

## UP FRONT

### How to vote

By **MARTY VALANIA**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**D**o you know how people decide whom to vote for in elections — especially local ones? If so, please let me know because I don't have a clue how most people do it.

I spent last Thursday evening at the Meet the Candidates Forum sponsored by the West Chestnut Hill Road Residents Association.

The forum gave residents and potential voters an opportunity to listen to and ask questions of candidates for local and state offices. It was a great event and, according to the candidates, was far better attended than most other forums of this type.

It was an absolutely perfect opportunity to learn about state and local political candidates and where they stand on certain issues.

I'm guessing there were 50 or so people in the room. Some of them, obviously, knew the candidates personally and/or worked with them. They probably already knew who they were going to vote for and were there for support.

There were probably about 30 or so people genuinely looking for information. That's 30 of us out of thousands of eligible voters. I guess it was just us 30 that didn't know everything there is to know already.

National candidates get a lot of publicity and it's generally easy to find out how they stand on certain issues. In addition, they're always on television.

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Valania



### New center for UD arts

Community invited to tour Orchard Road facility Sunday

**S**tanding in one of the practice rooms at the University of Delaware's new Center for the Arts, director Patrick M. Donnelly pointed out the one thing missing: the sound of anything else.

"Notice what you're not hearing?" he asked, smiling.

As in all of the building's performance and practice venues, its 32 individual practice rooms have been fitted with state-of-the-art acoustic technology. In the hallway, passersby can hear musicians at work. But behind closed doors, not a sound is heard.

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PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE POST BY UD

**Top:** Large windows in the lobby of the new Center for the Arts let in lots of natural light. The lobby acts as a support space for two performance halls and can be used for events. **Left:** The 200-seat Gore Recital Hall is one of the facility's four performance venues.

### District to settle on land

Porter Road school building on hold

By **MARY E. PETZAK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**C**hristina District is still working on construction items funded through the 2003 Bond Referendum despite the present financial crisis. Next month the District and the Reybold Group will close on the purchase of land for a new 840-seat elementary school off Porter Road.

In August 2005, Christina's school board approved an agreement to purchase property in the St. Andrews Addition adjacent to Porter Road and Route 40. Subsequently, it was determined that New Castle County Code required purchase of an additional parcel for direct access of bus and car traffic to

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### Beyond the lab

Researchers educate, advocate for Huntington's Disease

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**I**n a lab at the Delaware Biotechnology Institute here in Newark, University of Delaware students and researchers investigate possible therapeutics for a disease that affects about one in every 10,000 people in this country.

For these researchers, understanding Huntington's Disease — a disorder that causes a loss of mental faculties and physical control — goes beyond test tubes and microscopes to education and patient advocacy.

Eric Kmiec, Ph.D., and Hetal Parekh-Olmedo began looking at Huntington's

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## POLICE BLOTTER

Police Blotter is compiled each week from the files of the Newark Police Department, New Castle County Police and the Delaware State Police by the newspaper staff.

**Delivery drivers robbed**

A 24-year-old delivery driver for Pat's Pizza told police on Friday, Oct. 13, at 8:40 p.m., he was the victim of an armed robbery in the unit block of Aylesboro Road. The driver told police two subjects robbed him at gunpoint while he made a delivery. The driver was not injured, said police.

The suspects were described as black men, weighing about 150 pounds. The first suspect was said to be 5'10" with a slight mustache and closely cropped hair, wearing baggy pants and a green puffy winter coat.

The second suspect was said to be 5'6" with no facial hair, wearing baggy pants and a dark-colored hooded sweatshirt. They were last seen running from Aylesboro Road towards Marrows Road, said police.

On Saturday, Oct. 14, at 7:25 p.m., police investigated an attempted robbery of a 43-year-old delivery driver from China King in the same block of Aylesboro Road.

Two men assaulted the driver while he attempted to make a delivery, said police. Police said the suspects were unable to obtain any of the victim's property, though they tried to steal his money.

The driver received minor injuries and refused treatment at the scene. The first suspect was described as a black male, 5'8", 17 to 20 years old with no facial

hair and wearing a green winter jacket. The second suspect was described as a black male, 5'6", 16 years old with no facial hair and wearing a brown winter jacket.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Det. Nelson of the Newark Police Department at 366-7110, ext. 136, or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

**Man stopped driving stolen car**

A 24-year-old Newark man was arrested and charged with theft, possession of controlled dangerous substances and possession of drug paraphernalia after Newark Police found him driving a stolen car on Route 896 in the area of the White Clay Creek State Park on Monday, Oct. 9, at 11:39 a.m.

Police received consent to search the apartment of Christopher M. Poulsen, 24, in the unit block of Country Club Drive and found substances including heroin, crack cocaine and prescription drugs and drug paraphernalia.

Poulsen was committed to Gander Hill in lieu of a \$20,500 cash bond, said police.

**Other incidents**

A white male thought to be between 20 and 25 years old was seen breaking the exit gate in the city of Newark's parking lot #4 in the unit block of Center Street on Thursday, Oct. 12, at 12:55 a.m.

Unknown suspects stole \$175 in coins from a laundry machine on the ground level of a Towne Court Apartment building in the unit block of Thorn Lane, police

**Intruder named 'person of interest' in rape**

The man who raped a 19-year-old woman at her home in the unit block of Wilbur Street on Sunday, Oct. 8, at 5:30 a.m., may have intruded a home in the 200 block of East Park Place an hour earlier, said Newark Police.

Police are investigating a complaint made by a 20-year-old female University of Delaware student that an unknown man came into her bedroom around 4:50 a.m., on Oct. 8, and woke her up by caressing her arm as she lay in bed.

Police were told the woman screamed and demanded the intruder leave, which he did after making a comment about being lost. Police were made known of this incident on Monday, Oct. 9, after the woman heard about the

Wilbur Street rape.

The Newark Police Department is continuing its investigation to determine whether or not the cases are linked. Police said, given the similarities of the incidents, suspect description and times, the East Park Place suspect is a "person of interest in the Wilbur Street rape."

The suspect is described as a college-aged white male, 5'9" to 6', with broad shoulders and a fair complexion. He was last seen wearing blue jeans and a t-shirt.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the Newark Police Department at 366-7111, Det. Rieger at 366-7110, ext. 133 or Delaware Crimes Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

were told on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 2:25 p.m.

Police responded to West Park Elementary School in the 100 block of Park Place on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 1:43 p.m., for a report of an assault. Police were told an 11-year-old boy punched an 8-year-old girl above her right eye while the students were in the library.

An unknown suspect stole a purse from a check out counter in the Pathmark in the 100 block of College Square as its owner unloaded her cart, police were told on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 7:27 p.m.

A signed paycheck and \$600 in cash were stolen from a home in the unit block of Academy Street by an unknown suspect, police were told on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 12:55 p.m.

An Xbox game system, five games and eight DVDs were taken from a home in the 400 block of New London Road

while the owner was away, police were told on Monday, Oct. 9, at 10:08 p.m.

Several customers on the porch of Deer Park Tavern in the 100 block of W. Main Street on Monday, Oct. 9, around 10:23 p.m., were pelted with eggs. An unknown suspect threw the eggs from a two-door black sedan that drove by, police were told.

An unknown suspect kicked in a fire escape door to an apartment in the unit block of E. Cleveland Avenue and poured water on a laptop computer in the bedroom, police were told on Sunday, Oct. 8, at 11:05 a.m.

A hole was punched in the hallway wall of the Galleria in the unit block of E. Main Street by an unknown suspect, police were told on Saturday, Oct. 7, at 9:50 p.m.;

A 19-year-old Newark man was found to have a folding knife with a blade longer than three inches concealed in his pocket as

he hung out in the 200 block of E. Main Street on Friday, Oct. 6, at 11:06 p.m., said police. Police said Kyle Patrick Brown of the unit block of Celestial Way was arrested and charged with carrying a concealed deadly weapon. He was released on \$1,500 bond, said police.

An 18-year-old New Castle man who was asked to leave a party in the unit block of S. Chapel Street became disorderly and punched the hosts, police were told on Sunday, Oct. 5, at 2:12 a.m. Police said Jacob W. Steele of the 300 block of Meginn Place was issued a criminal summons for third degree assault, offensive touching and criminal trespass.

A rowdy female patron of Shaggys in the unit block of Main Street punched a bouncer in the head and kicked him in the groin area, police were told on Saturday, Oct. 14, 10:55 p.m.

**Vehicles targeted**

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

Unknown suspects broke a window of a Honda Accord parked in the 400 block of E. Main Street with a BB gun, police were told on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 3:19 p.m.

A Honda Accord parked in the unit block of Duke Street was stolen, police were told on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 8:23 a.m.

An unknown suspect broke into an SUV parked in the unit block of Bellevue Road and stole the car stereo, damaging the dashboard and door handle in the process, police were told on Monday, Oct. 9, at 2:18 p.m.

An Audi A4 parked in the driveway of a home in the 500 block of Windsor Drive was stolen, police were told on Monday, Oct. 9, at 12:30 p.m. The owner said keys for the car were taken from a bowl kept just inside the front door.

The door of a car parked in the 600 block of S. College Avenue was damaged and the stereo was

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## IN THE NEWS

# DEMA director discusses emergency response

Preparation, communication are key, he says

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**W**hat does the state do in emergency situations? What can residents do to be better prepared?

Jamie Turner, director of the Delaware Emergency Management Agency (DEMA), answered these questions and more for Newark area residents at a talk sponsored by St. Rep. Stephanie Ulbrich, R-25, Tuesday night.

Turner gave a presentation on DEMA's preparation, response and recovery procedures for weather emergencies — hurricanes, snowstorms, tornadoes — and no-notice emergencies,

such as chemical leaks.

"Can we stop the problem? Sometimes yes and sometimes no," said Turner. "We can't do anything about rain. We can't stop the snow. And we have yet to decide how we're going to keep hurricanes from hitting us."

When confronted with a predictable emergency, such as Tropical Storm Ernesto that rolled through Delaware this Labor Day weekend, planning starts at least a week before the storm, said Turner.

Staff closely monitors weather reports in the five to seven days leading up to the weather event and holds conference calls with weather experts and emergency personnel from around the region. The public and media are kept abreast of the situation through press releases and notices.

"When we have a storm of any

magnitude that comes up, we'll talk to everybody from Cape Charles, Va., up through Cecil County, Chester and Delaware County, Pa. We all get on the call and talk about how we're going to handle the situation," he said.

Evacuation sites are identified by local emergency management agencies, but not always used, said Turner. "Evacuations aren't done regularly. We take the evacuation issue...very seriously," he said.

In his four years as DEMA director, Turner said he has only sought two declarations of emergency and evacuation orders from the governor: one for a snowstorm and one for Hurricane Isabel in 2003.

During the storm, local emergency personnel are responsible for deciding whether or not it's safe to respond to calls, said

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## CITY BRIEFS

### Error found in lawsuit award

The jury award for Donald M. Durkin Contracting Inc., the company fired by the city of Newark from the reservoir project in 2004, has been reduced by \$1.7 million due to a clerical error.

The city is now responsible for paying \$36.7 million to the company for breach of contract and civil rights violations in a lawsuit that found the city fired Durkin without giving proper notice.

U.S. District Court Judge Gregory M. Sleet ruled before the trial began that the city breached its contract with Durkin by failing to provide the required seven-day notice of termination.

A jury ruled the city owed Durkin \$5.5 million for work performed before the company was fired, \$6.2 million for expenses related to the project after the fact and \$25 million for violation of the contractor's constitutional rights.

City officials have said the award is excessive and plan to appeal.

### City joins state fund

Money collected by the city of Newark's electric utility for Green Energy fees will be pooled with state funds, city council reaffirmed at its Oct. 9 meeting.

Money from the state fund, which Delmarva Power customers pay into, is dispersed to commercial and residential projects that make use of green energy technologies, such as solar power or solar water

heating, wind turbines and geothermal heat pumps.

Newark's contribution — about \$72,000 annually — will be kept in a separate pool from the larger state fund, but the state will administer the money to projects that meet application requirements, said Finance Director George Sarris.

Joining the state fund, he said, makes Newark no worse off. "If Newark has 100 applications lined up and the state's doing nothing, that may put pressure on them to share a little of it," he said.

### Electric rate error on agenda

At its Monday, Oct. 23, meeting, the Newark City Council will review options for correcting an error in an electric rate increase that left the city with a budget shortfall of \$1.5 million.

The shortfall was discovered when the University of Delaware — the city's largest utility customer — found the electric rate increase violated a longstanding contract with the city.

Electric costs for the university were raised by 15 percent in July, while the total average percentage increase for all other customers was 3.1 percent. A clause in the university agreement says its rate change can not be more than this average increase.

Council discussed the error at its Sept. 25, meeting, asking staff to return with creative solutions.

## Preparing your family

Jamie Turner, director of the Delaware Emergency Management Agency, advises families prepare an emergency kit for use in crisis situations. Here are some items he suggests be included in the kit:

- Battery operated radio with extra batteries
- First Aid kit
- Bottled water (one gallon per day per adult)
- Non-perishable food
- Medicines
- Tools and supplies
- Sanitation supplies
- Clothing and bedding
- Baby necessities
- Entertainment
- Copies of important family documents

## Candidates trade views at forum

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**F**ourteen candidates running for state and federal offices had the opportunity to present their views to voters at a forum held Thursday, Oct. 12, at the Embassy Suites in Newark.

More than 50 people attended the event, sponsored in part by the West Chestnut Hill Residents Association and several Newark area civic associations. Candidates for Congress traded views on national issues including healthcare and the war in Iraq, while state-level candidates spoke on issues closer to home — rising energy costs and funding for public schools.

The three candidates hoping to defeat Republican incumbent U.S. Rep. Mike Castle in November's election attended the forum. Castle, who is recovering from a minor stroke, sent a campaign aide in his stead. For each candidate, the war in Iraq was a major, national concern.

Democratic candidate Dennis Spivack called the war a "mistake from the beginning." The question now, he said, is "how do we get out of there in a responsible fashion?" Spivack said, if elected, he would work towards a

"responsible exit strategy"

Karen Hartley-Nagle, who is running as an independent Democrat, spoke on the economic and human costs of war in Iraq and said she favored a 12- to 18-month exit plan.

Green party candidate Michael Berg, whose soldier son was killed in Iraq, called for the immediate withdrawal of troops. He spoke on the deaths of American soldiers and Iraqis, citing the recent finding that more than 655,000 Iraqis have died in the conflict.

"I'm here to tell you that every one of those 655,000 deaths is a waste and is devastating. Immediate (withdrawal) is what we need," he said.

Two candidates vying for the U.S. Senate seat held by U.S. Sen. Tom Carper spoke at the forum. Carper did not attend.

Republican candidate Jan Ting named immigration policy as a primary concern. Ting, the son of Chinese immigrants, served as assistant commissioner of the Immigration and Naturalization Service under President George H.W. Bush.

"Five years after September 11," said Ting, "the borders are still open." Illegal and unlimited immigration affects national

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# In Our Schools

EDUCATION NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS

## NOTE PAD

### Interim warnings in mail

Schools in Christina District are currently mailing warnings to parents and students for the first marking period. Grades and report cards are mailed on Nov. 4.

### NHS PTA to host legislators

Newark High School PTA will present a two-part program at its meeting on Oct. 25. The principal, Emmanuel Caulk, will review the NHS Pathways to Excellence Plan (PEP).

State Representatives Pam Maier, Hazel Plant, Terry Schooley and Stephanie Ulbrich have been invited to update their involvement in state and local education issues, followed by a question and answer period. Questions may be submitted in advance at [clmbuck@comcast.net](mailto:clmbuck@comcast.net). The meeting starts at 7 p.m. in the school.

### Alumni Dance

The Alumni Association of Newark High School will hold an over-18, All-Alumni Reunion Dance on Saturday, Nov. 4, from 8 p.m. to midnight. Doors open at 7 p.m. at Aetna Fire Hall on Ogletown Road. The event features a cash bar and light refreshments with dancing to the Larry Tucker Band.

Cost is \$20 advance/\$25 at the door. Last date to buy in advance is Tuesday, Oct. 31. Proceeds benefit the NHS Alumni's Scholarship Awards.

For tickets, send address, phone number and graduation year with checks payable to NHS Alumni Association to: NHS Alumni Association Dance, P.O. Box 836, Newark, DE 19715.

Visit [www.nhsalumni.org](http://www.nhsalumni.org) for additional info.

### Vendors for GHS Fair

Glasgow High School will hold its December Craft Fair 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 9. This event features handcrafts, holiday decorations and "mouth-watering" foods for sale. Admission is free.

Sale areas for vendors of hand-crafted products include two gymnasiums, hallways and cafeterias. Interested vendors should call Caryl Young at 302-738-9555.

## Going down to the sea in ships

### Local cadets spend day with Coast Guard

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Cadets and instructors from Christina High School's NJROTC (Navy Junior Reserved Officer Training Corps) Unit spent a day at sea aboard the USCGC James Rankin (WLM 555) in September.

According to P.L. Husty, CDR, SC, USN (ret.), Christina's

senior naval science instructor, 54 NJROTC cadets made the field trip. "From the first moment the cadets, many new to our unit, stepped aboard the James Rankin to our departure," stated Husty in a letter of appreciation, "the professionalism, knowledge, warmth and graciousness of the crew truly made everyone feel welcome."

Husty said the cadets' day at sea began with welcoming remarks by Captain Mark Palmer followed by the day's operational plan provided by the ship's executive officer and a safety brief

on the buoy deck. "As the ship prepared for the buoy tending," Husty said, "the officer cadets were invited to the bridge where they watched underway preparations and received information on the ship's navigation and engineering capabilities."

Husty said the curious high school students were invited to visit all the ship's spaces and talk with the crew. "Captain Palmer made it clear our training schedule was his for the day," Husty related. "Our cadets were especially interested in the bridge and engine room tours."

In the week prior to the visit, the NJROTC cadets completed a chapter on Damage Control and Fire Fighting. "I asked Captain Palmer if training in those areas could be conducted," Husty said, "[and] part of the ship's schedule

that afternoon was damage control demonstrations that included everything we had discussed in class and more."

Cadets observed the operation of a P-100 pump in both its de-watering and fire fighting modes. As hoses were unraveled and nozzles attached, Damage Control personnel explained the importance of being fully covered and demonstrated the use of an OBA (Oxygen Breathing Apparatus).

The U.S. Navy is currently introducing a Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for shipboard fire fighting. However many ships, including the Coast Guard cutters, still use OBAs.

