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Fine print

In your own dealings and in public life, the fine print can get you if you don't watch out. Last week, Chris Hudak was sporting a grin as he showed me the back of his Blockbuster video receipt. The young Linden resident eyeing law school was getting some first-hand experience. It turns out that along with others who had been hit with excessive fines for late returns of videos, a class action suit has been filed.

Left Out

The proposed settlement will allow a \$9 store certificate for every \$30 in late fees. For users of Accuvic contact lenses, a class action settlement is also pending that will reimburse users \$3 for every box of contacts purchased. Class actions are especially popular by consumers alleging fraud or misrepresentation. It has been described as a remedy "where the impracticability of a single individual undertaking a complex and expensive action for possibly minor recovery where the accumulated wrong suffered by the many defrauded consumers can justify the common effort." The translation is enough little guys together can fight City Hall.

Fighting City Hall and the fine print is no easy task. But Cranford fiscal watch dog Leo McMahon has been focusing on the embattled community library construction. The project on Walnut Avenue, some three years late, has weeds growing on the fence around the uncompleted site. The sign in front of the fence, proclaims the project under the leadership of former Mayor Wally Shackell. McMahon says, "From day one we have not been informed. The overrun on the project is \$4 million and the bond company has gone belly up." McMahon also points to his troubles with charge order items he feels should have been part of the original contract.

One resident points to the ShopRite construction on North Avenue in Garwood, and the new Commerce Bank on South Avenue in the township as large projects started long after the library, which will finish before its completion. There is really no penalty clause or incentive to push construction at the public site and the battle over completion continues.

The problem with the project is compounded by the changes in leadership. Shackell has moved on to be the paid watchdog for the county Republicans. The town administrator at the time, John Laezza, unceremoniously resigned his job and has since moved down Walnut Avenue to be the administrator in Clark. There has been a switch in municipal attorneys as well.

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Recreation funding to be made available

By Michelle Runge
Staff Writer
Tomorrow 21 Union County municipalities will begin vying for \$2.1 million available from the county's Open Space, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund aimed at the acquisition or improvement of local athletic fields.

Called the Fields of Dreams initiative by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders, the money is earmarked for grants of up to \$100,000 to each municipality, provided they apply sometime between tomorrow and Nov. 9.

"Every municipality is feeling the crunch for time and space on playing fields," Freeholder Daniel Sullivan said. "We want to ensure that families have safe, well-maintained places for sports and recreation."

The initiative will provide grants to either purchase lands for playing fields, hire engineers and architects for proposed projects, or make improvements such as adding additional lighting or equipment. Municipalities that plan on sharing their playing fields with neighboring communities and submit joint applications will receive first priority when the funds are doled out.

Freeholder Chairman Alexander Mirabella said each of the municipali-

ties are actively encouraged to work with local organizations and bordering communities on mutually beneficial projects.

"Our municipalities often do not have the resources to make the field improvements they need, and this initiative will help communities provide better services for their residents," Mirabella said at Sisselman Field in Elizabeth, when the program was announced Sept. 6.

Several mayors, including J. Christian Bollwage of Elizabeth and Scotch Plains Mayor Martin Marks, Little League representatives from all over the county and various recreation directors were on hand to hear how they might become one of the municipalities and join the program.

County voters approved the trust fund last year. The county assessed a tax levy of 1.5 cents per \$100 of assessed value each year for the next 20 years. The Open Space Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund is meant to provide funds to protect open space, improve parks and recreational facilities and preserve the county's historic treasures.

Freeholder Mary Ruotolo said the board encourages local organizations and municipalities to work together on their projects.

"Grants like this are only part of the



Freeholder Linda Stender, with sisters Brianna, 7, and Callin Burd, 5, of Elizabeth, were all on hand last week for the announcement of \$2.1 million in matching grants that will be available to local towns through the Union County Open Space, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund.

solution to the crunch municipalities are feeling for more playing fields," Ruotolo said. "Another important aspect is encouraging the sharing of those facilities."

Applications for the grants will be reviewed by the county's Open Space, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund Public Advisory Committee and the freeholders' standing committee on the same subject.

Grants will be provided based on population of each municipality, the scope of the project and the community's ability to provide matching funds. Municipalities or organizations will have to match the grants dollar-for-dollar in the county where half a million people live in just 100 square miles.

Union County recently closed Meisel Park in Springfield because of

contaminated soil. Officials are sampling soil and groundwater in the 50-acre site for unsafe levels of arsenic, lead and pesticides.

Republican watchdog for county affairs and former Cranford Mayor Wally Shackell Jr. said he had reservations about the grants, but in many respects, he felt the grant program was "not a bad idea."

Union County crime

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Burglary	4,465	4,972	4,261	3,095	2,998
Larceny	13,179	12,975	12,271	10,530	10,755
Motor vehicle theft	4,030	3,905	3,737	4,132	4,019
Nonviolent crime	21,674	21,852	20,269	17,757	17,772
Rate per 1,000	43.7	43.9	40.8	35.5	34.0
Robbery	1,526	1,454	1,412	1,299	1,259
Murder	26	19	13	17	22
Rape	113	104	85	95	89
Aggravated assault	950	1,037	983	917	935
Violent crime	2,616	2,614	2,493	2,328	2,305
Rate per 1,000	5.3	5.3	5.0	4.7	4.4
Arson	97	111	87	100	48
Domestic violence	5,568	5,309	5,231	5,228	5,218
Bias crime	77	45	22	15	23
Crime Index Total	24,280	24,466	22,762	20,085	20,077
Rate per 1,000	48.9	49.2	45.8	40.1	38.4

Source: Uniform Crime Report

The rate per 1,000 indicates the number of incidents per 1,000 residents.

Remembrance Day set

Union County veterans, former prisoners of war and families who still have sons or daughters missing in action are invited to attend a Remembrance Day ceremony Sept. 21 at 11:15 a.m. on the front steps of the Union County Courthouse on Broad Street in Elizabeth.

Freeholder Linda Stender, liaison to the Union County POW/MIA Veterans Committee, said, the purpose of the event is "to take time out to remember and to honor the personal sacrifices of all our prisoners of war and military personnel missing in action."

"I have asked local police and fire departments to sound their alarms at noon for one minute to participate in this year's annual Remembrance Day event," Stender said. "I will be sponsoring a resolution by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders commemorating this special day, this special occasion in recognition of our POW/MIA's noble sons and daughters of America and their families."

Acting Gov. Donald DiFrancesco will be in attendance, in addition to dignitaries throughout Union County who have been asked to make appearances, including Hilda Young.

Young, recognized statewide for conducting the nightly New Jersey lottery drawings and making other public appearances, is the daughter of Holocaust survivors. She was born in Israel and spent her early childhood growing up in Germany before she moved to America with her family in 1956.

Last year, the Remembrance Day ceremony was rained out, yet that didn't deter a councilman from Linden, Gene Davis, from dedicating a 24-hour vigil to his lost comrades.

The 50-year-old Vietnam veteran has vowed never to forget America's veterans, especially those who served in Vietnam.

For the last three years, Davis has dressed in black pajamas like those worn by American prisoners of the North Vietnamese, and with only a plastic tarpaulin to shelter his 6-foot, 1-inch frame, he has camped out in a 6-foot-high, 6-foot-wide bamboo cage he constructed.

The cage, Davis said, is to show what the United States prisoners of war had to endure during their long years of confinement in war-torn Vietnam.

"I do this each year to show that 'Nam vets care. We haven't forgotten about our buddies left behind, and unaccounted for," Davis said. "Our Eastern New Jersey Chapter 779 is holding another 24-hour event this year in front of the Roselle Municipal Building on Chestnut Street tomorrow."

Davis said there will be ceremonies hourly, speeches and POW/MIA merchandise for sale with profits going to state and national organizations.

Renovations to golf courses lauded by magazine

Recent renovations at the Galloping Hill Golf in Kenilworth, one of three county-operated courses in Union County, have drawn praise from Jerseygolf.com in its August online edition. In a review entitled "The Return of Galloping Hill," the golf information web site that specializes in reviews about public golf courses in New Jersey applauds Union County authorities "for doing a thorough job of course reconstruction. Everyone we've talked to...has had nothing but praise for the effort and result."

The review in Jerseygolf.com traces the 81-year history of the course and describes Union County's efforts since 1996 "to return Galloping Hill to credibility." Citing "the

usual NJ municipalities' about past course conditions, staffing and drainage problems, the reviewer asks, "Was all the earth moving, all the closing and opening of this nine and that nine, all the time and effort — and let's not forget money — worth it? In a word — Yes."

"We are delighted that Jerseygolf.com appreciates the renovations at the Galloping Hill Golf Course," said Freeholder Deborah Scanlon, liaison to the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

For more information about Union County golf courses, call the Department of Parks and Recreation at 908-527-4900.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

'Chorus Line' lives up to its legend at Paper Mill

Although the Paper Mill Playhouse's current production of "A Chorus Line" falls just shy of being the "singular sensation" the Broadway production was, it's as close as one is likely to find on any stage anywhere.

With Michael Bennett's Broadway staging and choreography re-created by original cast member Bayork Lee, and the same design team responsible for the 1975 classic, the Paper Mill offering is a veritable time machine to the era when the epicenter of Broadway was the Shubert Theater.

For those unfamiliar with the plot, "A Chorus Line" takes place at an audition for a Broadway musical in 1975. Having been narrowed down from an initial group of 24 in the opening number, "I Hope I Get It," the 17 hopefuls are put through their paces by director Zach, who forces them to share their wildest dreams, greatest fears and most inspiring experiences as he chooses the lucky eight who will be offered jobs.

The dancing at Paper Mill is absolutely exhilarating, its power and energy coming off the stage in waves. To single out one dancer would be a disservice to those not mentioned — each is as outstanding as the next,

On the Boards

By Bill VanSant
Associate Editor

leaving those unfamiliar with the ending hard-pressed to guess which ones will make the final cut.

The acting, however, is not as consistently excellent, leading to the misconception that this is strictly a "dance show." In the pivotal role of Cassie, the talented Caitlin Carter delivers a thrilling solo dance sequence in "The Music and the Mirror" with the power of a direct-hit lighting bolt; however, her acting unfortunately borders on being "one note." Likewise, while Shane Rhoades' singing and dancing are beautifully showcased "I Can Do That," his character interpretation as Mike is not quite on the same level. And as the often facetious balance his gruffness with shades of warmth, particularly with the very vulnerable Paul.

Outstanding overall performances are delivered by triple-threats Nadine



The outstanding cast of a 'A Chorus Line' strikes one of the most famous poses in the history of the American musical theater at the Paper Mill Playhouse in Millburn.

Iseegger as the sassy Val, Cindy Marchionda as the street-smart Diana, Kim Shriver as the caustic Sheila, and the riotous Robert Tunstall as the flamboyant Bobby. In the roles of Al and Kristine, DJ Chase and Raegan Pierce are truly endearing and believable as newlyweds.

However, it was Luis Villabon's tender and heartbreaking performance as the talented, troubled Paul which literally — and deservedly — stopped the show Friday night. Villabon is a wonder to behold in this complex

role. While all the musical numbers are excellently staged and performed, "At the Ballet" featuring Shriver, Laura Wagner and Charlene Carr: "Hello Twelve, Hello Thirteen, Hello Love" which showcases the entire company, and Marchionda's poignant "What I Did for Love" stand out as truly involving and effective.

