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Easter Bunny Rules

Over 9,000 brightly colored Easter eggs dotted the Gary Depken Field for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt held on Saturday, April 15th at 10:00 a.m.

An estimated 300 Heights pre-schoolers through third graders participated and about 200 adults watched the event on a sunny spring morning.

The field was set up into three sections. The three part egg hunt began with four to five year old children in Pre-K lined up on the north side of the field by event organizers. Parents were chased away, leaving only the eager children with their empty Easter baskets.

Police Chief Michael Colaneri began a countdown, blew

his whistle and quickly stepped away as the children ran across the field to collect as many eggs as they could.

Each plastic egg contained a piece of candy or toy, but a few eggs held a small treasure -- a "furry chick."

This sequence continued for K through First Graders in the center section and Second

and Third Graders on the south section.

After the egg hunt, those children who had found the eggs with the "chick," could redeem it for a toy prize.

The Easter Bunny visited, handed out Easter candy and toys and was available for photos by delighted parents and grandparents.

No one could recall when this event began, but many adults remember collecting eggs when they were youngsters.

Free tickets were distributed through the elementary schools and were also available at the Boro Clerk's Office at 320

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27th Annual Town-wide Plant Sale Garage Sale

St. John the Divine will hold its 27th Annual Plant Sale/Flea Market on May 6th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at 229 Terrace Avenue.

Top quality nursery grown plants and a large selection of hanging pots will be available for sale.

Several flea market dealers will be offering various items. Refreshments will be available.

Advance plant orders will be taken. Call 201-288-0002 for more information. ###

Farmers' Market

The Farmers' Market is scheduled to begin on June 13th and continue every Tuesday until September 26th at the corner of The Boulevard and Washington Place. ###

A town-wide garage sale is scheduled for May 20, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. -- rain or shine.

There is a \$10 permit fee that will be donated to charity.

Registration dates are Saturday, April 22nd, April 29th and May 6th from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Municipal Complex (first floor).

Participation in this sale does not count towards the "two garage sales" per year ordinance.

Space will be made available for apartment dwellers and fund raising organizations. Participants must bring their own table.

A free map indicating all registered participants' addresses will be distributed to the shoppers.

The Farmers' Market will be on The Boulevard at Washington Place.

This event is sponsored by the Mayor's Celebration Committee. For more info call the Boro Clerk at 201-288-0195.

Care on the Corner Golf Outing May 31st

Care on the Corner will sponsor their Second Annual Golf Outing at Skyview Golf Club in Sparta on Wednesday, May 31, 2006.

Continental breakfast and registration are from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Shotgun golf start is at 9:00 a.m. and the luncheon is at 1:30 p.m.

Prizes are for the closest to the pin, longest drive contest, score prizes and hole-in-one cars. Sponsorships are available. Cost is \$125 per golfer. Luncheon is \$50 per person. To sign up, call Care on the Corner at 201-288-9460. ###

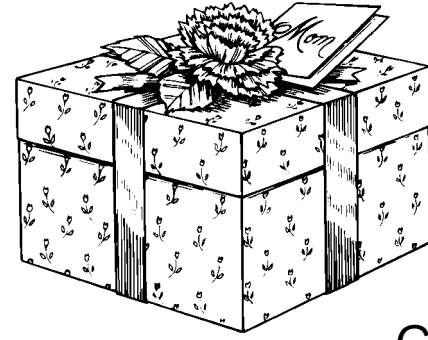
Chamber Banner Days

The Chamber of Commerce announced that they are planning a "Banner Days" sidewalk sale for the weekend of June 8, 9, and 10.

About 25 businesses participate in this annual event.

Any business or professional seeking information should contact George at 201-288-2130. ###

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High-yield MMAs are money market accounts on steroids.

They can be an even better bet because their rates are often double or triple the standard bank MMA rates.

But they can be difficult to find at the corner bank; you'll likely have to go to an online bank to open an account.

The institutions that offer them are competing for your deposits and, since they have lower overhead than traditional brick and mortar banks, they can offer much better rates.

Money market accounts come with check-writing and money transfer privileges that often have minimum requirements as to the dollar amount of checks and transfers.

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Dog License Renewal

Dog licenses must be renewed for 2006. Dog(s) must be immunized against rabies for the first 10 months of 2006.

Fees are \$7.00 if altered; \$10.00 unaltered, plus a \$10 late fee. Call Health Department at 201-288-1636 for more information. ###



(l-r) Harold Jacobus, Dr. Michael Shustyk with his daughter, Corinne, Frederick H. Allen, Thomas F. King and Peter H. Allen

Help the Lions -- Help the Blind

The Hasbrouck Heights Lions Club held their White Cane Day on April 15th at the entrance to the Hasbrouck Heights Shop-Rite. Neighbors were asked to give a donation and in return received a miniature "White Cane." One hundred percent of the money collected went to the Lions' visually impaired projects. The White Cane program publicizes the needs of the blind and visually impaired.

The familiar white cane with a red band at the bottom is a simple device invented in 1930 by George A. Bonham, a member of the Lions Club in Peoria, IL. Today, blind and visually impaired people throughout the world use Bonham's invention. ###

Reiner Competes for Mrs. NJ

Representing Southern Bergen County, Hasbrouck Heights resident, Maria Teresa Reiner, will compete in the Mrs. New Jersey United States Pageant on May 6, 2006 at the Strand Theater in Lakewood.

The winner will compete in the national pageant in Las Vegas in July.

The pageant represents married women who are involved in their community and are an example of today's contemporary woman.

Maria is a graduate of Seton Hall University majoring in psychology.

Her career includes Catholic Community Services where she counseled abused and neglected children and their families, and worked at St. Mary's Hospital in the Crisis Intervention Team.

Her passion is children. Her platform is "D.A.R.E to be Fit."

Mrs. Reiner has lived in Hasbrouck Heights for 10 years



with her husband Bobby. Her two children attend Lincoln and Middle School.

For the past five years she has been involved with the D.A.R.E program and the Lincoln School Read-A-Thon.

She belongs to the Lincoln School PTA and Corpus Christi Church. ###

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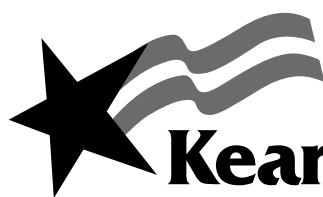
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Memorial Weekend Bicycle Marathon

The 12th Annual 24-hour Memorial Weekend Bicycle Marathon is scheduled to be held at Depken Field starting on Saturday, May 27 at 10:00 a.m. and concluding Sunday, May 28 at 10:00 a.m.

The event is open to all Heights Sixth through Ninth Graders. About 200 boys and girls participate in over 30 teams.

Teams consist of a minimum of four participants with an optional fifth person as a coach/mechanic.

Each team is responsible for keeping its bicycle moving

at all times. Each rider is required to wear a bicycle helmet while on the bicycle.

Participants are required to stay on the field at all times. Each team is responsible for tents, sleeping bags, clothing and food. Water and sports drinks will be provided.

A non-refundable registration fee of \$20 is required and each participant will receive a bicycle helmet and T-shirt.

The Marathon is sponsored by the Hasbrouck Heights Police Department. Call 201-288-6019 for more information. ###

Helmet Law Took Effect March 1st

With the rise and risk of juveniles sustaining head injuries due to bicycle accidents, the State of NJ has issued a statement stating that all juveniles 17 and under will be required to wear a helmet while riding a bicycle (or as a passenger on a bicycle). Previously the limit was 14 years of age.

This law also includes those minors who are roller skating, in-line skating or skateboarding.

All helmets must be properly fastened and fitted. Bicycle helmets must meet the federal standards developed by the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) effective March 10, 1999 that ensure the best head protection and strong chin straps to keep the helmet in place during a fall or collision.

Initial violators of the helmet law will receive warnings. For minors, the parent or legal guardian may be fined a maximum of \$25 for the offense and a maximum of \$100 for subsequent offense(s), if lack of parental supervision contributed to the offense.

This fine is not subject to motor vehicle points. ###

Ride Smart Buckle Up Get a Treat

The Hasbrouck Heights Police Department will reward juveniles found to be practicing bicycle safety.

On a daily basis, Patrol Officers who encounter juveniles properly adhering to bicycle safety, will be rewarded a gift certificate to Lovey's Pizzeria or Clyde's Ice Cream Shop.

In addition, a letter of acknowledgement for practicing bicycle safety will be sent to the parents.

HHPD Offers Tips for Bicycle Safety

The Hasbrouck Heights Police Department offers these tips for safe bicycling;

- Always wear an approved bicycle helmet
- Obey all traffic laws
- Ride on the right
- Ride single file
- Ride with traffic
- Make sure your bicycle is in good working order. Be sure to check tires, brakes, chains, lights and reflectors
- Ride within your ability
- Avoid busy streets
- Do not attempt stunts or tricks
- Do not hitch rides by holding on to moving vehicles
- Do not weave in and out of traffic or between cars
- Do not ride against the flow of traffic
- Do not ride at night without the proper light equipment ###

Buckle Up

The Hasbrouck Heights Police Department reminds residents of New Jersey's Safety Belt Law.

Safety belts improve your chances of surviving a crash by 60%. Most crashes occur within 25 miles of home and at speeds of under 40 miles per hour.

NJ Law requires that all front seat occupants of a passenger vehicle must wear a safety belt system.

The driver is responsible for any passenger under the age of 18. Front seat passengers 18 and over are responsible for themselves.

The penalty for an unbelted front seat occupant is \$20.

The exemptions to this law include: those riding in a passenger auto manufactured before July 1, 1966 and those with physical or medical reasons verified in writing by a licensed physician. ###

Child Safety Seats

The HHPD reminds residents of New Jersey's Child Restraint Law. Children under 18 months of age must be in an approved car seat when riding anywhere in a car.

Children between 18 months and five years old must be in a car seat if they are riding in the front seat and must be secured by a safety belt if riding in the rear seat.

If the number of children under five years old exceeds the number of safety belts, children who are not restrained must ride in the rear seat.

For more information about child safety seats or to have your child safety seat installation inspected go to: www.hhpd.com ###

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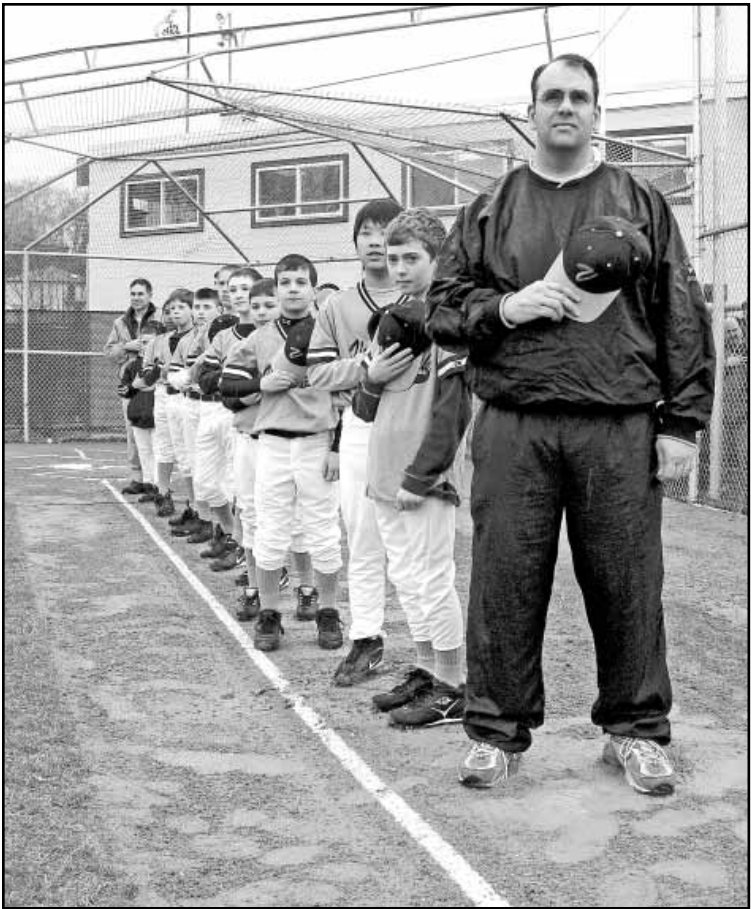
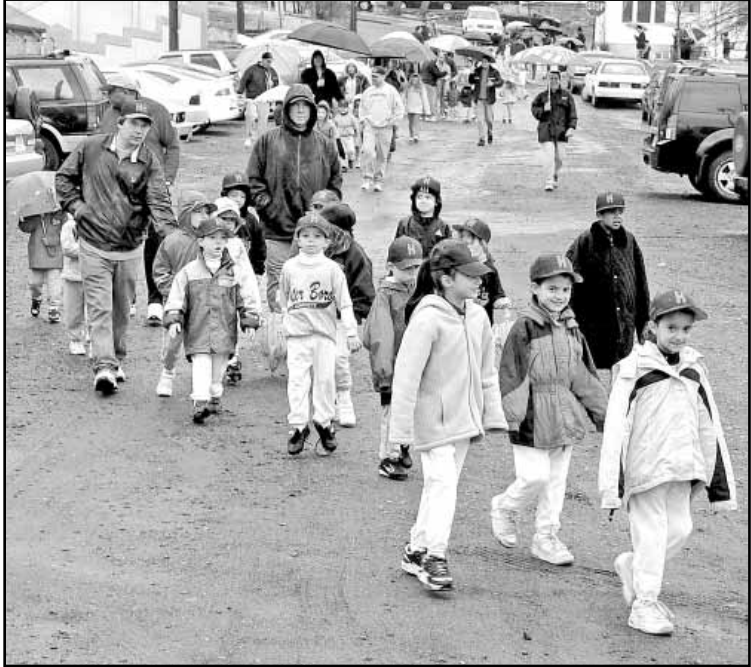

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Little League Opening Day

Field Dedicated to Larry R. Inserra

Despite the rain, spirits were high as the The Hasbrouck Heights Little League held their 53rd Opening Day ceremony Saturday, April 8, 2006.

