

UP FRONT

Switching seats

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

I might as well have been approaching a cliff at 200 miles per hour. I had my right foot jammed on the brake so hard I was practically standing. Unfortunately, the brake wasn't working.

Fortunately, though, there was no cliff either.

Actually, I was only in a parking lot and I had no brake because I was in the passenger seat. But just before running out of room, my daughter negotiated a fine right hand turn and headed up the next aisle. All was good – at least for another seven seconds or so.

Yes, I've finally reached that time that I never really believed would actually get here – and certainly never looked forward to. If you've already been through it, you're probably laughing. If you haven't been through it, you have no idea.

My daughter – my oldest child – is learning to drive. She started driving officially with a driver's ed teacher in school this week. The whole license thing is right around the corner.

Dutifully, I thought, I'd take her to a parking lot and let her try to get used to a vehicle before actually getting in one with a teacher. So off to the Glasgow High back parking lot we went. The place is huge and it's wide open – or so I thought.

Once there, I noticed about a million light posts. Yeah, I really didn't remember seeing them before. How do you expect anybody to drive with all those things out there? And that baseball field – with

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Valania

For as long as it takes

Newark demonstrators will show neighbors they are 'strongly against this war'

By PATRICIA E. LANG

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They leave work, school, or home early every Friday to get to the intersection of Main Street and South College Avenue in Newark by 5 p.m.

They come from various walks of life – an English instructor, day care owner, carpenter, solar energy scientist, music teacher, artist, disc jockey, high school student, college student, retired chemistry professor – and grab hold of their various signs – "Iraq War Losing Lives Gaining Terrorists," "Honk for Peace," "Save Our Troops Stop the War," "Out of Iraq Now," "How Many Lives per Gallon?"

These dedicated Newark residents will stand at the edge of the sidewalk outside Old College until 6 p.m. They've been doing this every Friday evening (give or take a rainy day that makes the signs warp and ink run) since

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NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY PATRICIA E. LANG

Peace demonstrators wave their signs to passing traffic last Friday, Aug. 31. For three years, this group of Newark residents, students and others has demonstrated weekly at the intersection of S. College Avenue and Main Street.



Police pursuing school vandals

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Vandalizing schools has become almost as common as false fire alarms in New Castle County. Sometime over the Labor Day weekend, vandals spray-painted images on the roof of the entire length of William Penn High School in Colonial School District.

Corporal Jeffrey Whitmarsh of Delaware State Police stated that there were about 150 separate graffiti images on the exterior of the half-mile-long building. The vandals apparently used milk carts to get onto the roof, police said.

In another weekend incident, an offi- See **VANDALS**, 18 ►

Rodel invests in education

Local company's Foundation commits \$2 million

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Rodel Foundation of Delaware, a coalition partner in the Vision 2015 plan for world-class public education in Delaware, has committed \$2 million to support the plan in 2007-08.

This commitment includes approximately \$1 million for the previously announced Vision Network of districts and charter schools that are the first group to implement key Vision 2015 recommendations. (see *Newark Post*

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Arrest made in Main Street robbery

Newark Police Department arrested a 39-year-old Newark man on Friday, Aug. 31, during a commercial burglary at the Newark Dental Associates in the 300 block of E. Main Street. Police responded to a burglary alarm at the business. On arrival, officers discovered a broken basement window and saw a man inside the building. The man refused to obey officers' orders to exit the building, said police.

Officers searched the building with the help of the Newark Police K-9 and located the suspect, Darren L. Hayman, of the unit block of Farnsworth Drive, in one of the examination rooms, said police.

Hayman was arrested after a brief struggle. He was treated at Newark Emergency Center for dog bites, arraigned and committed to the Howard Young Correctional Institution in lieu of \$1,500 cash bail, said police.

County and state police investigate Brookside robberies

New Castle County and the Delaware State Police investigated a series of related robberies that occurred on Thursday, Aug. 30, in the Brookside Community in the Newark area.

At 10:35 p.m., police responded to two separate robbery investigations that had just occurred near the Brookside Shopping Center. The first incident occurred in the Chestnut Hill Plaza Shopping Center. Two victims reported they were approached by a male wearing dark-colored clothing who motioned to them as if he had a weapon. The suspect took an undisclosed amount of cash from the victims.

The second incident was reported to the New Castle County Police Department moments later. A male victim reported he was walking with his sister on Brookside Drive when they were approached by a male subject who pointed a handgun at them.

The suspect took an undisclosed amount of cash and the victim's cell phone before fleeing on foot. The victims reported seeing the suspect get into a light-colored vehicle that drove off from the area of Marrows Road.

While investigating the second incident, two more male victims approached the county officers and reported that they were robbed by two male subjects. One of the suspects fit the same description as the person responsible for the previous robberies, said police.

The suspects are described as teenage black males wearing all

dark clothing. The suspect who was armed with the gun, was wearing dark blue jeans, a blue sweatshirt, and black and white sneakers.

To offer information regarding this crime, please call the New Castle County Police Department at 395-8171 or the Delaware State Police at 834-2620, ext. 4.

Victim threatened with knife

A 19-year-old Newark man reported being threatened with a knife by a white male suspect while walking through the pedestrian underpass under the CSX railroad tracks on Casho Mill Road on Saturday, Sept. 1, at 8:30 a.m., said police.

Police said the suspect approached the victim from behind. The suspect threatened the victim and took an undisclosed amount of cash. He then fled on foot into an alley nearby, said police.

The suspect was described as 20 to 25 years of age, about 5' 9", 160 to 180 pounds with short brown hair and a thin build. Anyone with information is asked to contact the Newark Police Department at 366-7111 or Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

Cash taken from deli

An unknown suspect broke into a deli in the 100 block of Elkton Road, stealing the cash register drawer and all of the money in it, police were told on Monday, Aug. 27, at 11:14 a.m. Investigation will continue.

Man assaulted outside home

A 29-year-old Newark man reported being assaulted by a group of 10 to 12 people outside his home in the 100 block of Gateway Drive on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 1:28 a.m. Warrants were prepared for three suspects. More

arrests are expected.

Other incidents

A wallet was removed from the purse of a woman shopping in the **100 block of College Square** by an unknown suspect, police were told on Wednesday, Aug. 29, at 10:05 p.m. The wallet was left, unattended, in a shopping cart.

Police responded to a fight in progress at a parking lot in the **600 block of Lehigh Road** on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 11:12 p.m. Kevin Markle, 36, of Townsend, received a criminal summons for disorderly conduct and offensive touching, and William Douthy, 36, of Newark received a summons for disorderly conduct, said police.

Police warned a 15-year-old Newark boy not to return to a convenience store in the **200 block of Elkton Road** after using profane language and being disrespectful to the store clerk on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 10:19 a.m.

A safety fence at a worksite in the **200 block of Casho Mill Road** was damaged by unknown suspects, police were told on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 7:15 a.m. The suspects tipped over two port-a-johns on site, as well.

A 14-year-old Newark boy was charged with menacing after police were told he shot a BB gun near five neighborhood children in the **100 block of Madison Drive** on Monday, Aug. 27, at 7:56 p.m.

An unknown suspect cut the chain on a bicycle parked in the **3000 block of Scholar Drive** and stole it, police were told on Monday, Aug. 27, at 3:23 p.m.

A swastika was found scratched into a set of front steps in the **300 block of Bent Lane**, causing the resident to be alarmed, police were told on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 12:34 p.m.

Unattended bicycles were stolen from a rack in the **700 block of Library Avenue**, on Friday, Aug. 17, at 3:38 p.m., and from a rack in the **100 block of Suburban Plaza** on Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 4:29 p.m., police were told.

Vehicles targeted

Construction equipment valued at more than \$1,500 was stolen from the back of a truck parked in the **unit block of New London Road**, police were told on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 10:40 a.m.

An unknown suspect slashed all four tires on a Chevrolet Silverado parked in the **unit block of Hawthorne Avenue**, police were told on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 6:38 a.m.

The tires on a Honda Odyssey parked in the **200 block of E. Cleveland Avenue** were stolen by an unknown suspect, police were told on Monday, Aug. 27, at 9:57 a.m.

The tires and rims of two Subaru Imprezas were stolen by unknown suspects, police were told on Monday, Aug. 27, at 6:55 a.m.

POLICE BLOTTER



Weekly crime report

STATISTICS FOR AUG. 19-25, 2007, COMPILED BY NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

PART I OFFENSES	INVESTIGATIONS			CRIMINAL CHARGES		
	2006 TO DATE	2007 TO DATE	THIS WEEK	2006 TO DATE	2007 TO DATE	THIS WEEK
Murder/manslaughter	0	0	0	0	1	0
Attempted murder	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kidnap	0	3	0	11	2	0
Rape	8	7	0	4	6	0
Unlawful sexual contact	4	5	0	4	1	0
Robbery	56	25	1	48	44	0
Aggravated assault	34	36	0	34	38	0
Burglary	91	122	2	44	202	1
Theft	589	588	19	170	274	6
Auto theft	91	63	3	9	10	0
Arson	6	1	0	6	0	0
All other	52	60	4	65	143	1
TOTAL PART I	931	911	29	395	721	8

PART II OFFENSES						
Other assaults	257	278	4	160	235	3
Receiving stolen property	2	0	0	30	27	3
Criminal mischief	465	342	6	288	141	2
Weapons	6	8	0	60	73	1
Other sex offenses	12	14	0	16	8	0
Alcohol	238	255	14	544	511	28
Drugs	82	101	6	296	282	9
Noise/disorderly premise	434	398	22	251	202	7
Disorderly conduct	869	669	14	116	154	4
Trespass	120	102	5	62	76	0
All other	395	384	7	144	160	2
TOTAL PART II	2880	2551	78	1967	1869	59

MISCELLANEOUS						
Alarm	963	1053	33	0	0	0
Animal control	386	393	13	34	4	0
Recovered property	198	184	6	0	0	0
Service	6208	5451	152	0	0	0
Suspicious person/vehicle	667	655	19	0	0	0
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS	8422	7736	223	34	4	0

	THIS WEEK 2006	2006 TO DATE	THIS WEEK 2007	2007 TO DATE
TOTAL CALLS	535	18304	524	17693

IN THE NEWS

Newark swimmer spends week at Olympics Facility

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A Newark area girl recently returned from a camp for top YMCA swimmers held at the Olympic Training Facility in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Kristen Dornstauber, 17, daughter of Nancy and Mark Dornstauber, was one of 20 swimmers picked from around the country to attend the camp, sponsored by the YMCA of the USA.

