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THE RAPTOR TRUST'S THIRD ANNUAL COMMUNITY DAY 2018

By Maryanne Christiano-Mistretta

The Raptor Trust, of Millington, New Jersey, recently held their Third Annual Community Day at Stirling Hotel, Stirling, New Jersey. The day was filled with fun and festivities, including live music from Ross Griswold and the Second Line, with special guests the Raccoon Ridge Ramblers. Booths from community partners and local environmental organizations were featured. There was also family games and activities, a tricky tray, a silent auction, and a 50/50 raffle. Food and drinks were provided by The Stirling Hotel. Proceeds from the event benefit The Raptor Trust.

Community partners included: Somerset County Parks Environmental Education Center; Friends of the Great Swamp, Woodlands Wildlife Refuge, Morris County Parks Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center, Delaware Valley Eagle Alliance, and Conserve Wildlife Foundation of NJ.



(above) Christopher Soucy, Executive Director of The Raptor Trust.



(above, l-r) Alyssa Frediani, ER Staff and Rehab Staff at The Raptor Trust; and Kristi Ward, Senior Rehab Tech at The Raptor Trust.

Photos by Maryanne Christiano-Mistretta



(above, l-r) Blake Putnam, Director of Development at The Raptor Trust; and Leslie Peterson, Financial Administrator of The Raptor Trust.

Christopher Soucy, executive director of The Raptor Trust, said, "People come from all over," adding that The Raptor Trust is celebrating 35 years.

Educator Kate Matta was showing birds like Penny, a 9-year-old blind Eastern Screech Owl and Zizi, a female American Kestrel. Zizi was found in New York City as a baby. The people who found her fed her baby food, which was a mistake.

"They eat mice and insects," said Matta. "So, she was not getting proper nutrition. Her growth is stunted." However, since Zizi was raised around humans, she is totally unafraid of people according to Matta. She added, "Zizi doesn't know how to hunt. She's a 'people bird.' She's done this event before. She had no problem with people looking at her and taking pictures."

Melissa Anahory, a licensed wildlife rehabilitator at Woodlands Wildlife, was teaching children about Tan, an Eastern Box Turtle. "He likes people," she said. "He doesn't hide. He's used to people." She continued to explain to the kids that a turtle has the shell to hide in.

The Raptor Trust was named and established as a non-profit corporation in the state of New Jersey in 1982.

The next event presented by The Raptor Trust will be a Guided Tour of The Raptor Trust on Saturday, June 30, 2018, at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Registration is required. For more information, visit: theraptortrust.org, call 908-647-2353, or email: info@theraptortrust.org

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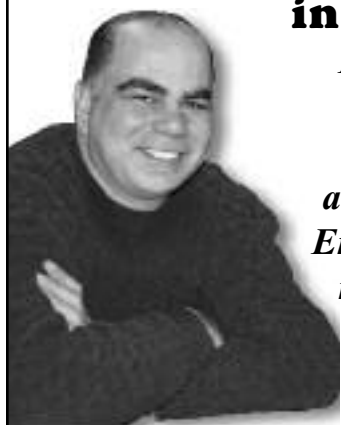
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RAPTOR TRUST COMMUNITY DAY PHOTO ALBUM

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Photos by Maryanne Christiano-Mistretta



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The aviaries are open to the public seven days of week.

Our visiting hours during the fall, winter and spring are 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. During the summer we are open to visitors from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm.

There is no cost to come by for a self-guided tour, however, we ask you to consider a **small donation of \$2 per person.**

The Raptor Trust is a 501(c)(3) not for profit organization which provides free medical care to thousands of orphaned or injured birds each year. Our infirmary staff is available seven days a week during daylight hours to admit injured birds, but we must rely on the people who find them to bring them to us for care. If you find a bird that needs help, please visit our website theraptortrust.org for instructions. We cannot do what we do without the kindness of many – including our visitors!



