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LION CLUB COLLECTED OVER 6,000 USED EYEGLASSES

New Providence Lions Club

Did you know that recycled usable glasses give new Life! Refractive errors can be easily corrected with eyeglasses, yet millions living in low- and middle-income countries lack access to basic eye care services.

Lions have recognized the urgent need for corrective lenses and have been collecting usable glasses in New Providence to support the Lions Recycle For Sight Program.

The New Providence Lions Club Eyeglass collection site is in front of the New Providence Memorial Library, located at 377 Elkwood Avenue. The collected glasses will be sorted and sterilized and then donated to a charity and/or medical organizations that provide eye exams and eyeglasses to needy people.

The New Providence Lions Club is a 501(c)3 organization, giving back to the community 100% of the profits raised. Being a Lion empowers you to help others in a way that no one person could alone.

The Lions are dedicated to helping others. Lions make a difference! For more information/membership please visit nplions.org or email info@nplions.org.



(above, l-r) Rogel Bautista, Lions Club District Governor, recently presented the New Providence Lions Club with a Certificate of Appreciation for collecting over 6,000 eyeglasses over the past 2 ½ years, John Keane, Lions Club President, and Pete DeSarno, Lions Club Vice President.

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New Providence American Legion Post 433 will conduct this year’s Flag Retirement Ceremony on Flag Day, Saturday, June 14, 2025, at 7 p.m. The Public is invited to attend this important event which will be held at the Legion Hall, 357 Elkwood Avenue, in New Providence, next to the Veterans Memorial Library. American flags which have become faded, frayed, soiled or otherwise unserviceable will be retired by destroying with full respect and honor. These rites include burning on an appropriate pyre. The Legion expects to retire approximately 3,000 unserviceable flags this year.

Anyone desiring to retire an unserviceable flag in this ceremony is asked to place it in the flag receptacle in front of the Legion Hall or drop it off at the American Legion Post by 5:00 p.m. on June 13th.

“Every citizen should recognize the flag’s importance and understand how it should be displayed while in service and when it should be retired from service,” said American Legion Post 433 officer Gerald Gross.

Since 1946, American Legion Post 433 has served veterans of New Providence, Summit and Berkeley Heights. In addition to conducting the Flag Retirement Ceremony, Post 433 annually sponsors New Providence’s Memorial Day

parade. Post 433 is active throughout the year by hosting patriotic services, sponsoring day trips to military and historic sites and providing a voice for area veterans.

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MEMORIAL DAY: A TIME FOR REFLECTION AND ACTION

Michael Boll, New Jersey Veterans Network

Every Memorial Day, millions of Americans attend parades, fire up their grills, and host large backyard BBQs for friends and family. As a veteran, I look forward to marching in a parade and attending a BBQ. However, before the festivities begin, I make it a point to check in on fellow veterans and ensure they are in a good place. For some veterans, Memorial Day is a difficult day, and they could use some reassurance from a friend or comrade.

For too long, our military members and veterans have been facing a heartbreaking crisis. A new study suggests that 44 veterans and servicemembers take their lives every day. This has become a nationwide epidemic, and countless families are struggling with this issue alone. Fortunately, there are many organizations working tirelessly to help our uniformed heroes get through these difficult times.

In 2017, the New Jersey Veterans Network (501(c)3) was created with a focus on the well-being of military members, veterans, and their families. The NJVN is a volunteer-driven mobile outreach team that actively seeks out veterans in need, providing them with free, life-saving resources and services. As a grassroots organization, we have a unique perspective on the needs of our uniformed heroes.

Our approach, combined with the ability to

collaborate with other organizations that share our mission, has allowed us to save lives and help veterans live a better quality of life. Recently, the NJVN has ramped up our mentorship and peer support programs. However, our recreational therapy events and functions have produced the most impactful results.

The NJVN has had great success hosting social events such as: movie nights, group hiking, paintball, professional sporting games, fishing trips, hunting, and other outdoor activities. Additionally, every year, the NJVN sends veterans to Camp Patriot (a PTSD retreat) for a week of healing.

Each week, the NJVN provides veterans with

food, clothing, housing assistance, VA benefits information, and mental health support. By partnering with numerous other groups and organizations, we can offer our uniformed heroes a better way of life.

We are always looking for volunteers that can both assist with upcoming events and help mentor veterans so they can live better productive lives. Volunteers are the most important NJVN resource, and we would love to have more people help us save lives. If you need assistance, or are interested in joining our team of volunteers, please send us your name, email, and phone number to NJVN1775@gmail.com or call 973-332-1556. For more information visit NJVN.org.