The event began as the little leaguers and their families marched from the club house along the swim club parking lot, across Old Field Avenue, down onto the major league field and assembled along the perimeter of the infield.

Hasbrouck Heights Little League President Mark Dulhagen officiated.

The program began with little leaguers stating the Little League code and reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Everyone removed their cap and faced the American Flag in the left field during the National Anthem.

Mr. Dulhagen made several

announcements followed by comments by Mayor Ronald R. Jones.

The dedication of the major league field in honor of Larry R. Inserra began with two players presenting flower bouquets on behalf of the league.

Board Member Teddy Abramo presented Larry Inserra Jr. with a commemorative dedication plaque. A second plaque which would be posted on the club house was also unveiled.

A sign underneath the score board stating "Inserra Field" was uncovered.

To kick off the 2006 season, Larry Inserra Jr. threw out the 2006 season opener pitch.

The major league field was dedicated to Larry R. Inserra for his contribution to the Hasbrouck Heights Little

League and the community of Hasbrouck Heights.

Larry Inserra died last spring. He was 76.

Mr. Inserra expanded his family's produce business into one of northern New Jersey's

largest supermarket chains.

Inserra was the owner and chairman of Inserra Supermarket Corporation in Mahwah, which operates 22 ShopRite supermarkets in the area.

Through his company, he

gave to many organizations in the Hasbrouck Heights area.

"He was just a wonderful man," Larry Inserra Jr. said. "It made him happy to make other people happy." Larry Inserra Jr. now heads the company. ###



Hasbrouck Heights Little League Board Members Mark Dulhagen, Teddy Abramo and Steven Pikowski with the Inserra Family.



The Inserra Family with the plaque that will be posted on the exterior of the club house.



Uncovering the Inserra Field sign



Larry Inserra Jr. throws out the first pitch.

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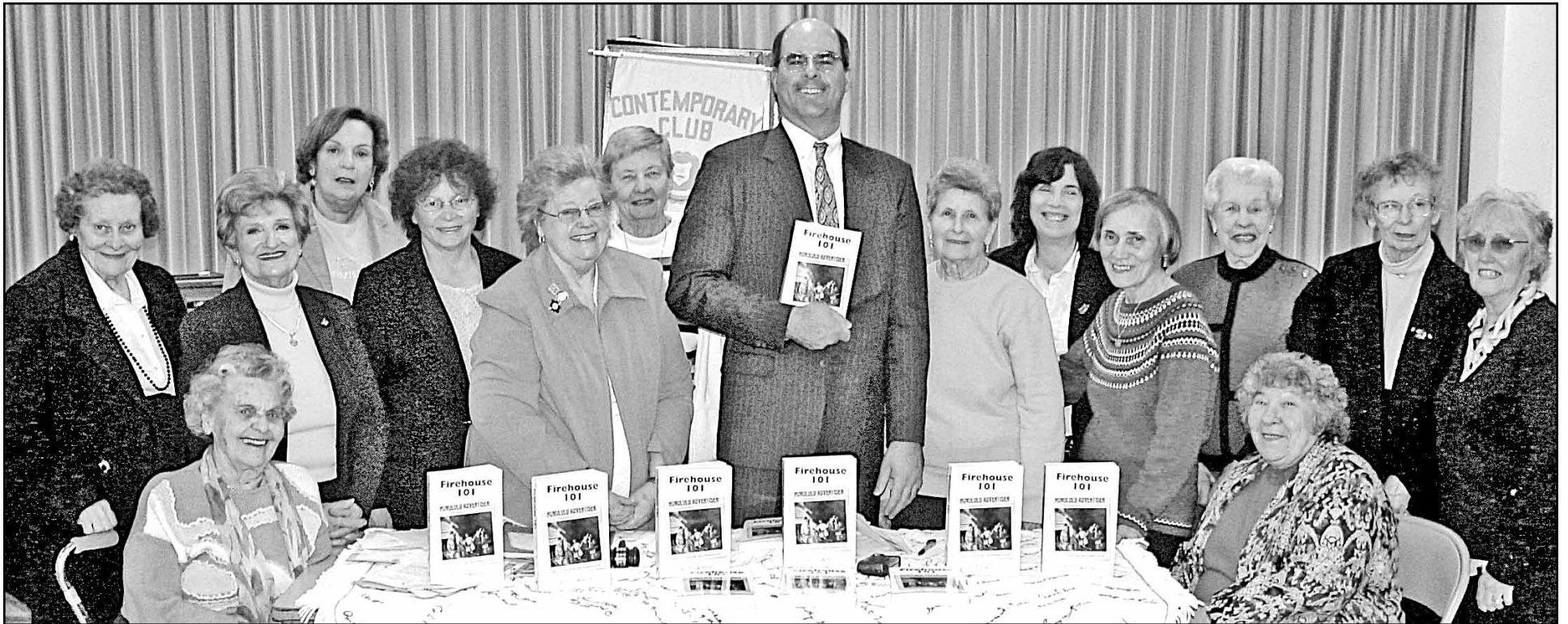


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Hasbrouck Heights author Justin Watrel spoke at the Contemporary Club about his book, "Firehouse 101" on March 28th. (l-r) Sally Bonanno, Gloria Iorio (seated) Rose Marie Heck, Ellie Thompson, Vicki Costa, Helen O'Shea, Marge Heeren, Justin Watrel, Helen Kidney, Dorothy Bernice, Mary Nardi, Florence Parker, Lucy Conway (seated), Pat Turi and Audrey Ascione

Contemporary Club Installation Set for May 23rd

The Contemporary Club of Hasbrouck Heights is holding their installation dinner on May 23rd at Verbena's in the Holiday Inn.

The immediate Past President of the New Jersey Federation of Woman's Clubs, Deen Meloro, will be the installing officer.

The incoming board is excited to have someone so dedicated to the ideals of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs to help them begin the new Club year.

The Club was inspired to volunteer at the Hasbrouck Heights Food Pantry due to the special state project that Deen oversaw during her presidency, which was, "Feeding the Hungry."

At the meeting on April 25th, the Club learned about the Home Health Services which are available through Hackensack Medical Center.

This is an important part of knowing what care is available for family when they are ill.

Many of the members commented that they had been surprised at how quickly patients are released from the hospital after serious illness or surgery. The Home Health Services are an extension of needed care.

Sarah A. Liptak, Administrative Director of Home Health

Services, explained what was available and how to apply for these services. She answered questions that Club members had regarding the application process and whether health insurance paid for this type of service.

Later in the meeting members discussed that they had the opportunity to read "Firehouse 101" by Hasbrouck Heights resident, Justin Watrel, that they had purchased at the March meeting.

They noted that Justin had really captured the emotional aftermath that many people had experienced after the 9-11 tragedy.

The book, even though it is fiction, is very important in that it helps people to understand that those who lived through it are still experiencing emotional turmoil from this event.

The new board will be meeting on June 1st to plan the calendar for the upcoming year. ###

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May 2006 Senior Calendar

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

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10:00 a.m. Games, cards & coffee

Tuesday, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

10:00 a.m. Line Dancing \$1.00

2:00 p.m. Adv. Senior Yoga \$1.00

Wednesday, May 3, 17, 24, 31

2:00 p.m. Senior Paced Aerobics \$1.00

Thursday, May 4, 11, 18, 25

2:00 p.m. Senior Yoga \$1.00

Thursday, May 25

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Health Consultation Program

Friday, May 5, 12, 19, 26

10:00 a.m. Fun Bingo

1:00 p.m. Movie Day

A Shot in the Dark (*Peter Sellers*) ... May 5

The Thrill of It All (*Doris Day*) May 12

Batman Begins (*Christian Bale*).... May 19

Frank Sinatra Day May 26

Guest Mike Conti --

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CLUB MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, May 3

10:00 a.m. Leisure Club Executive Meeting

Wednesday, May 10

1:00 p.m. Leisure Club General Meeting

Program: Joel Roi, *Pianist and Vocalist*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, May 13 Senior Soiree @ Senior Center

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Anita at 201-288-1567

The Leisure Club welcomes all Senior Citizens who live in Hasbrouck Heights and are 60 years or older. Annual membership is \$12 per year.

Leisure Club Update

By Peter Gallo Jr.

May is Older Americans Month, Mother's Day, Memorial Day and the Annual Senior Soiree sponsored by the High School Key Club.

Older Americans Month was established in 1963. President John F. Kennedy's meeting with the National Council of Senior Citizens served as a prelude to designating May as "Senior Citizens Month." In 1980, President Jimmy Carter had the name changed from "Senior Citizens Month" to "Older Americans Month."

Every President since JFK has issued a formal proclamation asking that the entire nation pay tribute in some way to older persons in their communities. In this way, these citizens will be acknowledged for their contributions to our nation. This year's theme for Older Americans Month is, "Choices for Independence."

Mayor Ronald R. Jones and the members of the council have issued a proclamation which acknowledges May 2006 as Older Americans Month, a time when we commend and recognize the older citizens of Hasbrouck Heights both present and past for their countless contributions to our Borough, State and Nation.

In the United States, Mother's Day was first suggested in 1872 by Julia Howe as a day dedicated to peace. Mrs. Howe (*who wrote the words to the Battle Hymn of the Republic*) would hold organized Mother's Day meetings in Boston every year.

In 1907, Anna Jarvis, a resident of Philadelphia, began a campaign to establish a national Mother's Day. Ms. Jarvis and her supporters began to write

to ministers, businessmen and politicians to establish a national Mother's Day. By 1911 Mother's Day was celebrated in almost every state. In 1914, President Woodrow Wilson made a formal announcement proclaiming Mother's Day as a national holiday that was to be held each year on the 2nd Sunday in May.

Memorial Day is a time to remember the men and women who lost their lives serving their country. Originally known as Decoration Day, it was established in 1868 to commemorate the dead from the Civil War. It is celebrated on the last Monday in May. Flowers and flags are placed on graves of soldiers.

We all remember hearing the playing of "Taps" at the Annual Memorial Day services. This bugle call was written during the Civil War in 1862. The tune came to Brigade Commander Colonel Daniel Butterfield while reflecting sadly on the large number of Union casualties and losses. He hummed it to his aide who wrote it down. It was performed that evening by his bugler in honor of fallen comrades. In 1874 it became officially recognized by the U.S. Army as an alternative to "Lights Out."