There, campers worked out in the pool twice a day and took afternoon classes taught by Olympic trainers that focused on specific techniques such as nutrition and goal setting, said Dornstauber.

"It was a lot of fun, but we definitely worked hard," she said.

Dornstauber, who trains at the Brandywine YMCA, qualified for the selective camp by placing in the top 16 at the YMCA National Championships held earlier this summer. Nearly 1,200 kids attended the meet. Dornstauber has competed at YMCA nation-

als since the age of 12. She has been swimming, competitively, since she was 8 years old.

Her coach, John Pearson, said "Kristen's always shown a lot of promise. She's a good swimmer."

She typically practices six to seven times a week and spends a couple hours each week doing weight training.

She is the first swimmer from the Brandywine YMCA to attend the national camp, which Pearson called "an honor." "I think that a lot of the kids that participate in Y nationals that know about the camp would like to attend, but they need to be fast enough to go."

At nationals, Dornstauber proved she had the speed it took. And, now a senior at Tower Hill School in Wilmington, she has big goals for her swimming career.

"Right now, I'm looking at swimming in college and talking to a bunch of coaches," she said. She hopes to swim for an NCAA team, and even try-out for the 2012 Olympics.

Visiting the Olympics training facility and meeting some



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Newark area resident Kristen Dornstauber recently attended a swim camp at the U.S. Olympic Training Facility in Colorado. She placed 13th in the 400 Individual Medley at YMCA National Swimming Championships, which qualified her for camp.

Olympic athletes certainly added to her inspiration. "One week of training isn't going to change everything, but I definitely learned a lot," she said.

When not in the pool, she enjoys being on the newspaper staff at school and working as a lifeguard during the summer. But swimming, she said, is some-

thing she can't live without it. "I couldn't imagine my life without. There are days when you struggle, but it's definitely worth it," she said.

DelDOT wants your ideas

Public invited to comment on 6-year plan for state roads

Have some ideas for Delaware's Department of Transportation (DelDOT)? Like somebody to hear them?

Next week, you can get your chance by attending a hearing for DelDOT's Capital Transportation Program. DelDOT officials will be joined by the citizen-member Council on Transportation and the Wilmington Area Planning Council.

The meeting will be held Wednesday, Sept. 12, at Delaware Technical and Community College's Stanton Campus, 400 Stanton-Christiana Road in the Newark area.

The CTP hearings are an opportunity for the public to review and comment on the list of projects and issues that have been identified to solve various transportation problems throughout the state.

At the hearing, DelDOT will review the current six-year Capital Program for fiscal years 2008 - 2013. This program rep-

resents the priorities of elected officials, local planning organizations and the public.

In addition, the meetings also provide an opportunity for attendees to suggest transportation projects and/or services to be considered for the new CTP, which will represent fiscal years 2009 - 2014. Public input received during the September meetings is crucial to the development of this program, said DelDOT spokesman Darrell Cole.

An informal workshop session begins at 6 p.m., on Sept. 12. Display boards will illustrate the current and proposed projects in each county. The public may offer its input on future project priorities at 7 p.m.

Interested persons are invited to express their views in writing, giving reasons for support of or in opposition to, the proposed project. Comments will be received during the workshop or can be mailed to DelDOT Public Relations, P.O. Box 778, Dover, DE 19903.

For more information contact DelDOT's public relations office at 1-800-652-5600 or 302-760-2080 or write to the above address.

Rotary members receive awards

Members of the Newark Rotary Club received Paul Harris Fellow Awards on Monday, Aug. 24, for contributions they have made to humanitarian and educational programs of the Rotary Foundation.

Rotarians Bill Searles, Bill King, Jen Reider, Ross Austin, Steve Crouse, Peggy Dee, Dave Miller, Frank Mayer Jr. and Greg Warren received recognition for individual contributions of \$1,000 or more.

Presenting the awards, District Governor Judy Friis said, com-

bined, the group gave more than \$40,000 to the Foundation. Rotarians, she said, "save their communities, and they save the communities next door."

The Paul Harris Fellowship is named for Paul Harris who founded Rotary with three business associates in 1905.

Programs funded by the Rotary Foundation include humanitarian and educational efforts. Funds provide health care, clean water, food, education and other essentials in the developing world. Polio Plus, which seeks to eradicate the polio-

virus worldwide, is another major program funded by Rotary.

Through its educational programs, the Foundation provides funding for 1,200 students to study abroad each year. Grants are awarded to university teachers to teach in developing countries and for the exchange of business and professional people through the Group Study Exchange program.

The Newark Rotary club has received grants from the Foundation, including one for Dr. April Vaness from the University of Delaware to teach in Guatemala.



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY CHRISTINE NEFF

From left to right, Steve Crouse, District Governor Judy Friis, Bill King, Jen Reider, Greg Warren, Frank Mayer Jr., Bill Searles, Dave Miller, Club President Steve Makowski and Ross Austin.

In Our Schools

EDUCATION NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS

NOTE PAD

School board meeting

The Christina District school board will hold its next regular meeting at Keene Elementary School on Route 40 on Tuesday, Sept. 11. The board is expected to vote on acceptance of the Neighborhood School Act plan that has been developed during the summer. The public is welcome at this meeting that starts at 7:30 p.m. For more information, visit www.Christina.k12.de.us.

Financial Review meeting

The next meeting of the Financial Review Committee in Christina District will be held at Gauger-Cobbs Middle School on Wednesday, Sept. 19. This Committee reviews, and advises the District's school board each month, the financial details of Christina's annual budget and spending. The public is welcome at the meeting that starts at 7 p.m.

School tax credit for senior citizens

Delaware's seniors are entitled to a Delaware school property tax credit. Applicants who qualify for this credit are eligible for a 50 percent reduction in the school portion of their property tax, with a maximum credit of \$500. Eligible seniors must: be 65 years or older; own property in Delaware that is used as a primary residence; And apply by Sept. 1 to receive the credit on this year's taxes. There are no income restrictions on this tax credit.

To apply for the Senior Property Tax Credit, visit www.finance.delaware.gov, or call the local tax office at 302-395-5520.

Colonial students 'get ready' for future

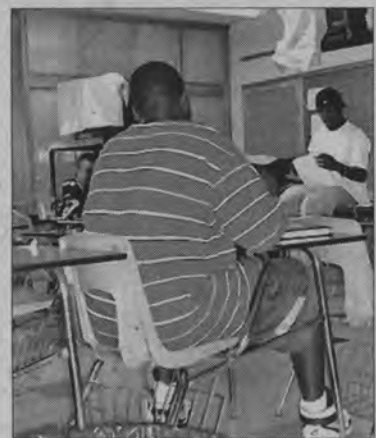
UD students mentor William Penn high schoolers

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Antonia De Luz graduated from the University of Delaware and almost immediately began helping local high school students prepare for the same opportunity. "I am currently the site director for 'Let's Get Ready,'" De Luz said in July. "Let's Get Ready (LGR) is a non-profit SAT prep program for disadvantaged high school students."

The nationwide program originated in New York City and this was its second year at William Penn High School in Colonial District. "[Bringing the program to Delaware] is the result of a partnership between LGR, Valero's Delaware City Refinery, and the Colonial School District,"



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY MARY E. PETZAK

Looking only slightly older than the high schoolers in his SAT coaching class this summer, rising University of Delaware junior LaMar Gibson sat on the teacher's desk to lead his charges through an assignment.

De Luz explained during a session. "We have three volunteer coaches that are teaching 21 William Penn High School students this summer."

Skyler Sully, LaMar Gibson, and Daniel Beeker were uniformly upbeat about their coaching experience. "I taught 9th grade here during the school year," explained Beeker who is preparing for a teaching career. "The dynamics are different [when coaching the SAT course] because you spend less time motivating them. I polled my SAT group at the start and 8 of the 10 students said it was their choice to be here this summer and not because their parents wanted it."

Gibson, a rising junior at UD, said he wanted to give back some of what he already had. "It would have been cool if I had this kind of experience before I went to college," Gibson said. "This has been a good learning experience for me, too; the sessions are well-attended, the kids listen to me and are willing to be interactive in the class."

Sully, a graduate student at UD, agreed that it was really important to share part of what he had learned. "Anybody can give back money," Sully said, "but I prefer to give back time."

Sully also noted that the high schoolers were attentive and interested in what he told them. "I try to explain how they can [have a career doing] what they love," Sully said. "They're especially open to listening when I

talk about that."

Let's Get Ready began in 1998, when a group of Harvard

community leaders, they began to provide free SAT and college preparation in a church basement in Mount Vernon, N.Y. In 2000, the College Board granted LGR seed funding to replicate Harvard's program on a much wider scale in New York City. Today, Let's Get Ready is building a movement of students helping students "step up" to college. De Luz, the only paid person in the local program, was impressed with the commitments that the UD students made during the summer. "They are volunteering their summer time to help these students succeed for their future," she said. "Not only are they prepping these students for the SATs, but they are also their mentors."

The college volunteers teach math and/or critical reading and writing in preparation for the SAT. LGR provides training and curriculum for the coaches. But, the college students quickly find that they also serve as role models. "Whether or not being a role model is technically part of the job description, it is definitely an inevitable and wonderful part of working with this program," said former LGR coach Melanie Gelfand, a 2006 graduate of Brown University.

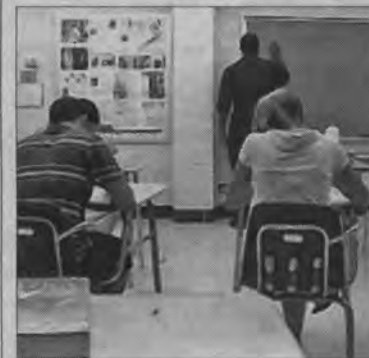
Since the start of the program, 1,400 LGR coaches have guided more than 3,500 under-served students through the college process. Ninety-four percent of LGR students go directly to college after high school and 84 percent go directly to four-year colleges. On average, LGR high schoolers increase their SAT scores by 103 points.



