

## UP FRONT

### More than shopping

By **MARTY VALANIA**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Forty thousand people were at Christiana Mall by 3:30 a.m. last Friday. Yes, that's correct — 40,000. I'm sure if you were there, it probably felt like 400,000.

The mall opened its doors at 2:30 a.m. and there were over 15,000 people waiting. Inside there were bands and a festival like atmosphere.

Traffic was snarled on every road heading into the mall. That's stopped traffic at 2:30 in the morning. That's no place to even think about parking by 3 a.m.

That's complete craziness. Black Friday has become more than just the biggest shopping day of the year. It's even more than the official start of the Christmas season.

It's an event now. It's girls' night (and morning and afternoon) out. It's an annual party. It's a reunion.

It's just not for me.

I'm not going to say that people are nuts or wrong and this whole day is just a terrible thing. Hey, I've slept out for football tickets, I've waited in 30-mile traffic jams trying to go to games and, basically, have done things to watch sports which most of the Black Friday shoppers would think insane.

In fact, there's a bit of an insanity kinship between the rabid shopper and the rabid sports fan. I'm not sure that's a good thing but, look, I'm searching for a way to understand the phenomenon and this is the only way I can relate.

The thought of sitting in  
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Valania

## "Water is life"

### Newark non-profit raises funds for African wells

By **PATRICIA E. LANG**

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On Nov. 18, a crowd of enthusiastic supporters of the Delaware Kenya Association (DEKA) met at Clayton Hall on the University of Delaware campus to eat Kenyan Food and bid on authentic African items.

There was music and dance. The Kenyan Ambassador, Peter Ogego, attended. The purpose of the dinner — the group's third annual Dining for a Cause — was to raise funds to build wells in Kenya.

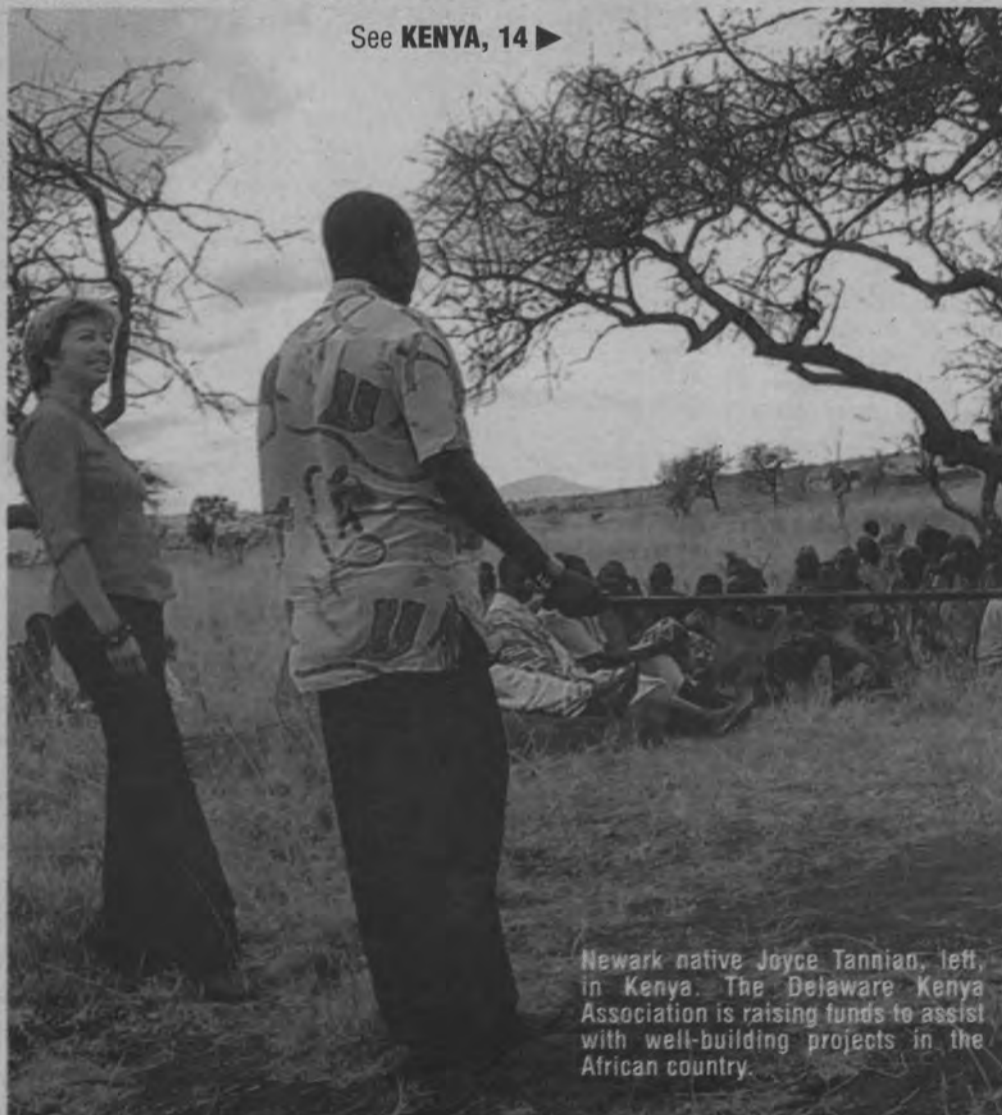
DEKA's President Erastus Mong'are, a cultural enrichment advisor at DelTech and a UD graduate, talked about the group's origin. DEKA is a growing non-profit, headquartered in Newark, made up of Kenya immigrants and



Kimmie Weeks, right, keynote speaker, and Akinwale Ojomo, publisher of Ebo Magazine.

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Newark native Joyce Tannian, left, in Kenya. The Delaware Kenya Association is raising funds to assist with well-building projects in the African country.

## Graffiti ordinance tabled

Law would regulate sale of spray paint, markers to minors

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The Newark City Council tabled an ordinance Monday night that would regulate the sale of "graffiti implements" to persons under the age of 18 and would forbid minors from possessing them except under direct supervision by parents, teachers or employers.

"Graffiti implements" are defined as spray paint, broad-tipped markers, paint sticks or graffiti sticks, which include any "solid form of paint, chalk, wax, epoxy or other similar substance."

If approved, the law would prohibit anyone under 18 years old from having or buying these items, except with the

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## Pilot plan gets OK

Delaware's growth model under the NCLB law begins immediately

By **MARY E. PETZAK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The Delaware Department of Education has received approval to implement its revised growth model submitted to the U.S. Department of Education in September.

According to U.S. Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings, three high-quality growth models that follow the "bright-line principles of the No Child Left Behind law" were approved in October (See *Core principles BOX*). However, Arkansas and Florida must first have their assessment systems

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### UD increases reward

The University of Delaware increased the reward last week for information leading to the conviction of the man responsible for two rapes and a sexual assault near campus in October.

The reward has been increased from \$10,000 to \$20,000. The university hopes other persons will wish to contribute to the award in increments of \$1,000 or more. Those who do are asked to contact UD Police Chief James Flatley at 831-1204.

A 19-year-old DelTech student was raped in her home on Wilbur Street on Oct. 8 at 5:30 a.m. Earlier that night, a man entered a home on E. Park Place and woke up a woman as she lay in bed. The woman screamed, and the suspect fled. The second rape occurred on Oct. 28, when a 20-year-old UD student was raped in her Haines Street residence.

Newark Police continue to investigate the incidents, which they believe were committed by the same man. He has been described as college-aged, 5' 9" to 6' tall, with a medium build and short brown or light brown hair.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the Newark Police Department at 366-7110, ext. 135, or Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

### Traffic stop leads to drug bust

New Castle County Police arrested Jesus Moreno, 30, of the unit block of Raven Turn in Newark, and charged him with felony drug violations after officers found more than seven grams of cocaine hidden beneath his car seat during a traffic stop.

Police said an officer saw a car displaying expired tags traveling on Route 40 near Wellington Drive. The officer stopped the car and found the driver, Moreno, was wanted for two active warrants.

Moreno was arrested without incident and found to have hidden several glassine baggies inside his car, along with a separate bag of cocaine, said police. He was charged with possession with the intent to deliver cocaine, possession of drug paraphernalia, maintaining a vehicle for keeping a controlled dangerous substance and several traffic offenses, said police.

He was arraigned and committed to the Howard Young Prison after failing to post \$6,900 secured bond, said police.

## POLICE BLOTTER

# Plasma TVs stolen

**N**ineteen plasma televisions were stolen from a warehouse in the 300 block of Markus Court in Newark, sometime between Wednesday, Nov. 15, at 3:30 p.m. and the next day at 5:45 a.m., said Newark Police.

Police said the suspects forced their way inside the warehouse through a garage door. Once inside, they stole 19 Sony 23-inch "Bravia"

flat-screen plasma televisions still in their original boxes, said police.

The suspects loaded the stolen televisions into an unknown vehicle, possibly a Dodge or Chrysler minivan, before fleeing the scene, said police.

Anyone with information is asked to call Det. Jay Conover at 366-7110, ext. 132, of Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-333.

### Burglary attempt on Park Place

An unknown suspect tried to kick in the front door to a home in the 200 block of E. Park Place while its residents were away for the Thanksgiving holiday, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 8:34 p.m. The door had several cracks in it. Nothing was taken from the home, police were told.

### Assault reported

A 25-year-old Newark resident told police on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 6:33 p.m. he was assaulted by an unknown white male when he got out of his car to shut his trunk along E. Park Place. The victim said he was struck in the face by the suspect and struggled with him briefly before being pushed to the ground. The suspect then demanded money from the victim and fled on foot towards

Elkton Road, police were told. The victim described the suspect as a white male in his early 20s, wearing a dark jacket, black baseball cap and blue jeans.

### Man caught peeping

A 36-year-old Wilmington man was caught peeping into the window of an apartment in the unit block of Benny Street on Friday, Nov. 24, at 3:19 a.m. Jeffrey T. Mathis was arrested and charged with trespassing with intent to peep and night prowling, said police. He was released pending an appearance in Alderman's Court.

### Laptop, games stolen

A home in the 100 block of Madison Drive was broken into by an unknown suspect who kicked in the rear door, police were told on Thursday, Nov. 23, at 5:31 p.m. The burglar stole a laptop computer, a game console and an Ipod, police were told.

### Man reportedly 'jumped' in lot

A 32-year-old Hockessin man told police he was "jumped" by four unknown suspects as he left a late night meeting at a church in the 200 block of W. Main Street on Tuesday, Nov. 21, around 9:45 p.m. The man said the incident occurred when he walked from the church to his car parked in the back of the lot. The man said he was punched in the back of the head and then fell to the ground, where he was repeatedly kicked and punched by suspects.

### Damage done at apartments

Unknown vandals damaged the interior and exterior of an apartment complex in the unit block of Country Club Drive, police were told on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 10:28 a.m. A first floor door alarm was damaged and graffiti was found on the walls, said police. Investigation will continue.

### Other incidents

Three teenagers placed a spray paint can in a bonfire,

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## Weekly crime report

STATISTICS FOR NOV. 12-18, 2006, COMPILED BY NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

PART I OFFENSES	INVESTIGATIONS			CRIMINAL CHARGES		
	2005 TO DATE	2006 TO DATE	THIS WEEK	2005 TO DATE	2006 TO DATE	THIS WEEK
Murder/manslaughter	1	0	0	1	0	0
Attempted murder	0	1	0	0	1	0
Kidnap	5	0	0	5	15	0
Rape	16	12	0	5	12	0
Unlawful sexual contact	11	8	0	7	6	0
Robbery	43	73	0	38	53	0
Aggravated assault	39	43	0	18	44	0
Burglary	176	173	9	55	53	0
Theft	823	871	22	243	202	2
Auto theft	108	147	3	13	11	0
Arson	5	8	1	1	7	0
All other	59	70	2	83	87	0
<b>TOTAL PART I</b>	<b>1286</b>	<b>1406</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>PART II OFFENSES</b>						
Other assaults	377	374	9	259	253	8
Receiving stolen property	1	3	0	17	37	0
Criminal mischief	616	694	17	98	314	0
Weapons	12	13	0	81	81	0
Other sex offenses	10	17	0	10	20	0
Alcohol	497	512	1	997	1038	3
Drugs	120	114	3	373	374	3
Noise/disorderly premise	756	680	29	402	400	16
Disorderly conduct	913	1195	27	177	197	3
Trespass	171	180	5	85	94	4
All other	519	522	8	198	205	2
<b>TOTAL PART II</b>	<b>3992</b>	<b>4304</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>2697</b>	<b>3013</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>						
Alarm	1315	1270	20	0	0	0
Animal control	528	509	9	17	37	0
Recovered property	246	284	4	0	0	0
Service	7944	8689	231	0	0	0
Suspicious person/vehicle	1292	1024	49	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS</b>	<b>11325</b>	<b>11776</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0</b>

	THIS WEEK 2005	2005 TO DATE	THIS WEEK 2006	2006 TO DATE
<b>TOTAL CALLS</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>26449</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>25759</b>



## IN THE NEWS

# 16 graduate from Citizens Academy

Sixteen students graduated from the Newark Police Department's 8th Citizens Police Academy on Wednesday, Nov. 15.

The students, all residents of Newark and surrounding areas, participated in more than 40 hours of instruction on a variety of police-related topics.

Ten classes offered students a behind-the-scenes look and candid education opportunity to gain a new perspective about law enforcement. The classes

included information on police culture, patrol, forensic science, use of force, enforcing DUI, ride-along and crime scene investigation.

Graduates were Lori Alvarez, Jerome Aniska, Mary Pat Barton, Shakia Bell, Michelle Bloodsworth, Charles Bried, Tisha Carillo, Megan Guest, Sean Haley, Lindsay Hall, Nyla Haug, Lindsey Hopper, Brad Lane, Samuel Mathey, Robert Pappa Jr. and Christine Simpson.



PHOTO SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Sixteen residents of the Newark area graduated from the Newark Police Department's 8th Citizens Academy on Wednesday, Nov. 15. NPD Chief William Nefosky assisted in handing out diplomas.

## Ball rolling on off-campus housing certification

City, Bonistall Foundation working on details

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The ball is rolling on a program meant to secure safe off-campus housing for college students in Newark.

The city has been working with Mark Bonistall of the PEACE OUTside Campus, the Lindsey M. Bonistall Foundation, on preliminary plans for an off-campus apartment certification program. The Newark City Council voted last month to support the project.

PEACE OUTside Campus, an organization dedicated to promoting safe living environments in off-campus college communities, formed after the death of Mark Bonistall's daughter, Lindsey Bonistall, in May 2005. A sophomore at the University of Delaware, Lindsey was raped and strangled in her Towne Court apartment by an intruder.

The crime rocked the Newark community, and city council responded by increasing safety standards for new apartment complexes by requiring outdoor security lighting, approved locks on all exterior and sliding glass doors and peepholes on doors to individual apartments.

To be certified as "safe" by PEACE OUTside Campus, apartments must comply with standing city and state building codes, as well as a list of criteria set forth by the foundation.

Already, the city's building department does a yearly check of rental properties to make sure they conform to the city's strict maintenance codes. "We're already checking for about 90 percent of what the Bonistall Foundation is talking about," said Newark's Building Director Tom Sciulli.

But, to be certified through PEACE OUTside Campus, landlords must go a step further, volunteering for an additional level of inspection. Heightened standards include landscaping techniques and additional locks on sliding glass doors and windows, among other items.

Sciulli said the city will likely assist or manage inspections. In doing so, the building department will expand its current annual inspection program to include a unit-by-unit inspection of an appropriate sample of apartments in large complexes that want to be certified as "safe." Those rentals that pass the inspection will be listed on the foundation's Web site, which can be accessed by UD students.

Sciulli said the program is in the beginning stages. Discussion about the program and its specifics will continue between the city and Bonistall Foundation.

## Alcohol sales at former Stone Balloon site?

Council considers request to extend tavern license at Washington House

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The developer of Washington House condominiums, now under construction on Main Street, asked Newark City Council Monday to extend the liquor license that serviced the former Stone Balloon for a one-year period.

Owner Jim Baeurle of Graceland Group said he would use the Balloon's "taproom on-off license" for a wine tasting bar and retail shop to be built on the property. The unique establishment would give patrons the chance to taste and buy wines, he said, and would appeal to an upscale clientele.

"It's something that fits in the

overall concept of Washington House. It's an adult use, an upscale use and something I think will benefit, not only our project, but Main Street as well," said Baeurle.

The taproom permit used to operate the Stone Balloon allows for the sale and consumption of alcohol on the property and as a carryout item. The use was grandfathered; the city no longer allows tavern permits.

Baeurle asked council to extend the permit, which expires on Dec. 16, one year after the Stone Balloon closed for business. Council agreed to a 60-day extension in order to learn more about the proposed wine bar.

Councilman Jerry Clifton asked if Baeurle would be willing to place some restrictions on the permit, such as the hours of operation and the type of liquor being sold. Baeurle said he did not want to devalue the license with any limitations.

But Planning Director Roy Lopata said he thought it "well

within council's ability" to add conditions to the license renewal. His concern, said Lopata, was the open-ended nature of the taproom license that allows for both bar and package sales.

"I know (Baeurle) values his license, but he's asking for a license that's about to run out. So if you don't change that, it really devalues very quickly," said Lopata. Council, he said, should tailor the license to fit the wine bar concept and prevent the business from becoming just another taproom.

Baeurle agreed to consider some license restrictions. The request will be back before council at the Monday, Jan. 22, 2007, meeting.

Also at Monday's meeting:

Council approved an ordinance to make a portion of Manns Avenue between Orchard Road and Beverly Road a special residential parking district. Parking will be restricted to residents at all times. Also, council voted to install a stop sign and crosswalk on Edjil Drive at Anita Drive.

## BRIEFS

### NHA reviews annual plan

The Newark Housing Authority (NHA) Monday night reviewed the plan it will submit to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to request money for projects to be completed over the next three years.

The proposal seeks more than \$130,000. If approved, a significant portion of the money will go to improvements needed at Independence Circle and to replacing old appliances in several homes, said NHA Director Marene Jordan.

The plan dedicates no money to building demolition

or the relocation of residents. Jordan said a proposed demolition of Cleveland Heights is under review now by HUD. She expects to hear a decision on whether or not the demolition will be allowed in the next few months, she said.

Cleveland Heights, a rent-subsidized apartment complex off of Cleveland Avenue, was built in the 1960s on a portion of a former city landfill. Many residents have been moved out of the complex's 42 units. Only 14 families remain, said Jordan.

### NPD collects toys

The Newark Police Department in cooperation with

the USMC Reserve is commencing its annual Toys for Tots campaign by accepting donated gifts for children up to 12 years of age.

The NPD is accepting gifts in the lobby of police headquarters in the city of Newark municipal building now through Friday, Dec. 8.

On Dec. 13, members of the police department and the USMC Reserve will be taken by the Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company to four area neighborhoods to give the gifts to deserving children.

Any questions about the program should be directed to Cpl. Scott Simpson, 366-7110, ext. 129.



# In Our Schools

EDUCATION NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS

## NOTE PAD

### Open House at Newark High

Newark High School is hosting a School Choice Open House Night on Tuesday, Dec. 5, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. This night is an excellent opportunity for future Newark High School students to see the school and learn about the clubs, sports and organizations Newark High has to offer.