This year's Annual Senior Soiree will be held on Saturday, May 13th at the Senior Center. The Key Club will provide the refreshments and the entertainment. All seniors are welcomed but they must sign up at the Senior Center by May 4th so that an accurate number of supplies can be purchased. Doors will open at 11:30 a.m. No one will be admitted prior to that time. The Soiree will be from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. ###

Free Health Consultation May 25th

The Hasbrouck Heights Health Department advises residents over 18 years old that free health consultations are scheduled to be held at the Municipal Complex Senior Center on May 25, 2006 from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

Services include: health history evaluation, blood pressure measurements, height and weight measurements, individualized counseling and education, including referral and follow-up confidential consultation with a Public Health Nurse. For information call Marilyn deRussy at 201-288-1636. ###

Leisure Club Vermont Trip

The Hasbrouck Heights Leisure Club is sponsoring a trip, "Beauty of Vermont" from Tuesday, September 19th to Friday, September 22, 2006.

The trip is to one of Vermont's finest resorts and includes three nights' lodging in the Killington Area and two evenings of live entertainment in downtown Rutland.

This excursion includes three full course breakfasts, two full course dinners and a luncheon at Von Trapp Lodge.

The tours will include Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream Factory, Vermont Teddy Bear Company, Vermont Marble Exhibit, Apple Orchard and Cider Mill, Morse Maple Sugar Farm and Yankee Candle.

The tour will present Vermont's colorful fall foliage, a chance to visit many of New England's covered bridges and experience the wonders of Vermont.

The cost is \$430 per person double occupancy and includes all taxes and gratuities. For more info call Alice Shenloogian at 201-288-4732. ##

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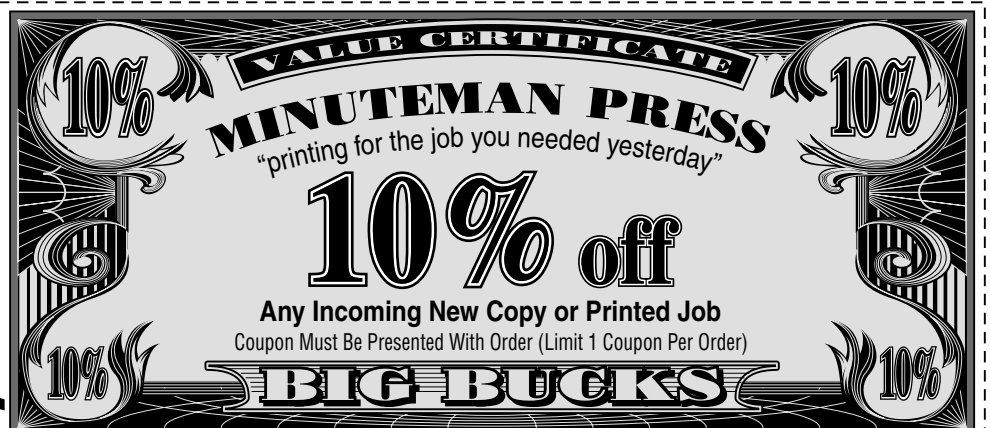
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AHOF 2006 Annual Induction Dinner



NJ's Greg Olsen Will Be Speaker

The keynote speaker at the New Jersey Aviation Hall of Fame 33rd Annual Induction Dinner on May 24th will be Greg Olsen.

Mr. Olsen was the New Jersey scientist who paid \$20 million to ride into space and was the third private citizen to orbit the earth on the International Space Station (ISS).

After training for five months (900 hours) at the Yuri Gagarin Cosmonaut Training Center in Moscow, he launched on a Russian Soyuz rocket TMA-7 on October 1, 2005, docked to the ISS on October 3rd and returned to Earth on October 11th on the Soyuz TMA-6.

Mr. Olsen flew up with Cosmonaut Valeri Tokarev and Astronaut Bill McArthur.

Greg performed over 160 orbits and logged almost 4 million miles of weightless travel during his 10 days in space.

Greg received a BS in Physics (1966), a BSEE and MS in Physics (1968) from Fairleigh Dickinson University, then was awarded a Ph.D in Materials Science from the University of Virginia (1971).

He performed post-doctoral studies at the University of Port Elizabeth (South Africa), taught elementary physics classes and worked as a research scientist at RCA Labs (Sarnoff Center) from 1972 to 1983.

He developed vapor phase epitaxial crystal growth of optoelectronic devices, including laser diodes and photodetectors for fiber optic applications based on the material indium gallium arsenide (InGaAs).

Mr. Olsen was awarded 12 patents, wrote over 100 technical papers, co-authored several book chapters and gives numerous invited lectures to both technical and trade journal audiences.

Greg is an IEEE LEOS

Fellow and first recipient of the IEEE Aron Kressel Award.

Mr. Olsen founded EPI-TAXX, a fiber-optic detector manufacturer in 1984 with Vladimir Ban and sold it in 1990 for \$12 million.

He then founded Sensors Unlimited, a near-infrared camera manufacturer in 1992 with Marshall Cohen. Sensors was sold to Finisar Corp. for \$60 million in 2000, repurchased by the management team in 2002 for \$6 million, then sold again to Goodrich Corp. in 2005 for \$60 million.

After an illustrious career as a research scientist and entrepreneur, Mr. Olsen is now president of GHO Ventures in Princeton, NJ where he manages his "angel" investments.

He performs numerous speaking engagements to encourage children -- especially minorities and females -- to consider careers in science and engineering.

He is active in the New Jersey Technology Counsel and the NJ Commission on Science and Technology.

Greg is active in many civic organizations including Trenton Big Brothers and Sisters, Trenton Boys and Girls Club, Trenton Soup Kitchen, Princeton Historical Society and Custer Battlefield Preservation Committee.

In his spare time he enjoys golf, country and western music and dancing, opera and horseback riding.

For more information or for reservations to the NJ Aviation Hall of Fame 33rd Annual Induction Dinner, please call 201-288-6344. Tickets are \$100. ###

Dinner Honors Aviation Contributors

The New Jersey Aviation Hall of Fame (AHOF) will hold their 33rd Annual Induction Dinner on May 24, 2006 at the Fiesta Ballroom in Wood-Ridge. The public is invited to attend. Cost is \$100.

The AHOF 2006 Inductees into the Aviation Hall of Fame include:

- Donald A. Luscombe: an innovative entrepreneur and aircraft developer

- James O. Plinton Jr.: Tuskegee Airman and Pioneer African-American Airline Executive

- George A. Vaughn Jr.: Second-ranking Flying Ace, Educator, Businessman and Military Leader

- Lowell E. White: Test Pilot, Chief Pilot, Operations Manager for Curtiss-Wright and Bendix Corp.

The new inductees will receive their bronze plaques at the Dinner. The plaques will be on permanent display at the Museum.

The keynote speaker will be Greg Olsen.

During the dinner, the Fred Wehran Award will be presented to Greg Olsen and:

- Thomas Thatcher: Flight Instructor, New Jersey Director of Aeronautics.

- James Gilmore: Angel Flight Pilot/Organizer of Children of Chernobyl Charitable Airlift.

- Paramus Flying Club for 50 years of fostering safe, affordable flying and camaraderie.

Receiving the Aviation Hall of Fame Distinguished Service Award will be Linda Young, volunteer accountant for diligent service to the AHOF.

The New Jersey Aviation Hall of Fame was founded in 1972 and was the first state aviation hall of fame in the nation.

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For more information or for reservations to the Annual Induction Dinner, please call 201-288-6344. ###

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Corpus Christi School Children's Choir during their concert on April 5, 2006

Corpus Christi School Springtime and Holy Communion Activities

By Sonya Buckman

New First Communion clothes and the first breath of summer through open classroom windows hint at the excitement that takes place during the month of May at Corpus Christi School.

Throughout the month of May, Sunday Masses will be blessed with the presence of Second Graders celebrating their First Communion.

Seeing these beautiful children in their dresses and suits, their hands clasped in prayer as they approach the altar, always brings tears to everyone's eyes.

Mrs. Gail Kelly's annual Greek and Roman Day for the Sixth Grade takes place on May 3rd. Students take what they have been studying to heart and dress up as Greek and Roman gods and sample foods of that

time and area.

On May 12th the Sixth Grade Patrol will also have the opportunity to visit Great Adventure as a reward for their responsible behavior during the school year.

On May 8th, the Third Grade will visit Waterloo Village and on May 10th and 11th the Scholastic Book Fair will visit the school.

On May 17th the 5th Grade will visit the NJ Aviation Hall of Fame Museum. On that same day Corpus Christi School parents are invited to a special internet safety program at Hasbrouck Heights High School. Details about this meeting will be forthcoming.

The last Pizza Night of the school year for the Seventh and Eighth Grade will be held on May 19th. The Sixth Grade will also be invited.

One of the most touching

ceremonies of the year will take place on May 22nd when the First Communion children and the graduating Eighth Grade participate in the May Crowning.

This ceremony which honors Mary, Mother of God, starts with a procession of the Second Grade children in their special communion clothes and the Eighth Grade class to the front of the chapel where an Eighth Grade girl places a crown of flowers on the statue of Mary.

May 25th is the Ascension Thursday Mass. An extended Memorial Weekend is planned for May 28th through the 30th.

For more information about any of these events please call Corpus Christi School at 201-288-0614. *Photo provided by Corpus Christi School* ###

Corpus Christi Hosts Smoke-Free Bingo

Corpus Christi sponsors smoke-free bingo on Tuesday and Saturday evenings starting at 7:30 p.m. Doors open around 6:00 p.m.

Each Bingo Night awards prizes of \$1,000, guaranteed. There are also two 50/50 games and a progressive jackpot game. Bingo is held in the school cafeteria. Call 201-288-4844 for more info. ###

Rec Trek 2006

Registration May 4th & 18th

The HH Recreation Department announced details of the 2006 Summer Playground Program.

This year's six week camp will be held in Woodland Park June 26th through August 4th, Monday through Friday (*weather permitting*), except Tuesday, July 4th.

This is a full time summer day camp which means children stay through lunch with their counselors. Parents do not have to pick up their children until 3:30 p.m.

Children are expected to bring their own lunch and drink, but are allowed to go home for lunch with their parent's permission.

Each day the child comes to the park they must sign in with the counselor at the main table and may not leave until their parents sign them out.

Each day there will be playground activities such as kick ball, coloring, table games, wiffle ball, stick ball, jump ropes, arts & crafts, children's and teen activities, contests, etc., as well as story telling, craft sessions and special theme days.

Numerous field trips are scheduled to include: Bowcraft Amusement Park, Wild West City, Icehouse, Six Flags Great Adventure and Medieval Times.

Trips are geared for all ages and will be supervised by camp counselors.

Special theme days include Anti-Drug Day, I Love America Day, Halloween in July Day, Carnival Day, Camp Talent Show and Olympic Day.

The Recreation Department stated there will be enough supervision to handle the children and that children's safety is a main priority.

Registration will be done ahead of time in the Recreation Department Office May 4th and May 18th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. -- there will be no sign up in the park.

Trip registration is June 1st from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Recreation Department.

Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. You must register for the complete program to participate in any of the activities.

Camp Rec Trek is open to all Hasbrouck Heights boys and girls ages 6 through 14 who are permanent residents of Hasbrouck Heights.

Proof of residency and birth certificates must be shown upon demand.

The cost is \$60 per child plus optional trips. The non-refundable fee includes all playground activities, most theme days and a "Rec Trek" camp shirt.

Call Rob Brady at the Recreation Department at 201-288-4143 for more information. ###

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The next meeting is May 2nd from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Free Public Library. Call 201-288-0488 for more information. ###

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Easter Egg Hunt Held on April 15th at Depken Field

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This event was sponsored by the Mayor's Celebration Committee.

About 20 members of the Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department were on standby with their equipment at Depken Field during the event.