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY MARY E. PETZAK

Daniel Beeker, who is working toward a teaching career, liked coaching high schoolers who arrived already motivated to learn during the summer.

University students realized that the knowledge and expertise they had gained while applying to college could substantially benefit younger students who lacked access to critical support resources. With the help of com-



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY MARY E. PETZAK

Skyler Sully, a graduate student at UD, tells his high school mentees to look for a job they will love.

Holy Angels starts new school year with reading

Library Media Specialist Diana Taylor of Holy Angels School invited her students to join classrooms across the nation participating in Charlesbridge Publishing's Read "First Day Jitters" on the First Day of School campaign.

Many educators wanted to be part of this national event linking students, teachers, and schools in hopes that it builds a foundation for a life-long love of reading and learning and increases scholastic achievement. On Holy Angels School's first day of school, Sept.

4, students joined schools from Maine to Hawaii by starting the year off with what has been called a "funny and insightful" book by reviewers.

"First Day Jitters" was published in 2000 and received a place on Publishers Weekly's bestseller list at Back-to-School for four consecutive years. Young readers follow the plight of Sarah Jane Hartwell as she navigates her first day at a new school. Students and teachers alike can sympathize with Sarah Jane as they deal with their own back-to-

school jitters.

Charlesbridge, a publisher of books for children ages 0 - 14, kicked off the campaign in February 2007 to get America's children reading on the first day of school. Many schools planned special celebrations, including assemblies to read to the student body, class discussions about their own jitters, and older students reading to younger students.



IN OUR SCHOOLS

St. John Beloved inviting alumni to party!

St. John the Beloved School is celebrating its 50th year of providing Catholic education to area students. One of the fun-filled family events that are planned this year is a special alumni dance on Oct. 20 at St. John the Beloved's social hall. Ticket sale information will be released in September. School alumni can register to get updates at alumnicontract@saintjohnthebelovedschool.org.

Planned events for current students include:

- Birthday Party on Sept. 4 when each child will release a balloon with a postcard attached to it explaining the 50th Birthday Celebration, in hopes that some of the cards will be mailed back and they can learn how far they traveled. Additionally, a 10-year-old time capsule will be opened!
- Picnic on Sept. 14 in the church hall where entertainment will include music from the last 50 years played by



CBM Productions.

- Drive-in Movie on Oct. 31 when the social hall will be transformed to a 1950's era drive-in with popcorn machines and seats that look like cars.
- Birthday Parade on Nov. 20 when each homeroom from kindergarten to the eighth grade gets to show off a parade

float they created that bears the "50 years of History" theme.

St. John the Beloved is a Catholic elementary school located in the Sherwood Park area. For more information on the School and its upcoming 50th Anniversary, please call 302-998-5525 or email to sjtbschooloffice@saintjohnthebeloved.org.

Students compete in public speaking

Delaware State 4-Hers competed in a statewide public speaking competition at the Delaware State Fair. The contestants, who had previously won contests at the county level, further honed their public speaking skills, practiced projecting their voices, and overcame that last little bit of stage fright to speak to their audiences.

Winners from New Castle County included: Beginner (8-9 years old) - Third place winner Bobby Johnston of Newark - "Getting Messy at Environmental Science Camp;" Novice (10-11 years old) - Second place winner Daniel Schea of Newark - "Frogs of Our Time;" Junior (12-13 years old) - Third place winner Hannah Harvey of Chesapeake City - "Homelessness and Hunger: You CAN Make a Difference;" and Senior (14 and older) - Third place winner Emily Harvey of Chesapeake City - "The Bosnian Exchange: The Experience of a Lifetime."

Competitors in four different age divisions gave speeches that lasted from two minutes, for the youngest group, up to seven minutes for the high schoolers.

Delaware 4-H also hosted its first ever archery competition this year at the State Fair. Winners from New Castle County included: Intermediate Division - Compound Bow - First place winner Hunter Pleasanton of Bear; and Third place winner Joshua Schea of Newark.

4-H is the world's largest youth

group, teaching leadership, creativity and other life skills. 4-Hers participate in many events, contests and project areas. Delaware 4-H is a non-profit organization that does not discriminate against sex, race or religion. The New Castle County 4-H and Youth

Development program is just one of the many programs offered by the University of Delaware's New Castle County Cooperative Extension Office. For more information, visit <http://ag.udel.edu/extension/index.html>.

Replicating success

Lt. Governor John Carney gathered with the faculty and staff of Stanton Middle School in the Red Clay Consolidated School District on Thursday, Aug. 23, to celebrate the success the school has had in raising student achievement as a participant in the Models of Excellence in Education Replication Project.

In the last two years, Stanton has successfully raised student DSTP scores across the board and improved their overall school rating from Academic Watch to Commendable.

"I can't think of a better way to celebrate two years of hard work and dedication than by being here with you today," said Carney to the teachers and administrators assembled in the school library. "Testing this pilot program and making it such a great success took a school-wide effort. As we discovered, positive change for students happens at an individual level with the help of many caring teachers like you."

In 2005, Carney paired Models of Excellence in Education winner Selbyville Middle School of the Indian River School District with Stanton Middle School. The two schools began the pilot replication project with Selbyville sharing its successful model with Stanton.

"If we can start working together, then we don't have to deal with every issue one at a



time, over and over," said Dr. Linda Poole, former director of learning for the Christina School District and facilitator of the Models Replication Project. "It is an excellent growth model for the state."

In order to become a commendable school, Stanton had to meet Adequate Yearly Progress goals as measured by student performance on the DSTP for two consecutive years.

Currently, Stanton Middle School is beginning the process of sharing their newly formed model with W.T. Chipman Middle School from the Lake Forest School District.

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AMUSED, BEMUSED, CONFUSED

Antidepressants

By **MARVIN HUMMEL**

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

Recently, several syndicated newscasts have reported that the top category of prescription drugs sold in America is antidepressants. That was surprising to me – until I thought about it.

That same week, it was reported that fewer and fewer young people are watching newscasts because “they are too disturbing.” I was not surprised, but I am sympathetic.

Depression is often caused – not by “bad things” – but our realization that we can do nothing about them. Once characterized as a “can-do” nation, many millions of us no longer believe we know what’s going on, let alone can do something about it.



Hummel

A realistic sense of our inability to do anything about “bad things” is heightened by our inability to trust our leaders. Congress’ reputation is at an all-time low. Once the media began to report the amounts of money each presidential candidate was raising and identified these funds as the decisive factor in his or her getting nominated and elected, more and more of the public believe that our votes have become a necessary annoyance to the political apparatchiks and schlockmeisters.

We know that two kinds of campaign promises are made: one to the large financial donors and one to the voters. (We also know which promises will be honored.)

And we don’t trust the media. After the troubled bridge over Minneapolis waters collapsed, we began to hear reports from engineering experts that they had known and given urgent and repeated warnings that the bridge was in perilous condition. Why did we not know this?

In 2005, a Highway Administration report had identified 75,000 of our American bridges as “structurally deficient.” Originally reported to somebody or somebodies years ago – but why it is just coming “out” now? The Minneapolis Bridge.

Coal mines collapse – and after the fact, we are told how many times those mines were cited for “dangerous working conditions.” We hear all of this after candles of hope have been lit and prayer services held. Why after?

No one will soon forget the FEMA fiasco in New Orleans and the subsequent discoveries that shoddy, irresponsible work had been done, paid for, and OK’d. The head of FEMA was praised for having done “a good job.” Film crews let the public see what constituted a “good job.” (Can you imagine what a “bad job” would have looked like?! Thank you, film crews!)

Very recently it has come to our public awareness that the Pentagon has “lost track” of 190,000 AK-47 assault rifles and pistols, which we gave to the Iraqi security forces. They have “disappeared,” and experts widely assume that they were sold to insurgents fighting our U.S. forces in Iraq. When queried about the whereabouts of those deadly weapons, the U.S. military officials merely said, “We don’t know.”

When the Government Accounting Office looked into the deadly mystery and asked questions, they discovered that no central record had been kept for a year and a half! And, if and when the GAO does get some credible evidence, we won’t know it. It will be “classified” information.

During the last days of the Roman Empire, the rulers kept the public distracted and entertained with “beer and circuses.” More and more of us feel that we are providing the beer for their circuses, so we are neither entertained nor distracted. Just depressed.

(Incidentally, the report of the national bridge engineers has found that the safest bridges in the entire United States are in Washington, D.C. and the Virginia and Maryland counties adjoining, where the senators and congressmen and lobbyists reside. I know you’ll sleep better tonight having that bit of information.)

When a nation of “can-doers” realizes they can’t, antidepressants become the number #1 prescription drug.

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.

Cataldis celebrate 60 years of marriage

Octavio “Toby” and Doris Cataldi celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at La Casa Pasta Restaurant in Newark, with family on Sept. 1. The couple was married on Sept. 3, 1947, at Newark United Methodist Church.

They have been residents of Barefoot Bay, Fla., since 1980, moving from Newark. Mr. Cataldi is a retired Postmaster of New Castle. The couple has two sons, Bruce Cataldi and Alan Cataldi, both of Newark, and six granddaughters.

OUT OF THE ATTIC



This week's Out of the Attic features an undated file photo from the Newark Post archives. The photo shows members of Newark's VFW Post 475 participating in a ceremony. Readers who have a historic picture 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

Sept. 8, 1932 Favor Cyrus E. Rittenhouse for Democratic Ticket

Cyrus E. Rittenhouse, who made his debut into State politics when he announced his candidacy for representative in the General Assembly from the Ninth Representative District here on the Democratic ticket, is being strongly favored by his party for the post and is expected to be unopposed.

Mr. Rittenhouse's initial venture into town politics here this year created a unique situation when he tied for member of Town Council from the Middle District. He has a large number of friends who are prepared to actively campaign in his behalf.

Republican Delegate primaries Saturday, Sept. 10

The Republican Primaries for delegates will be held this Saturday to select delegates for the upcoming convention. The balloting will take place in the 1st election district at the Deer Park Hotel and the 2nd election district Washington Hotel. The polls will be open from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m.

