

UP FRONT

Weathering the storm

By JIM STREIT

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

SLIMY celebrity P.R. flacks tell their clients that any publicity is good, even if for bad things.

In 1989 I struck up a barroom conversation in Manhattan Beach, Calif., with Manny Somebody, who was a P.R. agent for low-level movie stars in Hollywood. Chewing the stub of a long-extinguished cigar, Manny boasted loudly (even though I was the only person listening) that "a movie star getting arrested for DUI is about as good as it gets in my world!"



Streit

He professed the collar gets the star plastered over the pages of mainstream publications as well as the scandal sheets. Plus, he said, such an incident brings the movie star down to a normal person's level and elicits public sympathy while building name recognition. "Because," Manny told me in his heavy Brooklyn accent, "a lot of us have been bitten by DUIs, you know." I believed him.

I doubt that University of Delaware president David Roselle, athletic director Edgar Johnson and football coach K.C. Keeler can find any P.R. benefit to the television news reports and front-page headlines that announced the arrest here earlier this week of three UD football players on a host of

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Guest soprano will accompany Newark Symphony Orchestra

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The final note, and a sigh of relief. Members of the Newark Symphony Orchestra caught their breath after a recent rehearsal of a beautiful and challenging piece by German composer Richard Strauss.

As Conductor Roman Pawlowski congratulated the group on a job well done, he assured them they weren't alone in finding Strauss' "Don Juan" to be difficult.

At its 1888 premiere in Weimar, Germany, he told the group, a horn player was overheard saying, "What did we do to deserve this? Such a masterpiece, we'll have to play it over and over again."

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PHOTOS BY SCOTT MCALLISTER

Maestro Roman Pawlowski leads the Newark Symphony Orchestra in Last Four Songs, accompanied by Philadelphia-based soprano Helen Huse Ralston.

North St. homes okayed

Commons project now goes to Newark City Council for approval

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

AT Tuesday's meeting, the planning commission voted 3-2 to recommend the city council approve a townhouse project, known as North Street Commons, for the corner of North and Wilbur streets. Developers propose to build 10 townhouse-style apartments on the half-acre lot that is the former home of Angie's Sub Shop.

Owner Ed Sobolewski told planners his proposal provided "a chance to rejuvenate an old part of town." The site is across the street from several older rental homes and Fox Croft Townhouses.

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Wilson helps fire victims

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

FOR the second time in two months, a fire has displaced a Wilson Elementary School student and his family. "One of our students lived at The Bluffs [apartments] where there was a fire yesterday," explained Rocco Toccafondi, principal of Wilson on Monday, March 6. "He didn't come in today but I received an e-mail saying his family is staying in a hotel about a 45-minute drive from here."

According to the American Red Cross of Delmarva Peninsula, 10 families were homeless after the early morning fire on Sunday, March 5, at the Bluffs apartment complex. Red Cross Disaster Action Team volunteers helped the families with their immediate needs, includ-

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Armed robbery at hotel here

THE Newark Police Department is looking for the suspect of an armed robbery that occurred at Howard Johnson Inn & Suites, 1119 S. College Ave., on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Around 10:14 p.m., police were told, a black male 5'7" to 5'10" wearing a face mask and black clothing, came into the lobby of the hotel. The man approached the counter, showed a small, black handgun, and demanded money, said police.

The suspect then fled the lobby on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash, heading southbound towards I-95, police were told. Police searched the area without success.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the Newark Police Department at 366-7111 or Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

Newark motorcyclist injured in crash

A 43-year-old Newark man was critically injured in a motorcycle crash at North DuPont Highway and Christiana Road on Sunday, March 5, around 9 p.m., said the Delaware State Police.

Police said the driver of a 1999 Harley Davidson motorcycle, Russell Brown, of Newark, tried to make a left turn onto Christiana Road when he cut the turn short, striking the center concrete median.

Brown laid the motorcycle down on its right side and slid about 75 feet, said police. Police said Brown was not wearing a helmet and alcohol was a factor in the crash.

Brown was taken to Christiana Emergency Center with severe head injuries. The investigation is continuing.

Car crashes into storefront

A car driven by a Newark woman crashed through the front glass windows of a Newark liquor store Thursday, March 2, around 1:25 p.m., said Delaware State Police.

Police said a 1993 Chrysler Concord, driven by Sharon Folks, 45, of Newark, was parked in front of the Chestnut Hill Liquor Store at 744 E. Chestnut Hill in Newark. Folks tried to reverse her vehicle from the parking spot, but unintentionally placed the car in drive, said police.

Folks then accelerated the vehicle, causing it to crash through both glass front doors. The vehicle went about 10 feet into the store.

Folks and a passenger were wearing seat belts at the time of the crash and were not injured.

Man attacked on porch

A 23-year-old New Jersey man told Newark police he was assaulted while standing alone on the back

UD football players charged

FOUR University of Delaware students were arrested by Newark Police on Sunday, March 5, and charged with several counts of first degree robbery and burglary after an early morning incident at an off-campus apartment of two other students in Newark.

According to Newark police and a report of the UDaily web site, arrested were Demetrice Alexander, 20, Jeffery Robinson, 20, and Daniel Jones, 19, and Tyrone Heggins, 22, all of Newark.

Three are members of the UD football team: Alexander is a sophomore linebacker, Jones is a sophomore running back and Robinson is a junior defensive back. Heggins is a senior at the university.

"The university is very concerned about the alleged actions of these students," Cynthia Cummings, associate vice president for campus life, on UDaily said. "We must ensure that they pose no threat to members of the university community. Therefore, the

Office of Judicial Affairs has taken the necessary steps to expel the students from the campus, according to procedures set forth in the Student Guide to University Policies. This action will remain in effect until the charges are dismissed or until the students are acquitted of the charges."

UD head football coach K. C. Keeler announced the immediate suspension of the three players. They will be terminated from the program permanently if they are found to have any involvement in the crime.

"People are innocent until proven guilty, but due to the severity of this situation, we are suspending these three immediately," Keeler said. "If any of the three is found to be involved in this crime in any way, each will be terminated."

According to police, around 1 a.m., on Sunday, March 5, a 20-year-old male UD student heard a knock on his apartment door in Park Place

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porch of a home in the unit block Kershaw Strett.

The victim told officers that two white men walked onto his deck and punched him in the head on Sunday, March 5, at 3 a.m. The victim police that the attack was unprovoked.

The assailants got into a red truck and fled before police arrived.

Knife in school

Newark police were called to John R. Downes Elementary School, 220 Casho Mill Road, on Thursday, March 2, at 9:43 a.m. and told that a 6-inch knife had been found inside a student's book bag.

School officials also contacted the 10-year-old student's parent, police said.

No one was injured or threatened.

Tapes being reviewed

Newark police are viewing surveillance video shot on Thursday, March 2, between 1 and 2 a.m. when a number of vehicles left the City of Newark municipal parking lot without paying. In one instance, a car hit the gate barrier and broke it before fleeing. In another incident, a passenger got out of a vehicle and manually opened the gate for a car to pass through. Another car rammed and broke the gate before leaving.

Investigation is continuing and at least one warrant is expected soon, police said.

DUI arrest

A 33-year-old New Jersey man was arrested for driving while intoxicated after a traffic collision on East Main Street near South College Avenue at 11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Newark police said a 2006 BMW driven by Nicholas A. Antonelli, 33, of Sewell, N.J., had collided with another vehicle.

Police said Antonelli was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and following too closely. He was released to the custody of his wife pending a court appearance, police said.

Men hit with bottle

Two men, ages 23 and 25, told Newark police that they were struck in their heads with a thrown beer bottle behind Shaggy's On Main restaurant, 45 E. Main St., on Thursday, March 2, at 1:16 a.m.

Investigation is continuing, police said.

Molotov cocktails

Two unignited Molotov cocktails were discovered by a restaurant

worker at Matilda's, 801 S. College Ave., on Wednesday, March 1, at 3:50 p.m.

The incendiary devices were found next to dumpster in the rear of the restaurant.

Investigation is continuing, police said.

\$60 scam

Newark police were told on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 4:09 p.m., that a man had come into Cold Stone Creamery, 168 E. Main St., and approached an employee.

The man claimed he had children on a bus and needed money to pay the driver. After giving the employee a "cheap" gold ring, watch and cell phone, the man was given \$60 in cash. The man fled on foot, eastbound on Main Street.

Other incidents

Newark police are investigating the theft of a woman's purse during a domestic dispute in the **unit block Welsh Tract Road** just after midnight, Monday, March 6.

A digital camera valued at \$250 disappeared from a locked apartment in the **unit block Center Street**, police were told on Sunday, March 5, at 7:18 p.m.

A mountain bike valued at \$3,200 was stolen from the front yard of a home in the **unit block Allison Lane** on Saturday, March 4, at 5 p.m. The bike was recovered two hours later in the area of Barksdale Park.

A 19-year-old University of Delaware student told police on Saturday, March 4, at 2 p.m. that her wallet disappeared from her purse while she attended a party the night before at a friend's home in the **100 block New London Road**.

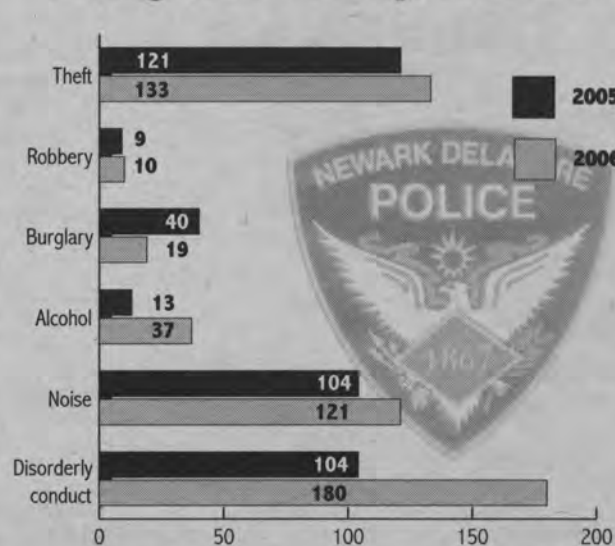
A 19-year-old New Jersey woman apparently was hit in the head with a flashlight as two security officers were chasing a man outside the **Ivy Hall apartments, 400 Wollaston Ave.**, on Saturday, March 4, at 12:51 a.m. The victim was treated for lacerations at Christiana Hospital.

A leather coat valued at \$190 was stolen from a rack inside Timothy's restaurant, **100 Creek View Dr.**, police were told on Thursday, March 2, at 11:08 p.m. The theft took place Feb. 10.

A painting was stolen from where it was hanging inside Old Time Antiques, **294 E. Main St.**, police

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Burglaries drop in 2006



Statistics are Year To Date, 2005 and 2006. Source: Newark Police Dept. weekly report 2-25-06

Karen Venezky declines another run

Newark county council rep won't seek reelection

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

KAREN Venezky, a Democrat who has represented the 5th District of New Castle County, which includes the Newark area, since January 1992, will not seek reelection, she announced this week.

Venezky cited a desire to spend more time with her family as reason for vacating the post she has held for 15 years. She plans to visit with her "two wonderful children," a son in New York and a daughter in California, and two grandchildren, who live in California.

In 1992, Venezky was appointed by then-County Executive Dennis Greenhouse to represent the 5th District to fill the unexpired term of Mike Purzycki. She was elected to office 10 months later and was re-elected in 1994, 1996 and 2002.

In her biography on the New

Castle County Web site, Venezky names advocating for libraries, tree planting and the introduction of "cluster" housing to the county as some of her accomplishments.

Of the experience, she said, "I thought it was a phenomenal one. I learned a tremendous amount and had opportunities to make a difference, which I certainly hope I did."

Jim Paoli, chair of the New Castle County Democratic party, said Tuesday, he understood Venezky's decision to not seek reelection. "As New Castle County chair, I'll be working to make sure it remains a Democratic seat," he said.

Venezky has endorsed Stephanie McClellan, a Democrat and assistant professor at the University of Delaware, who intends to run for the 5th District. In 2002, McClellan ran unsuccessfully for state representative



Venezky

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Planners approve design review regs

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

CHANGES to the city's process for design review received a stamp of approval from the planning commission Tuesday by a 4-1 vote. The amendments will be reviewed by the city council at a

future meeting.

If approved, the amendments will expand the city's design review to all projects with six or more lots or units, and any single commercial or industrial building that calls for 20,000 or more square feet.

Developers will have to submit a drawing of their design and prove how it fits into the neighborhood. Any residential development with more than 50 units will be required to have a traffic impact study.

The planning commission and city council will consider details such as architecture, site design, open and common space design, landscaping and the placement of existing utility poles and wires in making their decisions.

Ultimately, the city could rule

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FOR THE RECORD

The Dog Den Daycare, a new doggie daycare service on Appleton Road, can be reached at 410-620-PAWS. The Web site is at TheDogDenDaycare.com. This contact info was missing from a March 3 article.

Cooperation needed to stem graffiti

NPD offers update on anti-graffiti efforts

COOPERATION is needed between law agencies, city departments and city residents to combat graffiti in the community, according to Sgt. Gerald Simpson who is heading the Newark Police Department's efforts to stem graffiti incidents.

"I think once people see the police department treating this will all seriousness, it will get the attention it deserves from the community," he said.

In January, said Simpson, the police department dedicated resources to the task of combating graffiti. Two officers focus on the issue full-time. The school resource officer and a detective assist their effort, he said.

As of last week, the department had arrested six individuals charged with graffiti crimes and possession of instruments, such as paint spray cans. The six people had a total of about 100 charges between them, said Simpson.

The charges are misdemeanors, but, if convicted, the suspects could be made to pay for damages. Simpson

said these fines could be high, depending on how many acts of graffiti the individuals committed. Also, he said, both adult and juvenile offenders could be required to do community service hours.

"The penalties can be rather stiff," said Simpson.

Simpson said the vandals range in age from 15 to 22 years; the majority of them are high school students. In their minds, said Simpson, graffiti is a way to act on feelings of anti-authority. "For the most part, vandalism in Newark is not related to gang graffiti," he said.

The city, said Simpson, goes through cycles of crimes, and police tend to focus their efforts on one or two major issues. The recent increase in graffiti crime could be related to a weaker response shown by the police department in the past.

To get a handle on graffiti, the police department has organized crimes reported in the last two years by where they occurred and what "tags," or markings specific to a vandal, were left behind.

"When you look at a problem as big as graffiti, the hard part is getting a handle on what has happened and what is happening," said Simpson.

The department is sharing information with other law enforcement agencies, he said, and asking the public to report graffiti vandalism to the police and then remove it within 24 to 72 hours, if possible. Vandals may be discouraged from hitting the same location twice if their work is removed quickly, he said.

The city building department is responsible for notifying property owners that graffiti needs to be cleaned up. By city ordinance, property owners have 10 days to do so.

Simpson said graffiti has a negative economic impact on the community and can make people feel unsafe. "It's also a matter of civic pride. We have a beautiful community, and we would like to play a part in keeping it that way," he said.

■ To report an act of graffiti, contact the police department at 366-7111.

Residents question state officials

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

DISCUSSION at last week's meet-and-greet with Lt. Governor John Carney, St. Rep. Terry Schooley and State Treasurer Jack Markell centered on two topics of interest to Newark residents: healthcare and education.

Carney named healthcare as one of the top three issues facing Delaware, with the economy and schools taking up the other two spots.

Carney said the number of uninsured Delawareans has gone

up in the most recent report by the state's healthcare commission. In 2002, the commission found 76,000 residents to be uninsured. The number now, said Carney, is closer to 100,000. Many of these people, he said, have jobs and do not qualify for Medicare assistance.

Carney said he thought the issue needed to be dealt with at a national level. Any initiative to provide universal healthcare coverage at the state level would be subject to border controls, he said.

But in the absence of a national program, a state subcommittee has been looking into a single-

payer system, he said. This system would use one organization to collect all health care fees and pay out health care costs.

One holdup, said Carney, is that "it would significantly disrupt and change the majority of people's coverage." People may be resistant to this change, said Carney.

Newark physician Dr. Phillip Pollner said he disagreed. People with insurance are not happy with their coverage and increasing amounts of co-pays, he said. Some patients do not receive treatment because of these higher costs, said Pollner.

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In Our Schools

EDUCATION NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS

NOTE PAD

School board meeting

THE regular monthly meeting of the Christina District School Board is Tuesday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m. in Elbert-Palmer Intermediate School, 1210 Lobdell Street in Wilmington. The public is welcome to attend.

Mathcounts competition

Mathcounts 2006 begins at 9 a.m. and runs to 1:30 p.m. on Monday, March 13, at Delaware Technical & Community College in Stanton.

Organizers expect students from 16 schools with approximately 14 alternate teams also registered, bringing the total participants to "a record" 120 competitors.

Team members also compete in the individual-based events, so everyone will compete in the Sprint and Target Rounds and all students will compete for the Countdown Round. Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the event.

Kid-friendly Internet

Parents should always monitor their children's time on the Web. Even kid-friendly directories can lead to undesirable links. Two child-friendly search engines are KidsClick! at www.kidsclick.org and Yahoo!igans! at www.yahooigans.com. Children can click on a listed category or type what they are looking for in the search window.

Student of the Week

The staff at Wilson Elementary School selected fifth-grade student Damon Spivey. "Damon takes every opportunity to improve himself and asks intelligent questions in class," said his teacher John Buttil. "He is always willing to assist other students when they are struggling." Spivey is also part of Wilson's computer club team and loves karate. "I expect nothing but positive things from Damon in the future as a result of all of his hard work," Buttil said.



