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### GIRL SCOUT TROOP 40297 EARNs BRONZE AWARD

*Submitted Emma Greguske, Girl Scout Troop 40297*

The Girl Scout Bronze award is earned by 4th and 5th grade Girl Scouts who make a long-lasting change to a community of their choice. Ellie Bartiromo, Hailey D'Silva, Emma Greguske and Sofia Salerno, members of Girl Scout Junior Troop 40297, decided to earn their award by improving the Mountain Park community by painting a mural in the gym. The mural consists of an eagle, which is the school mascot, along with the quote "Respect is a two-way street. If you want to get it, you've got to give it." by R.G. Risch to encourage mutual respect among students. With the approval of the Mountain Park Principal, Mr. Morisseau, the mural was painted on the partition wall in the gymnasium. To increase school spirit, they decided to paint the mural and quote in the school's red, white and blue colors.

The first step taken to complete this project was to choose a community for which the girls wanted to make a long-lasting change. They chose the Mountain Park Elementary School.

Next, they spoke to the Mountain Park Principal, Mr. Morisseau, the Hughes School Principal, Mrs. Nardi and the Mountain Park Head Custodian, Mr. O'Dowd, about ideas for what they could do and how they would do it. They decided on painting a mural and quote on the gym dividers. The girls planned out the materials to buy and the activities they each would do. Then, they started painting the mural and the quote. After they finished painting, they wanted to share what they had done and why respect is important. The girls are very happy to do this for the school. Hailey D'Silva says "I was a little sad to leave Mountain Park, so I'm excited to leave behind something for future students to enjoy".

They put up pictures and notes on a bulletin board in the school explaining their bronze award project. Confirming they had fun in doing the project Ellie Batiromo stated, "I enjoyed doing this project with my friends" while Emma Greguske said, "I am glad to have done this for the school and its students."

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**By R.G. Risch**



(above, l-r) Sofia Salerno, Ellie Bartiromo, Hailey D'Silva, and Emma Greguske

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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.

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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](http://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.

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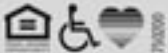
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40 Pinewood Cres	5	3.1	2	\$1,199,000	\$1,199,000	51
868 Mountain Ave	5	4.0	3	\$885,000	\$915,000	49
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**COLOR YOUR WORLD FUN RUN - OCTOBER 1ST**

Lace up your running shoes and get ready to run or walk in this colorful and charitable event! The highly anticipated Color Your World Fun Run, benefiting the KAW Foundation, is scheduled to take place on October 1st at The Grove at The Park 200 Connell Drive, Berkeley Heights. This event promises a day of fitness, fun, and philanthropy that brings the community together in a burst of vibrant colors.

The Color Your World Fun Run is an experience like no other. Participants of all ages and fitness levels are invited to walk, run or jog on this 1.3-mile picturesque path, where they will be showered with an array of brilliant, eco-friendly colored powders. As participants make their way through the course, they become walking canvases of living art, reflecting the spirit of community that the event represents.

The KAW Foundation, a 501c3 charitable organization, is dedicated to bringing mental health resources, presentations, and programs to schools. All proceeds from the Color Your World Fun Run will directly contribute to the KAW Foundation's ongoing mission to bring mental health support to our school communities.

Participants are encouraged to register early to secure their spot and ensure they receive their free white t-shirt. All registered participants will receive a commemorative t-shirt, draw string bag, water bottle and an individual color packet

to make their run more colorful. The event will also feature DJ, food, vendors, giveaways, and other family-friendly activities, making it a perfect day out for the entire community.

The Color Your World Fun Run is made possible by the generous support of sponsors such as The Connell Company, JENCAP, Delicious Heights, Renewal by Anderson, Bridgehaven Financial Advisors, Lisa Kulback Group, Victoria Carter Group, Minding Your Mind, Jag-One Physical Therapy and Smith Chiropractic whose commitment to community engagement and well-being aligns seamlessly with the event's goals.

For more information and to register for the Color Your World Fun Run, please visit [KAWFoundation.org/events](http://KAWFoundation.org/events) or Scan QR code. Join us on October 1st as we come together to celebrate mental health, well-being, and the spirit of giving!

About the KAW Foundation: The KAW Foundation's mission is to provide in-school support to students who are struggling from mental health challenges due to today's environment. For more information, please visit [www.KAWfoundation.org](http://www.KAWfoundation.org).

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## WINTER COAT COLLECTION IS HEATING UP



(above) Faith Lutheran Church is collecting winter coats through October 22nd.

## CANDIDATES FORUM OCT. 24

The League of Women Voters is planning a Candidates Forum for the Berkeley Heights Township Council on October 24th at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building. The program will be livestreamed and recorded.