(above, left) . Penny, a 9-year-old blind Eastern Screech Owl. (above, right) Zizi, a female American Kestrel

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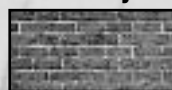
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WARREN LIONS EXPO 2018

Submitted by Adriane Stewart

The Warren Township Lions Club has been proudly serving the Warren Township Community since being chartered in 1948 and will be hosting the 51st annual EXPO starting Wednesday, June 13 through Saturday, June 16, 2018. EXPO will be held at the Warren Township Municipal Grounds in front of the Lions Pavilion Picnic Area, Warren, New Jersey and will host about 10,000 visitors to enjoy the rides, games, food, entertainment, and a fireworks display on Saturday evening to celebrate EXPO.

EXPO is the major Fundraiser for the Lions Club and is a town tradition that the Warren Township Community looks forward to. The funds raised will allow the Lions Club to donate to more than 35 charities and need based

projects each year as well humanitarian and disaster needs whether they are local, national, or international.

In addition to supporting many organizations related to eye sight, the Lions Club supports Recreation, School Projects and Events, Scouts, Project Graduation, Scholarships for local students, Robotics, camps for visually impaired students, Buddy Ball Teams as well as others. We provide Thanksgiving Basket Dinners for needy families, we support Operation Shoebox, the Annual Police Unity Tour, donate to Cancer Organizations, and collect eye glasses and hearing aids for recycling and distribution.

We also support fun activities such as the annual Bonfire and the Holiday Walk. In the past,

we have donated a room to the Warren Library, Welcome to Warren Signs, the Warren Veterans Memorial, and the Warren 911 Memorial.

Club President, Adriane Stewart, commented, "Encouraging our community and youth to engage in charitable service projects is a key part of our club's mission. Operation Shoebox was a great example."

Treasurer, Anthony Franchini, highlighted how important the Warren Residents and Business Community are to our success with their support.

If you are interested in a vendor tent or sponsoring a ride, please contact Anthony Franchini at 998-334-9304. If you are interested in joining the Lions Club, please contact Adriane Stewart at 908-647-6427.

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STUDENTS PROVIDED SERVICE AT MILITARY SHOW

Submitted by S.M Jose G. Vergara

During the weekend of May 5 and 6, 2018, students from around the state, including Anushka Kumar of Watchung, New Jersey, provided community service at the Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst Open House and Air Show ("Power In The Pines").

The students are cadets in the Civil Air Patrol (CAP is the US Air Force Auxiliary). They provided guidance to the public and safety by keeping the air field's fire lines clear for emergency evacuation of thousands of air show spectators. In addition, the cadets interacted with military personnel to learn about military technology (Army, Marines, Navy and Air Force) and their operations. They also gained knowledge about different aircrafts on display and enjoyed watching the multiple flight demonstrations from a variety of aircraft such as F22, F18, F5, and

Mustang (WWII airplanes), parachute demonstrations, etc.

The CAP Cadet program offers opportunities to Middle and High School students to learn about Aerospace, Leadership, Character Development, Physical Training, STEM, Orientation Flights, and much more. In addition, the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program, provides the youth of ages 12 to 18 a strong list of credentials for their college applications and for highly competitive technical summer camps. Cadets with proper qualifications can attend Summer Camps at the Air Force McGuire Base, and national Cyber Security, Flight Training Camp, etc.

For info about CAP Youth Cadet Program, please contact jose.vergara@njwgc.cap.gov or visit CAP's webpage at gocivilairpatrol.com/cap_home/youth/



(above, l-r): Cadets Paul Koizumi, Anushka Kumar (Watchung), and Veronica Vergara on safety fire line duty.



(above) P51 Mustang airplane from WWII.



(above) F22 Raptor.

SEA SCOUTING OPEN HOUSE JUNE 9

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Guard.

The Linden Sea Scouts will be hosting an open house for all prospective new members June 9, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Linden Sea Scout Base, 4400 Tremely Point Road, Linden, New Jersey. The Sea Scout program is open to male and female youth from 14- to 21-years-old. There will be free food and free boat rides for all.