From all reports it is anticipated that the primaries will be one of the

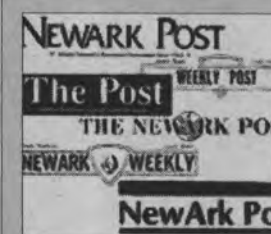
most spirited in years. The Better Government League of Delaware endorses J.K. Johnston as delegate and David Hill as alternate. R.G. Buckingham is opposing Mr. Johnston as delegate.

Sept. 7, 1977 Newark School District ready for active year

The forecast for the 1977-78 Newark school year looks like clear skies and smooth sailing for students and staff.

“We’re looking forward to a good year – we’re staffed and ready to go,” said H. Nelson Freidly, director of secondary education in the Newark School District.

And Dr. Philip A. Toman, director of informational services for the district, sees this year

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

COMMENTARY

My day with diabetes

By U.S. CONGRESSMAN
MIKE CASTLE

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Diabetes is a life changing disease requiring difficult lifestyle adjustments. Nearly 21 million people across the country – including 70,000 Delawareans – are living with this disease everyday.

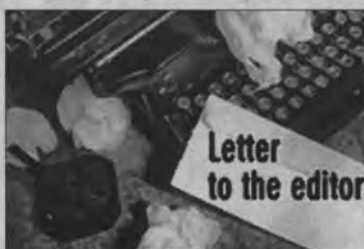
In a program sponsored by the American Diabetes Association, I had the opportunity to be “diagnosed” for a “Day with Diabetes,” to gain a better understanding of the impact this disease has on the lives of so many people.

As Co-Chair of the Congressional Diabetes Caucus in the House of Representatives, I knew the basics of this disease

but quickly learned how overwhelming it is to live within its confines and the difficulty and discipline needed to manage the disease.

To understand my diagnosis, I first met with certified diabetes educators in Washington, D.C., to discuss my treatment plan. From careful diet and eating habits, to checking blood sugar levels and administering insulin shots, I realized the challenges of managing diabetes are constant. My partner for the day was CJ Jones of Hockessin, who has lived with type 1 diabetes for the last 30 years. Since she was diagnosed in her early 20s so many of the decisions she has made in her life have been based on this condition.

CJ and I spent the afternoon



at Christiana Care's Center for Diabetes & Metabolic Diseases, where she has been receiving treatment for years. Dr. Robert Laskowski, Dr. James Lenhard of Christiana Care Health System and Dr. Ann Albright of the American Diabetes Association joined us in touring the center and discussing the impact of diabetes in Delaware and across the nation. The facilities and cutting-edge research at Christiana

Care are keeping Delaware at the forefront of expanding our knowledge of diabetes.

Christiana Care is working hard to both treat and prevent diabetes. It is one of only 17 centers nationwide testing a new study drug called teplizumab, which may improve the long-term health of diabetics. This type of research can and should be duplicated nationwide.

Diabetes is a disease that changes the way you have to think about living your life. Those of us without this disease can take so many elements of our life for granted. After seeing what CJ deals with on a daily basis, I have a better understanding of what it means to live every day with diabetes. Though she works with great determination and a smile on her face to keep herself healthy, CJ's burden is a reminder that we have a responsibility to pursue a cure.

We need to do more to

research this disease and educate the public, particularly in the area of prevention. The Diabetes Caucus is supporting several bills to advance research and promote prevention and treatment. Legislation includes ensuring Medicare beneficiaries with pre-diabetes have access to Medical Nutrition Therapy; expanding education in minority communities; establishing a National Diabetes Report Card; and securing funding for research at the National Institutes of Health and at the Centers for Disease Control are all fundamental ways we can combat Diabetes.

The potential for curing diabetes may lie in Embryonic Stem Cell Research. I have spearheaded the initiative in Congress to increase this research for several years now. This research has such a great potential to improve lives that I believe it is only a matter of time before the possibilities are realized.

Charter School okayed

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bringing a strong but positive educational change for students – competency based education.

Metro study 'politics' riles Billingsley

Newark area officials are escalating their campaign to have Governor Pierre S. duPont IV appoint a Newarker to the new metro government steering committee, with state Rep. John G. S. Billingsley (R-Newark) jumping in the forefront of the fray this week with charges that duPont is playing politics with the committee's make-up.

“Newark has been sighted for political reasons, because we have a nonpartisan government,” Billingsley said of the committee, a 13-member bipartisan group created by executive order in July.

Sept. 6, 2002

Charter School plan okayed

Greg Meece believes the Newark Charter School passed another hurdle Tuesday night.

Meece, the school director, was one of more than 90 people at the Newark Planning commission meeting, which dealt with the proposal of building a new

school on Elkton Road.

The commissioners voted unanimously to recommend to city council the annexation of a 16.73-acre parcel of land on the east side of Elkton Road for the construction of a two-story classroom building for the Newark Charter School.

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OUTLOOK

Master gardeners plan workshops

By **CARRIE MURPHY**

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

The New Castle County Master Gardeners have announced the fall line-up for their home gardener workshop series. Beginning mid-September and continuing well into the fall, the New Castle County Master Gardeners have created a delightful assortment of gardening workshops, sure to appeal to a variety of home gardeners.

The home gardening series kicks off on Sept. 12 with "Backyard Composting." Backyard composting is a successful way of managing your yard debris on site, and an even better way to deal with the yard waste ban, effective in New Castle County, January 2008.

This workshop, led by Master Gardener and faithful composter Gail Hermenau, is designed to provide home gardeners with the tools necessary to create an earth-friendly garden through composting. Beginning with a visit to the compost demonstration site, students will explore different methods of preparing and maintaining a compost pile in their backyards. Gail will then provide students with easy methods to recycle kitchen and garden waste, and create compost that will improve their soil and cultivate healthy gardens. Compost bins will be available for sale. This workshop is offered again on Sept. 27.

Already backyard composting, but your landscape design needs attention? Master Gardener Ed Koffenberger, along with his master gardener

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

A passion for pretzels

Main Street pretzel factory celebrates two years in Newark

By **CHRISTINE NEFF**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Mary Powers knows her pretzels — and she knows how to make them, perfectly.

As she leaves her house in the very early morning, headed to her job as manager of the Philly Soft Pretzel Factory in Newark, she's already thinking about how to tweak her pretzel recipe to meet the demands of the day's weather.

"The minute I walk out my front door, I know what I will have to do," she said, to compensate for a muggy day or cooler temperatures.

Every day for two years, Powers and her staff have arrived at the Main Street store at 4 a.m., ready to mix up the simple combination of yeast, flour and water that results in these tasty, Philly-style treats.

They put the three ingredients into a giant mixer that can hold up to 200 pounds of flour. The batch of dough, which weighs nearly 500 pounds when mixed, then goes into a contraption that slices it into long, narrow strips, ready to be twisted, by hand, into the pretzel shape.

The uncooked pretzels rest for several hours in the refrigerator while the dough rises. Then, they're dipped into a mixture of water and baking soda, sprinkled with salt, and popped into a large, rotating 550-degree oven for several minutes.



NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY CHRISTINE NEFF

Mary Powers, left, is a familiar face at Philly Soft Pretzel Factory on Main Street. The store, which is celebrating its second year in Newark this month, is owned by Julie Powers, right, and her husband, Mary's brother.

By 6 a.m., when doors open, Powers is ready to serve her regular morning customers a hot, freshly-baked soft pretzel. She will continue the process throughout the day so all of her walk-in customers get their pretzels while they're hot.

To say Powers is passionate about pretzels would not be an exaggeration. It's a passion she shares with her brother and sister-in-law, Jim and Julie Powers, owners of the Main Street store.

The couple owns three Philly Pretzel Factory franchises, including stores in West Chester, Pa., and Phoenixville, Pa. Julie

Powers said her husband, a New Jersey native, had his first soft pretzel in Philadelphia and fell in love. "He said, 'you can't get these out in the suburbs,'" she said.

Even in Philadelphia, it can be difficult to find a hot soft pretzel.



NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY CHRISTINE NEFF

From Left: Jim Powers, owner of the Philly Soft Pretzel Factory on Main Street, wore a mustard bottle costume to attract

customers during Bike & Blues Fest last month. The dough is put into this machine, rolled and sliced into strips. Employees twist these strips into the familiar pretzel shape by hand. Mary and Julie demonstrate the twist technique used to form the pretzels.

Many of the street vendors and convenient stores buy them from wholesalers in the morning. By mid-day, the pretzels feel hard and sweaty.

The first Philly Pretzel Factory in Mayfair, Pa., set out to change that, offering fresh pretzels all day long. The Powers liked the concept and the product so much, they asked to buy the rights and start their own franchise.

An accountant, Julie Powers, expected it to be a side business for the family, but the franchise has been so successful she and her husband now work full-time in their stores.

"We feel so lucky we can do this together and make a product we enjoy and believe in," she said. "I work twice as much as I ever did in my life, but I love it. We love what we do."

And, they love what they make. The fat-free, sugar-free pretzels are good for kids, cheap enough for college students and even can be eaten as a breakfast food, Powers pointed out, adding that she is trying to "convert people from donuts."

Walk-in sales make up 80 percent of the store's business, she said. The store also provides pret-

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LIFESTYLE

Newark grandmother, 96, uses e-mail to keep in touch

Holly Dianich has a lot of people to keep track of.

With six children, nine grandchildren and seven great-children living all around the country, the Newark resident has found an easy way to stay in touch: by e-mail.

At 96, Dianich is quick with a computer and active in the Newark Senior Center's Computer Club. Logged on, she can read about and see pictures of her family members' recent vacations, send birthday greetings and messages to family and friends.

"If anything goes on in the family, we send it by e-mail," she said.

Dianich said she first got connected to the online world after her husband passed away. She received cards from many people on his death, and wondered how she could write back to each one, thanking them for their thoughtfulness.

One of her sons showed her how to use a computer and send e-mail messages. She loved the ease of it and the instant responses. "My son said, 'It's time you get a computer of your own,'" she said.

Dianich has a personal computer set up in the bedroom of

her apartment at the Gardens at White Chapel. She surprises some people, she said, when she tells them she uses a computer and even has an e-mail address.