Wilmington couple serving local schools

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A minority-owned local business is now serving coffee and light meals to teachers and staff in the Christina School District. Sarita M. Banning and husband Chris beamed as Christina employees sampled their offerings at Pyle Academy in February. Marc Anthony Williams, Christina's child nutrition supervisor, planned the event to introduce the district to the fare offered by The Perky Bean Coffee Café and innovative food services being introduced in Christina schools. "Perky Bean will be supplying coffee machines and coffee to the entire district," Williams explained. "We're also starting-up a 'Boston-Market-style' line of breakfasts and lunches in our cafeterias this month. We think it's going to be real popular."

Sarita Banning explained that the couple started their business nine months ago with a coffee shop on Market Street in Wilmington. "We offer full-service, coffee and light meals, from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday to Friday, and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturdays," she said. "We prepare breakfast sandwiches and bagels, eight lunch sandwiches and three soups, salad and a wide variety of desserts."



PHOTO BY MARY E. PETZAK

Sarita M. Banning and husband Chris brought their catering from The Perky Bean Coffee Café to school cafeterias.

The Café's product line was snapped up happily by Christina employees. "The desserts are popular, said Banning, smiling and pointing to a table full of bite-size pastries. "Be sure to try some."

The "Boston-Market-style" cafeteria station being introduced into middle and high school cafeterias includes a variety of sandwiches and soups, and on this day, slow-roasted pork and apples with potatoes or rice. "And we're sticking with whole-grain products for sandwiches and breadings," Williams noted.

Jeffrey Edmison, assistant



PHOTO BY MARY E. PETZAK

Marc Anthony Williams, child nutrition supervisor, calls this lineup of hot entrees, salads and sides, and soups "Boston-Market-style" service in Christina District's cafeterias.

superintendent and chief operating officer for the district, said the foods displayed at Pyle were a demonstration of what's happening in all the schools. "We're systematically going through all schools and lunch menus," Edmison said. "Breakfast will be available to all students, as well."

Mary Ann Sami, food operations manager, echoed Edmison's remarks. "It's important to get something into [children] early in the day," Sami said. "Research

shows that will improve their classroom performance."

Chef Paul Schuele, formerly a part-time kitchen coordinator, is now working full-time for the district.

Williams named Sandra Crist to be the "four-in-one" manager for the facilities at the "Kirk complex" that includes Kirk Middle School, Smith Elementary School, the Brennan School and Sterck School off East Chestnut

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Two-month Readathon benefits MS programs

More than 8,000 U.S. students have MS

AT least 1,250 Delawareans have multiple sclerosis, a disease of the central nervous system that is most often diagnosed in people between 20 and 50 years of age. But the disease attacks individuals at any age and approximately 8,000 to 10,000 American schoolchildren under the age of 18 have been diagnosed with multiple sclerosis.

Schoolchildren in Delaware schools are reading through

February and March with one goal in mind: to raise money to fight multiple sclerosis. Created by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and endorsed by organizations such as the U.S. Office of Education, the International Reading Association and the American Association of School Libraries, the READaTHON fundraiser promotes an awareness of disabilities and encourages reading. Children obtain monetary pledges from family and friends and then read as many books as they can. The pledge money goes to MS research, pro-

grams and services.

In the First State, the Delaware Chapter of the National MS Society is directly responsible for managing the program.

The chapter collected each child's book list and pledges and, at the end of the program, provided each school with a computer printout that lists the names of their participating students, the number of books each child read, and the amount of money earned.

The MS Society will award certificates of appreciation and coupons to visit local museums,

recreational facilities, and food establishments to all participants.

Children who raise at least \$40 also receive a range of award packages that include goods such as sets of books and tickets to READaTHON Night with the Blue Rocks.

All children who raise \$150 or more will attend an awards party in the University of Delaware's Clayton Hall on May 6.

All materials and prizes come from grant money endowed by DuPont and the Laffey-McHugh Foundation.

Plan to attend the NHS spring play

THE NHS Thespians and theatre students at Newark High School will present William Shakespeare's "A Comedy of Errors," starting tonight, on Fridays and Saturdays, March 10-11 and 17-18 at 7 p.m.

The play centers around the comic confusion caused when twin brothers, unknown to each other, show up in the same town. Theatre critics have said that the plot's twists and turns provide suspense, surprise, expectation and exhilaration and reveal Shakespeare's mastery of construction.

"The kids have been working very hard on material that is challenging and, for some, relatively foreign," said Susan Mitchell, theatre teacher.

Friday, March 17, is Alumni Night when Newark graduates are encouraged to come out and support the student-actors and other students working in the

production. Tickets are \$8 each for all seats.



"For a good time, see Bill" is the playful message on some of Newark High's posters advertising their production of "A Comedy of Errors" by Shakespeare.

BRIEFLY

Student Tid-Bits

ROBERT Abishek, a student at Marshall Elementary School in Bear, was the second-place winner in a statewide competition for Fire Prevention Essays.

Kirk Middle School students in the Talent Development Group of teacher Donna Harkins, meet weekly to mentor and read to kindergarten students at Jennie Smith Elementary School.

Teachers recognized for creativity

Is one of these teachers going to Disneyworld? Christina School District recognized Dorothy Woytowich, a fifth-grade special education teacher at Stubbs intermediate School, and Jenice Bragg, a first grade TAM (Team Approach to Mastery) teacher at Keene Elementary School, for their creativity in the classroom. "They join an elite

group of teachers from across the country who have been recognized by their communities," said Wendy Lapham, the District's public information officer. "The next step in the process is submitting their names to be considered for the 2006 Disney Teacher of the Year Award."

Bancroft hosts 76ers

Hip Hop, the Philadelphia 76ers mascot, along with broadcast personalities, the Sixers Dancers and others from the basketball organization visited Bancroft Intermediate School in the Christina District on Tuesday, Feb. 21. The 76ers helped kick-off Bancroft's "Read To Achieve" Day during a visit with K-6 students in the gym where they presented a video and distributed free books and posters.

The 76ers "Read To Achieve" program, sponsored by Mountain Dew, includes book donations and school

visits by players, coaches and front office staff. For more info, visit www.nba.com/sixers.

Brader students see work on stage

Child's Play, a professional, touring theater group for young audiences, presented a work authored by Marcus Brown, Carl Gatling, Wesley Brunner and Tiffany Haxelwood, fifth-graders at Brader Elementary School, on March 3 at Delcastle Technical High School. Child's Play transforms stories and poems written by school children into live plays, dances and songs.

Elementary and middle school students in Delaware and southeastern Pennsylvania submitted approximately 2,700 original works to Child's Play in fall 2005. Only 10 are selected for performances. Children and Families First sponsored the events in Delaware.

Nutrition staff makes an impact

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Hill Road. "There are three cafeterias, now, and Smith's will be opening in April," Williams said. "The dorm population at Sterck gets breakfast-lunch-and-dinner."

Williams also introduced Julie Kosta who will be handling front-of-the-house employees, customer service, and staff training for the district's food workers. "We didn't have someone to do this," Williams said. "Now, we can stop using outside consultants when we want to know if something is working."

Williams said information gathered by Kosta will also help in establishing nutrition policies throughout the district's schools.

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POST COLUMNIST

What's up with Star?

By RUTH KELLY

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

I don't normally get to watch daytime TV because I'm at work. However, I was able to catch Regis and Kelly and all the other shows on a recent day off. I caught "The View" and was really startled when I saw Star Jones.

I've been reading about her, received e-mails touting her new book, followed her extravagant wedding and heard about the rumors regarding her new husband. I don't follow this kind of stuff closely because things like this just don't interest me. I have enough going on in my life that I don't have time to be consumed with the lives of other people.

What did catch my attention immediately is the change in Star's appearance. I don't know about you, but I don't think she looks very well. It is apparent that she has had a huge weight loss. I am most surprised that she will tell all about everything else, but is tight-lipped about how she lost her weight.

For many of us who have had gastric bypass surgery, we know the deal. You don't lose that much weight in such a short period and not have had gastric bypass.

I am not ashamed to tell anyone that I had this surgery in October 2004. Although many people knew I was planning to have it, it has only been recently that I can say that I am glad that I had it done.

The surgery has changed my life in such a positive way that now I could shout from the rooftop "go for it," but guess what - I won't. This surgery is not for everyone and not a magic pill for weight loss.

One must be at least 100 pounds over weight, have several of the health problems associated with obesity, i.e. high blood pressure, high cholesterol, diabetes, etc. I had all that and more including severe joint pain that was often debilitating.

The surgical procedure done laproscopically was not bad. I was able to get up the day after surgery with not a great deal of pain. What I was not prepared for was the next three months post surgery.

A normal size stomach is about the size of a grapefruit. After surgery, my stomach was now the size of an egg. Over time, it will expand a little to the size of a small

■ *The author, a single parent, has been a columnist for the Newark Post from time to time since 1994. A former Dupont employee, she now is employed as a specialist for the Christina School District.*



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... I had two teaspoon-size portions of apple sauce and two forks full of mashed potatoes, and I was full.”

apple. I'll give you an example of what I could eat after a period of eating pureed foods. I was allowed to eat regular food a month after surgery at the biggest family meal of the year - Thanksgiving. I had two teaspoon size portions of apple sauce and two forks full of mashed potatoes, and I was full. When I tried to eat a small piece of turkey, I literally lost everything. This happens a lot when you overeat.

You also can't eat and drink at the same time because your body requires large amounts of protein so that your hair doesn't fall out along with other unwanted medical issues. We are advised to eat six small meals during the course of the day, but even now, I can only handle three.

I was losing a pound a day the first month and had no appetite, and I was in heaven watching the weight melt away. I hoped that I would never get my appetite back, but the doctor told me, it would come back. If I wasn't hungry, I didn't eat and the weight kept coming off.

Then one day, I felt something I hadn't felt in a long time even before surgery, hunger pains. To compound things, I stopped smoking on Dec. 30 and have picked up almost 10 pounds. (I hope my doctors aren't reading this.) When I stopped smoking in 1991 that's when I put on the 100 pounds that I recently lost.

I'm battling to maintain the weight loss and not regain. I need to pick up the exercise and cut out the carbs. I was not a big candy eater in the past, but now am addicted to York Peppermint candies, and that just came out of nowhere.

My doctors want me to lose 25 more pounds and, after a little 'nip-tuck', 20 more from excess skin. I'll be happy and the doctors will be satisfied. I am no longer diabetic; blood pressure is considerably lower and can ambulate better than I have for years.

Now to the good, the bad and the ugly that happens post surgery.

The ugly part has to be the excess skin (no bathing suits for me for a while) after the loss of a huge amount of weight.

The bad comes in the form of the way some people treat you after you lose weight. Those who may have teased you or were the brunt of their jokes when you

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OUT OF THE ATTIC



This week, "Out of the Attic" continues a months-long series of photographs taken in the early 1950s of all buildings on Main Street in the downtown area. This treasure trove of nostalgia is borrowed from archives in the City of Newark municipal building. Few details were discovered with the color slides but it is believed the photos were made by Leo Laskaris in 1954. The building shown in this photograph at what is believed to be 147 E. Main St. was never a business even though it was located in the heart of downtown. According to Bob Thomas, longtime resident and founder of the Newark Historical Society, the home was demolished in 1970 and today is the site of the Iron Hill Brewery. 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

■ March, 12, 1931 State school foundation disbanded

The Delaware School Foundation will be discontinued after the building program to which it is pledged is completed. This information was made known Monday by its founder, Pierre S. DuPont, in letters sent to the Wilmington Board of Education, the State Board of Education and to Dr. H.V. Holloway, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The State program the Foundation was committed to has been practically carried out at this time, and the city program that the Foundation is committed to ceases with the construction of the Mary C.I. Williams School and No. 25 School. Both of these schools will be built

this year.

Mr. duPont became interested in the State and Wilmington school building program ten years ago, when the State building fund was low. During these years, his letter to the State Board states \$6,000,000 has been expended for public schools and that he has given \$672,000 to aid the



"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.

State and city in furnishing engineers to draw the plans and supervise the construction of the schools

■ March 12, 1986 School plans to be heard

A redistricting plan aimed at easing overcrowding and preparing for future growth in Christina School District elementary schools will be aired by the Board of Education during two public hearings this week.

The plan, which was drafted by the District's Space Utilization Committee, will be discussed Wednesday, March 12 in the Wilmer E. Shue Middle School, 1500 Capitol Trail, and Wednesday, March 19, in the Sarah W. Pyle

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Church leader offers thanks, details hope after volunteer mission to Louisiana

To: The editor

From: Glenn Sand, Elder, White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church, Newark

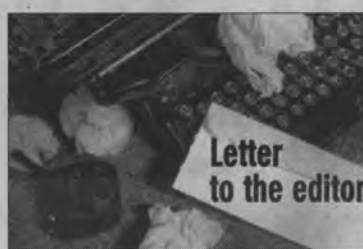
ON behalf of White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church, I thank those in the community who supported our mission trip to New Orleans in March. Thirteen people (eight men and five women) worked to rebuild homes in Lacombe, La. We were hosted by New Covenant Presbyterian Church in Mandeville, La. Their ministry is to house and feed volunteer workers, and identify people in neighboring Lacombe who need assistance. They host about 60 people a week.

With their assistance, we gutted the home of Mr. Davis, a 71-year old widower and retired

truck driver. Although his house is located three miles north of Lake Pontchartrain, six feet of flood water resulted from the hurricane surge.

We removed all the walls, ceilings, insulation and floors, leaving only a shell and interior studing. We gagged from the stench of food spoilage when we opened the refrigerator and freezer. We were frightened when we unintentionally disturbed a nest of rats living in a dresser drawer. We carried all his lifelong possessions to the street, creating a debris pile five feet high, 50 feet long, and 10 feet wide.

His house is now ready to be repaired by the next group of volunteers. Davis is currently living in a FEMA trailer without water or electricity. He said that we gave him hope. We all struggled to understand the oddity of that



statement and then came to realize it was not ours to understand.

Another person who we came to know was Mr. Baitise. He is a retired high school principal, is also a widower. His wife, a teacher, died in October. Our team installed drywall, spackled interior wallboards, repaired the kitchen floor, mowed the lawn and cleaned windows and exterior siding. The interior of the house is now ready to be painted by the next team. Baitise is one step closer to recovering some sense of normalcy. He needed the help of total strangers to lift him from the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina. He is not

forgotten or shunned by friends and neighbors; he is just a tiny part of the mosaic of innocent people caught in an inescapable nightmare.

The overwhelming feeling of weariness seems commonplace in the small towns and parishes surrounding New Orleans. Everyone we met, from the waitress who served us pizza to the airport security agent who helped us with our luggage, said "thanks" for coming down to help. They can not repress their need to express thanks, perhaps because their underlying fear is that people elsewhere may forget the pain that is now part of the everyday fabric of life in southern Louisiana and, no doubt, along the entire Gulf coastline.

In spite of overwatching CNN and Fox news, I wasn't prepared for what I saw in New Orleans. I stood silently on the breach at 11th Street levee. I struggled to comprehend the suddenness of the water surge. The moments following this catastrophic fail-

ure, when families sensed panic and chaos replaced order. I stood on the levee and saw houses pushed from their foundations, many stacked like railroad cars after a collision. I scanned the devastation until I could no longer bear to absorb it.

I rode through the neighborhoods, mile after mile, immersed in a war zone, each house barring the spray painted X giving silent testimony to ruined lives, lost dreams and immeasurable sorrow. The 10-foot high waterlines clearly evident on the homes still standing, left only the attics as a safe refuge for desperate families and displaced rats.

But know this. The people we touched in Louisiana blessed our lives. We went to give a helping hand and we were uplifted by the fortitude and decency of the people we served. There is hope in Lacombe. Their hope is strongly and unshakably rooted in their faith that God will provide. And he does. Thank you for making a difference in Lacombe, La.

2001: Next step, planners

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Elementary School, Wilmington, also beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Although some parents may be unhappy with the plan, it is expected to be less controversial than earlier proposals because fewer students will be involved.

Main Street safety issues

With hopes of making Newark's Main Street as safe during the night as it is during the day, the newly formed, Citizens for a Safe Main Street held an organizational meeting Thursday evening in the Newark Police gym.

More than 50 people attended the open meeting, among them representatives of the Newark Police Department, Mayor William Redd, State Sen. James Neal and mayoral candidate Dr. Hugh Ferguson.

Although residents said they realize that making a darkened

Main Street as safe at night as it is during daylight hours is an in-probability, they agreed it as a healthy objective.

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Changes at Deer Park

Robert E. Ashby, current owner of two popular McGlynn's Pubs, is hoping to make the historic Deer Park Hotel the centerpiece in his empire.

Having successfully sought a variance for parking from the Newark Board of Adjustment, Ashby is taking the next step on March 6 when the city's Planning Commission reviews his plans for the renovations to the building itself.

"The Deer Park is one of those pieces of property that is very unique to Delaware, to Newark," Ashby said. "I wanted to purchase the Deer Park because I already own a food business and thought it would be nice to have a piece of Delaware history."

After dramatic weight loss, 'loving life'

► KELLY, from 6

were heavy are now a little jealous at your loss. You find out quickly who your true friends are.

The best part is I can now buy clothes in "normal" stores. I don't have to purchase an extra airline seat if I fly anywhere. I can actually sit in a booth again at restaurants.

As for men - the ones who are

now looking, I don't have time for. I love the ones who liked and loved me at my highest weight and stuck by me. For they loved Ruth, the person, and not what she looked like. That's the way it should be for all of us.

To dispel the myths out there. Yes, you can regain the weight.

No, you can't put weights in your undergarments to lie about your true weight when you have your first consultation visit.

Yes, you need a support person and the support of others who have had the surgery to help you get through this because it is the hardest thing I have ever done in my life.

Finally, no, this surgery is not magic cure to make you completely happy and fulfilled.

As for me, I'm having a ball and loving life and all that I missed in the past 20 years.