(above) Memorial Day parade march

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The Summit Area Old Guard is a social, educational, and recreational organization that serves men of retirement age. We meet Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m., at the New Providence Presbyterian Church located at 1307 Springfield Ave. We encourage visitation, and all are welcome. Our motto is "Come for the Programs. Stay for the Friends." The organization was founded in 1930. Our website address is summitoldguard.org.

JUNE 3RD - MITCH ERICKSON

On June 3rd we will talk about 'getting the lead out'. Our speaker will be a well-known Old Guard member, Mitch Erickson. Mitch holds a PhD in chemistry and has spent much of his professional career dealing with environmental matters. He will talk about lead mining, the metal's use, and the dangers from exposure to it. Mitch will review the efforts to remove lead from our environment over the past half-century, notably leaded gasoline, paint, and lead piping. While we have improved human lives and raised IQs by reducing this often-present element, there are still challenges ahead.

JUNE 10TH - ROSIE NOVELLINO-MEARNS

On June 10th, Rosie Novellino-Mearns will tell us of her fight to save Radio City Music Hall. Rosie is a retired Radio City Ballet Dance Captain and formerly President of the Show-people's Committee to Save Radio City Music Hall. She is also an author and lyricist. Rosie will review the story of how she organized the

gargantuan effort in the spring of 1978 to save Radio City. You will be shocked by the "no good deed goes unpunished" climax of the story in which she reveals her reward for spearheading the movement to save "The Showplace of the Nation."

JUNE 17TH - STEVE VILLAS

On June 17th, Steve Villas will delve into the intricacies of world oil and gas trading. After receiving a degree in engineering and an MBA from Wharton, Steve spent the next forty-five years in the petroleum industry working for Exxon, Standard Oil of Ohio, British Petroleum, and the Hess Corp. He has experience in Chemical Plant design, advertising and promotion, supply and logistics, government affairs, commodities trading, financial hedging, oil and gas marketing, and more. He will address current topics of interest in the world oil markets

including oil and gas contracts trading.

JUNE 24TH - MIKE MCTERNAN

Finally, on June 24th, Mike McTernan will tell us how he transitioned from a successful career in finance into a totally different career in education, all the while engaging in community service. Mike is currently teaching history at Ridge High School and is also serving as President of the Summit Common Council. He previously spent almost 30 years working in corporate finance and banking. He will address current issues facing secondary education including his subjects of Global History and AP Government and Politics. He will also describe the challenges of a mid-career transition which required him to attain a EdD from Seton Hall University. He will be happy to entertain questions concerning local government issues as well.



(above, l-r) Mitch Erickson, Rosie Novellino-Mearns, Steve Villas, Mike McTernan



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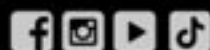
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The DeCorso Community Center, which serves as the home for the New Providence Senior Citizens Club, provides opportunities for senior residents to socialize, exercise and participate in programs and activities with their peers. The Center’s hours are Monday-Friday from 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. The New Providence Senior Citizens Club holds weekly meetings on Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. with special presentations, performances, or “special” bingo. For program details and a full calendar please visit newprov.us/278/Seniors.

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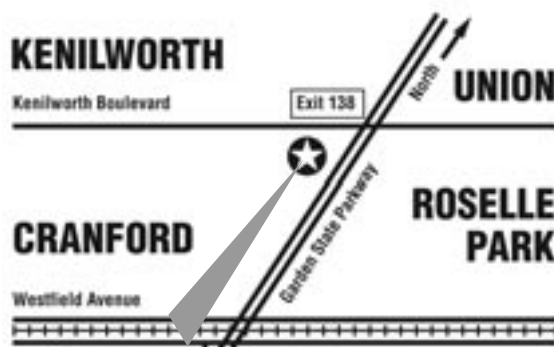
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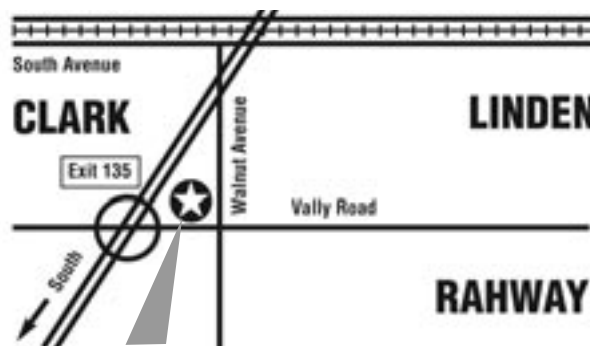
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Frank went on to the University of Notre Dame where he competed on the Varsity Football

team as a quarterback on the 1973 National Championship Team under the tutelage of legendary coach Ara. Frank was set to be the starting quarterback on the 1975 squad before a shoulder separation curtailed his career, opening the door for a young Joe Montana to eventually take his place! In addition to his football exploits for the Irish, he was a point guard on the Varsity Basketball Team under the direction of Digger Phelps.

