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### **EAGLE SCOUT SEEKS SUPPORT TO CARPET COURT ROOM**

Hello, I am David Villafranca from Troop 83 in Kenilworth, New Jersey and I am 15 years old. I am a Life Scout in rank and currently working on my Eagle Scout Project. Eagle Scout rank is the highest rank a Boy Scout can achieve. An Eagle Scout project that will benefit my community will help me attain the Eagle Scout rank.

My project is to replace the carpeting in the town's Court Room and Chambers Room, located at the Kenilworth Borough Hall.

In the past, my Troop and I have been in the Court Room numerous times receiving certificates/recognition due to our countless community services, beautification for our town, and just recently my Youth Police Academy graduation. When receiving these certificates, I have noticed that the carpeting was dirty, old, worn-out, and wasn't appealing. The same is for the Chambers Room. To show my appreciation and great honor, I want to replace the carpeting as my Eagle Scout Project. This will make the Court Room and Chambers Room more presentable and welcoming place for the community for any Borough Hall events.

Based on the size of the project, I would need to fund raise at least \$3,500, this would cover the cost of the carpeting, tools, and other supplies that will be used for this project. Any left-over funds will be donated to the beneficiary of my project, Kenilworth Borough. I am grateful for your contributions and for your help to raise these funds to accomplish my goals.

Also, I would greatly appreciate if you could please help spread the word. I plan to start and finish this Project on October 27-28, 2017.

Thanking YOU all in advance for any help you can give me and for supporting my Eagle Scout Project that would in turn benefit the community and Borough Hall in the near future. May God Bless You All.

Your Friend in Scouting,
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The addresses of registered participating residences will be included in a Kenilworth Communitywide Garage Sale listing and map that will be available in quantity, free of charge, at the Kenilworth Acme Customer Service desk (801 Boulevard), Borough Clerk's Office (567 Boulevard), Public Library (548 Boulevard), and Especially Yours Florist (13 N. 20th Street) after October 5. The listing also will be posted on the Borough of Kenilworth Web site (www.kenilworthborough.com). Included among the participants will be the Kenilworth Historical Society, which is hosting an Attic Sale at the Oswald J. Nitschke House (49 S. 21 Street) on October 7 (9 a.m.-4 p.m.).

# KENILWORTH

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### **MEMO FROM THE MAYOR**



Fall is here! I know many of you enjoy your Summers, but Fall has always been my favorite season, I love the cooler days and nights. Just a reminder, October also means we have less than 3 months until Christmas! Now that School is back in session and it gets darker earlier, keep a careful eye when driving and watch out for kids walking and biking. We have gone through a tough September, it seems Mother Nature is giving us all a run for our money. Please keep all those affected by these storms and hurricanes in your thoughts and prayers. If you can, there are many

organizations donating all kinds of goods to affected areas, some of these people have lost everything. Hurricane season is not over, I said last month that this season could be extremely active, I hope we are spared the worst of it. Be proactive and prepared.

David Villa Franca will be doing the carpets in Boro Hall for his Eagle Scout Project. This is the highest Rank a Boy Scout can achieve, he is going to fund raise to get the necessary tools and materials to complete the project. We are very grateful to Troop 83; the Scouts always are there to lend a helping hand. Any and all contributions will be greatly appreciated.

Here are some important dates for October:

October 1: Kenilworth Police Officer Michael Devlin has been selected as this year's Union County Military Hero! This award is given to Veterans who display leadership, respect, citizenship, and patriotism in their daily lives.

October 7-8: Kenilworth Community-wide Garage Sale Sat./Sun. (9 a.m. - 4 p.m.) Registration/\$12 fee required. Registration instruction at Borough Clerk's office, Public Library, and Especially Yours Florist. Free Garage Sale map/address listing at those sites plus ACME Market (after 10/5)

October 11: Bulk Pick Up North Side of Town

October 18: Bulk Pick Up South Side of Town

October 21-22: "Four Centuries in a Weekend" at the Nitschke House, Sat. (10-5)/ Sun. (12-5)Oswald J. Nitschke House (49 S. 21 Str.) Tour the restored, elevator-equipped c. 1880 home of former Kenilworth Mayor Oswald J. Nitschke. Featured "living history" program and exhibit to be announced; view the site's newly planted "teaching gardens"; participate in a garden-to-table cooking demo and more! Admission is free!

