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CREATING THE CONCEPT OF "THINKING CLASSROOMS"

Berkeley Heights Public Schools

It is no surprise that math can be an extremely difficult subject for any student. It is not because students can't learn the concepts, but rather, students have a difficult time being told how to do it, memorizing how to do it, and then having to implement it.

For many years it has been all about memorizing rather than thinking, believes Dr. Peter Liljedahl, professor of mathematics education. Having spent 15 years researching how to get students to "think" rather than memorize to help create the ideal setting for deep mathematics learning to occur, Dr. Liliedahl created the concept of "Thinking Classrooms."

After observing a local school district who had implemented "Thinking Classrooms," Nicole Manganelli, mathematics teacher at GLHS, was so inspired with what she saw that she brought the concept back to her GL students.

"The next day my supervisor, Drew Ziobro, had my room covered in white boards so I could begin the process with my students," Manganelli said. "It was so interesting to watch the transformation. Students were really engaged. There is something about vertical learning that just makes it easier."

Unfortunately, just as quickly as Manganelli began transitioning to a "Thinking Classroom," the district was closed due to Covid-19. However, that did not deter her from researching as much as she could about this learning strategy and fully implementing it once students returned to school.

"This is the first year we have really been able to use this method consistently," Manganelli

When students walk into class, they pick a card and are randomly placed into groups of three. The groups change daily and are not based on ability. Students are then presented with questions that they need to solve at the white board.

Manganelli is constantly walking the classroom and observing what the students are



(above) Following the time at the white boards, the class comes back together to discuss what they learned and identify what is important for them individually to remember.

Photo by BHPS

doing. If she sees they are stuck on something she provides them with "thinking questions" rather than telling them what their mistake was or how they should solve the problem. This method allows them to become more independent and to work together to problem solve.

"Before 'Thinking Classrooms,' students would learn a concept and, in a day, or week it was gone. So many students when they got to high school had no recollection of the concepts they had learned. Not because they didn't learn it, but because they didn't remember it," said Manganelli. "By working in small groups and discovering the concepts on the white boards, they are learning them and thinking through them, rather than just mimicking what they are being told."

Following the time at the white boards, the class comes back together to discuss what they learned and identify what is important for them individually to remember.

"It's amazing to walk around the classroom and listen to them talking and 'thinking' about math. It's something I have never heard before. And the students and I agree that we much prefer this way of learning rather than sitting at a desk," added Manganelli."

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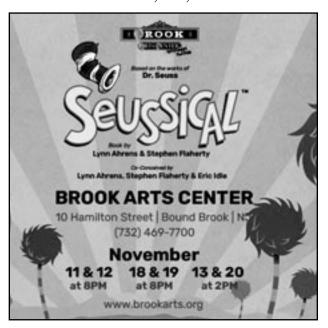
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After a 3 year delay because of the pandemic, Lodge Linne #429 VOA will once again be sponsoring their annual Import Sale on Saturday, November 19, 2022. The 42nd annual Scandinavian Import and Gift Sale will be held at Salt Brook School, 40 Maple St, New Providence, NJ (off Springfield Ave,). The sale will be open to the public between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. and is handicapped accessible. Admission is free.

The sale will feature a variety of traditional holiday and everyday Scandinavian items made from silver, amber, wood, paper, wool, straw, and other materials. These gift and handicraft items are either manufactured in one of the Nordic countries or are designed in a Scandinavian style or motif and manufactured elsewhere.

Many of the traditional Scandinavian decorating items will be offered, including a large variety of elf-like tomten, Jul Bock or straw goats in many sizes, and many Christmas ornaments. Among paper items for sale will be a wide selection of advent calendars, including those filled with chocolate candy, Carl Larsson calendars, Christmas cards, and stationary. An assortment of table linens will be available including runner fabric by the yard for both Christmas and everyday use. For the home one will find trays, baking needs, aprons, knives, Danish wrought iron candleholders, and wooden

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We will be selling a large variety of Scandinavian baked goods, such as limpa bread, coffee braids, and pastries. Imported foods that will be sold are cheeses such as authentic Farmer's cheese, several types of herring, lingonberries, cloudberries, and various chocolates and marzipan. Scandinavian pastries will be served throughout the day. Drawings for door prizes will be held frequently during the day.

The location of the sale is easily reached by taking either route 24 to Summit or route 78 to New Providence. Springfield Avenue is also known as route 512. The school is also a 5-minute walk from the New Providence Railroad

Station on the Summit/Gladstone line from New York City.

Lodge Linne #429 Vasa Order of America is a non-profit organization originally for individuals of Scandinavian descent. However, now membership has been opened up to people who are interested in Nordic heritage and culture. For further information about membership contact Vibeke (908-646-0425) or Judy (908-464-0139). The lodge meets on the third Friday of the month at Faith Lutheran Church, 524 South St., in New Providence.