For more photos of this event in color go to: www.hasbrouck-heights.net

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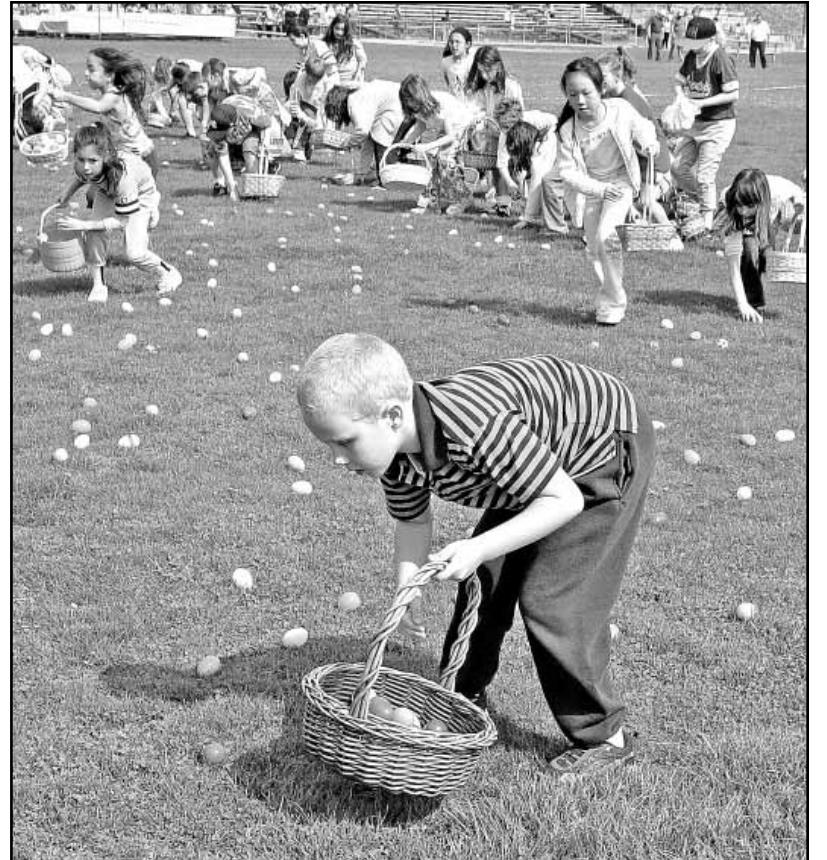
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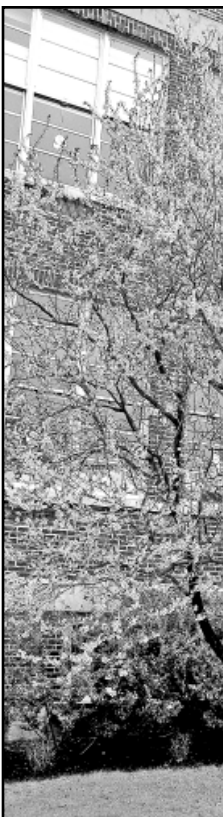
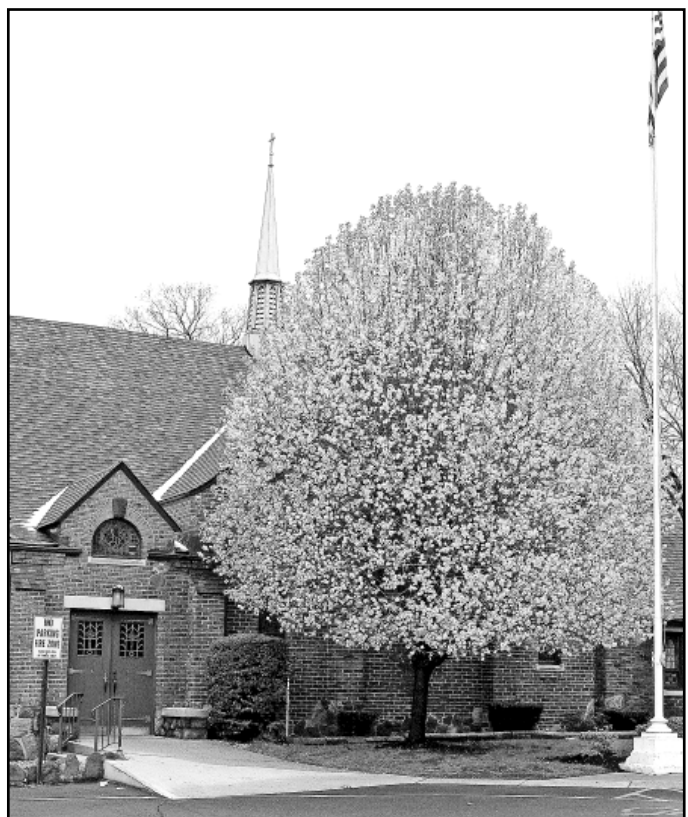
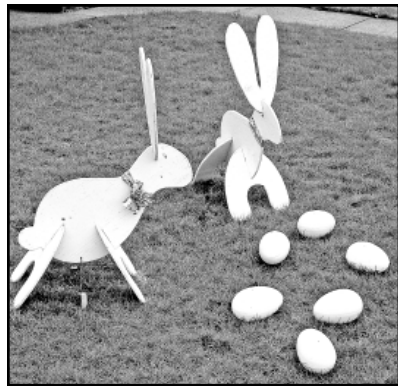
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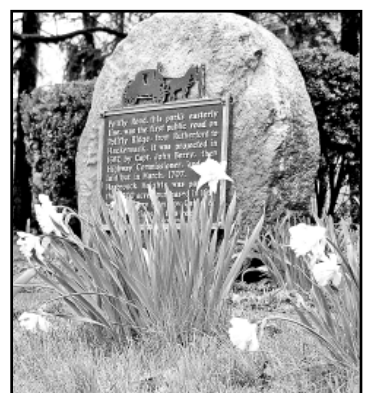
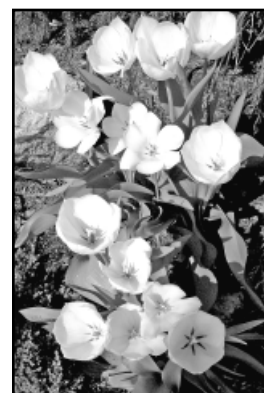
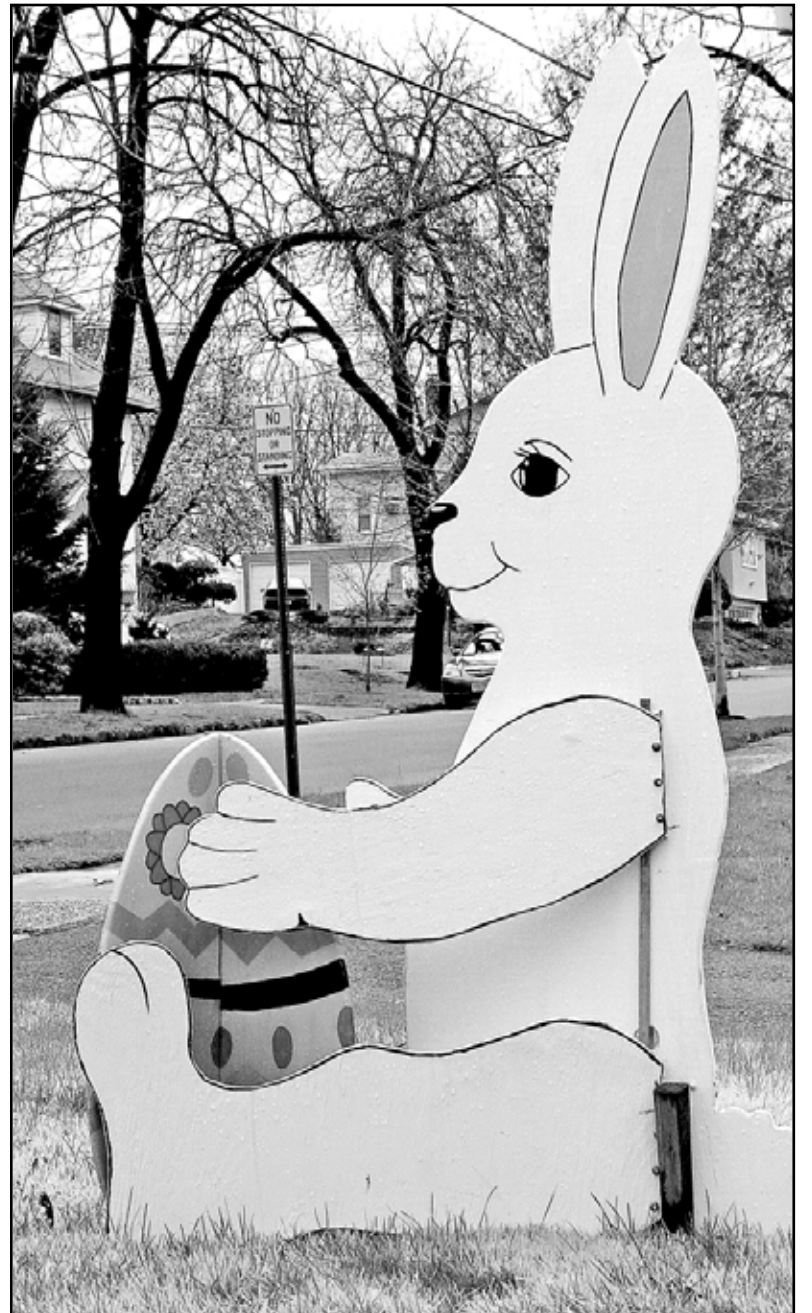
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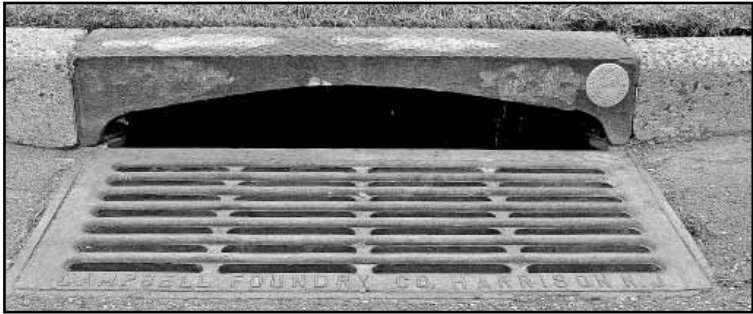


Hopping Around Hasbrou



uck Heights in Springtime





Last year the Hasbrouck Heights DPW marked certain storm drain inlets with messages reminding people that storm drains were connected to local waterbodies.

Stormwater Pollution

Stormwater pollution is one of New Jersey's greatest threats to clean and plentiful water.

Pollution on streets, parking lots and lawns is washed by rain into storm drains, then directly to our drinking water supplies and the ocean and lakes our children play in.

By sharing the responsibility and making small, easy changes in our daily lives, we can keep common pollutants out of stormwater.

Here are some easy things you can do every day to protect our water:

- Limit your use of fertilizers and pesticides
- Do a soil test to see if you need a fertilizer
- Do not apply fertilizers if heavy rain is predicted
- Look into alternatives for pesticides
- Maintain a small lawn and keep the rest of your property or yard in a natural state with trees and other native vegetation that requires little or no fertilizer
- If you use fertilizers and pesticides, follow the instructions on the label on how to correctly apply it
- Make sure you properly store or discard any unused portions
- Do not pour any hazardous products down a storm drain because storm drains are usually connected to local waterbodies and the water is not treated
- Never discard pet waste in a storm drain. Use newspaper, bags or pooper-scoopers to pick up wastes. Dispose of the wrapped pet waste in the trash or unwrapped in a toilet
- Keep leaves and grass out

of storm drains

- Use leaves and grass clippings as a resource for compost
- Use a mulching mower that recycles grass clippings into the lawn

A copy of the flyer detailing these tips was distributed in the April Issue of **The Gazette Newspaper** and is available at the official web site: www.hasbrouck-heights.nj.us/ ###

Be Bear Aware

NJ officials have asked all municipalities to inform their residents about feeding bears.

Although there are no bears in Hasbrouck Heights, residents visiting bear country should heed the following advice.

People who feed bears think they're helping them. But it only invites trouble. It can make them a nuisance or even aggressive.

When that happens, the bears must be destroyed to protect your family and neighbors. What's more, it's illegal to feed bears in New Jersey.

Anyone who feeds bears could face a penalty of up to \$1,000 for each offense.

Be Bear Aware

After hiking, fishing, camping or picnics, clean outdoor grills thoroughly after each use. Grease and food residue will attract bears. Do not place

Help with Medicare Prescription Drug Plan Enrollment at Library

The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights is pleased to provide individualized enrollment assistance for beneficiaries of Medicare now eligible for prescription drug coverage under the plan known as Medicare Part D.

The enrollment event will take place on Wednesday afternoon, May 10th from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 pm by appointment.

Bergen County Division of Senior Services will provide volunteers who are state trained and certified by the State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) for one-on-one enrollment assistance.

Beneficiaries must bring their Medicare card and prescription medications (or a list of them) with correct dosage information.