Upon graduation, Frank moved to California as the Regional Manager for Barnell Loft Publications. He maintained his connection to New Jersey by creating Excel in Basketball as a way to give back to a community that gave him so much.

In addition to his illustrious playing career, Coach Allocco's success as a high school coach has seen him recognized as the National High School Coach of the Year in 2000 and the National Catholic High School Coach of the Year in 2012. His 88% winning percentage is second All-Time in the State of California, and he is the only coach in California history to win a State Championship at a public and private school.

His national recognition includes serving as the Head Coach of the Jordan Brand Classic in Madison Square Garden and the McDonald's All-American game in Chicago.

He is a popular motivational speaker and has conducted basketball clinics in China, Belgium, Canada, and throughout the United States.

Despite his many accomplishments, Allocco's passion is serving the boys and girls of New Jersey in his Excel Basketball Camp where Excel's influence has inspired countless high school, collegiate, and professional players and coaches including; Sean Farnham, ESPN broadcaster, Greg St. Jean and Beau Levesque, Assistant coaches of the Los Angeles Lakers, Justin Joyner, Assistant Coach at the University of Michigan, Kaitlyn Cresencia, Assistant Coach at Lehigh, Matt Allocco, All Ivy Player at Princeton and graduate player at the University of Notre Dame, Veronica Kelly, collegiate player at Dartmouth, Sara Steinman, Ivy League Assistant Executive Director for Championships and Sport Administration, and Zach Ertz, NFL tight end.

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(above, l-r) Frank Allocco.

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(above, l-r) Frank Allocco, Joe Montana, and Rick Slager.



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Students at Union County Vocational Technical Schools are making a meaningful mark on their community through their growing involvement with GlamourGals—a nonprofit dedicated to ending senior isolation through teen-led makeovers and intergenerational connection. Since launching their chapter, these students have brightened the days of local seniors through complimentary manicures, heartfelt conversations, and simple moments of shared joy.

Their very first event laid the foundation for something much bigger: a movement of compassion and connection. For Ivy L., now attending her second GlamourGals visit, the experience has been deeply personal. “We connected over our childhood memories of painting our nails—she used to do her own all the time, and I talked about how my mom would paint pictures and designs on mine,” Ivy recalled. “Today’s visit was another beautiful, memorable experience. I already can’t wait for the next one.”

For fellow volunteer Gayatri S., each visit is a reminder of the deeper mission behind the glitter and polish. “When I think about why we do this, I’m reminded that GlamourGals exists to fight senior isolation,” she said. “Hearing her story helped me realize how much joy and comfort our presence brings. Every time we visit, we’re taking another step toward that goal—and that means everything.”

The Union County Vocational Technical Schools’ GlamourGals chapter is more than a student group—it’s a team of young changemakers leading with empathy. Through their commitment, seniors are reminded that they are valued, seen, and never alone. And for these students, the journey is just beginning.

ABOUT GLAMOURGALS:

GlamourGals, a 501(c)(3) founded in 2000, reduces social isolation by empowering beautiful connections across generations. Our signature beauty makeovers are led by teen-led chapters nationwide that bring honor and companionship to seniors in aged care.



(above) GlamourGals chapter members visited Union County senior home.

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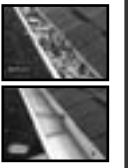
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Sign ups Summer Reading Volunteers

June 1 - 19

Summer Reading kicks off June 19 and we need teen volunteers to help. NP teens going into grades 8-12 can sign up for 2-hour shifts starting June 1. Slots fill up fast, so don't delay!