October 28: Mohegan Sun Bus Trip - Departs Kenilworth 8 a.m., returns about 9pm Motorcoach transport: 6 hr visit to casino with beautiful shops. For tickets or more information contact the Kenilworth Historical Society 908-709-0434 or 908-709-0391

October 28: Kenilworth Rec host the Annual Spooktacular at DiMario Park from 7pm-10pm. Refreshments, Trick or Treating, Games pictures and so much more. Entrance "fee" is a donation of either a large bag of candy or other pre-packaged trick-or-treat goodies.

October 29: Oktoberfest (4-8 p.m.) Kenilworth Veterans Center - 33 S. 21 Str. A buffet- style Oktoberfest Feast plus a performance of German and Bavarian folk dances by Bayern Verein Newark and live German - American music by Bernie's Orchestra. Reservation requested.

October 31: Halloween! Borough Hall will be giving out plenty of goodies. Kids (and adults) be careful when walking, just because you see a car, don't assume they see you.

The Kenilworth Public Library has a ton of Fall events for children and adults alike, check in at www.kenilworthlibarary.org for more details As always visit our website at www.kenilworthborough.org for more details about these events and more.

God Bless you all and God Bess America!

Mayor Anthony P. DeLuca Jr.

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### WHAT, WHERE, AND WHEN IN OLD KENILWORTH - JAMES ARTHUR MANSION



Historian and author Walter E. Boright, Ed.D.

The 27-room James
Arthur Mansion
remains the largest
residence ever
constructed in
Kenilworth. It once
stood at the northeast
corner of Newark Ave.
and Arthur Ter.

Arthur (1866-1931) came to Kenilworth from Philadelphia in 1899 to erect 100 houses in 100 days for

the Baron de Hirsch Fund to house Jewish refugees fleeing persecution in eastern Europe. The refugees hoped to gain employment in new factories being built here.

Arthur later built more homes on the north side of town and then in 1906 began his own enclave of homes on the south side. He called it New Orange Park. There he built or moved 84 homes on the old sections of Newark and Passaic avenues, S. 23rd and S. 25th streets, and Arthur Ter. In 1909 he started his 7,000-square foot mansion that overlooked New Orange Park. In

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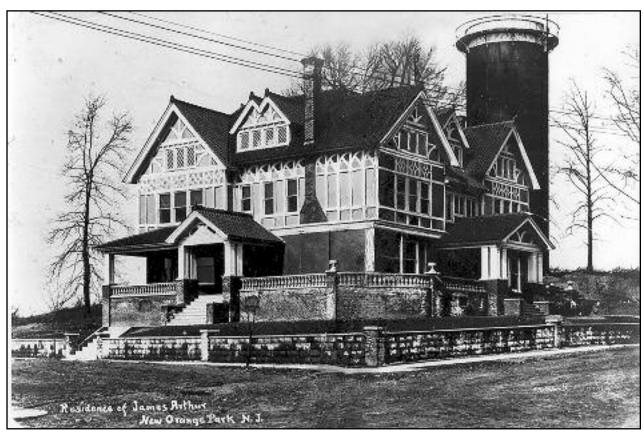
The 27-room James 1910 he, his wife, Mary, and their eight children thur Mansion moved into that majestic residence.

Members of the Arthur family were prominent citizens in the borough for half a century. They served on the fire department, the board of education, the borough council, provided religious leadership, and were dominant in early athletic competitions.

Valentine's Day, 1929, the Arthurs left for vacation. It was a fateful night. While away fire broke out. Despite heroic efforts by the Kenilworth and Roselle Park fire departments the mansion was completely leveled. Later a large

stucco ranch house with a Spanish tile roof was built on that site by son William Arthur. In the 1960s a local developer acquired and then demolished that residence and erected four homes where the mansion once stood. Although the mansion no longer stands, 82 of the 84 houses that made up New Orange Park remain.

Research and old post card provided by Walter E. Boright, Ed. D., historian, and Historic Signs, Inc. Persons with inquiries about this or other aspects of Kenilworth history may contact Dr. Boright at 908-246-5200 or via email at drbori@aol.com.