The event begins in the school auditorium promptly at 6:30 p.m. when parents and potential Newark High students will be given instructions for visits to academic organizations and sports and club activities. The Fine Arts department will answer questions in the library where the school is holding a "spectacular book fair!" For more info, call 302-631-4700 ext. 14328.

### Schools and missing children

Having a SmileSafe Kids ID card with a child's photo helps authorities start an accurate, immediate on-site search the moment a child is missing. As part of the SmileSafe Kids program, parents can call the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children's (NCMEC) toll-free hotline at 1-800-LOST for immediate assistance, including electronic transmittal of their child's photo. For more info about this program, visit <http://schoolportraits.life-touch.com>.

For other options and information, visit [www.missingkids.com](http://www.missingkids.com).

### Choice information in Red Clay

Red Clay Consolidated School District is holding Choice Informational Meetings from 6 to 7 p.m. on Nov. 6 at Warner Elementary School and on Nov. 13 at Dickinson High School.

Choice applications for 2007-08 are due by 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2007, at the Red Clay Choice Office, 4550 New Linden Hill Road, Wilmington, DE 19808. Applications are available now at schools, at the Choice Office or at [www.redclay.k12.de.us](http://www.redclay.k12.de.us).

## Principal honored on Recognition Day

In honor of Principal Recognition Day, Marshall Elementary School students expressed exactly how much principal Patrice Buchanan means to them. The students glued together hand-lettered and illustrated messages on note cards to form celebratory quilts that covered the walls in the main hallway and overflowed to adjoining areas.

Phrases such as "You're the best", "You mean so much to me", and "You really make a difference in my life" were abundant, according to Christine Verdi, president of the Marshall PTA. "Mrs. Buchanan was pictured as an angel, a queen, a sun, and a friend," Verdi added.

Buchanan, a former kindergarten teacher and assistant principal at Marshall, was Delaware's Teacher of the Year in 1994.

Principal Recognition Day was started by the Delaware Association of School Administrators in 2001. DASA represents 150 principals, 275 assistant principals and other public and private school administrators throughout the state.

In 2002, Paul G. Carlson, DASA's former executive director, approached Gov. Ruth Ann Minner about formally declaring the third Tuesday of November as Principal Recognition Day. "I was pleased to begin the tradition of formally recognizing our school principals, many of whom operate as unsung heroes within the education community," Gov. Minner said. "Effective principals understand that while good educators are the key to improving student achievement, the teamwork of the entire staff, including the custodians, food service workers and school secretaries, are what ultimately determines the success of a school."



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE POST

Left: Marshall Elementary School principal Patrice Buchanan was thrilled with the quilts that covered several walls in the school hallway and an adjoining area. Above: Marshall Elementary School honored its leader on Principal Recognition Day.

## Students join Y.E.L.L. to save lives of peers

St. Mark's High School was one of four Delaware schools receiving a 2006 Y.E.L.L. (Youth to Eliminate Loss of Life) Award at the 18th annual Y.E.L.L. conference in October. The other recipients were: Charter School of Wilmington; Padua Academy; and, N. Georgetown Elementary School (for the fourth year in a row).

The awards were given to Y.E.L.L. chapters for making a positive impact in their schools and communities. Y.E.L.L.'s mission is to reduce death and injury of youth on Delaware's highways through preventive programs. It works to do this by supporting

youth that want to actively promote a drug-free message and highway safety in their schools and communities.

Sponsored by the Office of Highway Safety in conjunction with the YMCA Resource Center of Delaware, the conference brought students from throughout Delaware to share ideas, learn new skills, and have drug and alcohol-free fun. Students from 14 Delaware schools learned how to help their peers avoid the tragic results of alcohol, drug and tobacco use.



The most dramatic moment at the conference came when nine students, each representing a life lost in the past year from an alcohol-related fatality, assembled before the audience as the name, age and circumstances of their death were described. Giving a solemn presence to those whose lives were cut short, the representing students wore yellow placards throughout the conference as they attended workshops and the awards luncheon.

Y.E.L.L. also honored Julian "Pete" Booker, the president and

CEO of Delmarva Broadcasting Company, with the Governor's Highway Safety Association (GHSA) Peter K. O'Roarke Special Achievement Award. Booker received the award for his work in the creation of Smart Drive, an educational program for 11th and 12th grade high school students that focuses on re-enforcing safe driving behaviors and techniques originally learned in driver education.

The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence estimates that underage drinking costs the nation an estimated \$53 billion annually. With a theme of

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IN OUR SCHOOLS

# 'No Place for Hate' at Wilson

Program aims for bias-free learning environment

Wilson Elementary School in Newark is the first school in Delaware to aspire to becoming a No Place for Hate® school. To be granted this designation, schools must demonstrate that administrators, teachers, and parents are committed to a safe, inclusive, bias-free learning environment for all students.

The school launched No Place for Hate® with an assembly on Monday, Nov. 13, where students performed a skit around the theme of empathy. The students also promised to treat everyone fairly, even if they are different from them.

Schools that adopt the No Place for Hate® Promise must plan and implement three school-wide anti-bias/anti-bullying activities over the course of the year. Wilson's PTA and administrators are working on additional events, including a multicultural fair and diversity poster campaign, to be



held later in the school year.

The expansion of No Place for Hate® into Delaware follows the program's success in Pennsylvania where there are now over 100 participating No Place for Hate® schools.

The Anti-Defamation League (ADL) created No Place for Hate® to help schools challenge all types of prejudice, celebrate diversity, and foster safe, inclusive learning environments. Through materials, programs and services, ADL builds bridges of communication, understanding and respect among diverse groups. The Philadelphia office of ADL serves eastern Pennsylvania and all of Delaware. For more info, visit [noplacementforhate@adl.org](mailto:noplacementforhate@adl.org).



## BRIEFLY

Keene students show their 'koalaty'

Every year students at Keene Elementary School in Glasgow raise money to help save koalas through a program sponsored by the Australian Koala Foundation. "Koalas are special at Keene because they



are the school mascot," said teacher Ann Sylvester. "The students raised enough money this year to adopt an adult and her joey [baby]."

In addition, the Foundation will use part of the school's donation to plant three new trees that will help replenish the forests where koalas live.

Keene students have also helped in programs such as Basket Brigade, YMCA Food Baskets, Pennies for Patients, Katrina Funds, and Jump Rope for Heart. Sylvester added that Keene's "koalaty" students are definitely learn-

ing to make a difference for others!

Where have all the insects gone?

If it seems as though there are fewer creepy-crawly insects outside these days, it may be because they've been collected by the fifth grade students at The Independence School on Paper Mill Road in Newark.

During this popular hands-on science experience, Independence fifth graders learn the process of classifying insects, the characteristics of eight different orders of insects, the role of insects in the food chain, the harm and benefits of insects, and more.

The unit culminates with the insect collection when students are required to provide samples of eight different orders of insects. They are taught the correct methods of pinning and labeling.

Now in its 29th year, The Independence School enrolls approximately 820 students age 3 through grade eight in three divisions. For more information, call 302-239-0330 or visit [www.theindependenceschool.org](http://www.theindependenceschool.org)

## State Parks staff goes to school

When you work for a large division with sites spread throughout the state, it can be tough getting to know the details of all of them. Some of your colleagues you might know only as voices on the phone.

At the 3rd Annual Delaware State Parks School held in October at Delaware Technical and Community College, 180 staff members of the Delaware Division of Parks and Recreation spent a day learning more about peers and issues in their field and their division.

Special guest Dr. Stuart Johnson of the Louisiana State Parks system shared the challenges his agency faced in the wake of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, which struck Louisiana last August and September. His

dramatic before-and-after slides of park scenes, as well as the sobering statistic that the damaged parks stand to lose up to 90 percent of their once lush tree cover, drew shocked and sympathetic murmurs.

The afternoon was devoted to workshops that detailed trail building, historic preservation practices, mapping, monitoring for illegal behavior by park patrons, "green" practices for parks, deer management and a close up look at Delaware's most dangerous flora and fauna, from poison ivy to chiggers.

Staff also had the opportunity to take a guided photo-tour of the Parks' newest acquisition, the Auburn Heights Preserve in northern Delaware, which includes an elegant Victorian mansion, a unique collection of steam-pow-

ered cars and 187 acres of lush, rolling countryside.

"Delaware's State Parks programs, land holdings and management issues are very diverse, from ocean beaches and inland bays to forestland and historic sites," said Parks Deputy Principal Assistant Greg Abbott. "It is difficult for our staff to manage their day-to-day responsibilities and still keep up with the new initiatives in our park system."

Abbott added that the State Parks School allowed the staff to "change gears a little" and spend a full day focused on important issues and preparing to better serve visitors.

For more information on Delaware State Parks, visit [www.destateparks.com](http://www.destateparks.com)

## Leadership skills shared

► Y.E.L.L., from 4

"Walking the Walk," the October conference included workshops, exhibits and award presentations that emphasized leadership and operational skills for students from school Y.E.L.L. chapters statewide.

Any organization composed of middle or senior high school students that shares the philosophy of Y.E.L.L. is eligible for membership. Funding for Y.E.L.L. is provided through a Delaware Office of Highway Safety grant. For more info, visit [www.ymcade.org/branches/resource\\_center](http://www.ymcade.org/branches/resource_center).



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# Opinion

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POST COLUMNIST

## Cellulosic ethanol

By AL GRUBER

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

Are you confused by the reports of ethanol (as a transportation fuel) derived from corn? The editorial in the 2 June 2006 SCIENCE by Professor Chris Somerville, molecular and plant cell biologist, sheds a good deal of light on the claims. Somerville is at Stanford University and also director of The department of plant biology at the Carnegie Institution.

He starts with the idea that the only method of producing transportation fuels competitive with fossil fuels is from biomass captured via photosynthesis. In Brazil (now using 25 percent of alternative fuel) and India, large amounts of biomass (cellulose) are available from sugar cane. In America, cellulose is mostly available from corn. It must be understood alcohol, notably ethanol, may be extracted from two parts of that plant. The golden grain (off the cob) has been converted for centuries relatively easily to grain alcohol, ethanol — the product is moonshine or more commonly, whiskey.

The rest of the corn plant, called stover, can also be coaxed into ethanol but with difficulty. The problem is we have insufficient knowledge. Despite centuries of working with celluloses from trees and other plants to make, for example, paper we still don't know the efficient enzymes that make the alcohol. One of the problems, as in wine making, is that as the percentage of alcohol increases, the yeast that ferments the sugars is killed.

Now let's examine the quantities of the alcohol that would be necessary to replace only gasoline and diesel. (The statistics are Somerville's.) We currently use 140 billion gallons of ground transport fuel annually mostly from fossil sources such as petroleum. Unfortunately fossil fuel and alcohol fuel are not equal in energy and it would take 200 billion gallons of ethanol to replace the current gasoline and diesel. Presently, the USA has approximately 90 corn-grain to ethanol refineries producing 4.5 billion gallons annually. Obviously the amount of corn-grain available for fuel has a maximum as it is a major source of food for humans and farm animals and the area of land for useful production keeps decreasing with population growth and urban sprawl. (Delaware is a perfect example of this trend.) Of course as competition for the food supply increases so will the prices.

That leaves the stover as principal asset. The Oak Ridge National Laboratory estimates we could produce 1.3 billion tons of dry biomass per year in addition to present forestry and agricultural production. Theoretically 100 gallons of alcohol can be made per ton of dry bio-

mass meaning the maximum output from stover is 130 billion gallons. As stated earlier we would need 200 billion gallons to replace all the petroleum ground transport fuel. (Reminder — theoretical may be a long way from actual.)

To give some perspective on the condition of research, Professor Somerville estimates a mere one percent of the National Institute of Health budget would equal the total plant biology budgets of all federal agencies. He made no mention of industrial budgets. He also believes to pull all the science and engineering together to solve the effort of making ethanol from bio mass such as corn stalks will take an effort similar to the atomic bomb development done by the Manhattan Project.

The 2007 Federal Budget proposed \$150 million to make cellulosic ethanol competitive with corn-grain alcohol by 2012. Apparently the political thinking is more optimistic than the scientist's.

*Retired after 32 years with Dupont, the writer also was a Christmas tree farmer for 25 years. He is a member of the Scribblers group at Newark Senior Center and has lived in Newark for four decades.*



Gruber

### OUT OF THE ATTIC

This week, "Out of the Attic" features a photo submitted by the Newark Camera Shop. This photo of the Main Street building is thought to have been taken in 1948. Readers who have a historic photo and would like to share it with other readers are invited to loan their photos for reprinting in this space. Special care will be taken. For information, call the Newark Post weekdays, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., at 737-0724.

## PAGES FROM THE PAST

News as it appeared in the Newark Post through the years

Dec. 3, 1931

### Benefit Moving Picture for Unemployment Welfare Fund

Announcement was made yesterday afternoon that a moving picture for the unemployment and welfare fund will be held in the State Theatre on Dec. 21 and 22 through the generosity of Mr. L. Handloff, owner. The entire proceeds will go to this fund.

This is sponsored by the Lions Club in conjunction with and cooperating with the Newark Welfare Society, whose chairman is Mrs. Helen Wilson. Mr. R. T. Jones heads the committee from the Lions Club as chairman, and he asks 100 per cent support for this benefit and should get it.

### Women's College Physical Education Building Conceded to be one of Finest in the U.S.

The new Physical Education Building just finished on the campus of the Women's College of the University of Delaware is conceded by authorities to be one of the finest buildings of the type in the country.

The building will be dedicated Dec. 12, when the structure will be open for inspection and the public is invited to take this opportunity to see what the citizens of Delaware through their legislature have done for their children's health and happiness. The members of the legislature and friends of the college that made this building possible, are to be admired and congratulated.

Dec. 3, 1986

### Delaware plans year-long celebration of Constitution

Throughout 1987 Americans will be celebrating the 200th anniversary of the ratification of the Constitution, that revered document which both defines

our unique system of government and binds us together as one people.

And during that time special attention will be focused on Delaware because it was the first state to ratify the Constitution, hence the popular nickname printed on residents' blue-and-gold license plates.

Delawareans will begin the year-long celebration this week-

end because it was on Dec. 7 — the day that the Japanese later relegated to "infamy" by bombing Pearl Harbor — in the year 1787 when the state's delegates ratified the Constitution.

### DelDOT is considering various solutions

It's official. The state now knows statistically what southern Newark residents have suspected for months — a large number of truckers are skipping the stateline toll on Interstate 95 by looping around the Christina Parkway.

State Secretary of Transportation Kermit H. Justice told a gathering of state and local officials last Thursday in Newark that a \$30,000 state study conducted in September revealed that of 2,147 trucks surveyed, a total of 1,213 — 56.5 percent — were using Christina parkway to escape the I-95 toll.

Because the average truck toll is \$3, the state is

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"Pages From The Past" is compiled from early editions of the Newark Post and its forerunners by staffers. Efforts are made to retain original headlines and style.



COMMENTARY

# Using the next two years to eradicate poverty

To: Editor  
 From: Linda Steinkrauss  
 Newark

Thank you to Congressman Mike Castle for his letter to the editor (Using the next two years wisely, 11/16/06) outlining his plans for leading us over the next two years. He discussed important issues facing our nation including assurance of a good education for all, homeland security, and stem cell research. I care about these topics too, but I was disappointed to read nothing about his plans to combat extreme poverty, hunger, and disease affecting our brothers and sisters in third world countries.

While many of us in the United States "worry" about the task of making an elaborate Thanksgiving dinner, much of the world worries daily about eating any food at all. I can list statistics; six million children under the age of 5 die each year as a result of hunger; one half of all the world's children live in poverty; 1.3 billion people have no access to clean water; one half of the world lives on less than \$2 per day.

But what upsets me more than these statistics are the stories of

those who are living this life of extreme poverty. One woman writes, "Lack of work worries me. My children were hungry and I told them the rice is cooking, until they fell asleep from hunger." ([www.worldbank.org/poverty/voices/index.htm](http://www.worldbank.org/poverty/voices/index.htm))

In 2000, the United Nations, with U.S. support, adopted the Millennium Development Goals. The purpose of these goals was to reduce extreme poverty, disease, and deprivation. We Americans need to hold our leaders accountable for accomplishing these goals. Extreme poverty is not a hopeless problem! Aside from just giving monetary handouts, there are several things developed countries can do to help undeveloped countries break out of extreme poverty. (For more details, see *The End of Poverty* by Jeffrey D. Sachs [Penguin Books, 2005] and visit [www.one.org](http://www.one.org) and [www.millenniumpromise.org](http://www.millenniumpromise.org)).

In order for Congressman Mike Castle and all our federal government representatives to



"use the next two years wisely," they need to help those in third world countries escape extreme poverty. This is the biggest crisis facing our nation and our world. The people living under these horrific conditions are just like you and me. Imagine sending your child to bed as she is crying from hunger.

## Stay fit through the holidays

To: Editor  
 From: Lt. Governor  
 John C. Carney Jr.

The clock is ticking on 2006.

Thanksgiving has just passed; Christmas is right around the corner, and pretty soon we'll be celebrating the start of a new year. Everyone's lives get busier during the holiday season, and between the parties, shopping, and family gatherings, eating healthy and exercising are probably the last things on most people's minds.

Maintaining fitness through the holidays is a challenge for many people and it requires commitment to a healthy lifestyle and regular physical activity. The Lt. Governor's Challenge provides such a commitment and can help you enjoy the holiday season and stay fit at the same time.

The challenge, which I started four years ago, encourages people to incorporate regular physical activity into their daily lives. Participants accumulate points by completing any of a wide variety of daily activities. After three months, participants are awarded a gold, silver, or bronze medal based on the num-

ber of points they earned. The purpose of the challenge is not to turn everyone into a body builder or a marathon runner. It's about having fun with family and friends while improving your health. Doing simple activities a few times a week, like walking around the neighborhood or going for a bike ride, will have you well on your way to earning a gold medal and improving your lifestyle.

The holidays are a busy time for all of us, but it's important not to forget about our health among all the other events that fill our schedules. More than 27,000 Delawareans have taken the challenge. If you'd like to join them during this holiday season, or just want more information, please don't hesitate to call my office at 577-8787 or visit the challenge website at <http://www.getupanddosomething.com/ltgov/>

Have a happy and healthy holiday season.

## Casho Mill tunnel complete in April

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failing to collect an estimated \$3,600 per day.

Dec. 5, 2001

## DelDot promises Casho Mill tunnel to be complete in April

The Casho Mill Road pedestrian tunnel, on the A list of most-wanted local traffic improvements is no closer to completion.

In August, Delaware Department of Transportation spokesperson Mike Williams said the contractor for the project at the CXS Railroad underpass near Barksdale Road requested a Value Engineering Evaluation. At that time, Williams said DelDot was projecting a December finish for the overall project.

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# Lifestyle

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## OUTLOOK

### Conquering the fear

By KATIE DALY

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Think back for a moment about the first time that you ever spoke in public. Maybe you gave a speech or an oral report in school, or maybe you had to give a presentation to a room full of colleagues. Are you having flash backs of shaky hands and legs, some sweat on your forehead, or a trembling voice?

Being that more Americans fear public speaking than they do death, odds are that you have had one or more of these symptoms. Now imagine this scenario: you are 8

years old and you give a speech to a room full of peers and parents about your experience at 4-H Environmental Science Camp. Sure, you may have some of the same nervous symptoms, but you'll probably conquer those fears earlier in life, because you started public speaking at a young age.