Cadets put on fire-fighting gear and competed in a timed dress-out. Naval personnel rou-

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Left: Captain Mark Palmer and his ship's personnel welcomed the visit and devoted the day to demonstrating scheduled activities on board, as well as conducting special training exercises. Above: JROTC cadets from Christina High School spent a day at sea aboard the USCGC James Rankin.

## High School students engineer bridges

Three students at Newark High School were among local winners in the annual Bridge Design Contest sponsored by West Point Military Academy. First place went to Fadi Greene; second place, Anna Peng, and third place, Dariusz Murakowski. Greene's entry was rated 12th in the national competition.

Using free West Point Bridge Designer software, U.S. students age 13 through grade 12 design the least expensive bridge that



Students age 13 through grade 12 participate in the West Point Bridge Design Contest.

will pass a simulated load test They can submit as many designs as they like.

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The West Point Bridge Design Contest is funded entirely by private donors, including The American Society of Civil Engineers.

Founded in 1802, the United

States Military Academy at West Point was the first school in the U.S. to offer a formal program of instruction in engineering. During the first half of the 19th century, civil engineering was the foundation of the West Point curriculum. For more info about the competition, visit [Bridgecontest.usma.edu](http://Bridgecontest.usma.edu).



## IN OUR SCHOOLS

# Blood Bank honors high school donors

Newark, Christiana and Glasgow high schoolers were among the students honored by the Blood Bank of Delmarva for hosting blood drives at 29 high schools in New Castle and Cecil counties during the 2005-06 school year. The top winners were chosen in three categories:

Small Schools (less than 150 seniors)

- First place, Archmere Academy, 60 donors
- 2nd place, St. Elizabeth's, 53 donors
- 3rd place, Delaware Military Academy, 52 donors

Mid-size Schools (150-274 seniors):

- First place, Wilmington Charter School, 98 donors
- 2nd place (tie), Salesianum School and Brandywine High School, 80 donors each
- 3rd place, McKean High



Above Left: William Penn High School had the most donors among large school participants. Above Right: Lance Flowers and Daira Moses accepted the award for Hodgson VoTech High School.

School, 69 donors

Large Schools (more than 275 seniors):

- First place, William Penn High School, 250 donors
- 2nd place, St. Mark's High School, 197 donors

• 3rd place, Delcastle Technical High School, 171 donors

Other high schools where students and faculties participated in drives included: Ursuline, W. Nottingham, Cab Calloway,

Dickinson, St. Andrews, Howard, Padua, Wilmington Friends, Mt. Pleasant, Hodgson Vo-Tech, AI DuPont, and Concord, all in New Castle County; and Perryville, Elkton, Rising Sun, North East and Bohemia Manor in Cecil County, Md.

"Students provide 8 percent of the blood supply on Delmarva and many of them are first-time donors," said Karen James, Blood Bank spokesperson. "Each student's donation can save the lives of three patients at local hospitals because blood donations can be separated into red cells, platelets and plasma."

The luncheon and awards ceremony also served as the official kick-off to the 2006-07 blood drive season. "In today's society," said James, "heroes and role models are needed more than ever and giving blood is one way for students to be someone else's hero."

Blood Bank of Delmarva is a non-profit program that provides blood for 18 hospitals and 13 renal care centers. More than 75,000 blood donations are needed each year for patients across the Delmarva Peninsula. For more info, visit [www.delmarvablood.org](http://www.delmarvablood.org).

## Interim school board nominees

Christina School District is seeking an interim school board member to fill out the term of Cecilia Scherer for District G. The school board will accept applications through Nov. 3, and interview selected candidates Nov. 9-13. The new member will be selected at the board's next regular meeting on Nov. 14.

Candidates must live in District G. They will serve on Christina's school board through June 2007 and have the option to run in the 2007 election for that seat. Scherer resigned because she has moved out of the district.

Applicants should send a letter of application and a resume indicating their professional

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experience to: President James Durr, christina School Board, Drew Educational Support Center, 600 N. Lombard St., Wilmington DE 19801-4499.

To view a map of District G, visit [www.state.de.us/doe\\_ncc](http://www.state.de.us/doe_ncc). For more information, call the school superintendent's office at 302-552-2653.

## Students learn about breast cancer

The second-graders in Ms. Sierra's class at West Park Elementary School promoted breast cancer awareness in October. "The children discussed cancer," parent Jayne Mitchell-Werbrich said, "and took literature and bright pink balloons home to remind the women in their lives to perform breast self exams every month."



## Careers

### JROTC, from 4

tinely drill to dress-out in complete, layered, fire-fighting gear, including breathing apparatus, as quickly as possible.

Finally, the cadets visited the repair locker for a thorough brief of its contents and function.

"The crew of the James Rankin proved to be excellent ambassadors of the Coast Guard," Husty noted. "As a result of our visit, many cadets have indicated a genuine interest in the Coast Guard as a future career pathway."

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## Socials link home and school

Marshall PTA's first in a series of Family Fun Nights for students, parents and teachers at local McDonald's restaurants was held at the Route 896 McDonald's on Sept. 26. Marshall's principal, Pattie Buchanan, also enjoyed this informal time with students (above right).

Parents are invited to come out and meet their children's friends, classmates and teachers at these socials. "The weather was perfect and attendance was fantastic," said PTA president Christine Verdi. "It was a little bit of organized chaos, but all the students polled responded they were having an awesome time!"

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# Opinion

EDITORIALS COLUMNS • PAGES FROM THE PAST • LETTERS

AMUSED, CONFUSED, BEMUSED

## Universities 2006

By **MARVIN H. HUMMEL**

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

After reading more than 2,000 pages about today's college "scene," I have come to several conclusions that will seem "wild" to some readers and too conservative to others.

One easy way of looking at the modern situation and circumstances is: "There are no differences between when I went to college and now. Booze was always a big deal, and students in my time had to deal with the carpal tunnel syndrome, too. Nothing new. I could tell you stories! And the older timers did! Wow!"



Hummel

If you respond to that argument by quoting current statistics about death-by-drinking and date rape on campus and its environs, the response is immediate: "That kind of stuff always went on; it was just underreported! Now the bottom-feeding media look for trouble to report!" (To a minor extent, that is probably accurate.)

To those well-meaning people who believe that the more things change, the more they stay the same, citing the titles of recent books — "Binge," "Beer and Circus," "Smashed," and "Generation Me" — does not make them waver: "Headline grabbers! Exaggerators!" And if you calmly respond that the problems may be the same, but we elders should understand as best we can and try to help the students through them, the answer has often been: "We got through it! So can they!"

Many of the longtime culprits are still in the modern college world, making it easy to discount the serious differences between then and now; fraternities and sororities, preferential treatment for athletes, unreachable faculty, beer busts and related violence, town-and-gown resentments, hazing, death by drowning (in booze), suspicious fallings-out-of-windows, suicide and, of course, fatal auto accidents.

But there's a difference — although the body collegiate always ran a fever, on many campuses the temperature is now far higher than it used to be, and the blood pressure is way beyond the normal boundaries of "safe." Academic

*A retired clergyman and a teacher since 1972, Hummel has contributed to the Newark Post for more than two decades. He has lived in Delaware since 1959.*

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*Although the body collegiate always ran a fever, on many campuses the temperature is now far higher than it used to be, and the blood pressure is way beyond the normal boundaries of 'safe.' Academic pressures are higher, and to Generation ME students, being 'ordinary' in grades and social acceptance leaves too many in silent despair.”*

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Seasoned, serious writers also claim that parents so often interfere inappropriately that they have been given a general name — "hoverers." Administrators, faculty, and students alike raise the complaint. Everybody's in a bind — the old idea of the college staff being "in loco parentis" is gone — but parents somehow hold the university accountable for their children's failures, disasters, and deaths.

As I read volume after volume, a part of campus life in the "old" days became very conspicuous by its absence — the church and/or any other organized spiritual life. One book did mention students going to church — to an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting in the parish house! Another book also mentioned a chapel where I had frequently worshipped as a graduate student — the writer never claimed he had ever been inside; he merely took his dog for its nightly walk on the chapel's verdant lawn. (It was verdant!)

Some of the colleges cited by the authors were founded by bishops and denominations to make certain the university community had ready access to facilities dedicated to the "spirit." Except for a parish house for young alcoholics to get "cured" of their illness and a chapel's lawn being available to a dog in distress, nothing!

To the serious and concerned writers and the many students they interviewed, the church is a non-factor! Hmmm!

## OUT OF THE ATTIC



This week, "Out of the Attic" features a photo submitted by Barbara Bryant White of Dillwyn Road in Newark. The photo, taken in late 1940s or early 1950s, is of the Continental Diamond Fibre Company complex on South Chapel Street. Continental was later bought and operated by the Budd Company for a number of years before being razed for development as an apartment complex. 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

### Oct. 22, 1931 Saturday's Game Revives Interest in Delaware College Football

As a result of the showing made by the University football team last Saturday in holding the Navy to a close score at Annapolis, the greatest interest in the history of the sport has been aroused at Delaware. Navy defeated the Blue and Gold by the narrow margin of 12 to 7 and that victory only came in the last five minutes of play.

### Newark School to observe American Education Week

The Newark School is planning to observe American Education Week, November 9 to 13, inclusive. This observation is in cooperation with the

State Department of Public Instruction of Delaware, the National Education Association, the United States Office of Education and the American Legion.

The first American Education Week was observed in 1921. The idea of a nation-wide observance of a program planned to interpret the needs, aims, and achievements of the schools to the American Public grew

out of a series of conferences which began in 1919 between the Americanism Commission of the American Legion and officers and committees of the National Education Association.

### Oct. 22, 1986 'Care' network responds to bus crash

Last Wednesday morning started out quietly for the staff of May B. Leasure Elementary School near Bear. As is the case most every morning, Principal Donald Schneck and several teachers stood in front of the school awaiting the arrival of student-filled buses.

Suddenly at 8:45 a.m., the calm was shattered. A car driven by Anthony J. Trotto Jr., 16, of the Village of Canterbury, swerved across a lane of traffic and crashed head-

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



## IN THE NEWS

# Middle school 60 percent done

## ▶ LAND, from 1

Porter Road.

The school board approved the additional purchase and an amendment to the sale agreement reflecting the added parcel less a small portion retained by Reybold for setback requirements. At the most recent school board meeting, the board approved the final version of the agreement to reflect purchase of the original property plus 1.806 acres to provide access to Porter Road.

Kelli Racca, District supervisor of facilities services, told the board that major capital project funds approved for this purpose will be used to close on the purchase and funds also will be taken from the project fund for the new school.

As a result of the failed referendum in January, the District presently has no plans to proceed with construction of the

school building. "We had enough from the prior referendum to do site preparation ready to code," explained Racca. "We will put the construction on hold after settlement in November."

Plans are also on hold for the middle school to be placed in the former AstroPower building on Route 896, as well as an additional 840-student elementary school in the Route 40 area. "The middle school is 60 percent done, but it's not occupiable," said Racca. "We can't finish it until we have more funds."

Racca said the District also requested funds in the 2006 referendum to purchase land for a second elementary school in the rapidly developing Bear-Glasgow area (see related story this page). "We had hoped to purchase a property while open space was still available," Racca explained, adding that the rising cost of land was also a concern.

# Driver killed in crash

## ▶ PAGES, from 6

on into bus No. 87, which was stopped in preparation to turn into the school lane just feet away.

Trotto died in the collision, which occurred directly in front of the school lane entrance on Bear-Corbitt Road. There were no other serious injuries.

# Promoting downtown Newark

As a youth growing up in George Read Village, Ron Baker spent a lot of time on Main Street.

He well remembers the policeman whose presence at the Newark Shopping Center could mean nothing other than another Friday night of shopper-clogged stores, and fondly recalls getting clothes of Inden's and walking to Central Elementary School.

Today, Baker hopes to put his thorough knowledge of the downtown Newark business district to good use. He has been hired as economic development specialist by the Newark Business Association and will be responsible for promoting Main Street and surrounding areas to local shoppers.

Oct. 19, 2001

# Maryland honor for Route 65 service

A joint project between New Castle and Cecil counties has become the first ever Delaware transportation initiative to receive a state of Maryland smart

Growth Award.

Maryland Governor Parris N. Glendening recently presented the awards to 11 "creative, locally-based projects that are successfully reinvigorating their communities."

DART First State was honored for the Route 65 bus service, the first fixed-route transit service between Elkton, Md., and Newark.

# Colonial gets Certificate of Necessity

State releases funding to begin Wrangle Hill school in Bear

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

At their August meeting, the Colonial District school board announced that it had received approval from the Delaware State Board of Education for a Certificate of Necessity for various capitol projects, including construction of the new Wrangle Hill Elementary School in Bear.

The Certificate is for funding in the amount of \$151,114,100, of which the

state's share is \$82,030,300 and Colonial's share is \$39,083,800.

According to a review presented at the July regular meeting by school superintendent George Meney and Karen Thorpe, the District's business director, the District has a shortfall of \$1,650,000 for the Wrangle Hill school, "but we expect to receive more funding later this year or early next fiscal year."

To begin construction of the elementary school, institute full-day kindergarten, and begin renovations at New Castle Middle and McCullough Elementary schools, the District requested authoriza-

tion from the Colonial school board for the sale of the local share of bonds in the amount of \$20,166,800. The bonds were included in the state of Delaware's Bond Bill for fiscal year 2007.

Colonial District also adopted a policy entitled "Financial Responsibility" at its regular school board meeting on Aug. 15. According to information provided by the District, this policy summarizes practices embedded in other administrative policies and procedures and also provides a summary of the foundation on which the District has operated since its beginning.

# Local candidates get less attention

## ▶ UPFRONT, from 1

Statewide candidates get less attention than national ones — especially in a small state like ours where we don't have any of our own local broadcast television stations.

Local candidates get even less. What do you know about the candidates for your county council seat? What do you know about the candidates for your district seat in the General Assembly?

I guess it's possible that some people just vote on party affiliation. I just don't see that being the answer for local issues. If you want potholes fixed on

your road, does it matter where a candidate's party stands on immigration?

Now I know after a long day at work — and taking care of all the additional responsibilities that keep us crazy busy these days — one of the last things you'd want to do is go listen to a bunch of politicians talk. It's not really anybody's idea of a fun night out.

However, if you're going to actually go the poll and vote in November, isn't it better to have a little bit of a clue of what the candidates have to offer?

Yes, there will be stories in our newspaper about all these candidates. That is a great source of information. There's nothing

like being able to interact with candidates in person though. This was the chance to do that.

It's wonderful that the West Chestnut Hill Residents Association took the time and effort to make all these candidates available for the public to hear. It was great that so many candidates took the time to be available.

I know I have a much better idea of how I'm going to vote after spending two hours listening. I just wish more voters had taken advantage.

Of course, maybe they already have their way of deciding how to vote. I just haven't figured it out yet.



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## OUTLOOK

### Help, my homework isn't done!

By CAROL SCOTT

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

In many households, parents and children struggle to manage the demands of a busy schedule with the daily requirement to complete homework. Children at all grade levels are expected to complete homework ranging from math activity drills and spelling words to written reports and projects requiring increased amounts of time in the afternoon or evening. Families also attempt to carve out time for after-school sports, dance and recreational activities to keep fit, stay active and have fun. Juggling after-school activities and homework priorities becomes a daily challenge for families. But there are ways to make this task just a little easier for both kids and parents.

Try these techniques to help manage homework in your house:

- Develop a family homework policy. Decide if homework needs to be completed before recreation, or before a set time, such as dinner. Select a specific time and place to work on homework each day that is free from distraction. (That means no TV on within earshot!)

- Organize the homework space with good lighting, comfortable seating and plenty of extra supplies to limit the time wasted looking for pencils, paper, pencil sharpener, etc.

- Set a time limit for completion of assignments. Find out if your children's teachers agree with a

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## A fall tradition

Go pumpkin, apple picking at nearby Milburn Orchards

By PATRICIA E. LANG

NEWARK POST CONTRIBUTING WRITER

If you're looking for fresh pumpkins, and other fall decorations, such as Indian corn, mums, gourds, etc., check out the nearby Milburn Orchards on Appleton Road. Considering the product is grown right there on the 25 to 30-acre farm, prices are reasonable.

Additionally, Milburn is a pick-it-yourself farm. You can still pick your own (huge) apples during the next two weekends in October. Varieties include Fuji, Muztu and Cameo apples.

A family owned and operated farm since 1902, Milburn Orchards also sells peaches, potatoes and homemade baked goods, jams, jellies, honey, syrups and apple butter.

On Oct. 21 and 22, 28 and 29, Milburn will host "Pumpkin Patch Activities," from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There is an admission fee. Activities include hayrides, corn maze, boo barn, straw jump, live entertainment, demonstrations, barnyard buddies, farmyard playground and the high-in-the-sky "goat walk."

During Trick-or-Treat Weekend, kids in costume can go "trick-or-treating" around the farm. There will be food and refreshments, including Milburn's apple cider donuts (which are to die for), apple pies, apple cider and more.

If you're not up for the activities, it's fun just to watch the many kids and families who use the trip to the orchards as a chance to relax away from "city life."

On a recent visit, children tried to pick up their pumpkins, small little orange gourds and large monsters. A young father patiently held several pumpkins in his arms while his wife rummaged through a red wagon, sorting groceries and making space where the child could sit. The animals are also fun to watch, including a small, grateful, pig energetically wagging his tail as different humans tried to feed him.

Milburn's is located at 1495 Appleton Road in Elkton, Md. For info, call 410-398-1349 or visit [www.milburnorchards.com](http://www.milburnorchards.com).



NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY PATRICIA E. LANG

It's the time of year for pumpkins and hayrides. Last Friday afternoon, many Newark area residents headed to Milburn Orchards on Appleton Road in Elkton, Md., to get their fix of both.





LIFESTYLE

# Harvest party to be held Oct. 31

Sponsored by New Life Christian Fellowship

As a safe alternative to the traditional Halloween trick-or-treat, New Life Christian Fellowship is hosting a Harvest Party on Tuesday, Oct. 31, from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

The event, which is free and open to the public, will be held at

the Cranston Heights Fire Hall in Price's Corner. Children and their families are welcome.

Kathy Beers of New Life Christian Fellowship said activities include candy and food, games and puppets. The purpose, she said, is two-fold: to provide an indoors alternative to traditional Halloween activities and to outreach to the greater com-



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Guests enjoy activities at last year's Harvest Party, hosted by New Life Christian Fellowship.

munity. "We have a heart for the community," said Beers.