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OUTLOOK

4-H after school programs

By CAROL SCOTT

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

IT'S a busy world for today's parents.

Typically, both mother and father work outside the home just to make ends meet. With so little time at home, parents of children who struggle with school assignments are in no position to help. Every parent wants his or her child to be successful academically and socially. This is where 4-H extended school day comes in. 4-H provides academic and social development activities to help any child to become a successful, productive and fulfilled adult.

'Outlook' is a weekly feature prepared by the New Castle County Cooperative Extension Service

Delaware 4-H after-school programs has programs throughout New Castle County in schools, at public housing sites and community centers. Managed and staffed by Cooperative Extension professionals and part-time staff, these programs provide homework help and individual tutoring. The after-school setting is perfect for the 4-H teaching style, which is also the 4-H motto—learning by doing. Experiential and hands-on activities help children develop life skills. The programs also have a summer session of six weeks or more that includes enrichment activities, literacy components, and enriching trips and tours.

4-H after-school program's fun and engaging curricula stimulate a child's interest in learning, by applying real-life situations and activities to what is being taught in school. Lessons, such as measuring cups of flour in a foods project and tossing dice to understand recessive and dominant genes in a biotechnology exercise,

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MEETING A NEED

Newark churches lend hand to Katrina recovery efforts

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

OF all the stories to come out of Newark Church of Christ's service trip to Louisiana this past January, there's one the trip organizers are quick to retell.

While cleaning out a house destroyed by Hurricane Katrina, volunteers were told of a high school graduation gift the homeowner lost 14 years ago when it fell behind a kitchen cabinet, said David Blackwell, campus minister for the Newark church.

The next day, volunteers worked on their hands and knees, digging through the smelly muck left behind by the storm. Amazingly, they found the gift—a ring—and returned it to an overjoyed owner.

"There's a lot of cool stories like that," agreed Matt Wilson, youth minister.

Forty-five people from the Newark Church of Christ, ranging in age from teens to 72-year-olds, spent two and a half weeks over the New Year's holiday assisting in Gulf Coast recovery efforts. The group stayed at Tammany Oaks Church of Christ in Mandeville, La., where they were provided with food and housing.

Blackwell said crews worked from 8 a.m. to dark cleaning debris, furniture, personal belongings and mud out of homes in the area. The experience



proved to be a life-changing one for the volunteers.

"It's a really humbling experience," said Wilson. "You're taking people's lives and you're basically throwing them out on the street."

Since volunteers spent three days "mucking" each home, Blackwell said he followed this credo: "Three days of our sweat is worth giving somebody some hope and being able to close a chapter in their lives and move on. It's worth it. It's worth three days."

Tammany Oaks Church has become a sort of base camp for Gulf Coast volunteers. Located 20 miles east of Slidell, La., Mandeville, La. received minimal damage from the hurricane.

Just days after the hurricane, said Blackwell, the church started responding to community needs, providing food, water and supplies. Now, the church organizes work crews coming from

all over the country to help its neighbors. The church provides meals, housing, work shirts, even a ride from the airport to volunteers.

"They just need workers down there. If you can get your transportation down there, they'll take care of you," said Wilson.

White Clay Presbyterian Church had a similar experience on a recent trip to New Orleans. In February, 13 people from the congregation stayed at New Covenant Presbyterian Church, also in Mandeville, La., and worked to rebuild homes in Lacombe, La., said church elder Glenn Sand.

"Their ministry is to house and feed volunteer workers, and identify people in neighboring Lacombe who need assistance," said Sand, of the Louisiana church. "They host about 60 people a week."

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Volunteers from Newark Church of Christ were humbled by the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina in Louisiana. The church has three Gulf Coast relief trips planned for this summer open to the Newark community.



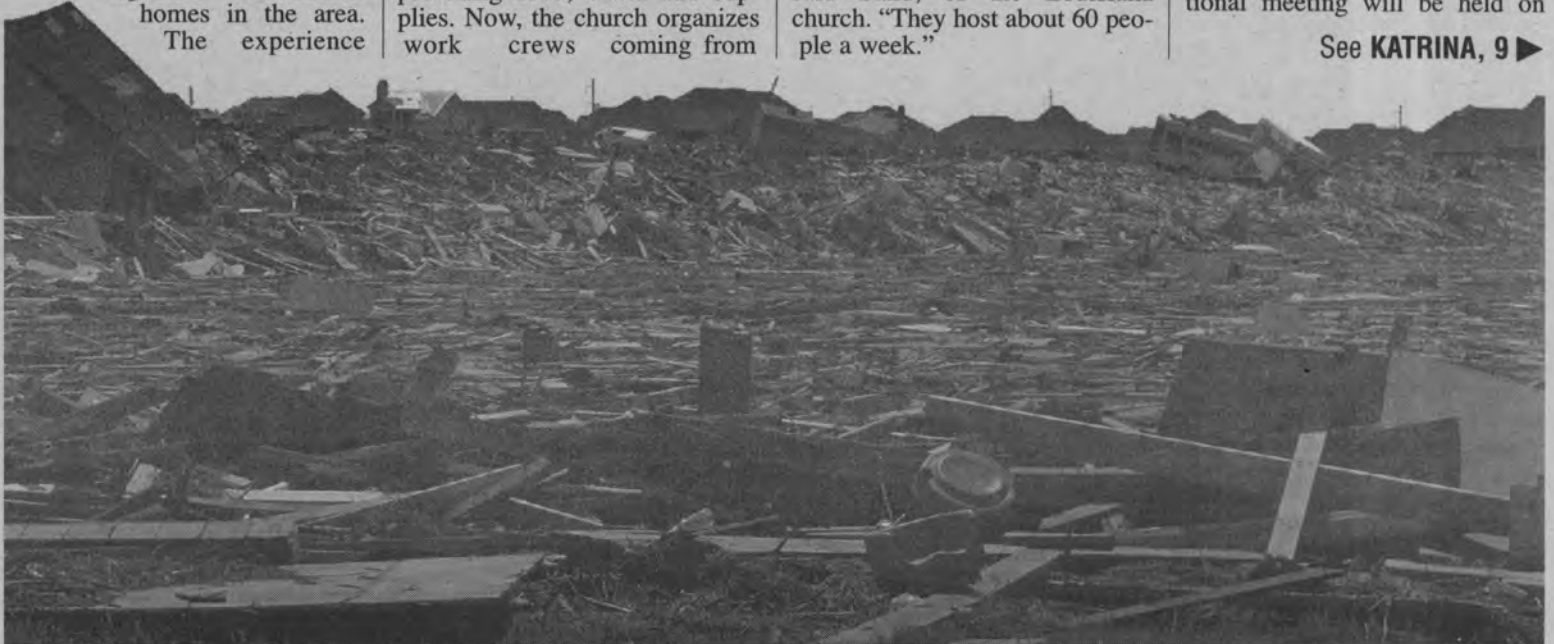
These church organizations, said Wilson, provide a service that can't be matched by private businesses or government agencies. Even the Mandeville Walmart, he said, can only open a few hours each day because it lacks employees.

"These organizations that are doing this for free are very important because otherwise (the muck) will just sit there," he said.

Newark Church of Christ was so impressed by the ease of the trip and moved by the volunteer experience, it has planned three more service missions for this summer. The trips will take place June 16 to 24, July 21 to 29 and July 28 to Aug. 5.

All Newark area residents are invited to attend. An informational meeting will be held on

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Elmo and friends come to the Bob

CHILDREN and their families are invited on a colorful journey with Sesame Street characters Elmo, Zoe, Oscar, Big Bird and the rest of Sesame Street Live for "Elmo's Coloring Book" on Thursday, March 23 through Saturday March 26 at the Bob Carpenter Center at the University of Delaware. Tickets on sale now.

Feeling blue? How about mellow yellow or red-hot? Colors evoke many emotions, but what would happen if they all disappeared? Elmo and friends join Professor Art and his helpers,

the Palettes, as they travel into their drawings to ancient Egypt, the land of the dinosaurs, and a very musical junkyard. The colors begin to vanish as the characters perform an array of musical numbers, including, "Fuzzy and Blue," "Red-Hot Tango," and "Yellow Polka." Along the way, they learn the importance of sharing, diversity and acceptance of others - even those with no color at all.

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Tickets are \$14 and \$20, with a limited number of \$30 premium seats. A facility and parking fee of \$2.50 is included in all ticket prices. For tickets call Ticketmaster of the Delaware Valley at 302-984-2000.

For information online, visit www.sesamestreetlive.com.

Victims not forgotten

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Sunday March 19, at 3 p.m. at the church building, 91 Salem Church Road in Newark.

Wilson said the church wants to assure Katrina's victims they haven't been forgotten. "We don't just want to send money. We actually want to go down there, and we want to get dirty," he said.

Blackwell said costs for the trip should be no more than \$200 per person. Families and seniors are welcome, he said.

For more information, attend the March 19 meeting, call 302-737-3781 or e-mail, newarkchurch@comcast.net. For more information on how your volunteer group can help those



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Through Tammany Oaks Church of Christ in Mandeville, La, Gulf Coast volunteers receive food, shelter and work shirts.

affected by Hurricane Katrina, contact White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church at 737-2100.

4-H improves attendance

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bring learning to life.

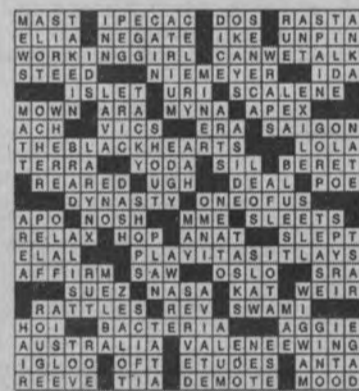
Participants show improved performance in schools on both report cards and standardized state tests. They turn in completed homework assignments. Students also show an increased attachment to school with improved

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PAINTING & DRAWINGS 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. through June 16. Katherine Kuharic, "The Low Road," paintings and drawing commenting on American consumer culture. \$5, \$3, Delaware Center for the Contemporary Arts, 200 S. Madison St., Wilmington. Info, 656-6466

BEETHOVEN AND BERLIOZ 8 p.m. Also runs on March 11. Delaware Symphony Orchestra. The Grand Opera House, 818 North Market St., Wilmington. Info, 800-37-GRAND.

MASTER CLASS RECITAL 1:25 p.m. and again at 8 p.m. Victoria Chiang, viola, will present a free master class followed by a recital. Adults \$10, students \$7, seniors \$3. Loudis Recital Hall, Amy E. du Pont Music Building, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 302-831-2577.

LIVE MUSIC 8 - 11 p.m. Live performance by Lee Angelo. Home Grown Café & Gourmet to Go, 126 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 266-6993.

DJ DANCE PARTY 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. No cover charge. DJ Dance Party Tom Travers. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

HOME FRONT KIDS OVERNIGHT 8 a.m. to sunset. Call to book date. White Clay Creek State Park, Rt. 896, Newark. Info, 368-6900.

DEATH OF A SALESMAN 8 p.m. A production of the Arthur Miller play many critics call the first great American tragedy. \$15 to \$22. Performed by the Covered Bridge Theatre Company at Cecil Community College's Milburn Stone Memorial Theatre, North East, Md. Info, 410-287-1054.

■ SATURDAY, MAR. 11

TEA TIME 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Experts will present demonstrations on the etiquette and history of tea making. Free with admission. Winterthur Museum and Country Estates, Route 52, six miles northwest of Wilmington. Info, 800-448-3883.

FASCINATING FOSSILS 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Learn about the fossil record in Delaware and make a simulated fossil to take home. Iron Hill Museum of Natural History/ Delaware Academy of Science, 1355 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark. Info, 368-5703

LIVE MUSIC 8 - 11 p.m. Live performance by Sin City. Home Grown Café & Gourmet to Go, 126 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 266-6993.

LIVE MUSIC 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. Performance by Mad Sweet Pangs. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

PERFORMANCE 8 p.m. Guest artist Andrew Harley joins faculty artists Lawrence Stomberg, cello, and Julie Nishimura, piano. Adults \$10, seniors \$7 and students \$3. Loudis Recital Hall, Amy E. du Pont Music Building, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 302-831-2577.

PLAY OPENING 8 p.m. Delaware Theatre Company's production of The Syringa Tree, a play about the racial, religious and political landscape of South Africa during apartheid. Delaware Theatre Company, 200 Water St., Wilmington. Info, 302-594-1100.



CECIL COMMUNITY PUTS ON CLASSIC

"Death of Salesman," the classic Arthur Miller play, starts at 8 p.m. March 10, 11, 17 and 18 and at 3 p.m. March 12 and 19 at Cecil Community College. Tickets are \$15 and \$22 and can be purchased by phone, 410-287-1037 or at the Cultural Center box office. For more info, visit www.cecilcc.edu/theater.

■ SUNDAY, MAR. 12

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ST. PATRICKS DAY CELEBRATION 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. A showcase of the sights, sounds, and aromas of Ireland. Adults \$11, students \$9 and seniors \$4. Hagley Museum, Route 141, Wilmington. Info, 658-2400.

IRISH MUSIC 3 p.m. The 15-member Brandywine Celtic Harp Orchestra, directed by Janet Jackson Witman, will perform a concert of Irish music. \$5, \$2. St. Michael Lutheran Church, 109 East Doe Run Road, Unionville, Pa. Info, 610-347-1696.

ORCHESTRA 7:30 p.m. The Newark Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Roman Pawlowski, will perform songs by composer Richard Strauss with guest soprano Helen Huse Ralston. Adults \$15, seniors \$12, students \$9, under high school free. Loudis Recital Hall in the Amy E. DuPont Music Building, Newark.

■ MONDAY, MAR. 13

LIVE MUSIC 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. No cover charge. Performing is Flip Like Wilson. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

OPEN HOUSE 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Wilmington Trail Club will hold open house for those interested in whitewater kayaking. Cab Calloway School of Arts at Lancaster Pike and DuPont Road in Wilmington. Info, 302-234-7407.

■ TUESDAY, MAR. 14

LIVE MUSIC 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. No cover charge. Performing is Liquid A. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

KIDS ON THE INTERNET 7:30 p.m. A presentation/ discussion on children using the Internet, and what every parent should know in this day and age. Free. Lower Brandywine Presbyterian Church, 101 Old Kennett Rd., Wilmington. Info, 658-2326.

THE ART OF MEMOIR 4 p.m. A public presentation by Irish journalist and writer, Nuala O'Faolain. Refreshments provided. 116 Gore Hall, University of Delaware, Newark. Info, kkerrane@udel.edu.

JAZZ CHAMBER 8 p.m. Vernon James will direct a jazz chamber ensemble. Adults \$10, seniors \$7 and students \$3. Loudis Recital Hall in the Amy E. DuPont Music Building, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 831-2577.

■ WEDNESDAY, MAR. 15

KARAOKE 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. No cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

LIVE MUSIC 8 - 11 p.m. Live performance by Bruce Anthony. Home Grown Café & Gourmet to Go, 126 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 266-6993.

ART AFTER HOURS 6 - 7:30 p.m. Featuring the Larry Unthank Group performing a combination of jazz, rock, and blues. Free with admission to the Delaware Art Museum. 2301 Kentmere Parkway, Wilmington. Info, 351-8511.

EARTH EXPLORER 8 a.m. to sunset. White Clay Creek State Park, Rt. 896, Newark. Info, 368-6900.

LIBRARY TALK 7 p.m. Friends of the Bear Library welcome Marie Gormley-Tarleton, a storyteller and impersonator, to present "Women Who Spied." Bear Library, 101 Governor's Square, Bear. Info, 302-836-8690.

■ THURSDAY, MAR. 16

MUG NIGHT 9:30/10 p.m. - 1 a.m. No cover charge. Performing is Burnt Sienna. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 369-9414.

STARVING FOR ART Noon. Get to know the Metropolitan Crowd by Norman Lewis through a guided museum tour. Free with admission to the Delaware Art Museum. 2301 Kentmere Parkway, Wilmington. Info, 351-8511.

SURVIVOR POETRY 6:30 p.m. Cancer survivor Chris Reeves reads poems inspired by his illness. Includes light refreshments. Free. The Wellness Community's New Castle County facility, 4810 Lancaster Pike. Info, 995-2850.

ARTS TALK 5 to 6 p.m. "Building Vibrant Communities through the Arts" by Ben Cameron, executive director of the Theatre Communications Group. Delaware Theatre Company, 200 Water Street, Wilmington. Info, 594-1100.

DRUM ENSEMBLE Harvey Price will direct percussion/marimba ensembles and Delaware Steel. Adults \$10, seniors \$7 and students \$3. Loudis Recital Hall in the Amy E. DuPont Music Building, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 831-2577.

■ FRIDAY MARCH 10

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.

FAMILY & COMMUNITY 1 p.m. Second Friday. Continuing education to promote better way of life. New members welcome. County Extension Office, South Chapel St. Info, 738-4419 or 831-1239.

■ SATURDAY MARCH 11

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.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED 10 a.m. Second Saturday. Join a great group of committed volunteers. We have programs scheduled all year round and we need your help. Brandywine Creek State Park. Info, 655-5740.

LYME SUPPORT GROUP 10:30 a.m. Second Saturday. Kirkwood Highway

Library. Info., 996-9065.

RECYCLE ALUMINUM 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Second Saturday. Anything except foil. Remove non-metal portions like glass or chair webbing. Call for house siding and large pickups. Center for Creative Arts, off Rt. 82, Yorklyn. Info, 239-2690 or 239-2434.

■ SUNDAY MARCH 12

BEAR DANCERS 2 - 5 p.m. Second Sunday. Square dancing. No partner or experience needed. Dress comfortably and bring clean, soft-soled shoes. No smoking or alcohol. \$6. 208 Mariner's Way, Bear. Info, 838-0493.