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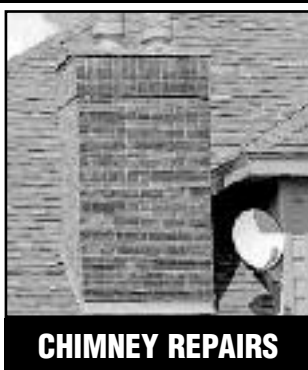




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The night will rock Warren back to the '50s, an era known for its classic cars, jukeboxes, soda shops, drive in movies and good old rock and roll music. Come out to listen and dance to hits from The Drifters, Fats Domino, Dion, Elvis, and many others. Residents will also enjoy complimentary refreshments such as Italian Ice, baked goods provided by the Knights of Columbus and pizza donated by Domino's Pizza in Warren. Remember to bring your own lawn chair.

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Knights of Columbus Council #14675 of St. Mary's-Stony Hill, Watchung proudly presented a check recently to Noreen Whittemore, Director of Community Outreach of the Center for Great Expectations, a home for unwed mothers in the

diocese. The Knights of Columbus organized the "Baby Bottle Boomerang" program. Parishioners of St. Mary's-Stony Hill generously filled baby bottles with loose change for the fundraiser, amounting to over \$7,300.



(above front row l, r) Michael Guerriero, Financial Secretary, Dick Wellbrock, Chairman of Baby Bottle Boomerang, Noreen Whittemore, Center for Great Expectations, Dick Blundin, Grand Knight, with fellow Knights standing.

'A DAY FOR THE BIRDS' AT SENIOR CENTER

Submitted by Gwen Chalker

"A Day for the Birds" was recently presented at the Warrenbrook Senior Center by Debra Esposito of Morris Museum. She spoke about New Jersey's native birds. Attendees learned about their migration patterns, habits, diets, life span, and the environmental impact, such as pollution and urban sprawl, have on their survival.


Attendees also participated in "Feathered Friends Scavenger Hunt" where they went around the room looking for 20 different birds. At each place setting, there were "bird search" placemats where attendees could search the forest for 15 different birds. For attendees that wanted the more traditional word search puzzle, there were "Bird Watcher" word search puzzles that

when completed, a special message could be formed from the remaining, un-circled letters.

Table centerpieces were created by the Center's members. Tree branches were inserted into pots and birds were clipped onto the branches.

This program was made possible, in part, by the New Jersey Historical Commission, a division of the Department of State through the State/County History Partnership Program Grant and administered in Somerset County by the Somerset County Cultural & Heritage Commission.

Visit Warrenbrook Senior Center at: seniorcenter.us/sc/warrenbrook_senior_center_warren_nj



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4TH GRADERS FROM BAYBERRY HELP PLANT A DOGWOOD TREE IN HONOR OF ARBOR DAY

Submitted by Michael F. Vignola

The Watchung Garden Club and fourth grade students from Bayberry School planted a dogwood tree in honor of Arbor Day on Friday, April 27, 2018.



(above, l-r) Mrs. Ann Departo, Chloe Upton, Ms. Vonni Mott, Hannah Ghafari, Kayla Wang, Mr. Michael Galbraith, Sienna DiGiacomo, Jake Gonzalez, Jocelyn Yeh, Ms. Phyliss Juette, and Kaden Li.

GRANT HELP SHARE COMMUNITY MEMORIES

In partnership with the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), the Somerset County Library System of New Jersey (SCLSNJ) will be collecting, cataloging, and preserving the collective memories of Somerset County residents.

Utilizing a suite of digitization equipment including seven high resolution scanners, a lightbox, a digital single-lens reflex camera, and more; as well as the expertise of SCLSNJ's archival and historical librarians, the Library will be providing residents the opportunity to both preserve and learn about their own history and that of their neighbors.

2018 Digitization Dates

• July 21 at SCLSNJ's North Plainfield Memorial Library branch

2019 Digitization Dates

• April 13 at SCLSNJ's Warren Township Library branch

• June 15 at SCLSNJ's Watchung Library branch

"Our digitization days will allow our patrons to preserve their memories for future generations of family, friends, and community neighbors," said grant coordinator and technical services manager Rebecca Sandoval Sloat.

