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EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT PRESERVES HISTORY

Boy Scout Troop 145

As his Eagle Scout project Chris Bacek, along with the help of his fellow scouts from BSA Troop 145 of Clark Township, documented the inscriptions of some of the oldest tomb stones in Rahway Cemetery on Saturday, August 12th, 2023.

Eagle Scout is the highest achievement or rank attainable in the Scouts BSA program of the Boy Scouts of America. Since its inception in 1911, only four percent of Scouts have earned this rank after a lengthy review process. Reaching Eagle Scout rank entails a lot of hard work, and a project must be completed which entails leadership, and a lot planning and work to achieve.

Due to time and erosion some of the stones in Raway Cemetery are deteriorating. The cemetery is an important part of American history. Buried there are Revolutionary and Civil War soldiers, and Abraham Clark, signer of the Declaration of Independence and namesake for Clark Township.

The scouts carefully and respectfully recorded sections 1, 2, and 5 of Rahway Cemetery. They noted names, dates, and special characteristics of the graves and took a picture of each headstone.

Upon completion, a digital file, as well as a printed document, will be presented to Rahway historian Al Shipley and the staff of the Merchants and Drovers Tavern Museum for archiving.

Participating scouts and leadership included Erie Lugo, Dante Cistaro, Xander Cistaro, Anderson Schieferstein, Spencer Prusakowski, Chris Bacek, Nick Merola, Alex Kefalas, and Rui Macieira.

Boy Scout Troop 145 is an active Troop of young men who dedicate themselves to the values of Scouting while learning and having fun in a safe environment. Scouting teaches leadership, citizenship and volunteerism, as well as appreciation for the outdoors.

Chris Bacek and his family would like to thank Al Shipley of Merchants and Drovers Museum, Bee Real Photography, and ShopRite of Clark and Phillip's Pizza for their assistance and generous donations.



(above) Rahway historian Al Shipley, and Boy Scout Chris Bacek



(above) Boy Scout Troop 145

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BULLIES TO BUDDIES WORKSHOP – OCT. 19TH

On Thursday, October 19th from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Imagine, A Center for Coping with Loss will offer a Bullies to Buddies workshop at their Mountainside center at 244 Sheffield Street in Mountainside. There is no cost for this program. Children and youth, third grade and older are welcome to attend along with adults who wish to help the children in their lives gain skills for responding to bullying behavior. Young people attending will have an opportunity to role play techniques taught throughout the session.

Bullying is a challenge for many students, but children and youth who are grieving are more likely to be bullied or become bullies. The Bullies to Buddies method fosters resilience by showing how to respond to verbal aggression. Children from 3rd grade and up, parents, school staff members and any interested community members are welcome to attend whether or not they have been recently impacted by a loss.

The training will be offered by Connie Palmer, LCSW who is a Grief Education Consultant for Imagine. Connie is a former school social worker, therapist and is a Certified Bullies to Buddies Trainer.

If you and/or your kids are interested in attending, please register by scanning the QR code below or visiting Imagine's website at imagine-nj.org. Pizza dinner is available prior to the workshop at 6:15 p.m. Please indicate your interest in coming early for pizza when you

register. We hope you can join us at Imagine for this timely and beneficial workshop!

Imagine is a 501c3 nonprofit that offers free year-round grief support groups for children ages 3-18 and young adults 19-30 who are coping with a loss due to death. Concurrently, support groups are available for the parents and guardians of the children in the groups and offered in English and Spanish. Imagine also offers grief and loss education and training to the community. For more information please contact Imagine at 908-264-3100 or info@imagine-nj.org.



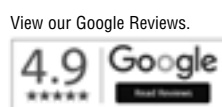
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10 Washington St., Unit 03
47 Briarwood Path
39 King St.
56 Lexington Blvd.
13 Blake Dr.
213 East Lane
1168 Lake Ave., Unit 4
45 Wendell Pl.
501 Oak Ridge Rd.
309 Oak Ridge Rd.
29 Conger Way
13 Florence Dr.
303 West Ln.
1 Rose Ter.
187 Liberty St.
11 Harding Ave.
40 John St.
77 John St.
17 Hillside Ave.
11 Avon Rd.
81 New York Ave.

42 Kenneth Pl.
1 Kathryn St.
29 Hillside Ave.
9 Shetland Dr.
12 Yorktown Dr.
84 Wheatsheaf Rd.
12 Ascot Way
301 West Lane
1119 Maurice Ave.
1 Longfellow Lane
8 Wendell Place
13 Blake Dr.
42 School St.
29 Harvey Ct.
18 Yorktown Dr.
45 Starlite Dr.
1538 Franklin St.
40 Conger Way
15 Ayers Lane
72 Dorset Dr.
5 Schmidt Lane
269 Willow Way
18 Ginesi Dr.
7 Blake Dr.

43 Willow way
95 Briarheath Ln.
18 Terhune Rd.
1 Jarvais Ter.
39 Frances Dr.
28 Gibson Blvd.
41 Largo Lane
5 Tudor Dr.
111 Westfield Ave.
14 Washington St.
118 Jupiter St.
61 Sycamore Rd.
15 Briarheath Ln.
43 Kathryn St.
54 Harding Ave.
1 Plymouth Rd.
306 Parkway Dr.
75 Union County Pkwy
49 Briarwood Path
549 Valley Rd.
161 Meadow Rd.
16 Nassau St.
160 Meadow Rd.
415 Valley Rd.