Knit Night/ Stay & Crochet

June 2 and 19 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Bring a knitting or crochet project and chat with the group as you stitch. Saturday Night

Movie Matinee

June 3 from 1:00 - 3:00 pm

A rated-R comedy/drama based on the 90 minutes before the first broadcast of Saturday Night Live in 1975. Virtual Talk

Extinctopedia

June 4 from 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Smithsonian scientists share from their book Extinctopedia: Discover What We Have Lost, What Is at Risk, and How We Can Preserve the Diversity of Our Fragile Planet. Registration required.

Teens Teaching: Teen Coding

June 5, 12, 19, 26 from 4:30 - 6:00 pm

Gain hands-on experience in web development, learning: HTML, CSS, and JS. Led by a NP Coding Club for grades 6-12.

Registration is required. Bring a laptop.

Roma Words, Roma Worlds

June 5 from 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Join us in person or via zoom as we discuss The Living Fire by Ronald Lee, an autobiographical novel of Canada's Roma in 1970's Montreal. Copies available.

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Board Games at the Brewery

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Batter Up - Let's Talk Baseball

June 9 from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

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Books & Bagels

June 10 from 10:30 - 11:30 am

Join us for a free bagel from the Bagel Cafe & share what you've been reading.

Cookbook Club

June 10 from 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Bring a Sandwiches & Finger Foods recipe or dish to share with the group.

Virtual Author Talk Lisa Jewell

June 10 from 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Bestselling author Lisa Jewell chats online about her life and her critically acclaimed work. Registration required.

Evening Book Group

June 12 from 7:30 - 8:30 pm

We'll discuss The Beauty in Breaking, the memoir by Michele Harper.

Silent Book Club

June 16 from 7:00 - 7:50 pm

BYO book, and grab an armchair.

Morning Book Group

June 17 from 10:30 - 11:30 am

We'll discuss Finding Chika by Mitch Albom. Copies available upon request at the front desk.

The Fire Inside Movie Matinee

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The inspirational story of Claressa Shields, a high school junior who was the first American woman to win Olympic gold in boxing. PG-13.

Play Reading Group

June 19 at 6:30-8:30 pm

We'll read the Pulitzer Prize winning play Disgraced by Ayad Akhtar out loud tonight.

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Summer Reading Challenge

June 19 - August 9

Log your reading this summer - and enter to win gift cards from local restaurants or a Kindle paperwhite!

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June 23 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Meet the local artists whose work is featured in the new exhibit "Emotions Expressed:

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Haunting Chapters Book Club

June 24 from 7:00 - 8:00 pm

We'll discuss A House with Good Bones by T. Kingfisher.

Trivia Night

June 26 from 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Test your knowledge with quizmaster Mary Piekarski as we kick off the annual Adult Summer Reading Challenge! Questions are geared for 18+ but all ages are welcome. Registration is required. Teams must have a minimum of 1 person, maximum of 4 people.

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Faith Lutheran Church

Do you have bikes or sewing machines needlessly taking up room in your home or garage? Give them a new home by bringing them to Faith Lutheran Church's bike and sewing machine collection for Pedals for Progress (P4P) and Sewing Peace on Saturday, June 7th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Adult and children's bicycles in rideable or repairable condition will be shipped overseas by P4P and distributed to those who rely on them for transportation to jobs, markets, medical care, and schools. Donations of working sewing machines also provide income opportunities for those living in developing countries.

If you are unable to drop by on June 7th, you may still leave your bicycle(s) in Faith Lutheran's lower lot next to the utility shed. If you are donating a sewing machine, please leave it underneath the sheltered alcove by the red doors at the bottom of the parking lot. Faith will make sure these items get to P4P for this collection or will hold them until the next one. Please note that "bikes for parts" or disassembled bicycles will not be accepted.

On average, it costs \$52 to collect, process, and ship each bicycle. A donation toward shipping costs is necessary for P4P's continued success and \$20 is suggested per bike and sewing machine. All monetary donations (cash or check) and material donations are fully deductible, and a receipt will be provided on site on June 7th. Donations can also be made directly via p4p.org.

To date, Pedals for Progress has shipped over 167,000 bicycles and 6,300 sewing machines to partner agencies in Central America, Africa, and Eastern Europe.

Faith Lutheran Church is located at 524 South Street, New Providence, NJ. Find out more at famfaith.org. Worship is on Sundays at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. with livestreaming available via website, Facebook, and YouTube. The church phone number is 908-464-5177 and the pastor of Faith is Rev. Jane McCready.



(above) Donate your unused bikes and sewing machines to Pedals for Progress (P4P), and Sewing Peace, on Saturday, June 7th.