All four Candidates were invited to participate. In order for the Forum to take place 3 of the 4 Candidates must participate.

If you have a question you want to ask, please submit it to [mlmanelas@verizon.net](mailto:mlmanelas@verizon.net) (use BH Forum in the subject line). These questions must be submitted by October 19th. All questions will be reviewed to avoid duplicates, avoid abusive language, and to make sure the question deals with the office being sought. A League trained moderator will facilitate the program.

All Candidates were asked to respond to two questions for Vote411, a digital know your candidates' sheet, ([Vote411.org](http://Vote411.org)). The responses will be published on Sept 30th.

The League had to cancel its planned forum for the Berkeley Heights Board of Education since it is an uncontested race. The two candidates on the ballot were also given the opportunity to respond to two questions on [Vote411.org](http://Vote411.org).

For any general voting questions, please go to [UnionCountyVotes](http://UnionCountyVotes).

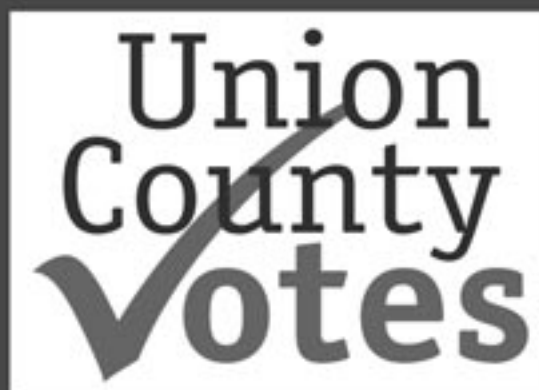
With colder weather on the horizon, Faith Lutheran is getting ready by collecting winter coats, scarves, hats, and gloves for Market Street Mission's Annual Coat Giveaway in Morristown. Faith has gathered these vital winter necessities for Market Street Mission for the past 30 years.

The local community is invited to help. If you have a new or gently worn winter coat that you would like to donate, please bring it to Faith Lutheran at 524 South Street, New Providence during office hours Monday – Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We are also collecting new handmade or purchased warm winter hats, scarves, and winter insulated gloves and mittens.

Please note that no rain jackets, windbreakers, vests, or sweaters are needed-only coats. All sizes are requested in men's, women's and children's with a special call for women's and children's.

The coat collection at Faith Lutheran will run through October 22. After that, the coats will be on their way to Market Street Mission in time for the big Giveaway, which is scheduled for Saturday, November 4 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Morristown Green. Anyone in need of a coat can come to the Giveaway.

Market Street Mission is a non-profit organization helping to fight alcoholism, drug abuse, hunger, and homelessness in Northern NJ.



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The purpose of this event is to raise awareness in the community for the Littell-Lord Farmstead, the oldest historic building in Union County (1763). Over the years the building has fallen into disrepair. The current Township Administration established the Historic Preservation Committee in 2019. Its mission is to formulate a plan to restore and maintain the building as well as look to preserve and mark other historic places in town.

Among the events at the Festival are painting pumpkins, face painting, Halloween themed arts and crafts, a beer garden sponsored by Trap Rock, vendors will be present to provide the opportunity to purchase Holiday gifts. Information about the Historic Preservation Committee and its other projects will be available.

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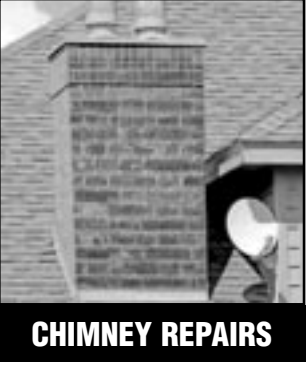
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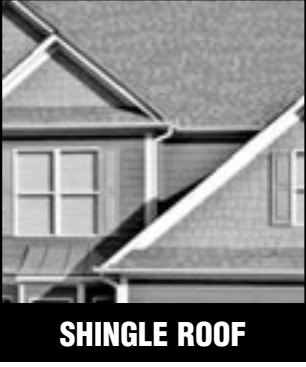
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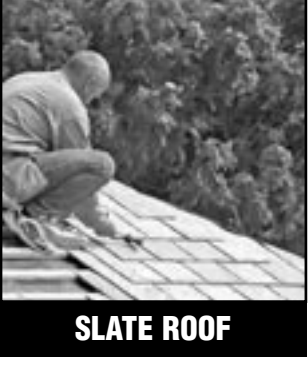
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## CONSTANTINE MAROULIS AT THE SIEMINSKI THEATER - OCT 14

Constantine Maroulis, American Idol finalist and Tony Award nominee Broadway star of "Rock and Roll Man," "Rock of Ages" and "Jekyll and Hyde," will delight audiences with stories and songs in an incredibly special, intimate performance. From classic Sondheim to contemporary Wildhorn, classic rock jams from Rock of Ages, along with Constantine's original songs.