Proceeds from the Import Sale benefit many organizations and charities such as First Aid Squads, Summit Speech School, Sage, Bling Foundation, a New Providence High School scholarship, and annually we sponsor a New Providence girls softball team.

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VETERANS DAY CEREMONY & LUNCHEON

Mountainside VFW Post 10136 will host a ceremony at the Hetfield House. Veterans Day ceremony at Mountainside Veterans Park on November 11, 2022, at 11:30 a.m., weather permitting. All are welcome to attend. The Mountainside Veterans Park is located next to the Levi Cory House and across the parking lot from the Mountainside Library.

In addition, the Mountainside Restoration Committee is honoring all community Veterans with a free lunch immediately following the

Spouses are welcome to attend.

Please RSVP to: Alice.Cowell@yahoo.com or Diane.Kontra@gmail.com.

The Mountainside Veterans community would like to express their gratitude to the Mountainside Restoration Committee for their generosity. Please direct all questions regarding the Veterans Day ceremony to Tim McLaughlin, VFW Post Commander @ 908-928-9191.

ADOPT A VET FOR CHRISTMAS

Submitted by JoAnn Naklicki

Please join the Berkeley Heights VFW's annual Adopt A Vet For Christmas campaign. This year's Adopt A Vet fundraiser will be used for Christmas, along with a full year of your support.

Your donations will be used not only to buy Christmas presents and "special food and sweets" for the other yearly holidays but also to help stock the kitchen they use on their unit.

Many of the vets love to make their own meals (that's no surprise!), and have to contribute their own money for many of the items they need to buy.

Your donations are also used for trips to Costco, "Veteran" hats, beautiful enamel dog tags, and other military items we buy for them. Most of these brave heroes are from the Afghan

and Iraq wars. It's been especially hard for them this year, due to all that has transpired lately. They are so appreciative of the kindness and support from all of you, who have made their stay at Lyons a bit nicer.

As you know, our volunteer list is comprised of Berkeley Heights VFW vets, and me. There are no salaries, no overhead, and no expenses. Every dollar you donate will be used for our PTSD program at Lyons.

Please share the holidays, and your love, with our nation's heroes. They have given so much to keep us safe. Thank you for caring about our vets!

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On Friday, August 12, 2022, Doc Schupp, Director of Veterans Outreach for NJVN, and Dennis Duddie, American Legion Department Vice Commander, presented the Strangers Helping Strangers team with four awards, including a Hero Award for team President Chris Braitsch, a Certificate of Commendation, as well as the Community Service Award, recognizing their continuous support for Veterans and their

families. Strangers Helping Strangers was also presented with the Certificate of Appreciation from The Department of NJ State VFW and an NJVN Community Service award.

When asked about the assistance that SHS has provided for the Veteran Community, Doc Schupp said, "This team (SHS) has provided for our State's heroes time and time again, we are blessed to have them as partners."

Strangers Helping Strangers was created during the COVID-19 crisis, and has continued to work with the New Jersey Veterans Network to provide for our veterans. They work closely to provide not only goods for those in need, but they also give hope in times of crisis. While SHS provides the food and groceries, the NJVN distributes them directly to the veterans homes. It's a wonderful system that has helped improve the lives of so many veterans and their families.



(above) Doc Schupp, Director of Veterans Outreach for The New Jersey Veterans Network, and Dennis Duddie, American Legion Department Vice Commander, presented the Strangers Helping Strangers team with four awards.

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VOLUNTEER GROUP JOINS BOROUGH TO PRESERVE OPEN SPACE

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Beautiful Mountainside worked hand-in-hand with the Mountainside Mayor and Borough Council to secure a significant portion of the funding for the purchase through two grants one for \$59,000 and another for \$250,000 grant from New Jersey Green Acres funds. At the same time, the Borough utilized funds from the sale of the Barnes Tract plot of land (located on Mountain Avenue), which means there are no tax implications to Mountainside residents.

"We love the rural feel of our town, and this open space will further enhance our downtown area," said Mountainside Mayor Paul Mirabelli.

"Beautiful Mountainside and the Council feel this can become a mini town square, offering residents a respite during the day or evening, and a focal point for us. We also plan to add a tree here for holiday celebrations" he added.

Within weeks of closing on the properties, Mountainside Public Works had already cleared debris from the lots and excavated them, in anticipation of landscaping and planting of foliage and trees.

"I grew up in this town and was delighted to return about 16 years ago. It's a very special place to me," said Todd Evans, Beautiful Mountainside president. "We created Beautiful Mountainside as a way to give back to the town and we're so pleased to have been able to work so closely with the town on this amazing project - I think this will be a real centerpiece of our downtown."

