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MOUNTAINSIDE FD HURRICANE HARVEY RELIEF EFFORT

The Mountainside Fire Department organized a countywide relief drive which delivered much needed supplies to victims of Hurricane Harvey in Houston. Residents from Mountainside, Chatham and Westfield among others who stopped by were greeted by members of Mountainside Fire Department and Mountainside Police Department during the Labor Day effort. Over 100 boxes and packaging supplies were donated by the Home Depot in Union and were utilized to their full extent. New clothes, diapers, baby wipes, hygiene items and food were some of the major items donated by residents.

Shortly after Hurricane Harvey devastated Houston, Mountainside Fire Department firefighter Alex Polce took the initiative to organize relief efforts. After speaking to Houston OEM coordinators, who were still overwhelmed by the search and rescue effort and desperate for first responders, Firefighter Polce worked his contacts online to find help getting the supplies to Houston. In a twist of fate, Firefighter Polce, who is also a Marine veteran and member of online discussion boards for the veterans community, noticed a post that Hermann's Transportation Services would be sending trucks to Houston in a relief effort organized by Jersey City Firefighter Brian Hermann, the son of a Marine veteran. The brotherhood of Firefighters and Marines was the common bond that would bring the Mountainside Fire Department relief run a reality. With the support of Mountainside Chief Pecorelli and the outstanding efforts of



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the members of Mountainside Fire Department, relief supplies would soon be on their way.

Community businesses in the area also played a huge part helping to get the word out to residents and act as satellite drop-off points. Twin Elephant Brewery and the Mountainside Deli helped to notify their loyal customers that help was on the way for Houston and their help was needed. The Central Jersey Leathernecks, members of the Marine Corps League were also essential in getting the word out and helping with donations.

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MOUNTAINSIDE'S AMERICARE PHYSICAL THERAPY EXPANDS TO WARREN

AmeriCare Physical Therapy, a professional physical therapy clinic serving various communities throughout New Jersey, announced the launching of their newest clinic at 125 Washington Valley Road, Warren, NJ 07059. The new location began seeing new patients on October 2, and are planning a special ribbon cutting ceremony to be held on October 20th at 6:30 pm. Among the guests are Mayor Garafola and representatives from the Chamber of Commerce.

AmeriCare Physical Therapy wishes to extend an invitation to past and current patients, as well as doctors, other medical experts, and all who reside in the Warren area. Guests will enjoy food, drink and music, as well as comprehensive equipment demonstrations and a meet-and-greet with practice owner Dr. Susan Rele.

Speaking about the recent expansion and the clinic's focus on patient satisfaction, Dr. Rele declared: "It's very exciting to be expanding our practice. We're all about helping people, providing consistent quality care, communicating with our patients and working closely with them and their circle of healthcare providers to get them back to maximizing their function."

Dr. Rele also highlighted the important role AmeriCare places on constant staff training: "Our therapists are highly competent and compassionate and believe in providing a clear plan of care for those that need to get back on the road to recovery. This gives us the chance to help that many more people from Union and Somerset



(above) Dr. Susan Rele

counties."

Established in 2006, AmeriCare Physical Therapy has grown from a single-office clinic in Millburn to employing more than 20 medical professionals in three state-of-the-art clinics. Patients can benefit from a variety of physical therapy services, including orthopedic care, sports-related injury treatment, spinal care, joint replacement, ergonomic assessment and various others.

Interested parties can find more information / to RSVP by visiting: www.AmeriCarePT.com, or email robert@americarept.com.





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OBITUARY

RUTH JAMES NEWMAN

Born July 22, 1922 in White Haven, PA, she was the daughter of Paul Joseph Aselin and Grace Ruth Aselin. Ruth graduated from Roselle Park High School in Roselle Park, NJ and Ambler Horticultural College in PA.

Ruth was a woman ahead of her time, taking Yoga and auto mechanic classes at the YWCA in the 1960's and learning how to successfully invest in the stock market. She was an accomplished artist in sculpture, painting and ceramics.