■ MONDAY MARCH 13

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.

FREE ENGLISH CONVERSATIONAL CLASSES 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. Mondays. Classes for English Conversation. Registration required. Newark United Methodist Church, 69 East Main St. Info, 368-4942 or 368-8774.

SIMPLY JAZZEXERCISE 5:30 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and

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Fridays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS 7:30 p.m. Second Monday. Orientation meeting. Bear Library, Governor's Square. Info, 998-3115, ext. 1.

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. The Holiday Inn, Route 273. 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.

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.

■ TUESDAY MARCH 14

CONSTITUENT COFFEE 7 - 8 a.m. Tuesdays. State Representative Stephanie

Ulbrich will be on hand to discuss issues and concerns in the community. Friendly's, S. College Avenue. Info, 368-5122.

GRIEFSHARE 7 p.m. Tuesdays. 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.

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.

DIVORCECARE 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays. Support group meeting. Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 308 Possum Park Rd. Info, 737-7239.

SWEET ADELINES 8 - 10 p.m. Tuesdays. Singing group. Listeners and new members welcome. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info., 731-5981.

MS SUPPORT 4 - 6 p.m. Tuesdays. MS Society Headquarters, 2 Mill Rd., Wilmington. Info, 655-5610.

CHRISTINA SCHOOL BOARD 7:30 p.m. Second Tuesday. Info, 552-2600 or visit www.christina.k12.de.us.

EPILEPSY SUPPORT 7 p.m. Second Tuesday. Meets at the Easter Seal Center Conference Room, Corporate Cir., New Castle. Info., 324-4455.

CANCER SUPPORT 6:30 p.m. Second and fourth Tuesday. 405 Silverside/Carr Executive Center, Wilmington. Info., 733-3900.

REAL ESTATE INVESTORS 7 - 9 p.m. Mike Doherty from Bona Fide Mortgage talks about running a real estate investing business as a business. Matilda's Restaurant, 801 South College Ave., Newark. Info, 983-8483.

■ WEDNESDAY MARCH 15

CONSTITUENT BREAKFAST 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. Terry Schooley will attend to field questions and concerns. Eagle Diner, Elkton Road. Info., 577-8476.

C.H.A.D.D. 7:30 p.m. Third Wednesday. Parent/Educator support group meeting to support the lives of people with attention disorders through education, advocacy, and support. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info., 737-5063.

PARENT ADVISORY BOARD 7 p.m. Third Wednesday. Meetings alternate between Bayard and Keene schools. Info., 454-2500 or visit www.christina.k12.de.us.

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

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- 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.
- FAMILY CIRCLES** 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info., 658-5177.
- 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
- CROHN'S AND COLITIS FOUNDATION** 7:30 p.m. Third Wednesday. Wilmington Satellite Group. Christiana Hospital, Room

1100. Info., 764-5717.
- BGCCCO MEETING** 7 p.m. Third Wednesday. Bear Glasgow Council of Civic Organizations, Pencader Grange Hall, Glasgow Avenue/Old Rt. 896. Info., 832-0793.
- DIAMOND STATE CROCHETERS** 6 p.m. Third Wednesday. Limestone Medical Center, Room 005, Limestone Road. Info., 324-8585.
- 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.

■ THURSDAY MARCH 16

COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:30 a.m. - Noon. First and Third Thursday. A

peer-facilitated group. Congregation Beth Emeth, 300 W. Lea Blvd., Wilmington. Info., 764-4335.

STORYTIME 10:30 a.m. Thursdays. Animal stories read by a lively storyteller. Near the Otter exhibit, The Brandywine Zoo. Info., 571-7747.

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.

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.

BLUEGRASS/OLDTIME JAM 7:30 - 10 p.m. Thursdays. Any skill level welcome. Bring your own instrument. St. Thomas Episcopal Church, S. College Avenue.

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.

HOLISTIC HEALTH 7 p.m. Third Thursday. Workshop by certified natural health professional. Free, pre-registration required.

Rainbow Books, Main St. 368-7738.

SUPPORT GROUP 3 p.m. Third Thursday. Free. Newark United Methodist Church, 69 E. Main St. Info., 737-7080.

ALZHEIMERS SUPPORT GROUP 6:30 p.m. Third Thursday. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info., 737-2336.

MEDAL OF HONOR ASSN. 7 p.m. Third Thursday. Delaware Medal of Honor Historical Association meets. Open to public. Veterans Administration Hospital, Elsmere.

AARP 1:30 p.m. Third Thursday. New Castle Chapter No. 4265 of AARP, Weston Community and Senior Center, New Castle.

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Developer speaks out against changes

▶ REGS, from 3

against a project with a poor design.

William Stritzinger, the developer involved in the proposed Newark Country Club swap, spoke out against the changes, saying they seemed to target certain projects and impinged on private property rights.

"This ordinance continues to take pieces of private property and put arbitrary measures on what an owner can do with that property," he said.

With the review changes, said Stritzinger, the city can disagree with developers who find their projects to be very attractive. This arbitrary decision may have legal ramifications, he warned.

Chairman James Soles argued the amendments do not abridge property rights. "I do not believe decisions here are arbitrary. I think we work very hard to be fair," he said of the commission.

Planning Director Roy Lopata said these "very significant changes" for reviewing new development may make the city more vulnerable to mistakes. "It is going to be more difficult. We will have to be careful about the arbitrary and capricious issues raised by Mr. Stritzinger," he said.

“*This ordinance continues to take pieces of private property and put arbitrary measures on what an owner can do with that property.***”**

WILLIAM STRITZINGER
NEWARK DEVELOPER

Lopata said city staff will assist the planning commission and city council in making those decisions.

Commissioner Marguerite Ashley proposed forming a design committee to review each project before it comes before the planning commission.

"I agree you need guidance, but I'm not sure you need guidance from another committee," said Lopata. The planning commission, he said, can table projects in order to allow developers to make changes.

Open house for first responders

Global Secure Safety, a Delaware-based company serving the needs of first responders, has invited local firefighters, emergency medical services and other emergency workers to learn more about the company at an open house on March 25, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

First responders can see some of the advanced protective equipment made by the company, including a full line of self-contained breather apparatus, filtered air respirator products and a shallow-water rescue product.

Visitors will receive refreshments, plant tours and hands-on product demonstrations. Global Secure Safety is located at 2020 Firedancer Lane in Bear. For more information or to RSVP, contact Karen Hall at 1-877-447-1190.

Newark speaks at national conference

Organizing professional and motivational speaker Jocelyn Coverdale of Newark will conduct an educational workshop in Boston, Mass. later this month as part of the 18th Annual National Association of

BIZ BRIEFS

Professional Organizers Expo.

Coverdale's workshop, "The 21st Century Organizers e-Toolkit," explores the digital tools available to help clients effectively organize in this electronic age. Coverdale's Newark-based firm, Ballantrae Organizing Solution, trains clients throughout the country in how to organize.



Coverdale

New jobs coming to Delaware

A new research and development center is slated to open in Glasgow early next year, bringing as many as 160 new jobs to Delaware, announced Governor Ruth Ann Minner and New Castle County Executive Chris Coons.

The facility will serve as the North American headquarters for research and development

activity by Air Liquide, a world leader in industrial and medical gases. Air Liquide has operations in more than 70 countries.

Coons said the company will redevelop an existing building for the facility. It will consolidate the company's U.S. research and development operations and will be used in addition to existing operations in Newport.

Prudential honors its sales associates

Prudential Fox & Roach, Realtors salutes sales associates in the Newark Office for being the office leaders for the month of January 2006.

Michelle Shorter of Newark has been recognized for Listings and Units.

Pam Mackey, Relocation Specialist, has been recognized for Volume. Licensed since 1996, Mackey is a recipient of the NCCBOR Realtor Spirit and Million Dollar Club Awards. She is a 12-year resident of Bear.

Michelle Hunt, e-Certified, has been recognized for Units. Licensed since 2003, Hunt is a recipient of the Million Dollar Club Award.

Council has final say on project

▶ NORTH, from 1

"When you look at this area, it's unique," he said. "It's old, very diverse with duplexes, strings of houses and small units."

Discussion at the meeting centered on the project's density. The city's Comprehensive Plan allows for a density of six units on the site. The developer seeks 10 units, each with four bedrooms.

Haying 10 units, said Sobolewski, would allow the builders to use higher-grade materials and provide two-car garage parking underneath each townhouse. "It allows the city to provide a standard for any other development in this area," he said.

Planning Commissioner Ralph

Begleiter said he agreed the project would set a new standard, but did not want to change the standard for density on the street. "I'm concerned that the standard be one we can live with in that community," he said.

Chairman James Soles argued, in having the higher density, the project would have higher-quality architecture and adequate parking in the rear of the complex. "To me, it's a good tradeoff, especially in that area," he said.

Several residents unhappy with the higher density spoke against the project. Resident Jean White said the project seemed geared to college students. Four college students with four cars would likely rent each townhouse, she said, meaning up to 40 people could live on the half-acre lot.

Begleiter moved to recom-

mend the project to council with a reduced townhouse count. He proposed to allow eight townhouses as a compromise between the allowed six and the 10 requested. His motion did not receive a second.

Soles moved to recommend the project as presented. Commissioners Arthur Welch and James Bowman joined him in voting in favor of the motion. Commissioner Marguerite Ashley and Begleiter voted against it.

The North Street Commons project requires a rezoning to business limited residential, major subdivision and site plan approval. The city council will have the final say on the project at a future meeting. If the city council approves the 10 townhouses, the developer will be locked in to the architecture reviewed by the city.

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▶ VENEZKY, from 3

in District 25 against incumbent Stephanie Ulbrich.

Venezky said she really got to know McClellan when she appointed her to the county ethics commission in 2003. "I spent some time with Stephanie, and was really impressed with her," said Venezky. "She was outstanding (on the commission)."

Paoli said the New Castle County party has not spoken yet with McClellan about the county seat. "It's something we will be talking about in the future," he said.

The 5th District is one of six up for election in November. The remaining council seats will be up for election in 2008.

Venezky's county council posts included chairing the finance/administration committee, as well

as serving on the land use, public safety, community service, council personnel, special services and executive committees.

Saying that public service "ennobled" her life, Venezky said she will miss most her constituents and colleagues. "I worked with some extraordinary people," she said. "That has been, probably, the biggest challenge and the biggest delight."

BRIEFLY

Family fun night set for Friday

Newark Parks and Recreation is currently taking registration for Family Fun Night with the Marvelous Magic Music Man to be held at the George Wilson Center on Friday, March 10, from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

The night will feature toe tappin' songs, sleight of hand, folk songs, children's songs and audience participation.

For information, call 366-7060.

Democrats to meet

The 25th Representative District Democratic Committee will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, March 16, at 7 p.m. in the library of Brookside Elementary School on Marrows Road in Newark.

The committee will discuss and likely endorse a candidate for state representative in the general election on Nov. 7. Persons with an interest in becoming a candidate are encouraged to attend. For more information, call Committee Chair Steve Dentel at 737-3939.

Memorial Day committee meets

The Newark Memorial Day Committee will meet on Wednesday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the city manager's conference room of the Newark Municipal Building.

Locals compete in teen pageant

EIGHTEEN teens, including several from the greater Newark area, will vie for Miss Delaware's Outstanding Teen 2006, a competition affiliated with the Miss America organization.

Contestants will be judged on their talent presentation, physical fitness, evening gown, casual wear and private interviews.

Those girls competing from the Newark and Bear areas include Melissa Buckminster of Newark, Lauren Gagliardino of Bear and Tiffany Wen of Bear. Both Buckminster and Wen attend Newark High School. Gagliardino is a student at Padua Academy.

The pageant will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 19, at Sussex Central High School in Georgetown. Tickets will be on sale at the door.

The winner will compete with teen winners from each state at Miss America's Outstanding Teen Pageant in Orlando, Fla. in August.



Wen



Buckminster



Gagliardino

Conference explores alternative meds

THE first Delaware Conference on Alternative Medicine is being held at the Chase Center on the Riverfront in Wilmington on Saturday, March 18.

The keynote speaker is author and lecturer Burton Goldberg, "The Voice of Alternative Medicine."

Other speakers include Dr. David Jezyk, integrative physician, Dr. Gregory Serge, chiropractor, Alan Tillotson, registered herbalist and Polly Grimaldi, nutritionist.

Event organizer Marie McCaffrey said she wanted to plan the conference for Delaware residents because of what she sees as a lack of education for alternative medicine here.

She defined alternative medicine as "natural forms of curing the body of illnesses, not using drugs." Treatments may include regulating diet, exercising and taking supplements, she said.

Delaware, said McCaffrey, "is a black hole as far as alternative medicine." "I believe in empowering people with the information

they need to make positive health choices," she said.

Her own interest in alternative medicine stemmed from a long-term illness she contracted more than 30 years ago that caused an overgrowth of yeast in her body.

It took 20 years, said McCaffrey, before an alternative doctor diagnosed and treated her infection successfully.

She encouraged the general public to attend the conference to learn more about health alternatives and meet some practitioners.

Discussion topics include "Anxiety, depression and panic disorder," "Natural remedies for healthy eyes," "How to slow the aging process," acupuncture, nutrition and more.

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Metal detectors not good

By **MARTY VALANIA**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

As you get older, you always wonder what will make you realize that you are indeed old.

Well, this past week I learned that I've officially reached fuddy-duddy status. It wasn't the music my kids were playing on their iPods. It wasn't even the iPods themselves. No, what tipped the scales this week for me were the metal detectors at the Delaware High School boys and girls basketball tournaments.

I'm not sure I can think of anything less appealing than having to walk through metal detectors to go watch a high school basketball game.

I've been to games with over 105,000 people at them — no metal detectors. I've been to games in New York City, Los Angeles, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Miami, Orlando, Indianapolis and Columbus to name a few places a tad bigger than any municipality in Delaware — never have I had to walk through a metal detector to go watch.

You can always chalk whatever security measure is in place up to helping protect people. But when is it too much?

There are far more auto accidents in this town, than there are shootings, yet we still allow people to drive on the streets and walk the sidewalks. We don't make everybody with a license retake a driver's test every time there's an accident.

Yes, there were shootings in the Mount Pleasant and William Penn high school parking lots (not in gyms) following basketball games earlier this winter

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Valania

Hockey team coming to Newark

Junior A team to be based at The Pond

By **MARTY VALANIA**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A new level of hockey is coming to Delaware and Newark will be its home.

The Delaware Thunder Junior A hockey team will begin play at The Pond in the 2006-2007 season. Junior A hockey is for elite players aging from 16-20 with the majority of the players cur-

rently playing at that level moving to NCAA programs or professional organizations. Approximately 75 percent of all NCAA players are from the Junior A Leagues of Canada and the United States.

The Thunder will begin play in the America East Hockey League — the only Junior A League on the East coast.

The organization will be headed by General Manager Jim Simmons, who was an assistant coach for four years with the University of Delaware hockey team. Simmons was with the Buffalo Sabres organization for

four years and has been involved at nearly capacity of hockey including scouting, assistant coach, head coach and general manager. He left the University of Delaware last season to be an assistant coach and head scout with the Richmond Riverdogs of the United Hockey League (one step below the Philadelphia Phantoms of the AHL).

"We're excited to be bringing Junior A hockey to Delaware," Simmons said. "One of the key problems in the United States is that there are only two legitimate Junior A Leagues with a total of just 22 teams. Compare that to

Canada where there are 10 leagues with up to 200 teams. So you can see how American players are very limited to get a legit shot and look to play Junior A hockey.

"The Thunder organization is here to provide an opportunity for hockey players to play at an elite level of their sport, stressing development of character, sense of community, education, promotion of excellence and thereby providing entertainment. We also hope to promote our players to the next level whether it be the

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Blue Hens season ends in CAA tourney



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY SCOTT MCALLISTER

After win over Drexel, UD falls to UNC-Wilmington

The University of Delaware's men's basketball season came to an end Saturday afternoon as an early second half rally fizzled and the Blue Hens fell to top-seeded UNC Wilmington 69-56 in the Colonial Athletic Association Tournament quarter-finals at the Richmond Coliseum.

The No. 9 seed Blue Hens (9-21), who advanced to the quarter-finals with a 52-49 win over Drexel in a first round game Friday, could not keep the streak going as two long second half scoring droughts resulted in the setback.

Herb Courtney came off the bench to lead Delaware with 14 points and six rebounds while two-time All-CAA forward Harding Nana ended his outstanding UD career with 11 points and 11 rebounds, posting his 16th double-double of the season and tying Spencer Dunkley (1989-93) for the UD career mark of 40 career double-doubles. Nana entered the game averaging 19.2 points and 10.9 rebounds per game.

Delaware shot just 32.7 percent from the field for the game (16 of 49) and converted just 18 of 32 foul shots. The Seahawks overcame 1 of 13 shooting from beyond the three point line by committing just nine turnovers and hitting 28 of 43 attempts from the foul line.

The play of Delaware's Rulon Washington was one of the bright spots for the Hens this season.

STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS

Hodgson, Caravel advance

By JOE BACKER

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Senior Jawan Carter scored 35 points and dazzled the Bob Carpenter Center crowd with his play-making and moves, in leading fourth-seeded Tatnall to a 72-42 blowout victory over Salesianum Sunday evening in the second round of the 2006 Boys High School Basketball Tournament. Tatnall led from start to finish, out-scrambling the Sals for the majority of loose balls and rebounds.

"We knew this would be a tough game, so we wanted to make this a track meet, because we know we're faster than they

BOYS

are," said Carter, who's planning to attend St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia next fall. Tatnall coach Anthony Wright said Carter did great things on the court, and he had lots of help from his teammates. "We have two other great shooters in D.J. Boney and Sam Leyland. They are two good role players, and people don't give them enough credit. If you leave them open, they'll knock down their shots, and they've been doing that all year," said Wright. The 20-4 Hornets will take on Dover Thursday night in a boys semifinal game at the Bob.