The Beautiful Mountainside group hosts regular litter clean up throughout the town as well as along Route 22. Additionally, they've purchased and maintain flower/plant boxes that line businesses on Mountain Avenue, as well as around Borough Hall. Further, they host seasonal house decorating contests, have planted thousands of bright daffodils at key town entry points and maintain the landmark Holiday tree on Route 22. This 501(c)3 group raises most of its funds through its annual Halloween Party, which will be return in 2023 (following a pause during Covid).

"Being able to work this closely with the Mayor and Council to realize the dream of creating open space is so rewarding to me and all our members," said Alice Cowell, Beautiful Mountainside Vice President. "We both want to keep our town as picturesque as possible, while also building town spirit."



(above, l-r) Irena Dabrowski, Debbie Boehner, Matt Deanna (Mountainside Public Works), Jessica McSulla, Joel Feller, Todd Evans, Alice Cowell, Don Bellezza, Elizabeth Bellezza, Gail Vollherbst, David Luckebach, Mayor Paul Mirabelli, Ed Markowski and Donna Kull. Members not pictured: Councilperson Bob Messler, Tracy Criscitiello, Regina Kelley, Jeffrey Moran, Christine Czapek, Patrick Navarre and Kathleen McGlew.

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Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Our homeless programs are always in need of vaccination, or a recent negative COVID-19 Newark is excited to announce its 4th Annual Benefit Concert for the Homeless, taking place on Saturday, November 13 at the Union County Performing Arts Center in Rahway, featuring the iconic 1960's band, Tommy James and the Shondells.

Tickets for the concert range from \$30 to \$150 and all ticket proceeds will directly support the Catholic Charities' ongoing homeless programs and services, which provide assistance to thousands of men, women and families each year. This is made possible thanks to the commitment of numerous sponsors whose backing effectively underwrites the expenses for the artist and production.

"We are most thankful for the support we have already received for this show," stated John Westervelt, CEO of Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Newark, "and we hope that people will come to enjoy a great night of classic music while supporting a very worthy cause. supplementary funding, and this benefit concert will substantially help to close a financial gap in our operations."

Now entering his 53rd year in the music NJ Imaging Network, business, Tommy James continues to tour the county with his strong expressive voice and a catalog of upbeat pop tunes that have a solid rock and roll punch. Tommy James and the Shondells had its first #1 hit, "Hanky Panky," in 1966. The band went on to produce a string of successful pop/rock tunes including Crystal Blue Persuasion, Crimson & Clover, Mony, I Think We're Alone Now, Draggin the Line, Sweet Cherry Wine, Three Times in Love, and Mirage.....totaling 23 gold records, 9 platinum albums, over 100 million records sold worldwide and 32 Billboard Hot 100 Chart Hits.

Due to new safety protocols instituted by the Union County Performing Arts Center, all attendees will be required to show a proof of test, and wear a mask inside unless they are eating or drinking.

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To purchase tickets directly from UCPAC, call 732-499-8226 or visit www.ucpac.org. To support the event visit e.givesmart.com/events/n4u/. For more information, contact Peter Ruccione at Catholic Charities at 973-818-4060 or pruccione@ccannj.org.



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New Shopping Bag Rules in NJ... and We hours. If you have questions, please contact our Food Program Director, Corey Wu-Jung at cwujung@sjeliz.org or 908-354-5456 x412.

One of our urgent ongoing needs is for tuna or chicken in single serve pouches. Donations are gratefully accepted!

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YEARBOOK SELECTED **FOR EXCELLENCE**

The staff of the Governor Livingston High School (GLHS) yearbook, The Claymore, was recently selected by their publisher Herff Jones to be featured in the yearly Portfolio (Vol. 27) for the 2021 yearbook. The Claymore was highlighted in the anthology and photo gallery sections for their excellent photography and spread design. The schools included in the book were chosen based on their creative and innovative designs, theme packaging, photography, and storytelling.



(above) Yearbook Club Advisor/GLHS English Teacher Ms. Staci Toporek and Editor-in-Chief Kendall Torres.

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PIZZUTO GETS PUBLISHED

Berkley Heights Public Schools

Congratulations to GLHS Spanish teacher Dr. Daria Pizzuto, who recently co-authored an article published in the peer-reviewed journal Kappa Delta Pi Record. The article, "Building Global Friendships: Pen Pals in Spain and the United States", explores an interpersonal global writing exchange between middle school students in Spain and the United States and how the program helped to develop students' skills in world languages, cultural awareness, sensitivity, and serves in numerous leadership roles. and communication.