Ruth lived in Mountainside, NJ, Winston Salem, NC and Belgrade Lakes, ME.

She is preceded in death by husbands, Paul James and Bob Newman; and daughter-in-law, Marilyn James. Ruth is survived by sons, Dick and Bob (Dianne) James; daughter, Lynda (Rich) Murray; four grandchildren, Clark, Robert and Sarah James and David Murray; and four great grandchildren, Caroline, William, Henry and Elliott James.

Memorial contributions can be made to Girl Scouts of America,

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Arrangements are entrusted Schoedinger Northwest Chapel . To share a special memory of Ruth, please visit the online guestbook at www.schoedinger.com

FASHION SHOW TO BENEFIT CENTER FOR HOPE

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 Taylor. 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 to win the "Gift Card the center's website: centerforhope.com.

Tickets are now on sale for the Center for 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

SENIOR CITIZEN EVENTS

AARP SMART DRIVER

Take the AARP Smart Driver classroom course and you could save money on your car insurance. The course will be held at Borough Hall Rescue Squad Conf. Room Wed, Oct 25th. - 9:30-3:30 pm

Refresh your driving skills and knowledge of the rules of the road and learn techniques for handling left turns, right-of-way and roundabouts. Discover proven driving methods to help keep you and your loved ones safe on the road. \$15/AARP members and \$20/non-members. RSVP to Kim Moriak 232-4406.

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Come join us for a fun workshop making protein shakes from a completely plant-based protein powder, as well as, creating 2 homemade essential oil remedy for you to enjoy at home. You will be taking home Therapy Playdough, Sleep Aid Foot Spray, and a free gift bag for attending. The event will be held on

Tues, Oct 17th at 11-1 pm

in the Community Room \$10/person Refreshments will be served. RSVP is a must as space is limited. Call Kim Moriak 232-4406 to make a resv. Make checks payable to Borough of Mountainside.



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OCTOBER SAGE ELDERCARE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SAGE Eldercare, 290 Broad Street, Summit. To register or for more information, please call 908.598.5509.

Gentle Chair Yoga

Meets weekly on Mondays and Wednesdays. Cost is \$10 per class. 11:30 am - 12:30 pm,

Class for older adults that deepens flexibility and strengthens personal body awareness. SAGE Eldercare, 290 Broad Street, Summit. To register or obtain more information, please call 908.598.5548 or email education@sageeldercare.org.

Caregiver Support Group for Spouses

Every other Monday, 2-3:30 pm,

A support group for caregivers will be led by Licensed Clinical Social Worker and InfoCare Manager Kathy Larkin. The groups will cover topics such as coping with caregiver emotions and managing stress, navigating care options, and defining our roles as caregivers. Preregistration is required for this free group.

Caregiver Support Group for Adult Children

Every other Monday, 7-8:30 pm.

A free support group for adult children who act as their parents' caregivers will be led by Licensed Clinical Social Worker and InfoCare Manager Kathy Larkin. The groups will cover topics such as balancing work and the needs of their families, long-distance caregiving, family conflicts, finding resources, and navigating the healthcare system. Pre-registration is required for this free group.

Walking Safety

Knowing how to be a safe pedestrian in distracted times can help seniors remain independent, stay mobile, and enhance overall well-being. Judy Bortman, TransOptions Marketing Specialist, will give practical tips to be a safe pedestrian and savvy senior. Free, 10 - 11 am.

Fun-to-be-Fit Exercise Class

Meets weekly on Tuesdays. 10:15 – 11:15 am. General exercise class for older adults designed to improve overall fitness for all levels.

Cost is \$10 per class.

Tai Chi

Meets weekly on Tuesdays. 11:30 am – 12:45 pm. Tai Chi is a series of precise flowing movements that develop balance, strength, flexibility, focus, endurance, and calmness. Cost is \$10 per class.