Opening tipoff is scheduled for 8:30 p.m. In the biggest upset of the tournament so far, Hodgson Vo-tech defeated two-time defending state champion Middletown 62-53.

The Cavaliers fought back from a huge deficit to tie the score 41-41 heading into the fourth quarter. But the Silver Eagles (22-3), returned to form both offensively and defensively in the final period to end Middletown's season and reign as 'kings of the court'. Hodgson will take on No. 2-seed Caravel Academy Thursday night in the other semifinal game, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Caravel (22-2), advanced to the boys Final Four with a 75-53 victory over Sanford.

Ursuline, St. Elizabeth on collision course

By JOE BACKER

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Last year's state finalists advanced to the semifinal round of the 2006 Delaware High School Girls Basketball Tournament with convincing victories Saturday night at the Bob Carpenter Center. Two-time defending state champion Ursuline look like they have a chance for the three-peat, as the second-seeded Raiders trounced No. 7-seed Cape Henlopen 66-44. Sophomore Elena DelleDonne led the way scoring 39 points, only two away from the girls tournament record set by Archmere's Missy Paraskewich in 1993. DelleDonne did set a new record by hitting 8 three-pointers in the game, topping the mark set by Padua's Leanne Hertsenberg in 1989. DelleDonne said she was more interested in helping her team win than thinking about records.

"My teammates are always very supportive of me. They were always trying to get me the ball so I could try for the record," she said. Teammate Deanna D'Amico said the team needed to get rid of some early butterflies.

"We were a bit nervous at first, plus we had to get used to the big building, since we're used to playing on our small home court," said D'Amico.

Ursuline (19-5) played Caravel (20-4) Wednesday night in the first semifinal game at the Carpenter Center. Caravel made it to the semifinals by defeating Delcastle 51-31 Saturday afternoon. In the nightcap, top-seeded St. Elizabeth romped over Seaford 73-35. The 23-1 Lady Vikings claimed their 16th straight victory of the season with the win. Junior Khadijah Rushdan led all scorers with 30 points. Rushdan also added 10 rebounds and six steals. Seaford's Angie Owens totaled 17 points for the Lady Jays who finished the season with 16-9 record.

The Lady Vikings faced Catholic Conference rival Padua also on Wednesday night in the other semifinal game. Padua defeated Middletown 45-33 Saturday afternoon for a chance to play the top seed in the tournament. The Pandas Shannon Elliott led all scorers with 23 points and added 10 rebounds.

Are metal detectors really necessary?

▶ DETECTORS, from 14

(and some actually wonder why so many other people decide to send their children to private schools). If somebody could tell me exactly how metal detectors inside the Carpenter Center are going to prevent shootings in a parking lot, maybe I'll reconsider. It just seems like too much to me.

I was able to walk into last week's state wrestling tournament, which had packed crowds all weekend at Delaware State University, without walking through a metal detector.

Amazingly, there were no incidents.

In addition to my own personal misgivings about having

Hockey coming to Newark

▶ HOCKEY, from 14

NCAA or the pros."

Simmons, who is also the team's head coach, also wants area hockey players to know that the team will be holding tryouts for next season at The Pond on Saturday, April 29 from 2-4 p.m. and Sunday, April 30 from noon to 2 p.m. Prospective players can learn more about the Thunder and the tryouts be going to the team's Web site at www.delthunder.homestead.com.

Mark Cardillo and Dave Marlin will serve as assistant coaches.

The Thunder program will be run and operated as a pro hockey club, with the exception that the players are not paid and the programs function is to promote all the Thunder players to higher levels.

metal detectors at high school games, there is the \$22,000 cost of the equipment that might cause the games to be moved from the Carpenter Center.

Because of two idiotic shootings, thousands of people are inconvenienced (I don't know if any of them feel as uncomfortable as I do or not) and maybe a whole bunch of boys and girls won't get the opportunity to play in a state tournament game in an atmosphere like the Carpenter Center.

That somehow it will be better to go back to cramming peo-

ple into small, overcrowded high school gyms is a crazy idea and one that will probably lead to more problems.

Crowd control at high schools is one of the reasons the games were moved to the Carpenter Center in the first place.

Let's hope this whole metal detector necessity is a one-year thing and we can get back to being able to walk into state tournament games without thinking we're in a Middle East airport.

That might knock a couple of years off my fuddy-duddy status.

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Students help fire victims

► FIRES, from 1

ing food, shelter and clothing. A few families are being housed at the apartment complex and the Red Cross provided temporary accommodation in area hotels for the remaining residents.

Chief Deputy State Fire Marshal Alan Brown is investigating the cause of the fire which started in a ground-floor apartment around 7:30 a.m.

Toccafondi said a student who "Choiced into Wilson" was displaced earlier this year by a fire at the Birch Pointe Condominiums

on Jan. 17. "We have a program in place to help students that become homeless during the school year," Toccafondi explained. "Our PTA also held a fundraiser for the Birch Pointe family."

Wilson Elementary School is located off Polly Drummond Hill Road in Pike Creek. Residents in 12 condos were left homeless in Birch Pointe located off Skyline Drive adjacent to Three Little Bakers golf course. Sunday morning's fire at The Bluffs reportedly destroyed 16 apartments in the community overlooking Upper Pike Creek Road.

Museum seeks volunteers

The Delaware Sports Museum and Hall of Fame has volunteer opportunities at the museum at Frawley Stadium on the Wilmington Riverfront.

The museum, opened in 2002, showcases more than 150 years of Delaware sports history. The Hall of Fame, founded in 1976, has inducted over 230 athletes, coaches, journalists, administrators and officials representing 27 different sports.

Volunteer opportunities include assisting the museum

curator, education director, historian and working in technology and membership areas. Activities include doing research for new exhibits, contact with organizations for group tours.

Volunteers are also needed as Museum greeters and tour guides to serve the public Tuesdays through Saturdays. Persons who can volunteer one day a month or more from noon to 2:30 p.m. or 2:30 to 5 p.m. are asked to call 425-3263 or e-mail dsmhof1@aol.com.

Weathering the PR storm

► UP FRONT, from 1

armed robbery and drug charges.

This blemish to UD's image is the latest in a two-year series of events that publicly have painted the local campus in a less-than-favorable light.

It began in September 2004 when an 18-year-old freshman, Rachel Payne, was killed by a train after leaving a frat party. Payne, just a few weeks into her first semester here, had a blood alcohol content of more than two times the legal limit, a report said.

Then, in May 2005, Lindsey Bonistall was brutally raped, strangled and murdered in her Towne Court apartment before it was set afire.

Last fall, a "zero tolerance" policy for acts of hatred and hate crimes was instituted on campus following a string of nasty incidents—where racial slurs and swastikas were sprayed around Newark.

Last month, state lawmakers grilled Roselle in budget hearings about the number of out-of-state versus in-state students that UD accepts, and he's under the gun to convince legislators that qualified Delaware students are welcomed

here.

About the same time, the daily newspaper linked a research assistant at UD, who taught a class during the winter session, to a music Web site that promotes skinhead concerts and neo-Nazi music.

Acting on the advice of lawyers, Roselle did not boot Robert T. Huber off campus though he condemned Huber's white power leanings. Roselle said there was no evidence of Huber discussing his personal feelings in his UD class and the First Amendment allowed Huber the right to express himself in his private life. My guess is not to expect Huber to be teaching any more classes here.

Then, this week, comes the stunning news that UD football players allegedly robbed another football player of drugs, including steroids, at gunpoint. The crime spurred many heads shaking.

The jury remains out on whether the president will convince critics and the legislature that UD does not admit First State freshmen while welcoming out-of-state (and higher tuition-paying) students. As someone with a less-than-stellar academic record right out of high school, I tend to side with Roselle on his stand that UD should admit only students that are qualified to be successful at the Newark campus, one that continues to raise the bar in all its academic arenas.

I grant that the robbery, murder, white power advocate, hate crimes and train death stories are shocking when we first read them.

But, on reflection, these negative-image incidents have not happened because of deficiencies in Newark and the UD.

Rather, the crimes and tragic events simply mirror what is happening today in our society in general.

Those of us who love Newark and chose to live and work here hope that we can exist in a town that is different from the rest along the east coast "metroplex" that stretches from Boston south to Richmond.

But UD and Newark are not exempt from the pressures facing young adults, drugs in our society and their effects, or mean, hateful people.

The simple fact is that when you gather thousands of residents from all walks of life together with thousands of college students, you are going to encounter the developments — both good and bad — that permeate the rest of American society today.

This is not a reason to be complacent nor should we now bury our heads in the sand or sit back on our laurels. UD officials and Newarkers alike have to evaluate what has happened and take whatever action can be instituted to prevent tragedies in the future.

Newark and UD have survived hurricanes in the past and I have confidence that police, community and UD leaders will guide us to weather this storm, however painful it might be at times. Whatever warts we may have, it's this resilience that makes Newark a great community and UD a respected institution of higher learning. And no publicity can erase these facts.

■ The writer has been publisher of the Newark Post since 1992. His daughter twice graduated from the University of Delaware. The Streits live in the Cherry Hill neighborhood of Newark.

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Newark physician on national board

James M. Gill, MD, MPH of Newark, has been appointed by the board of directors of the Academy of Family Physicians to serve on the executive committee of its commission on science.

The commission provides leadership and guidance to family physicians across the country on policies regarding vaccines, guidelines/clinical policies, research agendas, research networks and preventative services.

Dr. Gill is president of the Delaware Academy of Family Physicians and the director of the Delaware Health Quality Institute. He practices with Family Medicine at Greenhill in Wilmington.

Web site gives way to judge risk

The growing issue of childhood obesity in America has caused the general public and many schools to look for ways to help identify kids and teens at risk for becoming overweight.

Body mass index (BMI), a calculation originally developed for doctors, uses height, age and weight measurements to estimate body fat. Understanding a BMI calculation for children may be difficult because they are still growing.

KidsHealth.org has designed an online BMI calculator to help kids and teens understand their weight. To use the tool, parents, school nurses or kids enter the child's age, gender, height and weight. The calculator provides a BMI number and describes what that number means.

Using standards from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, users can view a color-coded chart to see how their child's weight compares with other kids in the same age group and gender. The calculator allows users to plot a child's BMI over time, using multiple height and weight measurements.

The BMI calculator can be accessed at www.kidshealth.org/parent/food/weight/bmi_charts.html.

Celebrate...with an exam

March is for colon cancer awareness

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

IF staff at the Endoscopy Center of Delaware on Old Churchman's Road near Christiana Hospital have one message to share during Colon Cancer Awareness Month, it's this one: get checked; it's easy and it works.

They admit, a colonoscopy sounds like an unpleasant procedure, at best. It involves inserting a long, flexible tube into a patient's rectum and guiding it to the colon where doctors can check for abnormalities via a video transmitter.

The exam sometimes scares and intimidates people, said Gloria Cogleton, center director. "It's an invasive procedure in a private part of the body. People don't even like to talk about it," she said.

But advances in technology and anesthesiology have made the exam more comfortable and more accessible, according to Dr. Joseph Hacker III, one of the physicians that use the center. "The equipment is better, and the procedure is more sophisticated, he said.

The Endoscopy Center has anesthesia specialists that oversee each exam. The goal, said Dr. Michael S. Katz, director of anesthesia, is to make the patient comfortable. Patients are administered a short and fast-acting anesthesia by IV to sleep through the procedure, he said. They wake up a few minutes after it's over, and can typically leave the center within half an hour.

"The worst part is the preparation," said Hacker, who has had the exam himself. Patients can have liquids only the day before. "None of that is much fun," said Hacker. "But the procedure itself is a piece of cake."

A piece of cake that may save your life.

The American Cancer Society (ACS) names colon cancer as the third most common cause of cancer and cancer death in men and women in the United States, causing about 10 percent of all cancer deaths. The Society estimates that 430 Delawareans will be diagnosed with colon can-



The Colossal Colon, a 40-foot long crawl-through replica of a human colon, will make a stop in Wilmington this month to educate the public about colorectal cancer, the second-leading cause of deaths in Delaware. The colon exhibit will be

at the Atrium at the Brandywine Town Center in Wilmington on Friday, March 31, from 5 to 8 p.m., Saturday, April 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, April 2, from noon to 5 p.m.

cer this year, and 160 people in Delaware will die from it.

"Colon cancer is preventable, completely," said Hacker. Through a colonoscopy, physicians can check for and remove pre-cancerous polyps. Hacker said most polyps are small and benign. But for those found to be cancerous, survivability rates depend on how deep the cancer is in the wall of the colon. "That's why it's very important to get checked out early," he said.

Though its cause is unknown, colon cancer's risk increases with age and factors such as family history, smoking, obesity, alcohol use, physical inactivity and diet,

said the ACS.

Physicians recommend all adults 50 years of age and older receive a colonoscopy every 10 years. Those people with risk factors or a family history of the disease should be checked more regularly.

The American Cancer Society says increasing colon cancer screening among adults aged 50 and older "represents the single greatest opportunity to decrease colon cancer death rates in the country."

Symptoms of the disease, such as a change in bowel movements or rectal bleeding, appear in the late stages. "By the time you

get to the symptoms, the cancer is pretty far advanced," said Hacker. He encouraged anyone experiencing those symptoms to be examined.

The Endoscopy Center, which opened in 1995, has seen a great increase in the number of patients over the last 10 years as people became more educated about colon cancer and how preventable it can be, said Hacker.

Cogleton said the center sees between 40 and 60 patients a day, about 13,000 a year. A staff of made up of 13 physicians and 35 nurses assist them through the process.

Resources for cancer patients

For more information on colon cancer, visit the American Cancer Society Web site, <http://www.cancer.org>. To learn more about the Endoscopy Center of Delaware, call 302-892-2710.

Cancer patients in Delaware now have another resource to help them meet their basic needs. The Cancer Helpline — a free service of the Delaware Helpline — puts patients in

touch with trained referral specialists familiar with local, regional and national cancer and human services.

The Cancer Helpline works with people over the phone to direct them to a wide array of services, including financial assistance, transportation, support groups, legal services, nutritional counseling and mental health counseling. The new service focuses on the non-

medical side of fighting cancer.

Callers use the toll-free number, 1-800-464-HELP, to discuss their needs with a referral specialist. Together the caller and specialist determine the best course of action, linking the caller with resources in the community. The service is available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

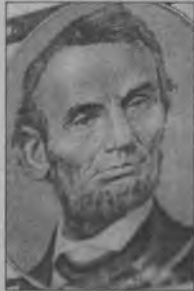
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BRIEFLY

Lecture on Lincoln's assassination March 16

BERTRAM Wyatt-Brown, Richard J. Milbauer Professor of History at the University of Florida, will speak at the University of Delaware on Abraham Lincoln's assassination and the role of honor and romantic conservatism in John Wilkes Booth.



The lecture will be held from 7:30-9 p.m., Thursday, March 16, in Bayard Sharp Hall, West Delaware Avenue and Elkton Road, on Ud's Newark campus. It is free and open to the public.

Wyatt-Brown earned the bachelor's degree at the University of the South in 1953, bachelor's and master's degrees at King's College, Cambridge University, and his doctoral degree at the Johns Hopkins University in 1963 under the late C. Vann Woodward.

His publications in history include "Lewis Tappan and the War Against Slavery" (1969, 1996); "Southern Honor: Ethics and Behavior in the Old South" (1982); "The House of Percy: Honor, Melancholy and Imagination in a Southern Family" (1994); "The Literary Percys" (1994); "The Shaping of Southern Culture: Honor, Grace and War" (2001); and "Hearts of Darkness: Wellsprings of a Southern Literary Tradition" (2003). He also co-edited "Virginia's Civil War" (2004).

The lecture is sponsored by the Department of History and the University Faculty Senate Committee on Cultural Activities and Public Events. For more information, call 831-8413.

Newark sophomore wins award

VINCENZA Carrieri-Russo, a University of Delaware sophomore, is one of five Jefferson Award winners from Delaware. An English major, Carrieri-Russo, of Newark, is the co-founder of Success Won't Wait, a nonprofit group that collects books and distributes them to schools, libraries, community gathering spots and U.S. soldiers serving in Iraq.

The Jefferson Awards is a national program begun by newspapers and radio and television stations to honor ordinary people who do extraordinary things without expectation of recognition. The News Journal sponsors the program in Delaware.

Carrieri-Russo was nominated by the city of Newark. Mayor Vance Funk lauded Carrieri-Russo and her work with Success Won't Wait.

After a state winner is chosen on April 3, that person will compete with winners from other states for the Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis Award for public service. The Onassis Award has been called the Nobel Prize for volunteering.

Carrieri-Russo and Susan McNeill of Pike Creek conjured up the idea for Success Won't

Wait three years ago. Carrieri-Russo was teaching McNeill's daughter dance, and McNeill would always bring books to read to her son.

They exported their idea to a local karate center and other places where children gather. Eventually, they created entire libraries at Exceptional Care for Children and Telegraph Road Learning Center in Newark and Bayard House and Delaware Adolescent Program Inc. in Wilmington.

Success Won't Wait, has collected more than 30,000 books for children and adults, including 1,000 for U.S. troops in Iraq, 2,000 for penal institutions in Delaware and 1,000 books for the Friends of the Hockessin Library after it lost 25,000 books to Hurricane Isabella.

McNeill, a 1986 UD graduate who runs her own public relations business in Pike Creek, said she guided Carrieri-Russo at the beginning but the sophomore has grown in her role.

