roar across the stage in this steamy prohibition tale based on Joseph Moncure March's 1928 narrative poem of the same name. This darkly brilliant show, featuring one of the most exciting, pulse-racing scores ever written, will open the 2017-2018 season at CDC Theatre in Cranford, NJ. This marks the 99th season at New Jersey's oldest continuously producing community theatre.

"The musical is like a Jazz Age take on Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream; a potent cocktail of an all-night party in late 1920s Manhattan,",says director Sean Lough. Adapted from a book-length poem written in and about the Roaring Twenties, The Wild Party tells the story of one wild evening in the Manhattan apartment shared by Queenie and Burrs, a vaudeville dancer and a vaudeville clown. In a relationship marked by vicious behavior and recklessness, mirroring the times in which they live, they decide to throw

a party to end all parties. As the guests arrive, we meet an assortment of people living on the edge. Queenie and Burrs set out to make each other jealous, but Queenie begins to fall in love with her conquest named Mr. Black. After a long night of decadence, Burrs' jealousy erupts and he comes to a violent end at Mr. Black's hand. In the stark light of a new day, Queenie moves out into a brighter world, although not necessarily a brighter future, leaving the passed-out revelers in her wake. An award-winning score by Andrew Lippa provides excitement and drive for this tale of passions out of control. Capturing the sound of a bygone era with a nod to the present one, he makes us realize that moral decadence is not only limited to our past.

The production will run from October 13 through October 28 at the theatre's 78 Winans Ave home. Additional information about the show and how to get tickets can be found by visiting www.cdctheatre.org.

Make Chesta pay aste w Renny Meste, 202 William Avenue, Cambrid N. 670 C



Check out local photo albums at www.rennamedia.com

Don't let your family memories fade away

HOME MOVIES TRANSFERRED TO DIGITAL FILES & DVD

- Video Tape Transfers
- DVD & Flash Drive Duplication
- Audio Cassette to CD
- Reel to Reel Audio to CD
- LP to CD
- High Speed Slide Scanning
- Foreign Conversions

Video Production & Editing Training • Sales • Documentary

VIDEO DATA SERVICES®

locally owned since 1984

www.vdsnj.com facebook.com/vdsnj email: ira@vdsnj.com 908-964-4004 406 Chestnut St. • Union, NJ 07083



100' x 14"

Back cores, front page "anner, and front box reserves on East coincitive served deale Cores, whereas what right of fred refusal.