49 Joseph St.
23 Ayers lane
110 Sweet Briar Dr.
30 Stanton St.
76 Harding Ave.
53 Stemmer Dr.
291 Willow Way
330 West Lane
139 Jupiter St.
458 Oak Ridge Rd.
307 West lane
93 Jupiter St.
166 Meadow Rd.
67 Lefferts Ln.
41 Oleander Way
160 Riverside Dr.
45 Briarheath Ln.
40 Emerald Pl.
24 Hawthorne Dr.
45 Briarwood Path
21 St. Germain Dr.
532 Valley Rd.
21 Orchard Ter.
307 West Lane

TOTAL NUMBER OF TRANSACTIONS = 208, 145 ARE IN CLARK

SALEM ROADHOUSE CAFÉ ANNOUNCES ZUKO, PHILIPS, COHN & STARR

Salem Roadhouse Café presents Zuko, Philips, Cohn & Starr, Saturday, October 14, 2023. The doors open at 7:15 p.m., the show starts at 8:00 p.m. Admission is \$20 and includes show, snacks, non-alcoholic beverages, and dessert. The venue is located in Bailey Hall at Townley Presbyterian Church, 829 Salem Road, Union, NJ. The Roadhouse operates as a non-profit that raises funds for several carefully chosen local charities.

Zuko, Philips, Cohn & Starr have carved themselves a unique niche within the realm of rock classic tunes. Focused mostly on vocals and light accompaniment with a pair of guitars and a djembe for rhythm, this group of very talented and familiar Roadhouse performers has taken classic rock tunes we all know and love and put a lighter spin on them. The usual trappings of rock with it's requisite "wall of sound" is avoided, making the lyrics and tunes able to be heard clearly. Focused on rich harmonies, their sound is catching on like wildfire. Come and hear songs as you've never heard them before! States Michael Zuko, "We are in the midst of recording our debut album, which will be out next year. More original material is being added to our set lists."

This promises to be a very special, exciting show with some surprises!

As always, the Salem Roadhouse Café is live, intimate, up front, and personal. All ages are welcome.

ABOUT SALEM ROADHOUSE CAFÉ

It's not "church music." It's music music.

Folks who've come to the Salem Roadhouse Café know that it's a clean, safe place for people who enjoy listening to live music — in a world otherwise filled with clubs and bars. The Roadhouse has always offered its stage to local and independent mainstream musicians. Jazz, rock, folk, and other groups have performed. What's the common thread? They're all great musicians playing the kind of music people like to hear. There's no message, just music.

The Roadhouse started in 2008 by members of Townley Presbyterian Church with a grant from the Presbytery of Elizabeth. Hey — that's why we're located where we are. The Roadhouse operates as a non-profit that raises funds for several carefully chosen local charities. That's its social mission.

But the many musicians who've played the Salem Roadhouse Café see it as a solid performance venue. They love it because of its special intimacy and great audiences. They say people here "really listen." Ask any of the musicians you meet here — they love to play the Roadhouse, and they want to come back often.

The Salem Roadhouse Café has raised funds for many carefully chosen charities. They include: The Presbytery of Elizabeth E-port Center, Center For Hope Hospice, Community Food Bank, Monarch Housing, Angel Paws Animal Rescue, National MS Society, Haiti Disaster Relief, Hurricane Sandy Disaster Relief, The Union County YWCA Domestic Violence Programs, Making It Possible To End Homelessness, Camp Johnsonburg, The Music Institute, and others. Thousands of dollars have been raised for these deserving charities.

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FALL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



(above) ALA President Tammi Angelo takes a break from kitchen duties to chat with Legion member Jeff DePazza during an American Legion Auxiliary breakfast. Join us for breakfast and meet Clark’s veterans. Breakfast is served on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. October 1, October 15, and November 5. Cost is \$7.00 including coffee.

Clark American Legion

The Clark American Legion Auxiliary Unit 328 has scheduled events for the Fall season. The Auxiliary season started in September with the ladies helping the American Legion with its annual Golf Outing on September 25. The Golf Outing raises money for scholarships for Veterans children and grandchildren of Post 328. Held at Ashbrook Golf Course, the event hosts a BBQ lunch after golf for those in attendance. The Auxiliary and members of the SAL cooked and prepared the lunch as well as the continental breakfast offered to golfers before the start of the day.

October and November have three breakfasts on the calendar. The Ladies start cooking at 9:30 a.m. on the Sunday mornings of Oct. 1, Oct. 15

and Nov. 5 preparing breakfast options for \$7.00 including coffee. NFL football has morning games on these dates as teams play overseas. The fun starts at 9:30 a.m. with fresh cooked breakfast to order and football on the many TVs around the bar area. Join our veterans for a fun Sunday morning during football season.

Also, on the Auxiliary schedule are visits to Lyons Veterans Hospital in Basking Ridge, The NJ Veterans Memorial Home in Menlo Park, our annual Members children party with a visit with Santa in December.