Lee's direction is an on-the-money re-creation of the Broadway original, and keeps the production moving and energized throughout.

Represented on the Paper Mill stage is the work of the original Broadway design team: set designer Robin Wagner, costume designer Theoni V. Aldredge and lighting designer Tharon Musser — each using their respective discipline to underscore the power of the plot.

The minor inconsistencies in this production are not fatal flaws. The talent on the stage, the vision of the staff, and the excellence of the design team result in a truly electrifying

must-see production. For those who missed it on Broadway — and for those of us for whom "A Chorus Line" will always be the longest running musical — the Paper Mill is ready to take theatergoers back in time to 1975!

"A Chorus Line" will be presented at the Paper Mill Playhouse in Millburn through Oct. 14. For information, see the "Theater" listing in the Stepping Out calendar on Page B11.

Stars shine at Paper Mill opening night

By Bill VanSant
Associate Editor

The "starlight" shone brightly on Millburn Friday night as the Paper Mill Playhouse celebrated the opening of the 2001-02 season and its current production of "A Chorus Line."

It is not unusual for the Millburn theater to pull out the stops for opening night, but to commemorate this particular event, the Paper Mill reunited several members of this landmark musical's original 1975 Broadway cast.

Prior to the performance, Paper Mill Artistic Director Robert Johnson took center stage and proudly welcomed Kelly Bishop, who played the original Sheila; Clive Clark Wilson, Larry, Donna Drake, Tricia; Thommie Walsh, Bobby; Bayork Lee, who origi-

nated the role of Connie and who re-created the Broadway staging and choreography for Paper Mill; Priscilla Lopez, Diana; and Sammy Williams, who played Paul. Also in attendance were Miti Hamilton, who served as the real-life inspiration for the surgically enhanced character Val, and Fran Lieberghall, the original accompanist.

Absent from the festivities was Donna McKechnie, the original Cassie. McKechnie has appeared at Paper Mill as Sally Durant Plummer in 1998's "Follies" and will be presented on the Millburn stage in a one-woman concert, "Inside the Music," Oct. 2. The actress was on the road Friday night with "Inside the Music" and was unable to attend. "Inside the Music" chronicles the actress' career through song, dance and anecdotes.

South Orange resident Kelly Bishop, who went professionally by the name Carole Bishop at the time she appeared in "A Chorus Line," is remembered by Paper Mill audiences as the outrageous Vera Charles in 1999's "Mame." She, McKechnie and Williams received Tony Awards for their performances in the 1975 production.

Following the show, the opening night party on the plaza in front of the theater buzzed with excitement as Paper Mill cast members posed for pictures with their original-cast counterparts and compared experiences with their respective roles. Paper Mill actors Cheyenne, Cindy Marchionda, Kim Shriver, Michele Tibbitts, Robert Tunstall, Luis Villabon and Miki Yamashita had the unique opportunity to mingle with Clark Wilson, Lopez, Bishop,

Drake, Walsh, Williams and Lee, respectively. Walsh was overheard to exclaim, "I used to be the tall one!" as he posed for a photo with Tunstall, who is several inches taller.

Other guests at the party sought photo opportunities, as well as autographs on everything from circa-1975 Playbills to copies of "On the Line: The Creation of 'A Chorus Line.'" The book, which was on sale at Paper Mill's Guild Gift Shop, was written by Robert Vinas, and cast members Lee and Walsh, with all proceeds benefiting Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS. Copies will remain on sale at Paper Mill while supplies last.

With the energy on the plaza below, the stars in the clear September sky Friday night had to settle for second billing.

Kean preps for series

The Deaux Arts Trio will inaugurate the 2001-02 season of the Kean University International Classical Concert Series Oct. 5 at 8 p.m. in Wilkins Theater, 1000 Morris Ave., Union.

The trio consists of pianist Menahem Pressler, Young Uck Kim on violin, and cellist Anton Menezes. Their performances have consistently received rave reviews. "The Deaux Arts Trio is in a class by itself," one critic wrote. Another praised the musicians for their "impeccable taste and musicianship. Their performance is an inspiring experience." The trio has played more than 8,000 engagements worldwide and is largely responsible for chamber music's phenomenal rise in popularity during the last 40 years.

The Vienna-based string trio Trilogie will perform Nov. 2 at 8 p.m. in Wilkins Theater. Trilogie members Dasey Jopling and Aleksey Igudesman, violin, and Tristan Schultz, cello, comprise a cosmopolitan group originating from London, England, Saint Petersburg, Russia, and Dresden, Germany, respectively. They debuted at the Porgy and Bess jazz club in Vienna in 1995. According to critics, the trio has been branching out from its classical roots, teaming chamber music by performing with the energy of rock musicians and at the same time developing an unusually intimate connection to the audience. They received international acclaim for their score to the Dream Works animated feature, "The Road to El Dorado," released in the U.S. in March 2000.

The third performance in the International Classical Concert Series will be by Kurt Ollmann Feb. 13, 2002, at 8 p.m. in Wilkins Theater. A Wisconsin native, Ollmann is applauded for his "lyric baritone voice of unusual beauty and cultivation." Since he gained attention as Riff on the 1985 recording of "West Side Story" conducted by Leonard Bernstein, Ollmann has earned a reputation as one of America's most versatile and respected singers. His career has included performances with major opera companies and orchestras in New York, London, Paris, Rome, Brussels, San Francisco, and Washington, D.C. He has also been an active recitalist in Europe and across the U.S. Ollmann's repertoire ranges from Haydn and Schumann to Gershwin and Weill.

Pianist Cecile Licad will conclude the series with a performance April 12, 2002, at 8 p.m. in Wilkins Theater. A native of the Philippines, Licad debuted with the Philharmonic Orchestra of the Philippines. Her large repertoire as an orchestral soloist ranges from acclaimed interpretations of classical works of Mozart and Beethoven to the romantics and moderns, including Brahms, Tchaikovsky, Schumann and Rachmaninoff, Debussy, Ravel, Shostakovich, Prokofiev, and Bartok. One of the youngest musicians to receive the prestigious Leventritt Gold Medal in 1981, Licad won immediate international recognition and has appeared regularly with famous American and European orchestras. As a recording artist, Licad has released a CD of three works by Ravel: "Le tombeau de Couperin," "Gaspard de la Nuit" and "Sonatine" on the Music Masters label.

The Kean University International Classical Concert Series was started by music professors Herbert Golub in 1973 and has featured such stars as Stewart Goodyear, The Romeros, Daniel Lee and Emma Johnson.

Ticket prices for each of the four performances in the 950-seat Wilkins Theater are \$20 for orchestra seats, \$15 for mezzanine, and \$7 for students. For more information or to reserve tickets, call the box office at 908-527-2337.

Momix brings its magic to NJPAC this month

The New Jersey Performing Arts Center will present "Momix in Orbit," a spectacle transporting audiences from everyday life to a world of fantasy, physical beauty and surrealistic imagery, incorporating props, lighting, shadows, humor, and the wonders of the human form, at NJPAC Sept. 29 at 2 and 7 p.m. and Sept. 30 at 2 p.m. in the Victoria Theater.

Tickets are \$25 for adults only, or \$18 for adults when purchased with a child's ticket, and \$9 for children younger than 14, and may be purchased by telephone at 888-466-5722, at the NJPAC Box Office at 1 Center St. in downtown Newark, or by visiting the NJPAC web site at www.njpac.org. This performance is part of the Verizon Passport to Culture: FamilyTime Series.

Known internationally for presenting work of exceptional inventiveness and physical beauty, Momix is a company of dancer-illusionists under the direction of Moses Pendleton. For more than 20 years, Momix has been celebrated for its ability to conjure up a world of surrealistic images using props, light, shadow, humor and the human body. Robert Greskovic's of the *Wall Street Journal* and *Theater* writes, "Few theater artists today can achieve the level of visual splendor and theatrical magic that Mr. Pendleton can conjure from essentially the sparest of means." Pendleton's musical selections are as diverse as the pieces themselves, ranging from Rock to Vivaldi. Often compared to Cirque du Soleil, Momix doesn't just perform, it creates an environment where the imagination of the audiences is set free to dance along with the artists on stage.

In addition to stage performances worldwide, the company has frequently

worked on special projects in film and television. Momix has made five Italian Rai television features, broadcast to 55 countries and has performed on "Antenne II" in France. In the United States, Momix was a featured group on PBS' "Dance in America" series. In 1993, Pendleton's company was featured in one of the first IMAX films in 3-D, "Imagine," premiered at the Tajan Expo and subsequently released at IMAX theaters worldwide.

Pendleton, director and choreographer, graduated with a bachelor of arts in English from Dartmouth College in 1971, the same year he co-founded the Pilobolus Dance Theater. In the 1970's Pilobolus won worldwide acclaim for its innovative blend of acrobatics and imagination. In 1980, Pendleton began to work outside of Pilobolus when he choreographed the closing ceremonies for the Winter Olympics at Lake Placid. He also performed his solo "Momix at the Games," which became the name of the company his founded in 1981.

The New Jersey Performing Arts Center, located in the heart of an emerging downtown Newark, is the sixth-largest performing arts center in the United States. Home of the Grammy Award-winning New Jersey Symphony Orchestra, NJPAC has been widely cited as a catalyst in the revitalization of New Jersey's largest city, attracting more than 2.2 million visitors, including 500,000 children, in its first four years of operations.

Funding has been made possible through a grant from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State and funds from the National Endowment for the Arts.

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Paper Mill to offer classes, discussions

Paper Mill Playhouse will offer various classes and seminars during the fall season. Prices and schedules are varied. For information, interested parties should call Mickey at 973-379-3636, ext. 2626, and should ask about conveniently scheduled seating classes for seniors.

• **Breakfast at Paper Mill** — An informal gathering every Monday morning for coffee and conversation about theater. "Breakfast at Paper Mill" meets every Monday from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Paper Mill Gallery, and began Sept. 10. Sessions will include discussions on theater history and personalities, backstage looks at the productions at Paper Mill, and interactive theater games. There are 25 sessions scheduled between September and May.

• **Acting I** — Using theater games, self-exploration and improvisation, this class introduces the basic elements of the actor's craft. Each session begins with a gentle physical warm-up and then progresses to explore diverse avenues of self-expression and communication. Participants also explore character development through the introduction of basic monologue work.

• **Acting II** — This class offers in-depth text analysis and character developing and moves on to scene study with actor's working on scripts and monologues from the vast repertoire of world drama. Character development and text analysis are stressed, along with a discussion of various acting styles and techniques that help bring words on a page to life on the stage.

• **Paper Mill Community Chorus** — Adults who enjoy choral singing will be guided in an exploration of the rich

choral tradition of musical theater ranging from operetta to contemporary compositions. In addition, the chorus is frequently asked to perform in fundraising and symposium events at Paper Mill.

The following classes will be offered beginning in January:

• **The Broadway Dance Workshop** — Designed for dancers who have dance training and experience to their credit, this advanced-level class will explore the style and unique creativity of a different Broadway choreographer each week. Students will learn actual Broadway dance routines while also broadening their range of expression and technique.

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• **A Saturday With Shakespeare** — Designed to introduce everyone to the Bard. Students will meet Shakespeare's characters and explore their psychological and behavioral life based on careful examination of Shakespeare's words.

For information, call 973-379-3636, ext. 2626. Paper Mill Playhouse is located on Brookside Drive in Millburn.