When youth engage in activities such as public speaking early on they learn to master skills as they age. Rather than developing an even greater fear of the event, youth learn poise, self confidence, communication skills, and flexibility. Let's also keep in mind the literacy skills that are gained with reading and writing a speech. It takes time and concentration for a well thought out and well written speech to come to life. And speaking of coming to life, youth learn how to deliver

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## 'Pet Sounds' alive and well for Beach Boys' Brian Wilson

*Legendary musician plays landmark album in its entirety*

STORY BY SCOTT MCALLISTER AND HEATHER BAKER-MCALLISTER  
PHOTOS BY SCOTT MCALLISTER

In 1966 Brian Wilson started work on an album that would become a landmark. At the time of its release, it was criticized by music reviewers and even members of Wilson's band, The Beach Boys. They did not grasp what Wilson had created.

That same album, once highly criticized, is now highly acclaimed and has influenced a generation of musicians. Paul McCartney has even said if it was not for this album, the Beatles' "Sgt. Pepper" would have never been recorded and released. The album McCartney referenced is, of course, "Pet Sounds."

Forty years later, Pet Sounds is one of the most popular albums to own and has

been voted by several music magazines as the number one album of all time. To celebrate this year's 40th anniversary of Pet Sounds, Wilson has been touring with his band (The Brian Wilson Band) and reproducing the entire album on stage.

Wilson and his band rolled into the Keswick Theatre in Glenside, Pa., on Sunday, Nov. 19. He brought with him fellow Beach Boy founding member, Al Jardine. Jardine has been touring with Brian on select dates as part of the Pet Sounds tour.

As Wilson and his band took the stage for a 20-minute acoustic set, fans were already anticipating the energy he would bring. He started with his first song,



"Surfer Girl," and told the crowd he wrote the piece while driving home after watching the movie, "Pinocchio."

The band went into "Wendy" and a song that highlighted the Beach Boys trademark vocal harmonies, "Add Some Music." The acoustic set ended with two

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LIFESTYLE

# Wilson has passion for album after 40 years

▶ **PET SOUNDS, from 8**

lesser known Beach Boys songs, the soft ballad "Please Let Me Wonder" and the AM radio rock song, "Drive In."

Band members transitioned from the acoustic set to an electric set with a simple a capella song called "You're Welcome." As soon as Wilson was set at his keyboard, he introduced fellow Beach Boy member, Al Jardine,

and they started into "Then I Kissed Her," featuring Jardine on lead vocals. For the rest of the show, Wilson handled the lead. Once he settled in on stage, he seemed comfortable and at ease at the keyboard.

After playing for more than an hour the band took a short intermission to prepare for what everyone had come to hear — Wilson performing Pet Sounds in its entirety. Something he will never do again after this tour.

Wilson introduced it this way: "I guess it is time to do what you came to hear us do." It was obvious Wilson was passionate about the album, even 40 years after it was recorded and released to the public. As percussionist Nelson Brad Jr. started the intro of "Wouldn't It Be Nice" the band was off and running with no stops between songs, except for one comment from Wilson introducing, "God Only Knows." "This is the best achievement I have in 44 years of song writing. Paul McCartney told me this was his favorite song," said Wilson.

Watching Wilson throughout the performance, the audience couldn't help but notice his passion for his music as he moved his hands and arms back and forth, guiding the band. He was so intent on the music that when it came time for the band to perform the instrumental songs, "Pet



NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY SCOTT MCALLISTER

**Brian Wilson on stage at the Keswick Theater for a 40th anniversary performance of the Beach Boys' album, "Pet Sounds."**

Sounds" and "Let's Go Away For Awhile," Wilson turned his back to the audience and listened to the band. The audience was mesmerized by the experience. As soon as the band finished the last notes of "Caroline No," the audience gave a standing ovation.

Lead guitarist Jeff Fosket introduced the entire band before they performed their encore, which featured Chuck Berry's "Johnny B. Goode," "Barbara Ann," "Fun, Fun, Fun," "Help Me Rhonda" and "Surfin USA." The show ended with Wilson singing,

"Love and Mercy," with only his keyboard as back up. The band stood around him harmonizing on a song that's needed more today than ever.

Who would have thought Wilson, musical recluse for so many years, would ever tour again? Since he started touring in 1999, his voice has gotten stronger and his passion for the music has grown. It's a musical experience everyone should have.

## Public speaking

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a speech in an exciting and clear manner.

Now you have some understanding of how beneficial it is for your children to get involved in public speaking, but you may be wondering what the other pluses are. Just think of the valuable skills they will have gained that will help them with their school work, in the community, and when they go for a job interview. They will have a leg up on

the competition because of their ability to quickly form and communicate a thought or an idea. In addition, youth will develop a positive self image because they will learn that they can succeed.

Your final thought may be how do I get my children involved in public speaking? That's simple! Encourage them to speak up in class, to enter public speaking competitions and to join 4-H. 4-H is a community of young people across America learning leadership, citizenship, and life skills. Several Newark residents participated in the recent 4-H Public Speaking competition and had a great time. Join us now and you'll be in time for the Demonstration competition in May.

For more information call the New Castle County 4-H office at 302-831-8965.

## Shop with Santa on Saturday, Dec. 2

Children are invited to participate in Santa's Secret Shoppe on Saturday, Dec. 2, from 9 a.m. to noon at the George Wilson Center in Newark.

The event, sponsored by Newark's Department of Parks and Recreation, gives children the opportunity to buy gifts for family and friends at a pint-sized price tag. All items are priced between \$.75 and \$5 and will be gift wrapped for free.

Volunteers will be on hand to assist children with shopping. Admission is free to the public.

Santa will be on hand from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday. Children and their parents are encouraged to join Santa for juice, donuts and a relaxed visit at the George Wilson Center. Cost is \$2 per person at the door.

For more information, call the Newark Parks and Recreation office at 366-7060, or visit <http://newark.de.us>.

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**CHILDREN'S ART PROGRAM** 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Newark Arts Alliance. "Calder Mobiles," for ages 4-14. Free. George Wilson Center, Newark. Info, 731-5801.

**WINTERFEST** 6 - 9 p.m. Caroling, roasted chestnuts, hot chocolate & cider, carriage rides, tree lighting, and more. 5K Race at 6:30 p.m. Academy Building Lawn, Newark. Info, 366-7030.

**BOOK FAIR** 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Featuring a variety of fiction, non-fiction and holiday books from Barnes & Noble. Cecil Community College,

Technology Center Student Lounge, North East, Md. Info, 410-287-6060, ext 565.

**PLAY** 8 p.m. Also Saturday at 3 p.m. The Station Players will present "Mystery?" \$5. Cecil Community College Performing Arts Hall, 107 Railroad Ave., Elkton, Md. Info, 410-287-6060, ext. 207.

**CONCERT** 8 p.m. UD Dept. of Music presents the second Master Chamber Series, "An Encounter with Brahms." Adults \$17, Students \$5. Advance ticket purchase recommended. Mitchell Hall, S. College Ave., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**CONCERT** 7:30 p.m. Third Music Masters Concert presented by Wilmington Music School, featuring works by Spanish and Latin composers. \$10. 401 Washington St., Wilmington. Info, 762-1132.

**DANCE** 8 - 11 p.m. Contra Dance. Lessons from 7:30 - 8 p.m. \$8. Arden Guild Hall, 2406 Granby Rd., Wilmington. Info, 478-7257.

**HOT CHOCOLATE HIKE** 7 p.m. Enjoy an enchanting full moon hike. Hot chocolate provided to keep you warm. \$2. Meet at the Nature Center. White Clay Creek State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.

**DJ DANCE PARTY** 9:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. Featuring Tom Travers. No cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**LIVE MUSIC** 9 p.m. Featuring Bacardi and Cola. Home Grown Café, 126 E. Main, Newark. Info, 266-6993.

**SOULFUL CINEMA** 7 p.m. Presenting "Le Grand Voyage." \$5 donation. First Unitarian Church, 730 Halstead Rd., Wilmington. Info, 478-2384.

**ART EXHIBIT** 5 - 8 p.m. View hand-blown glass and meet the artist, Deborah Appleby, of Lewes. Exhibit thru Dec. 29. Delaware Division of the Arts Mezzanine Gallery, Carvel State Office Building, 820 N. French St., Wilmington. Info, 577-8291.



## HEAR THOSE SLEIGH BELLS?

Must be Santa coming back to town on Friday, Dec. 1, as part of the city of Newark's annual Winterfest celebration. The event, sponsored by Newark's Department of Parks and Recreation, will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. on the Academy Building lawn on Main Street. The traditional holiday celebration features all the Christmas favorites — caroling, roasted chestnuts, hot chocolate and cider, carriage rides, a tree lighting and an appearance by Santa Claus.

## SATURDAY, DEC. 2

**CONCERT** 8 p.m. UD Dept. of Music presents Schola Cantorum and the Concert Choir. Adults \$12, Students \$3. Mitchell Hall, South College Ave., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**QUILT BEE** 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sponsored by Quilts for Comfort. Make quilts for at-risk children and cancer patients. Free, bring food to share for lunch. Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Info, 834-1227.

**TEA PARTY** 1:30 - 3 p.m. Join Alice in Wonderland and all her friends. Ages 3-10. Sponsored by Newark Parks & Recreation. \$18 for residents, \$21 for non-residents. George Wilson Center, Newark. Info, 366-7060.

**SANTA'S SECRET SHOPPE** 9 a.m. - Noon. An opportunity for children to purchase gifts for family and friends with a pint sized price tag. All items priced between \$.75 and \$5.00 and gift wrapped for free. Join Santa

for juice and donuts from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. \$2. George Wilson Center, Newark. Info, 366-7060.

**LIVE MUSIC** 9 p.m. Featuring Pollards Pharmacy. Home Grown Café, 126 E. Main, Newark. Info, 266-6993.

**MATINEE** 11 a.m. Saturdays in Dec. Holiday movie showings. Free with a non-perishable food donation for Newark Area Welfare Committee. Newark Cinema Center. Info, 366-7030.

**USED BOOK SALE** 10 - 5 p.m. Also Dec. 3, 1 - 8 p.m. Sponsored by Friends of the Bear Library. Bear Library, 101 Governor's Square, Bear. Info, 838-3323.

**HOLIDAY FAIR** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Crafts, plants and wreaths, bake sale, lunch and more. Brandywine Springs Elementary School, 2916 Duncan Rd., Wilmington. Info, 633-0892.

**OPEN HOUSE** 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Fifes & Drums of Delaware Militia will perform, dedication of Boyce Room, Christmas ornaments and pottery available. Hale-Byrnes House, 606 Stanton-Christiana Rd., Newark. Info, 737-5792.

**USED BOOK SALE** 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Also Sunday from 1 - 5 p.m. Sponsored by the Friends of the Kirkwood Highway Library. All proceeds will go toward the new Library Building Fund. Community Room, 6000 Kirkwood Hwy, Wilmington. Info, 366-8802.

**LIVE MUSIC** Featuring LauraLea & Tripp Fabulous. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**EYEGLOSS COLLECTION** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. The Glasgow Lions Club will be collecting used eyeglasses and hearing aides to be recycled and used in impoverished countries. People's Plaza Christmas Event, Glasgow. Info, 834-0130.

**CHRISTMAS IN ODESSA** 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Tour beautifully decorated homes, enjoy craft sales and many other activities. \$20 for tour. Odessa. Info, 378-4900.

## SUNDAY, DEC. 3

**CONCERT** 3 p.m. UD Dept. of Music presents the university orchestra. Adults \$12, Students \$3. Puglisi Orchestra Hall, Orchard Rd., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**CONCERT** 8 p.m. UD Dept. of Music presents the university singers. Adults \$12, Students \$3. Gore Recital Hall, Orchard Rd., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**HOLIDAY CRAFT** 1 p.m. Wreath making. \$8. Judge Morris Estate. White

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## FRIDAY, DEC. 1

**STRENGTH TRAINING** 9 - 10 a.m.

Mondays; 6:45 - 7:45 p.m. Tues. and Thurs.; 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. Wed. and Fri. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

## SATURDAY, DEC. 2

**MEN'S BREAKFAST** 7:30 a.m. Saturday. \$5 donation goes to missions. Greater Grace Church, 750 Otts Chapel Rd. Info, 738-1530.

**KARAOKE** 8 p.m. - 12 a.m. Saturday. The American Legion of Elkton, 129 W. Main St. Info, 410-398-9720.

**CHRISTIAN MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION** 8:30 a.m. First Saturday. Denny's, Route 13, New Castle. Info, 838-6458.

## MONDAY, DEC. 4

**CHILDREN'S NATURE PROGRAM** 10:30 a.m. Mondays in December. "Nature Nuggets - Fall Series," discovery program for young children. \$3. White Clay Creek State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.

**MHA DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP** 7 - 9 p.m. Mondays. Support group sponsored by Mental Health Association in Delaware. Free. To protect privacy of members, meeting locations provided only with registration. Info, 765-9740.

**GUARDIANS' SUPPORT** 6 - 8 p.m. Mondays. Meeting for grandparents and all those raising others' children. Children & Families First, 62 N. Chapel St. Info, 658-5177, ext. 260.

**NEWARK ROTARY CLUB** 6:15 - 7:30

p.m. Mondays. Iron Hill Brewery, 147 E. Main, Newark. Info, 453-8853.

**NCCO STROKE CLUB** 12 p.m. Mondays. The Jewish Community Center, Talleyville. Info, 324-4444.

**SCOTTISH DANCING** 7:30 p.m. Mondays. St. Thomas Episcopal Church, S. College Avenue. Info, 368-2318.

**ENGLISH CLASSES** 1 and 7 p.m. Mondays. English Conversational Classes. Free. Newark United Methodist Church, 69 E. main St., Newark. Info, 368-4942.

**TAI CHI** 2:30 p.m. Monday or Wednesday; 11:15 a.m. Friday. \$20 per month. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**SIMPLY JAZZERCISE** 5:30 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**PANIC RELIEF** 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Mondays or 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. New group forming in Newark area. Overcome your fears, anxiety, and agoraphobia and achieve positive self-image. Info, 732-940-9658.

## TUESDAY, DEC. 5

**CREATIONIST MEETING** 7 p.m. Scientific & Biblical Creationist Fellowship. This month's meeting hosts Jay Auxt, Engineer, Researcher, and Teacher. Bible Fellowship Church, 808 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark. Info, 731-5395.

**NEWARK DELTONES** 7:45 p.m. Tuesdays. For men who like to sing. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info, 368-3052.

## MEETINGS

**DIAMOND STATE CHORUS OF SWEET ADELINES** 7:30 - 10 p.m. Tuesdays. Women's acapella singing group. Curious and enthusiastic singers welcome. Life Community Church, 750 Otts Chapel Rd., Newark. Info, 731-5981.

**COPING WITH LIFE & MS** 4 - 5:30 p.m. First Tuesday. A support group. St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 1314 Foulk Rd. Info, 479-5080.

**MOMS CLUB/NEWARK** 9:30 a.m. First Tuesday. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info, 834-1505.

**STAMP GROUP** 1 p.m. First and third Tuesday. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**NEWARK LIONS** 6:30 p.m. First and third Tuesday. Lions meeting with program. Holiday Inn, Route 273 and I-95. Info, 731-1972.

**CANCER SUPPORT GROUP** 7 p.m. First and third Tuesdays. Liberty Baptist Church, Red Lion Road, Bear. Info, 838-2060.

## WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6

**TAI CHI** 9:30 a.m. Wednesdays. Integrate mind, body, and spirit using techniques developed by the ancient Chinese. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

**CONSTITUENT BREAKFAST** 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. Terry Schooley will attend to

field questions and concerns. Eagle Diner, Elkton Road. Info, 577-8476.

**DIVORCECARE** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Support group meeting. Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 308 Possum Park Rd. Info, 737-2300.

**DISCUSSION GROUP** 7 - 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Current events and religious issues discussions led by Rev. Bruce Gillette. Limestone Presbyterian Church, 2301 Limestone Rd., Wilmington. Info, 994-5646.

**WOMAN'S CLUB** Noon. Of Cecil County. After lunch, Arts Committee will host Elkton High School Choir. Free. Elkton Town Hall, Railroad Ave., Elkton, Md. Info, 410-398-9598.

**DIVORCECARE** 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Separated/divorced people meet. Praise Assembly, 1421 Old Baltimore Pike. Info, 737-5040.

**FAMILY CIRCLES** 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 658-5177.

**GRIEFSHARE** 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Seminar and support group for those who have lost someone close to them. Praise Assembly, 1421 Old Baltimore Pike. Info, 737-5040.

**BINGO** 12:45 p.m. Wednesdays. Lunch available for \$2.25 a platter at 11:45 a.m. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP** 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Meeting for men who are survivors of and newly diagnosed with prostate cancer. The American Cancer Society Office, 92 Reads Way, Suite 205, New Castle. Info, 234-4227.

**SPINAL CORD INJURY SUPPORT**

**GROUP 5 - 7 p.m.** First Wednesday. Meetings feature speakers and topics of interest to people with spinal cord injuries, as well as the opportunity to speak with therapists and social workers. Wilmington Hospital, Floor 6, OT Gym. Info, 428-6669.

**LA LECHE LEAGUE** 9:45 a.m. First Wednesday. Meeting and discussion on breast-feeding and mothering. The Bible Fellowship Church, Newark. Info, 838-9444.

**MOMS CLUB/BEAR** 9:30 a.m. First Wednesday. 345 School Bell Rd., Bear. Info, 832-2604.

**AT HOME MOTHERS CONNECTION** 7:30 p.m. First and third Wednesday. Meeting for moms only. St. Barnabas Church, Duncan Road. Info, 610-274-2165.

## THURSDAY, DEC. 7

**YOGA** 10:15 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Thursdays. Increase your flexibility and strength, and reduce stress by using gentle Yoga techniques. Free, pre-registration is required. For people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

**TAI CHI** 4:15 p.m. Thursdays. Integrate mind, body, and spirit using techniques developed by the ancient Chinese. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle County, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

**LET'S DANCE CLUB** 4 - 6 p.m.

See **MEETINGS, 11** ▶



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MEETINGS, from 10

- Thursdays. Features ballroom and line dancing. Free. Meets at Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.
- STORYTIME** 10:30 a.m. Thursdays. Animal stories read by a lively storyteller. Near the Otter exhibit, The Brandywine Zoo. Info, 571-7747.
- EVENING YOGA** 6:15 p.m. Thursdays. Class to encourage relaxation and improve strength, balance, and peace of mind. \$15 per month. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336
- WOMEN'S DEPRESSION** 7 - 9 p.m.

- Thursdays. Support group sponsored by Mental Health Association in Delaware. Free. To protect privacy of members, meeting locations provided only with registration. Info, 765-9740.
- DIVORCECARE** 7 - 8:30 p.m. Thursdays. Separated/divorced persons meet. Southern Chester County YMCA, East Baltimore Pike, Jennersville, Pa. Info., 610-869-2140.
- NEWARK MORNING ROTARY** 7 - 8:15 a.m. Thursdays. Meeting and breakfast. The Blue & Gold Club, Newark. Info, 737-1711 or 737-0724.
- BLUEGRASS/OLDTIME JAM** 7:30 - 10 p.m. Thursdays. Any skill level welcome. Bring your own instrument. St. Thomas Episcopal Church, S. College Avenue.