Marianne Green, assistant director of UD's MBNA Career Services Center, worked with Carrieri-Russo on a campus book drive that collected 2,000 books last fall. "She's just a terrific



UD PHOTO BY GREG DREW

Vincenza Carrieri-Russo is one of five Jefferson Award winners for public service from Delaware.

young lady. She's very well-organized, and it was a pleasure working with her," Green said. "She had come to a volunteer fair we had in September, and she had a booth. She went above and beyond the call of duty to publicize the program."

For Carrieri-Russo, whose ambition is to become a broadcast journalist, the books program has been a great experi-

ence. "I had a chance to meet some really great people with it. It opens many doors," she said. "The Jefferson Award is not only an honor. It's a great honor. I've worked very hard to convince people to believe in Susan and me and in the idea we had."

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Anthropologist finds signs of evolution in ancient skeleton

RECENT analysis of a Stone Age skeleton shows that human brain size relative to body size had increased dramatically from ancestors by the Middle Pleistocene, about 260,000 years ago, Karen Rosenberg, chairperson and asso-

ciate professor of anthropology at the University of Delaware, said.

Rosenberg, who analyzed the fossil with Lü Zuné of Peking University in Beijing and Chris B. Ruff, director of the Center for Functional Anatomy and Evolution at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Baltimore, said the female skeleton, which was found at a site called Jinniushan in northeastern China 22 years ago, sheds new light on human evolution.

"This fossil belonged to one person from a time and place we didn't know very much about," Rosenberg said. "What we were really interested in was what could this person tell us about relative brain size [and] body shape, and we could look at all of that in this specimen."

Rosenberg said the skeleton is exceptionally useful because it includes a nearly complete skull, vertebrae, a hip bone and an arm bone from a single human, features that enabled the scientists to evaluate skeletal evidence for body shape and relative brain size in an individual rather than



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Rosenberg, chairperson and associate professor of anthropology.

relying on samples from separate individuals from multiple regions.

In a report published Feb. 27 in Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Rosenberg's team writes: "Because the Jinniushan specimen preserves both postcranial remains and a fairly complete

skull, we have the unusual, if not unique, opportunity to examine the relationship between body size and cranial capacity in this Middle Pleistocene individual. Most estimates of brain size have been carried out by using brain

Spring break Katrina relief

THE Wesley Foundation Campus Ministry at the University of Delaware has organized a spring break mission project to New Orleans to assist those in need in the wake of Hurricane Katrina. From March 25-April 1, 18 UD students and three team leaders will join the reconstruction effort in Kenner, La., near New Orleans.

The leaders of the mission project are Bill Shearer,

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UD physical therapy faculty receive six awards

THREE members of the University of Delaware's physical therapy department have been honored with awards—including one named after the recipient himself. They are Tara Jo Manal, Joseph A. Lucca and Cathy Ciolek.

Manal, director of UD's physical therapy clinic, has been awarded the James A. Gould Excellence in Teaching Orthopedic Physical Therapy Award from the orthopedic section of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA).

The international award, named for the founding co-editor of the Journal of Orthopaedic and Sports Physical Therapy, recognizes excellence in instructing orthopedic physical therapy principles and techniques.

The UD physical therapy clinic provides clinical education experience for UD physical

therapy students, offers clinical research opportunities for faculty and students and provides service to patients in the University and local communities.

Manal, of Newark, has been treating patients at the clinic since 1993, and has a special interest in spine and knee rehabilitation. She has worked with dancers, gymnasts and figure skaters, including Olympic gold medalists Oksana Grischuk and Evgeny Platov.

Manal, who is completing her doctorate in biomechanics and movement sciences, also received the Excellent Educators Award from the sports section of the APTA. Last month, UD's physical therapy department presented her with the Alumni Award.

Lucca, associate professor of physical therapy, is the first recipient of the Joe Lucca Service Award. The Delaware Physical Therapy Association (DPTA)

named the award in Lucca's honor to recognize his years of distinguished service to the field of physical therapy and to the DPTA. Lucca, of Wilmington, has served as the association's president, vice president, treasurer, chief delegate, delegate and nominating committee member.

He also helped establish direct access to physical therapy service for Delaware patients and to limit

ownership of physical therapy clinics to physical therapists.

Ciolek, associate director of UD's Neurological and Older Adult Physical Therapy Clinic, received two awards from APTA's geriatric section this month—the Excellence in Clinical Teacher Award and the President's Award.

Ciolek, of Wilmington, who is DPTA president, is a specialist in

geriatric physical therapy with an emphasis on balance, falls prevention and osteoporosis.

The teaching award recognizes outstanding work as a clinic educator in a geriatric health care setting. The president's award recognizes achievements in the geriatric physical therapy field and within the APTA's geriatric section.

Funds sought for trip

► RELIEF, from 18

Wesley Foundation campus minister and adjunct professor of health, nutrition and exercise science; Sandra Fields, professor of business administration; and Darrel Sparks, Wesley Foundation board chairperson. The students going on the trip will include Wesley Foundation members and students of other faiths who want to help the recovery effort.

Funding for the trip has been generated through fund-raisers, donations, gifts from churches and temples as well as individuals who want to help. The Wesley Foundation is still seeking to raise additional money to meet their expenses.

"This is an opportunity for

University faculty, staff and students, through their donations, to join our team effort to bring relief to those who have lost their homes, possessions and loved ones," Shearer said.

In previous years, the Wesley Foundation has organized opportunities for students to volunteer and help others during spring break. The foundation plans to continue these volunteer trips in the future.

Those interested in donating to the New Orleans mission project should mail checks to the Wesley Foundation, 69 E. Main St., Newark, DE 19711. Checks should be made payable to "The Wesley Foundation." For more information e-mail Shearer at doc@udel.edu.

Fossil fits model, UD prof says

► EVOLUTION, from 18

size estimates and body size estimates from different specimens or have used body size estimates derived from cranial dimensions, which are less accurate and subject to possible circular reasoning."

Rosenberg's team found that the fossil shows not only that the skeleton's relative brain size fits the model of increasing brain size during the Middle Pleistocene throughout the human range, but that the skeleton's body proportions reflect a pattern of climatic adaptation that persists to the present day.

The report states that the Jinniushan specimen shows that humans living around the cold region, which is now in north-

eastern China, near North Korea, had large, broad bodies with short limbs to enable them to retain more heat.

A graduate of the University of Chicago, Rosenberg received her doctorate in biological anthropology from the University of Michigan and joined the University of Delaware in 1987.

Global Agenda lecture

The University of Delaware's Global Agenda free lecture series, "Hidden Dangers: Global Challenges Below the Radar," continues at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 22, in Mitchell Hall with Lisa Meadowcroft, executive director, African Medical and Research Foundation (AMREFUSA).



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UD players arrested

▶ PLAYERS, from 2

Apartment. He opened the door and was confronted by three masked individuals, with one waiting outside. One of them was holding a shotgun.

When an altercation ensued, the masks from two of the suspects were pulled from their faces, and the victim recognized them. The struggle continued with the victim being forced to the ground and the shotgun pointed at his head. He was then forced into a bedroom closet. A 19-year-old female UD student then entered the room, and the gun was pointed at her. The suspect with the gun took property from her at gunpoint. After ransacking the residence for additional property, the suspects fled. The male victim suffered minor lacerations and refused treatment, police said.

Newark police executed search warrants at the defendants' residences and took them into custody, UDaily reported.

Alexander is charged with two counts of first degree robbery, first degree burglary, wearing a disguise during the commission of a felony, two counts of unlawful imprisonment, second degree conspiracy, pos-

session with intent to deliver marijuana, maintaining a dwelling for keeping controlled substances and possession of marijuana.

Jones and Robinson are charged with two counts of first degree robbery, first degree burglary, wearing a disguise during the commission of a felony, two counts of unlawful imprisonment and second-degree conspiracy.

Higgins is charged with two counts of first degree robbery, first degree burglary, wearing a disguise during the commission of a felony, two counts of unlawful imprisonment, second degree conspiracy and possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony.

All four were incarcerated in the Howard Young Correctional Facility in lieu of bond.

Alexander, Jones and Robinson were reserve players for the Blue Hen football team. Alexander played in all 11 games in a backup role this past fall and recorded 23 tackles, including 2.5 sacks. Jones, a backup running back, was the team's third leading rusher, running for 324 yards on 64 carries, including a 121-yard effort vs. West Chester and 108 yards vs. Maine. Robinson played in five games and had two tackles.

▶ BLOTTER, from 2

were told on Thursday, March 2, at 11:10 a.m. The framed oil was valued at \$150.

Robert A. Bestwick, 28; of Newark was charged with shoplifting at the 7-Eleven, **202 Elkton Road**, on Sunday, Feb. 26, at 9:53 p.m., police said. He was released pending a court appearance.

Three cartons of cigarettes valued at \$95 were stolen from Happy Harry's in **College Square**, police were told on Wednesday, March 1, at 4:58 p.m. A man walked to the counter and took the merchandise as a clerk looked away.

Newark police said Robert E. Savage, 28, of Newark, was charged with displaying a fictitious license tag, failure to produce proof of insurance, and operating an unregistered motor vehicle on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 3:53 p.m., following a traffic stop on **East Main Street near Tyre Avenue**.

Vehicles targeted

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

700 block Academy Street, on Sunday, March 5, at 2 a.m., rear window of Toyota 4Runner shattered;

300 block Matthew Flocco Drive, on Saturday, March 4, at 6:16 p.m., rear and side windows of 2002 Ford Explorer broken with rocks. Damage estimated at \$900;

Unit block Hawthorne Avenue, on Saturday, March 4, at 2:30 p.m., two tires of parked car punctured by vandals;

Chapel Street Motors, 25 S. Chapel St., on Thursday, March 2, at 11:01 a.m., four temporary tags were reported stolen;

200 block Delaware Avenue, on Thursday, March 2, at 1:17 a.m., 1997 Ford Explorer reported stolen from the 7-Eleven lot. The victim told police he had left his vehicle unattended, unlocked and with the keys in the ignition. About an hour later, New Castle County Police found the SUV on South Sherman Drive, where it had been involved in a collision;

Friendly's restaurant, **1115 S. College Ave.**, on Wednesday, March 1, at 4:13 p.m., 2003 Kia Sedona, stolen earlier in Fairfax County, Va., was recovered on the parking lot;

1300 block Wharton Drive, Apartments at Pine Brook, on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 10:17 a.m., CD player valued at \$150 stolen from 1991 Chevrolet Blazer; and

Porter Chevrolet, **414 E. Cleveland Ave.**, on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 8:56 a.m., tires and other part valued at \$2,739 stolen from a Chevrolet Cobalt on the dealer lot. The car had been lifted onto jacks taken from surrounding vehicles.

Alcohol, noise law violations detailed

The Alcohol Enforcement Unit and other officers of the Newark Police Department have continued their stepped-up, strict enforcement of alcohol and noise related during the the spring semester at the University of Delaware.

Some of the recent arrests include:

Oscar Chapman IV, 18, of New Castle, noise law violation, on Sunday, March 5, at 11:48 p.m., in the unit block Thorn Lane, Towne Court apartments;

Christopher Ryan Murray, 19, of Huntington, N.Y., underage consumption of alcohol, criminal trespass-

ing and resisting arrest, on Sunday, March 5, at 5:27 a.m., in the unit block Thorn Lane, Towne Court;

Christopher Muscara, 22, and **Matthew B. Dellecave**, 22, both of Newark, each charged with a noise violation, on Sunday, March 5, at 2:17 a.m., in the 7300 block Scholar Drive, University Courtyard apartments;

Adam Klocek, 20, of Newark, noise violation, on Sunday, March 5, at 1:48 a.m., in the unit block West Delaware Avenue, after police cleared 50 people from a party;

Daniel K. Barr, 21, of Hockessin, **Philip F. Nuzzi**, 21, of Hockessin, and **Addison C. Yanito**, of Bear, each charged with a noise violation, on Saturday, March 4, at 2:33 a.m., in the 300 block Woolen Way;

Michael Chiamonte, 20, of Moorestown, N. J., noise violation, on Friday, March 3, at 11:49 p.m., in the 100 block Thorn Lane, Towne Court;

Eric M. Brinker, 22, and **Timothy Ryan Ritchie**, 22, both of Wilmington, each charged with a noise violation, on Friday, March 3, at 3:50 a.m., in the 100 block Tyre Avenue;

Alexandra C. Schofield, 19, of Bear, possession of an open container of alcohol, and **Michelle L. Defilippis**, 18, of Wilmington, underage consumption, on Friday, March 3, at 12:29 a.m., in the 200 block East Delaware Avenue; and

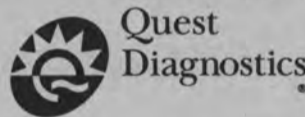
Richard D. Smith, 31, of Newark, possession of an open container of alcohol, on Saturday, Feb. 25, at 9:41 p.m., at College Square shopping center.

All were released pending court appearances, police said.

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Jack Cassidy, 63

John T. Cassidy, 63, of Newark, died Saturday, Feb. 25, 2006.

Mr. Cassidy worked as a bartender at various restaurants and bars in Delaware County during the 1970s and 80s.

He is preceded in death by his father and mother, John "Jack" and Anna Cassidy of Philadelphia, Pa.; both died in 1982.

He is survived by two brothers, Michael Cassidy and his wife, Maureen, of Baltimore and Larry and his wife, Ellen, of Newark; two nephews, Larry Cassidy Jr. and Patrick Cassidy whom he adored. He is also survived by his aunt, Mary McNelis of Drexel Hill, Pa.

A funeral Mass was scheduled at St. Bernadette of Lourdes Church, Drexel Hill, Pa. Burial was to be at Saints Peter and Paul Cemetery, Springfield, Pa.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Holy Angels Athletic Assn., 82 Possum Park Rd., Newark, DE 19711.

Walter Pepper, 52

Former Newark resident, Walter D. Pepper, 52, of Kemblesville, Pa. formerly of Newark, died on Friday, Feb. 24, 2006.

Mr. Pepper is survived by his son,

Energy, healthcare concern citizens**► OFFICIALS, from 3**

"It may be easy for them to accept the concept of better coverage," he told Carney.

On the topic of education, Carney said Delaware's evolving economy makes it more important for children to have a high level of education going into the workforce.

"I think we're on the right track, but we've got to stick to it," he said of reforms to improve public schools.

Commenting on the failed Christina District referendum, Schooley said all school districts in the state were having a tough time passing referenda.

The school system needs to get people to support education by convincing residents, "the future of our children means the future of our state," she said.

State Treasurer Markell spoke briefly on the deregulation of electricity and proposed rate increases. In a letter he sent to the Public Service Commission, Markell asked the commission to look into facilitating the development of renewable energy sources, promoting conservation, helping customers who need financial assistance and re-regulating the

Edwin Seppanen, 82, World War II Army veteran

EDWIN M. Seppanen, 82, of Newark, died on Saturday, Feb. 25, 2006.

Mr. Seppanen, born in Bryant, S.D., on July 27, 1923, was the son of the late Matt Seppanen and Josephina Seppanen.

He served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II, where he was stationed in Okinawa and Japan. Returning to civilian life, he enjoyed a 40-year career with Sears, mostly in the hardware department, retiring in 1987.

A devout Christian, Mr. Seppanen was baptized and confirmed in the First Apostolic Lutheran Church in Lake Norden, S.D.

In his leisure time, he was an avid gardener and walker.

A talented photographer, Mr. Seppanen enjoyed documenting

his travels around the country and his family's native homeland of Finland.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 53 years, Mary Bonnie (George) Seppanen; daughter, Pamela R. Knotts and husband, Frank B., of Smyrna; son, Paige D. Seppanen and wife, Arlene, of Newark; daughter-in-law, Patricia Seppanen Alleman and husband, Bryan, of Loysville, Pa.; four brothers, Martin Seppanen and wife, Bernice, of Lake Norden, S.D.; Willard Seppanen and wife, Toini, of Lake Norden, S.D.; Elwood Seppanen and wife, Martha, of Vienna, S.D.; and Stewart Seppanen and wife, Cora, of Vienna, S.D.; sister, Minnie Isaacson and husband, Willard, of Lake Norden, SD; brother-in-law, Elwood Gore of Lenox, Mass.; two sisters-in-law, Cleo Seppanen

of Bryant, S.D.; and Esther Seppanen of Hayti, S.D.; five grandchildren, Erin Seppanen, Benjamin Seppanen, Stephanie Alleman, Jessica Seppanen and Jennifer Seppanen; longtime family friend, Rob Rathburn of Reston, Va.; and a host of brothers and sisters in faith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Craig M.W. Seppanen, in 1996; two brothers, Melvin Seppanen and Maurice Seppanen; two sisters, Mildred Kandoll and Viola Gore; and brother-in-law, John Kandoll.

A funeral service was to be held on Friday, March 3, at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home. Interment will be in Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Bear.

Christopher Pepper of Wilmington; his mother, Josephine Quattrociochi and her husband, Fred, of Wilmington; his father, Donald Pepper and his wife, Nell, of Smyrna; his brother, Stephen Quattrociochi and his wife, Nancy, of New Castle; two nephews, Anthony and Nicholas Quattrociochi and many cousins.

A service in celebration of his life was scheduled for March 2 in the Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, Newark. Burial was private.

Gloria Squire, 79

Gloria Squire, 79, of Newark died at home on Tuesday, Feb. 21, 2006 after a series of illnesses.

Mrs. Squire was born on Aug. 26, 1926 in Jacksonville, Fla. to the late Philip Givens and Katherine Marriott.

She graduated in 1944 from Andrew Jackson High School in Jacksonville. She married Wade Rolland Squire in 1946 and spent the first years of her marriage in Hawaii, where she became involved in native Hawaiian arts, music and culture.