Somerset County residents should bring no more than five items to each digitization session, including:

- Historic photographs, letters, or documents;
- Sketches, paintings, or other artwork;
- Family heirlooms including recipes;
- Jewelry or decorative arts;
- Textiles such as quilts, samplers, flags, or

uniforms;

- Antique toys;
- And, other artifacts.

If a resident has a more robust collection of historical items that they wish to digitize, that patron should make a one-on-one appointment with the library by emailing CommonHeritage@scilibnj.org. If a patron wishes to share an oral history of a historic and/or life event, short recorded interviews can be arranged.

SCLSNJ will make these collective memories available for research and use for future generations by contributing digitized items to Rutgers University's New Jersey Digital Highway, by making them available in our library's online catalog, and by submitting them to the Digital Public Library of America (DPLA).

The following community organizations will be partnering with SCLSNJ through the course of this 18-month project: The Board of Chosen Freeholders, Somerset County; The Courier News/MyCentralJersey.com; the Franklin Township Public Library; the New Jersey Council for the Humanities; and Somerset County Historical Society

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MAIJA GOLDEN POETRY REBEL AWARDS AT LONG HILL LIBRARY

By Lena Golden

The Maija Golden Creative Writing Foundation hosted their second annual awards ceremony for the Maija Golden Poetry Rebel Awards at the Long Hill Library on May 18, 2018. The event that presented awards to students in grades K-12 had an audience of approximately 150 people that enjoyed listening to poetry recitals and the launch of the foundation's first publication *From Angels to Rebels* available at Amazon worldwide. The journal that was self-published by Millington resident Tara Cibelli and Lena Golden of Gillette includes original artwork by former Millington resident Whitney (Combs) van Praagh, Bedminster resident Whitney Ehnert, Millington resident and Watchung Hills Regional High School (WHRHS) student Giulia Banfi, Emma Sleightholme of Summit as well as a selection of short stories and poems from the foundation's first year from students that have participated in classes, workshop and that have submitted scholarship applications.

The 2018 poetry contest had 103 students submit poems from Long Hill and surrounding towns Warren, Watchung and Green Brook thus expanding the contest to all of the WHRHS sending district this year. Students were judged by a jury in three different groups, elementary, middle school, and high school. The prizes were presented by Long Hill Township Library director Mrs. Lyn Begraft and Mrs. Lena Golden. The elementary school winner was Daniel Raimer, a fourth grade student at Millington Elementary with his poem *A Tribute To Gila'ad Ya'acobi, z"l* (Sgt. Gilad Yaakobi), a genuinely touching poem that honors a fallen soldier in the Israeli defense force. Honorable mentions were given to elementary students Ella DiNorscio, Cole Lesser, Isla Fairstein, Harrison Graves, Sienna Simo, Brigid Belfield, Timothy Denis Kezerashivili, and Savannah Neri all of Millington Elementary School and Brandon Bellish of Warren. Brandon who is in first grade was also the youngest contestant.

Warren resident and eight grader Inica Kotasthane, with her poem *these rays in my palm*, was the winner of the sixth to eight grade level which also included five honorable mentions to Alessandra Abeijon, Harrison Quinn, Hannah Han, Stephanie Sopla and Björn Golden. The honorable mention recipients are all students of Central Middle School in Stirling. The eight graders at CMS have been inspired and encouraged by English teacher Mrs Isabella DeBiasse to find their poet within and the whole 8th grade class wrote poems and as many as 40 students in their grade submitted poems to the contest. Parents were astounded of the quality of the writing their own children had produced.

The overall contest winner as well as this year's high school Maija Golden Poetry Rebel was Jenny Li, a junior at WHRHS. Jenny's poem *Unhinged* was professionally delivered by herself as she like all other winners present read her poem to a very impressed and excited audience. Honorable mentions for the high school level were given to Connor Cirroti, a Delbarton student

and WHRHS students Sabrina Lane and Sam Hoffmann.