Blood Pressure, Cholesterol, and Glucose Screenings

Wednesday, October 11, , 1 - 2:30 pm.

Maintaining proper accountability of your health statistics is not an easy task. If you are not properly equipped, you probably are not checking your vitals and numbers in between doctor visits. This program by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey offers free of charge screenings of blood pressure, cholesterol, and glucose to provide baseline comparisons. Free.

Medicare Open Enrollment

Thursday, October 12

It's time for Medicare Open Enrollment (October 15-December 7) when you can change your coverage.
Union County SHIP Counselors will discuss Medicare and prescription drug plans, and answer questions. Free,

1 - 2 pm.

Total Brain Health

Thursday, October 12

Total Brain Health will lead a seminar to improve cognitive vitality. Free, 2:30 - 3:30 pm, held at the Mountainside Community Presbyterian Church, 1459 Deer Path, Mountainside. To register or for more information, please call 908.598.5548 or email education@sageeldercare.org.

Pitfalls of Long-Term Care

Thursday, October 12

Trying to effectively navigate the maze of the senior health care system without a plan and professional guidance can be a disaster. This presentation, led by Attorney Bob Murray, of the Murray Firm, will cover the common mistakes that are often made and offer tips to help you avoid a long-term care crisis. Free, 6 - 7:30 pm.

Senior Home Equity Information

Wednesday, October 18, 1 - 2 pm.

This program will educate senior homeowners about the pros and cons of the FHA Home Equity Conversion Mortgage Program (reverse mortgages) and provide information to avoid scams. Presented by Janice Szallai, Reverse Mortgage Advisor of Liberty Home Equity Solutions. Free.

Ageless Grace Brain Health Fitness

Thursday, October 19, 11 - 11:45 am.

Ageless Grace is a cutting-edge brain fitness program based on neuroplasticity that activates all five functions of the brain – analytical, strategic, kinesthetic learning, memory/recall, creativity and imagination – and simultaneously addresses all 21 physical skills needed for lifelong optimal function. Simple, natural movements are used in a playful environment. Led by Kara Hodes-Wechsler, Certified Integrative Health Coach and Ageless Grace educator. October trial classes are free.

SAGE Theatre Benefit

Thursday, October 19

The SAGE Theatre Benefit will include a performance of Shakespeare in Love at The Shakespeare Theatre of New Jersey, 36 Madison Ave., Madison, NJ, 7 pm, and a "Know the Show" talk with directors and production team members. \$100/ticket. RSVP to Sunanda Sharma: 908.598.5504 or email: ssharma@sageeldercare.org, or purchase tickets online at: www.sageeldercare.org.



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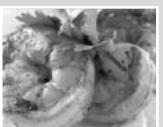
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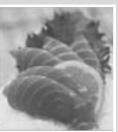
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OCTOBER PROGRAMS AT THE MOUNTAINSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Mountainside Public Library is located at 1 Constitution Plaza, Mountainside, NJ. To register for these programs, stop into the library or call 908-233-0115.

The Library will be closed on Monday, October 9 in observance of Columbus Day.

Friends Fall Book Sale.

The Friends of the Mountainside Library will be having their Annual Fall Book Sale this month. Drop off days are October 20 through October 24 during library hours and October 25 until noon. Donations of gently used books, CDs, DVDs, audiobooks, games and puzzles are requested. Sale days are Friday and Saturday, October 27-28 from 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM. There will also be a "Bag Day" on Monday, October 30 from 10:00 AM to 8:30 PM. Who knows what you will find at the Friends' Book sale! All sale proceeds benefit the Library by financing sponsorship of events such as adult and children's musical and educational programming.

Tuesday Night Movies

Testament of Youth (2015) will be shown on **October 3.**

Testament of Youth is a powerful story of love, war and remembrance, based on the First World War memoir by Vera Brittain, which has become the classic testimony of that war from a woman's point of view. A searing journey from youthful hopes and dreams to the edge of despair and back again, it's a film about young love, the futility of war and how to make sense of the darkest times (PG-13).