Join us for breakfast and meet Clark’s veterans. Breakfast is served at 9:30 a.m. October 1, October 15, and November 5.

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ARC OF UNION COUNTY RAISES \$41,000

The Arc of Union County, a non-profit agency serving more than one-thousand adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities, raised over \$41,000 at its first annual Swing Into Summer Golf Invitational on June 21st at Galloping Hill Golf Course in Kenilworth.

Golfers from local and regional businesses, private individuals and other supporters enjoyed a full day of golf, breakfast, lunch and numerous prizes. Among them was a raffle for an all-expense paid luxury three-day, two-night stay at the exclusive Kiawah Island Golf Resort in South Carolina won by Ryan Frangopoulos of Macro Technology.

The event also served as a passing of the torch from The Arc of Union County's long-time Executive Director Frank Caragher, who retired at the end of June after 49 years of service to the IDD community, to his successor, Edwin Asuta, who took over in January.

For 74 years, The Arc of Union County has offered a lifespan of services including family support, early intervention, education, residential, day habilitation and employment services. All proceeds will directly support these programs.

The Arc is grateful to Galloping Hill Golf Course and GAPGEM LLC Golf Event Management for their essential roles in making this event a success. We also thank our 23 sponsors without whose support this event wouldn't have been possible. They are:

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Learn more about The Arc of Union County, its programs and services, at arcunion.org or follow us on Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn. And for an early start on next year's golf event, contact Marianne Kranz at mkrantz@arcunion.org.



(above) Retired Executive Director Frank Caragher and his successor Edwin Asuta

Courtesy photo

FALL FUNDRAISER – BASKETS OF HOPE

The Center for Hope Hospice Auxiliary

The Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care Auxiliary 25th annual fall fundraiser "Baskets of Hope" will take place on October 22nd, 2023, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Pines Manor in Edison, New Jersey.

The event will feature a wonderful luncheon, and raffles of over 100 baskets, a 50/50 raffle, door prizes, two gift card aprons, and a raffle for VISA gift cards in denominations of \$2,000, \$1,000 and \$500, and various vendors will offer an array of beautiful merchandise for sale.

The Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care Auxiliary provides financial support of the Center's charity care through fundraisers such as the "Baskets of Hope" in the Fall and a Wine Tasting in the Spring. The Auxiliary also runs the Hope Chest, a thrift store located at 26 Prospect Street in Westfield, New Jersey.

The Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative

Care is a not-for-profit hospice that provides loving care to patients and their families regardless of race, ethnicity, religious affiliation, or ability to pay. This care is provided in facilities in Scotch Plains and Elizabeth, New Jersey, and in patients' homes.

For more information regarding the event, and to purchase tickets visit cfhh.org. Tickets for the VISA card raffle can be purchased at the Hope Chest, located at 26 Prospect Street, Westfield, NJ, or from an auxiliary member.



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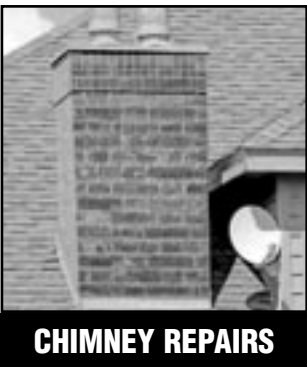
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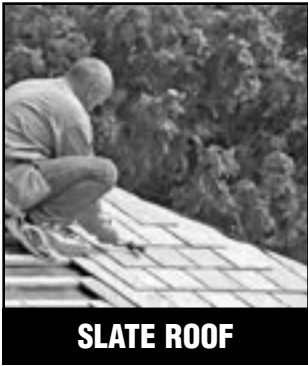
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DOCUMENTING NJ'S REVOLUTIONARY WAR VETERANS

Elizabeth Snyder-Continental Chapter DAR

Two local women are helping create a new database of New Jersey Revolutionary War Soldiers. A project of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR), the database will be the most comprehensive produced to date utilizing a wide variety of sources.

"The hope is that this database will not only allow us to recognize and honor these veterans, but also help their descendants and researchers to learn about them," said DAR volunteer Holly Dunbar. Working on Somerset County, Dunbar has compiled information on more than 1,700 individuals to date.

Project volunteers aim to find and record as much information about each patriot as possible. This includes dates and locations of birth, enlistment, death and burial; service record with rank and unit, battles, if wounded, taken prisoner or killed; family with names of spouses, parents and children; and the sources of this information. A special effort is being made to include women, African Americans and Native Americans.

"We are starting with the current DAR database, but also using church records, county and local histories, surviving military and pension records, newspapers, and more," said Dunbar, who is a member of Elizabeth Snyder-Continental Chapter in Green Brook.

Another chapter member, Ruth Ryno, is working on Essex County, which also includes present-day Union and part of Passaic County. "I look forward to helping prepare this database in honor of our New Jersey patriots as our country prepares to celebrate America's 250th anniversary in 2026." When the project is completed, the database will cover all of New Jersey and will be made available to the public.