Barbershoppers to perform this evening

The Railway Valley "Jerseyaires" Chorus, local chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America Inc. — SPIBSQSA — will perform for the Borough of Roselle summer festival located at the Roselle Library, Chestnut Street and

4th Avenue, today at 7 p.m. in Roselle.

The chorus will be directed by Jan-Ake Wesim, new director for the "Jerseyaires," with William Lurie, Doug Brown, John Hueter and Jack Robinson assisting with the performance.

The Jerseyaires meet in the Roosevelt School auditorium, 811 St. Georges Ave. — between Stanton Street and West Lake Avenue — Railway, every Monday evening at 7:30. "Men of all ages are invited to sing the good old songs," said Brown, president of the Railway Valley Chapter.

The Railway Valley Chapter's funding has been made possible in part by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State, through a grant administered by the Union Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs.

Bill Van Sant, Editor

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Museum Guide

The Museum Guide is compiled by Worrall Community Newspapers. It is a list of museums and historical sites in Union County and the surrounding areas. To add to the list, send the relevant information to *Arts and Entertainment Editor* Bill Van Sant at Worrall Community Newspapers, 1291 Stuyvesant Ave., Union, 07083.

• **Little-Lord Farmhouse, Museum and Farmstead**, 31 Horseshoe Road, Berkeley Heights. Open 2 to 4 p.m. the third Sunday of each month from April through December or by appointment. Call (908) 464-0961.

• **Dr. William Robinson Plantation Museum**, 593 Madison Hill Road, Clark. Open 1 to 4 p.m. the first Sunday of each month from April through December. Call (732) 381-3081.

• **Crane-Phillips House Museum**, 124 Union Ave. North, Cranford. Open 2 to 4 p.m. Sundays from September through June, or by appointment. Call (908) 276-0082.

• **Recher-Ogden Mansion**, 1046 E. Jersey St., Elizabeth. By appointment only. Call (908) 351-2500.

• **Boxwood Hall**, 1073 E. Jersey St., Elizabeth. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call (908) 684-4540.

• **Wondruff House/Easton Store Museum**, 111 Conant St., Hillside. Open 2 to 4 p.m. the third Sunday of each month or by appointment. Call (908) 352-9270.

• **Deacon Andrew Heffield House**, Constitution Plaza, opposite the Mountaintide Library,

Mountaintide. Open 1 to 3 p.m. the third Sunday of the month from March to May and September to October; closed June to August and November to February.

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• **The Saltbox Museum**, 1350 Springfield Ave., New Providence. Open 1 to 3 p.m. the first and third Sundays of the month, and 10 a.m. to noon on each Thursday of the month.

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over 150 items to choose from - even the pickiest of eaters would be satisfied here. Everything prepared beautifully & so fresh. It's impossible to sample everything here - so much to choose from. We did try the Snow crab Legs, Roast Chicken, Lobster, Peppered Shrimp, B-B-Q Spare Ribs, Roast Pork, Pork Fried Rice, Chicken & Broccoli, General Tso's Chicken, Shrimp Chow Mein, Vegetable Lo Mein, Beef with Garlic Sauce, Sushi & the Mongolian Barbecue. Everything was so good, so fresh, so wonderfully prepared. Absolutely Fabulous are the only words that describe this abundant feast. Such a value for your money, nowhere can you have all the high end food offered at such low prices as at Silver Dragon. The staff is also wonderful, very courteous & attentive. Now for dessert...We

were really so satisfied but we did sample only a small portion of what was offered. Flan, all types of mini pastries, ice cream, fruit, puddings - everything so decadent & good. Before we left we met 1 of the owners - Alvin a charming young man from China whose main focus was making sure all his customers were totally satisfied - how could they not be? Alvin told us one of his chefs was from Hong Kong, one chef from China & one from a 5 star restaurant in New York - a winning combination by the taste of the food. Everyone should try this restaurant, you won't be disappointed and surely you will return over & over!

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'Jazz by the Lake' returns to county for fourth year this weekend

The Fourth Annual 'Jersey Jazz by the Lake' is staged in Union County's Nomahegan Park, Cranford.

This jazzfest will take place Saturday and Sunday.

"The event is a two-day celebration for jazz lovers, fall food festival buffs, and families with children who can enjoy Kids' Kingdom," stated Al Mirabella, chairman of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders. Admission is free. "Jersey Jazz by the Lake" features 10 outstanding acts.

Jazz vocalist Cassandra Wilson continues to blaze trails as an interpreter and composer of 20th-century American music. Her new Blue Note album, "Traveling Miles," features compositions written or inspired by jazz legend Miles Davis. The album garnered Wilson a nomination for a Grammy Award. Wilson is the Jazzfest headliner Sept. 15.

It has been said that "if freedom has sound, the music of keyboardist Alex Bugnon is it." Bugnon's sound is described as 'Yanky Jazz.' He has released his fifth recording, "As Promised," which features Gerald Albright, Branford Marsalis and Angie Stone.

Tito Puente Jr. and Orchestra will pay a tribute to his father's music. The big Latin Jazz orchestra, which has been extended extensively to all corners of the world, will close Day Two of the



Sherry Winston

Jazzfest. Carlos Franzetti, Latin jazz pianist and producer extraordinaire, has put together a Latin Jazz All-Star Band for the Jazzfest. Appearing with Franzetti is Claudio Rodite on trumpet, Dick Oatts on saxophone, Jim Pugh on trombone, Robbie Ameen on drums, Ruben Rodriguez on bass, and Allison Franzetti on keyboards. Jon Fadlis appears as a special guest on trumpet.

Sherry Winston, jazz-futist, performer by the Sherry Winston Band.

Lucien's innovative, original style melds the sounds of jazz, R&B, Caribbean rhythms and Brazilian music. His hits are classic and include "Creole Lady," "Laura," "Hello Like Before," and "Lady Love," which still receive constant radio airtime.

A fine jazz guitarist, Joshua Breakstone has a knack for attracting seasoned musicians. His quartet for this Jazzfest will feature Keith Copeland on drums and Ronnie Matthews on piano. Breakstone believes that improvisation is a hallmark of true jazz. His performance will feature excerpts from his latest CD "The Music of Bud Powell."

Cynthia Holiday, talented and vivacious, has been described as a pop-jazz singer. Born and raised in Newark, Holiday grew up in a musical family. She has been featured throughout the region, appearing with Roy Ayers, the Temptations, and at hot jazz clubs including Shanghai Jazz, Lenox Lounge, Showman's Lounge and Sugar Hill.

Ingrid Lucia and the Flying Neutrons will bring this year's poster theme, "Mr. Zoot Suit," to life when they perform their high-flying Big Band act. Songs from the new CD, "Hoe! Child," will be a crowd pleaser.

Composer, flugel hornist and trumpet, Gordon James is a seasoned performer and band leader. The Gordon James Band projects a unique style of music that blends the worlds of jazz, hip hop, and rhythm & blues.

Chuzako Yoshitiro, a jazz pianist, will make her American debut in conjunction with the release of her new CD, Chuzako's Quartet features the renowned Bernard Purdie on drums. "Jersey Jazz by the Lake" is sponsored by Comcast and NJ Transit. Sponsors include Elboron Development Company, Gateway Institute, NUI Elizabethtown, PSE&G, Shering-Plough, United Way of Union County, and ShopRite New Jersey, the sponsor of Kids' Kingdom.

For more information, call the Jazzfest information line at 908-436-2000 or 908-561-4062.



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Nelridge's nature, landscape photography is on exhibit at NJCVA

Now through Sept. 27, the Member's Gallery at the New Jersey Center for Visual Arts, 68 Elm St., Summit, will feature recent photographs by fine art photographer Richard A. Nelridge. There will be a reception for the artist Friday from 6 to 8 p.m. The reception is free and open to the public.

The title of the exhibition is "Tranquility in Nature." Nelridge specializes in nature, landscape and wildlife photography. He attended Rutgers University, where he received bachelor's and master's degrees in geology, and a master's degree in zoology/ecology. In a recent artist's statement, Nelridge said, "As a child from the age of about 7, I found I had an interest and an aptitude for photography, which went hand-in-hand with my appreciation for nature and wildlife." When possible, he works primarily

with early morning or late afternoon light. He "photographs landscapes on both the grand and more intimate scales." All the images on display in this exhibition were recorded on slide film with Leica 35mm R series cameras and optics or Linhof 4x5-inch cameras and printed on archival photo paper by digital printers. He has found that "digital technology allows the maintaining of the detail, edge-to-edge clarity, crispness, color..." that make these images so intense.

Nelridge has won 89 photographic awards in competitions and juried art shows. His photographs are in private collections in 35 states in the U.S. as well as collections in Australia, Canada, England, Germany, Israel, Japan, Mexico and the Netherlands. In addition to his photographic career, he teaches workshops and classes at the

New Jersey Center of Visual Arts in Summit.

Founded in 1933 by a dedicated group of local artists, NJCVA has evolved into a major regional art center. It has a full-scale art school taught by award winning faculty. There are two interior galleries and an outdoor exhibition space/sculpture garden. NJCVA is the largest visual art center in the state. It is specifically devoted to contemporary art. Programs include Artists with Disabilities, decent tours, lectures, demonstrations, art trips, workshops and other activities. The nonprofit New Jersey Center for Visual Arts is wheelchair accessible and is funded in part by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State, a partner agency of the National Endowment of the Arts.

Miller-Cory seeks docents

Have you seen a woman walking around Westfield in colonial garb complete with a mob cap and apron, or perhaps a man with britches, buckles on his shoes and a three-cornered hat? These are volunteers who work at the Miller-Cory House-Museum, a living historic site built in 1740. They help to make the exciting history of the town and the house come alive for visitors.

Located in Westfield at 614 Mountain Ave., the Miller-Cory House is a trip back in time to the period between 1740 and 1820, when the families of Samuel Miller and Joseph Cory lived in the house and worked what was then a 100-acre farm.

The Miller-Cory House is staffed by a core of costumed docents dedicated to bringing the past to life for visitors every Sunday and for school children during the week. The museum is seeking volunteers who are interested in presenting what life was like for the typical 18th-century family.

Spots are available for volunteers to provide guided tours on Sunday afternoons and/or during the week; for the Showcase, an outreach craft program that goes out to local schools; to participate in the open hearth cooking which is done every Sunday at the Frazee house on the grounds using 18th-century techniques and recipes; to garden in the colonial herb and vegetable gardens on the site; to work in the gift shop, or wherever your interests may lie. No experience is necessary; full training is provided.

The Miller-Cory House Museum will open for the fall season beginning Sunday. Come and take part in the fun and join the Miller-Cory volunteers. To volunteer, call the museum office at 908-232-1776.

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The Hunt Club Grill at the Grand Summit Hotel

Staff Writer
Upon entering the Hunt Club Grill at the Grand Summit Hotel, one is immediately greeted by a knowledgeable and courteous staff and comfortable, elegant surroundings, giving you an idea of the exquisite meal in store.

My dining companion and I began our meals with the jumbo lump crab cakes and the Caesar salad, both of which featured ingredients so fresh you could taste it. Each was the perfect beginning to what proved to be excellent main courses.

For our main courses, we dined on the coriander-crushed duck breast and orzoche pasta with grilled shrimp and lobster. The duck, cooked to perfection, was accompanied by delicious scallion buckwheat noodles, julienne leeks and snow peas, but it was the reduction sauce that made the meal. A rich Madeira reduction perfectly complemented the duck, enhancing the natural flavors of the meat while, at the same time, adding something special not usually found in a dish.