\$600

BACK COVER



1179 WEST ST. GEORGES AVE. (RT. 27) LINDEN, NJ 07036 908-925-1770

email: metroliquors@gmail.com Hours: Mon. thru Sat. 9am - 10pm Sun. 12pm - 8pm

TWO LOCATIONS



Fine Wine and Liquors

870 ST. GEORGES AVE. (RT. 27) RAHWAY, NJ 07065 732-381-6776

email: wittyswines@gmail.com www.wittyswine.com

Like us on Facebook: Facebook.com/metrolinden and Facebook.com/wittyswines

Hours: Mon. thru Wed. 9am - 9pm, Thur. - Sat. 9am - 10pm, Sun. 10am - 7pm

VISIT THE STORE FOR MORE IN-STORE SPECIALS

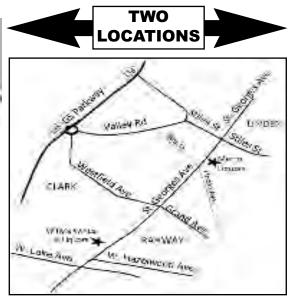
WI	HISKY		COGNAC &	BRANDY		CORDI	ALS	
Ballantine	1.75L	\$28.99	Camus V.S.		\$21.99	Bailey's Irish Cream	750ml	\$21.99
Buchanan's 12yrs old	750ml	\$28.99	Cardenal Mendoza			Bailey's Irish Cream		
Buchanan's 12yrs old	1.75L	\$54.99	Courvoisier V.S.			Kahlua		•
Bushmill's Irish	1.75L	\$40.99	Courvoisier V.S.			Kahlua		
Canadian Club	1.75L	\$19.99	E & J V.S. Brandy			Krupnik		
Canadian Mist	1.75L	\$17.99	E & J V.S. Brandy			Licor 43		•
Chivas Regal	750 ml	\$28.99	E & J V.S.O.P. Brandy			Licor 43		
Chivas Regal			E & J V.S.O.P. Brandy			Patron XO Café		
Chivas Regal 18 yrs old			Leroux Blackberry			Patron XO Café		
Clan Macgregor	750ml	\$11.99	Leroux Blackberry			Southern Comfort		
Crown Royal	750ml	\$26.99	Martell V.S.			Southern Comfort		
Crown Royal	1.75L	\$47.99	Paul Masson Amber					φ20.00
Dewars 12 yrs old			Paul Masson Amber			RUI	VI	
Dewars 12 yrs old			Paul Masson Peach		•	Bacardi Light & Gold		
Dewars White Label			Remy Martin 1738		•	Bacardi Light & Gold		
Dewars White Label		•	Remy Martin V.S.O.P.			Captain Morgan Spice	1.75L	\$25.99
Gentleman Jack		•	Remy Martin V.S.O.P.			Malibu	750ml	\$17.99
Gentleman Jack			•		\$10.33	Malibu	1.75L	\$25.99
Glenfiddich 12 yrs old			VOD	KA		TEQU	11 A	
Glenmorangie 10 yrs old			Absolut (regular)	750ml	\$19.09	· ·		#00.00
Glenlivet 12 yrs old			Absolut (regular)	1.75L	\$29.09	Avion Silver		
Glenlivet 12 yrs old		•	Belvedere Vodka	750ml	\$27.99	Casa Noble Silver		•
Grants			Belvedere Vodka	1.75L	\$46.99	El Jimador Reposado		
Grants		•	Ciroc (all types)	750ml	\$29.99	El Jimador Reposado		
Jack Daniels			Ciroc (all types)	1.75L	\$57.99	Jose Cuervo		
Jack Daniels			Finlandia			Jose Cuervo		
Jack Daniels Fire			Finlandia	1.75L	\$24.99	Patron Silver		
Jack Daniels Fire			Grey Goose		•	Patron Silver	1.75L	\$82.29
Jameson			Grey Goose (all types)			BEE	R	
Jameson		\$20.99 \$40.00	Ketel One			Becks (12oz) 24pk		\$23.99
Jim Beam Whisky			Ketel One			Bud and Bud Lite cans		
Johnie Walker Blue			Luksusowa			Bud and Bud Lite loose bottles		
Johnnie Walker Blue			Majorska		-	Coors Lite (24oz) cans	•	
Johnnie Walker Black			Majorska			Coors Lite/Miller Lite loose bottles		•
			Pinnacle (all types)			Coors Lite/Miller Lite		
Johnnie Walker Black			Pinnacle (80 proof)			Corona/Corona Lite loose bottles		
Johnnie Walker Double Black			Skyy			Dab (16oz) cans		
Johnnie Walker Red			Smirnoff Vodka (80 proof)			Heineken/Heineken Lite bottles		
Johnnie Walker Red		•	Smirnoff Vodka (all types)		· ·			
Knob Creek 9 yrs old			Sobieski			Land Shark		
Knob Creek 9 yrs old		•	Sobieski			Lech (500ml)		
Macallan 12yrs old			Soplica			Modelo Especial cans		
Makers Mark			Stolichnaya (all types)			New Belgium Fat Tire		
Makers Mark			Svedka (all types)			Pabst Blue Ribbon cans	•	
Old Smuggler			Svedka (all types)			Pilsner Urquell	•	
Redemption Rye Whisky			Tanqueray Sterling		•	Sagres Beer		
Seagram V.O					-	Sam Adams Boston Lager	•	
Seagrams 7			Tanqueray Sterling			Stella Artois loose bottles		
Woodford Reserve	1L	\$39.99	Three Olives (all types)			Dogfish Head 60 min	•	
	GIN		Three Olives (all types)		•	Yuengling Lager cans and bottles.		
Beefeater		\$35.99	Traveler's Vodka	1.75L	\$10.99	Zywiec (11.2oz)	24pk	\$19.99
Bombay Saphire		•						APA.
Seagram's gin			"Cold or warm Bed	on - Sama Daia	" "	FALL PARTY CEN	TER 🚄	
						IMA I AMI & VLII		
Tanqueray		\$19.99 \$24.00	"Visit the store for mor	re In-Store Spec	cials!"			- E.

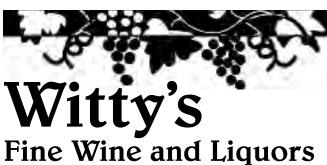
ABC prices prevail other prices, limited to store inventory. Not responsible for typographical errors. Prices valid till October 31, 2017.