DAR is a nonprofit nonpolitical service organization open to women 18 and older who can prove lineal descent from a patriot of the American Revolution. Elizabeth Snyder-Continental Chapter is based in Green Brook and serves areas in Somerset, Middlesex and Union counties. New members are welcome. Contact ESCchapterDAR@gmail.com or learn more at DAR.org.



(above) Holly Dunbar, New Jersey
DAR State Chairman

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- **Loss of muscle strength** - This can lead to balance issues and the strong possibility of falling.
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This year we are delighted to honor our Soup Kitchen Teams from:

- Parish Community of St. Helen, Westfield
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- Immaculate Conception, Elizabeth
- Church of Little Flower, Berkeley Heights
- St. John the Apostle, Clark
- St. Michael, Cranford
- Temple Sha'arey Shalom, Springfield

Thanks to countless volunteers from these faith communities, a hot meal has been served with dignity and compassion since April 19, 1986. Even during Covid, these volunteers prepared meals 'to-go' so that our sisters and brothers could enjoy lunch on Saturday.

The GRAND 50/50 Raffle will be in 5 cash prizes. Only 2,500 tickets will be sold, so please get your tickets early! The Grand Prize will be \$15,000 or 30% of ticket sales, and there will be Four Consolation Prizes of \$2500 or 5% of ticket sales.

The Tricky Tray and Restaurant Gift Card baskets will be better than ever. This year we are also featuring a Take Me Away Travel Prize



donated by United Airlines. This prize features 2 electronic certificates valid for round trip travel between US 48 / Alaska / Canada / Caribbean / Central America.

The evening will start at 6:00 p.m. so you will have plenty of time to 'shop' and mingle! To purchase tickets, become a sponsor, or make a donation, please visit our website at sjeliz.org/special-events.html. Please purchase tickets by October 10th.

We are very grateful that your generosity has enabled us to serve our community for over 37 years through our food, health, counseling, adult education, clothing, and seasonal programs, and we hope we can count on your continued support.

Thank you for sharing your blessings and offering hospitality and hope to our sisters and brothers!

With gratitude, Jacqueline Karmol, Dinner and Grand Raffle Chair.

NJDEP NOTICE

Take notice that, as part of the remediation of Evening Realty at 35 Walnut Avenue, Block: 155 Lot: 7.01, in Clark Township, Union County, a proposal has been submitted to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) to discharge to ground water in accordance with a permit issued pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq., its implementing regulations the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System, N.J.A.C. 7:14A; the Ground Water Quality Standards, N.J.A.C. 7:9C; and the Technical Requirements for Site Remediation, N.J.A.C. 7:26E. The Department's Site Remediation Program is reviewing the proposal to discharge to ground water for the purpose of remediating a contaminated site with the program interest # 018545.

To address chlorinated volatile organic compound impacts in overburden groundwater related to a former rail line, Provect-ERD + DVI will be injected into five injection wells, followed by the installation of Provect- IR in-situ chemical reduction (ISCR) sleeves for up to one year. A copy of this public notice has been sent to the Municipal Clerk and designated local health official for Clark Township.

A copy of the discharge to ground water proposal is available from the person responsible for conducting the remediation (Evening Realty, Co., Inc. – c/o Daniel Cervino, Esq. Beattie Padovano, LLC, 50 Chestnut Ridge Road, Suite 208, Montvale, New Jersey) or as part of the administrative record which is on file at the offices of the Department, Site Remediation Program, located at 401 East State Street, Trenton, Mercer County, New Jersey. The file may be reviewed under the New Jersey Open Public Records Act ("OPRA"), N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1 et seq. Information regarding the OPRA procedures is available at www.state.nj.us/dep/opra/oprainfo.html.

Interested persons may submit written comments regarding the discharge to ground water proposal to the Department at the address listed below and to the owner or operator of the facility at Peak Environmental, a Nova Group GBC Company, 26 Kennedy Boulevard, Suite A, East Brunswick, NJ. All comments shall be

submitted within 30 calendar days after the date of this public notice, or the end of any public hearing that the Department may schedule that occurs after that date. All persons who believe that the discharge to ground water proposal is inappropriate, must raise all reasonably ascertainable issues and submit in writing to the Department all reasonably available arguments and factual grounds supporting their position, including all supporting material, by the close of the public comment period. The Department will consider all public comments that relate to the discharge to ground water proposal, provided that the Department receives the comments by the close of the public comment period. After the close of the public comment period, the Department will render a decision regarding the proposed discharge to ground water.

The Department will respond to all significant and timely comments with its decision regarding the discharge to ground water proposal. Each person who has submitted written comments will receive notice of the Department's decision.

Any person may request in writing that the Department hold a non-adversarial public hearing on the discharge to ground water proposal. This request shall state the nature of the issues to be raised in the proposed hearing and shall be submitted within 30 calendar days of the date of this public notice to the address cited below. A public hearing will be conducted whenever the Department determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the discharge to ground water decision. If a public hearing is held, the public comment period in this notice shall automatically be extended to the close of the public hearing.