New Life Christian Fellowship has been in the area for 25 years, meeting at 2712 Old Milltown Road off Kirkwood Highway since 1985. Beers said about 100 people from all over New Castle County and parts of Pennsylvania regularly attend the church's contemporary and interdenominational services.

For information, call 999-1800 or visit [www.NewLifeDE.org](http://www.NewLifeDE.org).

## Cosmo selects Newark man for magazine

Jud Dean named one of '50 hottest bachelors' in U.S.

Newark resident Jud Dean had a brush with stardom last week when *Cosmopolitan* magazine named him one of its 50 hottest bachelors.

The November issue of the magazine will feature Dean and 49 other "heartthrobs from around the U.S." A press release from the magazine said the "state-by-state stud search" began in the spring of 2006 "with a call to women to nominate their single guy pals, coworkers and relatives for the honor."

"Our Bachelors issue is one of the most anticipated issues for all our single readers, and this year's hunks will not disappoint," said Kate White, *Cosmopolitan's* edi-

tor-in-chief. "Not only are they sizzling hot, but they've each got great unique qualities that really make you want to snatch them up and take them off the market."

Dean, 25, a personal trainer and nutritionist, works at Fusion Fitness Center on Main Street. In his online profile, ([www.cosmopolitan.com](http://www.cosmopolitan.com)) Dean says he is attracted to low-maintenance girls, and describes himself as an optimist.

"I pride myself on having an optimistic, upbeat attitude," he said.

## Homework can be fun routine

### ▶ OUTLOOK, from 8

general guideline known as the "Rule of 10" — allotting 10 minutes of homework per each grade in school: 1st grade 10 minutes, 2nd grade 20 minutes and so on. If your children can't get their tasks completed during this time frame, discuss your concerns with the teacher.

Review assignments with your child to help him or her decide what subject to tackle

first. If math tends to be a challenge, the child may want to consider doing it first, while he or she is fresh. Another child may prefer quickly handling the "easy subjects" before plunging into the more difficult ones.

Help your child with reading directions and offer positive feedback. Remain available to respond to simple questions and re-direct efforts as needed to help maintain focus on the task at hand.

Avoid giving answers at the first sign of frustration but check in with the teacher if your child repeatedly struggles with a concept. Often assignments are listed

in your child's agenda book with space to write notes to the teacher if guidance is needed. Or, if the teacher prefers e-mail contact, send an e-mail requesting extra help.

Turn homework time into an enjoyable routine by rewarding homework completion with a family activity afterward. You could allow your child to select from such options as going to the park, playing table games, or reading a favorite book together. By doing this, you'll be showing your support of academics and sharing quality time with your children.



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- HAUNTED TOUR** 6:30, 7:30, and 8:30 p.m. Tour Haunted Fort Delaware and Pea Patch Island. \$22. Fort Delaware State Park, Delaware City. Info, 834-7941.
- HAUNTED TRAIL** 7 - 10 p.m. Also Oct. 21. For ages 12 and older. \$8. Brandywine Creek State Park, Intersections of Rt. 92 and 100, Greenville. Info, 655-5740.
- PLAY** 8 p.m. Also Oct. 21, 8 p.m. and Oct. 22, 2 p.m. "The Female Odd Couple." Adults \$13, Students \$8. Chapel Street Theater, 27 N. Chapel St., Newark. Info, 368-2248.
- DJ DANCE PARTY** 9:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. Featuring Tom Travers. No Cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.
- LIVE MUSIC** 8-11 p.m. Featuring Chris Gordon playing jazz. Home Grown Café, 126 E. Main, Newark. Info, 266-6993.

## ■ SATURDAY, OCT. 21

- LEA MARKET** 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Rain date is Oct. 22. David Lokey Center, Route 213 South (next to Baker's Restaurant), Elkton, Md. Info, 410-398-9325.
- CONFERENCE** 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. "From Purses to Portfolios: Delaware Women Take Charge of their Money." Includes financial information, continental breakfast, lunch, exhibits and door prizes. Free. Chase Center on the Riverfront, Wilmington. Info, 866-291-6586.
- TEEN PAGEANT** 6 p.m. The Miss Greater Wilmington's Outstanding Teen Pageant. Boscov's Auditorium, Newark. Info, bobby@missgreaterwilmington.org
- ARISH DRIVE** 5 - 7 p.m. and Oct. 22 from 8 a.m. - Noon. The Fall Parish Drive for the Poor and Needy. St. Margaret of Scotland Church, 230 Executive Dr., Suite 8, Newark. Info, 369-8100, ext. 16.
- RAFT FAIR** 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Also Oct. 22. Hand blown glassware, hand-made dolls, custom-made handbags and more. \$4, children under six free.



## WORKS BY MITCH LYONS

Showing now through Nov. 30 at the Dutch Touch Gallery of Newark in the Shoppes at Louviers are clay monoprints by artist Mitch Lyons. Since 1968, Lyons has pioneered work in the development of clay monoprints, a process that involves creating images

directly on slabs of clay. His work has exhibited in Sweden, Germany and throughout the United States. The exhibit is free and open to the public. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

- Hagley Museum, Wilmington. Info, 658-2400.
- WORKSHOPS** 10 a.m. Pumpkin carving and Cider Making. Blacksmithing Workshop from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$10. Delaware Ag Museum, 866 N. Dupont Hwy, Dover. Info, 734-1618.
- HAM & OYSTER DINNER** 3:30, 4:30 and 5:30 p.m. Adults \$16, children 2-12 \$6. (Advanced sales only). Christiana United Methodist Church, 21 W. Main St., Christiana. Info, 456-0567.
- DINNER** 6 - 8 p.m. To benefit Fellowship in Serving the Hungry. Guest speakers, video and silent auction. Donations requested. St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 701 S. College, Newark. Info, 368-0064.
- POKER TOURNAMENT** 6 p.m. Doors open at 5 p.m. Texas Hold 'Em sponsored by Friends for Responsible Pet Care. Pre-registration required. The Poker Room, Four Seasons Shopping Center, Route 896, Newark. Info, 750-6228.
- APPLE BUTTER FESTIVAL** 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Apple butter making, color-

- nial craft demo's, exhibits and more. Sponsored by the Cecil County Farm Museum. Free. Festival held at the Bee Hive historic buildings located west of Fair Hill along Route 273, Elkton, Md. Info, 410-441-4287.
- LIVE MUSIC** 9:30 p.m. Featuring Hollywood & The Band. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.
- LIVE MUSIC** 8-11 p.m. Featuring Chester River Runoff playing traditional Bluegrass. Home Grown Café, 126 E. Main, Newark. Info, 266-6993.
- PARTY** 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Pumpkin painting, magicians, music and lots of food. Free. Commerce Bank, Naamans & Marsh Roads, Wilmington. Info, 478-9404.

## ■ SUNDAY, OCT. 22

- MISSIONARY SPEAKER** 10:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Rev. John Stevenson with Association of Baptists for World Evangelism. Faith Baptist Church, 4210 Limestone Rd., Wilmington. Info, 998-4105.
- COMIC BOOK SHOW** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sports Cards, NASCAR, Beans, and much more. Former MLB Pitcher and 3-time All-Star and League MVP Bobby Shantz signing autographs from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. for \$10. Admission \$2. Aetna Fire Hall, 400 Ogletown Rd., Newark. Info, 559-7962.
- PARTY FAIR** 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. Planning a special celebration? DJ's, florists, caterers, party planners, photographers and more. Free. Temple Beth El, Newark. Info, 366-8330.
- FORESTER DAY** 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. Boy Scout Program for Webelos Scouts to earn their Forester badge. \$4.50. Iron Hill Museum, 1355 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark. Info, 368-5703.
- CONCERT** 3 p.m. Presenting the University Orchestra and the Schola Cantorum Choir. Adults \$12, Students \$3. Mitchell Hall, South College Ave., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

## ■ MONDAY, OCT. 23

- DISCUSSION** 6:45 p.m. New Directions Delaware presents Dr. Daniel Block, on the "Latest Advances in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Bipolar Disorder and SADS." Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Concord Pike,

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## ■ FRIDAY, OCT. 20

- STRENGTH TRAINING** 9 - 10 a.m.  
Mondays; 6:45 - 7:45 p.m. Tues. and Thurs.; 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. Wed. and Fri.  
Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

## ■ SATURDAY, OCT. 21

- 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.

## ■ MONDAY, OCT. 23

- SIERRA CLUB** 7 p.m. Informative program on various topics including Recycling, Global Warming, VX update and more. Newark Senior Center, Evergreen Room, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 286-0642.

- NEWARK AAUW** 7:30 p.m. Faye Whittle, active with Prison Fellowship, will speak. First Presbyterian Church, 292 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 731-4724.

- SCIENCE SERIES** 7 - 9 p.m. Mondays in October. This week: "Exploring the Limits of Science," presented by Dr. Kate Rogers, Philosophy professor at UD. Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 420 Willa Rd., Newark. Info, 368-2984.

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

- GUARDIANS' SUPPORT** 6 - 8 p.m. Mondays. Meeting for grandparents and all those raising others' children.

- Children & Families First, 62 N. Chapel St. Info, 658-5177, ext. 260.

- NEWARK ROTARY CLUB** 6:15 - 7:30 p.m. Mondays. 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.

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

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

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

- PANIC RELIEF** 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Mondays or 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. New group forming in Newark area - overcome your fears, anxiety, and agoraphobia and achieve positive self-image. If you are interested in attending these meetings, please contact PRI 732-940-9658.

- TUESDAY, OCT. 24**

- 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.

- 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.

- WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25**

- TAI CHI** 9:30 a.m. Wednesdays through Oct. Integrate mind, body, and spirit using techniques developed by the ancient Chinese. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New

## MEETINGS

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

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

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

- ADULTS WITH ADHD** 7:30 p.m. Fourth Tuesday. Support group meets at New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info, 737-5063.

- BUT YOU LOOK SO GOOD!** 7 - 9 p.m. Fourth Tuesday. Grace Lutheran Church, Graves Road, Newport Gap Pike, Hockessin. Info, 994-3897.

- EATING DISORDER SUPPORT GROUP** 7 - 8:30 p.m. Fourth Tuesday. Free and open to the public. Trinity Presbyterian Church, Naaman's and Darley Roads, Wilmington. Info, 475-1880.

- UNSCHOOLERS & OTHERS** 7 p.m. Fourth Tuesday. Parents meet. Group also holds activities for homeschool families. Kirkwood Library. Info, 322-5950.

- WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25**

- TAI CHI** 9:30 a.m. Wednesdays through Oct. Integrate mind, body, and spirit using techniques developed by the ancient Chinese. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New

- Castle, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- ANXIETY DISORDER** 6:15 - 7:30 p.m. Second & fourth Wednesday. Support group sponsored by Mental Health Association in Delaware. To maintain the privacy of members, support group locations not published. Info, 765-9740.

- PARENT/EDUCATOR SUPPORT GROUP** 7:30 p.m. Fourth Wednesday. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St.

- ADULTS WITH ADHD SUPPORT GROUP** 7:30 p.m. Fourth Wednesday. Newcomers meet at 7 p.m. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St.

## ■ THURSDAY, OCT. 26

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

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

- LET'S DANCE CLUB** 4 - 6 p.m. Thursdays. Features ballroom and line dancing. Free. Meets at Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.

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

- EVENING YOGA** 6:15 p.m. Thursdays. Class to encourage relaxation and improve strength, balance, and peace of mind. \$15 per month. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

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

- DIVORCECARE** 7 - 8:30 p.m. Thursdays.

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  - 18 Jagger and Jones
  - 20 Snapshot
  - 21 Mediterranean port
  - 22 Actress Paquin
  - 23 Home, to Hopalong?
  - 24 Poet Conrad
  - 25 Escalator stocks ...
  - 29 Exhausted
  - 31 Aye opponent
  - 32 "Bolero" composer
  - 33 Pigeon English?
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  - 37 "I could — horse!"
  - 38 Read quickly
  - 42 Mining shares ...
  - 46 Tolkien creation
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  - 49 Notes from Verdi?
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  - 5 Overwrought
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  - 7 Author Morrison
  - 8 Mikita or Musial
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  - 35 Logging-camp feature
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  - 39 Metal measure
  - 40 — la Cite
  - 41 Lady of the house
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  - 60 Press one's point
  - 63 Poppins' portrayer
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  - 67 Actor Wallace
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  - 77 Slip by
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  - 81 "Aladdin" frame
  - 83 Carrie or Louis
  - 84 Opening
  - 85 EMT's skill
  - 88 Shade
  - 92 "— Fire" ('85 hit)
  - 93 Turkish titles
  - 95 "Guys and Dolls" author
  - 96 Coup d'—
  - 97 Cleanliness
  - 98 "Unto us — is given"
  - 100 Schedule
  - 102 People from Prague
  - 107 Take a taxi
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**MEETINGS, from 10**

Separated/divorced persons meet. Southern Chester County YMCA, East Baltimore Pike, Jennersville, Pa. Info., 610-869-2140.

**NEWARK MORNING ROTARY** 7 - 8:15 a.m. Thursdays. Meeting and breakfast.

The Blue & Gold Club, Newark. Info, 737-1711 or 737-0724.

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

**GRIEFSHARE** 7 p.m. Thursdays. Seminar and support group for those who have

lost someone close to them. Union United Methodist Church, 345 School Bell Rd., Bear. Info, 737-5040.

**DSI THUMBS UP** 7 - 8 p.m. Second & fourth Thursday. Stroke support group meeting offering educational topics, peer support and guests who are experts in rehabilitative services. Sponsored by Delaware

Stroke Initiative. Free. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Info, 633-9313.

**TOASTMASTERS** 7 p.m. Second and fourth Thursday. Develop potential and overcome fear of public speaking. Public welcome. Check info desk for room location. Union Hospital, 106 Bow St. Info, 443-553-5358.

**BRIGHT FUTURES** 1 p.m. Second and fourth Thursday. Breast cancer support group. Medical Arts Pavilion 2, Christiana Hospital. Info, 733-3900.

**COLONIAL STATES KNITTERS** 7 p.m. Fourth Thursday. Limestone Medical Center, Room 005, Limestone Road. Info, 994-2869.



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IN THE NEWS

# HD symposium to be held Friday, Oct. 27

► HUNTINGTON'S, from 1

Disease (HD) several years ago at the suggestion of others in the field.

HD is a genetic brain disorder usually appearing in people between the ages of 30 and 50. The disease is inherited, but symptoms and severity can vary within a family.

Though similar to the more well-known diseases of Parkinson's and Alzheimer's, HD can be more devastating. "There is an early-life component to Huntington's," said Kmiec. "You can be born with this genetic abnormality, and, when you reach the age of 30 or 35, you can suddenly start to have symptoms."

Early symptoms include mood swings, depression, irritability, trouble driving or remembering a fact and involuntary muscle movements. As neurons in the brain degenerate, symptoms worsen with a loss of mental faculties and physical control.

The disease, which has no cure, usually progresses over a 10- to 25-year period and results in death from complications, such as heart failure and suffocation.

For Kmiec and Parekh-Olmedo, scientific research took on a more personal side when they visited a New York area health center that specializes in caring for HD patients. There, they met patients and their families, seeing firsthand how devastating the disease can be.

There was the mother with three young children at different stages of the disease; a former

professional ballet dancer, now in his 70s, that had been admitted to the center at age 35.

"It's one of those moments that makes you happy you're doing this, but, at the same time, you realize it isn't just about publishing the paper," said Kmiec.

They decided to take a more active role in advocacy and education, forming the Delaware Affiliate of the Huntington's Disease Society of America. There was a "groundswell" of support for the group from patients and families in the region, said Kmiec.

This year, the group is hosting a free, half-day symposium

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Right: Michael Skogen and Jen Roth, graduate students at the University of Delaware, research the effects of synthetic DNA molecules on neurons that are dying as a result of Huntington's Disease. Below: Sarah Yerkes, a senior biology major at the University of Delaware, works in a lab dedicated to researching Huntington's Disease.



for health care professionals, patients, their families and friends and caregivers about HD. Topics include the therapeutics research being done here in Newark, the

psychological effects of the disease and financial planning for long term care.

Education is important, but it's the research that may bring break-

through in treatment. A team of two graduate students and several undergraduates are dedicated to the project and collaborating with leading laboratories. The research looks at synthetic DNA molecules that seem to be able to rescue dying neurons and analyzes how these synthetic molecules – or therapeutics – work, said Kmiec.

"I think the community has noticed us. I think we have some very exciting results. We have a good, good group of students working on this. They're very aggressive and committed," he said.

One of those students, senior biology major Sarah Yerkes, has her own connection to HD. Her grandfather died from the disease

and her mother has tested positive for it, though she's non-symptomatic.

This connection, said Yerkes, gives her "more fuel for the fire" when doing lab work. "I always have it in the back of my mind," she said.

The Huntington's Disease Symposium will be held on Friday, Oct. 27, starting at 8:30 a.m., at the Helen F. Graham Cancer Center at 4701 Ogletown-Stanton Road in Newark. The event is free and open to the public. For information or to pre-register, call 301-777-0722 or 831-342.

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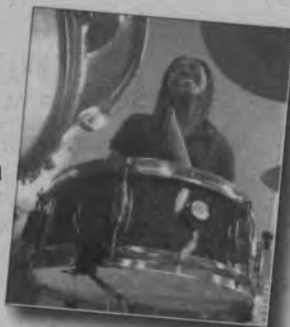
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**IN THE NEWS**

**EVENTS, from 10**

Wilmington. Info, 286-1161.

**TUESDAY, OCT. 24**

**FORUM** 7-9 p.m. Hear from candidates in the Nov. 7 election running for 23rd or 25th State Representative District, U.S. Senator, or Representative in Congress. UUFN's MacKinnon Hall, 420 Willa Rd., Newark. Info, 737-4546.

**CONCERT** 8 p.m. The Delaware Symphony Orchestra presents Champagne Chamber Series. \$40. Champagne and petit fours at intermission. Grand Opera House, Wilmington. Info, 800-374-7263.

**COURSE** 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. Intro to Freelance Writing. \$60. The Gibby Center, 51 W. Main St., Middletown. Info, 378-1200.

**SEMINAR** Noon. And 6 p.m. Long Term Care Planning presented by Poland & Sullivan Insurance. 106 Haines St., Newark. Info, 738-3535.