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### **CELEBRATE OKTOBERFEST IN KENILWORTH ON OCTOBER 29**

On Sunday, October 29 (4-8 p.m.), the Kenilworth Historical Society will present "Oktoberfest," a festive celebration featuring live German music, folk dancing and a delicious feast, at the Kenilworth Veterans Center (33 South 21st Street) from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

The fun-filled event will feature a dance performance by Bayern Verein Newark, a longestablished club dedicated to the preservation of traditional German and Bavarian folk dances; live music for everyone's dancing/listening pleasure played by Bernie's Orchestra, a popular four-piece German-American band led by Bernie Bunger; and a catered buffet-style Oktoberfest Feast including such traditional favorites as knockwurst, bratwurst, herb roasted chicken, sauerkraut, glazed baby carrots, spaetzle, German potato salad, tossed salad, dessert and more!

Admission is \$35. Advance reservations (by Oct. 20) are requested. The event seating plan accommodates eight to ten people per table. Early reservations are encouraged to avoid disappointment. For reservations/tickets, please call 908-709-0434 or visit Especially Yours Florist (13 North 20th Street, Kenilworth), where tickets for the event are being sold.

Proceeds from Oktoberfest will benefit the Kenilworth Historical Society's Oswald J. Nitschke House (c. 1880) "living history" museum and cultural arts center by helping defray the cost of an elevator that makes all levels of the recently restored site fully accessible to everyone.

The Kenilworth Historical Society (www.kenilworthhistoricalsociety.org) is an independent, volunteer-based, non-profit, taxexempt, 501(c) (3) organization dedicated to the research, preservation and interpretation of the historic Oswald J. Nitschke House (c. 1880), local history and culture.



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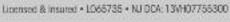






















### RIBERTO'S CELEBRATES **GRAND OPENING**

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Owner Kenny Shaw said "I have been a proud and established contributor to the Kenilworth community for the past 11 years. I was first introduced to the town of Kenilworth back in 2005 and immediately fell in love with it. We ended up taking over Kenilworth Liquors in 2006 and have been serving the community since. In 2014 we took ownership of Umberto's Italian Restaurant and gained valuable experience in the Italian restaurant industry. With the support of the community, Riberto's Italian Seafood Bistro and Steakhouse will be my third business venture and I look forward to your support."

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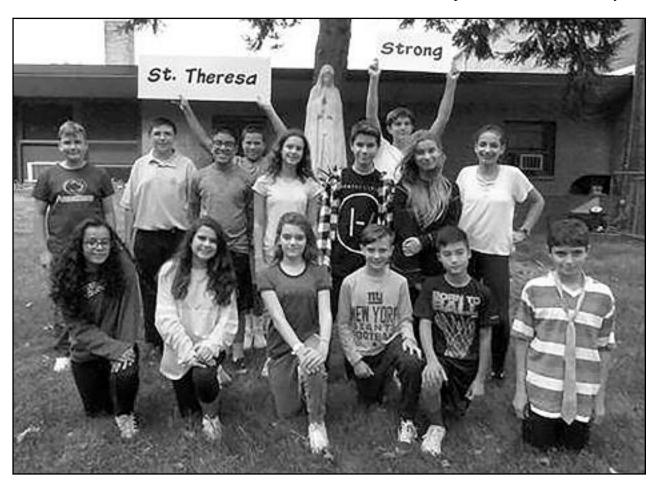
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The National Junior Honor Society's students uniform. from St. Theresa School in Kenilworth held a school fundraiser for recent hurricane victims in Florida and Texas.

The children held a school tag day in which students could dress down instead of their

Ms. Pakulski, the 8th grade teacher, located two schools named St. Theresa's that had damage from hurricanes Harvey and Irma.

They raised well over \$1,200 to donate to the two schools to help rebuild their community.