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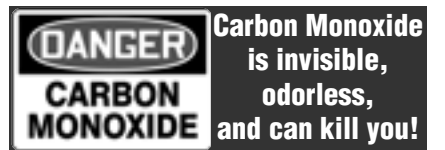
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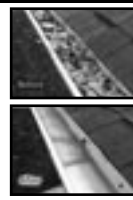
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NICOLE LENKIEWICZ RECEIVES THE JARVAIS SCHOLARSHIP

Submitted by Susan Alacchi, EMT

The Clark Volunteer Emergency Squad (CVES) is pleased to announce that Nicole Lenkiewicz was awarded this year's Jarvais Scholarship. CVES Vice-President and Captain, Charles J. Poyssick recently presented Nicole with the award at the squad's monthly meeting.

Nicole is a 2023 graduate from Arthur L. Johnson High School. She is in the top 10% of her class taking eight AO (advance placement) courses and is a Key Club member. As a Key Club member, she was responsible for running the entire Union County's Key Clubs, which numbers about 700 students. She rechartered a defunct Elizabeth, NJ Key Club, which allows hundreds of children to volunteer. Nicole has given private tennis lessons to younger children and ran summer camps with about a dozen children each day while helping them improve their gameplay.

Nicole has an impressive resume for someone so young. She holds several jobs and is an interpreter for Polish speaking customers. Nicole

has formed an organization and volunteered at a refugee relief program in Poland. Along with co-founding a Math and a History National Honor Societies, she formed an organization and volunteered at a refugee relief program in Poland. Nicole founded an online tutoring organization, working with Ukrainian and Polish students while receiving recognitions from eight schools in those countries. She has organized fund raisers, and collected donations that were delivered to the Ukraine border. Nicole supervised the children of refugees and provided over 200 children with an education in the Polish language. To get a taste of the medical field, Nicole is the president and representative of the Scrub Club, a health care

exploration program.

Nicole's parents, Tomasz and Katarzyna, told the squad how proud they are of their daughter. "She works very hard," said Mrs. Lenkiewicz. Mr. Lenkiewicz agreed with his wife, adding, "We are so proud of Nicole's accomplishments."

Nicole is a Clark resident and is planning to attend college in the fall to pursue a career in medicine. CVES is proud to help Nicole realize her goal by awarding her the Jarvais Scholarship.

Al Jarvais was a long-time member of CVES who passed away while responding to a call during a heavy snowstorm. For more information on the scholarship or other information, please contact Susan Alacchi at salacchi@hotmail.com.

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(above) CVES Vice-President and Captain, Charles J. Poyssick, with the Lenkiewicz family, Nicole along with parents Kataryna & Tomasz Lenkiewicz.

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Gene served in his position since 2014 and accomplished much during almost 10 years. Gene increased the Chamber membership from 260 members to currently over 400 members. He enlarged the Board to 20 members to be more representative of the businesses and professionals the Chamber represents and established standing committees with board members and volunteers to increase involvement and awareness of Chamber activities and events.

He expanded the size of the Chamber by incorporating Clark and the Irish Business Association into the GWACC Chamber and the communities it serves in Clark, Fanwood, Garwood, Mountainside, Scotch Plains and Westfield. He created special recognition awards for 5-year, 10-year, and older GWACC members. Additional community events were created in Clark, Fanwood and Garwood to engage with community residents and highlight local businesses. During the pandemic, Gene's efforts continued the work of the Chamber on a daily basis and provided updates regarding COVID provided to him by the NJ Chamber of Commerce and the US Chamber. He assisted members and non-members alike with PPP information and access to other State and County Grants. He initiated regular online networking events to keep the business community connected and developed a new website and mobile app to better connect with the members and local communities. Many more opportunities now exist for member businesses to interact with other like-minded professionals at the various networking events.

In 2017 he facilitated the office move to the current location on Lenox Avenue. He established the GWACC 501c3 Foundation primarily to



(above) Gene Jannotti

provide scholarships to local high school students. He started a new budgeting, billing and payments processes including auto-billing of dues to facilitate payments. He established ongoing sponsorship programs for continuing support of GWACC events.

In the past five years, Gene received the Union County Boy Scouts Lifetime Achievement Award, the NJBIA ICON Award and the Inroads to Opportunities Champion of Change Award. He is a graduate of the US Chamber Institute of Nonprofit Organizational Management. Gene is a former member of the Trinitas Hospital Foundation Board, Past President of the Board of Trustees of the Union County Performing Arts Center, current Board member of Union College

Foundation and the Boys and Girls Club of Union County. Gene is a member of the Scotch Plains/Fanwood Rotary, the Westfield Optimist Club, and the Union County 200 Club. Gene is also on the Siena College Advisory Board.

"I have enjoyed my time at the Chamber helping businesses succeed and do well. But now it is time to bring in a new Executive Director to take the Chamber to the next level. I want to thank the GWACC Staff, Mary Cirillo who has been with me for the past nine years and Faith Delaney for the past 5 years for the job they have done for the Chamber. I am very happy that I leave the Chamber in better condition than when I started." Gene thanked all current and former Board members for the opportunity given to him to serve as the Chamber CEO and expressed his thanks to all of the GWACC members who make everything happen at the Chamber. Gene will take well deserved time away from employment to serve on various non-profit Boards, play golf and travel.