**CONCERT** 8 p.m. UD Dept of Music Alumni Concerts in celebration of the

opening of the Center for the Arts. \$12. Gore Recital Hall, Orchard Rd., Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25**

**WORKSHOP** 6 p.m. "Fibromyalgia & Chronic Fatigue," presented by Corrective Chiropractic. 7503A Lancaster Pike, Hockessin. Info, 234-1115.

**ISRAELI DANCING** 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. \$4. Arden Gild Hall, 2406 Granby Rd., Wilmington. Info, 478-7257.

**GARDENING WORKSHOP** 7 - 9 p.m. Two-part Master Gardener Workshop. Make over your yard. \$35. Fischer Greenhouse, Route 896, Newark. Info, 831-2667.

**DISCUSSION** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Forum for manufactured home owners who live in a land-lease community. Delaware Tech Campus, Room A116, 400 Stanton-Christiana Rd., Newark. Info, 674-5868.

**AUTUMN CRAFT** 6:30 - 7:45 p.m. Paint and trim a wooden pumpkin. For Ages 8-12. \$12. The Gibby Center, 51 W. Main St., Middletown. Info, 378-1200.

**BULLY SAFE WORKSHOP** 5 - 6 p.m.

Also Oct. 26, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Geared to meet the needs of children, teens and parents facing bullying situations in our schools and communities. Free, pre-registration is required. American Karate Studios, 16 Polly Drummond Center, Newark. Info, 737-9500.

**LIVE MUSIC** 8 - 11 p.m. Featuring Flamenco Guitarist Bill Belcher. Home

Grown Café, 126 E. Main, Newark. Info, 266-6993.

**THURSDAY, OCT. 26**

**NOONTIME CONCERT** 12:30 p.m. Women's Sekere Ensemble, folk music from Africa. \$2 donation. First & Central Presbyterian Church, 1101 Market St.,

Wilmington. Info, 654-5371.

**MUG NIGHT** 9:30 p.m. Featuring Lost in Paris. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**DISCUSSION** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. An evening of conversation, inspiration and healing for survivors of domestic violence. Westminster Presbyterian Church, Wilmington. Info, 428-6521.



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# On Campus

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## BRIEFLY

### Leadership lecture features UD grads

The fall 2006 Chaplin Tyler Executive Leadership Lecture, sponsored by UD's Alfred Lerner College of Business and Economics, will feature Debra Layton Harvey, a 1977 UD graduate, and E. Thomas Harvey III, a 1975 UD graduate, who will speak on "The Dynamics of a Successful Family Business," at 3 p.m., Friday, Oct. 20, in 125 Alfred Lerner Hall, Orchard Road. Those wishing to attend are asked to call the college's Graduate & Executive Programs office at 831-2221.

### 'One on One' exhibit

"One on One: Image & Response," the current art exhibition featuring selected works from the Paul R. Jones Collection of African American Art, opened Wednesday, Oct. 18, in the galleries of Mechanical Hall, North College Avenue and Main Street, on the University of Delaware's Newark campus.

In keeping with the theme of artwork-viewer interaction, the exhibition, in addition to highlighting selected works from the Paul R. Jones Collection of African American Art, also features commentary on the works by 20 different writers who responded to what they saw.

Responses to the works, because they were drawn from the same broad demographic of viewers who might typically take in a show, range from emotional, gut reactions to cooler musings that focus on historical and sociological aspects.

The complete text of the responses, along with reproductions of the selected works, is reproduced in the exhibition booklets.

Mechanical Hall gallery hours are from 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays; from 11 a.m.-8 p.m., Wednesdays; and from 1-4 p.m., Saturdays and Sundays, closed Mondays.

For more information on either the opening reception or the exhibition, call 831-4075, or go to [www.udel.edu/museums](http://www.udel.edu/museums).

## Three honored at UD for public service

George "Bud" Malone, University of Delaware poultry scientist and extension poultry specialist, John Talley, director of the Delaware Geological Survey (DGS), and Kevin Vonck, senior research assistant and deputy state water coordinator, received the 2006 Ratledge Family Awards for Delaware Public Service on Oct. 5.

The Ratledge family established the award to recognize the contributions of University of Delaware community members to the well-being of all Delawareans. The \$1,000 award is intended to encourage and recognize significant public service by faculty, staff and students.

Malone is a recognized leader in applied poultry research and is in high demand as a public speaker. A poultry expert at UD for 31 years, Malone's research has instituted creative and innovative solutions to environmental issues associated with poultry production. Poultry areas nationwide are implementing Malone's idea to use trees around poultry houses as filters from dust, ammonia and noise. During Delaware's avian flu outbreak in 2004, Malone developed a successful strategy for containing the virus and reducing human exposure to the virus.

Talley has worked for DGS and UD for 34 years. He is highly



From left: John Talley, Kevin Vonck and George Malone.

regarded and recognized for his research related to the applied geology, hydrology and geologic hazards through Delaware. Talley is an expert on water issues pertaining to the occurrence, availability, quantity and quality of ground water, as well as surface water resources. He has served on many boards, committees and task forces for state, municipal, University and federal agencies, including the Delaware Water

Supply Coordinating Council and the U.S. Department of Interior's Outer Continental Shelf Advisory Committee.

Kevin Vonck was the youngest person and only UD student ever elected to the Newark City Council. While on council, Vonck established programs to enhance the relations between students and residents and promoted policies to increase pedestrian, bicycle and public safety awareness.

Vonck graduated from UD in 2001, received a master of public administration degree in 2003 and is currently working on a doctorate in urban affairs and public policy. As a research assistant in the Water Resources Agency at UD, Vonck made significant contributions to the quality of life in Delaware and increased awareness of the critical need for effective environmental governance.

## 'Operation Homecoming' gives troops a voice

A new book published in September gives an unfiltered voice to the American soldiers on the ground in Iraq and Afghanistan, as well as to their families back home. "Operation Homecoming: Iraq, Afghanistan, and the Home Front, in the Words of U.S. Troops and Their Families" was published by Random House in conjunction with the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA). The project brought together soldiers recently returned from Iraq and Afghanistan and prominent writers from around the country, including the University of Delaware's McKay Jenkins, Cornelius A. Tilghman Sr. Professor of English.

Jenkins said more than 6,000 GIs participated in the NEA's Operation Homecoming, which received more than 2,000 manuscripts including memoirs, fiction and poetry totaling about 12,000 pages. It was an eye-opening out-

pouring of prose. "I don't think anyone had any idea how popular this would be when it started out," he said.

Jenkins both trained the soldier-authors and was part of an editing team that helped winnow the works down to about 100 pieces selected for inclusion in the book. He conducted a writing workshop two years ago for about 75 troops at Fort Drum, N.Y., home of the famed 10th Mountain Division, about which he had written in the book *The Last Ridge*, which detailed the unit's heroism during World War II.

The result of the NEA's Operation Homecoming, Jenkins said, is a book that provides an honest and unvarnished look at war from those most directly involved. "Every kind of voice involved in a war is included," he said.

The concept behind Operation Homecoming originated in a con-



UD PHOTO BY KATHY F. ATKINSON

McKay Jenkins, Cornelius A. Tilghman Sr. Professor of English at UD

versation between the acclaimed poet Marilyn Nelson, who was teaching English at UD at the time, and Dana Gioia, NEA chairman, at a conference of state poets laureate in 2003. The con-

versation turned to the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, and the very different worlds of literature and military service, and resulted in a project that combines the two.



IN THE NEWS

# \$48 million center has four concert halls

► CFA, from 1

The new practice rooms are just one of many upgrades music and theater students returned to this fall semester with the

opening of the new \$48 million Center for the Arts on Orchard Road.

The 92,000 square-foot facility is also home to the 450-seat Thompson Theatre,

the 200-seat Gore Recital Hall, a studio theater and Puglisi Orchestra Hall, which is large enough to seat indoor practices of the University of Delaware's Marching Band.

The building has many large windows and a bright, open feel. The lobby, which doubles as a venue for events, has carpeted and hardwood floor surfaces and a large glass display case now showing pieces from UD's Mineralogical Museum.

The center's most important feature — its acoustic design — is heard but not seen. Each

performance and practice space floats as a separate box within the building through acoustic isolation joints. Additionally, the spaces have design elements such as angled walls, curved and coffered ceilings and individual reflectors to transmit sound effectively.

Donnelly's office oversees the performance schedule for the facility. The university's music and theater programs get highest priority. "Beyond that, the space is available for rent," he said.

Donnelly said he has had inquiries from community groups about using the new performance

spaces but has not booked any programs. "We're certainly eager to have the community involved," he said.

The Center for the Arts will host an open house for the Newark community this Sunday, Oct. 22, from 1 to 3 p.m. The center is located along Orchard Road, just west of Kent Way and near the Amy E. Dupont building.

-By Christine Neff

## Leaf burning prohibited in Delaware

With autumn leaves beginning to fall, DNREC'S Air Quality Management Section is reminding Delaware residents that burning leaves is prohibited statewide.

The leaf burning ban, in effect since February 1995, is important to protect people, animals and plants from harmful chemicals that are produced by open burning, according to the agency.

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## IN THE NEWS

▶ **BLOTTER, from 2**

stolen from inside, police were told on Monday, Oct. 9, at 10:34 a.m.

A van parked in the **unit block of W. Cleveland Avenue** was damaged when a person was thrown against the vehicle during a fight, police were told on Sunday, Oct. 8, at 12:27 p.m.

A bullet was found to have pierced the window of a Honda parked in the **unit block of Aylesboro Road**, causing minor damage and paint chipping, police were told on Sunday, Oct. 15, at 4:20 p.m.

An unknown suspect smashed the windshield of a Toyota parked at the **corner of Annabelle Street and Margaret Street**, police were told on Sunday, Oct. 15, at 12:07 p.m.

A 76-year-old Newark resident told police on Sunday, Oct. 15, at 9:15 a.m., that unknown vandals had written obscenities on his car with marker and smeared soap on the hood and driver's side door and window. The car was parked

in **unit block of Welsh Tract Road**.

A Ford pickup truck was stolen from a parking lot in the **100 block of Lovett Avenue**, police were told on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 3:37 a.m.

An unknown suspect shattered the driver's side window of a vehicle parked in the **unit block of Mopar Drive**, stealing a purse and wrapped gift from inside, police were told on Friday, Oct. 13, at 5:35 p.m.

The windows of two vehicles parked in the **unit block of Madison Drive** were broken, police were told on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 11:40 p.m.

An Acura Integra was reported missing from the **200 block of E. Main Street**, on Monday, Oct. 9, at 7:02 a.m.

### Alcohol, noise law violations detailed

The Alcohol Enforcement Unit and other officers of the Newark Police Department continued their stepped-up, strict enforce-

ment of alcohol and noise related laws last week.

Some of the recent arrests include:

**Thomas M. Coombes**, 22, of Newark, noise law violation, on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 12:27 a.m., in the 300 block of S. College Avenue;

**Ryan J. McGinnes**, 20, of Hockessin, underage possession of alcohol, on Sunday, Oct. 8, at 12:35 a.m., in the unit block of Kells Avenue;

**Jeffrey David Buhrman**, 19, of Newark, underage consumption of alcohol, on Sunday, Oct. 8, at 12:20 a.m., in the 400 block of Wollaston Avenue;

**Robert McVey**, 19, of Lewes, underage consumption of alcohol and possession of an open container of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 7, at 11:50 p.m., on S. Chapel Street near Continental Avenue;

**Paul L. Cox**, 20, of Middletown, underage consumption of alcohol and possession of open container of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 7, at 11:29 p.m., on N. College Avenue near W. Cleveland Avenue;

**Matthew Conor Brown**, 18, of Newark, noise law violation, on Monday, Oct. 16, at 12:07 a.m., in the 200 block of Beverly Road;

**Kristen Marie Temple**, 24, of Newark, and **Sara J. Clingerman**, 22, of Newark, possession of an open container of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 5 p.m., on a sidewalk in the 700 block of

Academy Street;

**Philip William Galloway**, 22, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., **Kyle J. Malin**, 21, of Hockessin, **Ryan M. Ganlas**, 21, of Newark, **Mark B. Werrell**, 21, of Newark and **Zachary John Scholl**, 22, of Center Valley, Pa., disorderly premises, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 3:30 p.m., in the unit block of N. Chapel Street;

**Craig M. Steigarwalt**, 22, of Bowmanstown, Pa., possession of open container of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 2:50 p.m., on the sidewalk in the unit block of N. Chapel Street;

**Kathryn Bennett**, 19, of Newark, underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 2:20 p.m., on E. Park Place at Manuel Street;

**John Douglas Morton**, 19, of Middletown, underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 2 p.m., on Academy Street at Waterworks Lane;

**Mario A. Tenore**, 19, of Ortley Beach, N.J., underage consumption of alcohol and possession of an open container, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 2:07 p.m., on E. Park Place at Manuel Street;

**Daniel John O'Connell**, 21, of Newark, disorderly conduct, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 2:01 p.m., in the unit block of W. Park Place;

**Colleen M. Macbride**, 19, of Morristown, N.J., and **Jennifer A. Dispirito**, 19, of Moorestown, N.J., underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at

1:35 p.m., on Courtney Street at Academy Street;

**Grant Aaron Golin**, 19, of Manasquan, N.J., underage consumption of alcohol and disorderly conduct, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 1:40 p.m., in the 100 block of S. Chapel Street;

**Thomas J. Watson**, 22, of Barrington, N.J., and **Paul J. Quirk**, 18, of Rising Sun, Md., underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 1:15 p.m., in the 400 block of Wollaston Avenue;

**Dylan Michael Kautz**, 20, of Columbia, Pa., disorderly premises, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 11:42 a.m., in the unit block of Annabelle Street;

**Jessy A. Lopez**, 18, of Wilmington, **Miguel A. Rodriguez**, 19, of Wilmington, five 16-year-olds and one 17-year-old, underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 12:43 a.m., in the 200 block of Wilson Road;

**Kyle G. Fahner**, 21, of Montville, N.J., noise law violation, on Friday, Oct. 13, at 1:07 a.m., in the 100 block of W. Main Street;

**Elizabeth R. Cillo**, 20, of Colonia, N.J., noise law violation, on Thursday, Oct. 12, at 11:37 p.m., in the 100 block of W. Main Street;

Police said all were released pending court appearances.

## Party vendor expo this Sunday

Temple Beth El will host a Party Fair on Sunday, Oct. 22, from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in their social hall, 301 Possum Park Rd., Newark. Meet Dj's, photographers, caterers, banquet managers, balloon

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# Next forum to be Oct. 24

► **FORUM, from 3**

security, public schools, health-care and the criminal justice system, he said, and has a growing impact on small states like Delaware. Ting said he supports a physical barrier to secure the southern border.

For Libertarian candidate William E. Morris, the "elephant in the living room" is federal debt and spending. Morris said he would support cutting government grants to reduce the federal debt load for future generations.

At the state level, candidates for treasurer (incumbent

Jack Markell and Republican Stell Parker Selby), state auditor (incumbent Tom Wagner and Democrat Michael John Dalto) and attorney general (Republican Ferris Wharton) spoke.

Two candidates vying to represent Newark area residents in State Representative District 25 rounded out the event. Democrat John Kowalko gave his "vision" for an affordable Delaware. He named energy and healthcare costs as concerns and called single payer — or universal — healthcare a "practical approach...whose time has come."

St. Rep. Stephanie Ulbrich,

R-25, spoke on the importance of being in touch with her constituents and responding to their concerns. "I represent you. That's the most important interest group. You are the interest group," she said.

On Tuesday, Oct. 24, candidates for State Representative Districts 23 and 25, U.S. Senator and U.S. Representative will speak at a candidate forum at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Newark on Willa Road. The forum starts at 7 p.m.

# Emergency response discussed

► **RESPONSE, from 3**

Turner. And, after the incident, DEMA works 24 hours a day, as needed, to assess damage and provide services — including food and water — to victims.

Several residents asked Turner how DEMA responds to no-notice emergencies, such as chemical spills, and how the Newark area could be evacuated if needed.

Turner said, in case of spills and leaks, DEMA assesses the level of toxicity and whether or not an evacuation is necessary. Sometimes, he said, it's safer for residents to stay inside their homes, closing all doors and windows, than to try to escape the fumes.

A full evacuation of New Castle County would be extremely difficult because of traffic congestion, said Turner, but DEMA has evacuation plans. The most important part, he said, is communicating with residents about exactly where to go and how to

get there.

Turner also spoke to the possibility of a pandemic flu affecting the region. In case of a flu outbreak, residents may need to be homebound — even working from home — for up to several weeks at a time, he said. "There's a lot of work being done in government and business to deal with

that issue," said Turner.

At the home level, Turner advised families to create an emergency kit and store food and water in case of crises. Families should map out and practice emergency evacuation plans and keep copies of important documents in a sealed plastic bag, he said.

## Guide to Delaware art available

The Art Guide, a semi-annual pocket-sized resource to the art scene in Delaware and nearby Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland is now available for free to the public.

The full scope of art offerings are featured including art exhibits, concerts, independent films, arts festivals, poetry readings, and theater productions.

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- Stephanie is a long-time sponsor of the Brookside Baseball League, and traditionally throws out the first pitch of the season.
- In response to residents' concerns, Stephanie obtained funding for significant improvements to bridges in Arbour Park and outside Windy Hills.
- Stephanie volunteers her time and energy as a board member of the Epilepsy Foundation and Exceptional Care for terminally ill children.
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# Sports

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## Brawl was a disgrace

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

In more than twenty years of covering a variety of sports at all levels, I don't think I've ever seen a spectacle like the incident involving the University of Miami and Florida International this past weekend.

Now I don't wish to indict either team, but I feel something must be done to prevent scenes like we witnessed on television from ever occurring again.

We've all seen bench-clearing basebrawls, wicked fights during ice hockey games, fisticuffs on the basketball court, and even violence on and off the field at this summer's World Cup Soccer tournament.

Several years ago, I even witnessed a youth soccer game "terminated" by the official because after the fighting on the field was settled, a group of parents decided to get into the action, and began beating up on each other. Where will it all end?

I was truly appalled to see one of the football players take off his protective helmet and start beating on opposing player.

It was also disgusting to see a player kick an opponent several times, and then step on his leg when he was down on the ground. This is absolutely disgraceful and reprehensible.

In one man's opinion, the 31 players should receive more than a one game suspension. As a television commentator said, all of the players and coaches involved should receive stiffer penalties. If anything like this ever occurs again, they should be done for the season or perhaps their careers, depending on the severity of the infractions.