Dr. Pizzuto earned her Ph.D. from Seton Hall University in 2018 and joined the GLHS faculty in the Fall of 2021 where she teaches Spanish 2 and Spanish 3 honors, and moderates the new Eastern European Cultures club.



(above) Dr. Daria Pizzuto, a Spanish teacher at GLHS, was recently published in a peerreviewed journal.

STUDENT OF THE MONTH **KATHERINE ZHOU**

Berkeley Heights Public Schools

In an effort to showcase our students in BHPS who have excelled in either academics, leadership, or community, or have shown excellent growth in any of those areas, the district is hosting a 'Superintendent of the Month'. For September, we honor senior Katherine Zhou.

Katherine is very involved in school activities Katherine has been a student representative to the Board of Education since her junior year, is a representative for the Class of 2023 on the Student Council, and is an Executive Board member for the Understanding Asian Cultures Club.

She is the Captain of the Robotics Club and a member of the Technology Student Association Engineering Club, Science Olympiad, STEM League, Math League, GLHS Orchestra, and the Mathworks Modeling Competition. She was also the Captain of the Girl's Tennis team. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Math Honor Society, Science National Honor Society, and the Spanish National Honor Society.

Outside of school, Katherine plays the Violin as a member of the New Jersey Youth Symphony and is a Girl Scout.



(above) Katherine Zhou was celebrated as September's Superintendent Student of the Month.

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Celebrate the holiday season when the Shining Stars take the stage for their 2022 "Christmas Spectacular" set for Friday, December 9 at 7:00 p.m. The show will take place on the main stage at the historic Union County Arts Center in Rahway as this talented cast sings and dances to many of your holiday favorites.

With many cast members from all over Union County and beyond, Shining Stars Network has been producing live programming for the special needs community for ten years.

This year's Christmas Spectacular marks the return of the Shining Stars to one of the most beautiful theaters in New Jersey and will feature 35 special needs cast members and their volunteer buddies from local high schools, who serve as mentors to the cast during rehearsals.

Two previous Shining Stars shows at UCPAC drew more than 1,000 audience members for each performance, and already, the buzz is building in the community.

"We're so excited to ring in the holiday season," noted Shining Stars Network co-founder and President Mike Curci. "Our stars are ready to share their smiles, energy and amazing talents with everyone. This will be a great way to cap off our 10th anniversary celebration."

"We strongly believe in creating an inclusive environment for our cast, and our buddies are an integral part of the Shining Stars experience," noted Shining Stars co-founder and director Sally Curci. "We are so excited to bring a new show to the stage and cannot wait to connect with our incredible audience again to celebrate the holiday season."

Shining Stars Network is wrapping up a big year, which included their annual "Evening of Shining Stars" Spring Show, Summer Performing Arts Workshop, and their successful Paper Mill Playhouse debut performing in front of a sold-out audience at the Paper Mill Brook Side Cabaret.

"Shining Stars Network is not only about



(above) The Shining Stars will take the stage for their 2022 "Christmas Spectacular" on Friday, December 9 at 7:00 p.m.

performing, but more importantly we're about building self-confidence and self-esteem," said Shining Stars co-director Nicole Greene. "Our cast members are not only talented, but inspire us every day, and we are all very excited about taking the stage again to share another magical night with the audience."

Tickets are on sale now at UCPAC.org. For groups of 10 or more, email shiningstarsnetwork@gmail.com.

The night will also feature a Tricky Tray and 50/50 raffle. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m.

Shining Stars Network is a 501(c)3 not-forprofit organization based in Cranford, N.J. that offers opportunities in the performing arts for the special needs community.

Plans for the 2023 season include their 2nd "Reach for the Stars" Gale, set for March 14 at the elegant Park Chateau Estate & Gardens in East Brunswick.

For more information on Shining Stars Network or to make a donation, please visit shiningstarsnetwork.org.

UNION COUNTY'S GOT TALENT ON NOV 19

Union County's Got Talent (UGT) is a major fundraising event that supports the Union High School Performing Arts Company and the Douglas Michael Krueger Scholarship Fund, both of which directly benefit the students of Union Township.

Union's Got Talent has been a major community success and, this year, we have gone county-wide.

Our contestants this year either live, work or attend school in Union County. We have 20 contestants from various towns in Union County.

The show, on November 19, 2022, will be hosted by Kean University and will take place at Kean's Enlow Recital Hall.

Tickets are available only online at unionsgottalent.org. Tickets will not be available at the venue. Enlow Hall is a small theater with only 300 available seats. We advise that patrons buy their tickets early.

This year, UHSPAC and the DMK Scholarship Fund will be partnering with the Township of Union's Cultural Arts Committee with sponsorship by Investors Bank, Union's Special Improvement District and BCB Bank to present UGT on Saturday, November 19, 2022.

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