Though she doesn't see her family as often as she would like, she keeps in touch with their busy lives through e-mail updates. She also writes to close friends that have become like family, including a woman in Vermont she first met on a train, and a University of Delaware graduate she met at the Newark Senior Center about five years ago.

Through e-mail, she can see pictures and hear about different occasions in their lives. "E-mail has been a wonderful thing for us," she said.

Especially, she said, since family plays such an important role in her life. Dianich was orphaned at the age of 13. Besides her children and their families, she has no other living relatives, she said.

"I think it's because I was an orphan that I really tried to protect my family," she said.

The Michigan native moved to Newark in 1945, bringing her five children with her. Ten years later, her youngest daughter was born. Her children now range in age from 75 to 54. Her oldest



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY CHRISTINE NEFF

96-year-old Holly Dianich keeps in touch with her many children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren by logging online.

grandchild is 52 years old, and her youngest grandson is 14. She has great-grandchildren as old as 11 and as young as a newborn, she said.

Dianich spends a lot of time

remembering and writing about her experiences raising her family. She has printed a book of stories about her life and is working on a second autobiography. She also writes haikus about her family

and being a mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

No matter how you stay in touch with your grandparents, remember that this Sunday, Sept. 9, is Grandparents Day.

Workshops for gardens

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associates, is offering a three-part series entitled "Design your Dream Landscape." In this series of workshops, conducted in the University of Delaware Landscape Design Studio, the master gardeners will help you create your own landscape plan. This series begins on Sept. 18, and meets again on Sept. 25 and Oct. 9.

Are you looking for something more? If you're tired of fighting shade, tree roots, wet spots or other problem areas of your lawn, then sign up for the "Groundcovers" workshop with Master Gardener Rob Medicus. If you're having trouble getting plants to grow well on the

shady side of your house then try "Gardening in the Shade" with Master Gardener Mary Lou Gross. "Bulbs throughout the Seasons—inside and out," "Puzzled by Pruning?" and "Creating a Worm Bin—Vermicomposting 101" will fill your garden journal with heaps of information. As you put your garden to bed, start to think about the tools you need to add to your gift wish list this holiday season.

For the first time Master Gardeners are offering a workshop entitled "The Gardener's Tool Shed." This workshop will reveal the Master Gardeners' favorite tools, and review how to take care of these tools so they have a long life in your tool shed.

The Master Gardeners' evening workshops are offered throughout the fall season. The workshops cover a variety of topics, including gardening for winter interest, how to grow orchids and how to create holiday decorations.

The workshops are held in Newark, at the University of Delaware New Castle County Cooperative Extension Building on Wyoming Road or on the College of Agriculture Campus. For more information, including specific dates and times, please contact the Cooperative Extension office at 831-2506 or visit our Web site for a complete workshop listing <http://ag.udel.edu/extension/ncc/MasterGardeners.php>.

Stop in for free pretzels Sept. 22

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zels for concession stands at the University of Delaware and on-campus food courts and delivers to local schools.

"For this store, I would say we have a cult following. There are pockets of people that know

about us and come in regularly," she said.

Mary Powers knows her "regulars" well. "Some people come in at the same time everyday," she said, noting her 7:05 a.m. appointment with a customer who orders three pretzels and a soda.

Residents that have never visited the store can have their

chance. In honor of its two-year anniversary, the store will give away a free pretzel to every customer that stops by on Saturday, Sept. 22.

For more information about the Philly Soft Pretzel Factory, visit www.phillysoftpretzelfactory.com or call 737-1010.

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ARTIST'S RECEPTION 7-9 p.m. Opening for "Music to My Eyes" exhibit. Solo performance by Melissa Cox, lead vocalist for the band Mythica. Newark Arts Alliance, 100 Elkton Rd., Newark. Info, 266-7266.

SINGLES DANCE 8 p.m. - 12 a.m. Sponsored by Parents Without Partners. Opportunity to join the Wilmington Chapter at 7 p.m. \$8 members, \$10 non-members. Newport Fire Co., Minquas Hall. Info, 998-3115.

BROWN BAG SALE 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. End of Summer clothing and shoe sale. All you can fit in a bag for \$2. Village Thrift Shop, Westminster Village Retirement Community, Dover. Info, 744-3527.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 8

LIVE MUSIC 9:30 p.m. Featuring Mad Sweet Pangs. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

TRAINING PROGRAM 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. A professional development day for after-school educators. Continental Breakfast served. \$45. UD Clayton Hall, Newark. Info, 831-2667.

LAUNCH PARTY 4-7 p.m. For 6-12th Graders. Music, food, giveaways and more. White Clay Creek Church, 15 Polly Drummond Hill Rd., Newark. Info, 737-2100.

OUTREACH FAIR 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Bake sale, food, raffle items, crafts, used clothing and furniture and an early appearance by Jolly Old St. Nicholas. Free. St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 10 Old Newark Rd., Newark. Info, 368-4655.

YOUTH CARNIVAL 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Games, crafts, face painting, silent auction and food. Tickets needed for food and games. Tickets \$0.50 each or 12 for \$5. Kingswood United Methodist Church, 300 Marrows Rd., Newark. Info, 738-4086.

GOSPEL MUSIC EVENT 7 p.m. Featuring Ivan Parker, Southern Gospel Music's 2006 Male Vocalist of the Year. Free. Salem United Methodist Church, 496 Salem Church Rd., Newark. Info, 738-4822.

GOSPEL EXPLOSION 4 p.m. The Annapolis Mass Choir presents, "Gospel Music Sho' Nuff Stirs My Soul." \$10. Cecil College, Milburn Stone Theatre, North East, Md. Info, 410-287-1037.

GRAND PRIX 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Event features three BMX stunt team

HANDCRAFTS SHOW DOWNTOWN



You've Been Framed on Main Street is hosting its first hand-crafts show this month. Works by local artisans will be on display now through Sept. 29. Exhibits include hand-turned wooden bowls by William Raker, handcrafted jewelry by Charlu Shilling and hand blown and sculptured art by Doug Conner. The shop and gallery is at 172 E. Main Street. For more information, call 366-1403.

shows, relay races, family bike parade and a street festival with live music. Sponsored by Bank of America. Market Street, Wilmington. Info, 545-8305.

MOMS WALK & FESTIVAL 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. A day of family fun and entertainment sponsored by Middletown Mothers of Preschoolers. Silver Lake Park, Middletown. Info, 463-3957.

ARTFULL AFTERNOON 1-4 p.m. Middletown Main Street's new fall art series kicks off with Jim Trainer & His Workingman's Blues Band. Free. Cochran Square, Middletown. Info, 378-2977.

RIVERFEST 9 a.m. Through Sept. 9. The fifth annual Riverfest in historic Charlestown. Weekend is filled with activities for adults and children. The Waterfront, Charlestown, Md. Info, 443-303-4088.

VICTORIAN TEA 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. Enjoy a visit to a historic Herb Farm. \$15. Reservations required. Sinking Springs Herb Farm, 832 Elk Forest Rd., Elkton, Md. Info, 410-392-2389.

BLUEGRASS CONCERT 2 p.m. Featuring "The Tuesday Mountain Boys." Included in general admission. Longwood Gardens, 1001 Longwood Rd., Kennett Square, Pa. Info, 610-388-1000.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 9

BRUNCH With Chris Delusso. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

5K BENEFIT WALK/RUN 9 a.m. Hosted by Newark Police in memory of Chief William F. Nefosky. To benefit The American Cancer Society. \$15. 15 Innovation Way, Newark. Info, 366-7111.

MONDAY, SEPT. 10

BUS TOUR 9:45 a.m. A narrated tour of historic Pencader Hundred, including Cooch's Bridge battleground. \$5. Reservations needed. Meet at Newark Senior Center. Info, 737-2336.

WOMEN'S LUNCHEON 11 a.m. The Newark Women's Connection presents, "Mum's The Word," featuring fall flower arranging, and an inspirational message from Nancy Rictor. \$16. Christiana Hilton, Newark. Info, 737-9339.

ASTRONOMY PROGRAM 8 p.m. "In Search of Ancient Astronomers." For 5th grade and above. Adults \$2, students \$1. Mt. Cuba Astronomical Observatory, 1610 Hillside-Mill Rd., Greenville. Info, 654-6407.

BENEFIT EXTRAVAGANZA 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Fundraiser for the Tobin Foundation which provides services to Delawareans with vision loss. Features sumptuous buffet, desserts, music, silent auction and raffle. \$50. Conley-Ward's Steakhouse, 110 S. West St., Wilmington. Info, 655-5046.

MUSEUM WORKSHOP 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Through Sept. 12. Become an educational interpreter to make history come alive for school age children. Pre-registration required. Delaware Ag Museum & Village, 866 N. Dupont Highway, Dover. Info, 734-1618.

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MEETINGS

SATURDAY, SEPT. 8

MEN'S BREAKFAST 7:30 a.m. Saturday. \$5 donation goes to missions. Life Community Church, 750 Otis Chapel Rd. Info, 738-1530.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED 10 a.m. Second Saturday. Join a group of committed volunteers for programs scheduled year round. Brandywine Creek State Park. Info, 655-5740.

LYME SUPPORT GROUP 10:30 a.m. Second Saturday. Kirkwood Highway Library, Wilmington. Call ahead to confirm meeting or e-mail delawarelymesupport@comcast.net. Info, 996-9065.

MONDAY, SEPT. 10

DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP 6:45 p.m. Sponsored by New Directions Delaware for persons with depression or bipolar disorder. Free. Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 2313 Concord Pike, Wilmington. Info, 286-1161.

MHA DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP 7-9 p.m. Mondays. Sponsored by Mental Health Association in Delaware. To protect privacy of members, meeting locations provided only with registration. Info, 654-6833.

NEWARK ROTARY CLUB 6:15 - 7:30 p.m. Mondays. Timothy's, 100 Creek View Rd, Newark. Info, 453-8853.

SCOTTISH DANCING 7:30 p.m.

Mondays. St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 276 S. College Ave., Newark. Info, 368-2318.

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

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE 7 p.m. Second Monday. A service organization open to all former and active duty Marines. Marine Reserve Center, Kirkwood Hwy, Wilmington. Info, 475-2422.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 11

CREATIONIST MEETING 7 p.m. Scientific and Biblical Creationist Fellowship. This month's topic, "How does a Rattlesnake Sense Danger?" Speaker will bring live snakes to inform people of the wonderful design of god's creatures. Open to the public. Bible Fellowship Church, 808 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark. Info, 731-5395.