(above, front, l-r) Gabriela Ramos, Gianna Vaynberg, Paige Devanney, Joseph Grimaldi Alex Han, Andrew; (back, l-r) Armand Benegas, Sean Meehan, Manny Brito, Tyler Runfolo, Olivia Bergamotto, Zachary Devanney, Michael Grossi, Allison Jones, Ava Perona







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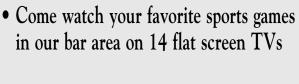
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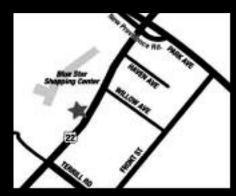
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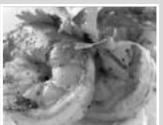
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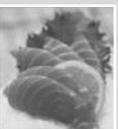
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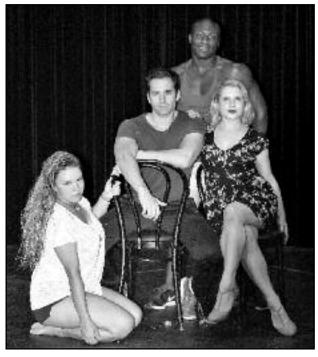
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### JAZZY 1920'S WHODUNNIT THE WILD PARTY OPENS 99TH SEASON AT CDC

March's 1928 narrative poem of the same name. will open the 2017-2018 season at CDC Theatre New Jersey's oldest continuously producing community theatre.

potent cocktail of an all-night party in late 1920s Manhattan," says director Sean Lough. Adapted 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



(above 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 jealous, but Queenie begins to fall in love with and excess roar across the stage in this steamy her conquest named Mr. Black. After a long night prohibition tale based on Joseph Moncure of decadence, Burrs' jealousy erupts and he comes to a violent end at Mr. Black's hand. In the This darkly brilliant show, featuring one of the stark light of a new day, Queenie moves out into most exciting, pulse-racing scores ever written, a brighter world, although not necessarily a brighter future, leaving the passed-out revelers in in Cranford, NJ. This marks the 99th season at her wake. An award-winning score by Andrew Lippa provides excitement and drive for this tale of passions out of control. Capturing the sound "The musical is like a Jazz Age take on of a bygone era with a nod to the present one, he Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream; a makes us realize that moral decadence is not only limited to our past.

"We were blown away by the local talent at from a book-length poem written in and about the auditions", Lough continued, "this piece has a white-hot jazz score played to perfection by Jack

Bender's smoking-hot eight-piece band — and every role needs a real triple threat: someone who can sing like Idina, dance like Chita and act like Streep. We have amazing local talent from Cranford, Westfield, Fanwood, as well as New Brunswick and Queens. If you love film noir or suspense thrillers, Wild Party is the perfect musicalization of the dark themes that make those genres so emotional. And yet it's as fun and fearless as anything being written for the theater today."

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.

## OCTOBER TRIP TO MOHEGAN SUN CASINO AND **DECEMBER 'ENCHANTED HOLIDAY SAMPLER'** TRIP TO LANCASTER COUNTY, PA. TO BENEFIT HISTORIC NITSCHKE HOUSE

The Kenilworth Historical Society will host bus trips to Mohegan Sun Casino (Uncasville, Conn.) on Sat., Oct. 28, 2017, and to the National Christmas Center, Shady Maple Smorgasbord and Kitchen Kettle Village (Lancaster County, Pa.) on Sat., Dec. 2, 2017.

The Oct. 28 Mohegan Sun trip will depart Kenilworth (St. Theresa's School parking lot) at 8 a.m. and return to Kenilworth at approximately 9 p.m. Cost of \$55 includes comfortable motor coach transportation, an approximate six-hour visit to the casino, which additionally houses a wide range of distinctive shops and popular restaurants, a \$15 coupon for the casino's sumptuous buffet, another type of meal or shopping, and a \$10 coupon for free bets.

The Dec. 2 Lancaster County "Enchanted Holiday Sampler" trip will depart Kenilworth (St. Theresa's School parking lot) at 7:15 a.m. and return to Kenilworth at approximately 8 p.m. Cost of \$85 includes comfortable motor coach transportation, admission to the National Christmas Center, which features 15 main galleries of life-sized exhibits celebrating the magic and memories, history and traditions of Christmas, a 1950s replica Woolworth's 5&10 store -- and more; a sumptuous feast at Shady Maple Smorgasbord (Lancaster County's largest smorgasbord) featuring 200 ft. of buffets with more than 100 selections; and a visit to Kitchen Kettle Village, which has more than 40 specialty shops and offers an array of holiday festivities. There are extraordinary gift shops at all three

For each trip there will be complimentary door prizes on the bus. For further information and reservations, please call 908-709-0434 or 908-709-0391. As space is limited on these popular outings, it is suggested that reservations be made early to ensure availability. Gift certificates for the trips are available for purchase.