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB IS CALLING ALL HAMS

The New Providence Amateur Radio Club is a general interest amateur radio club open to all. Our goals are technical growth, community service, fellowship, and fun! We also hope to encourage more people to become hams. If you are thinking about becoming a ham, or if you are a ham looking for a club affiliation, we invite you to visit one of our meetings or activities and talk to some of our members.

We do all kinds of Ham Radio Activities. We take part in contests and exercises to practice our communications skills. We work with local kids, at school and at summer camps.

The club was formed in 1965, primarily by hams working at Bell Labs. Meetings were (and are still) held in New Providence, hence the name of the club. Despite the name, there are no residency requirements for membership, although most members happen to live within 20 miles of New Providence, NJ, which is in Union County.

We currently have about 50 members - men and women - of all ages, including students, with a wide variety of ham radio skills and interests. Please join us!

Our meetings are held in the Salt Brook Elementary School in New Providence, NJ at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of every month when the school is open. Topics discussed at our meetings are always related to Ham Radio or electronics, but are frequently non-technical,

or presented for the education of our young and/or new members. YOU are cordially invited to attend one of our meetings. For more information, please visit nparc.org, or call 908-464-1730.



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(above) The New Providence Amateur Radio Club recently hosted an auction featuring a variety of radio equipment and historic radio memorabilia. New Providence Mayor Al Morgan, Council Members Alex Kogan and Diane Bilicska, along with Rick Anderson and several club members attended the event.

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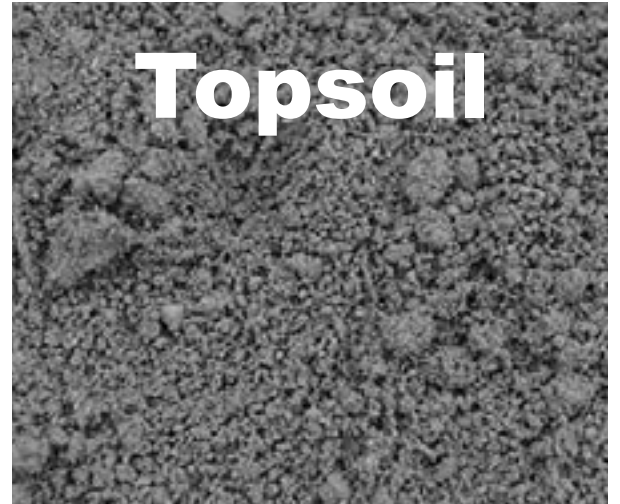
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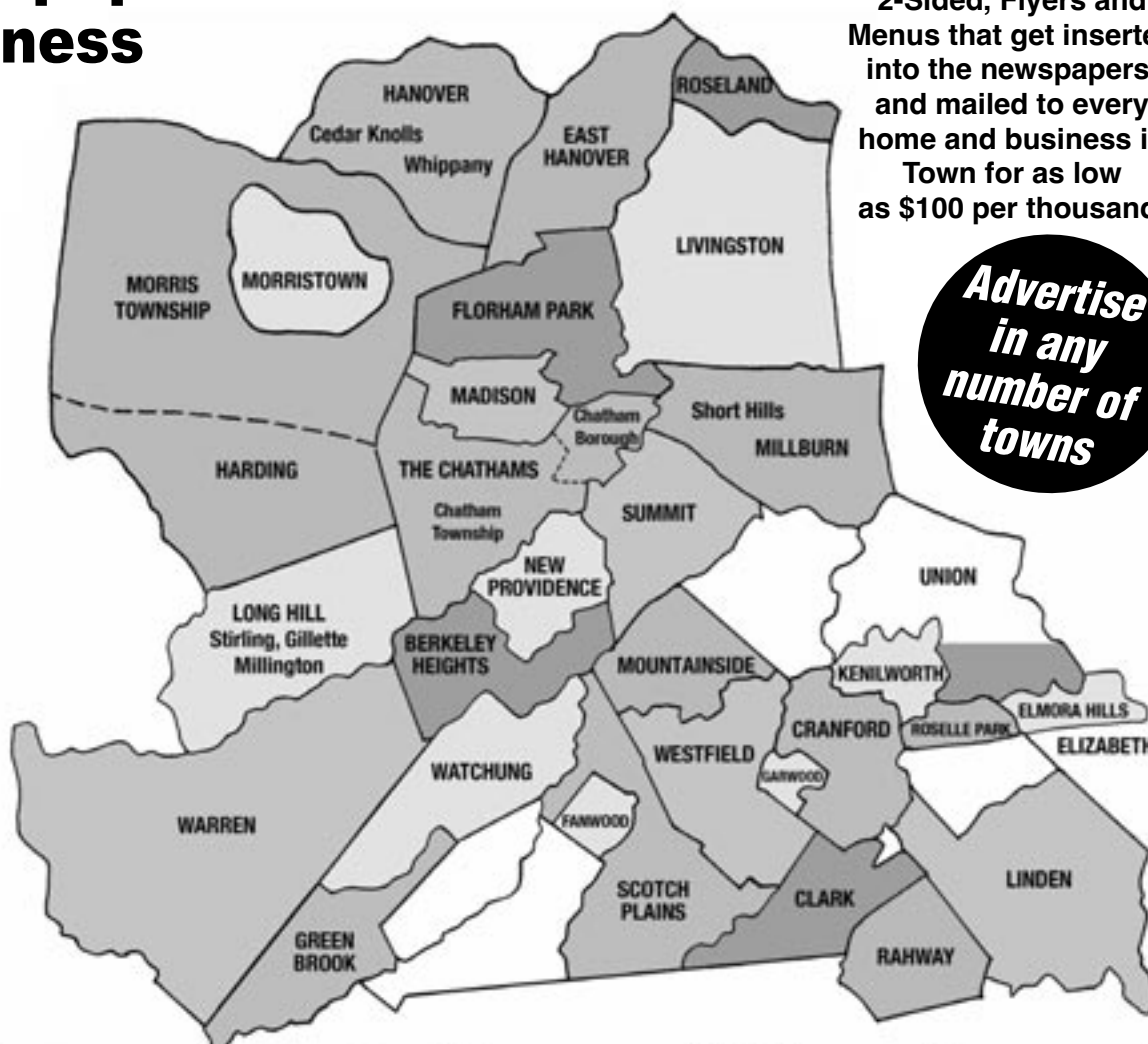
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On Sunday June 1st from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Garwood celebrates its 11th Anniversary of its 'Garwood Rocks' Festival, sponsored by Vermella at Garwood Station that attracts over 10,000 people each year from the surrounding communities for a fun day for all ages. Organized by the Greater Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce [GWACC] and free to all members of the public - Center Street from South Avenue to Unami Park is transformed into an open-air event featuring vendors with merchandise for purchase, live music, Kid Zone rides on Beech Street with inflatable bounce houses, 23 food trucks, and a beer and wine garden for all to enjoy. In addition to the exciting live music and entertainment – Garwood Rocks' highlight is its classic car show with over 175 vehicles.