Loving (2016) will be screened on

October 10.

The story of Richard and Mildred Loving, a couple whose arrest for interracial marriage in 1960s Virginia began a legal battle that would end with the Supreme Court's historic 1967 decision (PG-13).

Norman (2017) is our offering on October 17.

Persistent wheeler-dealer Norman (Richard Gere) falls in with an Israeli politician (Lior Ashkenazi) on the rise. When the politician is elected prime minister, Norman rises in esteem with the New York Jewish community, even though his social connections might only be a sham (R). Showtime for each movie is 6:30 PM. (There will be no movie shown on

PM. (There will be no movie shown on October 24 and October 31 due to the Friends Book Sale.)

BROWN BAG ACADEMY,

Opera on Film Series,

Friday, October 13 at 1:00 PM.
Friday Operas on Film series, sponsored by the T. Robel Hill Foundation and presented by Mena Clemson, will be showing Lucia Di Lammermore by Gaetano Donizetti. This 1982 recording stars Joan Sutherland as Lucia and Alfredo Kraus as Edgardo. Richard Bonynge conducts The Metropolitan Opera Orchestra and Chorus.

"Guided Meditation for Inner Peace" Thursday, October 19 at 7:30 PM.

Sally Younghans returns to the library for a

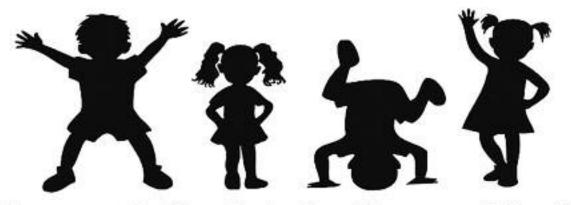
special fall series on mindfulness. Learning to be more mindful and incorporating techniques that Sally will share have proven to decrease stress and improve overall health and wellbeing. Sally will be with us the third Thursday of every month through December from 7:30-8:30pm. This series is for everyone - beginners and those with experience. The lessons are designed as "stand alone" so feel free to come to one session or all of them-we are sure you will find it to be a valuable experience.

This month Sally will focus on the Power of Intention.

Saturday Musical Getaways: Halloween Show Saturday, October 14, 2:00-3:00 PM.

Gerard and Diane Barros, of "One Fine Tapestry: A Carol King Tribute" fame, return to the Library for a special fall-themed show. Gerard and Diane are a unique husband and wife keyboard and guitar duo, specializing in 2-part harmonies. With an "old school duo" approach to playing instruments and singing live, this versatile pair of musicians provide great entertainment for children and adults.

Their Halloween show is a fun mix of Halloween classics and "non-conventional" golden oldies related to Halloween traditions. They will be covering songs by such artists as the Classics IV ("Spooky"), Ella Fitzgerald, Juice Newton, Warren Zevon ("Werewolves of London"), Annie Lennox, Bobby "Boris" Pickett ("Monster Mash") and, of course, the Zombies.



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MOUNTAINSIDE SCHOOLS ACHIEVES SUSTAINABILITY CERTIFICATION

Both Beechwood and Deerfield Schools in the Mountainside School District have met the rigorous requirements to achieve Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification. These schools, the only ones in Union County, join a group of





91 schools that achieved the Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification in 2017. A total of 679 schools and 273 school districts are participating in the program overall.

"We are so proud of the efforts of our students, faculty, community members, administrators, and board members who all collaborated to achieve this recognition," notes Dr. Nancy Lubarsky, Chief School Administrator. "This was definitely a team effort!" Mountainside School District is a small, 750 student, high performing K-8 district in suburban New Jersey, committed to contributing to a sustainable environment from actions taken at the board level right through to daily activities at each school and the cafeterias. Teachers incorporate sustainability lessons into their everyday instruction across the curriculum.