GWACC CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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The New Jersey Clean Communities Council (NJCCC), a statewide, comprehensive, litter-abatement program, has honored Union County’s Trailside Nature & Science Center in Mountainside with its “2023 Single Use Plastics Excellence in Education Award.”

NJCCC Executive Director JoAnn Gemenden presented the inaugural award to Center Director Patricia Bertsch during the recent New Jersey Sustainability in Motion Expo in Atlantic City, which attracted hundreds of attendees from across the state.

When introducing the award, Gemenden explained that New Jersey Clean Communities promotes education to change the attitudes that cause littering. With that in mind, the Excellence in Education Award was designed to honor a business, community organization, school or individual who has achieved measurable results in reducing litter through education.

Union County’s Trailside Nature & Science Center, a 4,500-square-foot interactive museum in the Watching Reservation, was bestowed with this year’s honor for “fostering an awareness and appreciation of the natural world, while bringing a creative, inclusive, and immersive approach to learning and enrichment programs,” Gemenden said.

She noted one of the center’s noteworthy projects was inspired during the COVID-19 pandemic, featuring creation of bottle-cap inspired artwork about plastic pollution.

This eye-catching artwork was fashioned in the

shape of marine animals, each paired with educational signage to explain the harm that plastic pollution causes to the environment. These works were placed along trails in the Watchung Reservation, as an outdoor educational walk for park-goers. The initiative was so successful that the artwork has now become a traveling exhibit as various events, including the Sustainability in Motion Expo.

With a plethora of environmental programs, activities, and experiences curated for children and adults, the Trailside Nature & Science Center consistently rises to the occasion, finding interesting and effective ways to engage a wide audience.

Learn more at njclean.org and litterfreenj.org.



(above) NJCCC Executive Director JoAnn Gemenden (L) with Patricia Bertsch, Director of Union County Trailside Nature & Science Center with Karen Inzillo and Dario Scholis of Union County.

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IMAGINE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

Imagine staff recently gathered with many of Imagine's wonderful volunteers to thank them for all of their volunteer support during Imagine's 22-23 program year.

Some of the volunteers who gathered support Imagine's families by facilitating a support group for children, teens, young adults or their parents or guardians who have experienced a loss due to death. They create safe spaces where group participants can share their stories with one another and receive empathy and support.

Other volunteers at the event serve as greeters, welcoming families as they arrive for pizza dinner at the center on their Night of Support. Still other volunteers help by setting up or cleaning up the center before or after a Night of Support. Imagine could not be the resource for the families they seek to support without this amazing community of volunteers and the staff at Imagine were so happy to show their gratitude

and appreciation for all that the volunteers do!

Imagine's Executive Director, Lindsay Schambach said this about Imagine's volunteers: "The volunteers at Imagine truly change lives. They are the most humble, kind, considerate, selfless human beings who sit in a room with you or your children in your moments of the most vulnerability, and they just hold space. They allow you to say everything and anything, the types of things you might not be able to say anywhere else. What they do is they create safety so that you can put yourself back together again. People who volunteer here at Imagine truly help change lives, and we hope that others who can give of themselves in that way consider joining us! The need for grief support continues to grow, and we know there are volunteers who can help meet that need."

If you're interested in learning more about

becoming a volunteer at Imagine, please reach out to 908-264-3100 or email info@imagine-nj.org to connect with Imagine staff about volunteering options available. Bilingual (Spanish/English) facilitators are also needed at both locations.

Imagine is a 501c3 nonprofit that offers free year-round grief support groups for children ages 3-18 and young adults 19-30 who are coping with a loss due to death. Concurrently, support groups are available for the parents and guardians of the children in the groups and offered in English and Spanish. Groups are also available for parents who have lost a child aged 30 or younger. Imagine's Training and Education staff provide grief and loss education and training to the community.

For more information, please visit www.imagine-nj.org or contact Imagine at 908-264-3100 or info@imagine-nj.org.



(above) Imagine staff members and volunteers in Imagine's support group program gathered at their Mountainside center for the annual Volunteer Appreciation Event. The wall behind this community of volunteers is filled with snowflakes, stars, and leaves on which Imagine participants have written messages to their person who died.

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ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS – OCT 1

The Episocopal Church of St. John the Baptist will hold its annual Blessing of the Animals on Sunday, October 1, 2023, at 1:00 p.m. The event will take place on the church lawn at 2018 Dewitt Terrace in Linden and is open to all members of the community.

The Blessing of the Animals is a yearly tradition to honor St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals and the environment, whose feast is celebrated on October 4th and to show our appreciation for all of the animals in our lives.

All animals are welcome to participate in the Blessing of the Animals, including dogs, cats, birds, reptiles, and even farm animals. There will be a brief service at 1:00 p.m led by Canon Joanne Izzo, followed by a time for people to bring their animals forward to be blessed. Participants should bring a folding lawn or beach chair.

We hope to see you and your furry friends at the Blessing of the Animals on Sunday, October 1. Donations will be accepted for a local animal shelter.