1179 WEST ST. GEORGES AVE. (RT. 27) LINDEN, NJ 07036 908-925-1770

email: metroliquors@gmail.com Hours: Mon. thru Sat. 9am - 10pm Sun. 12pm - 8pm





870 ST. GEORGES AVE. (RT. 27) RAHWAY, NJ 07065 732-381-6776

email: wittyswines@gmail.com www.wittyswine.com

Like us on Facebook: Facebook.com/metrolinden and Facebook.com/wittyswines

Hours: Mon. thru Wed. 9am - 9pm, Thur. - Sat. 9am - 10pm, Sun. 10am - 7pm

VISIT THE STORE FOR MORE IN-STORE SPECIALS

WINE





Alamos Malbec	.750ml	\$ 8	.99
Andre (All Types)	.750ml	\$ 5	.99
Apothic Red	.750ml	\$ 9	.29
Avalon (Cabernet Sauvignon)	.750ml	\$ 9	.99
Barefoot All Types	.1.5L	\$10	.39
Bartenura Moscato	.750ml	\$10	.99
Barone Fini (Pinot Grigio)	.750ml	\$10	.99
Beringer White Zinfandel	.750ml	\$ 4	.99
Beringer White Zinfandel	.1.5L	\$ 8	.69
Black Box (All Types)	.3L	\$21	.99
Blackstone (All Types)	.1.5L	\$13	.99
Bogle (Chardonnay and Merlot)	.750ml	\$ 6	.99
Bolla	.1.5L	\$12	.99
Caymus Napa Valley (Cabernet Sauvignon)	.750ml	\$65	.99
Carlo Rossi (Chablis, Burgundy, Sangria, Blush)	.4L	\$13	.99
Carnivor (Cabernet Sauvignon)	.750ml	\$10	.99
Casal Garcia Vinho Verde	.1L	\$ 5	.99
Cavit (All Types)			
Chateau ste Michelle Columbia Valley Cabernet and Merlot	750ml	\$13	.99
Chateau Ste. Michelle Columbia Valley Chardonnay	.750ml	\$ 9	.95
Chateau Ste. Michelle Columbia Valley Riesling	.750ml	\$ 8	.99
Clos du Bois Chardonnay	.1.5 L	\$19	.99
Clos du Bois Cabernet, Merlot	.750m	\$ 9	.95
Cockburns Ruby and Tawny Porto	.750ml	\$10	.99
Concha Y Toro Frontera	.1.5L	\$ 8	.99
Coppola Diamond Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot	.750ml	\$13	.99
Coppola Diamond Chardonnay	.750ml	\$11	.99
Corbett Canyon (All Types)	.1.5L	\$ 7	.99
Cupcake (All types, except Prosecco and Moscato)	.750ml	\$ 8	.99
Dom Perignon	.750ml	\$149	.99
Dreaming Tree (All Types)			
Ecco Domani (Pinot Grigio)			
Fish Eye (All Types)			
Flip Flop (All Types)		-	
Franzia (Crisp White, Blush, Sangria, Chilable red)			
Freixenet			
Gato Negro (All Types)			
Gazela Vinho Verde		-	
Ghost Pines (Merlot and Red Blend)			
J. Lohr Cabernet Sauvignon			
Josh Cabernet Sauvignon			
Joseph Carr Cabernet Sauvignon			
Kendall Jackson Vintners Chardonnay			
Kim Crawford (Sauvignon Blanc)			
Korbel (All Types except Natural and Organic)			
La Crema Sonoma Pinot Noir		-	
Liberty Creek (All Types)	.1.5L	\$ 7	.99

Louis Jadot Beaujolais	750ml \$ 9.99
Louis Jadot Beaujolais Villages	750ml \$ 10.99
Louis Jadot Pouilly Fuisse	
Luna di Luna (All Types)	
Mark West Pinot Noir	
Mark West Pinot Noir	
Martini & Rossi Asti	=
Menage a Trois Red	-
Merry Vale (Cabernet)	
Mezzacorona Pinot Grigio	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Mi Amore Red	
Moet Imperial Champagne	-
Noble Wine 337, 667	
Papi (All Types)	
Real Sangria	=
Rex Goliath (All Types) Robert Mondavi Private Select	
Robert Mondavi Private Select	
Rodney Strong Sonoma Cabernet & Merlot	=
Rodney Strong Sonoma Chardonnay	
Rombauer Chardonnay	
Ruffino Chianti	
Ruffino Chianti	-
Ruffino Pinot Grigio	
Ruffino Chianti Gold	
Ruffino Tan label	=
Santa Margerita Pinot Grigio	
Senor Sangria (All Types)	
Silver Oak Alexander Valley Cabernet	
Simi Chardonnay	750ml \$12.09
Sonoma Cutrer Chardonnay	750ml \$20.99
Sutter Home (All Types)	-
Tom Gore (All Types)	
Woodbridge (All Types)	
Yago Sangria	
Yellow Tail (All Types)	1.5L \$11.49

VISIT THE STORE FOR MORE IN-STORE SPECIALS

We specialize in hard to find items and custom orders, 1 6 bottles of wine 1 1 12 bottles of wine just ask!

Non sale items only. (Excludes RED & YELLOW TAG items.) Sale items do apply towards purchase requirement.

1 10% OFF 11 15% OFF Any purchase of Any purchase of

Visit our facebook page for news of next tasting event: facebook.com/metrolinden