The foundation was founded in April 2017 by the Golden family of Gillette in honor of their daughter Maija who passed away in February the same year. A talented creative writer, Maija, was a freshman at WHRHS and an inspiration to many. The foundation has with the help of teachers and staff at Long Hill township schools been able to offer free classes and workshops in creative writing and debate to students taught by CMS teachers Maura Aimette and Isabella DeBiasse as well as CMS librarian Patricia Paugh. Poetry classes for the elementary school level has been taught by Mrs Noelle Milito who is a teacher at Millington Elementary School. Ms. Aimette, who had been Maija's sixth grade English teacher approached the Golden family early on and offered to teach classes in Maija's name and as the Golden family had contemplated starting a

foundation to honor their daughter's memory that became the incentive to form the foundation.

The foundation also gives out an annual scholarship to a graduating high school senior at WHRHS and the first recipient was Brooke Stanicki of Green Brook and class of 2017. Ms Stanicki is just finishing her freshman year at Johns Hopkins University.

More information about the foundation can be found at their website themaifund.org as well as on their Facebook and Instagram pages. The foundation graciously accepts donations to fund future activities and scholarships but also creative writing submissions from K-12 students to their annual journal as well as suggestions for future programs and collaborations. The Maija Golden Creative Writing Foundation is currently working with a boy school out of the WHRHS sending district as well as with a private library in New York City.



(above, back row, l-r) Jenny Li, Maddie Scammell, Lena Golden, Lyn Begraft, Dan Raimer (front row, l-r) Brandon Bellish, Cole Lesser, Isla Fairstein, Ella DiNorscio, Sienna Simo, Timothy Denis Kezerashivili, Harrison Graves and Brigid Belfield.

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2018 WHRHS ATHLETICS SIGN TO PLAY SPORTS IN COLLEGE

Submitted by Denis Kelly

Eighteen Watchung Hills Regional High School (WHRHS) student athletes who competed in sports at WHRHS have recently signed to play sports in college: Four at Division I schools, one at a Division II school, and 13 at Division III schools, according to WHRHS Athletic Director Christopher Van Vliet.

Many of the students who declared on April 30, 2018, gathered in the school's Media Center after school, to be photographed as a group, as well as in combinations by sport, with their families, and with coaches.

In addition to these 18, another group of students who intend to play sports at Division I and Division II schools announced their signings on Nov. 27, 2017. And in February, WHRHS student athlete Zahveae Thorne declared he planned to attend and play Football at East Stroudsburg University, East Stroudsburg, Pa., a Division II school.

In November 2017 as well as on April 30, 2018, Van Vliet congratulated the seniors as they announced their plans to play college sports.

"We are very proud of you," Van Vliet said. "We wish you the best in the next chapter of your lives."

Van Vliet also congratulated the coaches and parents who gathered in the Media Center to witness the college athletic announcement, and to all who supported WHRHS student athletes throughout the year. "Go Warriors," he said.

The April 30 Signings

Those planning to attend and play at Division I schools are:

In Swimming, Marlise Moesch of Green Brook Township, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut;

In Golf, Marlene Tartaro of Warren Township, Columbia University, New York City;

In Wrestling, Justin Hayward of Green Brook Township, Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania; and

In Football, Brian Puccio of Warren Township, Jacksonville University, Jacksonville, Florida.

The student athlete planning to attend and play at a Division II school:

In Wrestling, Robert Saum of Warren Township, Millersville University, Millersville,

Pennsylvania.

Those planning to attend and play at Division III schools:

In Softball, Genna Cicchetti of Stirling, Muhlenberg College, Allentown, Pennsylvania; Emma Gaffney of Green Brook Township, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Madison; Robin McCabe of Warren Township, Moravian College, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania; and Erin Bean of Watchung, Susquehanna University, Selingsgrove, Pennsylvania.;

In Fencing, Kyle Rokosny of Green Brook Township, Drew University, Madison; and Henry Engle of Warren Township, Drew University, Madison;

In Swimming, Sheldon Kohl of Warren Township, Misericordia College, Dallas, Pennsylvania; and Dan Hold of Warren Township, Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken;

In Cross Country/Track, Alyssa Galdi of Warren Township, Mesericordia College, Dallas, Pennsylvania; and Jessica Hoffmann of Millington, University of Scranton, Scranton, Pennsylvania;