Last but not least, the schools should be disciplined, and any recurrence should result in the suspension or termination of the program.

Just think, if the football program is lifted, then perhaps other programs, such as track and field, tennis, volleyball, etc., could receive more funding.

None of this may ever happen,



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY WILLIAM LINDSEY

Newark High's Brandon Norwood races around left end during Friday night's win over Wilmington Charter.

## Newark romps to win

Jackets thump Charter to even record at 3-3

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A resurgent offensive line played their best game of the 2006 season in leading Newark to a 42-13 Flight A victory over Charter Friday night at Hoffman Stadium.

Newark evened its overall record to 3-3, and raised its conference mark to 2-1.

"Right now we need to win all of our Flight A Conference games," said Newark offensive lineman Bryan Perkins. "Our line has been clicking in practice, and it showed in the game what we can do, and we're getting more confident with each game."

Crisp line blocking led the way all night for running back Brandon Norwood, who ran for 170 yards and scored three touchdowns.

The Jackets offense exploded for four touchdowns in the first quarter. Norwood helped set the tempo early by bolting for an 84-yard score at 9:07.

Two minutes later, quarterback Jared Keith found Marc Tiberi in the end zone for a 14-0 lead.

Kenny Chandler then polished off a four-play drive with a 17-yard TD run, before Norwood scored his second touchdown of the first quarter with 20 ticks left on the clock.

The second quarter was all Newark, as Norwood tallied his third of the night at the 10:04 mark, and put the game on a running clock.

Jason Worden scored on a two-yard run with about 26 seconds left until half to build a 42-0 lead.

Charter finally got on the board with seven seconds remaining after Worden's touchdown, when Force senior Jay Campbell scored on a 92-yard kickoff return.

See **BACKER, 21** ▶

See **NEWARK, 22** ▶



## IN THE NEWS

# Blue Hens earn Homecoming win over Hofstra

The University of Delaware scored on its first drive of the game and the team's much-maligned defense came up with its best effort of the season as the Blue Hens posted a 10-6 football victory over Hofstra Saturday afternoon at Delaware Stadium.

The Blue Hens (3-3), who had lost two straight games by three points each, also snapped a two-game home losing streak and downed Atlantic 10 foe Hofstra for the first time at Delaware Stadium since 1996. Despite the game matching two Atlantic 10 opponents, the game did not count in the league standings. A Homecoming crowd of 21,688 fans saw the Hens avenge a Homecoming loss by an identical 10-6 score to Hofstra in 2005.

Hofstra, led by first-year head coach Dave Cohen, who served the previous five seasons as Delaware's defensive coordinator, continued its string of close losses as the Pride fell to 2-4. Hofstra has lost three of its last four games with the three losses coming by a combined total of just 11 points.

Delaware's defense, which entered the game having allowed an average of 39.5 points and 492.5 yards per game over the last two outings, held the Pride in check all day. The Blue Hens, who had four key defensive players return to action after lengthy injuries, held the Pride to just 14 first downs and 262 total yards, posted five sacks, and intercepted a pass. Delaware came up with its biggest stop 3:24 left when quarterback Anton Clarkson was halted for no gain on a fourth and one play from the Blue Hen 27-yard line.

The defensive struggle saw the two teams combine for just 34 first downs and 529 yards and neither team scored in the second half. Delaware held an opponent without a touchdown for the first time since the 40-0 win over Colgate in the 2003 NCAA I-AA championship game. Hofstra failed to score a touchdown for the first time since a 24-0 loss to Rhode Island in 2003.

"This would have been really difficult not to have won this game after how hard we prac-

ted all week," said Delaware head coach K.C. Keeler, who improved to 27-6 all-time at Delaware Stadium. "This was the best defense we played all year. We got some kids back on defense this week and that made a huge difference. You could see how much better we played with those guys in there. We got a good pass rush and made less mistakes and that was huge."

Delaware quarterback Joe Flacco hit on 20 of 29 passes for 168 yards and threw a seven-yard touchdown strike to tight end Robbie Agnone on the Hens' first drive of the game to give UD the lead for good. Kervin Michaud rushed for a team-high 58 yards while Ben Patrick caught eight passes for 72 yards.

Linebacker Erik Johnson led the defensive effort as he posted a career-high 12 tackles and was in on two quarterback sacks. The Hens played for the second straight game without leading rusher and All-American running back Omar Cuff, who injured his knee in a 52-49 loss to New Hampshire Sept. 30 and aggra-

vated the injury in car accident early in the week.

Hofstra's Clarkson hit 16 of 26 passes for 182 yards and was intercepted on the final play of the game by Delaware's Garrett Schultz. Kareem Huggins ran for 58 yards while Charles Sullivan caught six passes for 78 yards. Leading receiver Shaine Smith, who entered the game with averages of seven catches and a NCAA-leading 122.6 yards per game, was limited to just four catches for 73 yards.

The Blue Hens took the opening kickoff and drove 85 yards on 14 plays, capping the drive with the seven-yard scoring toss from Flacco to Agnone with 8:15 left in the opening stanza.

Hofstra cut the lead to 7-6 on two Rob Zarrilli field goals, the first a 22-yarder with 4:32 left in the opening quarter and the second a 34-yarder with 13:13 left in the first half. The second score was set up when Chris Sebald intercepted a Flacco pass at the 35-yard line and the Pride drove 60 yards for the score. Delaware then took a 10-7 lead into half-

time when Zach Hobby converted a 22-yard field with just 24 seconds left before halftime to cap a 16-play, 81-yard drive.

Both teams had just one real scoring opportunity in the second half but both failed. Zarrilli had his 42-yard field goal attempt with 6:54 left in the third quarter blocked by Justin Johnson, just his fourth miss in his last 34 attempts over the last two seasons for the Pride.

Delaware squandered its chance to put the game away when backup quarterback Ryan Carty was hit by Al Carmody and fumbled at the Hofstra one-yard line with 8:35 left to play and Gian Villante recovered.

Carty was in the game for just his second play as Flacco was bothered by a knee injury suffered in the first half. After Carty's fumble, Hofstra drove to the Delaware 27-yard line thanks to a 45-yard pass from Clarkson to Smith on a third down play. But Delaware held on, stopping Clarkson for no gain on the critical fourth and one play in the final minutes to preserve the win.

## St. Mark's football cruises by Christiana High

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Senior quarterback Scott Wallace threw for four touchdowns to three different receivers, to lead St. Mark's to a 38-20 non-conference victory over Christiana Saturday afternoon on the Spartan's home field in Pike Creek.

The Spartans scored in each quarter, posting 17 points in the

first period to forge a commanding lead they would not relinquish on the cool, breezy, autumn afternoon.

Wallace got the aerial attack moving with a 10-yard TD pass to senior Jeff Kaczmarczyk. After Kyle Sullivan kicked a 37-yard field goal, Wallace again found the range, hitting Jamie Hagan with a 24-yard scoring strike.

Christiana's offense finally got untracked when Dallas Brown found pay dirt from six yards

out.

Quarterback Ryan Scully then hit Brown for a two-point conversion to cut the lead to 17-8.

St. Mark's kept up the offensive pressure throughout the second quarter, and eventually increased the lead to 24-8 before halftime, when Wallace again found Kaczmarczyk open on a 14-yard touchdown pass.

Christiana began to counterattack in the third quarter by moving the ball on the ground and

mixing in an occasional pass. The formula resulted in a Viking touchdown as Scully hit Josh Tatnal for a seven-yard score, closing the gap to 24-14.

Any hopes of a Christiana comeback flew away, as Wallace delivered his fourth TD pass of the day to Joe Macko.

The Spartans pulled away in the fourth quarter when Rob DeMasi rumbled into the end zone from 11 yards out.

Brown scored his second

touchdown of the game later in the period to close out the scoring.

The surprising Spartans are now 5-1, and host Catholic Conference rival St. Elizabeth Saturday afternoon at noon.

Christiana dropped to 2-4 on the season, and tangle with Flight A opponent A. I. DuPont Friday night at 7:30 p.m. in Greenville.

### Tougher penalties needed

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## IN THE NEWS

# Blue Hen basketball teams prepare for season

The University of Delaware announced Monday the complete men's and women's basketball schedules for the upcoming 2006-

07 season with both Blue Hen teams making their season debut at home at the Bob Carpenter Center.

In addition to each team's 18-game Colonial Athletic Association schedule, the Delaware men will take part in

12 non-league games, including five at home, while the Blue Hen women will play 11 non-league contests, including four at the Bob Carpenter Center. In all, the Delaware men will play 30 regular season games while the UD women will play 29 games.

First-year Delaware men's basketball head coach Monté Ross will be at home for his collegiate head coaching debut when the Blue Hens play host to Marist Nov. 14 at the Bob Carpenter Center. Delaware will also host Rider (Nov. 21), Cleveland State (Nov. 26), former American East conference rival Vermont (Dec. 3), and a Bracket Buster Tournament opponent (to be announced in January) Feb. 17 in non-league action. Delaware will also travel to Albany (Nov. 17), Loyola (Nov. 29), Central Connecticut (Dec. 6), UNC Greensboro (Dec. 23), and La Salle (Dec. 28-30). The Blue Hens will compete in just one tournament when they travel to Philadelphia to take on Niagara (Dec. 28), host La Salle (Dec. 29), and Holy Cross (Dec. 30) at the La Salle Classic.

Head coach Tina Martin, who will enter her 11th season at the helm of the Blue Hens this season, will face one of the toughest non-league schedules of her tenure this winter. Delaware will host Big East rival Villanova in the season opener Nov. 12 and travel to Atlantic Coast Conference contender Boston College Nov. 14. In addition, the Hens will take on the University of Kentucky, a team that knocked off Tennessee a year ago, in the first round of the University of San Francisco Tournament Nov.

24. Other Delaware non-league games will feature the Hens at home vs. American (Nov. 17), Boston University (Dec. 10), and Fordham (Dec. 22) and on the road at Penn (Nov. 29), La Salle (Dec. 5), Massachusetts (Dec. 17), and Bowling Green (Dec. 29). Bowling Green, Boston College, and Kentucky all advanced to the NCAA Tournament a year ago.

For the second straight season, the Delaware men will open CAA action with three straight road games, including their conference opener Dec. 20 at Virginia Commonwealth. The Blue Hens play their first CAA home game Jan. 8 vs. Towson. Highlighting the CAA slate are games with 2006 NCAA Final Four participant George Mason Jan. 31 in Fairfax, VA and Feb. 14 in Newark and contests vs. defending CAA champion and NCAA Tournament participant UNC Wilmington Feb. 7 in Newark and Feb. 24 at Wilmington, NC. The CAA Tournament will once again be held at the Richmond (VA) Coliseum March 2-5.

The Delaware women will open CAA action Jan. 4 at home vs. Hofstra and will take on 14-time defending league champion and 2006 NCAA Tournament participant Old Dominion Feb. 11 in Norfolk, VA. The Blue Hens will host the CAA Tournament March 8-11 at the Bob Carpenter Center.

Season tickets for both the men and women will go on sale beginning Sept. 1 with single-game tickets set to go on sale later that month.

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Below you will find information on matters being considered by the NCC Land Use Department and its public boards. Plans are available for public review at the New Castle County Government Center; Mon - Fri from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 p.m.. Call 395-5400 or Email Us: [Landuse@nccde.org](mailto:Landuse@nccde.org)  
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### Exploratory Plans Under Review

#### Council District 1

\*E side of Read Av, 530 ft N of Boxwood Rd. Major Land Development Plan to subdivide tax parcel 07-042.20-037 and 07-042.10-085 to create a total of seven lots and create new street, Family Place. (App. #2006-0983-S)

#### Council District 2

\*SW corner of the intersection of Naamans Rd and Perry Pl. Minor Land Development Plan for a proposed 1500 sq ft retail bld with associated improvements. Rostami Property. (App. #2006-0984-S)

\*E side of Shipley Rd, directly across from Rockfield Rd South. Resubdivision Plan to modify a note on the previous plan. Preserve at Presidential Estates. (App. #2006-0986-S)

#### Council District 3

\*W side of New London Rd, 900 ft S of Starr Rd. Minor Land Development Plan to subdivide the 19.7 acre property into 5 lots. Sweetman Property. (App. #2006-0112-S)

#### Council District 6

\*E side of US Rt 13, W side of State Rt 1, between Paddock Rd and RD 486 Rt 1 on-ramp. Parking Plan for a proposal to add 42 parking spaces to existing Smyrna Rest Area to accommodate park and ride commuters. Smyrna Rest Area. (App. #2006-0982-S)

\*SW side of Church Rd, S of CSX railroad. Resubdivision Plan to subdivide apartment parcel to create open space parcel for clubhouse. Meridian Crossing. (App. #2006-0987-S)

#### Council District 9

\*E side of Belford Dr, 500 ft S of Milltown Rd, abutting E Parris Dr. Minor Subdivision Plan to reconfigure two existing single family lots and create one additional lot. Belford Manor. NC6.5 / NC15 Zoning. (App. #2006-0980-S)

#### Council District 10

\*N of Intersection of Hessler Blvd and Rt 13. Major Land Development Plan to rezone property from I to CR so as to construct a 1,840 sq ft restaurant. Minquadale Starbucks. (App. #2006-0455-S)

\*S of the terminus of Pettinaro Park Dr. Minor Land Development Plan to develop a 8,728 sq ft educational center with associated improvements. Russell W. Peterson Urban Wildlife Refuge Education Center. (App. #2006-0985-S)

#### Council District 12

\*W side of River Rd, 465 ft S of Grantham Ln. Resubdivision Plan to subdivide tax parcel into two lots. J&J Enterprises. (App. #2006-0981-S)

### Board of Adjustment

Thurs. Oct. 26th/NCC Gov Ctr 6 PM

This agenda has been previously advertised. You can find the information on our web site.

### Planning Board

**NOTE DATE: Monday Oct 30th**

City/County Building, 7 p.m.

NOTICE: The public parking area will close at 7 pm Parking is available at the Double Tree Hotel 8th and King Streets.

#### Council District 1

\*N side Churchmans Rd, W of SR 7. Major Land Development Exploratory Plan Review. Exploratory plan for Christiana Hotel proposes an 88,420 sq ft, 154 room hotel on 6.92 acres. App. #2006-0703-S.

\*NE corner of the intersection of Dodson Av and Boxwood Rd. Major Land Development Exploratory Plan Review. Exploratory plan for Boxwood Commons proposes to combine six tax parcels into one lot and to create 40 single-family attached quadplex dwelling units. A rezoning from NC5 (Neighborhood Conservation) to ST (Suburban Transition) is also proposed. App. #2006-0856-S.

#### Council District 11

\*N side Chestnut Hill Rd, W of Augusta Dr and E of Cherokee Dr. Major Land Development Preliminary Plan and TAC Review. Preliminary plan for Delaware School for the Deaf proposes to combine three tax parcels into one and to construct a 111,100 sq ft school and an 11,084 sq ft residence hall with associated parking and athletic facilities on 17.38 acres. App. #2006-0390-S.

#### Council District 12

\*N side Wrangle Hill Rd, E of Red Lion Rd. Major Land Development Exploratory Plan Review. Exploratory plan for Peoples Park Addition proposes to subdivide the property into eight (8) lots. App. #2006-0774-S.

### Claymont Renaissance Design Review Advisory Committee

Thurs. Oct 19/3301 Green St, Claymont 6 PM

#### Council District 8

\* 3005 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont Community Hometown Overlay District. Philadelphia Pike Car Wash. Zoned Commercial Neighborhood (CN). TP# 06-08400-452 and 06-08400-453.

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## Newark romps to win

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An extra point attempt was not good.

Charter scored again midway through the fourth quarter on a 44-yard touchdown pass to Kevin Greene.

"I don't know if I could have been more pleased with our first half performance," said Newark coach Butch Simpson. "I thought we executed pretty flawlessly, we seemed intense about the game, and I loved what our offensive line did the whole first half."

The Jacket played without

co-captain Chad Davis, who has an arm injury. "But Levi Moore stepped in as a sophomore and played very well," added Simpson, who also complimented the tremendous play of two-way starter Joe Pfitzenmeyer.

This Saturday afternoon, Newark faces back-yard rival William Penn on the Colonial's home turf.

Kick off is scheduled for 1:30 p.m.

"We know they'll come out tough," said Perkins. "So we know we have to match their enthusiasm."

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## OBITUARIES

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William P. Ademski  
Brian J. Carney  
Anna S. Fiumara  
Martin J. Germak  
Barbara Ann Harris  
Eugene M. Kelechava  
Rebecca F. McGlynn  
David C. Safford Sr  
Luther W. Swift  
Haroldine G. Walker  
Brenda D. Webb

**Luther Wellford Swift**

Luther Wellford Swift, 92, of Newark, until recently of Hopewell, Va., died on Tuesday, Oct. 10, 2006.

Swift graduated from Hopewell High School in the Class of 1931, along with his brother, Robert. He enjoyed reunions with his classmates, even writing and reciting a poem about their school years together.

**Eugene M. Kelechava, 88, former art teacher**

Eugene M. Kelechava, 88, of Newark, died on Oct. 14, 2006 at Christiana Hospital.

Kelechava was born in Allentown, Pa., on July 13, 1918, the son of the late Michael and Helen Kelechava. A veteran of World War II, he served in the U.S. Army. He was a member of Newark United Methodist Church. Kelechava, known fondly by his students as "Kelly," was a well-loved art teacher at Newark High School for more than 30 years.

Kelechava is survived by

his wife of 39 years, Margaret Kelechava of Newark; son, Philip J. Bunting and his wife, Cathy, of Newark; daughter, Pamela B. Lewis of Newark; three grandchildren, Jim Bunting and his wife, Cheryle, Brandon Bunting of Newark and Cassandra B. Lewis of San Francisco, Calif.; and great-grandson Matthew Bunting of Newark. He also leaves behind his brother, Ted Kelechava Sr. of Allentown; nephew, Ted Kelechava Jr. and his wife, Barbara, of Newark; and niece, Linda Kemmerer and her husband, Ron, of

Allentown, Pa. He was preceded in death by his brother, Larry.

A memorial service was held at Newark United Methodist Church, 69 East Main St., Newark, on Tuesday, Oct. 17. A private burial service was to be held at Odd Fellows Cemetery in Camden.