"As students and teachers head back to school this year, they will learn the good news that their hard work has paid off," said Randall Solomon, executive director of Sustainable Jersey. "Becoming certified with Sustainable Jersey for Schools is a significant achievement for schools and their school district. The number of schools participating in the program is truly remarkable."

Sustainable Jersey for Schools, a program for kindergarten through twelfth-grade public schools in New Jersey, is voluntary, but achieving certification is not easy. Each school that is certified at the bronze level must submit documentation to show it has completed a balanced portfolio of the program's sustainability actions, attaining a minimum of 150 points. Silver-level certification requires a minimum of 350 points of sustainability actions. Over 2,700 sustainability actions were completed by schools and districts participating in the Sustainable Jersey for Schools program - from performing energy audits and boosting recycling efforts to integrating sustainability into student learning and promoting student and staff wellness.

"We are proud of the leadership provided by the boards of education and their superintendents, as well as the contributions of principals, teachers, education support professionals and parents, that made this important milestone a reality," said Dr. Lawrence S. Feinsod, New Jersey School Boards Association executive director. "We congratulate the schools on achieving Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification." On October 24, 2017, the certified schools and their districts will be celebrated at a reception held during NJSBA Workshop 2017 in Atlantic City. Workshop 2017 will feature Sustainable Jersey for Schools sessions along with NJSBA sustainability support programs for schools.

About Sustainable Jersey for Schools

Sustainable Jersey for Schools is a certification program for public schools in New Jersey. It was launched by Sustainable Jersey, a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that provides tools, training and financial incentives to support and reward municipalities and schools as they pursue sustainability programs. To date, 274 school districts and 679 schools are participating in the program. The district participation has grown to include 46 percent of all New Jersey school districts.

Sustainable Jersey for Schools is underwritten by the New Jersey School Boards Association (NJSBA), the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Clean Energy Program, The Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation and the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA). The 2017 Sustainable Jersey for Schools small grants program is funded by the PSEG Foundation, NJEA, the Gardinier Environmental Fund and the New Jersey Department of Health. Founding Sponsor contributors are South Jersey Gas, New Jersey Natural Gas and NJM Insurance Group. Bayer Foundation and Investors Bank are Silver Sponsors.

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THE NEW JERSEY MENTAL HEALTH PLAYERS

The Union County affiliate of National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) is an organization dedicated to helping those who care for a loved one with a mental illness. At the NAMI public meeting on October 24, the NJ Mental Health Players will present 2 skits that will focus on scenarios that caregivers may often

The skits that will be presented are "Family Dynamics before the Holidays" and "Fostering Positive Relationships". Come and learn important coping mechanisms and strategies through these skits.

All are welcome to this free event. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. and is held at the RWJ Rahway Fitness and Wellness Center, located at 2120 Lamberts Mill Rd., Scotch Plains, NJ 07076.

For more information call 908-233-1628 or email namiunioncounty@yahoo.com

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? Email namiunioncounty@yahoo.com or call 908-233-1628.

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR CAREGIVERS

Imagine is offering support groups for adult caregivers under 60 who are living with a family member's chronic or terminal illness. The groups are safe spaces in which people can express their feelings and gain support from fellow caregivers. The criteria for participation includes caring for any person with a diagnosis of physical illness, injury or disease that significantly changes one's day to day life. Caregivers must be 60 years old or younger. The groups will meet twice a month on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. at Imagine's location at 244 Sheffield Street in Mountainside, NJ.

If you or someone you know could benefit

from joining Imagine's Coping With Illness program, please contact Mandi Zucker, MSW, 908-264-3100 CTat mandi@imaginenj.org.

Imagine provides free year-round peer grief support for more than 250 children and adults from 48 NJ towns every two weeks and every year provides training, education, and on-site support to over 2500 teachers, parents, students, employees, social workers, counselors and members of community organizations.