In Football, Connor James of Green Brook Township, Moravian College, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania;

In Soccer, Ryan Santos of Warren Township, The College of New Jersey, Ewing Township;

In Basketball, Dan Pilsbury, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and

In Tennis, Brenda Peng of Warren Township, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York

As previously reported, the November 27 Signings

Those planning to attend and play at Division I schools are:

In Boys Lacrosse, all from Warren Township: Chris Clintock at St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Drew Furlong at SUNY Binghamton University, Binghamton, New York; Jonathan Taub at Rutgers University, New Brunswick; and Tyler James, at The College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, Massachusetts

In Baseball, both from Green Brook Township, Tyler Riley at the University of Maine, Orono,

Maine; and Michael Murray at Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York;

In Girls Lacrosse, Katelyn Carroll of Warren Township at Radford University, Radford, Virginia;

And in Girls Basketball, Julia Cunningham of Watchung at Princeton University, Princeton.

Planning to attend and play sports at Division II schools is: In Girls Lacrosse in Division II, Julia Burton of Warren Township at West Chester University, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

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(above) Among those who signed on April 30 are, (seated, from l-r): Robin McCabe, Erin Bean, Genna Cicchetti, Emma Gaffney, Marlene Tartaro, Jessie Hoffman, and Alyssa Galdi ; and (standing, from l-r), Brian Puccio, Dan Hold, Ryan Santos, Connor James, Rob Saum, Justin Hayward, Sheldon Kohl and Henry Engel. Those not present for the photo: Marlise Moesch, Dan Pilsbury and Brenda Peng.



(above) Vanessa Young

SAVOR THE POETRY OF FOOD AT THE WATCHUNG BRANCH

From Pablo Neruda's "Ode to the Onion," to Sylvia Plath's "Blackberries," food is a common inspiration for poets. Discover the connection between food and poetry through prompts, tastings, and discussions on June 6 from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Somerset County Library System of New Jersey's (SCLSNJ) Watchung Library branch, located at 12 Stirling Road in Watchung, New Jersey.

Poet and educator Vanessa Young will help attendees create their own original works inspired by their taste buds during the program, the Poetry of Food.

"As a poet, as well as a recipe developer and cooking instructor, I am immersed in the worlds of creative writing and food, which naturally seem to feed each other," said Young. "My goal

is for participants to indulge their love of poetry and food while finding new ways to root their writing in sensory experiences. I hope that after the class they will bring a little creativity back to the kitchen."

Attendees will delve into works that explore themes related to life, creativity, and nature through the food experience.

"Patrons will enjoy a chance to let food be their muse for creating amazing verse," said Adam Volpe, adult services librarian. "Our patrons have always shown an interest in expressing their creativity. What better way than through poetry while enjoying delicious food and wonderful company."

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YOUNG WATCHUNG PATRON SHOWS ENTHUSIASM FOR LOCAL LIBRARY

Submitted by Peggy Ellis

Watchung Library patron Kaelin Churchill poses with the selection of books and DVDs she chose from the Friends of the Watchung Library Sidewalk on May 12, 2018. Kaelin confided that two of the books and one movie were going to go into a Mother's Day Basket for her mother Diana.

Kaelin is so enthusiastic about the Watchung Library that she argued with the sale organizer about the price of a cookbook. Kaelin wanted to pay more than the price asked. Kaelin won the argument!

Friends of the Watchung Library earmarked all proceeds from the day's sales, both from the Sidewalk Sale and from their bookstore, Second Story Books, to the efforts to keep a library in Watchung.



LOCAL AUTHOR PRESENTS HER BOOK WATCHUNG LIBRARY



(above) Local author Vivian Fransen recently presented a talk about her book, *The Straight Spouse: A Memoir* at the Watchung book discussion group at Somerset County Library System New Jersey's (SCLSNJ) Watchung Library branch. The next meeting of the Watchung book discussion group will be held on June 14, 7:30 p.m. The group will be reading and discussing *Night* by Elie Wiesel.