Everyone with Medicare, regardless of income, health status, or prescription drug usage, has access to prescription drug coverage beginning on January 1, 2006.

To get Medicare coverage for your prescription drugs, you must choose and join a Medicare drug plan.

However, May 15, 2006 is the last day to join a plan offering coverage for 2006. Therefore, it is important to enroll into a plan before this date.

The purpose of this event is to assist you with the actual enrollment process.

To schedule an appointment or for more information call the Library at 201-288-0488. ###

TEB 5K Run July 15th

The 9th Annual Bank of America Teterboro Airport 5K Run is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. on July 15 at Jet Aviation (*Moonachie Avenue*).

The USATF-New Jersey event features: \$10,000 Random Prize Giveaway, \$1,000 Super Random Grand Prize, \$2,000 Prize Money, ChampionChip Scoring, United Way Mini-Flyer Dashes, Food, DJ and Pace Plane.

Race director is Mark Zenobia. Results will be at: www.compucore.com.

The course is flat out, two water stops and mile clocks on the runway. Run is 500 points.

The number of finishers in previous races are: 1998 - 488, 1999 - 679, 2000 - 623, 2001 - 776, 2002 - 804, 2003 - 659, 2004 - 686, 2005 - 593.

Early registration is advised. No one will be allowed entry to the airport and race staging area after 8:10 a.m. Event registration will close at 8:15 a.m. Online registration form is available at: www.raceforum.com/07/teterboro.pdf

The run benefits the Bergen County United Way which provides resources to human care support services, reaching people from all walks of life and income groups.

Proceeds will benefit 2-1-1, Bergen County United Way's free, 24-hour information and referral service. Dial 2-1-1 to get connected with social services and community programs that can help you with your everyday health and human service needs.

For more information go to: www.bergenunitedway.org ###

Flea Market

FOCAS (*Friends of the Bergen County Animal Shelter*) will hold a Flea Market on Saturday, May 20 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday, May 21 from 10:00 a.m. to 3 p.m. at The American Legion, 100 Liberty Street, Little Ferry.

Household items, games, toys, pet supplies, linens, small appliances and Mrs. B's Specialty Table and baked goods are offered.

Flea Market donations welcome, with drop off at The Legion Friday, May 19 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. No books or clothing are accepted. Tax deductible financial donations are accepted by FOCAS.

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Seniors' Fun Picnic

The 6th Annual Senior Citizens Picnic is scheduled for July 13 (*RD July 14*) at Woodland Park from noon to 4 p.m.

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HHFD Annual Inspection May 20



Crash/Foam Truck will be Showcased During Inspection

The Port Authority donated a 1996 Walters crash/foam truck to the Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department.

Hasbrouck Heights is the primary fire-responder to Teterboro Airport, and the donation is in recognition of that.

The truck is a model BL15. It has the capacity to hold 1500 gallons of water, plus 180 gallons of liquid foam, and another 450 pounds of dry chemical.

The truck has been fully inspected, and all operating and mechanical problems were being remedied and repaired so that the truck was ready for finishing. This unit will be located in the

firehouse at 248 Hamilton Avenue, taking the position vacated by Old Engine 1 which was donated to the Pascagoula, MS Fire Department in September 2005. ###



Department decals, striping and signage were applied.

The public is invited to attend the Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department Annual Inspection at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 20, 2006.

Department personnel will be in full dress uniform. The equipment and new headquarters will be presented for inspection.

Department personnel will be available to answer any questions.

The public can view the new crash/foam truck donated by the Port Authority in February 2006.

This is the second inspection in the new facility since The Big Fire in 1999.

The event is attended by local officials as well as fire chiefs from area towns. ###



EMS Spring Yard Work Tips

The Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department EMS offers these safety tips for tackling spring clean up around your home.

- When lifting heavy bags of mulch, use a wheelbarrow when possible, and remember to lift with your legs, not with your back.
- Be careful when pruning. Pruning from a ladder is especially dangerous.
- To avoid blisters when doing yard work, wear gloves.
- If you are doing a lot of raking, try an ergonomic rake, which can be found at most hardware stores and garden centers. ###



Longworth Ave. House Fire

On April 10, 2006, at approximately 6:10 p.m., the Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department responded to a house fire in the 200 block of Longworth Avenue.

The full Department to include Engines 615 and 616, Ladder 617, Rescue 614 and Ambulances 603 and 604, went into action.

A Hackensack Fire Department engine with a FAST Team was on the scene. Little Ferry Fire Department's rescue truck was also there to refill air bottles. A Wood-Ridge

Fire Department engine and a Moonachie Fire Department ladder truck were on standby at HHFD Headquarters.

The fire broke out in the attic of the wood frame home, spread quickly and destroyed the attic. The fire was under control in approximately twenty-five minutes.

The fire is under investigation. No injuries were reported. The structure was deemed uninhabitable due to smoke and water damage. ###



Second Assistant Chief Mike Ratkowski evacuating the family pet hamster.

The Hasbrouck Heights Fire Department suggests that you periodically check your smoke and carbon monoxide detector batteries.

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American Legion

James B. Scarr Post 106

Part Eleven of a series about our American Legion.

The Memorial Stone Dedicated May 30, 1919

The following is an excerpt from the Hasbrouck Heights Fiftieth Anniversary Journal, pages 21 through 23, written and designed by William R. Oelkers, Jr., 1944

Armistice Day, November 11, 1918, was a day of great celebration throughout the nation, and Hasbrouck Heights joined enthusiastically.

An impromptu parade was hastily organized, marching noisily up and down the streets of the town. People gathered in small and large groups and far into the night they joyously celebrated the end of hostilities.

In the minds of many that night ran the sobering thought that there would be twelve Hasbrouck Heights sons who would not return, and that there should be some fitting memorial to them as well as to the others who had served their country.

Thus was born, in the midst of celebration, the idea of Memorial Park and the Memorial Monument.

Within two months the Mayor and Council had purchased and taken title to that small triangular plot of land between the old and the recently straightened Terrace Avenue, from Henry Street to Passaic Avenue.

Following weeks of almost continuous session for the Council, the most memorable meeting was "the all-night session of April 15th" when the list of names to be placed on the monument was completed.

At the same meeting the inscription for the monument was adopted: "Dedicated May 30th, 1919, by the Borough of Hasbrouck Heights to her sons who served in the World War."

The many details necessary to complete such a project in so short a time -- from the grading of the park to the purchase of a granite stone, tablet, flagpole and ornamental lights -- involved a vast amount of work.

All went well, however, until the afternoon before Memorial Day of 1919, when the monument was to be dedicated.

Then it was discovered that the monument had been lost somewhere on the way from the quarries in Vermont to New York.

The stone was found in a freight yard near Mt. Vernon, N.Y., and a special locomotive hauled it to the terminal.

With much difficulty it was finally hauled to Hasbrouck Heights that night.

There was another major obstacle to hurdle. The contractors refused to set up the stone.

Citizens came to the rescue, and with the assistance of members of the Council they worked all night. Half an hour before the dedicatory services began all was in readiness.

Thus the first Decoration Day service in Memorial Park occurred -- nor has there ever been a lapse in these exercises in all the intervening years.

Mayor Webb and Councilman Edmund E. Field, Sr., were credited with being the prime movers in the Memorial Park and monument project, and records reveal that Hasbrouck Heights was one of the first towns in the State of New Jersey, if not the first, to erect and dedicate a permanent monument to its heroes of World War I.

In later years, twelve Norway maple trees, stretching the length of Memorial Park on the east side of Terrace Avenue, were dedicated to those who lost their lives in World War I, and in 1943 a temporary Honor Roll of the men and women again serving their country in war was dedicated.

The American Legion Begins

Following the organization of the national American Legion in the spring of 1919, some thirty veterans of World War I met at the Public Library hall on September 3, 1919, and formed a Hasbrouck Heights Post, naming it for Captain James B. Scarr, who made the supreme sacrifice for his country on June 6, 1918, at Chateau Thierry.

Francis J. Scarr, Captain Scarr's brother, was elected first Commander of the Post. Other officers were M. M. Sheedy, vice-commander; E. E. Ellis, finance officer; A. E.

Browne, adjutant; Henry G. Weimar, chaplain; and Frederick R. Coyle, historian.

Throughout the 25 years of its existence, a civic organization with its first thoughts for the betterment of Hasbrouck Heights and the war veterans, the American Legion Captain James B. Scarr Post 106, has adhered to the preamble of its national constitution: "For God and Country we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the Great War; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and good will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness."

For a number of years the local Legion had headquarters in the old First Reformed Church, now the Young Peoples Hall of the church, and it was called Legion Hall.

With the prospect of one day welcoming returning veterans of the present global conflict, the Legion in 1943 took preliminary steps toward the establishment of a "Legion Hut" and community center in Hasbrouck Heights.

Those plans are daily taking on more concrete form, and early this year, with an eye toward the future and the increasingly important place the American Legion will hold in the community, the Mayor and Council leased a piece of Borough-owned property at the southwest corner of Boulevard and Henry Street to the Legion.

The Legion hopes, as soon as building materials again become available, to build a Legion home and community center on the site. James F. Tangney is the present Commander of the Post.

Other officers are John F. Ryan, Joseph Keogh, Peter

Garison and Turner C. Blaine.

Two years after the organization of the Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary came into being, and it, too, has fulfilled a civic role through the years, ever closely identified with all welfare and patriotic endeavors in the Borough, and never forgetting its principal objective: service to the disabled and needy veterans and their families. It has raised funds for this work in annual Poppy sales in town.

The Legion Auxiliary, as did the local Legion, took an active part in helping to make possible the Bergen Pines therapeutic pool for convalescents at the County institution.

One of its most recent activities has been the addressing of wrappers in which the local newspaper is sent without cost each week to members of the Armed Forces from Hasbrouck Heights.

Membership in the Auxiliary is limited to the mothers, wives, daughters, and sisters of all men and women in the Armed Forces during both World War I and World War II, who are members of the American Legion.

The first president of the Legion Auxiliary in 1921 was Mrs. Michael Sheedy. Mrs. Leland C. Benton is now president. Serving with her are Mrs. William Doonan, Mrs. Charles Wente, Mrs. Turner C. Blaine, Mrs. Minnie Bossert, Mrs. A. E. Browne, Mrs. B. Rogers and Mrs. Carl Therkindsen. ###



The correspondent for this series is American Legion Commander Michael Cahill.

The following clips are from various Mayor and Council minutes from 1919, researched by Borough Clerk Rose Marie Sees, 2006

• Bids were opened for the construction and erection of a memorial monument. The Dymalkon Company bid \$2,100 for a monument F.O.B. New York.

Mr. Emile Lessieu asked permission to show a model of a monument which he said could be built for something like \$2,000.

• Resolved that the Council hereby awards to the Dymalkon Corporation contract for the construction, delivery and erection of a memorial monument, and that the Mayor is hereby empowered to sign contract with the Dymalkon Metals Corporation, provided said contract contemplates the countersinking of all plates and that the plates shall conform to the sketches already submitted, and further provided that the delivery and setting up of said monument in complete condition shall be not later than May 1st, 1919. The amount involved shall be a sum not exceeding \$2,150.00

• Resolved that this Council extend a formal invitation to the sculptor, Mr. J. Kilenyi, 20 East 90th Street, New York, to attend as guest of the Borough the unveiling of the memorial tablet the front panel of which was modeled by him.