The orzoche pasta was a new treat for this reviewer, and was deliciously topped with arugula and tomatoes in a white wine garlic broth and topped with shaved asiago. However, it was the shellfish that made the dish! The shrimp and lobster were plump and flavorful, each retaining the integrity of their own flavors while being enhanced by the broth and each other.

For dessert, we splurged and shared three different selections. The apples in the apple cobbler were so fresh, you can practically hear them crunch with each bite, and the rice pudding was delicious and equally fresh. But it was the creme brulee that really stole the show. Deliciously rich with the requisite crispy broiled crust, this dessert was the star of our table! The accompanying cappuccino was strong and full-bodied.

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Greater New Jersey Stamp Expo is coming to Springfield Sept. 22

Atlantic Coast Exhibition of Palm Coast, Fla. have announced that it will present the Greater New Jersey Stamp Expo in conjunction with the Westfield Stamp Club Sept. 22 to 23 at the Holiday Inn, Springfield, 304 Rt. 22 West-bound. Show hours are Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission and parking are free and the general public is invited to attend.

The Greater New Jersey Stamp Expo has run continually since 1982. It is present four times yearly at this location. Atlantic Coast Exhibitions currently produces 25 stamp events yearly with the goal of introducing stamp collecting — philately — to the general public. To date these efforts have brought more than 3,000 new or re-interested persons into the hobby. Stamp collecting is the nation's No. 1 hobby. The United States Postal Service estimates that there are more than 22 million Americans who currently collect stamps. Any interest can be combined with stamps through the many topics illustrated on them.

The Greater New Jersey Stamp Expo is New Jersey's largest and best attended stamp event. The expo features exhibitors from nine states, displaying a combined total of more than 35 million in stamps. Several exhibits are the

lifelong accomplishments of their owners. In addition, a course of 40 stamp dealers buying and selling stamps of the world will be present. Free door prize drawings for more than \$500 in merchandise will be held. A large Youth Area with free stamps and collecting materials will be available for all kids that attend. A Boy Scout merit badge registered counselor will be on duty to answer questions concerning the acquisition of the Stamp Collecting Merit Badge. Several area stamp clubs will have displays and members on hand to offer guidance and extend a welcome to people interested in becoming new members of their groups. Free appraisals of stamps and stamp collections are being offered by licensed appraisers.

A special exhibit of the rare 1901 Inverted Train Stamp will also be on display. This stamp which was issued to commemorate the 1901 Pan-American Exposition held in Buffalo in that year, was mistakenly printed with the center upside-down. Of the 160 million of this stamp produced, only 140 were printed in this manner. Of those, only 98 are now accounted for; of these this is one of the two best examples of this rare stamp. The stamp has been valued \$75.

Recently many record prices have been obtained for some of the world's rarest stamps. A stamp was recently purchased in a New York auction for \$2.7 million.

ACE also welcomes the Westfield Stamp Club, a non-profit organization, as co-sponsors of this event. Members of the club will be present and a "courtesy lounge" will be available to those who wish to learn more about participating in the club.

Information about the Greater New Jersey Stamp Expo can be obtained from Atlantic Coast Exhibitions by mail at 42 Baltimore Lane, Palm Coast, FL 32137-8850; by phone at 386-445-4550; or by e-mail at nustamp2@aol.com. Locally information is available from Fred Lisicandaro at 732-750-8037, or at the Holiday Inn Springfield at 973-376-9400 on the show days. Detailed information including a listing of the dealers attending, show features, directions with maps may be found at the Beach Philatelics website at www.beachphilatelics.com.

UCC exhibit takes a look at alien life

From Sept. 21 to Oct. 25, the works of artist Stephen McKenzie will be on display at the Tomassulo Gallery in the Kenneth McKay Library on the Cranford campus of Union County College.

Titled "The Alien Beings Series," the exhibit features an ongoing series of monotype prints that combine McKenzie's knowledge of the printmaking medium with a diversity of aesthetic and design influences in the creation of alien lifeform images.

McKenzie was first introduced to the printmaking medium as an undergraduate and it was during his graduate studies at Rutgers University's Mason Gross School of the Arts that he focused on the specific form of printmaking called the monotype. In the type of printmaking, though only one fully inked impression may be pulled, depending on the amount of ink residue remaining on the plate, one or two "ghost" images may also be printed, McKenzie explains. "The monotype form offers the artist the opportunity to use a variety of materials and media in a spontaneous manner without requiring extensive technical training. Original works of art created with this medium span the gamut from painting through any combination of printmaking processes and collage techniques."

"The 'Alien Beings Series' developed initially from abstract work. For McKenzie, the acknowledgement of cultural influences and designs used in his work is important. His works contain some influences of 'primitive art' and Native American designs. In the case of the 'Alien Beings' series, McKenzie explains that he "sought to expand and seek and wider context of image diversity and content for his aesthetic concern. Specifically, a more universal objective for the depiction of these images was based on influences that cut across cultural boundaries." Some of the influences have been derived from his viewing of picture magazines like Life and National Geographic, to the influences of monumental stone figures on Easter Island in the Pacific Ocean, to the "Eisenstein" boy that moves from rocket ship to rocket man. Finally, he has attempted to develop his own view of "alien" beings that, in reality, may be reflective of and exhibit very similar characteristics to the Carbon-based life forms that are now inhabiting the Earth.

McKenzie has shown his works both nationally and locally since 1984. He has traveled throughout North America and spent one year in Rome, Italy. He is currently employed at The Newark Museum Arts Workshop, where he is responsible for the adult programming of the craft and fine art studio programs. He has also worked as an adjunct instructor. He served as the assistant master printer at the Center for Innovative Printmaking at Rutgers University under the supervision of Judith Brodsky and worked at the Printmaking Council of New Jersey for two years.

The Tomassulo Gallery exhibit will debut Sept. 21 with an opening reception from 7 to 9 p.m. The gallery is located on the first floor of the Mackay Library on the campus of Union County College, 1033 Springfield Ave., Cranford. Gallery hours are from 1 to 4 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays and Saturdays. Evening hours are from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays through Thursdays. For more information, call the Tomassulo Gallery at 908-709-7155.

Skulski Gallery opens exhibit with reception Friday

The Skulski Art Gallery of the Polish Cultural Foundation in Clark will present an exhibit of sculpture and drawing by Polish artist Mirosław Rydzak from Friday through to Oct. 13. The opening reception is scheduled for Friday from 8 to 10:30 p.m.

In the opening program, there will be a brief concert at 8 p.m. featuring mezzo-soprano Elżbieta Baginska-Rydzak, who will perform arias and songs by Moniuszko, Karłowicz, Berstein, Debussy, Bizet, Viardot and Brahms, accompanied by pianist Lisa Popardi. A donation of \$5 is suggested for the concert. The general public, and art and music lovers are welcome to attend an extraordinary evening.

Rydzak graduated from the Academy of Fine Arts in Gdańsk, Poland, where he studied sculpture in the studio of Professor Adam Smolna. In 1995, he received a Ph.D. in sculpture from the Academy of Fine Arts in Kraków. Since 1997, he has been a researcher and teacher at the department of sculpture at the Maria Skłodowska-Curie Institute of Arts at

the University of Lublin. He participated in 23 one-person and 60 collective exhibits of sculpture and drawing in Poland and abroad. He won 15 prizes in sculpture competitions including being a prize winner in the competitions for Residence in Arts Colony, scholarship for Art Retreat, Regional Cultural Center, New York Mills, in 1995; Dorland Mountain, Temecula, 1997; Ragdale Lake Forest, 1997; Blue Mountain Lake, 1998; Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Sweet Briar, 1999; Montana Artists Refuge, Basin, 2000; Dorland Mountain Arts Colony, Temecula, 2000.

Since 1997, he is a member of International Sculptors Society "Les mains d'Or," France.

The Polish Cultural Foundation, a non-profit organization, is located at 177 Broadway, Clark, just off exit 135 from the Garden State Parkway. The Skulski Art Gallery is open to the public Tuesday to Friday from 5 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For additional information, contact Aleksandra K. Nowak at 732-382-7197.

Westfield Symphony preps for 'Victorious' season

The Westfield Symphony Orchestra opens its Variations on a Fantasy Season 2001-02 with a gala concert titled "Victories."

The concert will take place Oct. 6 at 8 p.m. at the Union County Arts Center, 1601 Irving St., Rahway.

Tickets are \$15 to \$45.

David Wiese, music director and conductor, selected a program of music

guaranteed to please both the casual music lover and the most sophisticated symphony attendee. Richard Rodgers' tone poem "Victory at Sea" begins the concert. Maestro Wiese selected this work to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Richard Rodgers' birth. The concert ends with Neadly Rimsky-Korsakov's tantalizing and sumptuous fantasia "Scheher-

azade." Internationally known pianist Leon Fleisher joins Maestro Wiese and the Westfield Symphony Orchestra in Maurice Ravel's stunning "Piano Concerto for Left Hand."

Tickets can be purchased directly from the WSO by calling 908-232-9400, from the Union County Arts Center box office at 732-499-0441; or at one of the following WSO ticket outlets: Martin Jewelers, 12 North Ave. West, Cranford; Beautiful Things, 1878 E. Second St., Scotch Plains; Laveaster Ltd., 76 Elm

St.; the Town Book Store, 255 E. Broad St., Westfield; and Bayberry, 860 Mountain Ave., Mountaintide. The following restaurants offer a 10-percent discount on pre-concert dinners with seatings from 5 to 5:30 p.m.: Chez Catherine in Westfield, 908-654-4011; Elm Street Cafe in Westfield, 908-232-3939; Kotobuki in Westfield, 908-233-6547; and Northside Trattoria in Westfield, 908-232-7320. Patrons must show their tickets to qualify for the discount. Reservations are highly recommended.

Registration is now under way

Registration is currently being held for fall semester courses at the duCret School of Art, the oldest private art school in New Jersey. Founded in 1926, duCret has long been a major center for the development of artistic talent in the tri-state area.

The school, which is located in a historic district of Plainfield, is nationally accredited by ACCSCT. The duCret is registered with the New Jersey Department of Education as a provider for teachers' 100 hours continuing education requirement. The school is known for its consistently high caliber of instruction by a faculty that includes many nationally recognized artists.

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Boring's Engine City gets mechanics tuned up

Just off Route 22 in Union stands a unique structure. What makes it unique is that within it is the only pure diesel mechanics school in the country. Engine City, established in 1969, shares this building with Mack Boring, a 70-year-old company which was recently honored as Runner-Up Family Business of the Year.

Engine City has a curriculum that focuses on commercial and industrial diesel engines. The school trains the students in the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of transmissions, engines, refrigeration units, internal computers, suspension systems,

clutches and ABS brake systems. Engine City is proud to offer the first school in the country to offer an electronic engine course where the experienced mechanic can upgrade skills and receive instruction on the intricacies of today's cutting edge technology.

Classes are equipped with actual engines that the students completely disassemble, reassemble, tune and bring into running status while under the guidance of professional instructors.

Small classes of 20 or less bring each student to the highest levels of

professionalism. Businesses such as Federal Express, Ryder, Truck, NJ Transit and others hire many of the finest diesel mechanics that the industry has to offer.

In June of 2000, Engine City opened its computer lab, becoming one of the first diesel schools in the country to utilize computer-based training for its students. The lab teaches students the diagnostic software of major engine manufacturers such as Cummins, Caterpillar and Detroit Diesel.