WARRENBROOK SENIOR CENTER JUNE EVENTS

Submitted by Gwen Chalker

Warrenbrook Senior Center is hosting the following June 2018 events. The Center is located at 500 Warrenville Road, Warren, New Jersey. For more information call 908-753-9440 or visit the center on the web at: seniorcenter.us/sc/warrenbrook_senior_center_warren_nj

"Immigration: Coming to New Jersey"

by Debra Esposito (from the Morris Museum,)

June 11 10:30 a.m.

This program highlights Immigration to New Jersey from the 1700s until the Great Depression. In addition to an educational program, this is also a reminiscent program as attendees hear about what their families may have experienced if, and when, they immigrated to the United States. This program is made possible, in part, by the New Jersey Historical Commission, a division of the Department of State through the State/County History Partnership Program Grant, and administered in Somerset County by the Somerset County Cultural & Heritage Commission.

"Over Here, Molly Pitcher"

by Stacy Roth (from History of the Hoof)

June 25, 10:30 a.m.

This interpretive storytelling program relates the legend of "Molly Pitcher" (Mary Hays McCauley), the heroine of the 1778 Battle of Monmouth Courthouse – and explores the daily lives of the "women of the army" who followed their husbands to war during the American Revolution. Molly reminisces about the days when she accompanied her husband through battles and winter encampments from Valley Forge to Monmouth to Morristown. Relating her tales of firing a cannon in the heat of battle to trudging "behind the baggage," she provides a glimpse into what it was like to be a "camp follower" in the days when American independence was a dream rather than a certainty. This program is presented in period costume. This program is made possible, in part, by the New Jersey Historical Commission, a division of the Department of State through the State/County History Partnership Program Grant, and administered in Somerset County by the Cultural & Heritage Commission**

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JUNE 2018 EVENTS

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June 22, 2 to 2:30 p.m.

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Mah Jong Club of Watchung

June 5, 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, 26; 1 to 4 p.m.

Bridge Club

June 6, 13, 20, 27; 10 a.m. to noon

Poetry of Food

June 6, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Watchung Writers Group

June 7, 14, 21, 28; 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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VIN: 1HGCR2F70FA170432 STOCK #: 17406 Mileage: 29,100

Was \$19,995 - Is \$17,088

2015 Honda Civic Coupe EX-L

VIN: 2HGFG3B01FH519522 STOCK #: 17456 Mileage: 21,322

Was \$16,606 - Is \$15,588

2015 Honda Civic Sedan EX-L

VIN: 2HGFB2F94FH516647 STOCK #: 17484 Mileage: 35,029

Was \$16,500 - Is \$15,988

2015 Honda CR-V EX AWD

VIN: 2HKRM4H50FH620362 STOCK #: 17333 Mileage: 28,034

Was \$22,899 - Is \$20,488

2011 Honda Element

VIN: 5J6YH2H74BL002841 STOCK #: 17377 Mileage: 108,554

Was \$14,999 - Is \$13,988

2017 Honda Ridgeline Sport AWD

VIN: 5FPYK3F18HB020838 STOCK #: 180619A Mileage: 14,740

Was \$34,500 - Is \$30,288

2015 INFINITI Q40 AWD

VIN: JN1CV6AR1FM522896 STOCK #: 17459 Mileage: 38,924

Was \$19,800 - Is \$18,599

2008 Honda S2000

VIN: JHMFP21428S000934 STOCK #: 171678C Mileage: 112,406

Was \$19,988 - Is \$17,588

2016 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited Sport

VIN: 1C4HJWDG8GL219324 STOCK #: 17506 Mileage: 40,272

Was \$28,800 - Is \$27,688

2014 Toyota Prius Two

VIN: JTDKN3DU9E1754041 STOCK #: 17505 Mileage: 58,971

Was \$14,500 - Is \$13,988

2007 Volkswagen Eos

VIN: WVA071FX7VG35672 STOCK #: 180430A Mileage: 98,278

Was \$7,799 - Is \$6,588

2015 Toyota Camry LE

VIN: 4T1BF1FK8FU916590 STOCK #: 17478 Mileage: 30,562

Was \$16,988 - Is \$15,188

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