Appearing for one night only at the Sieminski Theater on Saturday, October 14 at 7:30 p.m. Maroulis provides a crowd-pleasing night of unforgettable music. Get ready for a night of sing-along and dance grooves that will have you dancing in your seats!

Visit the website [sieminskitheater.org](http://sieminskitheater.org) for tickets or call the Box Office at 866-307-8532.

Born in Brooklyn, NY, and raised in New Jersey, Maroulis became a household name during the heyday of "American Idol." Maroulis, a graduate of the prestigious Boston Conservatory at Berklee College of Music was fresh from touring with the musical Rent when a friend convinced him to try out for American Idol. His charisma, rock n' roll edge, and astounding vocals entranced the judges and won the hearts of thirty million TV viewers. His triumphant performances on Idol included some of the show's most electrifying moments on TV,

including his rendition of Queen's epic "Bohemian Rhapsody."

Following American Idol, Rock of Ages - the jukebox musical built around 'eighties hits from Journey, Styx, Bon Jovi, and other glam metal mainstays—brought him back to Broadway. The show enjoyed a phenomenally successful run as one of the highest-grossing Broadway shows of all time, culminating in a myriad of awards and critical acclaim for Constantine including a Tony Award nomination, and firmly establishing him as a world-class performer. Constantine received Drama League Award nominations for the Distinguished Performance Award for Rock of Ages and for his work on the show Frank Wildhorn's Jekyll & Hyde.

In addition to his appearances on TV and in movies, Maroulis's on-stage credits also include The Wedding Singer, RENT, Rocktopia, Jacques Brel, Jesus Christ Superstar, Evita, The Toxic Avenger, Friend Art, Postmodern Jukebox, and many more. The Broadway revival of Spring Awakening (Deaf West) directed by Michael Arden earned Maroulis Tony & Drama League nominations as a producer. As a recording artist,

Maroulis continues to create new, original music regularly and just released his newest album "Come Back" – [www.constantinemaroulis.com](http://www.constantinemaroulis.com). Constantine's current venture is his triumphant return to the New York stage with the Broadway hit - Rock and Roll Man, in which Constantine plays the title character, Alan Freed, a Cleveland DJ who in the 1950s heard the future—and knew he had to let it sing.

"Mr. Maroulis... possesses a soulful, pure and intense voice." - The New York Times

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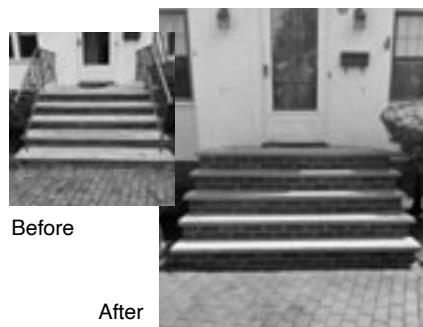


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In February 2021, the Church of the Little Flower dedicated and opened our new church. The proceeds from our Annual Golf Outing helped fund that new church construction and enhancements to the church each year. The proceeds from this year's Outing 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.

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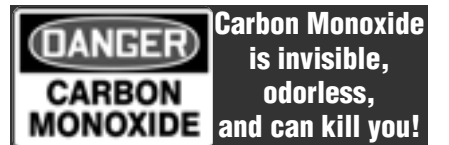
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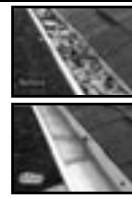
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# IMAGINE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

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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](mailto: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](http://www.imagine-nj.org) or contact Imagine at 908-264-3100 or [info@imagine-nj.org](mailto: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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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](http://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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(for grades 6-12 unless otherwise specified):

**Teen Library Council Mtg**

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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.

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# MOUNTAINSIDE'S FIRST EVER RESTAURANT WEEK - OCT 21ST - 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 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 for more information, including a full list of participating establishments and for a chance to win a \$50 gift certificate.

## PARTICIPATING ESTABLISHMENTS:

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

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9 HALF PAGE	6.5" x 9" or 10" x 7"	\$320	\$800	\$1000	\$1300	\$1600	\$1900	\$2200	\$2400	\$2700
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18 FULL PAGE	10" x 14"	\$400	\$1000	\$1400	\$1800	\$2200	\$2500	\$2800	\$3000	\$3400
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