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ers and manufacturers with such established names as Hunter and Fountain. As a notable distinction, Engine City also trains Coast Guard marine mechanics on Yanmar engines for Coast Guard narcotic boats.

The Thermo King company has long worked in partnership with the school in supplying state-of-the-art refrigeration units that are regularly updated. Engine City is soon to become the National Training Center on engine trouble shooting for all diesel refrigeration units used in transportation.

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Due to a serious diesel mechanic shortage, employers are becoming very proactive in recruiting qualified entry-level mechanics. Engine City averages 400 quality career opportunities with less than 100 graduates each year. You can inquire about future opportunities by calling 1-800-305-3487 or visiting www.enginecitytech.com.

St. Peter's Prep plans for annual Fall Open House event

St. Peter's Preparatory School will be holding its 2001 Fall Open House Sept. 30 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at the school's campus in downtown Jersey City. Prospective students and their parents are invited to attend.

Members of the St. Peter's Prep faculty and staff, as well as coaches, students and teachers, will be present

to distribute information and answer questions about the school, and tours of the campus and school facilities will be provided. Applications for the class of 2006 will also be available at the Open House. Last year, more than 400 families attended the Fall Open House.

Founded in 1872, St. Peter's Prep is

an independent, college preparatory school for boys located in historic downtown Jersey City and remains New Jersey's only Jesuit high school. The student body presently numbers 850 young men from almost 100 communities in New Jersey and New York and continues the rich tradition of academic, social and spiritual deve-

lopment that has been the hallmark of Jesuit education for four centuries.

St. Peter's Prep offers a full college preparatory curriculum as well as 15 varsity sports and 25 non-athletic cocurricular activities. More than 98 percent of the Class of 2001 are now enrolled in colleges across the United States, including Boston College, the

College of the Holy Cross, Fordham University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, New York University, Villanova University, the University of Pennsylvania and Yale University.

For more information, or for directions, call 201-547-6420 or visit www.stpetersprep.org.

Classes begin at St. Peter's Prep; Mass of the Holy Spirit is Friday

St. Peter's Preparatory School will begin its 2001-02 school year this week with orientation for incoming and returning students. Classes began Monday, and the school's opening Mass of the Holy Spirit will be held Friday.

The Class of 2005, which numbers 200 students from 55 municipalities in eight counties in New Jersey and

New York, is Prep's largest freshman class since 1991. The total student body population of 854, representing 97 communities in 13 counties in New Jersey and New York, is also the largest in a decade.

"Our faculty enrollment is due to a number of factors, including the rebirth of downtown Jersey City, the increase in population here in Hudson

County and the desire by parents to select a school with a challenging curriculum that is economically, socially and culturally diverse with easy access to the many cultural opportunities here in Hudson County and nearby New York City," said Principal John R. Rastowsky. "In addition, our rich tradition of academic, social and spiritual development that has been

the hallmark of Jesuit education for four centuries continues to attract students seeking something more enriching and fulfilling than other high schools."

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Members of the A.T.D. Dancers International Show Troupe prepare for another season.

A.T.D. Dancercenter marks 20th anniversary

Professionalism is the key at the A.T.D. Dancercenter now celebrating 20 years of quality dance education. Located at 999 Stayview Ave. in Union, the studio continues to give students the opportunity to develop poise, grace, a sense of rhythm and self confidence all of which are important in the nurturing of a well-rounded dancer.

"Our school makes the difference," states director Michele Selvanico-Kowalski. "We not only teach our students the proper technique to perform, but to feed it from inside, within themselves and from their heart. They feel confident not only in the dance room but in school, sports and social activities. Our professional and certified adult teachers are dedicated in teaching the finest technique and assuring the proper body placement which is so important for growing bones. We train each student using our graded

syllabus whether they take classes just for fun or to pursue a professional career in the performing arts. We open the door to your child's hidden talents and give them every opportunity available to excel and our popular reputation will adhere to that."

Curriculum at the studio includes ballet, tap, jazz, pointe, lyrical, acrobatics, movement for tots, hip hop and aerobics. Special boys classes are given in tap and acrobatics. We also offer every student the chance to further their education with workshops in New York, guest teachers, trips, parade, community events and statewide functions.

The studio is home base for the A.T.D. Dancers International Show Troupe, a group of talented dancers who have been showcasing their talents to thousands in Europe and the Caribbean. Invitations have been earned by their outstanding routines

and sportsmanship. Past performances in Russia, Italy, California, the Carnival Cruise Line throughout the eastern Caribbean, The Royal Caribbean Cruise Line throughout the western Caribbean, the Miami Orange Bowl Halftime Show, the 1999 Woman's World Cup Soccer opening ceremonies and the Mexican Dance Festival in Cancun and Cozumel, Mexico have enriched their lives in so many ways. They are currently working with an agent from Wisconsin on this year's special 20th anniversary summer 2002 performance to be announced.

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To meet the needs of caregivers, Runnells, the county health care facility, now offers respite care. Included will be important factors to ensure quality care: physicians and R.N.s in-house 24 hours a day, seven days a week; semi-private rooms with basic cable TV, meals and snacks, and a wide variety of events and activities. The minimum stay being offered is three nights. There is no maximum stay. To inquire about respite care, call the Runnells Admission Office at 908-771-5901.

Caregivers of persons who have qualified for Medicaid may qualify

for funding to cover the costs of a respite stay and should contact the Union County Division of Aging at 908-527-4873 for information.

"For almost 90 years, Runnells has had a proud history of providing for the changing health care needs of the community," according to Freeholder Deborah Scanlon, who serves as the Runnells' liaison to the facility. "Providing respite care is our latest effort in meeting the people's needs." Runnells Specialized relocated in 1990 to a new, 178,000-square-foot facility situated on a 45-acre mountain tract of land in Berkeley Heights that offers breathtaking, panoramic views of the Watchung Mountains. Runnells is easily accessible from Routes 22, 24, and 78.

The facility offers the following specialized units:

- The Rehab Center has a history of more than two decades of success.

Upon completion of treatment, more than 98 percent of patients are able to return to their previous living circumstances. Headed by a physician, a physician specializing in physical medicine and rehabilitation, Runnells' Rehab Center uses an interdisciplinary approach, providing short-term therapy to develop skills that will promote as high a degree of self-reliance as each individual can achieve. The 25-bed unit offers therapy and social services to both inpatients and outpatients.

- Among nursing facilities, the Runnells Long-Term Care Unit, 300 beds, which includes care for those in the final stages of an illness, is staffed 24 hours a day by physicians and professional nurses. The medical team includes a geriatric nurse practitioner, psychiatrist, psychologist, and professional social workers, who are on staff and attend daily to residents' needs.

- Occupational, physical and activity therapists design individualized programs for residents to strengthen interpersonal skills, build greater self-reliance and improve physical abilities. An active Resident Council provides a forum through which residents can express their concerns.

- Short-stay nursing care, called Subacute Care, is also available at Runnells within the Long-Term Care Unit. This service is designed to meet today's need for an integrated program that can serve patients who are categorized as post-acute. Appropriate patients are those who have recovered to a point where they no longer require the level of care offered in an acute care hospital, neither are they well enough to endure the rigors of the rehabilitation program, but well enough to return home. Patients in Runnells' short-stay care enjoy all the benefits and amenities already in

place at the facility, including a staff that prides itself in maintaining an atmosphere of warmth and friendliness combined with the highest quality of professional care.

- Cornerstone, 20 beds, an intermediate psychiatric service, offers patients a rehabilitative environment and an integrated therapeutic approach including group and family therapy, social services and round-the-clock professional nursing care. This critical service offers a place where patients can recover from the stresses of mental and emotional problems while remaining close to home, facilitating family support programs.

"The hospital has a number of features that are 'state of the art' and extraordinary for this type of facility that includes: on-site dental and personal care center, a nondenominational chapel and pastoral offices, as well

as an auditorium and meeting rooms. The building has been constructed with private, landscaped courtyards for patient use, that are accessible and offer privacy for family visits.

According to Scanlon, "What makes Runnells so special is its incomparable spirit. Guided by experienced administrators totally committed to the success of the programs, a legion of dedicated and supportive staff anxious to serve the needs of the patients, and a sometimes seemingly endless multitude of selfless volunteers whose primary goal is to make Runnells' residents lives more pleasurable, Runnells is one of Union County government's proudest assets." The hospital can be reached by calling 908-771-5700. For admissions information, call 908-771-5901. Runnells accepts Medicare and Medicaid and has no residency requirements for admission.

Web site offers answers to questions about Medicare

Almost every Medicare beneficiary or someone caring for them has had a question about Medicare at one time or another. Maybe it was about what Medicare covers, or what it doesn't. Or, maybe it was about locating a participating physician or a specific claim. Now there is help readily available from Empire Medicare Services at www.empiremedicare.com.

Empire Medicare.com contains a wealth of useful information for Medicare beneficiaries as well as for their doctors and hospitals. For example, from the beneficiary section, seniors can access a variety of brochures, including Medicare Preventive Benefits, which provides information on Medicare coverage for important

screening services. You can also find the Medicare Managed Care Comparison Guide, which contains impartial information on the different managed care plans available.

Also available on the web site are the Medicare Participating Physician/Supplier Directories for all of New Jersey and most of downstate New York. These directories, known as MEDIPARD, list "participating" physicians and suppliers — those doctors and suppliers who have agreed to accept assignment on all Medicare claims. This means that these doctors have agreed that they will not bill Medicare beneficiaries for more than 20 percent of Medicare's approved charge, together with any deductible,

regardless of the amount of the actual bill.

In addition, the web site provides answers to the questions asked most frequently by Medicare beneficiaries along with information on coordinating Medicare benefits with other insurance coverage. It also describes how to obtain information easily about Medicare by phone or in person at Empire Medicare Services' "walk-in" centers. And if you cannot find the information you are searching for, you can even submit your Medicare questions right on the web site.

Once on www.empiremedicare.com, users can link to other useful information located on other web sites, such

as www.medicare.gov, the official government site for Medicare information, with a simple "click." Other sites that can be accessed through the site include the official web site of the Social Security Administration at www.ssa.gov and an array of web sites sponsored by senior organizations. A complete list of links can be found on the "Other Sites" link on the toolbar at the top of the web page.

The Empire Medicare Services web site also provides information for doctors and hospitals in an easy-to-use, clearly accessible format via the Internet. The web site makes it easy for providers to keep up-to-date on all of the important changes to the Medicare program.

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Hospital offers tips for a safer school year

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- If your child will be walking to school, assess the route for safety. Find out about crossing guards and traffic patterns.
- Instruct your child to stay on sidewalks and main roads, do not allow him/her to cut through alleys, woods or other deserted areas.
- Have siblings, or older neighbors, walk together so that younger children are not alone.
- Review the basic bus safety rules with your youngster: wait for the bus to stop before approaching it from the curb, do not walk around or on the bus, check to see that no other traffic is coming before crossing.
- Tour the school building and classroom, and set up nice desks with classmates.
- Let the school know whenever your child is absent.

Homework

- Provide a positive homework atmosphere for your child that is free of distractions, including television.

- Show your child you are interested in his or her work. Re-explain assignments if necessary, and check to see that homework is completed.
- Having trouble fitting homework into your child's schedule? You may need to cut back on your child's activities, or see that his or her after-school care includes supervised homework time.
- If your child is struggling with a particular subject, and you are not able to help him or her yourself, a tutor can be a good solution. Talk it over with your child's teacher first.
- Remember to allow time for free play in your child's schedule.

