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## FIRST EVER RESTAURANT WEEK - OCT 21ST THROUGH 28TH

Mountainside will be holding its first ever restaurant week this year. It will run from October 21st through the 28th. Mayor Paul Mirabelli announced the program, “There are so many great dining options in Mountainside. Some were featured in the most recent edition of NJ Monthly magazine.”

11 establishments will be participating in the event. There is something for every taste and every time of day. One can get premium sandwiches and prepared food at Mazzella’s and the Mountainside Deli. Chrone’s is a favorite local tavern that has good Italian food and American fare.

Bovella’s has been the go to bakery in the area for many years, and now their Mountainside location offers breakfast and lunch. The Mountainside Stage House Tavern is a great place to watch “the Game” or catch some live entertainment while choosing from an eclectic menu. Mosaico is known for fine Italian dining and delicious deserts. They also have live entertainment, check the website for details. Spanish Tavern has been named one of the best Spanish Restaurants in Northern New Jersey. Seafood dishes are a specialty reflecting the heritage of its owners.

New Jersey monthly highlighted the Publick House as an upscale gastropub that is the place to go for all occasions. Echo Tap has a very wide selection of delicious culinary choices. It is also a great place to watch your favorite sporting event or enjoy a weekend brunch. Famous Dave’s has long been serving the best BBQ in the area.

Most of the restaurants offer an al fresco dining experience as well. If you prefer to eat in the comfort of your own home, all of the restaurants offer take out. If you choose to go this route, local liquor store Vine Republic will be participating in restaurant week as well. The knowledgeable staff can guide you to just the right bottle of wine or micro brew to enhance your dining experience.

Mayor Mirabelli added “I look forward to meeting residents and



(above) Councilwoman Deanna Andre & Councilman Steve Matejek hold Restaurant Week poster.

visitors while enjoying the delicious food that Mountainside has to offer.” Borough Administrator Glenn Mortimer added “Mountainside is always looking for ways to build community and to support our local businesses. It is our hope that is the first of many such events.”

Visit the Restaurant Week website and [mountainsiderestaurantweek.com](http://mountainsiderestaurantweek.com) for more information, including a full list of participating establishments and for a chance to win a \$50 gift certificate.

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**LEVI CORY HOUSE VILLAGE SHOP FALL HOURS**

**Mountainside Restoration Committee**  
The Village Shop located in the Mountainside Restoration Committee's Levi Cory House announces new opening hours. The Shop will be open on most Saturdays (from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.) throughout the Fall.

The circa 1818 Levi Cory House, which was moved to Constitution Plaza eight years ago, was originally located at the corner of New Providence Road and Mountain Avenue. The house was the location of the first Children's Country Home, during the 1890s, before expanding to its current location as the Children's Specialized Hospital. After years of repair, renovation and restoration, the Levi Cory House now opens as a Museum for Children's Interests and the Village Shop. Recently, a second porch was added as there was one on the original house, and plumbing and a rest room have been added thanks, in part, to funds from the Watts Mountainside Community Foundation.

The Village Shop serves as a fund raiser for the continued restoration and maintenance of the Levi Cory House and maintenance of the Deacon Andrew Hetfield House. The Shop has been restocked with many new items for the home and for gift-giving - home décor, jewelry, antique and vintage items, furniture pieces and many interesting items and curiosities. Stop by to browse and you may find something for yourself

or for gift-giving. Purchases benefit the Mountainside Restoration Committee.

The Levi Cory House and Deacon Andrew Hetfield House are located at Constitution Plaza (Watchung Ave., off Birch Hill Rd.) adjacent to the Mountainside Library. The Mountainside Restoration Committee is a 501(c)(3) charity and a committee of volunteers whose purpose is to maintain the Deacon Andrew Hetfield House, restore and maintain the Levi Cory House and collect and save historical Mountainside information and items from destruction. For further information, please call (908)789-9420; or, go to: [www.mountainsidehistory.org](http://www.mountainsidehistory.org).



*(above) Mountainside's Levi Cory House Village Shop will open most Saturdays (from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.) throughout the Fall. Stop by to shop for unique gifts and household items displayed beautifully in this historic setting.*

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In February 2021, the Church of the Little Flower dedicated and opened our new church. The proceeds from our Annual Golf Outing helped fund that new church construction and enhancements to the church each year. The proceeds from this year's Outing will aid in maintaining and enhancing our church and funding our ministry work in the community. In addition, this year, and in subsequent years, a portion of the proceeds will be donated to a charitable organization or cause in Berkeley Heights or the nearby communities. This year a portion of the proceeds will fund a Scholarship awarded to a Governor Livingston High School Senior for college tuition. The scholarship is in memory of Ally Cabe, a teenage parishioner of our church and graduate of Governor Livingston High School, who passed away in September of 2022.

## 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](http://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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HouseBroken, an exhibition by New York-based interdisciplinary artist Melissa Stern that explores the range of emotions and experiences during the COVID-19 lockdown, is on display at the Galleries at Kean University through Friday, December 8.

An opening reception – free and open to the public – will be held in the Nancy Dryfoos Gallery located in the Learning Commons on Kean’s Union campus, Tuesday, September 26 at 5 p.m.

The exhibition is a loose documentation of the pandemic years and a visual musing about the nature of “home.” The emotionally resonant yet playful sculptures and works on paper were created using a wide range of mixed materials. Stern expertly channels her experiences and emotions into her work allowing the viewer to relate and remember a shared experience.