• (Councilman) Mr. Field asked that bills be forwarded to the Council for work on Memorial Park, requesting those of John Norsk and Borough Engineer Thomas F. Bowe. The latter stated that he was very glad indeed of the opportunity to do something in connection with the Memorial Park and that his services in connection therewith were cheerfully donated. (Councilman) Mr. Behrens arose and moved that the Borough Council tender a vote of thanks to Borough Engineer Bowe for the donating of his services. ###

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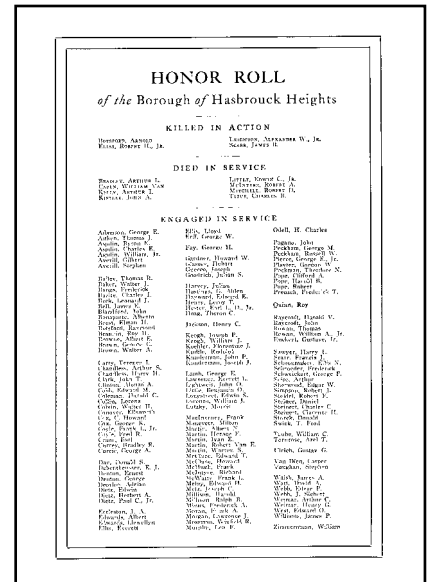
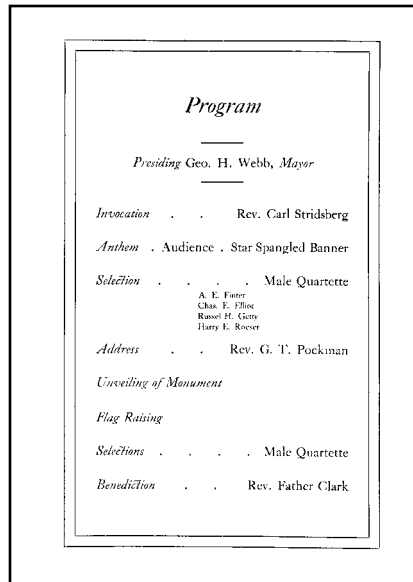
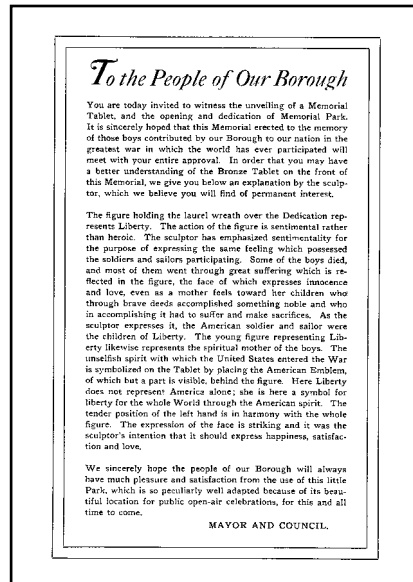
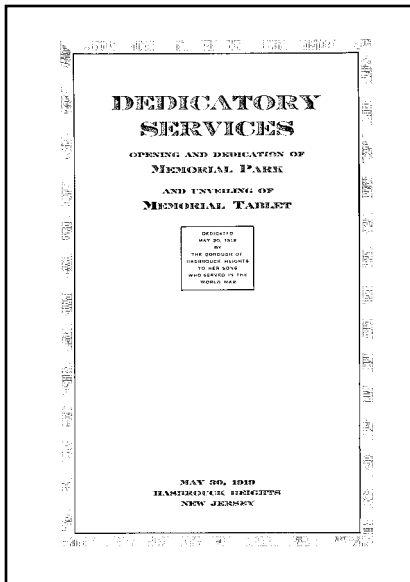
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During his research on this series, Commander Cahill discovered the original Memorial Stone Dedication Ceremony Program for May 30, 1919, and wanted to share it with our community. A replica of the original program will be distributed free during Memorial Day ceremonies.



To the People of Our Borough

You are today invited to witness the unveiling of a Memorial Tablet, and the opening and dedication of Memorial Park. It is sincerely hoped that this Memorial erected to the memory of those boys contributed by our Borough to our nation in the greatest war in which the world has ever participated will meet with your entire approval. In order that you may have a better understanding of the Bronze Tablet on the front of the Memorial, we give you below an explanation by the sculptor, which we believe you will find of permanent interest.

The figure holding the laurel wreath over the dedication represents Liberty. The action of the figure is sentimental rather than heroic. The sculptor has emphasized sentimentality for the purpose of expressing the same feeling which possessed the soldiers and sailors participating. Some of the boys died, and most of them went through great suffering which is reflected in the figure, the face of which expresses innocence and love, even as a mother feels toward her children who through brave deeds accomplished

something noble and who in accomplishing it had to suffer and make sacrifices. As the sculptor expresses it, the American soldier and sailor were the children of Liberty. The young figure representing Liberty likewise represents the spiritual mother of the boys. The unselfish spirit with which the United States entered the War is symbolized on the Tablet by placing the American Emblem, of which but a part is visible behind the figure. Here Liberty does not represent America alone; she is here a symbol of liberty for the whole World through the American spirit. The tender position of the left hand is in harmony with the whole figure. The expression of the face is striking and it was the sculptor's intention that it should express happiness, satisfaction and love.

We sincerely hope the people of our Borough will always have much pleasure and satisfaction from the use of this little Park, which is so peculiarly well adapted because of its beautiful location for public open-air celebrations, for this and all time to come. Mayor and Council ###



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WHO SERVED IN
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Memorial Day Parade Monday, May 29th

Robert Riker is Grand Marshal

The Annual Memorial Day Parade is scheduled to start at 10:00 a.m. on May 29 at Williams Avenue, march along Terrace Avenue and conclude at Veterans' Memorial Park at Passaic Avenue.

A brief Veterans ceremony will be held, followed by services at the Fireman's Memorial at The Circle.

This annual event is co-sponsored by the James B. Scarr Post 106 American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4591.

The public is encouraged to participate in this patriotic event.

This year's Parade will be the 87th year that the American Legion Post 106 will have

commemorated Memorial Day at the Veterans' Memorial in Hasbrouck Heights.

This year the Grand Marshal of the parade will be Mr. Robert (Bob) Riker of Post 106.

Bob enlisted in the Army in October of 1942 and, after basic and advanced training, was assigned to the 36th Signal Heavy Construction Battalion.

Their job was to closely follow the advancing Infantry and Armor and to construct and install the vital communication systems needed by our advancing troops.

The 36th landed in Normandy on D-Day plus 12 near to Ste. Mere Eglise, scene of heavy fighting at the start of the invasion, and followed the Infantry to St. Lo where they helped, after a fierce battle with the Germans, to free that city.

After that battle the 36th was attached to General George Patton's 3rd Army and continued to advance to Paris to assist in its liberation.

Then the 36th went, as a part of the 3rd Army, through northern France into Belgium and became involved in the Battle of the Bulge in the Ardennes Forest area.

After this battle the unit was assigned to the 15th Army and they then continued on into central Germany where they helped in freeing many American POWs held by the Germans.

As a result of these actions, Bob was awarded the European African Central Eu-

ropean Campaign Medal with five bronze stars and the WWII Victory Medal as well as the Good Conduct Medal.

He returned to the United States and was discharged in December of 1945 when he, and a couple of million other veterans, gladly received their "Ruptured Duck" emblem from the government upon his discharge.

Bob happily resumed civilian life with his wife, the former Alice DeFeo, whom he had married in December of 1942.

They raised a family and have been happily married for almost sixty-five years. Bob has also been an usher and pillar of the First Reformed Church for many years.

Over time Bob has received a number of citations and medals for his service in WW II.

In 1990, the State of New York awarded him a Certificate of Recognition along with a medal for his service.

In 2001, a grateful French Government gave him, and many other veterans of Normandy, a Certificate of Thanks and a medal for their help in liberating France.

In 2003, in a ceremony at the Teaneck Armory, Bob and other WW II veterans were



presented with the New Jersey Meritorious Medal for their wartime service.

On Memorial Day 2005, the State of New Jersey and Bergen County, in a special ceremony held at Bergen County Community College in Paramus, honored Bob and other Normandy Veterans for their wartime service with the New Jersey Liberty Medal.

This year we too are honoring him for his many years of service to God and Country. ###



An historical note:

In a letter written about 1930 inviting Mayor Oldfield to be part of the Memorial Day Parade, the parade route was described thusly.

The Parade will start at 9:15 a.m. from Jefferson and the Boulevard and proceed south to Henry Street, then East to Terrace Avenue and the Monument.

After the ceremonies there are completed, the parade will continue south on Terrace into Wood-Ridge to their monument where another ceremony will be held.

In the Twenties, Thirties, and Forties the two towns apparently celebrated Memorial Day jointly. The line of march also included a large number of various groups including German Veterans. ###



Legion Seeks "Active Duty" Names

The James B. Scarr Post 106, American Legion of Hasbrouck Heights, needs your help. They are seeking the names and addresses of all servicemen and women from our community who are currently serving in the military.

They have planned some-

thing special to recognize and honor them for their service to their country.

Please contact the Legion with this information by leaving a message on their answering machine 201-288-4322 or by giving the information to any member of the Post. ###

VFW Holds Springtime Dinner Dance

The public is invited to the VFW Post 4591 Springtime dinner dance at the Post beginning at 7:00 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. on May 27, 2006. Cost is \$25 per person.

Menu features fruit cup, salad, pasta, roast beef, coffee and desert. There will be a four hour open bar plus wine, beer and soda.

Music by the Symphonics. For reservations or more information call Mike at 201-288-3654, Astrid at 201-288-5612 or the Post at 201-288-1112. Reservations are requested by May 22nd. ###

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This job fair was free of charge for all businesses and all veterans from all services.

Upon arrival, veterans were greeted by a Veterans Representative who handled registration.

Here was an opportunity for "Veterans" to meet with leading employers.

Area employers stated that they offered veterans preference in hiring, stating they valued the "vet's" experience, stability and maturity.

Companies such as FedEx, NJ Transit, Quest, Home Depot, GlaxoSmithKline, Good Will, and several financial institutions, etc., offered a wide variety of job opportunities ranging from entry level, technical, sales, marketing, mechanics, electricians, and management. Several employment agencies also offered their services.

The Small Business Administration was on hand to provide information for veter-

ans wishing to start their own business.

The Army National Guard was accepting applicants up to age 42, offering educational benefits and an enlistment bonus of \$15,000. *(Call the Teaneck Armory at 201-833-8405 for more information.)*

At this job fair, veterans could register with the Department of Labor Veterans Employment and Training Services. The Federal Veterans Administration was there to register and discuss veterans benefits. The VA Mobile Health Van was there for screenings.

Veterans who were unable to locate their DD214, could receive assistance in requesting an official copy from the National Personnel Records Center during this Job Fair.

NJN News conducted interviews for broadcast.

This event was sponsored by VFW Post 4591 and the Bergen County Division of Veterans Services.

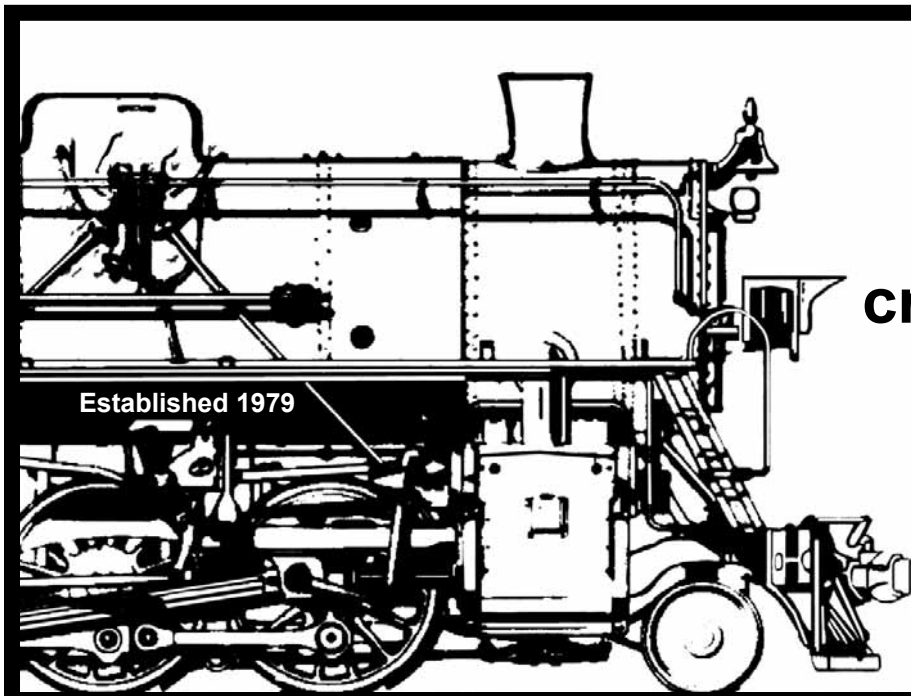
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by Reverend Lewis V. Papera, Pastor
Corpus Christi R. C. Church

The Ascension means going out, not just going up. Jesus is pushing us out into the world, armed with love and good news to be his witnesses. "Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky?"

When we talk about giving witness to our faith we usually picture one person telling another person about their belief in Jesus.

But it seems that in our day and age, the only form of witness that most people will accept is service.