She reared three daughters and continued her education, receiving a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology from the University of Delaware in 1983, concentrating in women's studies and gerontology. With her strong sense of justice, Mrs. Squire was a founding member of the Delaware Chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) in 1970. She was instrumental in helping to set up the

first safe house for victims of domestic violence in Delaware.

Mrs. Squire is survived by her husband of 60 years, Wade Rolland Squire; three daughters, Catherine Squire (Glenn Appell) of Richmond, Calif., Carol Squire (Kurt Chilcott) of San Diego, Calif., Cynthia Squire of Baltimore, Md.; 2 grandchildren, Amelia Appell and Jack Chilcott; and two sisters, Barbara Langley of Australia, and Michelle Manley of Irving, Texas.

A celebration of her life will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 292 W. Main St., Newark on Saturday, March 18, at 2 p.m. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the NOW Legal Defense and Education Fund or to the Nature Conservancy for use in Hawaii, either c/o R.T. Foard & Jones Funeral Home, 122 W. Main Street, Newark, DE. 19711.

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Edward Repetti, 89

Mr. Edward Thomas Benedict Repetti, 89, of Newark, died on Sunday, Feb. 26, 2006, at his home after a long illness.

Mr. Repetti was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., and attended parochial schools including Erasmus Hall High School.

He studied engineering at Stevens Institute of Technology and Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, earning his degree in mechanical engineering.

He served overseas with General Patton's Third Army and worked for the U.S. government in Germany afterwards.

Upon his return to the States, he worked for the Atomic Energy Commission in New York City and later joined the E.I. duPont Nemours Company, first working in Wilmington and later at the Newark Louviers site.

During his professional career, he was also employed with Haveg, Inc. in Marshallton, Hercules, Inc. in Wilmington, and United Engineers in Philadelphia.

He was a member of the Delaware Association of Professional Engineers and was a past civil defense radiological chief of New Castle County. He also completed graduate courses in mechanical engineering.

Mr. Repetti was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Joan McNamara Repetti, in 1977.

He was a devout Catholic and an accomplished engineer. He was recognized by family and friends as a trained singer with a talented voice. He was a former cantor and member of the Knights of Columbus at Holy Angels Church in Newark. Photography and participating in church fundraisers were important spare time activities.

He is survived by his son, Douglas Repetti and his wife, Roberta; daughter, Suzanne Arant and her husband, Michael; and daughter, Jennifer McCurnin and her husband, Mark; two sisters, Clarice and Ruth, both of New York City; and eight grandchildren, Douglas Jr., Joseph, Katrina, Garrett, Kristofer, Meghan, Michael and Matthew.

Funeral services were to be held on March 3 at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home, Newark. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, Wilmington.

Charlotte Barrall, 78

Charlotte Barrall, 78, of Newark, formerly of Millsboro, passed away peacefully on Monday, Feb. 27, 2006 at Christiana Hospital, surrounded by her family.

Mrs. Barrall was born in Chester, Pa., daughter of the late Tom and Elsie Skinter, was raised and lived the majority of her life in Media, Pa.

She retired to Millsboro in 1980, and made Newark her home for the past two years. She was a homemaker who loved and cared for her family. She enjoyed collecting stuffed bears, fishing, boating, the beach, birds and flowers.

Mrs. Barrall was predeceased by her husband, Melvin K. Barrall. She was loved and will be dearly missed by her family, including sons, Ronald L. Jones, and his wife, Cathy, of Aston, Pa., and Larry E. Jones, and his wife, Patty, of Newark; brother, Thomas Skinter of Bethany Beach; sisters, Elsie Mae King, of Media, Pa., and Sandra Smyth, of Newark; 10 grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

A memorial service was to be held at Beeson Funeral Home of Newark, 2053 Pulaski Highway.

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Symphony concert Sunday

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The Newark Symphony Orchestra will perform Strauss' "Don Juan," "Last Four Songs," and "Aus Italien" in concert on Sunday, March 12, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will take place in Loudis Recital Hall at the University of Delaware's Amy E. duPont Music Building. Tickets will be available at the door.

Philadelphia-based soprano Helen Huse Ralston will join the orchestra for "Last Four Songs," Strauss' final compositions. "These are incredibly beautiful songs," said Ralston, adding that Strauss gave a unique orchestral setting to the lyrics. "He uses the words and voice in an instrumental way, as though it's another instrument in the orchestra," she said.

Ralston, originally from Towson, Md., said she began vocal studies as a guitar-playing, folk-singing teenager. Her interest in classical singing soon overtook folk music, she said, when her voice teacher guided her voice into the upper range. "I was so excited by the sound I could make up there, I was interested right away," she said.

Ralston studied singing in college, eventually earning a



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master's of music in vocal performance from the University of Maryland. She worked full-time, while singing on the side, until 2003 when she decided to pursue a career in music.

"I had no idea when I started what was involved in pursuing a singing career," said Ralston.

She trained with voice coaches to bring her performance up to a professional level. She worked

on her musical and dramatic presentation, and has started to learn German to better understand the text of what she sings.

"You really, constantly, are studying. You're always learning music. You're always studying the music," she said of the career.

Her hard work has started to pay off. Recently, she spent two months in Germany going on

auditions. Several agents, she said, were interested in working with her. "I got much further really than I ever thought I would," she said. "I really expected to say, 'well, I'm glad I tried, but now I can go home and live a normal life.'"

Now, she said, she sees herself on the verge of breaking into the next level of performance and venue but realizes there's no

guarantee.

In the meantime, she's thankful for the opportunity to perform and rehearse with the Newark Symphony Orchestra. This will be her first performance of Strauss' "Last Four Songs." "Getting to do something here with the Newark Symphony is really great for me...It's a great experience, especially when you're singing new repertoire," she said.

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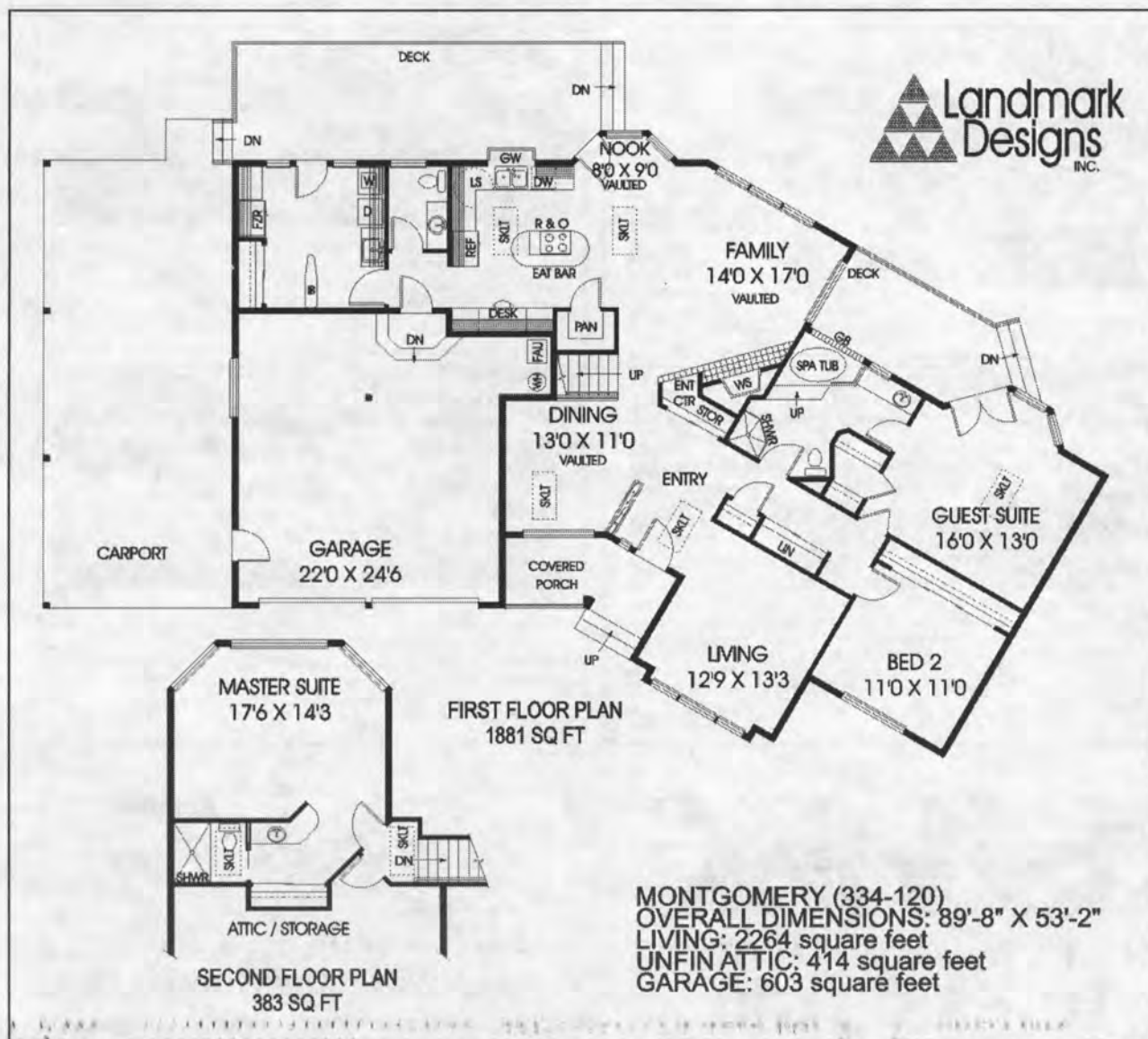
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By James and Morris Carey
For AP Weekly Features

For most Americans, home is their single biggest investment. And with property values being what they are, it isn't a bad one at that.

There are only a few things that can come between you and the appreciation of your home's value — some of which you can control and others you can't. However, in all cases, good planning and regular upkeep can mean the difference between protecting your investment and ending up homeless.

Of course, you can't control Nature. Thus, when it comes to an earthquake, fire or flood, the best defense is a strong offense. A good foundation, strong structural connections and a solid preparedness plan can help lessen the devastating effects of an earthquake or a fire. Properly installed and well maintained smoke detectors, a safe electrical system, fire extinguishers and other fire prevention techniques can prevent having your home reduced to ashes.

Unfortunately, when it comes to rising water, there isn't as much you can do to prepare. Most flood damage results from torrential rains that cause creeks and rivers to rise, which in turn exceed the capacity of municipal storm drainage systems and threaten housing. The best you can hope for is to minimize damage with quick emergency protection.

There is one major threat to your home that can be as devastating as an earthquake, fire or flood — termites. However, the good news is that you aren't nearly as helpless when it comes to preventing them from wreaking havoc with your home.

Termites may have been of little

concern to you in the past. However, some entomologists from the American Entomological Society say that due to recent weather patterns in the United States, insect populations will be more active now than in recent years. This means that there is no time like the present to have a pest management professional make an inspection to ensure that termites haven't turned your home into the neighborhood dining table.

The statistics are staggering and reason for anyone with a home to take prompt action.

- Termites cause more than \$5 billion in damage to U.S. homes each year!
- Fifty billion termites infest about one million U.S. homes (one in every 30 U.S. homes) each year.
- Termites can be hidden for 10 to 12 years before a swarm becomes visible.
- Homeowners insurance does not cover termite damage, so annual inspections are critical and far less costly.
- A small colony of approximately 60,000 termites can eat a linear foot of a 2-by-4 in about five months.
- Several termite colonies could be present in as little as one acre of land and contain more than one million termites.

How do you know if your home has termites? Termites are silent destroyers. Sadly, you may never see these behind-the-scenes workers until it is too late.

Termites are sometimes visible during swarm season, when clouds of flying termites can occur both indoors and outdoors. You may also find small piles of papery wings left behind on windowsills or floors.

Other warning signs include sagging floors, crumbling dry wood, tiny holes in walls or other wood surfaces and piles of wood residue. Bubbled paint or visible

mud tubes over concrete and soil might also be signs that termites are present. Homeowners must be proactive, rather than waiting for these signs to occur.

Use the following simple tips to remain termite-free and avoid the worst kind of damage:

- Limit the supply of moisture to the foundation.
- Prevent shrubs, bushes and vines from growing over vents or touching the house. Rake, bag or burn leaves immediately.
- Wood mulch can also attract termites. When using wood mulch in a flowerbed or garden, avoid contact with siding or frames of doors and windows.
- Keep gutters free of leaves and other debris. Downspouts must drain freely and away from the house, at a distance of at least three feet.
- Do not keep wooden items close to

the house. For example, firewood should be stored away from the home.

- Because termites need only the width of a piece of paper to gain access to a house, make sure that all entry points, like cracks in the foundation or utility openings, are sealed. You should also caulk windows and doors — favorite stomping grounds for termites.
- As a rule of thumb, monitor those areas of the home that are chronically damp or where wood comes in contact with the structure.
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Beautiful cars meet ugly front license plates

It has been many years since we've seen the kind of automotive styling diversity that's around today. Even my father, the type of guy who doesn't think anything has been done right since the 1950s, was remarking about how he actually likes what's going on, especially at Chrysler and Audi. He's

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even talking about picking up a new "fancy-pants" Ford Fusion.

If my father is any indication, style is indeed back.

I'm sure most of you would agree. So would Franz von Holzhausen, the talented young man who designed the Pontiac Solstice roadster and soon-to-be-released Saturn Sky, a car that shares the Solstice's platform.

I struck up a conversation at the Detroit Auto Show a year ago with Franz about his designs for which he has an obvious mountain of pride and passion. The process involves hundreds of hours of study, sculpting and resculpting, moving the deliberately placed lines by fractions of an inch so they're absolutely perfect when it's finally time to hit the road.

The Solstice projects Pontiac's image through an exceptional split-grille design framed by two cat-like headlights. It's a thing a beauty from any angle, especially the front. It's the same for many new cars. The Audi A3's front end, for example, is one of the most detailed on the road. And, of course, there's the Chrysler's 300. That one is from designer Ralph Gilles who uses metal and glass as his rolling canvas.

All that hard work, however, is marred by one small but significant detail: a front license plate.

When both front and rear license

plates were mandatory everywhere, designers built depressions into the bumpers to accommodate them. Today that's the case at the rear, but the front is being designed without a spot. That's great if you live in one of the many areas that don't require a front plate. For others it means buying a special license-plate frame and drilling holes in the front of your painstakingly designed machine to mount the assembly. Basically it messes up your vehicle all in the name of keeping local government happy.

It most likely doesn't make Franz or Ralph very happy, and I'd be willing to bet that Solstice owners aren't very happy, either. I mean, have you seen a Solstice with a front license plate? Ugh.

The front-plate debate has ranged on for years in areas that still actually require them. You can argue the pros and cons from a policing standpoint all you like, but the fact that it's not the law in many areas demonstrates that

the ancient practice is no longer necessary. There isn't even any debate since the point has been conceded by many states.

I happen to live in one of the areas that does still require a front plate, so the issue is near and dear to my heart. At the office we have a couple of project cars, one is a beautiful Sebring Silver 1963 Corvette. It was beautiful, all right, until the local constabulary "was just doing their job" and demanded that a front plate be put on the car. Well, it's there, for no apparent reason, and it's hideous. One hour away, across "the line," and you can go without. It's the inconsistency that drives me crazy. In fact, I'm more that a little jealous, although I haven't exactly considered packing up and moving to the other side over the whole issue.

Still, if all vehicles in all areas were required to have front plates, maybe Franz and Ralph would incorporate that into their designs so that the plate actu-

ally looked as though it belonged. That was the case for years. However, since a front plate is not mandatory everywhere, it's not designed into the vehicle's profile. There's no point building in a spot for it if it's not going to be used, right? Instead, it's tacked on after the fact at the dealership. In most cases it's about as at home on a work of art such as the Solstice as a whip antenna or bug deflector.

Areas that don't require license plates have already proven that they're not needed, so if you live in a place that still does — and you love your car — pick up the phone and begin lobbying local politicians to make the change.

When you drop big dollars on a new vehicle (what new vehicle doesn't cost big dollars these days?), a major buying decision that has a rather substantial style element to it, you owe it to yourself to get all that style that people such as Franz and Ralph put into it in the first place.

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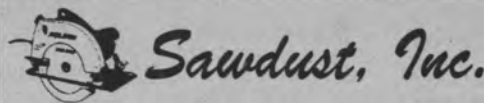
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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #7 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-049.20-312
ADDRESS: 1918 West Zabenko Drive, Wilmington, Delaware 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the building thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware and being known as Lot No. 39 in the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Woodmill Village, Section Three, prepared by Karins & Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers, dated August 16, 1985 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, on October 9, 1985 in Microfilm No. 7779, being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by Mann-Talley, Inc., dated December 22, 1986.