- Bulles**
- Give your child some strategies for coping with bullies.
 - Talk with the teacher about a persistent bully. If appropriate, the teacher may take steps to mediate the situation.
 - Encourage your child to talk about fears of violence, and explain how he or she can avoid dangerous situations.

Overlook rep addresses national palliative care conference

Patty Colligan-Levine, manager of Social Work and Case Management at Atlantic Health System's Overlook Hospital in Summit, presented Overlook's Hospital-Based Palliative Care Training Program to the American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine at its annual assembly in Phoenix, Ariz., in June. The academy is dedicated to preventing and relieving pain and suffering by patients and families.

"It was an honor that a nationally based group selected Overlook to talk about our approach. It is a unique program that has generated a lot of enthusiasm around the country," said Dr. John Gregory, director of the Palliative Care Program at Overlook.

Joined by Linda Irvine R.N., M.A., C.N.S., C.C., Clinical Nurse Specialist for Intensive Care, Colligan-Levine told the group of more than 100 doctors, nurses, social workers, and other health care workers about the elements that made Overlook's program come together successfully, and how it developed into the benchmark for comprehensive palliative care training in hospitals.

"We had a very high level of interest among the staff," said Colligan-Levine. "We had a very high degree of support within the administration,

and we had champions among the physicians. The teachers in the program are part of our nursing and patient care staff, and that ensures that the classroom training carries over into practice."

The program at Overlook is mandatory, promoting a consistently high level of awareness and sensitivity among the staff. It covers all aspects of palliative care, including pain management, hospice care, behavioral health, pastoral care, nursing, and social work. In particular, the cultural

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The facts of frico are many, varied and always tasty

By Maria C. Hunt
Copley News Service
 As Italy as it is, frico cheese doesn't get much play here. There's the ragù, the flaming cheese dish or the guilty snack of breaded mozzarella offered at those happy-hour restaurants with fake antipasto on the wall. Occasionally, a fancy cheese tulle, usually made from Parmigiano-Reggiano, finds its way onto a salad of baby greens or a bowl of soup.

But in a little-known region of northern Italy called Friuli Venezia-Giulia, there's a beloved little cheese dish called frico. In the rest of Italy, let alone in the world beyond, it's practically unheard of.

"For outsiders who get to visit the region, frico is a delicious discovery that can come in many forms from a crisp wafer of Montasio cheese served with a comforting lump of polenta, to a crisp-edged cake of melting cheese stuffed with potatoes."

"The appeal of frico, first and foremost, is that it's cheese that crunches in the most appealing way," said Fred Plotkin, a New York-based author. "It can be either soft and creamy or crispy ... and it matches perfectly with prosciutto di San Daniele and maròches perfectly with local wine."

Plotkin has spent the past 20 years traveling to Friuli Venezia-Giulia, learning the local dialect and uncovering the area's culinary secrets. His latest book, "La Terra Fortunata," includes stories and recipes for hundreds of foods from the region that borders Slovenia and was for years ruled by the Austro-Hungarian empire.

Despite its appeal, frico remains a regional dish. "New Yorkers know frico better than Florentines," said Plotkin. "That's thanks to chef Lidia Bastianich — who is from the Istrian peninsula near Trieste — and her son, Joseph. They introduced Americans to frico when they opened a restaurant called Frico Bar in New York's theater district."

The restaurant has since been renamed Esca and has a different concept, but for a while it served a selection of filled frico that changed every day. The fillings might be potatoes, shrimp, sausage, broccoli di rape, or whatever came to mind.

"It's great with everything in it," said Joseph Bastianich, who is also a winemaker. "We used to make one with lobster in it. It had nothing to do with Friuli, but it's really delicious." Frico is still served at Lidia Bastianich's other New York restaurants, Follia and Becco, as well as at her restaurants in Kansas City and Pittsburgh.

Frico can be a whole meal, an appetizer or a snack. For parties, Bastianich makes frico, cuts it into wedges on a cheese board and lets guests serve themselves. She also makes one with Granny Smith or Golden Delicious apples and raisins that can be used as a cheese course at the end of a meal.

"If you have that baked soft frico with a little potato and a piece of polenta, that's a nice, filling meal," she said. "Putting salad on top really freshens it up."

Humble origins
 Frico is one of the most universal and versatile foods from Friuli Venezia-Giulia. Plotkin believes the name is based on a word for "fried" in the Friulian dialect. The dish grew out of the poverty that haunted the region for years.

"You never want to throw anything out," he said. "This originally was a very poor place, so when the cheese got old, they would melt it in a pan slowly until it became a crisp."

Frico was also a satisfying, portable meal that could be taken along to work.

"The traditional Montasio frico is that they would take a thick sort of casserole pan and put in pieces of Montasio and slices of potato and

slowly, slowly, let the potatoes melt in this cheese fondue," said Lidia Bastianich.

Though it's easy to imagine doing this with any cheese, Plotkin said the traditional frico only uses Montasio. Montasio is a firm cow's milk cheese, named after a mountain in Friuli Venezia-Giulia where it was first made, according to "The Cheese Primer" by Steve Jenkins. In the 19th century, a mountain with pastures terraced into its slopes belonged to a monastery that became well known for making Montasio.

Today, the cheese might come from Friuli Venezia-Giulia or other parts of the Veneto region. Montasio was granted DOC status in 1986, meaning there are strict controls governing the milk that goes into the cheese and the methods used to make it.

Even after aging, Montasio has a mild, earthy flavor, with butterscotch and toffee qualities. It can be aged anywhere from a couple of months to two years. In Italy, 4-month-old cheese is used at the table or for making frico.

Whole Foods in Hillcrest carried the cheese for a while but it wasn't a big seller, so it was discontinued. Cheese buyer Elaine Wong can order cheeses on request, and she recently brought back a 2-month-aged Montasio for \$10.99 per pound.

In her book "Lidia's Italian Table," Bastianich mentions Asiago cheese as a possible substitute for Montasio in making frico, but using another cheese produces somewhat different results.

Making frico
 On the first few tries, it can be tricky to get the crispy frico to turn out right.

It can be difficult to flip the cheese without ruining the circular shape. If you're not deft enough to flip it midair like a movie short-order cook, the easiest way is to slide the disk out onto a plate, brown side down. Then, using the plate, flip the frico back into the hot pan to finish cooking the other side.

The pan must be already heated, over medium-low heat, before you put in the grated cheese. If the pan is too hot, the cheese will scorch, giving it a bitter flavor and a dried-out quality.

Recipes instruct you to let the cheese sizzle undisturbed until the frico releases itself when the pan is jiggled, but that might not happen with an older pan. Using a new nonstick omelet pan with curved sides vastly improves the chances of getting the frico to slide out of the pan on cue.

Wine is a natural part of a meal throughout Italy, and Friuli has many excellent white and red wines that marry perfectly with frico and other regional dishes. White frico can work with a light red wine, such as refosco, the classic pairing is with tealci, a white wine that can be crisp and citrusy, or sweeter, with honey, acacia and spicet notes and an almond nose, Joe Bastianich said.

"It's got that whole if-it-grows-together, it-goes-together kind of thing happening," he said. "I firmly believe all wine and food pairings have that sensibility to a certain extent."

Montasio Cheese Crisp
 ½ pound Montasio cheese, about 6 ounces trimmed, coarsely shredded
 Yields 4 crisps.

Place a 4- to 5-inch nonstick skillet over medium-low heat and heat until a sheet of cheese begins to sizzle 2 to 3 seconds after it hits pan. Scatter one-fourth of cheese in even layer over bottom of skillet. Let cheese cook without disturbing it or moving pan until fat that separates from cheese begins to bubble around edges, about 3 minutes.

At this point, shake skillet gently to free cheese crisp from bottom of pan. If it sticks, let it cook for a minute or two more, then try again. If the crisp is still sticking in places, carefully work peel-proof rubber spatula under crisp to free it. After 6 to 7 minutes total cooking time, underside of crisp should be an even golden brown and crisp should slide very easily in pan. Slide crisp onto small plate, then invert crisp back into skillet. Cook other side as you did first.

Slide crisp out onto baking sheet and keep warm in oven while cooking remaining fricos. Pat fricos with paper towels before serving.

From "Lidia's Italian Table" by Lidia Bastianich, William Morrow and Co.; \$26.

Frico With Potatoes
 2 tablespoons unsalted butter
 1 yellow onion, cut into thin slices
 Salt and pepper, to taste
 3 large mealy potatoes, peeled and cut into matchsticks
 12 ounces Montasio cheese
 Yields 2 to 4 servings.

Melt butter in medium-size pot or casserole for a few seconds. Add onion slices. Once they begin to give off fragrance, add salt and pepper to taste, and then potatoes. Stir with wooden spoon to combine ingredients. Then add ½ cup cold water spread ingredients evenly on bottom of pot, and cover. Cook over low heat for about 30 minutes. If water evaporates completely, add a little more — just enough so ingredients do not stick or burn.

Add cheese to pot, a piece at a time. Stir continuously until cheese has melted but does not brown.

While melting cheese, warm 7- or 8-inch nonstick pan over medium heat. Once cheese has melted, pour cheese and potato mixture into nonstick pan. Brown frico first on one side and then other, using a plate to flip it if necessary. As frico renders fat while cooking, drain it out of the pan. The result should be golden brown and crunchy. Transfer frico to plate, cut into quarters and serve immediately.

From "La Terra Fortunata" by Fred Plotkin, Broadway Books; \$33.

Sausage and Broccoli di Rape-Filled Frico
 Sausage, broccoli di rape and potato to filling (see accompanying recipe)
 1 pound Montasio cheese, rind removed (about ¾ pound trimmed)
 Tender young salad greens, washed
 Yields 4 servings.

Prepare sausage and potato filling according to recipe. Set aside. Preheat oven to 250 F.

Place 4- to 5-inch nonstick skillet over medium-low heat and heat until a third of cheese begins to sizzle 2 to 3 seconds after it hits pan. Scatter generous ½-cup of cheese in even layer over bottom of skillet. Arrange ¼ of filling of choice over cheese and press it very gently into even layer. Sprinkle another generous ½ cup of cheese over filling in even layer. Cook until golden brown and crisp on both sides, following method in Montasio Cheese Crisp recipe. Filled fricos require a little extra care when removing them from pan and turning them.

Slide crisp out onto baking sheet and keep warm in oven while cooking remaining fricos.

Pat dry with paper towels, cut in half, top with dressed greens if you like, and serve.

From "Lidia's Italian Table" by Lidia Bastianich, William Morrow and Co.; \$26.

Sausage, Broccoli di Rape and Potato Filling
 2 medium-large baking potatoes
 2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
 1 cup thinly sliced onions or scalions (white and green parts only)
 Salt and freshly ground black pepper
 2 tablespoons unsalted butter
 2 cloves garlic, crushed
 1 cup sweet Italian sausage, about 2 links
 Pinch crushed red pepper
 2 cups coarsely chopped broccoli di rape

Yields enough filling for 4 fricos. In pot large enough to hold them comfortably, cook potatoes in boiling salted water to cover until tender but still firm — skin should be unbroken — about 25 minutes. Drain potatoes and let stand just until cool enough to handle.

Peel potatoes and cut into ½-inch-thick slices. In large skillet, heat olive oil over medium heat. Add

onions and cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, about 4 minutes. Add sliced potatoes and cook, gently turning potatoes occasionally, until golden, about 8 minutes. Season with salt and pepper. Set aside.