Contributions may be made to the Steeple Fund of Newark United Methodist Church c/o R.T. Foard & Jones Funeral Home, 122 West Main St., Newark, DE 19711; or the charity of your choice.

He served in the postal service in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a money order clerk and eventually postmaster of the Hopewell Post Office, retiring in 1976. His life was busy with church involvement, serving at various times as treasurer, adult Sunday School teacher, missions committee chairman, Singing Saints choir member and trustee of First Baptist Church in Hopewell, Va.

He participated on mission teams for many years, starting with church construction in Endicott, N.Y., and in several European, South and Central American countries and in later

years with evangelism teams, notably eight trips to Brazil and three to Moldova in Eastern Europe — 27 trips in all, the last one to the Bahamas in the summer of 2005.

Swift was predeceased by his wife of 54 years, Beulah Alma O'Neill; a daughter, Judy Anne Sawyer; and his brothers, Robert N. and Frank T. and their wives. Among the survivors are a daughter, Mary Nuel

Utleve and her husband, Malvin M. Jr., of Newark; sister-in-law, Virginia Hobbs of Hopewell, Va.; grandchildren, Jennie Mitchell of Pfafftown, N.C., M. Matthew Utleve III of Newark, George Edward John Sawyer III, of Portsmouth, Va., William Erich Sawyer, of Roanoke, Va., David Sawyer of Chester, Va., Michael Sawyer of Richmond, Va.; and nine great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held on

Saturday, Oct. 14, at First Baptist Church, Hopewell, Va. Interment followed at Appomattox Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to First Baptist Church, 410 N. Second Ave., Hopewell, Va., 23860.

**William P. Ademski**

William P. Ademski, 65, of Newark, died on Friday, Oct. 13, 2006.

Ademski was born in Wilmington, on June 18, 1941, and attended Christ Our King Grade School and P.S. DuPont High School.

Ademski is survived by his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth (Landmesser) Ademski; his brothers, Alan and his wife, Maureen, Raymond and his wife, Joanne, and Peter and his wife, Susan; and eight nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, William F. Ademski, in 1988.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Matthew's Church, Maryland Avenue, Woodcrest on Oct. 17. Interment followed the Mass in All Saints Cemetery.

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## IN THE NEWS

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**Brian J. Carney**

Brian J. Carney, 38, of Newark, died on Friday, Oct. 13, 2006.

Carney was born in Wilmington on October 3, 1968, to Lloyd A. "Herk" and Mona Lee (Solomon) Carney of Newark. He was a 1986 graduate of St. Mark's H.S. and then went on to graduate from Goldey Beacom College. He was a computer programmer for First Data in Wilmington. Carney was a youth group leader for many years at New Life Alliance Church and Family Life Church.

Carney is survived by his wife of 13 years, Krista S. (Crume) Carney; his daughter, Ariel Kioko Carney; sister, Lynette R. Perales of Corona, Calif. He will be missed by many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephew, in-laws, youth group members and friends.

A funeral service was held on Wednesday, Oct. 18, at the

Beeson Funeral Home, 2053 Pulaski Hwy. Rt. 40, Newark.

Contributions may be made to Delaware Right to Life, PO Box 1222, Wilmington, DE 19899 or Heritage Pre-School Playground Fund, 140 Airport Rd., New Castle, DE 19720.

**Anna S. Fiumara**

Anna S. Fiumara, 81, of Newark, died on Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2006.

Fiumara was a sales representative at QVC. She was a member of St. Elizabeth's Church for 50 years.

Fiumara was predeceased by her husband of 50 years, Angelo S. Fiumara Sr.; and her son-in-law, Vincent Manni. She is survived by her daughter, JoAnne Manni of Newark; her son, Angelo S. Fiumara Jr. and his wife, Susan, of Wilmington; her brothers, Salvatore, Robert, Anthony and John Casile and James DiFelice; her sister, Catherine Sheerer; her grandchildren, Dawn Marie Dilley, Michelle Dilley, Angie Stevens, Nicole Salva and Stephanie Fiumara; and seven great-grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Elizabeth's Church, Cedar and South Clayton Streets, Wilmington, on Monday, Oct. 16. Burial was to be in the Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Bear.

Contributions may be sent to St. Elizabeth's Church, 809 S. Broom Street, Wilmington, DE 19805.

**Martin J. Germak**

Martin J. Germak, 63, of Newark, died on Sunday, Oct. 8, 2006.

Germak was a chemist for Container Corp. for more than 20 years. He served his country as an Army veteran. He was fond of his Harley-Davidsons and motorcycle memorabilia.

He was predeceased by his father, Joseph and his sister-in-law, Joanne Germak. He is survived by his mother, Anita (Janicki) Germak; his brother, Michael; and sister-in-law, Sandy of Seattle, Wash.; and his brother, Mark of Bear. He will also be missed by several nieces and a nephew.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Friday, Oct. 13, at St. John the Beloved Church, 907 Milltown Rd. Interment followed at the Delaware Veterans Cemetery in Bear.

Contributions may be made to the Veterans Administration, 1601 Kirkwood Hwy., Wilmington, DE 19805.

**Barbara Ann Harris**

Barbara Ann Harris, 62, of Newark, died Wednesday, Oct. 4, 2006.

Harris worked as a child care provider and was the Church Mother of Praise & Deliverance Ministries.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Jamuti Harris; and brother, the late Elder Gentle Daniels. She is survived by three sons, Bruce Robinson, Michael Griffin and Barry Griffin; three

daughters, Janet Harris, Jackie Harris and Jami Harris-Kelly; two brothers, Robert and Keith Daniels; one sister, Bernadette Lucas; 28 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A service was held on Friday, Oct. 13, at Greater Mt. Calvary Coptic, 10th and Lombard Streets, Wilmington. Interment was to be in Silverbrook Cemetery.

**Rebecca F. McGlynn**

Rebecca F. McGlynn, 53, of Newark, died Sunday, Oct. 8, 2006, at her home.

McGlynn was born in Wilmington on June 24, 1953. She was a graduate of William Penn High School where she excelled at softball, field hockey and basketball. She was an avid sports fan and enjoyed her time as a coach for the Canal Little League. McGlynn most recently worked at Citibank as a special handling processor.

McGlynn is survived by her father, William F. Proud; her mother, Mary Tobin Wolfe; her son, Bryan W. McGlynn; her daughter, Erin L. McGlynn; a sister, Ladyne P. Taylor; and many aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. Rebecca was predeceased by a brother, William F. Proud Jr.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Thursday, Oct. 12, at St. Peter's Catholic Church, 515 Harmony Street, New Castle. Entombment followed in Cathedral Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to Delaware Hospice, 3515 Silverside Road, Wilmington, DE 19810; or to The ALS Association of Greater Philadelphia, 321 Norristown Road, Suite 260, Ambler, PA 19002.

**David C. Safford Sr.**

David C. Safford Sr., 61, of Newark, died on Thursday, Oct. 12, 2006, at the VA Medical Center in Elsmere.

He is survived by his wife, Eunice Glock Safford; two sons, David Safford II and Paul Safford; two stepchildren, S. Beth Muspratt and Jonathan Luster; mother, Doris Aunchman; brother, Jerry Safford; and three grandchildren.

A funeral service was held on Monday, Oct. 16, at First United Pentecostal Church, 307 Liberty Blvd., W. Minquadale, New Castle. Interment followed in Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 2465 Chesapeake City Road, Bear.

Contributions may be made to First United Pentecostal Church, 131 Atlas Drive, New Castle, DE 19720.

**Brenda D. Webb**

Brenda D. Webb, 49, of Newark, died on Oct. 13, 2006, at her home.

Webb was born December 12, 1956, the daughter of J. J. and the late Goldie J. Droke. She attended Edinboro University of Pennsylvania and was a daycare provider for many years, caring for countless children in the area.

She is survived by her husband, Keith Webb of Newark; three children, Heather Cameron of Newark, Molly Cameron of Portland, Ore., and Kyle J. Webb and his wife, Katie, of Newark; four grandchildren, Donald M. and Janaye E. Pritchett, Nathaniel C. Graham and Thomas J. Webb; two brothers, Donald and J.R. Droke; nieces, Sherry Palinkas and Tracy Hopkins; as well as other relatives. She was preceded in death by her sister, Barbara Bowman who died in May of 2006.

A funeral service will be held at R.T. Foard & Jones Funeral Home, 122 West Main St., Newark, on Friday, Oct. 20. Burial will be in Spring Hill Memorial Gardens.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society c/o the funeral home.

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IN THE NEWS

# Evening with local civil rights champion

University of Delaware alumnus Leonard L. Williams will talk about his experiences as a UD student, his career as a civil rights lawyer and his experiences as a municipal judge in Wilmington at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov.

9, in Bayard-Sharp Hall, West Delaware Avenue and Elkton Road, on UD's Newark campus. The discussion will be preceded by a reception at 4:30 p.m.

The moderated forum titled, "An Evening with a Delaware Hero: A Conversation with

Leonard L. Williams," will examine the history of African-American students at UD and civil rights history in Delaware. The audience will be encouraged to participate in the dialogue.

A native of Wilmington, Williams enrolled at UD in

1952, two years after Parker v. University of Delaware, the case that desegregated the University in 1950. He was an outstanding scholar and a star player on the varsity football team. Williams graduated from UD and earned his law degree from Georgetown University.

Williams returned to Delaware in the late 1950s and practiced law with Louis L. Redding until Redding's retirement. Williams worked with Redding on many important civil rights cases

including, among others, Evans v. Buchanan, the New Castle County school desegregation litigation. He also served as a municipal judge in Wilmington.

"Leonard Williams was a pioneer who prevailed against tremendous obstacles," Leland Ware, the Louis L. Redding Professor of Law & Public Policy at UD and one of the organizers of the event, said. "When he was a student at UD, Deer Park and other segregated establishments on Main Street refused to serve African-

Americans. Williams' outstanding accomplishments are an important part of Delaware's history and should serve as an inspiration for minority students and other members of the UD community."

The event is free and open to the public, but reservations are recommended. To make reservations, contact Wanda Moore at wlm@udel.edu or 831-8971.



Leonard L. Williams



## School of Hotel Management announces awards

The Delaware School of Hotel Management, a branch of the American College in Dublin, recently announced the school's 2006 academic award winners.

Nathan Williams of Lewes was the winner of the

Trustees' Award for Academic Excellence and Tiffany Porter of Wilmington was honored with the school's Achievement Award.

Members of the class of 2006 were presented with Diplomas in Hospitality

Management during the school's commencement ceremonies in September. The Delaware School of Hotel Management offers a two-year associates degree as well as diploma programs.

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BRIDAL



Colorful beading on the bodice of a gold taffeta gown from Anjolique

# As she likes it

What the bride wants, she shall have — right down to the tiniest Swarovski crystal. Designers' 2007 lines are packed with eye-catching details brides love, beaded, belted, shirred, cinched, tinted and embellished to a fare-thee-well. Take a peek.

By Nola Sarkisian-Miller  
CTW Features

As they gracefully glide down the aisle, brides these days more likely will make their fabled walk to the tune of Frank Sinatra's "My Way" than to Richard Wagner's "Wedding March" from the opera, "Lohengrin."

Chuckling tradition aside — white gown, "chicken or steak," bouquet toss and all — altar-bound couples have gotten pickier, choosing wedding customs a la carte while they round out the affair with individualized preferences, from risqué bridal portraits to wedding after-parties. A changing demographic is driving the cultural shift: the average age

of a bride getting married today is 27 compared to 21 in 1970, according to the National Center for Health Statistics.

"Brides are no longer afraid to think outside of the box," says Tatiana Byron, president and founder of 4PM Events, a high-end wedding and event-planning company in New York City, and the Wedding Salon, an upscale wedding showcase of vendors. "Girls are marrying at an older age and are more confident to say, 'I don't care.'"

And, when it comes to the heady selection of their bridal gowns, these ladies-in-waiting are taking more chances and saying, "I do," to dual trends for the fall 2006 season: femininity in the form of soft, romantic looks with heaps of novelty details and the motif of sleek elegance in sheaths, sexy cuts and mix-and-match separates.

"Designers are getting much more creative," says Kim Sunshine, senior fashion editor of The Knot, a magazine and online wedding resource. "We're seeing more adornments and embellishments accent and differentiate the gowns."

Sunshine says three-dimensional flowers on gowns, hints of color, waist treatments, such as sashes, twisted fabrics and heaps of beading, are the directional touches of the season. Designer examples are Lazaro's removable corsages on sashes and Carolina Herrera's dresses painted with lily of the valley images.

"Everything feminine" is the current mantra at Maggie Sotero, offering gowns with hand-placed lace appliques, fabric rosettes and beading accenting the waistline. New fabrics, such as lighter-weight taffeta and delicate satin, create an airy, fluid silhouette, "as if the bride is floating," says Suzanne Robbins, vice president of sales and marketing for Salt Lake City-based Maggie Sotero.

Refined details are a hallmark of Vera Wang's collection. Delicate lace trims, ribbons, ruffles and bows and floral corsages

See **GOWNS, 27** ▶

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BRIDAL

Today's brides personalize their wedding gowns

► GOWNS, from 26

"all lend a mood of youth, charm, and beauty suitable for any degree of celebration," says the designer in a statement.

For better or for worse, one of the strongest guiding forces for bridal fashion is the Hollywood limelight, especially those designer and vintage fashion selections seen on the glamorous red carpet. Keira Knightley wore a Vera Wang bordeaux, trumpet dress during the 2006 Oscars that garnered attention and led to its bridal interpretation in the designer's spring 2007 collection. Until images of gowns worn by the newest celebrity brides gain wide circulation — Nicole Kidman and Katie Holmes appear most likely to cause new design sensations — the dress that's still the go-to reference for brides is the one worn by Christine Baumgartner in her

fall 2004 wedding to actor Kevin Costner. The Monique Lhuillier-designed confection featured pick-ups lavished on the skirt and has since infused designs.

The pick-up is the hottest seller at Memphis, Tenn.-based Allure Bridals, said owner Kelly Crum. Crafted from satin, organza, chiffon or taffeta, the skirts are gathered and tailored with drop-waist bodices that elongate the body.

"They can make a size 8 look like a size 6," Crum said.

Allure Bridals has updated the style with the addition of Swarovski crystals, primarily on the bodice, the skirt or the train. Indeed, along with looking radiant, brides are shimmering, glittering and sparkling thanks to flashes of crystals. Watters & Watters offers removable silver lace ribbons beaded with Swarovski crystals as a waist accessory to a dress. It also has encrusted the gems on gowns, such as a low-back

charmeuse dress with Swarovski crystal straps.

While such finery hasn't impacted prices at Watters & Watters, it can pad price tags elsewhere by 25 to 40 percent. Bob Schnurr, co-owner of Anjolie gowns in Waterloo, Canada, says brides aren't balking at the sticker shock.

"Girls see the value in it and are willing to pay it," he says.

What's falling out of favor with customers is the lack of color in gowns. Only about 15 percent of gowns sold by Allure are trademark 'white. Diamond white is the No. 1 color, a shade between white and ivory, Crum says. It's a similar story at Maggie Sottero.

"White looks so stark and ivory looks yellow, but diamond white looks so soft and attractive on most skin tones," says Robbins, who notes that gowns in frosted mocha and cognac also are in demand.

Brides who are looking to tone down the volume in their dresses have more choices these days as more and more designers either focus on or narrow their silhouettes.

Gowns sans crinoline are the hallmark at Elizabeth Fillmore Bridal in New York. A feeling See **GOWNS, 28** ►

The looks they love:

Vera Wang gown with a grand flounce at the bottom, left, patterned after the much-publicized custom Wang design that actress Keira Knightley wore to the 2006 Oscars.

Strapless ivory gown, above, with a glittering crystal-studded bodice and a wide satin hip sash, by Allure Bridals.



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## BRIDAL

# What's the best way to fill the time between wedding and reception?

**Q** Our ceremony begins at 2:00 p.m. and lasts about an hour. Since our reception doesn't begin until 6:00 p.m., there will be a three-hour lag time for guests. My fiancé and I will be taking pictures at an area park with our bridal party, but my mother is up in arms about having such a big gap between the ceremony and reception. Do you have any suggestions on what we should do?

**A** This can be a touchy issue, and it can be difficult to balance the desire to get a lot of photos taken with your bridal party and the comfort of those guests who are not included in pictures.

It's nice to take into consideration what your guests will do during such a long gap, especially if some of your guests are traveling a distance for your wedding and don't have anywhere to stop in between. Perhaps your mother or future mother-in-law could host

an informal gathering at her home during this time with light refreshments offered.

If your reception is at a hotel, inquire about reserving a hospitality suite. If neither option is feasible, consider moving the start of your cocktail hour up in order to close the time gap.

In any case, be prepared that some guests may opt to only attend the reception if they feel the wait after the ceremony is too long.

**Q** My fiancé's parents live in Texas and his mother is insisting that we have a groom's cake at the wedding. I have never seen this done before and I don't understand why we need two cakes. Can you explain the significance of a groom's cake?

**A** The groom's cake is a mostly Southern tradition, although it is gaining popularity in other areas of the country.

Typically made of a bolder cake batter, the groom's cake reflects your fiancé's interests — sports, alma mater, hobbies, etc. Many couples enjoy the added creativity that comes in designing the cake since the sky truly is the limit.

While including a groom's cake certainly isn't mandatory, it's worth considering if it's within your budget. It can be a fun way to incorporate some of your fiancé's personality into the wedding day.

**Q** My wedding is five months away and I've started looking at invitations. When should I plan on mailing these out? Is there an etiquette that I should follow? I've also heard other brides talk a lot about save-the-date cards. Is this something I should do as well?

**A** Let's start with save-the-date cards. While still completely optional, save-the-dates have become very popular over the past few years. These are usually mailed out between six and 12 months before the wedding and include information about the date, location and hotel-room blocks that have been arranged.

However, with your wedding

only five months away, I recommend forgoing this item.

Etiquette dictates that you mail your formal wedding invitations between six and eight weeks prior to the wedding. I encourage my clients to aim for the eight-week mark whenever possible. This allows your guests plenty of time to make arrangements, such as

finding childcare for their kids, booking hotel accommodations and taking time off of work if necessary.

Since you'll want to request that guests return their response cards about three weeks prior to your wedding, it's considerate to give them as much notice as possible.

## Brides and their gowns

### ► GOWNS, from 27

of 1930s glamour imbues her sleek designs, finished with tassel accents or floral embroidery on lace. Looks such as a bias-cut charmeuse halter gown with draped bands, a crochet slip gown with draped sequins or a Chantilly lace gown covered with chiffon roses celebrate quiet elegance.