“When the world shut down, during the early days of the COVID-19 pandemic, everyone was sent ‘home.’ While I understood the logic, I knew not everyone had a safe place to stay, and for many, the roof over their head became a prison,” said Stern. “My work at that time became fixated on this weird dichotomy of home as sanctuary and prison. It affected everyone differently, and it changed us as a society.”

Lynette A. Zimmerman, Ed.D., executive director of the Liberty Hall Academic Center and the Galleries at Kean, said the exhibition “opens the door into this curious world in which we exist.”

“The playful authenticity of Stern’s work on a traumatic subject is refreshing. She invites us into her quirky, slightly dark world as she documents that time period through her work,” Zimmerman said. “The exhibition aligns with the Galleries at

Kean’s artistic theme this year, Art and Wellness, with its exploration of life during COVID.”

HouseBroken is on view at the Nancy Dryfoos Gallery on Kean University’s main campus, 1000 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. through December 8, 2023. Visit [galleries.kean.edu](http://galleries.kean.edu) for more information.

### ABOUT GALLERIES AT KEAN

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(above) *Deflated*, 2021, Melissa Stern, sculpture, clay, wood, paint, 43 x 18 x 17 in.



(above) *Going Out, Staying In*, 2021, Melissa Stern, work on paper – graphite, charcoal, oil stick, 26 x 29 in.

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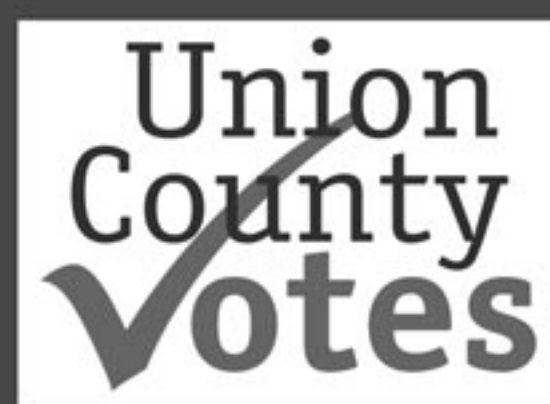
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NJCCC Executive Director JoAnn Gemenden presented the inaugural award to Center Director Patricia Bertsch during the recent New Jersey Sustainability in Motion Expo in Atlantic City, which attracted hundreds of attendees from across the state.

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 Watchung 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](http://njclean.org) and [litterfreenj.org](http://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



(above) Recycled Dolphin Artwork created by Trailside Nature & Science Center as part of plastic pollution education outreach.

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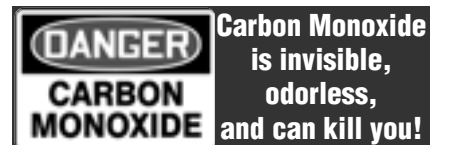
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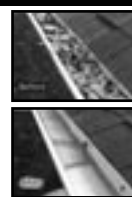
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# IMAGINE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

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@imajinenj.org](mailto:info@imajinenj.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.imajinenj.org](http://www.imajinenj.org) or contact Imagine at 908-264-3100 or [info@imajinenj.org](mailto:info@imajinenj.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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# MOUNTAINSIDE ACTIVE RETIREES

*Submitted by Kenny i., president - M.A.R.*

Mountainside mayor Paul N. Mirabelli spoke to the members and guests of M.A.R. during a September 12th meeting of the club, about what was happening in Mountainside. The meeting was attended by close to 60 people. Members and non-members. The mayor spoke of ongoing street repaving, grants being applied for, pool renovation, and community safety issues, and then took questions from the audience for close to 30 minutes.

The M.A.R. schedule for October is: Medicare Enrollment with guest speaker Charles Clarkson on October 10th and the 1st trip of the season to a show and dinner at The Brownstones with entertainment by a Tribute to Frankie Valli & the 4 Seasons.

Meeting and trips are open to all Mountainside seniors, 55+. For more information email mountainsideactiveretirees1983@gmail.com.



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Books must be in good condition - if you would not buy it, we cannot sell it! Please carefully select your donations. It costs us to dispose of books not in sellable condition.

Volunteers are needed to set up for the sale September 30 and October 2 and 3 as well as for clean-up on Tuesday, October 10 during library hours. Just stop at the library during regular hours to help.

All monies from the sale go directly to the library to enhance its collections and programs.

## OPERA ON FILM SERIES LINE-UP

Mena Clemson is hosting the 8th year of Operas on Film at the Mountainside Rescue Squad, starting at 1 p.m. on the 2nd Friday of the month. It is free to attend and open to the public.

### OCTOBER 13TH

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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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## GWACC ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT OF GENE JANNOTTI

The Greater Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce (GWACC) Board of Directors announced the retirement of Gene Jannotti, CEO of the Chamber, at the September 13, 2023, board meeting. Gene will leave office when the Board hires his replacement. The Board is expected to announce the new GWACC Chamber Executive Director in October as soon as the position is finalized.

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 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.



(above) Gene Jannotti



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

Established over 75 years ago, the GWACC is the primary business organization in Clark, Fanwood, Garwood, Mountainside, Scotch Plains, and Westfield. The chamber promotes local business opportunities, economic development, and community growth. GWACC includes 460 member businesses and nonprofit organizations. For more information about GWACC, visit [www.gwaccnj.com](http://www.gwaccnj.com). You can also call the office at 908-233-3021 Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Our office is located at 212 Lenox Avenue, Westfield, NJ 07090.

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# 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."

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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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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](http://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.

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