BEING the same lands and premises which Frank Robino Associates, Inc., a Delaware corporation, by Deed dated January 16, 1987 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 494, Page 99, did grant and convey to George R. Edwards and Katherine L. Edwards, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF GEORGE R. EDWARDS AND KATHERINE L. EDWARDS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #15 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-037.40-093
ADDRESS: 18 Viscaya Ct., Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 26 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan for Mansion Farm, Phase One, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm Record No. 12,470 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by Zebley & Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated January 5, 1998, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Alana M. Thomas by deed of Alana M. Thomas, dated March 20, 2003 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware at instrument number 20020321-0026895.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ALANA M. THOMAS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES FAC #17 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-033.10-095
ADDRESS: 22 North Skyward Drive, Newark, Delaware

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 22 N. Skyward Drive, being Lot No. 23, on the Plan of Breezewood, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County in Microfilm No. 1920, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by First State Mortgage Survey, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors, dated October 18, 2001, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Paul Z. Zaloga and Joann E. Zaloga did by deed dated

ADDRESS: 2413 E. Eric Drive, Wilmington, DE 19808

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as 2413 Eric Drive East, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 18, Block A, on the Plan of MAPLECREST, as prepared by Mann-Talley, Inc., C.E. and Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated February 2, 1961, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 774, more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey made by John J. Klekotka and Associates, Civil Engineers and Surveyors, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which George L. McConnell and Frace F. McConnell, his wife of Mill Creek Hundred did grant and convey unto John Crishock and Ann L. Crishock by deed dated November 23, 1962 and recorded on November 23, 1962 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 70 Page 117.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JOHN CRISHOCK.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #37 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-038.40-059
ADDRESS: 67 East Newtown Place, Newark, DE 19702

ALL S piece or parcel of land with the improvements erected thereon situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, being Lot 127 as shown on the Record Major Subdivision and Land Development Plan for "Barrett Run" prepared by Karins and Associates, Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, Drawing No. 769-3648, Sheet 3 of 7, dated June 25, 1992, recorded January 14, 1993 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County on Microfilm No. 11521. Being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent mortgage inspection plan by Karins and Associates, Inc., dated June 21, 1999, as follows to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which NVR, INC., a Virginia corporation, (formerly NVR Homes, Inc.), did grant and convey unto Anthony T. Fountain and Deborah M. Clouser by deed dated June 25, 1999 and recorded on July 6, 1999 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2670 Page 0035.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ANTHONY T. FOUNTAIN AND DEBORAH M. CLOUSER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #38 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-034.30-059
ADDRESS: 120 Woodland Road, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings 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 and Meena R. Malik did grant and convey unto Meena R. Malik by deed dated October 29, 2001 and recorded on November 5, 2001 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds; in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20011105-0091764.

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

Land Surveyors, dated September ____, 2000, as follows to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which William Edward Moran and Jeannette E. Moran did grant and convey unto Grant Keller by deed dated September 15, 2000 and recorded on September 18, 2000 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2895 Page 0094.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF GRANT KELLER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #49 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-017.10-132
ADDRESS: 21 Briarcliffe Court, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 143 (also known as 21 Briarcliffe Court) on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Thornwood, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 11,599; being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebley & Associates, Inc. dated February 12, 1996, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Thornwood Development Corp., a corporation of the State of Delaware did grant and convey unto E. Mark Fulton, individually by deed dated March 22, 1996 and recorded on March 25, 1996 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2073 Page 0152.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF E. MARK FULTON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #54 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-006.20-375
ADDRESS: 107 Eastfield Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 551, Block S, on the Plan of Scottfield, Section Four, 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. 1540, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by North Star Surveys, dated December 13, 1999.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Charles W. Keithley, II and Laura Keithley by deed of John F. Leslie and Betty Leslie, dated December 30, 1999 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in Deed Book 2763, page 336.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CHARLES W. KEITHLEY, II AND LAURA KEITHLEY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #61 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-008.00-022
ADDRESS: 863 Yorklyn Road, Hockessin, DE 19707

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware being Lot No. 12 as shown on the unrecorded plan of HOCKESSIN HILLS.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Dominick J. Dimenco and Terry L. Dimenco by deed of Shirley A. Hubbard, dated May 29, 1998 and of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Kimberly Jean Holiskey by deed of Allen L. Scheel and Carol G. Scheel, dated, October 20, 1989 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in deed Book 943, page 199.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF KIMBERLY JEAN HOLISKEY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #68 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 10-043.30-245
ADDRESS: 417 Feather Dr., Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain piece or parcel or tract of land situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, being Lot 76 according to the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Raven Glen at Wellington Woods as recorded in the Recorder of Deeds office in and for the State and County aforesaid in Microfilm No. 11345 and as more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Pulte Home Corporation by deed dated September 23, 1994 and recorded in the office aforesaid in Deed Record 1814, Page 203, granted and conveyed to Charles T. Monroe, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CHARLES T. MONROE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #69 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-017.40-098
ADDRESS: 9 Renee Court, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being designated as Lot 14, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Rutherford, Section II, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, on Microfilm No. 7633, being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by A.E.S. Surveyors, dated March 13, 1998.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Artis B. Baker by Deed of CFC Development Company, Inc., dated March 30, 1998 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware at Deed Book 2426, Page 133.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ARTIS B. BAKER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #84 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-008.00-162
ADDRESS: 18 Knights 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 APRIL 3, 2006.

LEGAL NOTICE**THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

Alina Salvat Wright
PETITIONER(S)
TO

Alina Salvat
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Alina Salvat Wright 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 Alina Salvat.

Alina Salvat Wright
Petitioner

Dated: 2/27/06
np 3/10,17,24

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

Joseph Evers
Holtzman Jr.
PETITIONER(S)
TO

Joseph Evers Brown
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Joseph Evers Holtzman Jr. 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 Joseph Evers Brown.

Joseph E. Holtzman Jr.
Petitioner

Dated: 2/24/6

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

Lisa Haines
PETITIONER(S)
TO

Lisa Cluett
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lisa Haines 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 Lisa Cluett.

Lisa Haines
Lisa Cluett
Petitioner

Dated: 2/23/06

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY

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 and Meena R. Malik did grant and convey unto Meena R. Malik by deed dated October 29, 2001 and recorded on November 5, 2001 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20011105-0091764.

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 APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #40 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-019.20-009
ADDRESS: 5 Heather Road, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 5 Heather Road, being Lot No. 75, Block D on the Record Resubdivision Plan for Heather Woods as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm Record No. 4886, 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 November 20, 2000, as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Gabor A. Farkas and Loretta R. Farkas did grant and convey unto Cheryl Gulston by deed dated November 30, 2000 and recorded on December 4, 2000 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2933 Page 0334.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CHERYL GULSTON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #43 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-027.20-195
ADDRESS: 502 Pheasant Run, Bear, DE 19701-2719

ALL that lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware being designated lot 314 as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of FOX RUN, PHASE 1 of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and For New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 9396, said lot also known as 502 Pheasant Run and being now more particularly described by A.E.S. Surveyors as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which A.T. Schwartz, Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation did grant and convey unto Eric T. Huhn by deed dated September 30, 2002 and recorded on October 15, 2003 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed instrument 20031015-0132799.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ERIC T. HUHN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIFTH PLURIES LEV FAC #45 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-022.40-150
ADDRESS: 714 E. Chestnut Hill Road, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, and State of Delaware known as 714 East Chestnut Hill Road, and being known as Lot No. 54, Block 12, Section 3 on the Plan of Chestnut Hill Estates, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Plat Book J, Page 81, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #33 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-038.30-360

ADDRESS: 863 Yorklyn Road, Hockessin, DE 19707

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware being Lot No. 12 as shown on the unrecorded plan of HOCKESSIN HILLS.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Dominick J. Dimenco and Terry L. Dimenco by deed of Shirley A. Hubbard, 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 2449, page 274.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DOMINICK J. DIMENCO AND TERRY L. DIMENCO.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #63 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 18-013.00-064
ADDRESS: 61 Kennard Drive, Newark, DE 19711

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in the Town of Newark, White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Lot 12, Block 1, as shown on a survey or plan of Terry Manor by Myers Richardson Associates, dated December 20, 1954, as revised October 6, 1955, and being more particularly bounded and described in a recent mortgage inspection plan prepared by Zebley and Associates, Inc., dated May 2, 1997, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Gwendolyn V. Lane did by deed dated May 2, 1997, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 2268 Page 44 did grant and convey unto Stephanie D. Lane.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF STEPHANIE D. LANE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of THIRD PLURIES LEV FAC #64 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 10-043.10-779
ADDRESS: 17 Kelston Drive, Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in new Castle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, begin Lot 354 as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Wellington Woods, Sections II and III, prepared by Mann-Talley Engineers & Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware dated April 11, 1988 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 9182, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by Clifton L. Bakhsh, Jr., dated May 16, 1994, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Jerry G. Goodloe and Evelyn Marie Goodloe by deed dated May 31, 1994 and recorded in the office aforesaid in Deed Record 1744, Page 7, granted and conveyed to Michelle R. Thomas and Muriel J. Pitcher, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF MICHELLE R. THOMAS AND MURRIEL J. PITCHER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #67 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-023.10-142
ADDRESS: 739 Kilgor Court, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 157 as shown on a certain plan entitled "Record Land Development Plan of Glasgow Pines" as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware in Microfilm No. 4867, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by The Pelsa Company, dated October 12, 1989, as follows, to-wit:

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 APRIL 3, 2006.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #87 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 11-034.10-062
ADDRESS: 151 Williamette Drive, Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements erected thereon situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware being designated Lot 52, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Chandeaur Woods, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 12613, said lot also known as 151 Williamette Drive and being now more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent mortgage inspection plan by A.E.S. Surveyors dated April 1, 1997.

BEING the same lands and premises which NVR Homes, Inc., a Virginia Corporation did grant and convey unto Scott E. Grinnell and Kristy Grinnell by deed dated April 10, 1997 and recorded on April 14, 1997 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2257 Page 0093.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF SCOTT E. GRINNELL AND KRISTY GRINNELL.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of SEVENTH PLURIES LEV FAC #91 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 08-038.30-036
ADDRESS: 1227 McKennans Church Road, Wilmington, DE

ALL that lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as No. 1227 McKennans Church Road (formerly known as McCannon's Church Road), situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Lot No. 1, Block A, on the Plan of Sherwood Park II, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Plat Book No. 4, Page 59, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Rebecca D. Cintron by Deed dated May 30, 1996 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 2110 Page 1 did grant and convey unto Douglas Hales and Valerie H. Hales.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DOUGLAS HALES AND VALERIE H. HALES.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 3, 2006.

JANUARY 31, 2006

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #100 JA. AD., 2006.

PARCEL NO. 09-028.10-187
ADDRESS: 110 Garrett Road, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, known as Lot No. 35, Block W, on the Plan of Todd Estates, Section 4, as said Plan if of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm Record 723 and being described in accordance with a survey by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., Registered Surveyors, Newark, Delaware, dated June 8, 1961.

(Continued)

Lisa Haines
Lisa Cluett
Petitioner

Dated: 2/23/06

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
Kimberly Ann Esposito Block
PETITIONER(S)
TO

Kimberly Ann Esposito
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Kimberly Ann Esposito Block 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 Kimberly Ann Esposito.

Kimberly Ann Esposito Block
Petitioner

Dated: 2/21/06

np 3/3,10,17

LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of Anne M. Barczewski, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Anne M. Barczewski who departed this life on the 6th day of January, A.D. 2006, late of Manor Care, 5651 Limestone Road, Wilm., DE 19808 were duly granted unto Steven J. Barczewski and Joanne B. Lewis on the 10th day of February, A.D. 2006, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payments to the Executors without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executor on or before the 6th day of September, A.D. 2006, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Steven J. Barczewski
and Joanne B. Lewis
Executors

David J. Ferry, Jr., Esq.
P.O. Box 1351
Wilm., DE 19899
and
Piet H. Van Ogtrop, Esq.
206 E. Delaware Avenue
Newark, DE 19711
np 3/10,17,24



DELAWARE CLASSIFIED & AUTOMOTIVE RIDE GUIDE

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Beautiful cars meet ugly front license plates

It has been many years since we've seen the kind of automotive styling diversity that's around today. Even my father, the type of guy who doesn't think anything has been done right since the 1950s, was remarking about how he actually likes what's going on, especially at Chrysler and Audi. He's

By **Catrina Coghill**



Wheelbase
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even talking about picking up a new "fancy-pants" Ford Fusion.

If my father is any indication, style is indeed back.

I'm sure most of you would agree. So would Franz von Holzhausen, the talented young man who designed the Pontiac Solstice roadster and soon-to-be-released Saturn Sky, a car that shares the Solstice's platform.

I struck up a conversation at the Detroit Auto Show a year ago with Franz about his designs for which he has an obvious mountain of pride and passion. The process involves hundreds of hours of study, sculpting and resculpting, moving the deliberately placed lines by fractions of an inch so they're absolutely perfect when it's finally time to hit the road.

The Solstice projects Pontiac's image through an exceptional split-grille design framed by two cat-like headlights. It's a thing a beauty from any angle, especially the front. It's the same for many new cars. The Audi A3's front end, for example, is one of the most detailed on the road. And, of course, there's the Chrysler's 300. That one is from designer Ralph Gilles who uses metal and glass as his rolling canvas.

All that hard work, however, is marred by one small but significant detail: a front license plate.

When both front and rear license

plates were mandatory everywhere, designers built depressions into the bumpers to accommodate them. Today that's the case at the rear, but the front is being designed without a spot. That's great if you live in one of the many areas that don't require a front plate. For others it means buying a special license-plate frame and drilling holes in the front of your painstakingly designed machine to mount the assembly. Basically it messes up your vehicle all in the name of keeping local government happy.

It most likely doesn't make Franz or Ralph very happy, and I'd be willing to bet that Solstice owners aren't very happy, either. I mean, have you seen a Solstice with a front license plate? Ugh.

The front-plate debate has ranged on for years in areas that still actually require them. You can argue the pros and cons from a policing standpoint all you like, but the fact that it's not the law in many areas demonstrates that

the ancient practice is no longer necessary. There isn't even any debate since the point has been conceded by many states.

I happen to live in one of the areas that does still require a front plate, so the issue is near and dear to my heart. At the office we have a couple of project cars, one is a beautiful Sebring Silver 1963 Corvette. It was beautiful, all right, until the local constabulary "was just doing their job" and demanded that a front plate be put on the car. Well, it's there, for no apparent reason, and it's hideous. One hour away, across "the line," and you can go without. It's the inconsistency that drives me crazy. In fact, I'm more that a little jealous, although I haven't exactly considered packing up and moving to the other side over the whole issue.

Still, if all vehicles in all areas were required to have front plates, maybe Franz and Ralph would incorporate that into their designs so that the plate actu-

ally looked as though it belonged. That was the case for years. However, since a front plate is not mandatory everywhere, it's not designed into the vehicle's profile. There's no point building in a spot for it if it's not going to be used, right? Instead, it's tacked on after the fact at the dealership. In most cases it's about as at home on a work of art such as the Solstice as a whip antenna or bug deflector.

Areas that don't require license plates have already proven that they're not needed, so if you live in a place that still does — and you love your car — pick up the phone and begin lobbying local politicians to make the change.

When you drop big dollars on a new vehicle (what new vehicle doesn't cost big dollars these days?), a major buying decision that has a rather substantial style element to it, you owe it to yourself to get all that style that people such as Franz and Ralph put into it in the first place.

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np 3/3,10,17

LEGAL NOTICE ANNUAL ASSESSMENT APPEALS

The Annual Assessment Roll for New Castle County for the tax year beginning July 1, 2006, may be inspected in the offices of the Assessment Division of the New Castle County Department of Land Use, Government Center, 87 Reads Way, New Castle, DE 19720 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Property owners who believe that their properties have been incorrectly assessed may appeal those assessments to the Board of Assessment Review of New Castle County. Forms to appeal annual assessments may be obtained from the Assessment Division at the address aforesaid. Appeal forms must be completed and filed with the Assessment Division no later than **5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 15, 2006.**

The Board of Assessment Review will sit in the New Castle County Government Center or some other public place to be announced to hear appeals. Appeal hearings will be scheduled by the Board. Persons who file appeals before the statutory deadline will, in accordance with 9 Del. C. Sec. 8311, be notified of the exact date and time at which their appeal will be heard.

np 3/3,10

Approximately 500 Feet East of Marrows Road, Adjacent to The Pond Indoor Ice Skating/Hockey Facility, to Construct a 17,400 Square Foot Commercial Indoor Recreation & Warehousing/Wholesale Mixed Use Building to be Known as Marrows Road Sports Complex - Phase II (RESOLUTION & AGREEMENT PRESENTED)

C. Request of Amherst Limited Partnership for a Special Use Permit for a Commercial Indoor Recreation Facility in a BC Zoning Classification, located North of Campbell Drive, Approximately 500 Feet East of Marrows Road, Adjacent to The Pond Indoor Ice/Skating/Hockey Facility

8. ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING:

None

9. ITEMS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLISHED AGENDA:

A. **COUNCIL MEMBERS:** None
B. **COMMITTEES, BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:**

1. Appointment to Community Development/Revenue Sharing Advisory Committee - Mayor Appt.
2. Appointment to Conservation Advisory Commission - Mayor Appt.
3. Planning Commission Minutes of February 7, 2006

C. **OTHERS:** None

10. SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

- A. Special Reports from Manager & Staff:
 1. Pension Report - 4th Quarter
 2. Alderman's Report

*OPEN FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

The above agenda is intended to be followed, but is subject to changes, deletions, additions and modifications, as permitted under the Freedom of Information Act of the State of Delaware. Copies may be obtained at the City secretary's Office, 220 Elkton Road.

np 3/10

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Public auction to be held on April 12, 2006 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:

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- #202 - Greg Walton - bed, dresser, sofa, chair, fish tank
- #253 - John S. Malik - file boxes, shelving
- #271 - Donna M. Hope - boxes, microwave, shelving, toys, vacuum, heater
- #273 - Hope Morgan - bags, totes
- #322 - Nanette Rowsey - file cabinets, table, door, heater, weed eater
- #410 - Guy R. Reeves - bed frames, boxes, chairs, computer, lamp, tool box

np 3/3,10

CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

MARCH 13, 2006 - 7:30 PM

Pursuant to Chapter 32, Zoning, Section 32-78, Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, notice is hereby given of a public hearing in the Council Chamber, Newark Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, on **Monday, March 13, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.**, to consider the request of Home Grown Café for a Special Use Permit to serve alcoholic beverages to 1:00 a.m.

Susan A. Lamblack, MMC
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np 2/24,3/10



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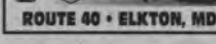
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