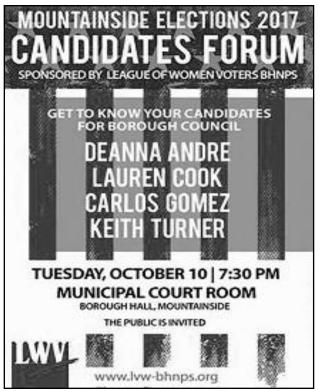
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THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF WESTFIELD

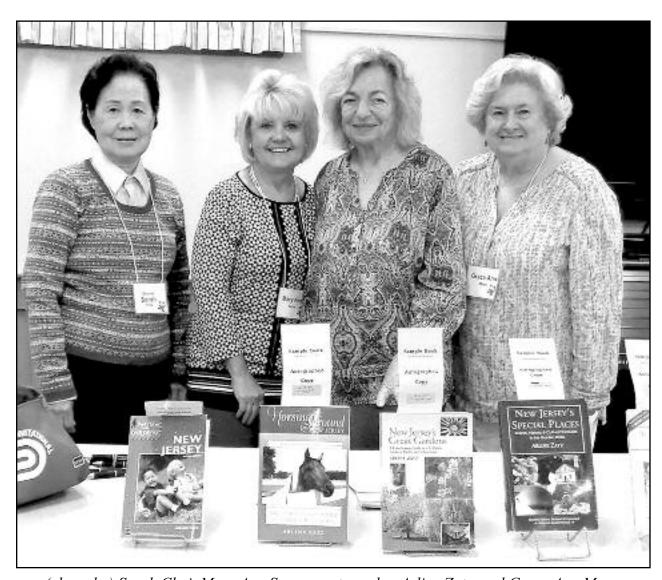
The Woman's Club of Westfield (WCW) spent an enjoyable afternoon recently during a general meeting of the club. The club's upcoming year's schedule was discussed and first on the list will be the annual decorating and filling of Christmas stockings for our troops who will find themselves far away for Christmas. This is a project very much enjoyed and supported by our members.

A guest speaker, Arline Zatz, gave a very interesting slide program which she narrated on The Gardens of New Jersey, including Public Gardens, Aboretums, and Parks. She was able to give a personal touch to each slide which added to the effect of the beautiful flowers and trees

The Woman's Club of Westfield (WCW) spent shown. Arline has written many books including: "New Jersey Bicycle Tours, Great Gardens" and Best Hikes With Children."

Ladies from Westfield and the surrounding area who are interested in helping those in need, working on group projects and making new friends at the same time are encouraged to join us. Meetings are held from September through June at the Atlas Pythagoras Masonic Lodge, 1011 Central Avenue, Westfield.

For more information please write to Woman's Club of Westfield, Post Office Box 1157, Mountainside, NJ, 07092.



(above l-r) Sarah Choi, Mary Ann Sepe, guest speaker Arline Zatz, and Grace Ann Meyn.





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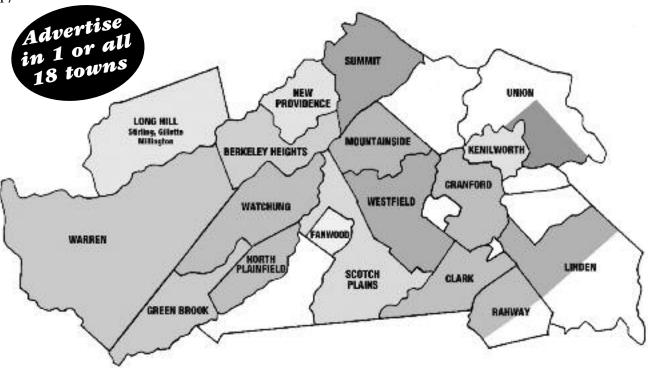
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FOUR CENTURIES WEEKEND AT HETFIELD HOUSE COMING THIS OCTOBER

County's "Four Centuries in a Weekend" event. Each year, Union County celebrates its important places in history by featuring many historic sites throughout the County. The historic Hetfield House will be open for visitors on Saturday, October 21 from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Sunday, October 22 from 12 p.m. - 5 p.m.