- GRIEFSHARE** 7 p.m. Thursdays. Seminar and support group for those who have lost someone close to them. Union United Methodist Church, 345 School Bell Rd., Bear. Info, 737-5040.
- MOMS CLUB OF PIKE CREEK** 9:30 a.m. First Thursday. Non-profit organization supporting stay-at-home-moms. All mothers are welcome. Limestone Presbyterian Church, 3201 Limestone Road. Info, 235-0126 or email pikecreekmomsclub@yahoo.com.
- POTPOURRI - A COMBINATION OF INCONGRUOUS THINGS** 4 p.m. First Thursday. Ages 7 and older. Pre-registration necessary. Limited to 20 children. The New Castle Public Library, 424 Delaware

- St. Info, 328-1995.
- TRICKS OF THE TRADE** 7 p.m. First Thursday. Real estate seminar on home buying and selling. Free. Refreshments will be provided, seating is limited. DEXTA Federal Credit Union, 300 Foulk Rd. Wilmington, Info, 772-1200.
- MIDDLETOWN LUNCHEON GROUP**

- Noon. First Thursday. Social group. McGlynn's Pub & Restaurant, Route 40 and Route 896. Info, 378-2573.
- COFFEE & CONVERSATION** 10:30 a.m.- Noon. First and Third Thursday. Temple Beth Emeth, 300 W. Lea Blvd., Wilmington. Info, 764-4335.

EVENTS, from 10

- Clay Creek State Park, Newark. Info, 368-6900.
- ADVENT CONCERT** 2 p.m. The 50-voice chorus of the Delaware Saengerbund will perform a program of German and American Christmas songs. Free. Delaware Saengerbund, 49 Salem Church Rd., Newark. Info, 366-9454.
- CONCERT** 7 & 8 p.m. The Chopped Liver River Band of Congregation Shaarai Shomayin celebrates Chanukah with klezmer music. Included in general admission. Longwood Gardens, 1001 Longwood Rd., Kennett Square, Pa. Info, 610-388-1000.
- FUND RAISER** 5 - 9 p.m. The Voices of Caring annual fund raiser will benefit the Ministry of Caring's child care centers for homeless and poor children. \$90. The Patio, Archmere Academy, 3540 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont. Info, 421-9849.
- MONDAY, DEC. 4**
- HOLIDAY CRAFT** 6 p.m. Learn to make table top Arrangements. \$6. Judge Morris Estate, White Clay Creek State Park, Newark. Info, 368-6900.
- TUESDAY, DEC. 5**
- HOLIDAY CRAFT** 6 p.m. Learn to make decorative accents for your home. \$5. Judge Morris Estate. White Clay Creek

- State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.
- BUSINESS WORKSHOP** 5:45 - 8:45 p.m. Delaware chapter of Score presents "Thinking of Starting Your Own Business." \$35. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 573-6552.

- CONCERT** 7:30 p.m. Presenting "Irish Christmas in America," a celebration of traditional Irish music, customs and dance. \$27. A buffet dinner by the Blue Crab Grill is available prior to the concert for an additional \$10. Grace United Methodist Church, 900 Washington St., Wilmington. Info, 798-4811.




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Families who have lost a loved one in recent years will be given the opportunity to place an ornamental dove, which carries the name of your special person, on the tree. Refreshments will be served following the service.



**IN THE NEWS**

*New Castle County Department of Land Use - WWW.NCCDELU.ORG*

Below you will find information on matters being considered by the NCC Land Use Department and its public boards. Plans are available for public review at the New Castle County Government Center; Mon - Fri from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 p.m.. Call 395-5400 or Email Us: [Landuse@nccde.org](mailto:Landuse@nccde.org)  
 We encourage you to double check the advertised day and date for these agendas.  
 Be sure you do not miss any meeting in which you are interested.

**Explortory plans under review**

**Council District 1**

\*NW side of Wilmington and Newport Turnpike at Justice Street. Parking Plan for ten parking spaces. Robert J. Smith. (App.#2006-1139-S)

\*S side of I-95, N side of Churchmans Rd opposite Gooding Drive. Minor Land Development Plan to construct 32,836 sq ft office building, subdivide parcels, proactively rezone portion of SR parcel. Artesian Water Company. (App.#2006-1141-S)

\*SE side of Kirkwood Highway across from Milltown Rd. Resubdivision Plan to reduce the square footage of the building on Lot 2 and revise the parking lot configuration. Levine Enterprises. (App.#2006-1148-S)

\*NW side of Delaware Rt 7, W side of Telegraph Rd. Resubdivision Plan to relocate 9,715 sq ft of previously approved gross floor area from one barn to another barn. Delaware Park. (App.#2006-1150-S)

\*SW of the intersection of Eagle Run Rd and Stanton Christiana Rd. Resubdivision Plan to revise the previously recorded plan to show 144 age restricted condominiums with associated improvements. Churchmans Meadows. (App.#2006-1151-S)

**Council District 3**

\*W side of Paper Mill Rd, half mile S of Thompson Station Rd. Resubdivision Plan for four proposed building additions, totaling 23,225 sq ft of additional parking and accessways. 555 Papermill Rd. (App.#2006-1149-S)

**Council District 6**

\*E side of Dexter Corner Rd, S side of Blackbird Station Rd. Minor Subdivision Plan to subdivide parcel into five lots. Richard and Eleanor Schauer. (App.#2006-1140-S)

**Board of Adjustment**

Thurs. Dec. 14th/NCC Gov Ctr 6 PM

**Council District 1**

\* 4 Cunard St, Wilm: Area variance from req'd 25 ft street setback to maintain a covered porch 21.1 ft and handicap entrance ramp 15 ft from the Cunard St right-of-way. Interfaith Housing of De, Inc. (App.#2006-1019-A) TP# 07-042.10-028

\* 32 Dodson Av, Wilm - (Boxwood Commons): Area variances from req'd of 90 parking spaces to provide 36 spaces; from the max 8.00 gross density to provide 12.38 gross density; from req'd 15 ft paving setback to provide paving 0 ft from the Dodson Avenue right-of-way. Reybold Venture Group, IX, LLC. NC5 zoning. (App.#2006-1072-A) TP# 07-042.10-061.

\* 1711 E Newport Pike, Wilm: Area variance from req'd 40 ft street paving setback to place paving 9.2 ft from the Cherry Ln right-of-way; from req'd 10 ft rear yard paving setback to place paving 4.8 ft from the N property line; from the 20 ft side yard setback to maintain a garage 6 ft from the W property line; from req'd 20 ft rear yard setback to maintain a garage 10 ft from the N property line; from min. lot area requirement of 20,000 sq ft to allow a commercial use on a lot with only 12,930 sq ft; from req'd 0.3 opacity to allow 0.1 opacity adjacent to the Cherry Ln right-of-way, 0.1 adjacent to the Newport Pike right-of-way and 0.1 adjacent to the west property line; from the minimum landscape surface area ratio of 0.50 to allow 0.46. Westover Land Co., LLC. (App.#2006-1123-A) TP# 07-047.20-048.

**Council District 2**

\* 140 Devonshire Rd, Wilm: Area variances from req'd 25 ft street yard setback to construct an in-ground swimming pool 11 ft and surrounding concrete 7 ft from the Devonshire Road right-of-way; from req'd 6 ft rear yard setback to construct an in-ground swimming pool 4 ft from the south property line. Jill Delcollo. (App.#2006-0909-A) TP# 06-090.00-254.

**Council District 3**

\* 5 & 7 Twaddell Mill Rd, Centerville: Area variances from req'd 40 ft street yard setback to construct an addition which will connect 2 separate dwellings into 1 single family dwelling located 37 ft from the Twaddell Mill Rd right-of-way with a front porch addition located 32 ft from the Twaddell Mill Rd right-of-way. Steven & Kathleen Witsil. (App.#2006-1065-A) TP# 07-007.00-032.

**Council District 6**

\* 1440 Bethel Church Rd, Middletown: Area variance from req'd 40 ft street yard setback to maintain a dwelling entirely within the Bethel Cemetery Rd right-of-way. Russell W. McBride. (App.#2006-1109-A) TP# 11-053.00-002.

**Council District 8**

\* 2409 Marilyn Dr, Wilm: Area variance from req'd 30 ft rear yard setback to construct an enclosed porch 26 ft from the north property line. Sandra & Donald Scheibe. (App.#2006-1004-A) TP# 06-035.00-057.

\* 510 W Clearview Av, Wilmington: Area variance from req'd 40 ft street yard setback to construct an addition 22.1 ft from the southeast property line. Donald & Vicky Kugelberg. (App.#2006-1070-A) TP# 06-105.00-087.

**Council District 9**

\* 205 Harrison Av, Wilmington: Area variances from req'd 25 ft street yard setback to construct a dwelling 19 ft from the Harrison Av right-of-way; from req'd 25 ft rear yard setback to construct a dwelling 19 ft from the west property line. 3D Builders, Inc. (App.#2006-1079-A) TP# 08-033.30-055.

\* 107 Chestnut Av, Newark: Area variance from the minimum 50 ft lot width/road frontage requirement to create a lot with 25.30 ft of lot width/road frontage. Max & Francis Wilson. (App.#2006-1087-A) TP# 08-054.30-150, 08-054.30-151, 08-054.30-152 & 08-054.30-251.

**Council District 10**

\* 120 Donhaven Dr, New Castle: Area variance from req'd 25 ft street yard setback to construct a covered porch 14 ft from the Donhaven Drive right-of-way. Carla Angelia Perez. (App.#2006-1020-A) TP# 10-010.30-220.

\* 801 Liberty Boulevard, New Castle: Area variance from req'd 25 ft street yard setback to construct a dwelling 13 ft from the Liberty Boulevard right-of-way. Richard Dougherty. (App.#2006-1077-A) TP# 10-005.10-005.

**Council District 11**

\* 10 Leafy Lane, Newark: Area variance from req'd 25 ft rear yard setback to construct a dwelling 15.2 ft from the southern property line. James Guerieri (L/O Ray Croes). (App.#2006-1021-A) TP# 11-017.20-101.

**Notice**

The Department of Land Use will hold a thirty (30) day public comment period on proposed revisions to the Appendix of Chapter 40 of the *New Castle County Code* (UDC). The public has until Friday, Dec. 22, '06 to submit written comments regarding the code changes. Written comments can be mailed to the Department of Land Use, New Castle County Government Center, 87 Reads Way, New Castle, DE 19720. Please refer to Chapter 40 *New Castle County Code* - UDC Appendix Revision in all correspondence.

Changes are proposed to Appendix 1, Application and Plan Requirements; and, Appendix 2, Fees.

Copies of the proposed changes are on file in the Department of Land Use. The changes can also be accessed on the Department of Land Use web-site ([www.nccdelu.org](http://www.nccdelu.org)).

**Planning Board**

Tues. Dec 5th/ City-Cty Building 7 PM

This agenda has been advertised. For details on the meeting please go to our web site.

# McNeil to head Christiana Ward



PHOTO SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

**New leaders of the Christiana ward. From left, Counselor Daris Parsons, Bishop Kenneth G. McNeil and Second Counselor Kris Kinderman.**

**K**enneth G. McNeil of Newark has been appointed Bishop of the Christiana Ward of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. As such, McNeil will be the spiritual leader for 400 Latter-day Saints from Hockessin to Bear.

Bishop McNeil will be assisted by two counselors, Daris Parsons of Hockessin, and Kris Kinderman of Newark. McNeil had been serving as a counselor, along with Michael J. Moyes of Bear.

Like all leaders in The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day

Saints, Bishop McNeil and his counselors will serve voluntarily and without pay, giving spiritual guidance to local church members.

McNeil and his wife, Liza, are the parents of five children. He is product group manager at Dade Behring Inc. He succeeds Bishop David E. Beck of Wilmington who died in September.

Sunday worship services for the Christiana Ward begin at 9 a.m. The meetinghouse is located at 500 West Chestnut Hill Road in Newark. Visitors are welcome.

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Refreshments, Bake Sale and White Elephant Table, Princess House & more will all benefit Bobby's family

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IN THE NEWS

BRIEFLY

**New Castle paramedics roll out new treatment**

On Nov. 1, paramedics from New Castle County EMS began working under updated advanced life support treatment guidelines. These guidelines will allow paramedics to treat patients based on the most current technology available.

With the new guidelines, new equipment, including automatic ventilators, and medications will be added to paramedic units. These were previously used only in Delaware hospi-

tals. Officials say they will help in the event of a pandemic flu outbreak.

A committee of paramedics from three counties and Delaware State Police researched and developed the new guidelines. They also adopted the latest recommendations by the American Heart Association to treat sudden cardiac arrests and other cardiac emergencies.

The new treatment guidelines were approved by the physician medical directors for the agency and the state Board of Medical Practice.

▶ **UPFRONT, from 1**

traffic forever, endlessly circling the parking lot looking for a space, elbowing my way through 39,999 coupon-clipping, sale-obsessed shoppers – all in the middle of the night – doesn't do anything but make my stomach turn.

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Residents question application of law

▶ **GRAFFITI, from 1**

permission of a parent or guardian, a teacher or an art instructor.

The ordinance is intended to aid the city's ongoing battle with graffiti vandalism, an effort the Newark Police Department dedicated resources to at the start of the year. In July, the department announced it had arrested 21 people on more than 200 graffiti-related charges since January. Those arrests included 12 minors

and nine adults, ranging in age from 18 to 22 years old.

Though several residents at Monday's city council meeting agreed with the intent of the law, the content, they said, seemed extreme.

"I certainly understand the problem graffiti poses to community members...and the obvious financial strain, but at the same time, I'm sure there's a way to go about this with less restrictions," said resident Daniel Siders.

Siders and others questioned

the application of the law. Would a 7 year-old with sidewalk chalk, for instance, be in violation? What about a group of high school students decorating for homecoming? Would they be able to purchase magic markers without an adult present?

"A 16-year-old with spray paint on a Saturday night probably isn't going to do anything productive. But at the same time...there are plenty of good uses for people to have permanent marking tools or less permanent ones as well," said Siders.

Rocco Curro, owner of Scott

True Value on Elkton Road, spoke about the ordinance's effect on retail stores. The law would require stores to keep "graffiti implements" under surveillance. "This creates more of a problem for us as a retailer. I have to become an enforcer also," he said.

Curro said, for the past 10 years, he has refused to sell spray paint to kids under 18 years old. He suggested the council reduce the restricted items to spray paint and markers. Even so, he said, "I don't know what it will really do. The kids can obviously find these

materials anywhere if they get creative enough."

After some discussion, council voted to table the ordinance until the next council meeting in order to learn more about the age of people committing acts of graffiti and the tools they use.

Councilman Stu Markham said he was looking for some leniency in the law's application to minors possessing craft materials. "I just know a lot of good kids that do a lot of crafting, and I'm concerned about their true art being restricted," he said.

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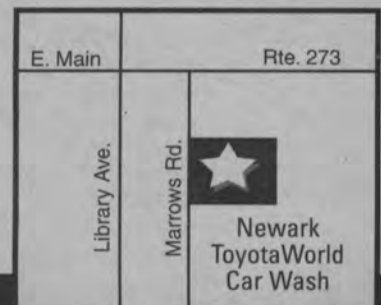


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IN THE NEWS

# Drought season can be devastating

► KENYA, from 1

friends of Kenya. The organization launched in 2001 to champion issues of Kenyans in both the United States and their native country.

Mong'are explained how the annual charity dinner event, Dining for a Cause, began. In 2004, he said, DEKA participated in a Wilmington AIDS Walk. Afterwards, Mong'are wondered, "How can we help those back in Africa?"

He came up with the answer that night as he sat down to a dinner of Kenyan cuisine. If you want

people to support your cause, he thought, you must introduce them to your culture and your food.

DEKA met five Saturdays in a row to discuss and plan. On that sixth Saturday in 2004, the organization held its first Dining for a Cause event. The dinner benefited HIV/AIDS orphans in Kenya. In 2005, they held a second event, again for HIV/AIDS orphans and for African women trying to find work.

DEKA's third Dining for a Cause, held this November, used the slogan "Water is life," and raised money for wells. Newark native Joyce Tannian, now a volunteer instructor in the village of

Isiniya in Kenya, has seen firsthand how devastating the Kenya drought season can be because locals do not have an adequate water supply.

Kimmie Weeks, the dinner's keynote speaker, described it this way: "Imagine walking from Wilmington to Newark with a container for water in your hand, only to find no water once you get there."

Weeks talked about how children are pulled out of school by their parents in order to help in the strenuous search for water. "From 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, they search for water. These people live off the land," he said.

Weeks, who was born in Liberia, is now a child rights activist for the organization Youth Action International. He stressed that "Change can happen, but you need to give until you feel it. You must sacrifice to make the change."

DEKA members understand the importance of providing access to clean drinking water because many confronted the problem while living in Kenyan villages. DEKA's goal, in collaboration with its partners, is to build or sponsor at least 10 wells fitted with hand pumps in different villages in Kenya.

Mong'are talked about Kenyans' search for water, especially during the dry seasons, when children may walk several miles daily to find water for their families. He stressed how Africans in America should not "forget" their ancestors. "When we forget where home is, we have to feel shame," he said.

Through the dinner, DEKA raised \$35,000 for the project. They are waiting for more pledges to come in. For more information about DEKA and its endeavor to build wells in Africa call 444-9266 or go online to [www.delka.org](http://www.delka.org).



Erastus B. Mong'are, President of DEKA (Delaware Kenya Association).



Part of a presentation made at the benefit dinner.

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# On Campus

NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

## BRIEFLY

### New UD Computing Museum open

The inaugural exhibition of the Computing Museum at the University of Delaware was held Tuesday, Nov. 21, in the foyer of Smith Hall, South College Avenue at Amstel Avenue, on the University of Delaware's Newark campus.

The exhibit showcases hardware, software and the role of individuals, while offering historical perspectives of major computing discoveries and transitions.

The Computing Museum at the University of Delaware is funded by a Unidel Transformation Grant from the College of Arts and Sciences. For more information, call 831-1953.

### New UD scholarships for under-represented students

The University of Delaware has established new scholarships for under-represented students studying for undergraduate degrees in hotel, restaurant and institutional management, thanks to a gift from the J. Willard and Alice S. Marriott Foundation.

For more information, call 831-6077, e-mail HRIM-dept@udel.edu, or visit www.HRIM.udel.edu.

# UD officials announce 'Commitment to Delawareans'

The University of Delaware has unveiled its new Commitment to Delawareans, an academic roadmap designed to inform students and parents throughout the state of the courses and level of academic performance recommended for admission onto the Newark campus.

The document provides detailed course recommendations and emphasizes the need to begin the path to college readiness as early as middle school.

The academic roadmap was drafted with input from various UD administrators, as well as from state educators, and dovetails with the Vision 2015 Delaware educational transformation plan and the report of



UD PHOTO BY KEVIN QUINLAN

Provost Dan Rich discusses the 'Commitment to Delawareans' at a news conference held at Stanton Middle School.

the P-20 Council's Graduation Requirements Committee.