It's much easier to believe someone when we see that they really live what they believe.

One thing we must not forget: we cannot give what we don't have. As witnesses our first task is to allow the Holy Spirit to empower our lives.

This does not happen automatically. We need a certain discipline if we are going to grow closer to the Lord Jesus.

Scripture reading, prayer, quiet, living in love with others, taking part in the life of a faith community – all of this requires a definite commitment on our part – a lot of decisions have to be made if we are going to really work out our own faith life.

In nature, it seems that things just happen. Trees put forth new shoots and flowers give us new blossoms, grass grows and shrubs give us their greenery.

But none of this happens automatically. It takes just the right combination of sun and shade, rain and dryness, the right kind of soil, and so forth.

With the Ascension, the body of Jesus Christ was taken to heaven, but we, his believers, here on earth, are his living Body, the Church.

And the Holy Spirit is constantly prompting us to go out to be his witnesses.

What does this "witness" look like?

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Tickets are now available for the May 10th Calendar Party. The theme this year is "Holidays." The evening begins at 6:30 p.m. at the VFW Post 4591. The donation of \$35 includes a buffet dinner and holiday desserts. The party is open to all ladies, and you may contact Irene at 201-288-2787 to reserve a place for what promises to be a fun-filled evening.

The women of the Rosary Society, who work behind the scenes in prayer and service to the parish, encourage you to join. Contact Isabelle, Vice President and Membership Chairperson, at 201-288-0086 or simply come to a general meeting. (*Don't forget...if you need a ride to the meeting, call another member.*) Carol Viceconte ###

It means walking into the lonely prison of a homebound neighbor and taking her on a rare outing.

It means not calling attention to ourselves but quietly doing an honest day's work and refusing to participate in workplace gossip or crooked practices.

It means speaking up for the poor, the unborn, and the victimized. It means pouring ourselves out for the materially, emotionally, and spiritually poor.

And finally, it means not expecting to see the final results of our labors but working patiently and waiting upon the Lord's own time.

"Readers of **The Gazette**, why are you standing there...?"
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Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast April 2

The men of the First Reformed Church of Hasbrouck Heights held their 16th Annual Men and Boys Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast on Sunday, April 2, 2006 at the First Reformed Church.

There was prayer and worship in the Church Sanctuary, followed by breakfast in the Fellowship Hall.

Rev. Fred W. Diekman, retired and former Pastor of the First Reformed Church, was the guest speaker. ###



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Tools Of Hope Mother's Day: Give A Blanket

To honor Father's Day each year, The Guild of Reformed Church Women collect money to buy Tools of Hope for Church World Services.

For \$5.00 Church World Services can buy a set of tools: hammer, saw, shovel, etc., which they give to help men who have been overcome by disaster.

The men (or women) can be here or anywhere in the world. They can use the tools to remove debris, repair homes or businesses, plant crops, etc.

The Guild would like to collect enough to pay for 100 tool kits.

Send a contribution to Guild of Reformed Church Women, Box 66, First Reformed Church, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604.

The need is great. Deadline is Father's Day, June 18th. ###

Mother's Day: Give A Blanket

To honor Mother's Day each year, The Guild of Reformed Church Women have collected money to give to Church World Service (CWS) to buy blankets.

For \$5.00 each, CWS buys strong dark colored 100% wool blankets which are given to people living in disastrous conditions anywhere in the world where need is greatest.

The blankets are used in many ingenious ways: A blanket can be used to sleep under, as a ground or floor cover, a partition in a tent or other areas, as a shawl or wrap for a baby or child, as a door for privacy or comfort from cold, as a small tent, as a carrier on a back or saddle.

There are probably many other ways a desperate person can find to use a strong blanket.

The goal of the Guild is to collect at least enough money for 100 blankets.

Your donation in honor of, or in memory of, the women in your life will provide a blanket to help other families survive.

Send your contribution to: Guild of Reformed Church Women, Box 66, First Reformed Church, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604. The deadline is Sunday, May 7th. *Elsie Paolini* ###.

Pray for Peace

Hats Off To Mom! Wear Your Best, Craziest, Worst Hat

How long has it been since you wore a hat to church? Remember those Easter bonnets you wore as a kid?

Well, ladies, now is the time to dust off those hats! Better yet, get creative because on Mother's Day it's Hats Off to Mom Day at First Reformed.

All the women of the church are encouraged to wear their most beautiful, outlandish, silly, serious hat to worship.

After worship the men of the church will be called upon to vote for the best and the silliest hat.

Prizes to be awarded. (*Don't worry ladies, Father's Day is coming and you won't believe what the guys will be asked to do!*) So remember, wear your hats to church on Mother's Day. Public invited. ###

Bible Baptist Church Sponsored Passion Play During Holy Week

About 5,000 attended the Bible Baptist Church 17th Annual musical drama, "The Jesus Story" at Felician College during Easter Holy Week.

This year's touching rendition was brought to life through the lives of the women that surrounded Jesus. The Virgin Mary and her sister, Salome, bring to light what it may have been like when the angel Gabriel announced to Mary that she would conceive the Savior of the world!

Jen Watkins, Children's Ministries Director from Bible Baptist Church, who played Mary, says, "It was truly an honor and an awesome reverent feeling to portray Mary, who was a very young, simple peasant girl, chosen by God. Mary, who was just like every other girl at that time, was simply available to God to allow Him to use her."



Seventeen years ago a small group of Christians presented a meager glimpse of the Passion of Christ through a Passion Play. Since that time the production outgrew the staging at the church. This Easter Season a cast and technical crew of over 100 committed Christian volunteers made this presentation -- through the collaboration of the Cultural & Community Affairs Division of Felician College. ###

Learn The Bible

The community is invited to an ongoing bible teaching program which is held every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the upper cafeteria of Corpus Christi School.

Father Bill has a Master's Degree in Jewish-Christian Studies from Seton Hall and is a popular keynote speaker at Catholic Charismatic Conferences and has given Parish Missions throughout the United States and in Eastern Europe. ###

Find Your Treasure

Days go by so quickly and soon it will be time for the Spring Rummage Sale at the First Reformed Church.

The Guild for Christian Services holds their Rummage Sale on May 5th and 6th from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

Items for sale will include clothing, shoes, toys, books and household items.

Those wishing to clean out some of their "unwanted stuff" should bring it to the Church on Monday, May 1st through Thursday, May 4th from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

As they say, "one man's junk is another man's treasure." This is a great opportunity to help yourself with a bargain while helping others and having fun.

Proceeds will go to Church projects and missions. *Elsie Paolini* ###

FOCAS Blessing of the Animals

FOCAS will hold its annual Blessing of the Animals on Sunday, May 7th, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Bergen County Animal Shelter, 100 United Lane, Teterboro. Rain or shine.

Arrive at any time between those hours to receive a "personal" blessing for your pets.

All animals are welcome. Please be sure to have all pets on a leash or in a secure carrier and up-to-date on inoculations.

FOCAS is looking forward to seeing shelter alumni and other loved pet companions from the surrounding community.

For more information call the FOCAS Help Line at 201-943-4019, visit www.focasnews.org, or email info@focasnews.org ###

Life Line Screening at HH Senior Center

The Hasbrouck Heights Recreation Department is sponsoring LifeLine Screening Radiology on Thursday, May 11 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Hasbrouck Heights Senior Center. Pre-registration is required. Call 1-800-636-0418.

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Practical Tips for a Healthier You

April showers bring May flowers. The sun is bright, the air smelling sweet as we welcome the month of May.

Ah yes, Memorial Day is just around the corner. And yes folks, that means the infamous bathing suit season will soon be here! But not to fret. If you are thinking about toning up or slimming down for the pool, beach or backyard, it's not too late to reach your fitness goals.

Hasbrouck Heights offers a plethora of activities for kids of all ages. Definitely check out the community's list of activities from golf to swimming.

The key to toning up and losing some pounds is cardiovascular exercise.

The term often known as "cardio" means simply to get that heart rate up there for at least 20 minutes. Get in the zone, your heart rate zone. If you can walk and talk, you're

doing great. But if you are too winded, you may be working too hard. So slow down the pace so you can keep up the exercise.

If that seems a lot, you can do your exercise in spurts and increase gradually. Ten minutes in the morning, and 10 minutes in the evening if that suits your schedule more. Remember, you need to use those large muscle groups in your legs to get the most benefits.

Exercises like continuous brisk walking, swimming, biking, jump roping, dancing are good examples of cardio exercises. Of course, you can take a class at one of our local fitness centers. But if you're on a budget, you can take advantage of our beautiful community and its parks.

Cardio also burns extra calories. So if you eat a little less, and exercise a little more, you can see results in no time!

Need some motivation? Grab a walking buddy or fitness partner and commit to it! Take out those I-pods and get movin' and groovin'. Your spirit, mind, and body will thank you for it.

Keep in mind, that you should check with your doctor before starting any exercise program. Any Q's? email me at suzannekinzler@yahoo.com

Hasbrouck Heights resident Suzanne Kinzler is a Health/Physical Ed Certified Educator and author of, "A Multicultural Approach to Physical Education," 2002 Human Kinetics Publishing Co. ###



Boulevard In Bloom

The Hasbrouck Heights Garden Club, in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce, invites businesses and residents to sponsor a flower pot with planting to be placed along The Boulevard starting in May and continuing until November.

To launch this Boulevard beautification program, Gateway Realtors, Otterstedt Insurance Agency and Heights Flower Shoppe have seeded this program by generously purchasing 36 flower pots.

Cost is \$150 each and includes the fiberglass pot, soil, mulch and plantings.

The Garden Club will do the planting and the DPW has agreed to water the plants during the season. The DPW will store the planters during the winter. Sponsor recognition will be located at the Municipal Complex.

Call Maria at 201-288-3111, Ann at 201-288-3956 or Ray at 201-288-5464 for more information. ###

FOCAS Sponsors Seminars on Pet Behavior & Nutrition

FOCAS is sponsoring a seminar on "Common Behavior and Health Issues with Your Dog or Puppy" and "Common Sense Approach to Feline Health & Behavior" to be held May 3, 2006 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the **Oradell Animal Hospital**, 580 Winters Avenue, Paramus, NJ.

These seminars are highly recommended for the first-time pet owner or adopter of a shelter animal!

These programs will help you to establish a healthier, happier long-term relationship for your pet companion and you.

Pet nutrition, wellness, behavior and socialization are cornerstones of the discussion.

These seminars will provide an opportunity to address individual questions.

Guest speakers are: from 7:00 p.m. to 8 p.m. Eileen Haley, Professional Member of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers and founder of Second Chances, Inc., and from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Dr. Jose S. Pla, D.V.M., Cats Exclusive Veterinary Hospital.

These seminars will provide an opportunity to address individual questions.

There is no registration fee. Attendance is limited to "people" only; seating is limited. To ensure a seat, you can register in advance by calling the FOCAS Help Line at 201-943-4019.

For more information please visit www.focasnews.org or email info@focasnews.org ###

Designing Woman

Ideas For The Home Of Your Dreams



Lucky you! The mailcarrier brought you some "found money" in the form of a refund from Uncle Sam. Should you: go out for a romantic dinner? Nah. Save it for a rainy day? Nah. Splurge on your house? Yes!

But on what? Well, let's think. Is there a room in your house that you just don't enjoy spending time in? Is it too dark? Too cluttered? Has no personality? Has the wrong furniture? Or too much furniture? Or not enough? Don't think of it as a wasted room. Think of it as an opportunity.

Do you have a formal living room that's hardly ever used because you spend all your time in the family room? Then why have a formal living room? Why not a bona fide library with shelves from floor to ceiling, comfortable chairs and good lighting? Or a music room - for making music or just listening to it? How about a billiards parlor? I've really got you thinking now, don't I?

Is part of your attic usable living space? If it has good light, make it a studio for the budding artist in the family. Or a sewing/crafts room. Or - dare I say it - an arcade room for the video game fanatics who can whoop and holler all they want.

Claim or reclaim as much space as your house can give you. You should love every inch of your house. After all, your house loves you. I know. She told me so.

Amy Emilita is a lifelong resident of Hasbrouck Heights. She owns her own design company, Emilita Interiors, and is a part of the Window Fashion Certified Professionals Program. www.emilitainteriors.com. Questions? amy@emilitainteriors.com ###

Having an Affair?