In medium-size skillet, melt butter over medium heat. Add garlic cloves and cook, turning once or twice, until golden, about 2 minutes. Add sausage meat and red pepper and season lightly with salt and black pepper. Cook, stirring to break up sausage, until meat is browned, about 10 minutes.

Stir broccoli di rape into skillet and reduce heat to low. Cover and cook until broccoli is wilted and tender, about 5 minutes. Drain off any excess fat and remove garlic cloves.

In large mixing bowl, fold together potatoes and sausage mixture until blended.

Adapted from "Lidia's Italian Table" by Lidia Bastianich, William Morrow and Co.; \$26.

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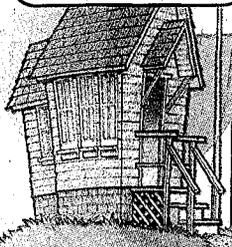
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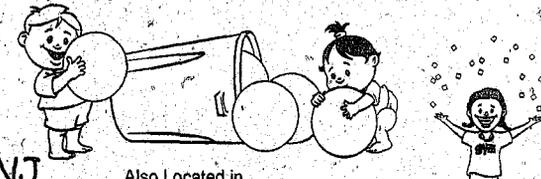
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ART SHOWS

OUR VIEW: A UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE on Life in Union County, a traveling exhibit sponsored by Community Access Unlimited, features the work of 10 adults with developmental disabilities. The exhibit will tour the county. For information, call 908-354-3040, Ext. 304.

SUMMIT FRAME AND ART will exhibit paintings by Amelior artists of the mid-1800s to the mid-1900s.

Gallery hours are Mondays to Saturdays, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Thursdays until 7 p.m. Summit Frame and Art is located at 485 Springfield Ave., Summit. For information, call 908-273-8666.

ARTIST RON HEDRICK will have his work on exhibit at Evelyn Dunn's Gallery, 549 South Ave., Westfield.

Gallery hours are Tuesdays through Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and by appointment. For information, call 908-232-0412.

TRANQUILITY IN NATURE, photographs by Richard A. Nelridge, will be on exhibit in the Members' Gallery at the New Jersey Center for Visual Arts in Summit through Sept. 27. A reception with the artist will take place Friday from 6 to 8 p.m.

Gallery hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. NJCVA is located at 68 Elm St., Summit. For more information, call 908-273-9121.

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IN PRAISE OF THE HAWAIIAN

ISLANDS, a photo exhibit of landscapes by Kulbir Singh Bhatia, will be on exhibit at the Las Malama Art Gallery in Union Public Library through Oct. 17.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Union Public Library is located at 1980 Morris Ave., Union. For information, call 908-851-6480.

ALIEN BEINGS SERIES, the works of Stephen McKenzie, will be on exhibit at the Tommaso Gallery in the Kenneth Speakey Library at Union County College, Cranford, Sept. 21 through Oct. 25. An opening reception will take place Sept. 21 from 7 to 9 p.m.

Gallery hours are Mondays through Thursdays, and Saturdays, from 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesdays through Fridays from 6 to 9 p.m. UCC is located at 1033 Springfield Ave., Cranford. For information, call 908-709-7155.

UNMARKED LIVES, a touring exhibit of tapestries, textiles and paperworks by artist Joanne Sorokin, will be on display at the New Jersey Center for Visual Arts in Summit through Oct. 28. In conjunction with the exhibit, Patricia Melcher of Surface magazine will present the talk "The Contemporary Quilt: A Pattern Evolution" Oct. 21 at 3 p.m.

Gallery hours are Mondays to Fridays from noon to 4 p.m., and Saturdays and Sundays from 2 to 4 p.m. NJCVA is located at 68 Elm St., Summit. For information, call 908-273-9121.

WESTFIELD ART ASSOCIATION member Shelia Lengua will have her work on exhibit at Children's Specialized Hospital, 150 New Providence Road, Mountainside, Oct. 13 through Nov. 15.

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AFRICAN-AMERICAN INTERESTS meets the second Thursday of the month at 8 p.m. at Barnes and Noble in Springfield. Barnes and Noble is located at 240 Route 22 West, Springfield. For information, call 973-376-8544.

BOOKS BY WOMEN, ABOUT WOMEN meets the first Wednesday of the month at Barnes and Noble in Springfield. Barnes and Noble is located at 240 Route 22 West, Springfield. For information, call 973-376-8544.

EDISON ARTS SOCIETY WRITER'S CIRCLE, led by Cheryl Racanelli, meets at Barnes and Noble in Clark the second and fourth Monday of each month. Barnes and Noble in Clark is

located at 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

JEWISH BOOK LOVERS meets at 7:15 p.m. at Barnes and Noble, 240 Route 22 West, Springfield, the third Monday of each month.

For information, call 973-376-8544.

MYSTERY READING GROUP will meet at Barnes and Noble in Clark the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Barnes and Noble is located at 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

SHAKESPEARE OUT LOUD Reading Group will meet at Barnes and Noble, 1180 Rantion Road, Clark, at 7:30 p.m. the first Friday of each month to read a Shakespeare play out loud. The group is led by Kevin Muller.

For information, call 732-574-1818.

WOMEN'S READING GROUP will meet at Barnes and Noble in Clark the last Wednesday of each month. Barnes and Noble in Clark is located at 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

CLASSES

THE ARTS GUILD OF RAHWAY will offer an eight-week series of art classes beginning Sept. 25.

- **Life Drawing**: Tuesdays, 7 to 9:30 p.m., Sept. 25 to Nov. 3, \$8 per session or \$58 in advance for all eight weeks
- **Pottery**: Wednesdays, days 1 to 3 p.m. or evenings 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sept. 26 to Nov. 14, \$10 for non-members or \$15 for non-members
- **Pottery for Kids**: Wednesdays, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sept. 26 to Nov. 14, \$7 for members or \$8 for non-members
- **Painting With Oils**: Thursdays, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Oct. 4 to Nov. 29, no class Nov. 22, \$105 for members or \$115 for non-members
- **Beginning Stained Glass Workshop**: Thursdays, 6:30 to 8 p.m., Oct. 4 to Nov. 29, \$75 for members or \$85 for non-members
- **Intermediate Stained Glass**: Thursdays, Oct. 4 to Nov. 29, 8:30 to 10 a.m., \$85 for members or \$95 for non-members

The Arts Guild of Rahway is located at 1670 Irving St., Rahway. For more information, call 732-381-7511. Payment in full is due before classes begin.

MUSIC FOR CHILDREN in Westfield offers various music classes to children between the ages of 10 months and 8 years old. For information on class offerings or to reserve a space at either open house, call 908-232-4881.

NEW JERSEY CENTER FOR VISUAL ARTS in Summit offers classes and workshops for adults, teens and children Monday through Nov. 30. Classes and workshops include: "Color or Harmony in Watercolor," "Watercolor — Cityscape," "Capturing Light In Watercolor," "The Art of the Pop-Up," "Critiques," "People: Photographing People," "Landscapes in Watercolor," "Pottery: Potentials," "Beginning/Intermediate Basketry," and "Partners in Art."

NJCVA is located at 68 Elm St., Summit. For information, call 908-273-9121.

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NEW JERSEY WORKSHOP FOR THE ARTS is currently accepting registration for its Music Studio. Lessons include instrument, voice and music theory, with beginner through advanced classes. Additional courses include art classes for children and toddlers, the Westfield Fencing Club and the Drawing Workshop. Classes take place at 150-152 E. Broad St., Westfield.

For information, call 908-789-9696.

WESTFIELD YOUNG ARTISTS' COOPERATIVE will offer professional classes in the performing arts. Beginners, Intermediate and

Advanced Acting classes will concentrate on improvisation, character development and scene study. Also offered are four levels of tap and three levels of musical theater, which focuses on song selection and interpretation, ensemble work, voice, and musical theater movement and dance. Private lessons in voice and/or acting are available in Westfield High School is located at 728 Westfield Ave. For information, call 908-233-3200.

COLLECTIBLES

GREATER NEW JERSEY STAMP EXPO will take place Sept. 22 and 23 at the Holiday Inn, 304 Route 22 West, Springfield. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sept. 22 and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sept. 23. Admission and parking are free. For information, call 732-750-8937, send e-mail to mrtstamp@aol.com, or visit www.beachphotofiles.com.

COMEDY

ON-THE-SPOT Comedy Troupe will appear in the Cafe at Barnes and Noble in Springfield, 240 Route 22 West, Sept. 21 from 8 to 9 p.m. Admission is free. For information, call 973-376-8544.

CONCERTS

RAHWAY VALLEY JERSEYAIRES CHORUS will present a concert of barbershop music today at 7 p.m. at the Roselle Library, Chestnut Street and Fourth Avenue.

BARBARA COOK will appear in concert at the Paper Mill Playhouse, Brookside Drive in Millburn, Sept. 25 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$35 and \$50. For information, call 973-376-4343.

DONNA MCKECHNIE, star of the original Broadway production of "A Chorus Line," will appear in concert, "Inside the Music," at the Paper Mill Playhouse, Brookside Drive in Millburn, Oct. 2 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15, \$25 and \$35. For information, call 973-376-4343.

SCHUBERT'S TROUT QUINLET will be featured in a concert by the Music Department of Keen University and its Affiliate Artist Program Oct. 2 at 8 p.m. in Wilkes Theater on the Union campus, 1008 Morris Ave., Union.

THE BEAUX ARTS TRIO will be presented in concert Oct. 5 at 8 p.m. in Wilkes Theater at Keen University, 1000 Morris Ave., Union. Tickets are \$20 for orchestra seats, \$15 for mezzanine, and \$7 for students. For information, call 908-527-2337.

WESTFIELD SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA will appear in concert at the Union County Arts Center, 1601 Irving St. in Rahway, Oct. 6 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15 to \$45. For information, call WSO at 908-292-9400 or UCAC at 732-499-0441.

AMERICA will appear in concert at the Paper Mill Playhouse, Brookside Drive in Millburn, Oct. 9 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$35 and \$50. For information, call 973-376-4343.

BARNES AND NOBLE, 240 Route 22 West, Springfield, will present musical performances throughout the summer. All concerts are from 8 to 10 p.m. in the cafe setting.

Friday: West of Eden
Sept. 12: Nick Bakula
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BARNES AND NOBLE, 1180 Rantion Road, Clark, will present musical performances throughout the summer. All concerts begin at 7:30 p.m. in the cafe setting.

For information, including a concert schedule, call 732-574-1818.

CRAFTS

AMISH QUILT AND CRAFT SALE will take place Sept. 22 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Westfield Armory, 500 Rahway Ave., Westfield. Admission is free.

THE HARVEST QUILTERS of Central New Jersey meet the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at Cozy Corner Creations Quilt Shop, Park Avenue in Scotch Plains.

For information, call 908-755-7653.

DISCUSSION

WRITERS' EYE: Open Mic and Literary Study Group will meet Sept. 21 at 7 p.m. at Barnes and Noble in Clark, 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

JOURNAL WRITING GROUP, led by professional life coach Jani Novak, meets the fourth Thursday of each month at Barnes and Noble in Clark. Barnes and Noble is located at 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

WRITERS' WORKSHOP will meet Monday at Barnes and Noble in Springfield, 240 Route 22 West. The group meets every other Monday. For information, call 973-376-8544.