UD President David P. Roselle said, "The University of Delaware has long enjoyed a special relationship with the people of our home state, and this Commitment to Delawareans builds on that tradition. With UD now counted among the finest institutions of higher education in the nation, our coursework is challenging. This initiative will ensure that the state's students have clear guidelines as to what courses in high school will best prepare them for admission to the Newark campus."

Louis L. Hirsh, director of admissions, said, "UD is clearly a

See **COMMIT, 16** ▶

# Adopted pet named 'Dog Hero'

The votes are in, and Dogchannel.com has announced that Toby, a University of Delaware staff member's dog, has won the national My Dog Hero contest.

Kimberly Doucette, administrative assistant in marine and earth studies, said when she adopted Toby from the Delaware Humane Association, she knew

she was giving a dog nobody wanted a new chance at life. Toby had reached his end date at a shelter in southern Delaware and was transferred to the Humane Association where animals are taken care of until adopted.

What Doucette of Elkton, Md., didn't know was that the wire-haired-terrier mix with expressive brown eyes would bring fame to

the Doucette family.

With his My Dog Hero win, Toby's picture and an article about how, with patience and a wagging tail, he and Doucette helped a little girl overcome the child's fear of dogs appears in the December issue of Dog Fancy, and the Doucette family will

See **DOG HERO, 16** ▶



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## IN THE NEWS

# Master Players Chamber Series concert

An Encounter with Brahms, the second Master Players Chamber Series concert this season, presented by the University of Delaware's Department of Music, will take place at 8 p.m., Friday, Dec. 1, in Mitchell Hall, South College Avenue at Amstel Avenue, on UD's Newark campus. The concert will feature Brahms' Quartet for Piano and Strings in G Minor, Opus 25, and Brahms' Trio for Horn, Piano and Violin in E Flat Major, Opus 40.

The highly acclaimed Masters Players Chamber Series, now in its third season under the artistic direction of Xiang Gao, internationally renowned UD faculty violinist, has brought some of the world's best classical musicians to campus. Joining Gao will be concert pianist Orli Shaham, Peter Wiley, cellist with the Guarneri String Quartet, violist Victoria Chiang and UD's new faculty hornist John David Smith. The event is hosted by Brian Stone, UD Orchestra conductor.

One of today's most gifted pianists, Shaham has played with the Cleveland, Philadelphia, St. Louis and San Francisco symphony orchestras and has received the prestigious Gilmore Young Artist Award and Avery Fisher Career Grant.

Wiley attended the Curtis

Institute of Music when he was 13 and now serves on its faculty. He became principal cellist of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra when he was 20, after one year with the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra. He is a member of the Beaux Arts Trio, which has given more than a thousand concerts, as well as the Guarneri String Quartet.

Concert violist Chiang has performed in the United States, Canada, Europe and Japan, including solo performances with the Romanian State Philharmonics of Constanta and Tirgu Muresh, the Duluth Superior Orchestra, the Acadiana Symphony in Louisiana and in Carnegie Hall's Weill Recital Hall and at the 25th International Viola Congress.

An active performer in the New York area, hornist John David Smith has appeared with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, the Orchestra of St. Luke's, New Jersey Symphony, New York City Opera, the American Symphony Orchestra and the Orpheus Chamber Orchestra on its tours in Europe and the United States. He also has toured Southeast Asia with the New York Symphonic Ensemble and has appeared as a soloist at Lincoln Center's Avery Fisher Hall.

Active in both symphonic and operatic fields, Stone formerly



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Left: Pianist Orli Shaham. Right: Violinist Victoria Chiang.

was coach, conductor and host of the John Hopkins University chamber series, and has served

as conductor for several operas in Baltimore. He also is a noted speaker for the Baltimore

Symphony and other musical venues.

Born in the People's Republic of China, Gao has just completed two weeklong concert tours with world-renowned cellist Yo-Yo Ma as part of Ma's Silk Road Project. Gao was recently honored by being selected for the loan of a Stradivarius violin by the Stradivari Society in Chicago.

Tickets are \$17 for the general public; \$12 for senior citizens, UD faculty, staff and alumni; and \$5 for students with ID and children. Tickets may be available at the door, but purchasing in advance is strongly recommended.

Tickets are available at the Trabant University Center and Bob Carpenter Center box offices. Call 831-4012 for box office locations and hours.

For more information about the 2006-07 Master Players Chamber Series, visit [www.music.udel.edu/public/masterplayers/MPCS\\_bro\\_2006v3.pdf](http://www.music.udel.edu/public/masterplayers/MPCS_bro_2006v3.pdf) for a brochure about the concerts.

## UD is in "great demand"

### ► COMMIT, from 15

university in great demand among high school students throughout the United States...We are now receiving 22,000 applications per year with only about 3,700 spots available. Such numbers make it imperative that all students prepare themselves in a way that gives them the best opportunity to be admitted and to succeed."

The goal of the Commitment to Delawareans is to provide clear guidelines so students understand the courses they must complete

and the level of performance they must achieve to be confident of gaining admission to the Newark campus of the University of Delaware. Students who follow the prescribed requirements also can be confident that UD will meet their demonstrated financial need up to full in-state tuition with a combination of grants, loans or work-study.

The intention is to help students, parents, teachers and guidance counselors in the state provide the best preparations possible for admission to UD.

Brochures are being distributed throughout the state, and a Spanish language version is available. Information also is available at the Web sites [www.udel.edu/commitment](http://www.udel.edu/commitment) and [www.udel.edu/compromiso](http://www.udel.edu/compromiso).

## One great mutt

### ► DOG HERO, from 15

receive a one-year subscription to Dog Fancy and a hard-bound copy of the book "Dog Heroes of September 11".

In November 2004, Toby was a semifinalist in the annual Great American Mutt contest, a competition that had 1,500 entries and spanned the globe.

In both contests, finalists and winners were chosen by popular vote.

Since adopting Toby, Doucette has become a volunteer for the Delaware Humane Association and has adopted two kittens from the shelter. "I try to tell people how great a shelter pet can be. They're so thankful that they turn out to be the best pets," she said.

Toby was taken to the shelter as a stray. He was extremely thin when he was found. After the Doucettes adopted him, they discovered had been shot with a BB gun, Doucette said. "He still has the pellet in his right rear leg."



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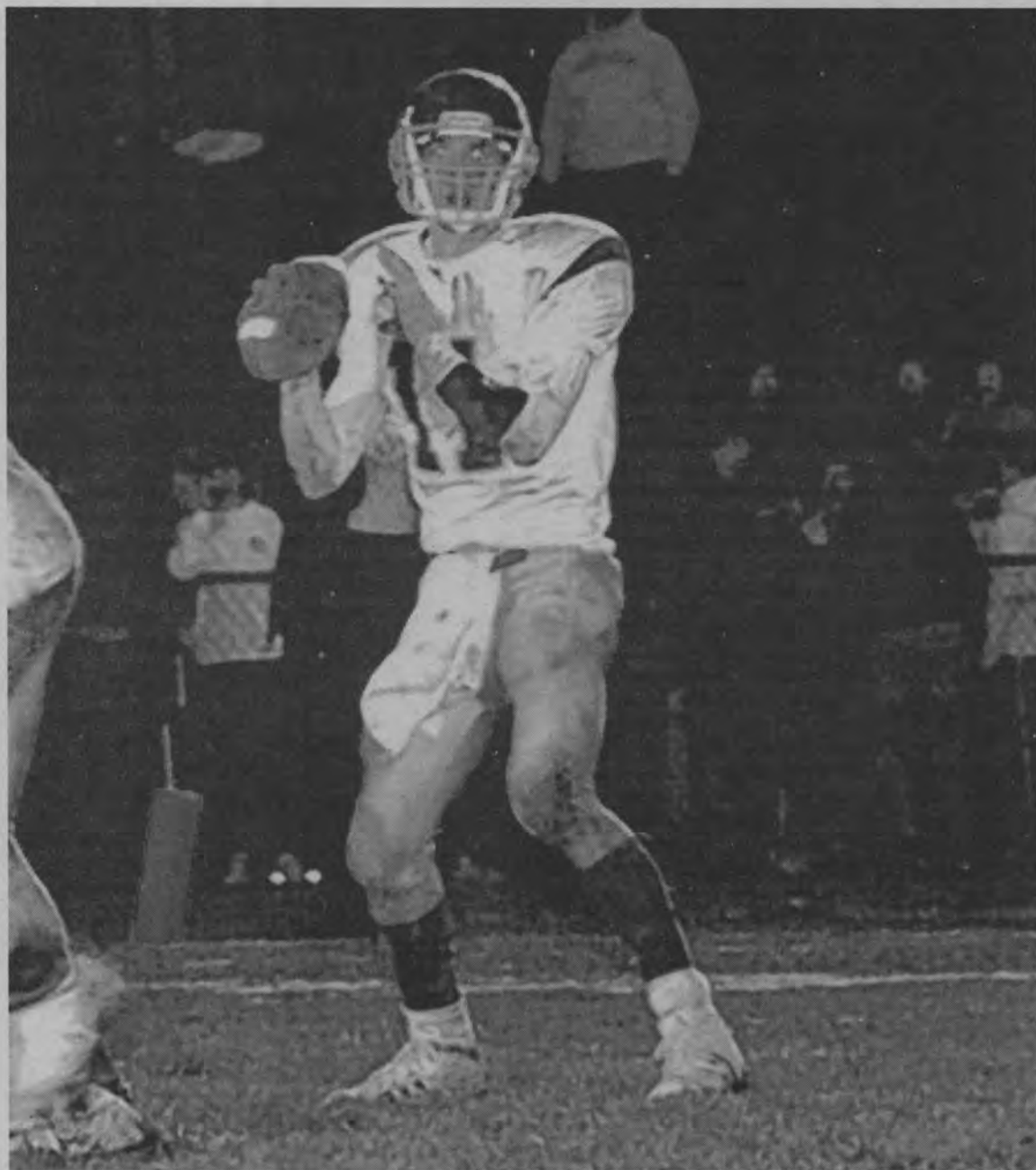
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# Sports

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## St. Mark's falls in state semifinal



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY BILL LINDSAY

St. Mark's quarterback Scott Wallace gets ready to throw a pass in the state semifinal game against Salesianum. The game was played in front of nearly 6,000 fans at Baynard Stadium.

## Sallies wins defensive battle to advance to title game

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Junior running back Sal Viscount scored two second half touchdowns, and Salesianum's defense turned in a dominating performance in the Sals 14-0 victory over St. Mark's, in the Division I State High School Tournament semifinal game Friday night at Baynard Stadium.

The Sals advanced to the Division championship game next weekend at Delaware State's Alumni Stadium in Dover, against Sussex Central, who defeated Middletown 28-0, Saturday night.

"That was a great game tonight," said Viscount. "If you looked up 'battle' in the dictionary, I think this game would be described. St. Mark's really came out to play," he said.

The two teams were unable to put any points on the board during the first half.

Sallies had a golden opportunity erased at the start of the second period, but fumbled the ball away inside the Spartan 10.

St. Mark's was unable to put together any long drives as it did last week in the Spartans victory over William Penn.

In the third quarter, Salesianum finally broke the ice by scoring on a 76-yard drive, when Viscount found the end zone on a one-yard plunge, at the 4:32 mark.

"Our line was a little slow getting out in the first half, but starting to pick things up in the second half," said Viscount. "Let's

give credit to my line, and I also have to give credit to my fullback John Prisco and my slotback John Kuderko, who comes in motion a lot. These guys do an awesome job for the offense, and I think they are great players."

The Sals clinched the playoff victory with about four minutes remaining in the fourth quarter when Viscount scored on a seven-yard run.

The drive was helped along when St. Mark's was assessed a 15-yard unsportsmanlike conduct penalty on a fourth and short play.

When the Spartans protested the call too strenuously, another 15-yarder was tacked on, moving the ball deep inside St. Mark's territory.

"Our defense played a great game tonight," said Sallies coach Bill DiNardo. "Our secondary did a superb job against their quarterback

(Scott Wallace), who in my estimation is the best quarterback in the state, in my unbiased opinion, so anytime you shut out a team like

St. Mark's, it's a great effort," he said.

With the clock winding down, the Spartans nearly scored, but they eventually turned the ball over, unable to penetrate the Sals defense.

Spartan coach John Wilson said he felt his defense also played a good game.

"I really though if we could come out in the second half,

See **SPARTANS, 19** ▶

## Caravel tops Delmar, advances to Division II final

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Caravel Academy pounded out nearly 300 yards on the ground in a 41-15 victory over previously unbeaten Delmar (10-1) in the semifinal round of the Division II State High School Football Tournament Saturday night in Bear.

The win propelled the defend-

ing Division II state champs into the title game for the third consecutive year.

The Buccaneers (10-1) will play Concord this weekend at Delaware State University in Dover for the crown.

These two teams have won the last three championships, with Caravel beating the Raiders 9-0 in 2005, while Concord won 9-7 the previous season.

"They are a tough team, but

obviously we're a pretty tough team too," said Caravel coach Mike Aruanno. "I thought, if we played our game, we'd be okay. This is a tough group of kids right here. We made a couple of mistakes, but we really executed well on both sides of the ball."

Caravel's offense proved to be as well balanced as it was productive. Six different players scored for the Buccaneers during the game.

After a hard-hitting but scoreless first period, the Bucs' Vinnie Ranauto scored on a 5-yard run.

Evan Sestak's extra point gave Caravel a 7-0 lead at 8:40 of the second quarter.

Delmar got a break by recovering a fumbled punt on its next possession. The Wildcats drove 27 yards in three plays. Justin Thomas capped the drive with a 16-yard run to tie the score at 7-7.

Caravel took the lead with only 48 seconds remaining in the first half when quarterback Brian Potts hit John Slank on a 15-yard TD pass. A missed extra point left the score 13-7.

Caravel's Leo Cheaton scored in the third quarter to increase the Bucs lead to 19-7.

A huge but possibly overlooked defensive play took place

See **CARAVEL, 18** ▶



## SPORTS

# Blue Hens want to start turnaround immediately

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The 2006 University of Delaware football season is now in the record books. It should have been better, but it could have been worse.

The Blue Hens 5-6 record was the team's first losing season under coach K.C. Keeler, who said that he, his coaches and his players, do not now, and never will, have the taste for losing.

Following the team's loss to Villanova to close out the season, Keeler took all the blame for

what happened this season.

Keeler has never been the kind of coach to point the finger or pass the buck, and that's to his credit.

"We'll get it fixed, I absolutely know we'll get it fixed," said Keeler, at his season-ending Media Luncheon last week. "I feel pretty good about the direction we're going to go," he added.

It's doubtful any coach at the I-AA level would have been able to win many games with the number of injuries that plagued the Blue Hens this season.

Again Keeler would not make excuses, as injuries are always part of football, but the Hens did have to play a bunch of freshman and sophomores before they were ready for varsity action, especially on defense.

"I hope people are unhappy with this. This is not the Delaware football I remember. I know I'm not happy with it," said Keeler.

Delaware's defense was the worst in the tough Atlantic-10, but defensive coordinator Nick Rapone said he's confident things will get better in 2007. "Yes we can change. It starts with attitude

and recruiting . . . we have to find a way to get them better," he said.

The one bright spot, the offense, should also be improved next season. Ten of the eleven starters, including quarterback Joe Flacco will return next season. It won't hurt to have players like Omar Cuff and Aaron Love around next year to handle the ball.

Tight End Ben Patrick won't be around next season, as he may be headed for the NFL.

Offensive coordinator Kirk Ciarrocca said Flacco should have

plenty of experienced receivers in 2007, a luxury he didn't have this year.

Ciarrocca also said he was unhappy with the overall performance this season, because "we came up a little bit short on too many occasions."

The Blue Hens start all over again on August 30 with a road game against William and Mary, down in Williamsburg.

Keeler added that this year's inexperienced first and second year players should be better prepared in '07 because of the playing time they received this year.

## UD women top Kentucky, get votes in Top 25 poll

For the first time in school history, the University of Delaware women's basketball program has received votes in the Associated Press Top 25 media poll.

The Blue Hens (4-1), who captured the Odwalla Classic Tournament title this past weekend with wins of 86-70 over No. 20 ranked Kentucky and 71-54 over host University of San Francisco, earned nine votes in

the poll, good enough to rank No. 40. The poll is comprised of votes from media members who cover women's basketball.

The win over Kentucky, in which the Hens overcame an 11-point deficit in the first half to win, was the first ever for the Blue Hens in school history over a Top 25 opponent in 22 tries. Delaware, which has won three straight games, continues play

this Wednesday at the University of Pennsylvania at 7 p.m. at The Palestra.

"We are happy that we received votes for the Top 25," said Delaware head coach Tina Martin. "It is nice to be recognized nationally, but we still have a lot of hard work ahead of us."

Although Delaware has never received votes in the Associated Press poll, the Blue Hens have

earned votes in the USA Today Coaches Poll. The Hens were last honored with votes in the USA Today poll back in 2004-05 when they received votes the final eight weeks of the season. This week's USA Today poll will be announced Tuesday.

Defending NCAA national champion University of Maryland is this week's top ranked team in the AP poll with 1,246 points

and 46 first place votes. North Carolina is No. 2 followed by Oklahoma, Tennessee, Duke, Ohio State, Connecticut, Georgia, Purdue, and Texas A&M in the top 10.

Among the other teams receiving votes is Delaware's Colonial Athletic Association counterpart Hofstra, which received 13 votes.

## Bucs to face Concord again

► **CARAVEL, from 17**

in the fourth quarter. Delmar drove deep into Caravel territory, but decided to go for the score on fourth down.

Caravel's 5-foot, 9-inch defensive back Gerald Gibbons then stretched out to tip away a sure touchdown pass in the corner of the end zone to stop the drive, and preserve the 12-point lead.

Caravel scored the next two touchdowns on a 10-yard pass

to Kris Enslin and on a one-yard plunge by Potts.

Later in the fourth quarter, Delmar's Donald Poole scored on a 23-yard pass from quarterback Alan Preston to bring the score to 34-15, but the Wildcats didn't threaten the rest of the way.

The Bucs Alfonso Hoggard finished the scoring with a three-yard run to seal the victory, and touch off a huge celebration on the Caravel side of the field.

## Delaware men lose; still winless

The University of Delaware grabbed the lead midway through the second half, but Cleveland State followed with a 8-0 run to take control and held on down the stretch for 59-53 non-league men's basketball victory over the Blue Hens Sunday afternoon at the Bob Carpenter Center.

Cleveland State sophomore forward J'Nathan Bullock recorded a team-high 17 points and 11 rebounds and guard Victor Morris added 11 points and seven rebounds and hit all three of

his team's three-pointers as the Vikings (4-3) won their second straight.

Delaware (0-4), which remained winless under first-year head coach Monté Ross, placed three scorers in double figures as freshman guard Brian had 13 points and four assists and Herb Courtney and Calvin Cannon each added 12 points. Zaire Taylor added five points and a team-high 10 rebounds.

The Hens, who have lost five straight dating back to last season,

are off to their first 0-4 start since the 1990-91 team opened the season 0-6 under Steve Steinwedel on the way to a 16-13 record. Delaware also extended its home losing streak to five games, the team's longest since a five-game streak in 1985-86. Delaware will look for its first win Nov. 29 at Loyola (MD).