If your organization is having an event that is open to the public, we can help you tell "everybody" about it.

Simply provide the following event details: name, date, times, cost, brief explanation of program features, etc., along with contact information.

Send these details at least 45 days prior to the event to: info@hasbrouck-heights.net or drop them off at: **The Gazette Newspaper**, 343 Boulevard, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604.

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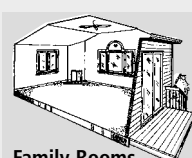
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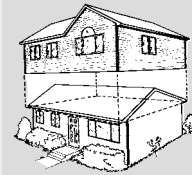
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Scouts with some of the food donations, which were placed in bins, inside the Center For Food Action Truck



Scouts moving the food collection to the Hasbrouck Heights Food Pantry located in the Municipal Complex.

Scouting for Food 2006

On Saturday, April 1st, local Cub and Boy Scouts delivered empty bags to homes. The following Saturday, April 8th, the bags of food were collected by the Scouts starting at 10:00 a.m. and delivered to the Municipal Complex. The Girl Scouts packed the food shelves at the Hasbrouck Heights Food Pantry and the balance was sent to the Center for Food Action. ###



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The AARP #418 presented the trip to the NJ PAC which included bus transportation.

Prior to the show, lunch consisted of a hot & cold buffet, soup, pasta, meat entrees, sandwiches, salads, beverage and cookies and was served in the NJ PAC Chase Room.

The event was organized by Julia Berhain. ###



Gary Rokoszak of North Arlington, presents Marie Gallo, Treasurer, Hasbrouck Heights/ Teterboro Kiwanis Club, with nine pounds of stamps that his wife Kathleen has been collecting since 1995.

Cat Show & Tricky Tray

FOCAS will hold its annual Cat Show and Tricky Tray Auction on Sunday, June 4th, at the Bergen County Animal Shelter in Teterboro.

Stop by with your feline companion. Don't have a feline companion? Stop by anyway to join in the fun. Refreshments are available.

Registration for participation in the cat show is from 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. The afternoon's program activities are from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

All cats must be six months or older, in carriers and current on all shots. The registration fee is \$5.00 per cat.

All monies collected at the Cat Show and Tricky Tray Auction enable FOCAS to continue its work to provide humane services, programs and extraordinary medical care to shelter animals.

For additional information call the FOCAS Help Line at 201-943-4019, email info@focasnews.org, or visit www.focasnews.org ###

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Donates Nine Pounds of Canceled Stamps

Kathleen Rokoszak of North Arlington has been collecting both foreign and domestic canceled stamps since 1995.

After reading in the April Edition of **The Gazette Newspaper** how the Corpus Christi First Grade Brownie Girl Scout Troop #11809 worked very hard to collect several pounds of stamps from Christmas cards and letters, Mrs. Rokoszak decided to contribute her collection.

The Kiwanis Club of Hasbrouck Heights/Teterboro has been collecting all canceled stamps, both foreign and US, and sending them to Sister Ann Mary, a retired Carmelite Sister.

The stamps are sold to collectors and the monies received from the sale support the St. Benedict's Day Nursery and Infant Hospital of Georgetown, St. Vincent of the West Indies.

During the past year approximately 16 pounds of stamps have been collected.

St. Benedict's cares daily for 175 children from age 3 months to 4-1/2 years, at which age they enter a government infant school. The children are

cared for daily from 7:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. At all times they are under the supervision of a staff member supervised by a Carmelite Sister.

The children are given breakfast, lunch and two snacks daily; for most of the children these will be their only meals. The majority of the children come from single parent families with no father and a mother who must work every day just to make ends meet. The average yearly income in St. Vincent is \$1,000.00.

The Infant Hospital is a 12-bed ward for malnourished, battered, or abandoned children. There is no orphanage on the islands so the hospital and day nursery must act as one. Often there are more than 20 children being served at a time.

After 39 years of service, the Infant Hospital is in urgent need of expansion.

A new wing has been added to house the children who have remained from infancy and have now grown into teenagers.

However, an additional wing is now necessary.

The facility was founded to take care of malnourished children; however, it has responded to the needs of the times by taking in children who have been abandoned, neglected, or abused.

If you would like to help the Kiwanis Club in collecting canceled stamps, please trim the stamps to 1/4 inch around the stamps.

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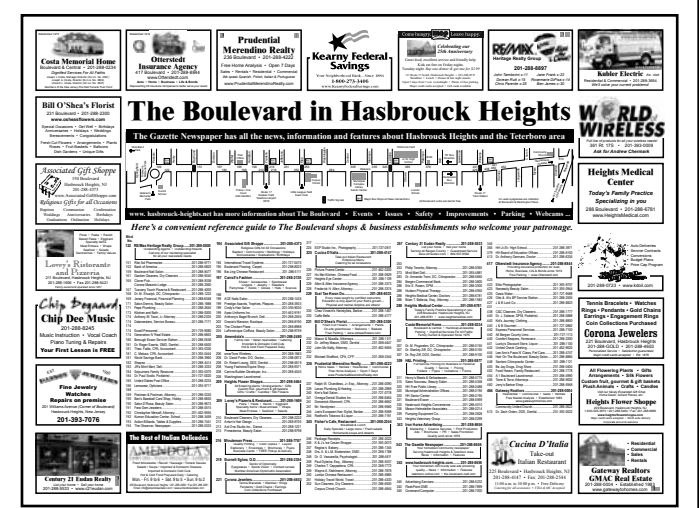
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July 4th Children's Patriotic Parade

The Annual Children's Parade is scheduled for 10 a.m., Tuesday, July 4, 2006 at Washington and Burton. Sign-up is 9:30 a.m.

The Hasbrouck Heights Police Department will lead the parade east on Washington to Terrace, south to Kipp Avenue and north to the starting point where prizes will be awarded.

All classifications and categories will be judged prior to the parade.

Prizes will be awarded in the categories of patriotic, most original and most artistic to: costumed children on foot, wagons and tricycles, carriages, strollers, etc., decorated bicycles, floats, and grandparents' corner, with carriages and children on foot. Helmets are required for those on bicycles.

Prizes awarded: First Prize - Gold Medal; Second Prize - Silver Medal; Third Prize - and Honorable Mention - Bronze Medal. All participants receive medals. Registration is limited to Hasbrouck Heights children up to 10 years of age, excluding the grandparents' corner.

The event is sponsored by the Mayor's Celebrations Committee.

The HHFD will be on hand for any assistance. ###

No parking on Boro streets between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m.

HH Lions Club Holds Blood Drive

The Hasbrouck Heights Lions Club will sponsor its Annual Blood Drive on May 16 from 4 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the High School Eglow Media Center to benefit the Bergen County Regional Blood Center. The public is invited. ###

Teen Reader's Club Meets May 22nd

The Free Public Library of Hasbrouck Heights invites teens in Grades 7 through 11 to participate in a monthly book discussion program.

This is the Club's last meeting and will be held Monday, May 22nd from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

This meeting will discuss the book, "Northern Light" by Jennifer Donnelly.

Set in 1906, this story is about sixteen year old Mattie, determined to attend college and be a writer against the wishes of her father and fiancé.

She takes a job at a summer inn where she discovers the truth about the death of a guest. This book is based on a true story.

The Club offers an opportunity to talk about books, eat, play games and make new friends.

To join the fun, stop by the circulation desk and complete a registration form. Call 201-288-0488 for more information. ###

Lions Sponsor Fireworks Event June 30, 2006

The Hasbrouck Heights Lions Club will sponsor the 23rd annual fireworks program at Gary Depken Athletic Field (Route 17 & Franklin Ave.)

There will be refreshments, 50-50 raffle and amusements.

The event is scheduled for June 30, 2006 with a rain date of July 1 and an extended rain date of July 8.

Advance ticket sales are \$3 and available at many locations along The Boulevard.

Admission at the Gate is \$5. Children under 5 admitted free.

DJ entertainment will be provided by Funtime. There will be inflatable amusements, 50/50 and refreshments.

Sponsors provide the funds for extra fireworks and include: Bergen Commercial Bank, Crow's Nest, Dunkin' Donuts, Hackensack University Medical Center, IHOP, Kearny Federal Savings Bank, Kundert Volvo and Lovey's Pizza, ###

AC Bus Trips

The VFW sponsors Atlantic City Bus Trips on the last Wednesday of the month. Bus departs at 11:00 a.m. and returns at about 9:30-10:00 p.m.

Proceeds are used to help defray building expenses. Call the Post for more information at 201-288-1112. ###

5K Run/1 Mile Walk May 13

On May 13, 2006 the Hasbrouck Heights Education Association will sponsor its Eighth Annual five kilometer and one mile run/walk to raise money for their scholarship fund.

The 5k run is called the Rau-Fitzgerald Memorial Run and the one mile walk is the Cheryl Terlemezian one mile Fun Run/walk.

The event begins at the Hasbrouck Heights High School at 365 Boulevard.

Check in starts at 8:00 a.m. The 5k Run/Walk starts at 9:30 a.m. The 1 mile walk/run starts at 10:30 a.m. Awards will be held at 10:15 a.m. for the 5k.

Pre-registration is \$18 (before April 13th), day of race is \$20, children under 18 for 5K \$10 and 1 mile \$5. There is a \$50 family rate.

Amenities include: "T" shirt, timing system, awards, post-race refreshments, restrooms and parking.

This event is to help raise funds for high school seniors continuing their education after graduation.

Corporate sponsorships and donations are welcomed.

For more information call Barbara at 201-288-1426. ###

Many businesses along The Boulevard are open Thursday Evenings

Lions/Kiwanis Golf Outing

The tournament is scheduled for June 2nd at the Rockleigh Golf Course with a shotgun start. Fee is \$125 and includes golf, cart, lunch and awards dinner.

The event is sponsored by the Hasbrouck Heights Lions Club and the Hasbrouck Heights/Teterboro Kiwanis Club. All proceeds to benefit various community charities.

Journal ad sponsorships are available. For more info call Dr. Eglow at 201-288-2354 or Mr. Luongo at 201-393-8145. ###

Woodland Park Summer Concerts

The Hasbrouck Heights Recreation Department is planning two concerts on the first and third Thursday of each month during June, July and August.

All concerts are free and will start at 6:30 p.m. at Woodland Park. Bring your lawn chair. Please park your car in the back lot. Refreshments will be available.

Scheduled artists at press time will include the return of The Ron Gartner Show - a dynamic, high energy Las Vegas style show and "Boote" with music from the 50's to the 90's.

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Hasbrouck Heights Primary Election -- June 6

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3 BR, 1.5 bath side-hall Colonial home on a quiet street. 1st floor: lg kitchen w/breakfast nook, FDR, LR w/FPL & .5 bath. 2nd fl: MBR w/crown moldings, 2 additional BR's and a full bath. 1 car attached garage.



Hasbrouck Heights \$599,000
Magnificent turn-of-the-century Colonial on an oversized property. Large 3 season porch, entry foyer, updated EIK, .5 bath, FDR, lg LR w/gas FPL. 2nd fl: spiral banister staircase, MBR, 3 add. BR's and full bath. 3rd fl. has finished heated room for a den or 5th bedroom. Call today!



Glen Rock \$839,900
Showcase home! Built in 2005 this home is magnificent! Entry foyer w/ marble flooring, LR w/FPL and crown moldings. Gourmet kitchen w/cherry wood cabinets, granite countertops and center-island, stainless steel appliances. MBR w/private bath and 3 additional BR's. A lovely finished basement and so much more! Call today!



Wood-Ridge \$725,000
New construction over existing foundation: 1st fl: LR, FDR, .5 bath, modern EIK w/granite counters, lg FR w/deck. 2nd fl: lg MBR suite w/walk-in closet, sitting area and full master bath w/sep. whirlpool tub and shower. 3 additional BR's and another full tile bath. Reconstructed from the foundation up, incl. new exterior and interior walls, electric, plumbing, 3 zone baseboard heat, C/A, H/W flooring throughout. Call today!



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Move right in! Contemporary features: lg LR w/cathedral ceilings; FDR, modern EIK with new appliances, incl. stainless steel d/w. MBR w/walk-in closet & new bath. 2 additional BR's w/double closets. Full finished basement w/workout room, walk-in closet, .5 bth; lg family room and new kitchen. Perfect for extended family. Large deck. New fence, new C/A and alarm system. 2 car attached garage. Motivated! Call today!



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