During Saturday and Sunday, back by popular demand, there will be a miniature simulation of a Revolutionary War Battle. This year, The Battle of Monmouth will be reenacted. Mountainside's own John Sileo, a member of the Tri-State Historical Education Simulations, Inc., will be present to engage in a lively discussion on the battle, fought nearby on June 28, 1778 in Monmouth County, New Jersey. The discussions will be augmented by a diorama of the military actions with hundreds of hand-painted soldiers.

In addition, the Mountainside Restoration Committee will have on display during the weekend a collection of Mountainside Pottery. The collection was acquired from former Mountainside residents Brent and Roberta Barnes. The Mountainside Pottery Company was in business at 1140 Hwy. 22 in Mountainside from 1929-1940. The company was owned by John Kovacs, from Hungary, who was affiliated with Rutgers University. Earlier Mountainside Pottery works were simple white utilitarian pieces while later works are more colorful and decorative.

The Mountainside Historic Committee will also be displaying its new acquisition of a very special copper coin – a 1797 NJ-Maris 6-D Copper Coin. The coin is thought to have been struck by a Hetfield relative who worked at a mint once located in Rahway.

Tours of the Hetfield House will be available throughout the weekend. The open house and activities are free to visitors and fans of Union County history. The exterior of the Hetfield House will be adorned by over a dozen

The weekend of October 21-22 marks Union scarecrows representing figures in history. These history. scarecrows are created by Mountainside Fifth Grade students from Deerfield School who will be visiting the Hetfield House on a field trip the week prior to Four Centuries Weekend.

> This year, the Hetfield House will be participating in Union County's History Trading Card program. Be sure to pick up a card from the Hetfield House and add it to your collection of cards from other Union County sites. Each card depicts a person, place or event in Union County

The Deacon Andrew Hetfield House is located at Constitution Plaza (Watchung Ave., off Birch Hill Rd.) adjacent to the Mountainside Library. The Mountainside Restoration Committee is a committee of volunteers whose purpose is to restore and maintain the Deacon Andrew Hetfield House and Levi Cory House and collect and save historic information and items from destruction. For further details, please call (908)789-9420 or go to www.mountainsidehistory.org







(above) Many examples of Mountainside Pottery, created by a Mountainside company from 1929-1940, will be on display at the Hetfield House during the Four Centuries Open House.



(above) John Sileo will present a Revolutionary War Battle reenactment, in a miniature diorama, during the Four Centuries in a Weekend Open House at the Hetfield House.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES "AN EYE ON CRIME" VIDEO SURVEILLANCE **CAMERA REGISTRATION PROGRAM**

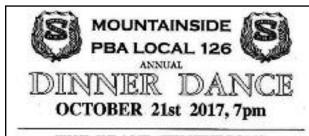
Do you own a surveillance camera at your home or business that records video footage and want to help the police solve crime?

Chief Allan Attanasio of the Mountainside Police Department has announced a new crime prevention program named "An Eye On Crime" which the department is participating in. The goal of the camera registry program is to deter crime and promote public safety through a collaboration between the Mountainside Police Department and the community we serve.

The program allows residents and business owners to register their exterior video cameras with the police. This provides detectives with contact information of the camera owner. Should a crime occur in their neighborhood, detectives will request that the video owner view their footage and share any suspicious activity, persons or vehicles with them.

Registration is entirely voluntary and the police department will not have access to your camera feed or recorded footage. Personal information gathered is for official use only and will not be released to any member of the general

If you are interested in participation in this program, print and complete the registration forms and mail them to the Mountainside Police Department. The registration forms can be found on the Mountainside Police Department Facebook page or on their website at http://www.mountainside-nj.com/dept/police



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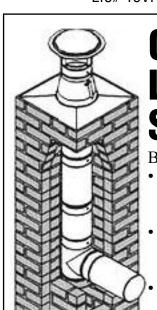
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