CAR DONATIONS HELP VETERANS

Submitted by Michael Boll, Director New

The New Jersey Veterans Network (NJVN) has received countless donations and other awesome support from Renna Media News readers. We are extremely fortunate to have so many readers that love helping our veterans live a better way of life. To date articles in Renna Media publications have resulted in 4 car donations. Veteran "Sarge" is the most recent recipient of a car donation after the donor read an article in a March publication. We are blessed to have such a generous following, donations like this will help our veterans get to work, and their medical appointments.

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(above) Diane R. recently donated a car to the NJVN. She handed the keys over to "Sarge".

LIBRARY BOOK AND JEWELRY SALE NOV. 4

The Friends of the Clark Library will be hosting a book sale and costume jewelry sale at the Clark Library on November 4, from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Paperback books are only 50 cents, paperback books are \$1.00. Audio books and DVD's will be available.

Fill a tote bag (no larger than 14" x 13") with books for just \$5.00.

We have many new costume jewelry items, which are all \$1.00. Necklaces, bracelets, earrings, rings, watches and more. A special thanks to all who donated.

All proceeds will benefit the Clark Library. Thank you for your continued support.

DR WM ROBINSON MUSEUM VENDOR EVENT - NOV 4

Dr. Wm. Robinson Museum, 593 Madison Hill Road, Clark. 8th annual Craft & Vendor Event will be held on Saturday, November 4th (rain date Sunday). Mark your calendar! Stop by and do some holiday shopping & enjoy breakfast and/or lunch. They'll be 60+ vendors selling a huge variety of items ... jewelry, clothing, skincare products, gems-rocks-stones, nail products, candles, handbags, essential oils, wooden home decor, wreaths, knitted and crocheted items, paintings, pictures, personalized items, pierogies - kielbasa - soups, chocolate covered treats, Crumb Cakes, and so much more!!

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SUMMIT OLD GUARD OCTOBER SPEAKERS

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October speakers include Dr. Wm. Happer, professor of Physics; Mike Martin discussing ethical drug development; Robert Connley, Mayor of Madison; and Paul Cirillo, astronomer.

On October 3rd, Dr. William Happer, retired professor of physics, Princeton, will present a different interpretation of selected Climate change data. Dr. Happer will question current dogma about climate change by presenting scientific data and theory which questions the underlying assumptions of conventional wisdom. He expects many questions and will allow ample time to accommodate OG members. Dr. Happer worked in various capacities for the Bush and Trump Administrations.

Our speaker on October 17th will be Mike Martin. Mike spent many years in the pharmaceutical industry and will focus on how drugs are developed, the regulatory process, historic examples of pioneering discoveries which have combated serious diseases. Unique theories on how penicillin was discovered! Is Thalidomide which was the scourge of the 1950's still prescribed? The discussion will present an entertaining description on important historical discoveries and controversies. As part

of the presentation, he will also discuss the origins of a few common therapies which the OG members are currently taking.

On October 24th, Robert Conley, Mayor of Madison will be our speaker. The Mayor will discuss his administration's efforts to maintain the excellent quality of life in Madison despite dealing with diverse populations composed of students and suburbanites with different needs. Three universities are headquartered in Madison which has tax consequences and other social issues. The Mayor had to address the following proposals: allow Madison to become a sanctuary city and providing a storefront for marijuana dispensing, indeed, Madison is also unique because it has its own electric power distribution facility. The Mayor will discuss these and other issues.

Finally, on Halloween, October 31st, amateur astronomer, Paul Cirillo will tell us about the latest discoveries that have been made by the many robotic space exploration missions to the planets, asteroids and comets in our solar system as well as the latest images from the James Webb Space Telescope. Also, an overview will be provided of the latest human space programs planned by the United States, China and several commercial space companies.

Past speakers and much more can be viewed at SummitOldGuard.org but we encourage people to drop in on our meetings which take place at the church at 10:00 a.m. most Tuesdays. "Come for the Speakers. Stay for the Friends." We look forward to meeting you.



(above, l-r) Paul Cirillo, Robert Conley, Dr. Wm Happer



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 The library will be closed on Monday, October 9 for Columbus Day

Open House Extravaganza & Pumpkin Painting

Thursday, October 19 at 6:30 - 8:30 pm!

Tales for Tots

Mondays, October 2, 16, 23 & 30 at 10am

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

Friends of the Library Meeting

Monday, October 2 at 7pm

Friends of the Library monthly meeting.

Baby Bookworms

October 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 at 10am

Babies and toddlers are invited to listen to some books, and learn some songs, rhymes, lap bounces, and fingerplays. 30 minutes of open play follows. Registration is requested.

Patches and Stitches

October 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 at 12pm

Bring your quilt or other crafty project and visit with the members of the quilting club.

Totally New Tuesdays

October 3, 10, 24 & 31 at 6:30pm

Enjoy a new movie for adults just released to DVD on our big screen. Please check our online calendar or visit the library to check the movies being shown.

Digital Literacy Tutoring

October 3, 10, 17 & 24 at 6:30pm

Do you need help with your digital literacy skills? Join us for tutoring sessions on topics including Google Drive, Microsoft, Email, and resume help. Registration is required as sessions are limited to 4 students.

Fraud Protection Seminar

Wednesday, October 4 at 11:00am

Learn how to protect their information and assets from the growing number of frauds and scams in the current post-pandemic era. Sponsored by Bank of America in Clark, NJ.