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### THE FRIENDS OF BLACK BROOK PARK

The Friends of Black Brook Park from Kenilworth was honored to participate in an American Revolutionary reenactment of the Battle of Short Hills. The reenactment occurred on the 240th anniversary of the battle, which had taken place on June 26th, 1777. The event was sponsored by the County of Union, The Brigade of the American Revolution and the 3rd New Jersey Regiment.

The event, which took place at the Union County Oak Ridge Park in Clark on June 26th, had superb reenactments of the battle that was fought by the American Continentals against British forces, who were trying to lure General Washington down from the safety of the Watchung Mountains. The result of this battle forced the British to consider another strategy and caused them to travel by sea to capture Philadelphia instead.

"This was the best American Revolutionary War event I have had the pleasure to witness in the years since 2001 of following these American Revolutionary War events," stated Dorothea Krihak, founder of Friends of Black Brook Park.

The group was included in the event to exhibit the history behind the Union County Seal: the Battle of Connecticut Farms. That battle, which occurred at a later date during the American Revolutionary War, on June 7th, 1780, had taken place in what is today the towns of Union and Kenilworth.

The Short Hills Battle recreation experience "brought to life" the history of the American Revolutionary War. From the participants' mode of dress to the supplies for the field action and camps, to the stately horse, attention to accurate detail made the event a success.

"Seeing this reenactment battle, which included horse dragoons (heavily armed soldiers on horseback), was quite a beautiful sight," explained Dorothea Krihak. "I would like to thank the County of Union for our inclusion in this event at the entrance exhibit. The American Revolutionary War history that took place here in Union County is quite extensive. Having the opportunity to teach the history behind our county seal of Union there is one I will never forget. We had quite a backdrop."



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### **18 TEENS PARTAKE IN YOUTH FACILITATOR** TRAINING FOR GRIEF SUPPORT

On Saturday, September 9th, Imagine held its sixth youth facilitator training. 18 amazing young people, ages 14 to 18, attended the full day training which sensitizes teen participants to the issue of childhood grief and prepares the youth to assist with the facilitation of peer-support groups for children who are coping with the death of a parent or a sibling. Through the development of listening and facilitating skills, these teens are now prepared to be loving listeners, group facilitators and advocates for grieving children in their community.

"We are so grateful for the participation of these youth. The teens bring wisdom, youthful energy and a wonderful presence and skill set to our volunteer program and grief support groups, facilitating groups right along with the adult volunteer facilitators," said Connie Palmer,

Imagine Clinical Training Director. "We've been working with teen facilitators since 2012 and they have added a profound and powerful aspect to our programs."

Imagine provides free year-round peer support groups for children age 3-18 who have had a parent or sibling die, with concurrent groups for parents and guardians. Free support groups are also available for young adults 18 and up who have had a friend, sibling or parent die. Imagine also provides in-home support and support groups for children and teens who have a family member living with a life-altering physical illness. For more information about Imagine, come for a tour offered three times a month. Tour dates can be found by visiting their website at www.imaginenj.org contact info@imaginenj.org or 908-264-3100.



Imagine is so grateful for our dedicated youth and adult volunteers who provide the opportunity for grieving children and their parents to get the support they need. (above) Giulia Gocci of Mountainside, Julia Zucosky of Scotch Plains, Kelly Greiner of Chatham, Dani Jayinski of Scotch Plains, Sara Miller of Westfield, Amanda Carrico of Mountainside, Jessica Friebely of Scotch Plains, Colette Franciscus of Scotch Plains, Brett Simons of Short Hills, Justin Zucker of Westfield, Abby Riordon of Westfield, Sara Joseph of Kenilworth, Kai Chiang of Mountainside, Will Sherry of Westfield, Tunji Oaadewole of North Plainfield, Jeremy





### **FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP MEETS OCT 11**

Are you feeling stressed and alone in trying to cope with the effects of a loved one's mental illness?

Join the new NAMI- Union County Family Support Group on Tuesday, October 17. We meet monthly on the 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm at the Presbyterian Church, 11 Springfield Avenue in Cranford.