"There are plenty of ball gowns out there. I want to create dresses that don't look like Cinderella for that savvy bride," says designer Elizabeth Fillmore. "I don't want the dresses to be wearing the brides."

As contemporary ready-to-wear clothing - known more for mix-and-match separates than for matched sets - continues to inspire creations, other designers have begun touting two-piece dressing.

Dallas-based Watters & Watters offers a silk shantung ruffled skirt and a strapless bodice beaded with Swarovski crystals and a ribbon sash as a gown alternative. Post-wedding, the bodice can pair up nicely with jeans or a more casual skirt.

"Customers love the fit and functionality," says Maria Prince, vice president of Watters & Watters. "Going forward, we plan to do more."

Cultural mores are also impacting those big day decisions as older brides eschew religious ceremonies and say aloha to destination weddings. About 20 percent of all weddings now fall into that category, Byron says, which means dresses are less flamboyant. Allure Bridals has introduced a strapless dress with a laser-cut, slim-fitting skirt for fall. Shorter dresses that fall at the knee or above in taffetas that are crushed, crinkled or gathered with floral patterns are key looks for fall at San Francisco-based Jessica McClintock, especially in colors of icy peach and soft champagne. The styles also work out with second-time brides.

"Half of my brides are in their second or third weddings," says designer Jessica McClintock. "They don't want to spend thousands of dollars on a wedding if they're worrying about the condo, the honeymoon, etc. My dresses fit that bill of thinking."

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Jessica McClintock

Once again, with feeling: gowns in peach or champagne at practical prices appeal to brides on their second or third trip down the aisle.



## FAVORITES

# Greater Newark's Best Of Votes tallied in 2006 Readers' Favorites contest

**Y**ou spoke and we listened. Now, results are in for the 2006 Readers' Favorites, a contest sponsored by the *Newark Post's* marketing department.

We polled for reader's favorites in more than 100 categories, ranging from the best place to get donuts (Dunkin' Donuts) to the best hair salon (Town and Country) to the best place for tire service (Goodyear).

Readers responded to the survey, and our staff tallied the results, recognizing the top three vote-getters in each category.

Here's what our readers call the best of Greater Newark:

## DINING, DRINKING, FOOD, & ENTERTAINMENT

### ASIAN:

- 1st – Bamboo House  
2nd – Saigon Vietnam Restaurant  
3rd – Yang's Chinese Restaurant (Elsmere)

### BBQ/RIBS:

- 1st – Durham's Best Barbecue (Elkton, MD)  
2nd – Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon  
3rd – Applebee's

### BAGELS:

- 1st – Manhattan Bagel  
2nd – Dunkin' Donuts  
3rd – Newark Deli and Bagels

### BAKER:

- 1st – Bing's Bakery  
2nd – Cannon's Custom Cakes & Bakery  
3rd – Serpe's Bakery

### BANQUET FACILITY:

- 1ST – The Hilton Wilmington/Christiana  
2nd – The Deerfield Golf & Tennis Club  
3rd – Hockessin Fire Company Hall

### BAR:

- 1st – Tied: McGlynn's Pub and Restaurant, Polidoro Italian Grill  
2nd – Tied: Home Grown Café, Stewart's Brewing Co., Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant  
3rd – Tied: Deer Park Tavern, A Piece of Ireland, Tailgates, Tom Foolery's (Middletown)

### BAR & GRILL:

- 1st – Tied: Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, Buffalo Wild Wings  
2nd – McGlynn's Pub and Restaurant  
3rd – Tied: Maynard's, Deer Park Tavern, Stewart's Brewing Company

### BARTENDER:

- 1st – John Paul Mansfield (Polidoro Italian Grill)  
2nd – Elizabeth (Home Grown Café)

### BREAKFAST:

- 1st – Bob Evans Restaurant  
2nd – Post House Restaurant  
3rd – Sinclair's Café

### BRUNCH:

- 1st – Michael's Restaurant & Pub

- 2nd – Home Grown Café & Gourmet To Go  
3rd – Columbus Inn (Wilmington)

### BUFFET:

- 1st – Old Country Buffet  
2nd – Michael's Restaurant & Pub  
3rd – Tied: King Buffet Chinese Restaurant, Taste of India Restaurant

### BURGERS – FAST FOOD:

- 1st – Jake's Hamburgers  
2nd – Burger King  
3rd – McDonald's

### BURGERS – RESTAURANT:

- 1st – Jake's Hamburgers  
2nd – Red Robin Gourmet Burgers & Spirits  
3rd – Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant

### CATERER:

- 1st – Bachetti's Catering  
2nd – Appleton Catering  
3rd – Tied: Gallagher & Gallagher Catering, Just Desserts Café & Restaurant Catering

### CHEESESTEAK:

- 1st – Capelli's Subs & Steaks  
2nd – Tied: Capriotti's, Casapulla's Glasgow Steak Shop, Franks Pizza (North East, MD)  
3rd – Mike's Famous Roadside

See **BEST OF, 30** ▶



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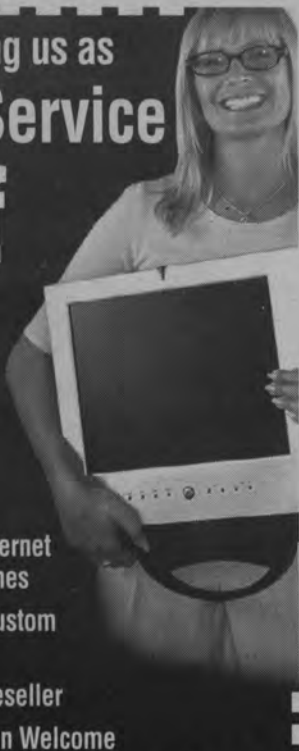
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**FAVORITES**

# Greater Newark's Best of . . .

**► BEST OF, from 29**

Restaurant

**CHICKEN 'N' DUMPLINGS:**  
1st - Baker's Restaurant (Elkton, MD)

2nd - Cracker Barrel (Elkton, MD)  
3rd - Eagle Diner (Elkton, MD)

**CHICKEN WINGS:**  
1st - Wings To Go  
2nd - Buffalo Wild Wings  
3rd - C.R. Wings

**CHINESE RESTAURANT:**  
1st - China Buffet (Bear)  
2nd - No. 1 Chinese Restaurant  
3rd - Bamboo House

**COFFEE SHOP:**  
1st - Dunkin' Donuts

2nd - Brew HaHa  
3rd - Starbucks

**CRAB CAKES:**  
1st - Woody's (North East, MD)  
2nd - Tied: Kelly's Logan House, Chesapeake Inn, (Chesapeake City, MD),  
3rd - Tied: The Trap, Bentleys (Elkton, MD)

**CRABS - STEAMED:**  
1st - Kelly's Logan House  
2nd - Woody's (North East, MD)  
3rd - Sambo's Tavern (Leipsic)

**DELI:**  
1st - Tied: Country Maid Delicatessen, Capriotti's Sandwich Shop, Wawa, Shop Rite  
2nd - Tied: Bain's Deli, Malin's Market & Deli, Casapulla's Steak Shop (Red Mill)\*  
3rd - Tied: Acme, Safeway

**DESSERT PLACE:**  
1st - Arner's Family Restaurant  
2nd - Home Grown Café  
3rd - Cold Stone Creamery

**DINER:**  
1st - Eagle Diner  
2nd - Tied: Post House, Elkton Diner  
3rd - Tied: Korner Diner, Glass Kitchen, Charley's Family Restaurant, Golden Dove

**DOUGHNUTS:**  
1st - Dunkin' Donuts  
2nd - Mister Donut  
3rd - Bing's Bakery

**ENTERTAINMENT VENUE:**  
1st - Three Little Bakers Dinner Theatre  
2nd - The Playhouse  
3rd - Kahunaville

**FAST FOOD:**  
1st - McDonald's  
2nd - Wendy's  
3rd - Arby's

**FRIENDLIEST SERVICE:**  
1st - Home Grown Café  
2nd - Friendly's  
3rd - Café Napoli

**GROCERY STORE:**  
1st - Shop-Rite  
2nd - Acme  
3rd - Safeway

**HAPPY HOUR:**  
1st - Home Grown Café  
2nd - Tied: Timothy's of Newark, McGlynn's, Buffalo Wild Wings  
3rd - Tied: Stewart's Brewing Co, Deer Park Tavern

**HOT DOGS:**  
1st - The Dog House  
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# Greater Newark's Best of . . .

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- 2nd - Tied: Cucina de Napoli, Café Napoli, Polidoro Italian Grill
- 3rd - Café Tivoli II

**MUSICAL GROUP (BAND, ORCHESTRA) - LOCAL:**

- 1st - Gypsy Sullivan
- 2nd - Delaware Rag
- 3rd - Tied: Larry Tucker Band, Newark Symphony

**NEW RESTAURANT:**

- 1st - Tom Foolery's Restaurant and Bar (Middletown)
- 2nd - Tasti Thai (New Castle)
- 3rd - Tied: Chick-fil-A, LongHorn Steakhouse

**OUTDOOR DINING:**

- 1st - Chesapeake Inn, (Chesapeake City, MD)
- 2nd - Home Grown Café
- 3rd - Tied: Klondike Kate's, Iron Hill Brewery, Red Robin

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- 1st - Nino's Pizza
- 2nd - Margherita's Pizza
- 3rd - Nick & Joe's Pizza

**ROMANTIC RESTAURANT:**

- 1st - Home Grown Café
- 2nd - Tied: Caffe Gelato, Lamberti's Cucina
- 3rd - Iron Hill Brewery

**SALADS:**

- 1st - Home Grown Café
- 2nd - Ruby Tuesday
- 3rd - Tied: Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon, Saladworks

**SANDWICHES/SUBS:**

- 1st - Capriotti's Sandwich Shop
- 2nd - Capelli's Subs & Steaks
- 3rd - Casapulla's Steak Shop

**SEAFOOD RESTAURANT:**

- 1st - Feby's Fishery
- 2nd - Tied: The Trap, Harry's Seafood Grill
- 3rd - Tied: Woody's Crab House (North East, MD), Pier 13, Blue Crab Grill

**SEAFOOD STORE (FRESH):**

- 1st - Captain's Catch
- 2nd - Hadfield's Seafood; 3rd - Glasgow Seafood

**SPORTS BAR:**

- 1st - Buffalo Wild Wings
- 2nd - Grotto Pizza; 3rd - Tied: McGlynn's, MVP Sports Lounge at Pat's

**WAITER/WAITRESS:**

- 1st - Renee at Lone Star Steakhouse
- 2nd - Danielle at Home Grown Café

**WATER ICE/ITALIAN ICE**

- 1st - Rita's Water Ice

**WINE SELECTION:**

- 1st - Total Wine & More
- 2nd - Home Grown Café; 3rd - Harry's Savoy Grill

**PEOPLE/SHOPS/ SERVICES**

**ACCOUNTANT:**

- 1st - Tied: Dingle & Kane, Greenbank Tax Service
- 2nd - DuVilla and Company,

**LLC, CPA's**

**AUTO GLASS REPAIR & TINTING:**

- 1st - Union Auto Glass
- 2nd - B & G Auto Glass; 3rd -

See **BEST OF, 32** ▶



We'd like to thank  
the Greater Newark Area  
for voting us  
#1 Dental Practice!



**Newark Dental Associates**

- Edmond B. Stout, D.D.S.*
- William H. Ralston, D.D.S.*
- Kevin F. Roberts, D.D.S.*
- Joseph M. Chou, D.M.D.*
- Jeffrey J. Stout, D.D.S.*
- Moon Cha, D.D.S.*



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY CHRISTINE NEFF

Readers selected Cindy's Hallmark, owned by Cynthia DeEmedio, in the Park & Shop Shopping Center on Elkton Road as the best place to buy greeting cards. Betty's Hallmark placed second and Grass Roots took third in the category.

**344 East Main Street, Newark, Delaware 19711**  
**(302) 737-5170**



**FAVORITES**

**Greater Newark's Best of . . .**

**▶ BEST OF, from 31**

Tied: Purnell's Body Shop, Betts Garage

**AUTO BODY SHOP - COLLISION REPAIR & PAINTING:**

1st - Wallis Repair Collision Center  
2nd - Henry Bros; 3rd - Puz's Auto Body Shop

**AUTO REPAIR - MECHANICAL**

1st - Fox Run Auto Repair  
2nd - Palumbo's Car Care Center;  
3rd - Goodyear

**BANK:**

1st - PNC Bank  
2nd - WSFS; 3rd - Tied; Wilmington Trust, Commerce Bank

**CAR DETAILING SHOP:**

1st - CleanPro  
2nd - Puz's Auto Body Shop;  
3rd - White Glove

**CAR WASH:**

1st - CleanPro Detail Center  
2nd - White Glove; 3rd - Kirkwood Soft Touch Car Wash

**CARPET CLEANING:**

1st - Stanley Steemer  
2nd - Chem Dry; 3rd - ServPro

**CARPET SALES/INSTALLATION:**

1st - M & M Flooring  
2nd - Airbase Carpet Mart;  
3rd - Reavis Flooring

**CELLULAR PHONE DEALER:**

1st - Verizon  
2nd - Cingular;  
3rd - T-Mobile

**CHIROPRACTOR:**

1st - True Wellness Center  
2nd - Dr. Richard McKay;  
3rd - Dr. T Shane Palmer/Palmer Chiropractic Clinic

**COMPUTER REPAIR:**

1st - Second Source  
2nd - Best Buy;  
3rd - ACR Computer Systems

**CONTRACTOR - ELECTRIC:**

1st - CMI  
2nd - George Burns & Co.;  
3rd - Joseph Frederick & Son

**CONTRACTOR - GENERAL**

1st - Tied: Ranco, Lance, R. Watson, Ron Pyle, TCI Builders


**CONTRACTOR - PAVING & HARDSCAPING:**

1st - Richard's Paving

**CONTRACTOR - PLUMBING**

1st - Tied: Jos. Frederick & Son, George Burns & Co.  
2nd - Tied: Michle's, Kanicki; 3rd - Tied: Four Seasons, Chance

See **BEST OF, 34** ▶



**TOWN & COUNTRY SALON**

*Town & Country Salon would like to thank the Newark Community for their support and voting Town & Country Salon #1 salon again this year!*

*Also, Congratulations to **Heather** for being voted #1 stylist at Town & Country Salon.*

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FAVORITES



# Newark reader receives cash prize

Valerie Landon of Newark, left, received \$250 when her ballot was picked in a random drawing of entries to the Newark Post 2006 Readers' Favorites contest. Landon, a Realtor with Patterson-Schwartz, is pictured with Marty Valania, general manager of the Newark Post.

Thanks for voting us #1  
4 years in a row!



Concord Pet Foods & Supplies was founded in June of 1981. We began as a little "shed" along Route 202 in Talleyville. It was a side venture for a local businessman, Larry Mutschler, who also owned the Mobile Station at Foulk & Naamans Rds in Wilmington. We now have 16 stores.

Concord Pet prides itself on customer service and product knowledge. We may not have all the answers but we'll do our best to get them for you because our employees truly care about animals and actively seek knowledge for their own pets as well as their customers' animals.

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With this Concord Pet Coupon only. Limit 1 offer per coupon, 1 coupon per customer. Not valid with other offers or on prior purchases. CPFS reserves the right to limit quantities. Coupon Expires 11/25/06.

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Suburban Plaza .....	302-368-2959	Middletown Crossing ..	302-376-1616	Concord Pike .....	302-478-8966
Elkton .....	410-398-5554	Dover .....	302-672-9494	Chadds Ford .....	610-459-5990
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Newark  
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**FAVORITES**

**Greater Newark's Best of . . .**

**▶ BEST OF, from 32**

**CONTRACTOR – REMODELING:**  
 1st – Tied: Ron Pyle, Ranco  
 2nd – Tied: McCoy, Creative Home Solutions, Heaney's Home Improvement

**CHILD CARE FACILITY:**  
 1st – Lil' Einsteins Learning Academy  
 2nd – Tied: UD Early Learning Center, Almost Home Daycare, Joyful Beginnings  
 3rd – Tied: KinderCare, Bright Horizons, Newark Christian

**Childcare**  
 2nd- Dr. Otto;  
 3rd – Dr. Gray Hall

**DENTAL PRACTICE:**  
 1st – Newark Dental  
 2nd – Tied: Dr. Charles Calhoun, Kirkwood Dental, Dr. Jacobs  
 3rd – Tied: Delaware Modern Dental, Neil McAneny, DDS PA, David Nibouar, Dr. Collins, Dr. J. Harris

**DRY CLEANER:**  
 1st – Christiana Cleaners  
 2nd – Webb's;  
 3rd – Tied: Heritage, Parkway Cleaners, Toni, Newark, Eden

**EYE CARE (OPTOMETRIST):**  
 1st – Simon Eye Associates

**FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPANY:**  
 1st – Tied: PNC Bank, State Farm

**FLORIST:**  
 1st – Boyd's Flowers  
 2nd – Kirk's Flowers;  
 3rd – Newark Florist

**FURNITURE STORE:**  
 1st – Value City  
 2nd – Furniture Barn;  
 3rd – Jodlbauer's Furniture

**GIFT SHOP:**  
 1st – Grass Roots Handcrafts  
 2nd – Pereguoy's Gift & Collectible; 3rd – Bloom

**GOLF COURSE – PUBLIC:**  
 1st – Del Castle  
 2nd – Frog Hollow; 3rd – Deerfield Golf & Tennis Club

**GREETING CARD SHOP:**  
 1st – Cindy's Hallmark  
 2nd – Betty's Hallmark;  
 3rd – Grass Roots

**HAIR SALON:**  
 1st – Town & Country Salon  
 2nd – Tied: Town Hair Salon,

Trilogy Salon & Day Spa  
 3rd – Tied: Hair Your Way, White Mink, Precision Hair, Platinum Hair Salon

**HAIR STYLIST (INDIVIDUAL):**  
 1st – Heather at Town & Country;  
 Don at White Mink

**HARDWARE STORE:**  
 1st – Home Depot  
 2nd – True Value; 3rd – Lowe's

**HEALTH CLUB/GYM:**  
 1st – Kirkwood Fitness  
 2nd – Tied: YMCA, Body Visions,

See **BEST OF, 37** ▶

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For pet supplies, readers picked Concord Pet Food and Supplies as their first choice. The store has several locations in the Newark area, including this branch in Suburban Plaza on Elkton Road. PetKare came in second and Ellie's Paws 'n' Claws took third place in the category.