English as a Second Language Tutoring

Wednesday, October 4, 11, 18, & 25 at 2pm

The Clark Public Library hosts weekly English as a Second Language tutoring sessions. Registration is required as sessions are limited to 4 students.

Chess Club

October 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 11am - 3pm

New members welcome!

Thursday Afternoon Movies

October 5, 12 & 26 at 1pm

Enjoy a movie for adults. Please check our online calendar or visit the library to check the movies being shown

Stories & More

October 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 10am

Stories, movement, songs followed by a simple craft for active listeners ages 3 - 5 years old.

Registration is required.

English as a Second Language Conversation Class

Saturday October 7, 14, 21 & 28 at 11am

Practice English and conversation. For beginners to intermediates.

Digital Literacy Tutoring

Wednesday, October 11 & 25 at 11am

Join us for tutoring sessions on topics including Google Drive, Microsoft, Email, and resume help. Registration is required.

Krafty Kids

Wednesday, October 11 at 3:30pm

Join us as we make some fun and creative artwork! Don't forget to bring your imagination and creativity! Registration is required. Geared for entering Kindergarten-5th grade.

Family Movie Night

Thursday, October 12 at 6:30pm

Join us for popcorn and a newly released Disney Pixar movie (Rated PG.)

LEGO Club

Friday, October 13 at 3:15pm

Create your own LEGO® structures to be displayed in the Children's area of the library!

LEGO® are provided by the library. For children entering grades K - 5.

Solar Viewing Program

Saturday, October 14 at 12pm

Pearl Observatory will be visiting with their solar telescope for the partial solar eclipse happening this day!

Union County Aging Services Kiosk

Monday, October 16 at 10am - 12pm

Come visit the Union County Aging Services Kiosk, speak to our specialist and get answers to your questions.

Teen Gaming Club

Monday, October 16 at 3pm

Drop by the library any time between 3:00 - 4:30pm for a fun afternoon of gaming. Play some Nintendo Switch games on our big screen or bring your own device. Snacks will be served! Open to Grades 6-12.

Watercolor Painting Class

Monday, October 16 at 7pm

Join artist Joy Ann Lara for a fall-themed watercolor painting class. Clark residents will receive priority registration.

New Jersey Paranormal

Thursday, October 17 at 7pm

Members of New Jersey Paranormal will be discussing famous New Jersey haunts.

Discover a World of Wonder:

Library Open House Extravaganza

Thursday, October 19 at 6:30pm-8:30pm

Join us for an evening of fall fun and learning! All patrons are welcome to enjoy some apple cider donuts and partake in fall games, contests and activities.

Teen Stress-Less: Paint Pouring

Friday, October 20 at 3pm

Teen Stress-Less is a series of programs designed to help teens unwind and relax.

Open to Grades 6 -12.

Evening Stories

Monday, October 23 at 6:30pm

Join us for a special evening storytime! Interactive stories, songs, and fun for children of all ages! A simple craft follows. Registration is requested.

Teen Manga/ Anime Club: Spy X Family

Monday, October 23 at 7pm

Our first Teen Manga/Anime Club! At this meeting we will learn to draw Bond Forger and watch episodes 1 & 2 of Spy X Family (PG-13).

Barks & Books

Tuesday, October 24 from 4pm-5pm

If you have a young, reluctant or struggling reader, meet our therapy dogs! Children will each get approximately 15 minutes of reading time with Bubble & Magnolia.

[Adult & Teen Craft] DIY Ghost Portrait

Tuesday, October 24 at 6:30pm

Join us as we teach you how to make your very own ghost portrait. Clark residents will receive priority registration.

Books and Bagels

Wednesday, October 25 at 11am

Enjoy bagels and coffee while we chat about books you have been reading and learn what others in your community are reading as well.

Paint a Pumpkin for Kids

Wednesday, October 25 at 3:30pm

Join us for our annual Paint a Pumpkin event.

This program is for ages 3 - grade 5. Registration is required and will close on Monday, October 23 at 10 am to ensure adequate supplies.

Tinker Tots

Thursday, October 26 at 10am

Come join us for a morning of fun STEAM. For children ages 1 through pre-k. Please register.

Little Scientist

Thursday, October 26 at 3:30pm

Learn how to build and create with our Science Experiments! Each session will be a different experiment that will touch upon a different STEM skill.

Witchy Woman with Alisa Dupuy

Thursday, October 26 at 7pm

Join us for a "witchy" time! Learn about the history of witchcraft and Halloween as Actress Alisa Dupuy portrays Eliza Blackheart of the Breckenvale Coven. Sponsored by the Friends of the Clark Library.

Spooky Family Bingo

Monday, October 30 at 6:30pm

Families are invited to dress up in their Halloween costumes and join us for free family BINGO! We will play 2-3 rounds of Bingo, at least 1 traditional and 1 Halloween themed.

Spooky Snacks for Teens

Monday, October 30 at 7pm

Teens! Come make some spooky snacks to get in the Halloween spirit. We'll be making (and snacking on): Milano Mummies, Pretzel Monsters, and S'mores Dip. Feel free to come dressed in costume.

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