You can park on the street or in the Gray Funeral Home lot across the street (if their lights are off which means no services). Follow the NAMI sign posted on the church's side entrance on Springfield Ave.

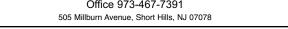
A NAMI Family Support Group is a peer led support group for families, caregivers and loved ones of individuals with mental illness. Gain insight from those sharing their challenges and successes when faced with similar circumstances. Questions?

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### "FOUR CENTURIES IN A WEEKEND" PROGRAM AT NITSCHKE HOUSE

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-- Living History Program Set in 1907 to Feature Colorful Characters from Kenilworth's Past --

Visitors to Kenilworth's historic Oswald J. Nitschke House (c. 1880) at 49 South 21 Street on October 21 and October 22 will meet colorful characters from 1907, the time of Kenilworth's incorporation as an independent borough. An exhibition, "New Orange Residents Create Kenilworth," featuring a fascinating display of some never-before-shown historic photographs, drawings and artifacts, will be on display in celebration of the 110th anniversary of the incorporation of Kenilworth and in recognition of the 150th birthday (on November 1) of the late Mayor Oswald J. Nitschke (1867-1934).

Visitors also will be able to view the site's new "teaching gardens," which have been created, in large part, with funding generously provided by the Merck Foundation, and to observe cooking demonstrations that show the importance of home food gardens in the lifeways of the Nitschkes and other late 19th-century immigrants. This year's gardens and related garden-to-table foodways program feature heirloom vegetables that would have been especially popular among Italian immigrants who, according to the 1910 census, headed more local households at that time than any other immigrant group.

The guided tour and activities at the Nitschke House will be presented for the general public between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on October 21 and from noon to 5 p.m. on October

MAYOR OSWALD NITSCHKE

(above) The 110th anniversary of the incorporation of Kenilworth as an independent borough, as well as the 150th birthday of the late former Mayor Oswald J. Nitschke (shown here), will be celebrated during a "living history" program and related exhibition planned for October 21 and 22, when the historic Oswald J. Nitschke House (c. 1880) will be open to the general public as part of Union County's annual historic sites tour, "Four Centuries in a Weekend." The Nitschke House "living history" museum and cultural arts center is equipped with an elevator and is fully accessible.

22, during Union County's annual historic sites tour, "Four Centuries in a Weekend." Admission is free. The Nitschke House is equipped with an elevator and is fully accessible. For further information, please call 908-709-0434.

The featured exhibition at the Nitschke House is being made possible in part by a 2017 HEART (History, Education, Arts Reaching Thousands) Grant from Union County. Funding for other aspects of the site's weekend program is being provided, in part, by the Kenilworth Municipal Alliance Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

During "Four Centuries in a Weekend," visitors to the Nitschke House will be able to view the building's five historic rooms, which are authentically furnished in the 1905-1934 period (the time of Kenilworth's first wave of suburban development when former Mayor Oswald J. Nitschke made his greatest contributions to its

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growth), as well as its exhibition center, the venue for an ever-changing array of year-round historical and cultural exhibits. They also will be able to observe the restoration of the building's original storm windows, a project that has been made possible by grants from the 1772 Foundation and "Preserve Union County" grant programs.

The Kenilworth Historical Society saved the Nitschke House, home of former Kenilworth Mayor Oswald J. Nitschke, by moving it in 2003, following Dr. Jerome Forman's donation of the building to the Society, to its present location (land acquired with the help of the Kenilworth Veterans Center and a New Jersey DEP Green Acres grant).

Major restoration work at the Nitschke House site has been completed and an official Certificate of Occupancy has been granted.



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### "BARD ON THE BOULEVARD" PRESENTS: MACBETH

Kenilworth Public Library this fall, when the Hudson Shakespeare Company presents Shakespeare's dark tragedy, Macbeth. The third and final installment of the "Bard on the Boulevard" series will be presented at the Kenilworth Public Library on Thursday, October 19th at 7:00 p.m.