**BEST OF, from 34**

1614 Fitness; 3rd – The Zone

**HEATING & AIR  
CONDITIONING CONTRACTOR:**

1st – George Burns  
2nd – Tied: Advanced HVAC, Boulden, Inc; 3rd – Jos. Frederick & Son

**INSURANCE AGENCY:**

1st – Tied: Bob Mullen/State Farm, Horace Mann Insurance  
2nd – Tied: Liberty Mutual, St. Good, Nationwide/Four Seasons Plaza  
3rd – Tom Wiseley/Allstate (Middletown)

Morris; 3rd – Michael Gallagher Jewelers

**JEWELRY REPAIR:**

1st – Minsters Jewelers  
2nd – Harris Jewelers; 3rd – Tied: A.R. Morris Jewelers, Michael Gallagher Jewelers

**JEWELRY STORE:**

1st – Harris Jewelers  
2nd – Tied: Janvier Jewelers, A.R.

See **BEST OF, 38** ▶

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Readers selected Goodyear at 60 Chestnut Hill Plaza as the best in tire sales and service. Tied for second place was Palumbo's and Diamond State, and third place went to Delaware Tire Center Inc.

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## Greater Newark's Best of ...

**BEST OF, from 37**

**LANDSCAPING:**  
1st - Countryside Lawn & Landscape  
2nd - R.C. Brendle & Daughters;  
3rd - Eagle Landscaping

**LAW FIRM:**  
1st - Law Office of Vance A. Funk PA  
2nd - The Elwood Eveland Law Firm;  
3rd - Tied: Bifferatto, Gentilotti & Biden, Piet van Ogtrop, Esq.

**LAWN EQUIPMENT, SALES, SERVICE:**  
1st - Sears  
2nd - Home Depot; 3rd - Hooper, Inc.

**LAWN MAINTENANCE:**  
1st - Green Master  
2nd - Pete Salvatore

**LIMO SERVICE:**  
1st - DND Limousine Service  
2nd - Buker Limousine; 3rd - Delaware Express Shuttle

**MARTIAL ARTS STUDIO:**

1st - Jack's Kickboxing  
2nd - American Karate; 3rd - Korean Martial Arts by John Godwin

**NAIL SALON:**  
1st - Tied: Trilogy, Lovely Nails, Touche of Class  
2nd - All About You

**NURSERY/GARDEN CENTER:**  
1st - Richardson's  
2nd - Leon's Garden World; 3rd - Countryside Nursery & Garden Center

**PARTY & EVENT RENTAL STORE:**  
1st - Sheila's Party World  
2nd - Fulton Paper & Party; 3rd - Tied: Party City, Diamond State Party

**PEST CONTROL:**  
1st - J.C. Ehrlich Termite & Pest  
2nd - Tied: APM Newark Termite & Pest, Royal Termite & Pest Control, Terminix  
3rd - Tied: United Exterminating, Promise Pest Control

See **BEST OF, 39** ▶

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BEST OF, from 38

PET GROOMING SERVICE:
1st - Gin-Way Kennels
2nd - Ellie's Paws 'N Claws; 3rd - Petco

PET KENNEL:
1st - Gin-Way Kennels
2nd - Captain's Quarters (Elkton MD); 3rd - Playtime Doggie Daycare

PET SITTING SERVICE:
1st - Gin-Way Kennels
2nd - Noah's Ark; 3rd - Pike Creek Animal Hospital

PET SUPPLY STORE:
1st - Concord Pet Foods & Supplies
2nd - Pet Kare; 3rd - Ellie's Paws 'N Claws

PHARMACY:
1st - Happy Harry's
2nd - Rite Aid; 3rd - Eckerds

PHYSICAL THERAPY PRACTICE:
1st - PRO Physical Therapy
2nd - Dynamic Physical Therapy; 3rd - Delaware Curative

PICTURE FRAMING (CUSTOM):
1st - You've Been Framed
2nd - Michael's; 3rd - Tied: Jo-Ann Fabrics, Finley's

PRINTING/COPY SERVICE:
1st - Kinko's
2nd - Staples; 3rd - UPS Store

REAL ESTATE AGENCY:
1st - Patterson Schwartz
2nd - REMAX; 3rd - Prudential Fox & Roach

REAL ESTATE AGENT (INDIVIDUAL):
1st - Eddie Riffin/REMAX Wilmington-Riffin Group
2nd - Marcus DuPhilly/Patterson

Schwartz; 3rd - Barbara Macy's Mulrooney/Patterson Schwartz

SCHOOL - PRIVATE:
1st - Tied: Caravel Academy, Wilmington Friends School
2nd - Independence School; 3rd - Tatnall School

STORAGE FACILITY:
1st - Newark Self Storage
2nd - Red Lion Self Storage; 3rd - Pencader Self Storage

TAILOR (CLOTHING ALTERATIONS):
1st - Christiana Cleaners
2nd - Italo's Tailor Shop; 3rd - Ted's

TANNING SALON:
1st - Hollywood Tans
2nd - Tied: All About You, Trilogy, Touch of Tan, California Sun

TIRES - SALES & SERVICE
1st - Newark Good year
2nd - Tied: Palumbo's Car Care Center, Diamond State Tire; 3rd - Delaware Tire

TRAVEL AGENCY:
1st - Charlie B Travels/Uniglobe
2nd - Tied: Ambassador, Liberty

VETERINARY CLINIC:
1st - White Clay Creek Veterinary
2nd - Lums Pond Animal Hospital; 3rd - VCA Newark

VIDEO STORE:
1st - Blockbuster
2nd - Video American; 3rd - California Video

Watch Repair:
1st - Minsters Jewelers
2nd - Harris Jewelers; 3rd - Michael Gallagher Jewelers

WEDDING PLANNING SERVICE:
1st - Trilogy
2nd - Tied: DuPont Country Club,

OUT OF AREA RESTAURANTS:

CECIL CO., MD.:
1st - Baker's Restaurant (Elkton, Md.)
2nd - Woody's Crab House (North

East, Md.)
3rd - Tied: Bayard House (Chesapeake City, Md.); Buck's Restaurant (Rising Sun, Md.)

KENT COUNTY, DE:
1st - Tied: Cool Springs Fish Bar & Restaurant (Dover); Red Lobster (Dover)
2nd - Tied: Thomas England

House (Smyrna); Smyrna Diner, Pizzeria Uno (Dover); Wayside Inn (Smyrna)

PENNSYLVANIA
1st - Ye Olde Concordville Inn (Concordville, Pa.)
2nd - Farmacia (Philadelphia)
3rd - The Farmhouse Restaurant (Avondale)

Baker's Restaurant advertisement featuring a lotus flower, the text 'Thank you Delaware for voting us "Best Chicken 'n Dumplings", and your Favorite Restaurant in Cecil County.', and contact information for 1075 Augustine Herman Hwy, Elkton, MD.

Home Grown Cafe & Gourmet To Go advertisement featuring a woman in a black dress holding a martini glass, and text including 'FULL MENU 'TIL MIDNITE', 'HAPPY HOUR', and 'LIVE MUSIC'.

CleanPRO Detail Center advertisement with text 'Thanks, Delaware, for voting us #1 Car Wash & Auto Detailing Shop!', logo, phone number (302) 834-6878, and address 'Off Rt. 40 East, near Fox Run Shopping Center, just past RR tracks, Behind Furniture Solution.'




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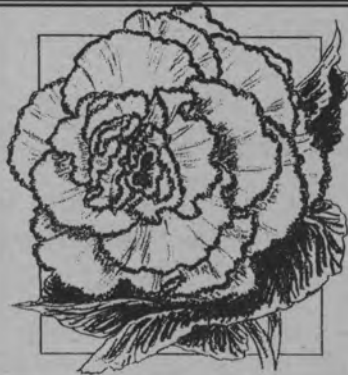
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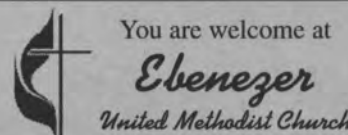
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## BRIEFS

**Sniffing, sneezing season here**

It's the same thing every year — as soon as the temperatures cool down, the allergies flare up. But seasonal allergies don't have to ruin your fall fun, say respiratory therapists from the American Association for Respiratory Care. The key is knowing how to handle them.

"Some of the worst pollen of the year comes in the fall, especially ragweed," says Linda A. Smith, B.S., RRT, a staff therapist at Bay State Medical, Inc., in Hanover, Md. "Also, mold grows throughout the summer and the spores are ripe to become airborne with one good breeze."

Regardless of what causes your allergies, treatment consists of two components — medications and environmental control. People with seasonal allergies benefit from antihistamines, decongestants and nasal steroids, all of which are designed to minimize symptoms.

When it comes to environmental control, Smith says seasonal allergy sufferers should keep windows closed and use a clothes dryer rather than hang clothes outside to dry. Staying inside when the wind picks up is a good idea too.

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**Campaign to end cervical cancer**

Lt. Governor John Carney was joined by health professionals in kicking off the "Ending Cervical Cancer in Our Lifetime" campaign. Delaware is one of 10 states piloting the program.

The program's goal is to educate women on the direct connection between the human papillomavirus (HPV) and cervical cancer. In fact, HPV causes 99.7 percent of all cervical cancer cases.

"This is one of those rare instances when we can eliminate a terrible disease," said Carney, who also chairs the Delaware Health Care Commission and serves on

the Delaware Cancer consortium. "We know that this disease is preventable. We need to make sure every woman knows that."

The initiative uses a simple brochure and a bracelet kit to help women make the connection between HPV and cervical cancer. The brochure details prevention,

screening and new technologies, including vaccines that can help women avoid HPV and cervical cancer. The bracelet, which is meant to be put together by women, is symbolic of making the connection and also serves as a distraction for some who might find the subject matter uncomfortable.

**Caregiver Expo set for Nov. 2**

The 2nd Annual Delaware Caregiver Expo will be held Nov. 2, from noon to 7:30 p.m., at the Chase Center on the Riverfront in Wilmington. The expo is free and includes lunch, mid-day snacks, dinner and dessert for all attendees.

Hosted by Delaware Health and Social Services' Division of Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities (DSAAPD), the expo offers a day of learning, sharing and support for family caregivers. It will feature educational seminars, health screenings, spa treatments, product demonstrations, and more.

Speakers include Larry Mendte, evening news anchor of CBS 3 News; Dr. William H. Thomas, visiting scholar of AARP Delaware; Suzanne

Mintz, co-founder of the National Family Caregivers Association; Dr. Sara Stookey, a geriatric specialist; Jack Markell, Delaware State Treasurer; and Frank Miller, a nationally certified school psychologist from Lake Forest School District.

In Delaware, 130,000 people — nearly 1 in 4 residents — are serving as caregivers for elderly or disabled relatives. Another 7,200 are caring for their grandchildren. More than half spend an average of 20 hours each week tending to medical needs, nutrition and activities of daily life while also serving as an advocate for their loved ones in communicating with doctors, insurance companies and Medicare.

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Ashley Denise Williams  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Ashley Denise Itri 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 Ashley Denise Williams.  
*Ashley Denise Williams*  
Petitioner  
Dated: Oct. 4, 2006  
np 10/13,20,27

**LIEN SALE**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at a lien sale on 11/14/06 at 1:30 p.m. at:  
**PUBLIC STORAGE  
425 NEW CHURCHMANS ROAD  
NEW CASTLE, DE 19720**  
The personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:  
A003 - Josh Mercabante - construction tools and equipment  
G002 - Corey Smith - 2 box springs, 2 mattresses, stereo  
D006 - Jodie Ryan - baby crib, portable TV, toys  
C192 - Vincent J Knight- computer, weights, 2 suitcases  
C099 - Jon Collier - box spring, dresser, mattress  
D004 - Gary Barker - 20 bags, exercise equipment, shop vac, hutch  
G042 - Linda Ingram - dresser, office chair, desk  
D038 - Yvette Osborn - upholstered chair, tool box, exercise equipment, end table  
C035 - Deatrich Miller - misc. household items  
np 10/13,20

**CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA**  
**OCTOBER 23, 2006 - 7:30 PM**

- SILENT MEDITATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- CITY SECRETARY'S MINUTES FOR COUNCIL APPROVAL:**
  - Regular Council Meeting of October 9, 2006
- ITEMS NOT ON PUBLISHED AGENDA:**
  - Public (5 minutes per speaker)
  - University
    - Administration
    - Student Body Representative
  - Council Members
- ITEMS NOT FINISHED AT PREVIOUS MEETING:** None
- RECOMMENDATIONS ON CONTRACTS & BIDS:** None
- ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING & PUBLIC HEARING:**
  - Bill 06-28 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 32, Zoning, By Amending Certain BLR District Area Requirements
- PLANNING COMMISSION/DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:** None
- ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING:**
  - Bill 06-29 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 2, Administration, By Revising the Membership of the Downtown Newark Partnership. (2nd Read. 11/13/06)
  - Bill 06-30 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 20, Motor Vehicle & Traffic, By Requiring Mud Flaps on Certain Vehicles & By Amending the Fines for Red Light Violations (2nd Read. 11/13/06)
- ITEMS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLISHED AGENDA:**
  - COUNCIL MEMBERS:** None
  - COMMITTEES, BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:**
    - Resignation & Appointment to Planning Commission - Dist. 3
  - OTHERS:** None
- SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:**
  - Special Reports from Manager & Staff:
    - Report re Electric Rate Design Alternatives
    - Setting Date for Public Hearing of 2007 General Operating Budget
    - Filling Council Vacancies
  - Alderman's Report
  - Financial Statement
  - Request for an Executive Session re Personnel

**\*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, or online at <http://newark.de.us>.  
np 10/20

**LEGALS AUCTIONS LEGALS AUCTIONS**

**CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
**OCTOBER 23, 2006 - 7:30 PM**  
Pursuant to Section 402.2 of the City Charter and Section 32-79 of the Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, notice is hereby given of a public hearing at a regular meeting of the Council in the Council Chamber at the Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, Newark, Delaware, on **Monday, October 23, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.**, at which time the Council will consider for Final Action and Passage the following proposed Ordinance:  
**Bill No. 06-28** - An Ordinance Amending Chapter 32, Zoning, By Amending Certain BLR District Area Requirements  
Susan A. Lamblack, MMC  
City Secretary  
np 10/6,20

**GARAGE KEEPER SALE**  
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1998 FORD F150.....VIN# 1FTZX17W8WN857161  
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1998 FORD EXPLORER.....VIN# 1FMZU32E3WUC40310  
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1986 CADILLAC FLEETWOOD.....VIN# 1G6DW69Y0G9740569  
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2000 TOYOTA CAMRY.....VIN# 4T1BG22K3YU990429  
1999 MAZDA PROTÉGÉ.....VIN# JM1BJ2229X0194151  
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1983 PORSCHE 944.....VIN# WP0AA0944DN459094  
1999 NISSAN ALTIMA.....VIN# 1N4DL01D0XC181786  
1998 DODGE INTREPID.....VIN# 2B3HD46R4WH126548  
1993 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM.....VIN# 1P3XA463XPF618129  
1999 KIA SPORTAGE.....VIN# KNDJA7238X5580984  
np 10/20

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, OCT. 21, 2006 • 10 AM**  
**Preview Friday, Oct. 20, 2006 from Noon to 4 p.m.**  
**City of Newark Maintenance Complex**  
**Phillips Ave., Newark, DE**  
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1996 Dodge Pickup  
1998 Ford F250 Pickup  
1993 Ford F150 Pickup  
1990 Utility Trailer  
1992 International 4900 Dump Truck

**EQUIPMENT:**  
1991 Lincoln Arc Welder, gas engine driven shield arc, SA 200 amp - mounted on a home-made trailer

**BICYCLES:** Huffy, Trek, BMX, Roadmaster, Mag-na Skyquest, Mountain Bikes

**SCOOTER:** Zoomee Scooter

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**New Today**

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**CHILDS- MARLEY FARMS** 79 Vista Drive, in btwn 213 & Blueball Rd. Saturday, Oct 21st, 8am-2 or ? General h/h, clothes, games, books, stackable washer/dryer, lawn spreader.

**New Today**

**YARD SALE**

**ELK MILLS** 543 Elk Mills Rd, Elkton Newark Rd to Fletchwood turns into Elk Mills Rd Sat 10/21 9a-3p lots of sweaters, jackets, coats, jeans, teens thru women's sizes, books & misc h/hold items

**660 YARD SALES**

**New Today**

**YARD SALE**

**ELKTON 106** Delaware Ave. **Thurs 10/19 & Fri 10/20 9-5 & Thurs 10/26 & Fri 10/27 9-5** brand name clothing, shoes, handbags, baby items, glassware, books, Halloween & Christmas decorations etc. Lots of items never used!!

**YARD SALE**

**ELKTON- 206** Friendship Road off East Main St. October 21st, 7am-Noon. Table saw, tools, small motors, various household items, collectibles, etc.

**New Today**

**Multi Family**

**ELKTON: 590** Middle Road, off of Blue Ball Road, (Pleasant Hill area) Sat, October 21, 8am-3pm. Lots of children's clothes, infants boys-girls, up to size 10. *Something for Everyone.*

**660 YARD SALES**

**New Today**

**ELKTON:** West Creek Shops, off of Fletchwood Road, Sat., October 21. 9am-3pm. Flea Market Sale. Benefits St Judes. Food available.

**NORTH EAST- 1** South Mauldin Ave. (Behind the North East Bank). Sat & Sun 10/21 & 22. 9AM. Outdoors and indoors. Clothing, furniture, halloween, Christmas, bar items, Nascar, videos, cd, and many other assorted items.

**Multi Family**

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**660 YARD SALES**

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**New Today**

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**660 YARD SALES**

**Multi Family**

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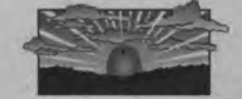
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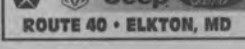
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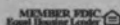
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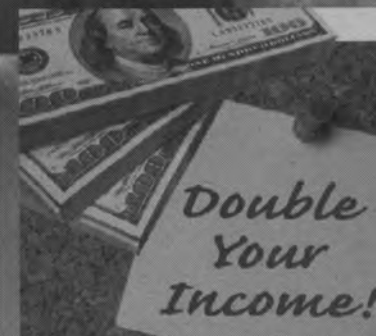
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