Delaware was hindered by 34.5 percent shooting from the field for the game (19 of 55) as the Hens hit just 11 of 31 field goals in the first half and 8 of 24 in the second half. The Hens also hit just 2 of 13 three-pointers for the contest. Cleveland State shot just 40 percent from the field (20 of 50), becoming the first UD opponent to shoot under 50 percent this season, but made up for it by converting 16 of 17 free throws for the game, including 11 of 12 in the second stanza.

The Blue Hens led by as much as seven points early in the game but Cleveland State fought back and took a 29-28 lead into intermission when Morris hit a layup just before the buzzer.

The Vikings stayed in front by a slim margin in the second half before a 9-2 Delaware run gave the Hens a 41-40 lead with 11:59 remaining on a Brian Johnson layup. Johnson scored four points during the run. But Cleveland State answered back as Bullock paced an 8-0 run with six points of his own to give the Vikings the lead back at 48-41 with 8:17 remaining.

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**SPORTS**

# Wesley College advances in Division III

Wesley had little trouble with visiting Carnegie Mellon, defeating the Tartans 37-0 in the NCAA Division III South Region Semifinals in Dover. Offensively for the Wolverines, senior quarterback Chris Warrick completed 16 of 29 passes for 299 yards and 3 touchdowns. Warrick was in sync with favorite target, Michael Clarke for the second straight week. Clarke finished the game with 5 catches for an outstanding 178 yards and 2 touchdowns.

The Tartans put little pressure on the Wolverines all day. CMU only drove the ball into Wesley territory on three occasions. Their deepest effort, to the Wolverine 9-yard line, ended in a turnover to help Wesley preserve the shutout. Wesley linebacker Brandon Huntbach led all comers with 13 tackles on the day. Junior All-American, Bryan Robinson tracked down Tartans from side line to side line and finished with 10 tackles.

Despite and sizeable time of possession advantage for CMU, Wesley was able to score quickly when they had the ball. The Wolverines scored on drives of 4, 6, and 8 plays in the first half to jump to an early 21-0 lead.

On the opening drive, CMU was able to use their wing-t offense to drive the ball to the Wesley 22 yard line. Tartan kicker, Nat Greenstein, attempt-

ed a 40-yard field goal, but the low kick was blocked by Wesley Justin Strickland, giving the Wolverines possession on their own 22 yard line.

Senior running back, Alpha Koroma, got the starting nod this week for the Wolverines and made the most of his opportunity. Koroma followed the huge block of fullback Chris Barnes on their first drive and sprinted 59-yards for the score. Koroma finished the game with 118 yards on 10 carries. Kicker, Chris Cattanea added the extra point putting Wesley on the board with 5:07 remaining in the first quarter.

Two drives later, Wesley stretched its lead to 14-0 on a long touchdown pass from Warrick to Clarke for a 46-yard score. Clarke was able to get open down field on numerous occasions throughout the game.

Facing a 4th and 2 from their own 43 yard line, CMU opted to attempt a fake punt. James Rogers was stopped after one yard which allowed Wesley to take over on downs. The Wolverines' defense held the Tartans to 248 yards of offense on 68 plays for an average of 3.6 yards per play. Wesley on the other hand gained 502 yards on 58 plays for a sizable 8.7 yards per play.

Wesley will host Mary Hardin Baylor, from Texas, in the quarterfinals Saturday afternoon.

## St. Mark's ends seson with 9-3 record

### ▶ SPARTANS, from 17

and get something established, I though we had something going, but we made some mistakes and had a few bad breaks, but we won't make any excuses," said

Wilson.

"I'm really proud of the way our guys played all night, they never gave up, and that's the most important thing, they left everything on the field."

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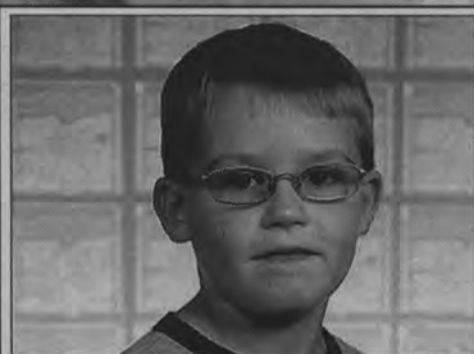
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## IN THE NEWS

# Traditional and novel meet in Odessa

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The Women's Club of Odessa will offer tours of eight privately owned residences in Middletown and Odessa, and for the second year, tours of the four Historic Houses of Odessa, on Saturday, Dec. 2. For the 42nd year, Christmas In Odessa presents private homes and public buildings decorated in all their glory for the holidays.

"It's actually a lot of fun," said

Joan Mason, who together with husband Martin has owned the John Zelefro Crouch House at 203 Main Street since 1975. "We polish everything up and try to show it to the best advantage."

Along with "the usual cleaning," the Masons decorate in a Victorian style for the Christmas tour. "My children enjoyed all the decorating when they were growing up and now it's the grandchildren," Mason said. "They live in Brooklyn, N.Y., but they're all coming home to help us get

ready."

Private residences on display include the Andrew Eliason House, Frame and Log House, John Zelefro Crouch House, Leftovers, the Williamsburg House and the Davis Store, all in Odessa, and the Baker Residence and Fairview in Middletown.

Nominated in 1985 to the National Register of Historic Places, the Andrew Eliason House is the home of Judith Fisher and Katherine Bannon. Built by Eliason in 1856, this three-story, 16-room, brick Federal plantation house and former carriage house

stand on only 1.64 acres of what was once 900 acres of farmland.

The Frame and Log House was lived in and treasured from 1941 through 2003 by Marge and Jesse Loven, and it is still owned by family members Shawn and Rosemary Goodier. Built with white oak logs in 1740, and restored in 1941 by Rodney Sharp, the plans and details of construction of the Frame and Log House can be found in Pre-Revolutionary Architecture in Delaware by George Fletcher Bennett.

In 1854, John Crouch began building his brick house directly

next to the store in which he was a partner with Lawrence Davis. The house now cherished by the Masons is a typical five-bay structure embellished with Italianate cornices and a wing of additions toward the back. "It needs a lot of TLC," said Mason. "You have to love a house this old to live in it and maintain it."

Leftovers, now the home of Dawn L. Buckworth,

was built by H. Rodney Sharp in 1956 as a guest house. Wilmington architect Albert Kruse incorporated in it many of the materials left over from other buildings that had been torn down in the area, including bricks from the 1700's, fine interior paneling, and Dutch tiles. A recent glass-enclosed sunroom has brickwork in a close copy of the rest of the house.

David and Carol Sheats live in

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This is the third schoolhouse built on this site, the first being a frame structure that burned down in 1843. A more permanent brick structure continued to function as the area high school through the 19th century. It currently houses the offices of the mayor and the council of Odessa, as well as Delaware Wild Lands, who jointly restored the building and grounds.



The Odessa Bank, currently the visitor center for Historic Houses of Odessa, was erected in 1853 and operated as a bank until 2000.

## Christmas in Odessa

Christmas in Odessa is a self-guided walking tour of houses and public buildings in Odessa and surrounding countryside. Special events included in the ticket price are horse and carriage rides on Main Street, an Antique Show and Sale, the Newark Fife and Drum Corps, Christmas Carols sung by "Four Fun," and Christmas Concerts at Old St. Paul's Church.

This is a one-day only event and there is no rain date. Tour hours are 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15 if purchased in advance, and \$20 if purchased the day of the Tour. Children ages 6 - 12 are \$5, and under 6 years are free. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 2 from 9:30 a.m. - 7 p.m. at the Old Academy, 4th & Main Street, Odessa. Advance tickets may be purchased from 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. on Nov. 24, 30, and 31 at Hattons Jewelers, 219 W. Main St., Middletown. A tour guide booklet with a map, a list of homes, and a complete list of special events comes with the ticket.

Parking is permitted on Odessa's Main Street, High Street and the side streets that connect Main & High Sts. There are no meters or parking fees.

Food will be available all day at the Odessa Fire Hall. Old Saint Paul's Church on 506 High Street will be serving free coffee, tea and cookies from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. In addition, St. Paul's Church on Main Street will have chicken dinners for sale from 3 to 7 p.m.

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IN THE NEWS

# Tour shows contemporary life in colonial homes

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the Williamsburg House, a replica of the circa 1765 Travis House of Williamsburg, Va. "They didn't want to call it the Travis house, so it became Williamsburg," explained Carol Sheats who bought the home with her husband only 10 months ago. "We no sooner moved in, than they asked if we would put it on the tour."

Originally owned by Franklin and Alice Biggs, and completed in 1986, an addition was later put on the back of the house. "I grew up



The so-called Leftovers house at 107 Main Street was built in 1956 as a guesthouse using materials from older local buildings that had been torn down.

on Main Street in the old Corbit farmhouse," Sheats said. "My Dad had that on the tour."

The Davis Store circa 1824 is the home of Jeff and Carla Pyle. The paneled door to the residence is topped by a three-light transom, while the commercial entrance is composed of a central double door with a two-light rectangular transom flanked by shuttered shop windows and pilasters. Two Davis families operated the store from 1828 until the early 1960's.

A little outside Odessa and best reached by car, the Baker Residence in the Estates at Commodore II is the home of Barry and Paulette Baker. An American Colonial Country house built in 1989-1990, its style is typical of the 18th century story-and-a-half homes found in the Virginia tidewater region. Over 200-year-old reclaimed barn siding and beams are used throughout the house.

A visit to Fairview, the home of Georgia and Richard Renck, is an excellent opportunity to see a "restoration in progress" of a relatively simple farmhouse. The main and largest section dating to about 1812 has a central stair hall flanked by two rooms on both the first and second floors. The original section of the house dates back to the last third of the 18th Century and consists of a heated "hall" on the first floor with an original cooking fireplace and narrow "winder" stairs leading to the second floor. The third section contains an original fireplace that likely served as a now long-gone

summer kitchen.

The Historic Odessa Foundation is opening the Wilson-Warner House built by wealthy merchant David Wilson in 1769; the Brick Hotel that became William Polk's "new brick house" in 1822 after serving as a hotel and tavern for nearly a century; the Collins-Sharp House, one of Delaware's

oldest houses and dating to 1700; and the Corbit-Sharp House built in 1774 by William Corbit, who operated a tannery on the banks of the Appoquinimink Creek.

In addition, the former Odessa Bank is owned by the Historic Odessa Foundation and open only for ticket sales on the day of the tour. This very fine 19th-century

building was originally erected in 1853 as the New Castle County National Bank of Odessa and operated as a bank until 2000, finally as PNC.

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**Edward A. Bryan**

Edward A. Bryan, 74, of Newark, died on Saturday, Nov. 18, 2006.

Bryan was born in Boston, Mass., on June 19, 1932, son of the late Edward and Martha (Gilman) Bryan. A veteran of the U.S. Navy, he was employed as a chemical engineer with Amax Corporation in Denver, Colo., for several years. He was a member of the German Society and Alliance Francaise, both in Philadelphia, Pa., and also a member of the MIT Alumni Club.

His wife, Gladys E. (Starkes) Bryan, passed away on April 22, 1991. He is survived by one son, Edward E. Bryan and his wife, Carrie; one daughter, Carol V. Bryan; and one granddaughter, Catherine Bryan.

The funeral service and interment were to be held privately.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 92 Reads Way, New Castle, DE 19720.

**Phyllis M. Edinger**

Phyllis M. Edinger, 71, of Newark, died on Monday, Nov. 20, 2006, at the Christiana Hospital.

Edinger was a homemaker. She was an active member of Ogleton Baptist Church.

**Louise Ray Kenney, 95, former high school teacher**

Louise Ray Kenney, 95, of Newark, died at her home on Friday, Nov. 17, 2006.

She was born Huldah Louise Ray on June 5, 1911, on her parent's farm near Phoenix, N.Y., the daughter of Howard Gilbert Ray and Ruth Elizabeth Candee. Her father died in a sawmill accident in 1920.

She was valedictorian of her Phoenix High School class, then graduated in 1932 from Oswego (N.Y.) Normal School, now part of SUNY. She taught in Midland Park, N.J. until 1943. In 1950, her husband died suddenly.

In 1959 she moved her family to Newark, joined the

Unitarian Fellowship, and taught English at Bohemia Manor High School until retiring in 1971. She spent her retirement years volunteering with several organizations, traveling the world, bird watching, camping and hiking in the woods, playing piano, listening to classical music, attending courses at the Academy of Lifelong Learning and spending time with her family.

She is predeceased by her husband and one sister, Elizabeth. She is survived by her sister, Florence R. Thornber, of Fulton, N.Y., and Venice, Fla. and her brother, Arthur J. Ray, of North Aurora, Ill.; three

daughters, Elizabeth K. Ainslie of Swarthmore, Pa., Margaret K. Schaefer, of Williamsburg, Va., and Alison K. Matsen of Townsend; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

A memorial service is planned the last week of December at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Newark. Interment of ashes will be private at Old Drawyers Cemetery north of Odessa.

Contributions may be made to any classical music group, Elderhostel, the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Newark, Amnesty International, Iron Hill Museum, or Hope Dining Room.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Wilbur F. Edinger, in 2003. She is survived by her children, David Edinger and his wife, Jennifer; and Carrie and her husband, Thomas; her brother, Nelson Finley; her sisters, Eleanor McElhinney, Pruda Bentley, Elsie Milner and Amy Mulvena; and her grandchildren, James, Joshua, Jimmy, Jessica and Jacob.

A service was held on Monday, Nov. 27, at the McCrery Memorial Chapel, Kirkwood Hwy. Burial was in the Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Bear.

Contributions may be made to the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Grand Central Station, PO Box 4777, N.Y., NY 10163; or the Epilepsy Foundation, 8301 Professional

Place, Landover, MD 20785.

**William Arthur McMichael Jr.**

William Arthur McMichael Jr., 91, of Newark, died on Saturday, Nov. 25, 2006, at Broad Meadow Nursing Home, Middletown.

McMichael was born in Kennett Square, Pa., on May 21, 1915. He was a welder at Wilmington Ship Yards during WWII and was a lathe operator for NVF in Wilmington for 30 years.

McMichael is survived by his wife of 54 years, Lillian A. McMichael; three sons, William A. McMichael III and wife, Kathleen, of Delaware City, Gary R. McMichael and wife, Roxanne, of Middletown, Kenneth L. McMichael and fiancé, Tracey, of Newark; one daughter, Cynthia L. Littleton and husband, Harry, of Milford; and three grandchildren.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, Nov. 30, at Beeson

Funeral Home, 2053 Pulaski Hwy, Newark. Interment will be in Longwood Cemetery in Kennett Square, Pa.

Contributions may be made to Vitas Healthcare Corp., 100 Commerce Dr., Ste. 302, Newark, DE 19713; or Middletown Ambulance, 27 W. Green St. Middletown, DE 19709; or Aetna H.H. & L. Co., P.O. Box 148, Newark, DE 19715.

**Craig E. McNally**

Craig E. McNally, 41, of Newark, died on Sunday, Nov. 19, 2006.

McNally was born in Philadelphia, Pa., the son of Gene S. and Helen McNally. He was raised in Burlington Township, N.J. He made Newark his home for the past two years. McNally graduated from Rutgers State University in 1989, earning a bachelor's of science degree in civil engineering. He was employed as a senior software engineer for General Electric, GE FANUC,

for eight years. Previously, he was employed by Griffin Pipe, Florence, N.J., as a civil engineer. He was a member of the Great Oak Yacht Club in Chestertown, Md.

He is survived by his fiancée, Karen Williamson; son, Ryan Joseph Campor; daughter, Desirae Lynn Williamson; parents Gene S. and Helen McNally of Burlington, N.J.; godmother, Lucille Zaremba of Burlington, N.J.; brother, Ryan Joseph McNally; niece McKenna Lynn McNally; and nephew Ryan Joseph McNally Jr.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Saturday, Nov. 25, at Holy Family Church, 15 Gender Road, Newark. Interment immediately followed at All Saints Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to an education fund for McNally's son: Ryan Campor/Craig McNally Memorial Fund, c/o PNC Bank, 460 W. Main Street, Middletown, DE 19709.

**Marjorie C. Mitchell**

Marjorie C. Mitchell of Newark died on Nov. 19, 2006.

A service was held on Nov. 27 at Camphor Memorial UMC, 5620 Wyalusing Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. Interment was in Indiantown Gap VA National Cemetery in Anville, Pa.

**John C. O'Brien**

John C. O'Brien, 81, of Newark, died on Sunday, Nov. 19, 2006.

O'Brien was a United States Navy Veteran of WWII. He was employed with Columbia Gas Company for 42 years as the building manager. O'Brien was a past member of the Delaware Orchid Society.

He was predeceased by his wife of 55 years, Joan G. O'Brien, on Oct. 4, 2006. He is survived by his children, John A. O'Brien and his wife, Sheila, of West Grove, Pa., Jessica A. O'Brien of New York, N.Y., and Paula Cranston and her husband, Bart, of West Chester, Pa., his sister, Claire O'Brien of Alexandria, Va.; and his grandchildren, Kathryn Morrison and her husband, Adam, and Bart and Emily Cranston.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday, Nov. 22, at Resurrection Parish, Wilmington. Burial was to be in All Saints Cemetery.

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**IN THE NEWS**

**NARFE officers elected**



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The Newark chapter of the National Active & Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) elected new officers for 2007 at a meeting held last week at the Glass Kitchen.

Officers for next year are as follows: President Bernadette Aley, Vice President Robert Jackson, Treasurer Helen Gass and Secretary Marguerite Schreier. Pictured left to right are Gass, Jackson, Aley and Delaware Federation President Walt Berwick.

NARFE's mission has remained the same since 1921, to protect and improve the retirement benefits of federal retirees, employees and their families.

In addition, NARFE contributes approximately \$1 million per year to the Alzheimer's foundation.

Since 1999 the Newark Chapter has contributed about 40 percent of its income to the cause. Also, the chapter picks a Christmas project each year. This year, members are contributing to the National Guard summer youth camp and Toys for Tots.

Meetings are held monthly on the third Tuesday at the Glass Kitchen. The December meeting will be at the Steak and Ale on Kirkwood Highway and a member of the Marine Corps will pick up toys that are being donated. For more information, visit [www.narfede.org](http://www.narfede.org).

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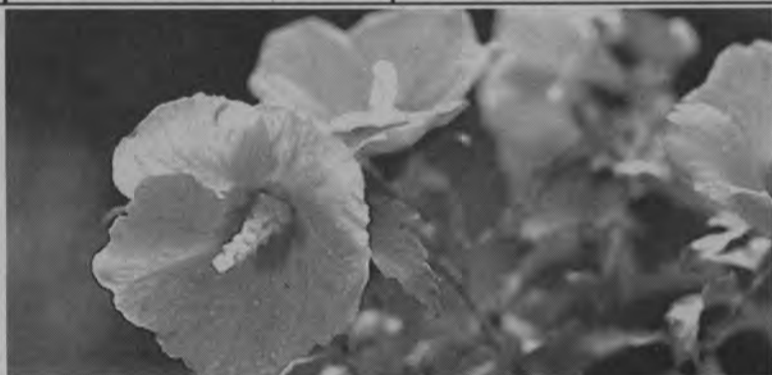
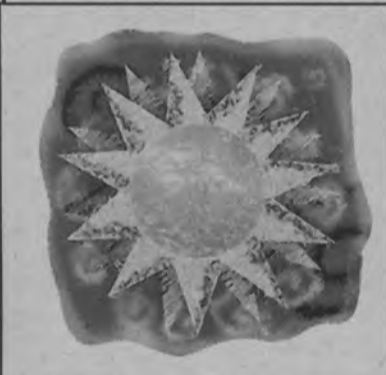
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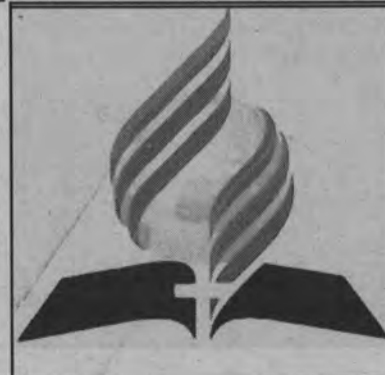
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## POLICE BLOTTER

## ▶ BLOTTER, from 2

causing a small explosion that alarmed their neighbors in the **900 block of Kenilworth Avenue**, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 5:58 p.m. No arrests were made, said

police.