HEALTHY HIKE 8 a.m. Tuesdays. White

Clay Creek State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.

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PARKINSON'S STRENGTH TRAINING 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.

OPEN SWIM 4:30 - 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Gore Aquatic Center, Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.

YOGA 2 - 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 9 - 10 a.m. Thursdays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.

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

FIRST STATE MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES 6:45 p.m. Second Tuesday.

For Parents and Guardians of Multiples. Limestone Presbyterian Church, 3201 Limestone Rd., Wilmington. Info, 368-9691.

AMERICAN LEGION 7:30 p.m. Second Tuesday. Newark American Legion Post #10. Downstairs meeting room of Post 475 VFW, Veterans Drive, Newark. Info, 366-8438.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12

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

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.

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

GRIEF SHARE 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.

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

WILMINGTON SKI CLUB 7:30 p.m. Second Wednesday. Hockessin Memorial Hall, 1225 Old Lancaster Pike, Hockessin. Info, 792-0656.

MS SUPPORT GROUP 5 - 7 p.m. Second Wednesday. By Main Street Circle of Friends. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-4694.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 13

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

New Castle County, 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.

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, 654-6833.

NEWARK MORNING ROTARY 7 - 8:15 a.m. Thursdays. Meeting and breakfast. The Blue & Gold Club, Newark. Info, 738-9943.

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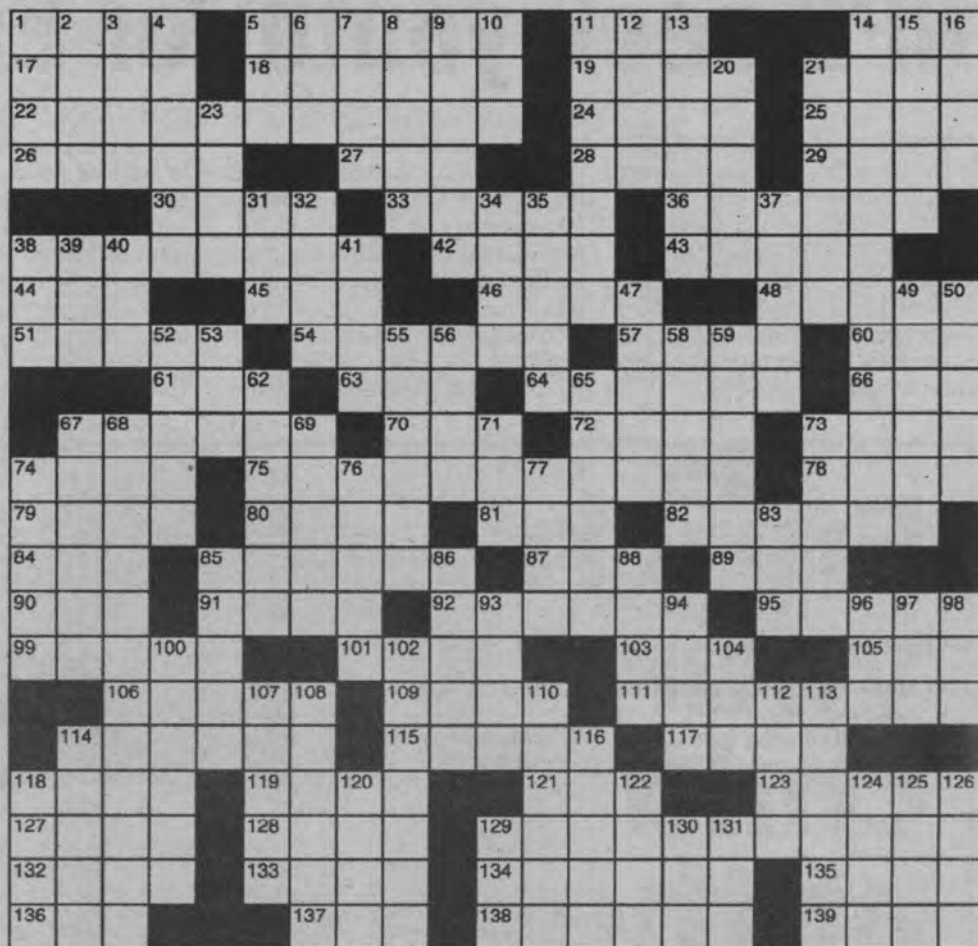
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- BLUEGRASS/OLDTIME JAM** 7:20 - 10 p.m. Thursdays. Any skill level welcome. Bring your own instrument. St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 276 S. College Ave., Newark. Info, 368-4644.
- NAMI-DE** 7:30 p.m. Second Thursday. Support group meeting for family members of persons living with mental illness. Holy Family Church, Outreach Office, 15 Gender Rd., Newark. Info, 427-0787.
- FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION** 2 p.m. Second Thursday. To meet the needs of all

- personnel with enlisted status in the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast-Guard who are retired, on active duty or in reserve status with one year of drill or having served at least 30 days on active duty. Delaware Military Academy, 112 Middleboro Rd., Wilmington. Info, 834-1719.
- DSI THUMBS UP** 1 p.m. Second & fourth Thursday. Support group sponsored by Delaware Stroke Initiative. Free. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 633-9313.
- TOASTMASTERS** 7 p.m. Second and fourth Thursday. Develop potential and overcome fear of public speaking. Public welcome.

- Union Hospital, Chesapeake Room, Level B, 106 Bow St., Elkton, Md. Info, 443-553-5358.
- G.O.A.L.** 7:30 p.m. Second and fourth Thursday. Meeting for widows and widowers sponsored by Going On After Loss. Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Concord Pike, Wilmington. Info, 368-8980.
- GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP** 2 - 4 p.m. Second and fourth Thursday. Free. Newark United Methodist Church, 69 E. Main St. Info, 737-7080.
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TUESDAY, SEPT. 11

- WOMEN'S HEALTH LECTURE** 7 - 8 p.m. "Reduce Your Risk of Breast Cancer," by Dr. Diana Dickson-Witmer, associate medical director of the Christiana Care Breast Center. Free. John H. Ammon Education Center, Christiana Hospital, 4755 Ogletown-Stanton Rd., Newark. Info, 428-4100.
- NEWARK CHAMBER MEETING** 7:45 - 9:15 a.m. Newark Lead Group for Delaware State Chamber of Commerce. \$7, pre-registration required. UD Clayton Hall, Route 896, Newark. Info, 576-6562.
- NETWORKING BREAKFAST** 7:30 - 9 a.m. Sponsored by Delaware State Chamber of Commerce. Free. WSFS Bank, 500 Delaware Ave., Wilmington. Info, 655-7221.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12

- LIVE MUSIC** Featuring "Mos Eisley." No cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.
- GARDENING CLASS** 6 - 8 p.m. Create an earth-friendly garden through composting. \$15. UD Cooperative Extension Office, 461 Wyoming Rd., Newark. Info, 831-2506.
- ORNAMENTALS EXPO** 4:30 - 8 p.m. Topics include landscape design, insect visitation, backyard wildlife habitat, tours of gardens and more. \$15, includes a picnic dinner. UD Botanic Gardens, Townsend Hall, Newark. Info, 831-2531.
- ARCHIVES EXHIBIT** 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Through Sept. 22. In recognition of Constitution Week, the Delaware Public Archives will host an exhibit of original documents, including Delaware's historic Ratification Document. DE Public

Archives, 121 Duke of York St., Dover. Info, 744-5047.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 13

- MUG NIGHT** Featuring Kristen & the Noise. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.
- GARDENING CLASS** 7 - 9 p.m. "Orchids and Clivia." Class covers light and temperature control, watering, fertilizing and repotting, and will emphasize plants best suited to the home environment. \$15. Fischer Greenhouse, Newark. Info, 831-2506.
- ROSH HASHANAH CELEBRATION** 2 - 3:15 p.m. "Celebrate Creation" is an interactive High Holiday service for adults and children. Temple Beth El, 301 Possom Park Rd., Newark. Info, 366-8330.

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IN THE NEWS

NPD seek youth for Explorer Post program

The Newark Police Department is sponsoring Explorer Post 993 for the 2007 - 2008 school year. The Explorer Post 993 program provides young adults between the ages of 14 - 17 years old with an opportunity to learn about and experience various aspects of law enforcement.

Meetings are held on a monthly basis during the school year at the Newark Police Department's Headquarters at 220 Elkton Rd., in Newark. The first meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 24, from 6 to 8 p.m.

Meetings will include classes in patrol procedures, drug investigations, accident reconstruction

and driving under the influence, as well as police canine demonstrations and practical experience with fingerprinting, radar enforcement and crime scene processing. Explorers will also be provided with an opportunity to participate in a Ride-A-Long.


During the 2007 - 2008 school year Explorer Post 993 will par-

ticipate in community service projects including: Toys for Tots, Torch Run For Special Olympics, Newark Nite, and Safety Town.

Potential Explorers are expected to be good citizens of their school and of the community. A young adult who is interested in participating needs to submit an application form along with a

copy of their 4th marking period report card from the 2006 - 2007 school year.

To obtain an application form please contact Corporal Greg Micolucci at any of the following phone numbers, Newark Police Department 366-7110 x130, Office at Newark High School, 631-4712, or e-mail greg.micolucci@cj.state.de.us.



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On Saturday, Oct. 20, residents are invited to run down the center of Main Street for fitness, fun and a good cause. The first annual Main Street Mile begins at 9 a.m. at the Newark Library and finishes at the Deer Park Tavern. Registration opens 7 a.m. at Fusion Fitness Center in Market East Plaza.

All proceeds from the race benefit the Newark Police K-9 Unit.

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Sports

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Beware the Jackrabbits

By **TOM TOMASHEK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The University of Delaware has agreed to a three-game football set with South Dakota State University, a school nearly 2000 miles from the UD campus.

It is a two-for-one arrangement in which SDSU will visit Newark twice and the Blue Hens will travel to flyover land for the third. The games are scheduled to run consecutively from 2010 through 2012, although the sequence could change if SDSU's 2008 entry into the Gateway Conference imposes scheduling problems.