Just in time for Halloween, new and returning members of the Hudson Shakespeare company will bring this macabre tale to life in the library stacks. This performance of the "Scottish play" will feature Adam G. Brooks as the murderous, ambitious ruler and Taylor Baskin as the conspiring Lady Macbeth, with Tom Duke, Joshua Blount, Arielle Legere and Jess Rawls rounding out the talented cast. With an unsettling atmosphere and gruesome subject matter, Macbeth remains one of Shakespeare's most

Something wicked this way comes to the performed, studied, produced and beloved works.

> Funding for "The Bard on the Boulevard" has been made possible in part by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts, Department of State, a partner agency of the National Endowment for the Arts, through a grant administered by the Union County Office of Cultural & Heritage Affairs. Additional funding has also been provided by a generous donation from the Kenilworth Chamber of Commerce.

> The Hudson Shakespeare Company has been involved in productions both classic and modern since 1992. Recent Bard on the Boulevard plays have included a series of Shakespeare's Histories, as well as Macbeth, Two Gentlemen of Verona, and Pericles. Their skilled players and directors combine the comic and tragic to produce unforgettable performances.

### LIBRARY "YARNIES" ROLL OUT NEW CHARITY PROJECT KITS

monthly program at the Kenilworth Public fiber arts, or want to learn more about them, this Library! Yarnies: Library Fiber Nights will take is the event for you. place in the library on the last Thursday of each month from 6:00 to 7:45 pm. You don't need any crafting experience to enjoy these special evenings of creative exploration. Feel free to bring a project to work on. Watch demonstrations of knitting, crocheting and weaving. Try your items to a local shelter. Big thanks to Karen Freid

Everyone is welcome to attend the fiber crafts finished item to show others. If you enjoy the

We have something new for you - Grab 'n Go kits for charity knit and crochet projects. Pick up a project bag, work on in the item at your leisure and return the completed project to the Kenilworth Public Library. We will donate the hand at spinning on a spinning wheel. Bring a and Barbara Svachak for putting together the kits.

### NATIONAL FRIENDS OF LIBRARIES WEEK TO BE CELEBRATED

The Kenilworth Public Library will be spending the week of October 15-21, 2017, celebrating its Friends of the Library group as part of the 12th annual celebration of National Friends of Libraries Week.

All interested community members are invited to attend the next Friends of The Kenilworth Public Library meeting, which will be held on Tuesday, October 17 at 6:30 p.m. in the library's Activity Room. Light refreshments will be served.

The Friends of the Kenilworth Public Library

group is made up of volunteers who raise money and increase public awareness about our library. Money raised by this group supports such important library services as summer reading club programs and special events for both children and adults.

National Friends of Libraries Week is coordinated by United for Libraries, a division of the American Library Association with approximately 4,000 personal and group members representing hundreds of thousands of library supporters.



### **NO BAKE ENGLISH MUFFIN** PIZZA WORKSHOP

Thursday, Nov.2 at 3:30 - 4:15 pm for ages 5 - 13 years old.

Learn how to prepare healthy after school snacks with dietitian, Victoria Coglianese. Children ages 5 – 13 years old will have an opportunity to learn how to prepare No Bake English Muffin Pizzas.

Children ages 9 and under must be accompanied by an adult in order to participate in this program. Each participant will be able to enjoy their healthy snack at the conclusion of this workshop. Registration is required.

### **ROBIN HOOD, NOV. 2ND**

The Traveling Lantern Company will present the play Robin Hood for children ages 4 & up on Thursday, November 2 at 7:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

Join us for this interactive performance of heroic deeds and jolly adventures in this liveaction theater tale of Robin Hood and his Merry Men, who are ever jauntily escaping from the clutches of the ill-disposed Sheriff of Nottingham.

### **CHILDREN'S EVENTS**

Author and Illustrator José Lucio recently visited the Kenilworth Public Library to present a drawing workshop for children, providing an opportunity to learn how to sketch characters from his books, Heave Ho and Free Rain.





(above) Children had an opportunity to purchase a copy of these books, and have them signed at the conclusion of this event.

(left) Andrew Siegele, a science educator from Wondergy science museum, recently visited the Kenilworth Public Library to present various science experiments using recycled materials. This event was funded by a Recycling Grant given to the Borough of Kenilworth.



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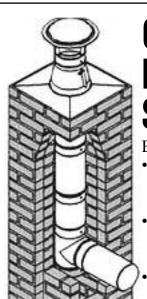


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