A 17-year-old employee of the K-mart store in the **College Square Shopping Center** took several items, including a video game and disposable camera, from the store without paying for them, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 4:44 p.m.

The Wilmington male was arrested and released, pending his appearance in New Castle County Family Court.

Orange paintballs shot at the back door of a home in the **300 block of Lynley Lane** damaged the screen door, police were told on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 5:38

p.m. Police have no suspects.

An unknown suspect stole a credit card from the purse of an 88-year-old resident in the **200 block of E. Village Drive**, police were told on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 11:57 a.m.

Unknown suspects entered a home in the **unit block of White Clay Drive** and rifled through the residents' belongings, police were told on Wednesday, Nov. 22, at 2:39 a.m.

More than \$1,000 was removed from a salon in the **500 block of College Square** by an unknown suspect who damaged the door frame to gain entry, police were told on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 9:10 a.m.

A cash bag holding \$750 was stolen from a store office in the **200 block of Elkton Road**, police were told on Monday, Nov. 20, at 3:25 p.m.

Graffiti was found on a building in the **unit block of E. Main Street**, police were told on Monday, Nov. 20, at 3:08 p.m.

### Vehicles targeted

Newark police reported that thieves and vandals targeted a number of vehicles here recently. Some of the reports include:

A Ford Mustang parked in the **unit block of Tufts Lane** was egged by unknown suspects, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 3:58 p.m. The eggs caused some paint damage, said police.

An Acura Integra parked in the **unit block of S. Fawn Drive** was stolen by unknown suspects, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 2:04 p.m.

The tail light of a Dodge Ram 1500 parked in the **unit block of Ray Street** was broken by unknown means, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 12:13 p.m.

A Mazda MPV parked in the driveway of a home in the **unit block of Lenape Lane** was stolen, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 26, at 11:54 a.m.

Unknown suspects threw eggs at a Toyota truck parked in the **900 block of Kenilworth Avenue**, police were told on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 4 p.m. The truck was not damaged.

An unknown suspect stole \$100 from a Chrysler Town and Country parked in the **unit block of College Square** after

damaging the locked door to gain entry, police were told on Friday, Nov. 24, at 6:16 p.m.

The owner of a Ford Windstar parked in the **300 block of Papermill Road** found the car's rear window broken, the driver's side door handle damaged and passenger side rear door dented, police were told on Friday, Nov. 24, at 2:53 p.m.

An unknown suspect used a copper pipe to break the driver's side window of a Honda Civic parked in the **1000 block of S. College Avenue** and stole a CD player and purse from inside, police were told on Thursday, Nov. 23, at 7:14 a.m.

A utility trailer with two all-terrain vehicles and a tool box was stolen from a lot in the **200 block of E. Main Street**, police were told on Monday, Nov. 20, at 1:10 p.m.

A Dodge security van parked in the **1900 block of Barksdale Road** was stolen, police were told on Monday, Nov. 20, at 10:03 a.m.

The windows of two bulldozers parked in the **700 block of Nottingham Road** were damaged when an unknown suspect threw rocks at them, police were told on Monday, Nov. 20, at 7:36 a.m.

### Alcohol, noise law violations detailed

The Alcohol Enforcement Unit and other officers of the Newark Police Department continued their stepped-up, strict enforcement of alcohol and noise related laws last week.

Some of the recent violations include:

**Veronica Monaghan, 20**, of Wilmington, underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 4:09 a.m., on S. Chapel Street and Continental Avenue;

**Andrew M. McGinnis, 19**, of Newark, and **Erin Pilling, 20**, of Newark, underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 4:01 a.m., in the 400 block of E. Delaware Avenue;

**Matthew Queitsch, 22**, of Claymont, noise law violation, on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 11:35 p.m., in the 300 block of Paper Mill Road;

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IN THE NEWS

# Growth models must follow 'Core Principles'

**GROWTH, from 1**

approved by the U.S.DOE before they can implement their

growth models for the 2006-2007 school year. Delaware was immediately approved to use its growth model for the current school year.

## Core Principles

The bright-line principles for high-quality growth models are:

- 1) Ensure that all students are proficient by 2014 and set annual state goals to ensure that the achievement gap is closing for all groups of students;
- 2) Set expectations for annual achievement based upon meeting grade-level proficiency and not upon student background or school characteristics;
- 3) Hold schools accountable for student achievement in reading/language arts and mathematics;
- 4) Ensure that all students in tested grades are included in the assessment and accountability system, hold schools and districts accountable for the performance of each student subgroup, and include all schools and districts;
- 5) Include assessments, in each of grades 3 through 8 and high school, in both reading/language arts and mathematics that have been operational for more than one year and have received approval through the NCLB standards and assessment review process for the 2005-06 school year;
- 6) The assessment system must produce comparable results from grade to grade and year to year and track student progress as part of the state data system;
- 7) Include student participation rates and student achievement as separate academic indicators in the state accountability system.

"A growth model is a way for states that are already raising achievement and following the bright-line principles of the law to strengthen accountability," Spellings said. "Arkansas, Delaware and Florida were recognized by our impressive group of peer reviewers to have written strong growth models that adhere to the core principles of No Child Left Behind."

Spellings added that while there are many different routes for states to take, they all must begin with a commitment to annual assessment and disaggregation of data. And, they all must lead to closing the achievement gap and every student reaching grade level by 2014. "We are

open to new ideas," she said, "but when it comes to accountability, we are not taking our eye off the ball."

Growth models track individual student achievement from one year to the next, giving schools credit for student improvement over time. The pilot program enables the Department to rigorously evaluate growth models and ensure their alignment with NCLB, and to share these results with other states.

According to the Delaware DOE, the state already has a data system with a unique student identifier that allows for assessment data to be tracked and matched from year to year for each student. But, individual

student growth in this model will not be provided to parents because this is a school and subgroup growth model.

The U.S.DOE plans to approve no more than 10 high-quality growth models for the pilot program (See *Timeline BOX*). Tennessee and North Carolina received full approval to implement their growth model in the 2005-2006 school year. As a condition of participation in the pilot, those two states must share data on which schools made AYP under each model (status and growth). Spellings stated that these states would provide data by the end of the year that would be shared with the public.

## Timeline

In early 2005, the U. S. Department of Education indicated it would take a common-sense approach to implementing the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB). Called "Raising Achievement: A New Path for No Child Left Behind," the plan established that, when states show results and follow the tenets of NCLB, they will be eligible for new tools to help them meet the law's goal of getting every child to grade level proficiency by 2013-14.

In November 2005, the U.S.DOE invited states to participate in a pilot project for no more than 10 states where growth models would determine whether schools made adequate yearly progress (AYP). States

were also given the core principles that would be used to evaluate the state growth model proposals and an overview of how the models received by the deadline of Feb. 17 of this year would be reviewed. U.S.DOE staff also conducted three Question and Answer sessions with state education officials via teleconference prior to the review process that began in April.

Only Tennessee and North Carolina received full approval to implement their growth model in the first peer review. Sept. 15 was the deadline for five states to submit revised proposals to the U.S.DOE for consideration for the 2006-07 school year. The second peer-

review for these five states was conducted in October and Delaware, Arkansas and Florida qualified.

All other states wishing to participate in the program for the 2006-2007 school year had to submit new growth model proposals to the U.S.DOE by Nov. 1. Arizona, California, Iowa, Hawaii, Ohio, Nevada, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, and Utah have applied for the remaining five slots.

The peer reviewers, who represent academia, private organizations and state and local education agencies, reviewed each proposal based on the Peer Review Guidance issued by the U.S.DOE as a road map for developing the models.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Board of Trustees of the University of Delaware will meet on **Monday, December 11, 2006, beginning at 3:00 p.m.** in the Multi-Purpose Room, Trabant University Center, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware. This is one of the regular semiannual meetings required under the University's Charter and Bylaws.  
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**CITY OF NEWARK, DELAWARE CITY COUNCIL**  
**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

**DECEMBER 11, 2006 - 7:30 PM**

Pursuant to Section 402.2 of the City Charter of the Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, notice is hereby given of a public hearing at a regular meeting of the Council in the Council Chamber at the Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, Newark, Delaware, on **Monday, December 11, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.**, at which time the Council will consider for Final Action and Passage the following proposed Ordinances:

**Bill No. 06-36** - An Ordinance Amending Chapter 16, Garbage, Refuse, and Weeds, Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, By Banning Yard Waste from the Refuse Collection Program in the City of Newark

**Bill No. 06-37** - An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2, Administration, Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, By Revising the Pay Plan for Management Employees, Effective April 1, 2006

Susan A. Lamblack, MMC  
City Secretary



**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The following Real Estate will be exposed for Public Sale at the CITY/COUNTY BLDG., 800 N. French Street, City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, by Michael P. Walsh, Sheriff, on **TUESDAY the 12th day of DECEMBER, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. The legal limit of 152 persons in Council Chambers will be enforced.**

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #7 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 11-023.10-117  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 922 Thornhill Drive, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Lot 180 Section "A" as shown on the Recorder re-subdivision plan of Glasgow Pines, A Diversified Planned Unit Development, prepared by Edward H. Richardson Association, Inc., dated May 17, 1978, as said plan is of Record in the Office for the Recording of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in Microfilm No. 4867, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by East Coast Survey, dated May 16, 1998, as follows, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Peggy A. Patterson by deed of Gary D. Moore and Cynthia A. Moore, f/k/a Cynthia A. Wilson, dated May 29, 1998 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in Deed Book 2453, Page 204.

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TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

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 PARCEL NO. 10-043.10-353  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 7 Bushwick Drive, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Bushwick Drive, being Lot No. 230 on the Plan of Weldon Glen and Wellington Woods, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 4524, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Surveys, Professional Land Surveyors, dated November 17, 2003.

BEING the same lands and premises that were conveyed unto Janette L. Dean by deed of Kisha Johnson dated December 5, 2003, deed record 200312160164559.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JANETTE L. DEAN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #22 OC. AD., 2006.  
 TAX PARCEL NO. 11-013.00-063  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1608 S. College Avenue, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain tract, piece or parcel of land situated in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, being a portion of the lands no longer required for the construction of a public road known as SR 896 which leads from SR 40 to I-95, the said tract being part of the County Tax Parcel No. 11-013.00-063 (part) and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by East Coast Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated April 19, 2002, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Topline Reality Corp., did grant and convey unto Donald M. Payne, Sr., by deed dated May 15, 2002 and recorded on May 17, 2002 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20020520-0047250.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DONALD M. PAYNE, SR.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #25 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-052.00-002  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 531 Paper Mill Road, Newark, DE 19711

ALL that certain lot or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 531 Paper Mill Road, being Lot No. 1 on the Record Minor Subdivision Plan for Property of Frank S. Webb and Eleanor V. Webb, as said Plan is of record in the Office for the Recording of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm Record No. 5641 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey prepared by Zebley & Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated October 17, 2001 as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Gail J. Ames did grant and convey unto William R. Bochow by deed dated October 23, 2001 and recorded on October 30, 2001 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Instrument 20011030-0089400.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF WILLIAM R. BOCHOW.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #37 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-043.40-358  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 2504 Lindell Road, Wilmington, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware and being Lot 24 as shown on the final plan of Grendon Farms, Section I, dated August 29, 1958 as prepared by Van Demark & Lynch, Inc., as recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 708 and more particularly bounded and described according to a survey by Howard L. Robertson, Inc., dated June 14, 2001, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Steven E. Pokolak and Dianne L. Podolak by deed dated June 27, 2001 and recorded in the office aforesaid in Deed Record 200106280051266 granted and conveyed to Peter A. Osofsky and Beth I. Osofsky, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF PETER A. OSOFSKY AND BETH I. OSOFSKY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #41 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 11-019.30-148  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 162 Tuckahoe Ln., Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as 162 Tuckahoe Lane, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 133 as shown on the record Resubdivision Plan of Village of Beck's Pond, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, on Microfilm No. 11614 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey prepared by The Pelsa Company, dated November 10, 2003, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Marylou Sambora did grant and convey unto Cathy M. Wright, sole Owner by deed dated April 30, 2004 and recorded on June 14, 2004 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20040614-0064277.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CATHY M. WRIGHT.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #42 OC. AD., 2006.  
 TAX PARCEL NO. 11-008.00-162  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 18 Nights Crossing, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being Lot 18 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Beaulieu, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 10420, said lot also known as 18 Knight's Crossing and now more particularly described by First State Mortgage Surveys, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Beaulieu Associates, Inc., did grant and convey unto Timothy E. Watts and Shelley Lenick-Watts, husband and wife, by deed dated March 24, 1998 and recorded on March 31, 1998 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed book 2419, Page 0346.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF TIMOTHY E. WATTS AND SHELLEY LENICK-WATTS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #46 OC. AD., 2006.  
 TAX PARCEL NO. 11-035.00-059  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 36 Lyric Drive, Newark, Delaware 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being known as Lot No. 54, as shown on a Plan of Shelley Farms, prepared by William Morrison, Surveyor, Wilmington, Delaware, dated October 5, 1966, revised by Burnie Waski, Inc., Registered Land Surveyor, Wilmington, Delaware, dated August 10, 1967, revised October 19, 1967, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by Merestone Consultants, Inc., dated November 28, 2000.

BEING the same lands and premises conveyed to John J. Bruni, Jr. and Deborah A. Bruni, husband and wife, by Deed from Thomas Matthew, Guardian for Garnett M. Shively, by Deed dated December 14, 2000, and recorded December 15, 2000, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2940, Page 33.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JOHN J. BRUNI, JR. AND DEBORAH A. BRUNI.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #47 OC. AD., 2006.

TAX PARCEL NO. 11-010.40-018  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 135 Arielle Drive, Newark, Delaware 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 135 Arielle Drive, being Lot No. 18 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Westover Woods, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 11335, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by David G. Williams, Professional Land Surveyor of Wilmington, Delaware, dated June 2, 1993.

BEING the same property as transferred by Warranty Deed on 06/11/1993 and recorded 06/15/1993 from Double S. Developers, Inc., a Corporation to Mark E. Moser and Judith S. Moser, husband and wife, Tenants by the Entirety, recorded in Document Number 199306151757321.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF MARK E. MOSER AND JUDITH S. MOSER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #54 OC. AD., 2006.  
 TAX PARCEL NO. 09-034.30-059  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 120 Woodland Road, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware being designated as Lot No. 13, as shown on the record Major Subdivision plan of Timber Farms, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 9827, said lot also known as 120 Woodland Road and being more particularly described according to a First State Mortgage Surveys, Inc., dated May 15, 1990, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Bernard Chand did grant and convey unto Bernard Chand and Meena R. Malik by deed dated September 10, 1998 and recorded on September 14, 1998 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2508 Page 0088.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF MEENA R. MALIK.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #55 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-044.20-197  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 810 Woodland Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 810 Woodland Avenue, being Lot No. 401 & 402, on the Plan of Marshallton Heights, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County in Microfilm No. 390, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by On Point Inc. Land Surveying, Professional Land Surveyors, dated October 5, 2003, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Susanne L. Longerbeam did grant and convey unto Edward Given, Jr. and Kristen Nowack by deed dated October 24, 2003 and recorded on October 30, 2003 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Book Record 20031030-0138946.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF EDWARD GIVEN, JR. AND KRISTEN NOWACK.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #56 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-044.40-312  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 4513 Roslyn Drive, Wilmington, DE 19804

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings there erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and known as Lot No. 173, Block, K, on the Plan of Rolling Hills, as said Plan is of record in the office for the Recording of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Plat Record 3, Page 79, and more particularly bounded and described, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which CMT, Inc. did grant and convey unto Libra T. Dean by deed dated November 9, 2001 and recorded on November 13, 2001 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Book Record 20011113-0093789.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF LIBRA T. DEAN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #72 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09-037.20-104  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 8 Sweet Gum Circle, Newark, Delaware 19702

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ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being Lot 19 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Salem Trace, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, New Castle County, Delaware, on Microfilm No. 12397, said lot also known as 8 Sweet Gum Circle.

BEING the same lands and premises which Empire Construction, Co., a Delaware corporation, by Deed dated May 21, 1998, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 2445, Page 156, did grant and convey unto Joan M. Virgil, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JOAN M. VIRGIL.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #75 OC. AD., 2006. PARCEL NO. 09-022.30-458

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 802 Brennan Drive, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, being known as Lot No. 111, as shown on a plan of Newark Oaks, prepared by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., Newark, Delaware dated Sept. 8, 1976, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 4370, and said plan has been modified by the Record Re-subdivision plan of Newark Oaks by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., dated March 15, 1979 in Microfilm No. 5329 and by a recent survey prepared by On Point, Inc., dated 09-16-03, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which David B. Woodside, Jr. and Lynda L. Woodside (f/k/a Lynda L. Kremer), did grant and convey unto Preston L. Startt, by deed dated September 26, 2003 and recorded on October 3, 2003 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, as Instrument Number 20031003-0128054.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF PRESTON L. STARTT.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #81 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-021-40-167

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 102 Hopkins Court, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 102 Hopkins Court, being known as Lot No. 41, on the Plan of Kimberton, Block B, Section One, as the plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 1819, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey prepared by Zebley & Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated July 26, 2005, as follows to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Richard M. McBride did grant and convey unto Nicole T. Marionaux by deed dated 7/2005 and recorded on 8/3/05 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20050803-0076337

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF NICOLE T. MARIONEAUX.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #84 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-027.40-004

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 819 Archer Place, Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 819 Archer Place, being Lot No. 268, on the Plan of Fox Run, dated July 28, 1988, revised to September 1, 1988, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County in Microfilm No. 9396, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by Zebley & Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors, dated September 9, 2005, as follows to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Dennis Kairis and Jennifer A. Kairis did grant and convey unto Kevin S. Sinclair and Katie C. Sinclair by deed dated September 30, 2005 and recorded on October 3, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20051003-010118.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF KEVIN S. SINCLAIR AND KATIE C. SINCLAIR.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #85 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-023.30-377

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 306 South Brownleaf Road, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situated in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 305 S. Brown-

leaf Road, being Lot No. 281 on the Plan of Birchwood Park, Section 2, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 73 and Plat Record 4, Page 24, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated July 23, 2004, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Ralph Colalillo, by his attorney-in-fact, Victoria L. Hackney and Elizabeth Moodie fka Elizabeth Dale Colalillo did grant and convey unto Melissa F. Hanley by deed dated 7/23/04 and recorded on 7/30/04 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20040730-0083664.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF MELISSA F. HANLEY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #91 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-028.10-108

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 323 Skeet Avenue, Bear, Delaware 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, known as 323 Skeet Avenue, being Lot No. 388 as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Fox Run, Phase I, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm Record No. 8068, and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebley and Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated January 18, 1991.