FESTIVALS

WESTFIELD'S 12th ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF Arts and Crafts will take place Sept. 23 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. along Elm, Quimby, Prospect and East Broad streets. The rain date is Sept. 30. For information, call 908-995-2246 or 908-233-3021.

JAZZ

4TH ANNUAL JAZZ BY THE LAKE will be sponsored by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders Saturday and Sunday at Nomahegan Park on Springfield Avenue in Cranford. Admission is free. For information, call 908-436-2900 or 908-581-4062.

KIDS

CHILDREN'S WRITING GROUP, for children in grade three and up, will be sponsored Monday at 7 p.m. by Barnes and Noble in Clark, 1180 Rantion Road. For information, call 732-574-1818.

BARNES AND NOBLE, 240 Route 22 West, Springfield, will sponsor Tales for Tots Preschool Storytime, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11 a.m., and Kids Writing Workshops, Saturdays at 10 a.m. Also scheduled is:

Saturday, 10 a.m.: Craft Hour
Saturday, 11 a.m.: A Visit With Maisy
Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.: Singing and dancing with Candy Nelson
For information, call 973-376-8544.

UNION RECREATION DEPARTMENT will sponsor weekly ceramics classes for children between the ages of 7 and 12 at the Recreation Building, 1120 Commerce Ave., from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

For information, call 908-964-4828.

MUSEUMS

LIBERTY HALL MUSEUM in Union offers several events throughout the summer.

Wednesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.: "Tea Served" on the glass porch, \$20 per person.
Thursdays, 11 a.m., and 1 and 3 p.m.: "A Child's View of History" tours and activities for children 7 to 12 years old.

Sept. 22 and 23, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.: "Apple Harvest Weekend."
Liberty Hall is located at 1003 Morris Ave., Union. Tours are offered Wednesdays to Sundays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., with the last tour beginning at 3 p.m. Tour admission is \$5 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens, \$3 for children; children younger than 6 are admitted free.

For information, call 908-527-0400.

POETRY

POETRY OUT LOUD! will take place at Barnes and Noble, 240 Route 22 West, Springfield, Sept. 28 at 8 p.m. Barnes and Noble is located at 240 Route 22 West. For information, call 973-376-8544.

OPEN MIKE POETRY NIGHT takes place the second Sunday of every month at Barnes and Noble, 1180 Rantion Road, Clark, at 7 p.m.

For information, call 732-574-1818.

RADIO

TRI-COUNTY RADIO ASSOCIATION will meet the Union County Free Presbyterian Church on Old Rantion Road in Scotch Plains. The group meets at 8 p.m. the first and third Mondays of every month.

For information, call 908-241-5788.

SINGLES

INTERFAITH SINGLES, for single adults older than 45 years old, will meet every Sunday from 9 to 10:30 a.m. for discussion and social breakfast at the First Baptist Church, 170 Elm St., Westfield. Donation is \$2. For information, call 908-889-5265 or 908-889-4751.

THEATER

PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE in Millburn will present "A Chorus Line" through Oct. 14. Evening performances are Wednesdays through Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Sundays at 2:30 p.m.; matinees are Thursdays at 2:30 p.m., Saturdays at 2:30 p.m., plus Oct. 10 at 2 p.m. There is no performance Oct. 14. Tickets are \$20 to \$59.

Special performances are the Conversation Series, Thursdays, today through Oct. 2, at 7 p.m.; audio-described performances, Oct. 4 at 2 p.m., Oct. 5 at 2:30 p.m., Oct. 7 at 7:30 p.m., Oct. 8 with a sensory seminar 90 minutes prior to curtain; sign-interpreted performances, Oct. 7 at 7:30 p.m., and Oct. 12 at 8 p.m., each with a sensory seminar 90 minutes prior to curtain; Gay and Lesbian Night, Oct. 10 at 8 p.m. with post-show reception and Singles Night, Oct. 11 at 8 p.m. with post-show reception.

Paper Mill Playhouse is located on Brookside Drive in Millburn. For information, call 973-376-4343.

THE THEATER PROJECT at Union County College will present "How Learned to Drive" by Paula Vogel Sept. 20 to Oct. 7 in the Roy Smith Theater on UCC's Cranford campus, 1033 Springfield Ave., Cranford. Shows are at Thursdays to Saturdays, and 3 p.m. Sept. 30 and Oct. 7. Tickets are \$14 Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays; \$7 for students; student tickets are \$7 at all performances.

Special features are an Opening Night Reception following the performance Sept. 20, Talk Back Sessions with the director and cast following the performance Sept. 21 and 22, and a Panel Discussion following the performance Sept. 28.

For information, call 908-659-5189.

THE ELIZABETH PLAYHOUSE will present "The Late Christopher Bean" by Sidney Howard Friday through Oct. 14. Shows are at 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays. Tickets are \$58 for general admission, \$6 for students and senior citizens. The Elizabeth Playhouse is located at 1100 E. Jersey St., Elizabeth. For information, call 908-355-0077.

VARIETY

THE BACK PORCH in Rahway will present Open Mike Night every Tuesday 9 p.m. and karaoke every Thursday night.

The Back Porch is located at 1505 Main St. in Rahway. For information, call 732-381-6455.

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Sept. 29: Billy Hector
For information, call 908-232-5666.

BEAT THE BEAT Coffeehouse in Eastfield features appearances by musical artists from September.

East to the Beat Coffeehouse is located at 1465 Irving St. in Rahway at the corner of East Cherry Street. For information, or to sign up for Open Mike Night, call 732-381-0505.

FLYNN'S IRISH PUB and Steakhouse in Rahway will present entertainment at various times. Flynn's Irish Pub is located at 1482 Main St. in Rahway.

For information, call 732-381-4700.

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For information, call 908-810-1844.

TAVERN IN THE PARK in Roselle Park will present Teddy Hask in "An Evening of Frank Sinatra" Saturdays at 9 p.m. Tavern in the Park is located at 147 W. Westfield Ave., Roselle Park. For information, call 908-241-7400.



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REAL ESTATE

College offers real estate course

The Division of Continuing Education and Community Services at Union County College is once again offering courses for those in the real estate industry.

All courses will be held on the college's Cranford campus at 1033 Springfield Ave. For those interested in learning about the many aspects of the real estate industry, "Principles of Real Estate" is being offered.

Topics covered in this course include property interests, mortgages, deeds, title closing, liens, real estate law and ethics, agency relationships and real estate calculations. This course meets the Real Estate Commission requirements for the New Jersey Sales Licensing Examination.

The New Jersey State Board of Real Estate Appraisers has approved Union County College to offer the following courses to satisfy the requirements for licensed, residential and general appraisers: "Introduction to Real Estate Appraisal" covers Appraisal Profession, Real Estate and its Appraisal, The Real Estate Marketplace, The Appraisal Process, Building Construction, Data Collection, Site Valuation, and the Cost Approach, Part I. This course begins Sept. 25, and upon completion, students must pass a final examination. "Preparing a Uniform Residential Appraisal Report"

covers Subject, Neighborhood, and Site Data, Description of Improvements, Comments, the Cost Approach, Direct Sales Comparable Approach, The Income Approach, and Final Reconciliation. Students will fill out a sample form, and must complete a final examination. This course begins Oct. 25.

"Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice" covers The Background of the Uniform Standards, the Financial Institutions Reform and Enforcement Act, Preamble and Rules, Standard One, Two, Three, and Four to Ten, also the Statements on Standards. Students must also pass a final examination in this course and it begins Nov. 27.

In addition, the course "General I, Introduction to Income Property Valuation," is being offered beginning Oct. 15 and covers income property valuation, appraisal principles and process, market area, neighborhood analysis, site improvements, description analysis, income approach, compound interest and discount factors, cash flow forecasting, and investment return calculations.

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Coldwell Banker offers new services

Coldwell Banker New Jersey has unveiled numerous new services to meet clients' needs, as led by Coldwell Banker Short Hills Manager Jeff Fellers.

"Today's real estate consumer is very busy with work and family obligations, and expects their Realtor to provide one-stop shopping to simplify the process of buying or selling a home," Fellers said.

Coldwell Banker recently began offering mortgages. The sales clients the time they would normally spend looking for a mortgage company, according to Fellers.

"This new mortgage company offers a pre-purchase approval that is issued on the same day, an easy application process, and a guaranteed closing date for conventional purchase money mortgages."

Online users have even more options through the Coldwell Banker Web site www.coldwellbanker.com

"Through our Personal Retriever Services, sellers can log on and browse recent home sales in their neighborhood, and then choose and e-mail a Realtor in their area, to request a Current Market Analysis to help them make an informed decision," Fellers said. "Buyers have the opportunity to enter the attributed of the home they want, and are e-mailed information about current listings."

"Another service needed while conducting any real estate transaction is a dependable title agency. "We have added NRT Title Agency LLC, which is necessary, as a client's attorney must order a title search on any property that is about to be purchased. Having a dependable title agency will

ensure a smooth real estate transaction."

Coldwell Banker also offers "a concierge service that sends information to buyers about their new community, and also has a network of Realtor-approved vendors to help with any renovations or improvements needed on a new home."

"When considering buying or selling a home, make sure to work with a full-service real estate agency, Fellers said. "A full-service agency provides all of the services needed to effectively sell a home. Consumers should be wary of agencies that call themselves "full-service" but require the customer to market or show their home themselves. These are the responsibility of the Realtor."

For more information about Coldwell Banker's services, call 1-973-461-8221.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Balders appointed

Atam Mianian, president of Weichert Relocation Company, announced the appointment of Craig S. Balders to vice president of business strategy and development. Based in the recently opened Weichert Relocation office in Houston, Texas, Balders is responsible for analyzing, developing and implementing strategic growth opportunities for the company. He will serve as a member of Weichert Relocation's Executive Committee.

According to Mianian, "Weichert Relocation Company's primary goal is to expand our business opportunities and broaden the value proposition we offer our customers. In order to realize these goals, the Executive Committee made an important decision to establish the position of vice president of business strategy and development. Before joining Weichert Relocation Company, he was senior vice president of relationship management for Prudential Relocation and Real Estate. He holds an MBA from the University of Chicago and a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Connecticut.

Selders earned the industry designation of Certified Relocation Professional in 1999, and he received a Meritorious Service Award from the Employee Relocation Council the same year. He has served on ERC's Conference Planning Committee and the Editorial Advisory Committee, and he has been a speaker on a variety of topics at national and local ERC conferences.

Jeter joins RE/MAX

RE/MAX Properties Unlimited announced that Jackie Jeter recently affiliated with its network of real estate professionals.

Serving as a sales associate, Jeter will be specializing in the listing and sales of foreclosures and residential properties and will be servicing various locations throughout Union County.

I joined RE/MAX because

"I joined RE/MAX because it offered me a chance to gain better business opportunities while working with top professionals in the industry," said Jeter. "I enjoy the freedom flexibility that comes with being a RE/MAX agent. I find this organization offers an inspirational and pro-

Digiiovanni is aboard

Marianne DiGiiovanni has joined the Union office of Weichert Realtors as a sales associate.

A licensed real estate professional for 12 years, DiGiiovanni has worked as a sales associate for a local real estate firm. She was also a member of the 1993, 1994, 1995 and 1996 New Jersey Million Dollar Club.

DiGiiovanni earned a degree in

political science and psychology from Caldwell College in Caldwell, and enjoys swimming and reading. For real estate transactions, call DiGiiovanni at Weichert's Union office, 908-621-4503. Listed at 1907 Stuyvesant Ave.

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