"With the 11th Anniversary of Garwood Rocks this year, we have been planning an even more special event than in years' past – especially with



our continued partnership with Vermella at Garwood Station," said Carol Kearney, Event Director. "All residents from Garwood and the surrounding towns will be able to experience what the whole community has to offer – and after 11 years – it demonstrates our commitment to the region and the success of the event."

Along with the classic car show, the live music featured at the event is also a large draw for the nearly 10,000 people expected to attend Garwood Rocks. The main stage at Center and Willow will feature performances from a variety of local and

professional bands including 4 Flight Rock and Marie & the Blue Rats. Exit Eleven will be headliner act and will close out the show.

The Beer and Wine Garden, sponsored by the Crossroads of Garwood, will provide adult beverages throughout the event and the food trucks and vendors will feature everything from empanadas, pizza, burgers, and more.

Garwood Rocks is again sponsored by Vermella at Garwood Station, a highly amenitized resort-style residential rental community located at 450 South Ave. It features 40,000 square feet of amenity spaces for fitness, gathering, and working from home. Vermella at Garwood is located directly adjacent to the New Jersey Transit Train Station for ease of commute into New York City or Newark.

"Our ongoing partnership with Garwood Rocks and the Greater Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce has always been a day we look forward to every year. Being part of and supporting events like this not only enhances the lifestyle experience for our residents at Vermella at Garwood Station, but also the region, and expresses our desire be part of and contributing members to the community," said Courtney Mulligan, Vice President of Marketing at Russo Development.

Vendor spots for businesses and non-profits have been sold out a month in advance of the festival.

For more information about Vermella at Garwood Station's residential rentals, visit www.vermellanj.com.

For more info about the Garwood Rocks event, contact Carol at 908-789-3306 or carol@uniquecruiseandtravel.com or Donna Vella at donnavellastreetfairs@yahoo.com.



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