BEING the same lands and premises which Craig A. Sibol and Donna L. Sibol, by Deed dated February 15, 1991 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1141, Page 219, did grant and convey unto David B. Scherer and Debra K. Scherer, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DAVID B. SCHERER AND DEBRA K. SCHERER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #97 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 18-033.00-050

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 227 Whitherspoon Lane, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvement thereon erected, being Lot No. 35, Section 1, White Chapel, City of Newark, New Castle County and State of Delaware.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Julian Bovell and Jean Bovell by deed of Commercial Credit Mortgage Insurance company, dated June 27, 1983 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in Deed Book V, Volume 122, Page 213.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JULIAN BOVELL AND JEAN BOVELL.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #98 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 10-043.10-725

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 21 Foxton Drive, Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being designated lot 300, also known as 21 Foxton Drive, Wellington Woods, Section II, as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Welling Woods, Section II and III, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, under Microfilm No. 10595; and being more particularly bounded and described according to a recent survey prepared by Welsh & Associates, dated February 7, 1992.

BEING the same lands and premises which Gilman Development Company, a Delaware corporation, by Deed dated February 7, 1992 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 1297 page 215 did grant and convey unto Shawn D. Wilson and Norma Jean Wilson, as tenants in common.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF SHAWN D. WILSON AND NORMA JEAN WILSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #100 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-025.20-113

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 46 Versailles Court, Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Lot 146 as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Frenchtown Woods, as said plan is recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 11707 and more particularly bounded according to a survey by North Star Surveys dated December, 1999, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands which Donald C. Easterling and Kimberly M. Easterling by deed dated December 30, 1999 and recorded in the Office aforesaid in Deed Record 2769, Page 1, granted and conveyed to Nathaniel Austin, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY

OF NATHANIEL AUSTIN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #107 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-038.40-243

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 69 St. John Drive, Wilmington, DE 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings there erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and known as Lot No. 41, Block, H, on the Plan of Dunlinden Acres, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Plat Record 2, Page 90, and being more particularly bounded and described in a recent survey prepared by the Pelsa Company, dated October 19, 2001, as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises, which Phillip Fuller and Mary R. Fuller by deed dated October 31, 2001 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, on November 2, 2001 in Deed Record 20011102-0090990, did grant and convey unto Donna M. Julian in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DONNA M. JULIAN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of SECOND PLURIES LEV FAC #112 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 90-022.30-309

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 21 Malvina Lane, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings there on erected, known as No. 21 Malvina Lane, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being Lot No. 12, Block 5, as shown on the plan of Chestnut Hill Estates, Section 1, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed Record Volume III, Page 55, being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by The Pelsa Company, Land Consultants and Surveyors of Newark, DE, dated August 27, 2003 as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same land and premises that Dale E. Shortlidge by deed dated September 5, 2003 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware in Deed Instrument 20030908-0113734 did grant and convey unto Dale E. Shortlidge and Kathryn J. Shortlidge, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DALE E. SHORTLIDGE AND KATHRYN J. SHORTLIDGE, IN FEE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #113 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-033.40-169

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 17 East Moyer Drive, Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being Lot No. 26 as shown on the Plan of Oakwood, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for New Castle County on Microfilm No. 1130, and described in accordance with a survey by B. Michael Cartolano, Inc., dated August 13, 1994.

BEING the same lands and premises which Richard M. Davidson and Mary F. Welch-Davidson, by Deed dated March 27, 1998, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 2419, Page 146, did grant and convey to Timothy L. Brown, Sr. and Carmella B. Brown, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF TIMOTHY L. BROWN, SR., AND CARMELLA B. BROWN, IN FEE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #115 OC. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-016.40-103

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 6 Donegal Court, Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware known as 6 Donegal Court, being Lot No. 141 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Deerborne Woods, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 13522, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated October 9, 2000.

BEING the same lands and premises which Handler Builders, Inc. did by deed dated October 26, 2000, and recorded in Deed Book 2915, Page 313 did grant and convey unto Christopher Simendinger and Victoria A. Simendinger.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CHRISTOPHER SIMENDINGER AND VICTORIA A. SIMENDINGER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #119 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-030.30-086  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 213 Sloan Court, Wilmington, DE 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 7, as shown on the Record Minor Subdivision Plan and Record Resubdivision Plan for "Limestone Hills-Phase 16" prepared by Karins and Associates, recorded on Microfilm No. 10179 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by Zebley and Associates, Inc., date April 16, 1997, and follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Robert T. Maniscalco and Tracey A. Gehouskey did grant and convey unto Theodore M. Greer by deed dated April 18, 1997 and recorded on April 24, 1997 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2261 at Page 0294.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF THEODORE M. GREER

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #120 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09-028.20-123  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 349 Stanley Plaza Boulevard, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being known as Lot No. 40, said lot is also known as 349 Stanley Plaza Boulevard, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by The Pelsa Company, Inc., Land Consultants and Surveyors, dated July, 2005 as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Nan Zhao did grant and convey unto Sylvain E. Clissa and Christina Kardos by deed dated July 26, 2005 and recorded on July 27, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Book Record 20050727-0074107.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF SYLVAIN E. CLISSA AND CHRISTINA KARDOS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of SECOND PLURIES LEV FAC #123 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-012.20-061

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 512 Cabot Drive, Hockessin, DE 19707  
 ALL that certain lot or parcel of land, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, comprising Lot No. 189, Block 1, Cabot Drive, Gateway Farms and being more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Elizabeth C. Malin did grant and convey unto Timothy B. O'Neil and Michelle L. O'Neil by deed dated May 30, 1997 and recorded on June 3, 1997 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2279 Page 0349.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF TIMOTHY B. O'NEIL AND MICHELLE L. O'NEIL.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #129 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09-029.10-332

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1 Stature Drive, Newark, DE 19713  
 ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon erected, situated in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 12, Block G, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan, Section

Two, Sherwood Forest, dated September 28, 1971, as prepared by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., civil engineers and surveyors of Newark, Delaware, and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Microfilm No. 1902, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebley and Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated June 12, 1991, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Michael F. Weinkowitz, Jr. and Elaine A. Weinkowitz did grant and convey unto James J. Ogden and June M. Ogden by deed dated June 14, 1991 and recorded on June 17, 1991 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1188 at Page 0205.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JAMES J. OGDEN AND JUNE M. OGDEN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #144 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09034.30008

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 4 Buchanan Circle, Newark, DE 19702  
 ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 4 Buchanan Circle, being Lot No. 70 on the Record Major Land Development Plan of Woodshade South, Phase Two, Christiana Green, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 6386, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated December 9, 2002, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Michael F. Camac did grant and convey unto Jason C. Einstein by deed dated December 17, 2002 and recorded on December 18, 2002 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20021218-0121019.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JASON C. EINSTEIN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of FIFTH PLURIES LEV FAC #153 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09-023.30-061

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 202 Brownleaf Road, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvement thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, known as 202 N. Brownleaf Road, and being Lot No. 31, Block E, on a Plan of Hillside Heights, Section I, dated April 30, 1956, prepared by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Plat Record 4, Page 3, on June 7, 1956, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by David G. Williams, Professional Land Surveyor, Wilmington, Delaware, dated October 10, 1997, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Galen Elwood Croft did grant and convey unto Kenneth J. Lindell and Laura A. Keener by deed dated October 31, 1997 and recorded on November 3, 1997 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2351 Page 241.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF KENNETH J. LINDELL AND LAURA A. KEENER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #154 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09022.30232  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 82 West Stephen Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 82 West Stephen Drive, being Lot No. 9, Block 10, on the Plan of Chestnut Hill Estates, Section 2, dated October 2, 1953, prepared by Myers - Richardson Associates, Consulting Engineers, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Plat Book 3, Page 58 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated July 24, 2002, as follows, to-wit:

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CLENIA JOHNSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #157 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 09-034.30-216  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 7 Moonlight Court, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain piece, parcel or tract of land known as Lot 98, 7 Moonlight Court, located on the southerly side of Moonlight Court, Norwegian Woods, situated in White Clay Creek, New Castle County, Delaware according to a plan entitled "Record Major Subdivision Plan, Norwegian Woods, Section I", recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 12526 and more particularly described in a survey prepared by Dixie Line Surveys, Inc., dated May 22, 1998, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Wilson Road Development Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware did grant and convey unto Trent Allen Beach and Pamela Batts Beach by deed dated May 26, 1998 and recorded on May 26, 1998 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for 1988 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2446, Page 0091.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF TRENT ALLEN BEACH AND PAMELA BATTS BEACH.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #163 OC. AD., 2006.  
 PARCEL NO. 08-026.40-145  
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 13 Tall Trees Lane, Wilmington, DE 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being known as Lot No. 126, Block E, on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Tall Trees, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Microfilm No. 10190, said lot is also known as 13 Tall Trees Lane, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance to a recent survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated February 1, 2002.

BEING the same lands and premises which Kevin E. Rose by deed dated February 14, 2002 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Instrument No. 20020219-0016170, granted and conveyed to Keith A. Ottinger and Sheryl J. Klehr-Ottinger, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF KEITH A. OTTINGER AND SHERYL J. KLEHR-OTTINGER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 2, 2007.  
 OCTOBER 31, 2006

Michael P. Walsh, Sheriff  
 Sheriff's Office  
 Wilmington, Delaware

np 12/1,8

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 Krystal Lynn Burns  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Krystal Lynn Hawkins  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Krystal Lynn Burns intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Krystal Lynn Hawkins.  
 Krystal Burns  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: 11/8/06  
 np 11/17,24,12/1

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 Traci A. Kowalski  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Traci A. Capelli  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Traci A. Kowalski intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Traci A. Capelli.  
 Traci A. Kowalski  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: 11/9/06  
 np 11/17,24,12/1

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 David Colin Meddings  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Colin Boese Meddings  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that David Colin Meddings intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his name to Colin Boese Meddings.  
 Barbara Boese  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: 11/21/06  
 np 12/1,8,15

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 Hélène Wersäll-Lucas  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Hélène Benzestier-Dahlen  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Hélène Wersäll-Lucas intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change her name to Hélène Benzestier-Dahlen.  
 Hélène Wersäll-Lucas  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: November 7, 2006  
 np 11/17,24,12/1

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 Maslov Danila Viktorivich  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Daniel Gott  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Maslov Danila Viktorivich intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Daniel Gott.  
 Olga Gott  
 Petitioner  
 Mother  
 Dated: 11/27/06  
 np 12/1,8,15

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**  
 IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 STEPHAN N. ROUSSOS  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 STEPHANO N. ROUSSOS  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Stephan N. Roussos intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Stephano N. Roussos.  
 Stephan Roussos  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: 11/14/06  
 np 11/24,12/1,8

**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY**

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF  
 Elizabeth Anne Thompson  
 PETITIONER(S)  
 TO  
 Elizabeth Thompson Arnold  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Elizabeth Anne Thompson intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Elizabeth Thompson Arnold.  
 Elizabeth A. Thompson  
 Petitioner  
 Dated: 11/8/06  
 np 11/17,24,12/1



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Parents: Joe Saienni & Rikki Dolor  
Grandparents: Ed & Shelley Garcia, Corky & Brigitta Dolor,  
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#26U0582 04 CHEVROLET Trailblazer LS, Cert, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Defrost, PS, PB, Power Door Locks, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt Wheel, Cruise Ctrl, 46,573 Miles, Grey

#26U0572 06 CHEVROLET Silverado LS, Cert, On-Star, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Defrost, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, Power Door Locks, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt Wheel, 3,630 Miles, Maroon

#26U0560 04 CHEVROLET Avalanche C1500, Cert, AC, Auto Climate Ctrl, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Defrost, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, Power Door Locks, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 30,301 Miles, Grey

#26U0557 06 CHEVROLET Colorado LS Crew Cab, Cert, AC, PS, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, PD, PW, PM, Interm Wiper, Tilt, Cruise, Window Locks, 4WD, 6,304 Miles, White

#26U0556 05 PONTIAC G6 GT, Cert, On-Star, AC, Rear Defrost, PW, PB, Traction Ctrl, PW Door Locks, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, Cruise, 24,252 Miles, Blue

#26U0550 04 CHEVROLET Silverado LT, Cert, On-Star, AC, Auto Climate Ctrl, Dual Climate Ctrl, PS, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 24,405 Miles, Grey

#26U0522 04 CHEVROLET Avalanche Z71, Cert, On-Star, AC, Auto Climate Ctrl, Dual Climate Ctrl, PS, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 22,577 Miles, Blue

#26U0520 04 CHEVROLET Silverado K2500 HD LS, Cert, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Def, PS, PB, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, Cruise, Trans, 9,215 Miles, Grey

#26U0518 04 CHEVROLET Silverado K1500, Cert, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Def, PS, PB, PDL, Pass Air Bag On/off, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Cruise, 14,182 Miles, Grey

#26U0499 06 CHEVROLET Silverado 1500 LS, Cert, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Def, PS, PB, Trac Ctrl, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 9,850 Miles, Maroon

#26U0449 05 BUICK Century Custom, Cert, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, Rear Def, PS, PB, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, Cruise, 27,054 Miles, Gold

#26U0404 04 CHEVROLET Suburban LS, Cert, Warranty, AC, Dual Climate Ctrl, REar Def, Rear AC, PW, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 28,275 Miles, Black

#26U0336 04 CHEVROLET Silverado K2500 HD, Cert, AC, Auto Climate Ctrl, Dual Climate Ctrl, REar Def, PB, Anti-Lock Brakes, PDL, PW, PM, Interm Wipers, Tilt, 30,589 Miles, Pewter

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**SENTINEL SELF STORAGE**

200 First State Boulevard  
Wilmington DE, 19804  
302-999-0704

Public auction to be held on **January 10, 2007 at 11:00 a.m.** The following storage units will be auctioned:

- #0281 - Leigh Ann McLaughlin - 2 bags bed, mattress, 20 boxes, dresser, lamp, 3 totes
- #6280 - Jamea M. Lewis - 6 bags, clothing, 2 totes
- #9369 - Julio Morales - A/C, 2 bags, china cabinet, chairs, couch, pictures, rug, dining table, speakers

**SENTINEL SELF STORAGE**

465 Pulaski Hwy.  
New Castle, DE 19720  
302-328-5810

A public auction will be held on **January 10, 2007 at 1:00 p.m.** The contents of the following storage units will be auctioned.

- #7018 - Kamia Epps - boxes, dresser, totes
- #1122 - Vaughn Dove - bed frame, computer
- #5002 - Glenda Fuentes - boxes, desk, coffee table, end table
- #4165 - Juanita Graham - computer, rugs, clothing
- #4175 - Janice Marshall - bags, dryer, totes, Lexmark fax machine
- #4137 - David Toliver - boxes, dresser, clothing, lamps, tool box, TV
- #3019 - Ricky Cooper - bed frame, filing cabinet, chair, closet, sofa
- #4168 - Lamar Hair - entertainment center, tires, washer
- #3043 - Sasha Ingardi - bags

**SENTINEL SELF STORAGE**

1100 Elkton Road  
Newark, DE 19711  
302-731-8108

A public auction will be held on **Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at 10:00 a.m.** The contents of the following storage units will be auctioned:

- #0166 - Tykisha Bratcher - books, boxes, dresser, portable TV
- #2203 - Caroline B. Minnehan - bags, boxes, clothing
- #4213 - Angela Compello - kitchen chairs, table lamp, dresser, entertainment center, love seat, pictures, coffee table, end table, vacuum
- #4221 - Karin L. Reynolds - bags, box spring, mattress, dresser, floor lamp, table lamp, toys, file cabinet
- #5001 - Mitchell Bolte - boxes, kitchen chairs, chest of drawers, computer, dresser, love seat, shelving, portable TV
- #7049 - Suzane Frank - washer, dryer, boxes, toys, child car seat
- #7140 - Reginald Colley - bags, boxes, totes
- #8068 - Tresa and Bill Baker - baby bassinet, baby stroller, mattress, boxes, totes
- #9102 - Tiffany Sweed - bags, box spring, mattress, boxes, dining table, totes

**SENTINEL SELF STORAGE**

333 E. Lea Blvd.  
Wilmington, DE 19802  
302-764-6300

Public auction to be held on **January 10, 2007 at 12:00 p.m.** at the above address. All sales are cash only. All sales are final. The units to be auctioned are as follows:

- #49 - Mel Eaton - boxes, clothing, suitcase
  - #88 - Franklin Mowbray - bed frame, boxes, chest of drawers, desk, coffee table
  - #106 - Alicia Simpson - bags, bed, mattress, bicycle, radio, stereo, portable TV
  - #164 - Sheila E. Register - rocking chair, dryer, refrigerator, stereo
  - #267 - Antionette Brooks - boxes, clothing, washer
  - #334 - Isabelle Charles - bags, bed, mattress, clothing, freezer, shelving, speakers
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On January 17, 2007, the Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency identified Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs) in New Castle County, Delaware, and Unincorporated Areas, through issuance of a Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM). The Mitigation Division has determined that modification of the elevations of the flood having a 1-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any given year (base flood) for certain locations in these communities is appropriate. The modified Base Flood Elevations (BFEs) revise the FIRM for the communities.

The changes are being made pursuant to Section 206 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-234) and are in accordance with the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended (Title XIII of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, Public Law 90-448), 42 U.S.C. 4001-4128, and 44 CFR Part 65.

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Location	Existing BFE (feet)*	Modified BFE (feet)*
Approximately 240 feet upstream of confluence with Belltown Run	None	36
Approximately 750 feet upstream of confluence with Belltown Run	None	42

\*National Geodetic Vertical Datum, rounded to nearest whole foot

Under the above-mentioned Acts of 1968 and 1973, the Mitigation Division must develop criteria for floodplain management. To participate in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), the community must use the modified BFEs to administer the floodplain management measures of the NFIP. These modified BFEs will also be used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and their contents and for the second layer of insurance on existing buildings and contents.

Upon the second publication of notice of these changes in this newspaper, any person has 90 days in which he or she can request, through the Chief Executive Officer of the community, that the Mitigation Division reconsider the determination. Any request for reconsideration must be based on knowledge of changed conditions or new scientific or technical data. All interested parties are on notice that until the 90-day period elapses, the Mitigation Division's determination to modify the BFEs may itself be changed.

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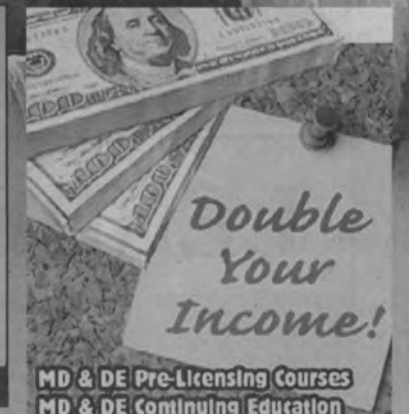
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