The addition of SDSU certainly could further the ire of longtime advocates of a University of Delaware and Delaware State University matchup. Why strike up an alliance with a school nearly 2000 miles away when the Hens have a Dover university that has gradually upgraded its football program.

I have never been an advocate or detractor of a UD-DSU game, but I find the series against SDSU to be particularly appealing for a couple reasons. One, I am a South Dakota State alum and I covered the University of Delaware football team for nearly 25 years. Since leaving the News Journal, I have kept a fair distance from the campus, but I've stayed in touch with the Blue Hens on radio or TV. I am a Minnesota native who graduated from SDSU in 1964, but although having seldom been back to my former campus, I have followed the SDSU fortunes from afar.

So, I think I can offer insight into this future mini-series, and the first thing I should emphasize is that don't for a minute think that UD is scheduling down. Granted, SDSU was a Division II school until several years ago, but it was generally always competitive in the tough North Central Conference. The Jackrabbits -- can you believe a matchup between Blue Hens and Jackrabbits -- represent a school that takes academics and athletics seriously. The school's greatest claim to fame came in 1963, back when college athletes was broken into University Division and College Division, when the 'Rabbits won the College Division basketball

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UD set for annual West Chester tilt

Home opener
Saturday night
at Delaware

By **TOM TOMASHEK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The interview began with a simple but an undeniably loaded question for Billy Zwann, head football coach at West Chester University.

"Since you took the West Chester job, at any time in your four previous seasons have you questioned the rationale of your series with the University of Delaware?"

The former Blue Hen quarterback and fifth-year Golden Ram coach didn't hesitate to say that he has and quickly recounted some of the major reasons why the series wasn't practical in the real world of college football ... opposed to the reality of WCU's goals.

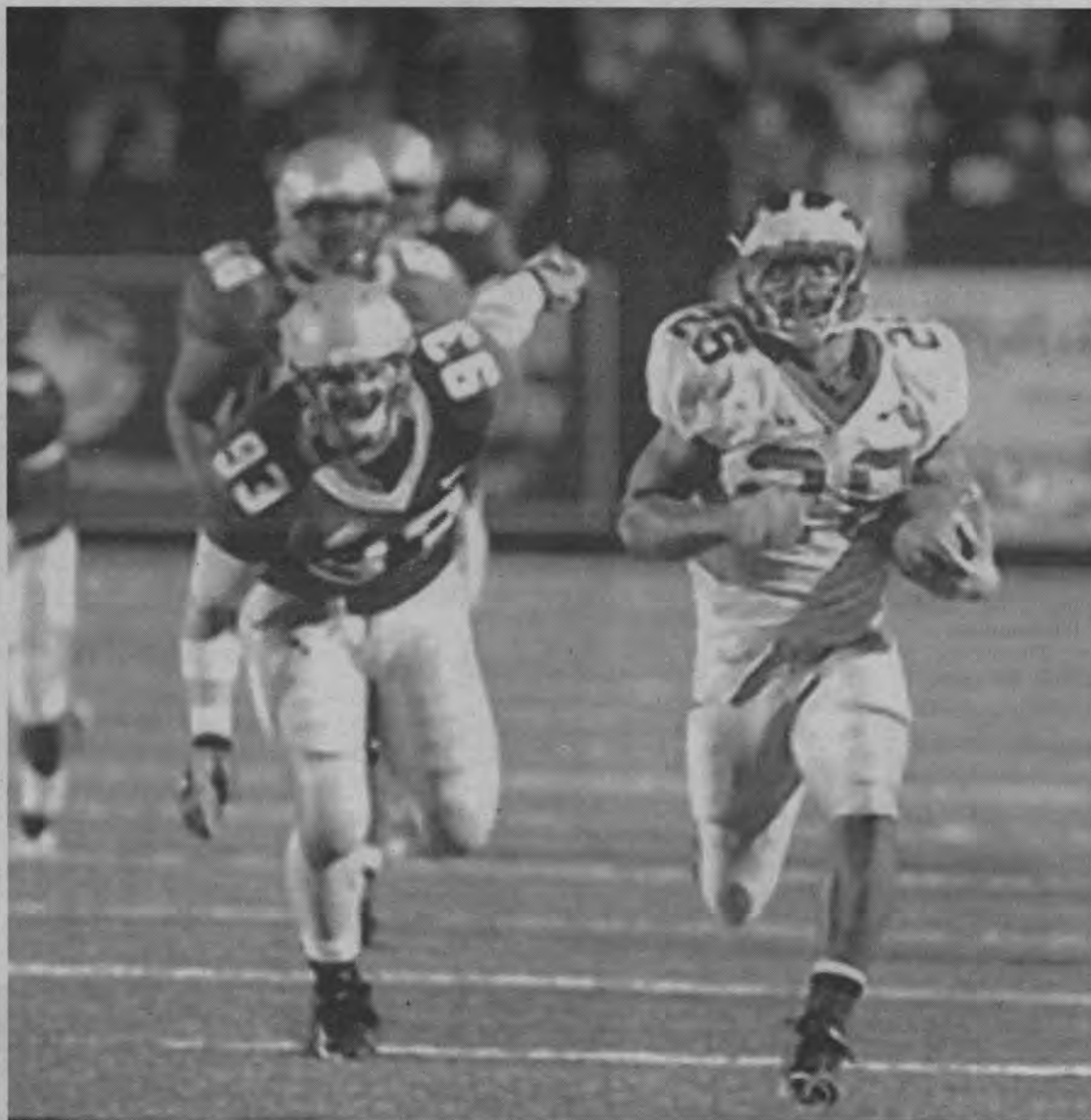
*Potential injuries that could have an impact on his team's post-season hopes.

*The two programs have drifted much further apart in philosophy over the last ten to fifteen years.

*The one-time competitive Golden Rams no longer can think of this game as a wild-card in its Division II postseason hopes, when they don't automatically qualify by winning in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference race. He wasn't at WCU in 2000, when Delaware romped 84-0, but it speaks volumes for what the series has become.

But ...

"The game is important to us financial, particularly in light of the fact that we've about reached



Blue Hen running back Omar Cuff sprints for one of his seven touchdowns against William & Mary.

the maximum in monies gained through our summer camp," Zwann explained. "Plus, the alumni still believes in the game. The players still love to play the game. And personally, I still love going into Delaware Stadium."

But ...

Even on a weekend only hours

after Division I-AA Appalachian State upset mighty Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Zwann concedes that the chances of an upset have gradually become possibly more remote than a top-drawer I-AA team knocking off a major college. "For us to have a chance to win, any kind of chance, we

can't make any mistakes, we can't have any turnovers, and we need a lot of big plays.

Zwann can coach, no doubt about that. He is 41-15 in his first week of his fifth season at the neighboring school and a combind

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Newark High opens season vs. Salesianum

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

It's never easy getting ready for a high school football season, and this year is no exception, according to Newark High coach Butch Simpson.

"I'm the type of coach who feels he's never ready for opening day," said Simpson. "There's

always a lot to get done, and there's always the unknown factors that you won't see until the players step out on the field, so you're always hoping for the best."

The Yellowjacket offense should have some more experience than one year ago. A strong offense line will be led by senior captain Chad Davis (6-4, 280). Also being counted on this year

are junior Malcolm Bunche (6-6, 300) and seniors Marc Tiberi and Andrew Hudson. Senior Jason Babbitt should also see playing time on the offensive and defensive side of the ball.

Simpson said at least a few players will see action on both sides of the line, especially early. "Some of our players are still finding themselves, and depth is definitely a luxury at the high

school level," said Simpson.

Senior Chris Cummings will handle the quarterback chores this year, taking over for the graduated Jared Keith. Simpson said he was able to get Cummings on the field last year, so he will likely have a smoother transition as a starter.

Joining Cummings in the

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SPORTS

W. Chester will probably be around for awhile

► HENS, from 14

91-29 in Division II and Division III, including Saturday's 30-7 victory over Edinboro who last year defeated West Chester the week before the Delaware game. But the ability of coaching can be stifled by a lack of scholarships, which in West Chester's case is lower than the Division II allotment and monumentally less than the 63 UD uses. Even Albany, an upset winner over Delaware last season, had 23 equivalencies to with which to compete.

Last year, West Chester reached the postseason despite a loss to decisive loss to Delaware, and Zwann has some key individuals back from that team. He can only hope that his Golden Rams can pull off a rare upset - WCU has won only one game in every 13 played for the last -- or at least keep the powerful Hens from staging one of those 84-0 beatings.

"We're in a Catch-22 situation," said Zwann offering assurances that he wasn't talking his way out of the series. It's a payday and the players love it. It

would be extremely hard telling them that we're no longer going to play Delaware. Even with the odds stacked against us, we're going down there to win. Make no mistake about that."

Odds are that he will never have to tell the players, the UD series is over. It's a game which even hard-core Blue Hen fans sometimes find it difficult to cheer against the Golden Rams. WCU is a solid football program mired in a financial and traditional quagmire . . . and, of course, there's always the West Chester band.

Hens could enhance their schedule some

► SCHEDULE, from 14

title, defeating Southern Illinois and Jerry Sloan in the semifinals and Wittenberg of Ohio in the championship game.

SDSU was a tiny university back in the 1960s, but its enrollment is 15,000 and they appear to have a vibrant football team based on last year's 7-4 record as an independent. The Delaware Stadium scoreboard at the north end was manufactured in Brookings, South Dakota, home of the Jackrabbits, and they may have a few athletes who can light the board up.

The have a broad-based athletic program that includes a wrestling team of which I was a member. Dan Gable found the state to have talent good enough to make frequent recruiting trips there, but SDSU retains a fair share of the state's best.

One further note on scheduling, Appalachian State's victory

over Michigan demonstrated that the talent level has been narrowed some since athletes are able to transfer from major college to any lower level and be eligible immediately. What were once considered "money games" are now considered financial and competitive opportunities.

Although Delaware used to schedule Temple on a regular basis and Navy, on the schedule this season, has been an occasional opponent over the last couple decades. But wouldn't it be nice

for Blue Hen fans to occasionally drive up to Happy Valley for a game against Penn State or traveling south to Atlantic Coast Conference country for a game against Duke, Wake Forest, North Carolina or Carolina State. In fact, an added Delaware football presence in the Deep South might enhance basketball recruiting.

Just a couple other thoughts from a former SDSU wrestler is telling you now, "Don't say you didn't have a warning about those Jackrabbits."

Jackets hope to improve on last year's 6-5 record

► NEWARK, from 14

backfield are juniors Brandon Norwood, who's expected to be the feature back, and Aaron Tyson, who may see some action as a linebacker.

Cummings should have a few good receivers to throw to, including junior speedster Shaun Thomas, and David Ashby.

Complicating matters for the Yellowjackets this year is another tough opening night game against two-time defending state champion Salesianum this Friday night at Baynard Stadium in Wilmington.

"We've opened with them for a number of years," said Simpson. "We've had our day, and right now Sallies is in control of high school football. We've struggled against them over the last few years, but you never know, you have to work hard, and find a way to win each week."

Newark is hoping to improve on its 6-5 record from one year ago. "But we're still putting the puzzle together," said Simpson. "Each week the goal is to get better as a team, and after that first game, find out some positive things about our team that you wouldn't see until you get out on

Fall wrestling to begin Sunday

The fall session for wrestlers in grades 2-12 will begin Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Tyrant Wrestling Club behind Red Lion Christian

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IN THE NEWS

Demonstrators range in age from 15 to 80

► VIGIL, from 1

August 2004, when the 1,000th U.S. soldier died in Iraq.

"If we jar someone's senses for a least one second," said April Hubbard, "then we've done something worthwhile." This was a sentiment several of the demonstrators shared.

In August 2004, vigils were held across the United States. The Newark demonstrators held a silent candlelight vigil here. Afterwards, they said, they felt they needed to "be there" every week, and not by candlelight.

"We realized we needed to be a presence," said Steve Hegedus, one of the coordinators of the ongoing demonstration. "We needed to show people that their own neighbors are strongly against this war."

There is a core of regulars that attend, but the number of demonstrators swells and shrinks, from

25 to 5. Ages vary from 15 to 80. Sometimes people who have driven by one Friday will come later to participate.

"We support the troops. We have great respect for them," Hegedus continued. "We have no respect, we give no support, to those who send the troops there."

Initially, these anti-war demonstrators were not popular in town. Once a man got out of his car and screamed in their faces. (They ignored him. The Peace Movement taught them not to engage.)

But the reaction has shifted, said organizers. Responses, now, are more positive than negative. This past Friday, Aug. 31, demonstrators received two negative responses and more than 20 positive ones in the form of cars honking, people waving and giving thumbs up, smiling.

Lily Grosso, who attends Cab Calloway School of the Arts in

Wilmington, has been participating in the demonstration for a year now. She's out there, she said, because she would rather do something than just complain about the state of current affairs.

Anna Fischman and Kelly Bayer, seniors at the University of Delaware, said they heard about this ongoing vigil at an on-campus protest. "These community people

are great because they are actively interested in ending this war," said Bayer.

According to Sally Milbury-Stein, a Newark resident and executive director of Pacem In Terris, peace groups have been spontaneously holding peace vigils since the Iraq War started on March 20, 2003. Thousands of weekly peace vigils are held across the U.S., she

said.

"In our area, in addition to the Friday one in Newark from 5 to 6 pm," she said, "there is a Friday vigil from 5 to 6 pm in Wilmington on the I-95 overpass on Delaware Avenue, and a weekly Saturday vigil from 11 a.m. to noon at Concord Square on Concord Pike in Wilmington."

Here in Newark, demonstrators pledge to continue their weekly showing for peace for as long as it takes, hoping to bring an end to and raise awareness about a war none of them believe in.

"We've made the same tremendous mistake again," exclaimed Wally McCurdy, 80, this past Friday. "We made it in Vietnam, and now we're making it in Iraq."

For more information about peace vigils in Delaware, contact Pacem In Terris at 656-2721, PinTerris@aol.com, or visit www.depaceminterris.org.



Foundation has contributed more than \$4 million to date

► SCHOOLS, from 1

issue, Aug. 31). These funds will underwrite leadership training for districts and schools, seed grants for projects designed to bring

about sustainable changes within schools and districts, support services for Network staff, and an independent evaluation.

Another \$1 million will support Vision 2015 more broadly, providing for leadership forums,

research, community engagement and operational support. With these commitments, the Rodel Foundation's investment in Vision 2015 rises to more than \$4 million since the coalition began its work in

November 2005. "We have an historic opportunity to do what is right for the next generation," stated Susan Budinger, chair of the Rodel Foundation. "Vision 2015 is truly pioneering work, and Delaware is one of the few states in the nation that has been able to get all the oars pulling in the same direction."

Budinger said Rodel considers its investments as seed capital, intended to help demonstrate how Vision 2015 recommendations can accelerate student achievement, such as through the Vision Network. "We have a remarkable opportunity to fully capitalize on this window of opportunity," she stated.

The Foundation anticipates continuing its support for years to come and working with a growing list of national and local donors, both public and private. Rodel's funding to date has been used to research the best educational practices in Delaware, in the nation, and around the globe; convene more than 1,000 citizens throughout Delaware to help shape the Vision 2015 plan; sponsor research and analysis; and underwrite administration

and logistics of the Vision 2015 steering committee and implementation team.

In addition to the Rodel Foundation, the Delaware Business Roundtable, The Wallace Foundation, the Delaware Department of Education, and the University of Delaware are supporting the launch of Vision 2015.

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IN THE NEWS

Daughter's first day driving won't be forgotten

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cement dugouts – is really, really close to the end of the parking lot.

So we got to the lot and we switched seats. She pretty much sprinted around to the driver's seat. She adjusted her seat and mirrors and put her seat belt on.

She was ready.

I'm not sure I was.

I told her to start by trying to negotiate the parking aisles. We started down the first one and up the next. We passed four light posts and didn't hit a one.

I'm pretty sure she never went above 20 miles per hour, but when she headed down the aisle with the dugout (did I mention it was made of cement?) at the end of it, I could've sworn she

was going 200. I would've killed for a passenger side brake at that point.

Needless to say, I didn't need one. She deftly made another turn without a single piece of metal crunching against cement.

She was on a roll now.

She got more comfortable and did better. So did I.

We continued unscathed by light post after light post. We even repeatedly made it past the dugout.

At one point another father turned up with his daughter to teach her to drive – a bike.

I'm pretty sure all four of us freaked when we noticed each other. They, however, retreated to a back corner and we decided to practice on only half the parking lot. That left a lot of room for error. Although, I'm not sure

either of us dads felt that comfortable.

After about 45 minutes or so, her 15-20 miles per hour didn't

seem like 200 anymore and her left and right turns improved steadily.

Yes, it was a day that I can

honestly say I never looked forward to. But now it's a day that I'd never trade and I'll never forget.

► BLOTTER, from 2

Alcohol, noise law violations detailed

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

Some of the recent violations include:

Matthew Kyle Bailey, 19, of Timonium, Md., underage consumption of alcohol and disorderly conduct, on Thursday, Aug. 30, at 2:05 a.m., in the 400 block of Wollaston Avenue;

Steven Pessah, 20, of

Smithtown, N.Y., underage consumption of alcohol and disorderly conduct, on Wednesday, Aug. 29, at 1:50 a.m., on New Street at Center Street;

Michael Schmelzer, 21, of Potomac, Md., noise law violation, on Monday, Aug. 27, at 11:54 p.m., in the 2000 block of Scholar Drive;

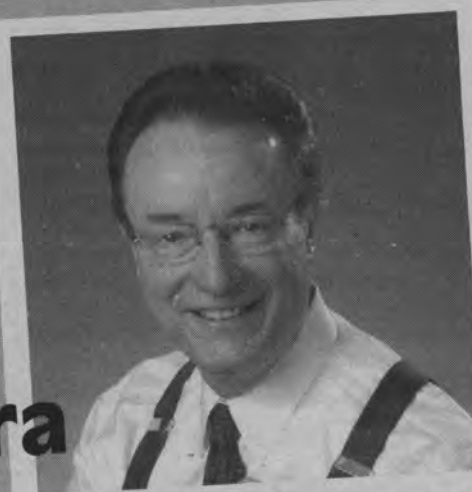
Kerri Dixon, 21, of Newark, **Candace Stevenson, 24**, of Newark, **Joseph Fauser, 22**, of Newark, noise law violations, on Monday, Aug. 27, at 9:34 p.m., in the unit block of New Street;

Melanie Breen, 19, of Merrick, N.Y., underage consumption of alcohol, on Saturday, Aug. 25, at 11:35 p.m.

Police said all were released pending court appearances.

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IN THE NEWS

Reward offered, information sought in vandalism of schools

► UPFRONT, from 1

cer responding to an alarm at Skyline Middle School in Red Clay School District in Pike Creek saw a young suspect running away from the school. According to police, the suspect escaped with a computer monitor and other electronic devices.

Police are also investigating earlier incidents at three other local schools. In Christina District, District officials found graffiti applied to the Newark High School athletic stadium and its structures sometime on Aug.

21-22. Blue and white spray paint was used to vandalize The Hive locker room building, the concession stand, scoreboard, bleachers, bell, benches, and grass. The writings included "Middletown," "Go Cavs," "M-Town Rulez" and "game over." The damage was estimated at \$3,000 and took extensive cleaning to remove. According to Christina Public Information manager Wendy Lapham, the District immediately hired Aquawash to remove the graffiti. Although some of the graffiti referred to a high school and school mascot in Appoquinimink School District,

Lapham said she was not aware that anyone talked to officials in that District.

"We were almost done cleaning up Newark High when someone contacted the police," Lapham said on Tuesday, Aug. 27. "We did not talk to anyone about the incident."

Also on Aug. 27, police reported a burglary at Christina's school building in a former AstroPower facility on Route 896. Two juveniles were apprehended and arrested after a trooper spotted them riding their bikes away from the crime scene.

On Thursday, Aug. 30,

Christina District administrators were alerted very early that the alarm system in Christina High School had been activated. Delaware State Police officers, including Christina High School Resource Officer Mike Austin, responded to the scene.

According to a press release from Lapham, a total of 67 glass window and door panes had been vandalized at the school, including windows in several portable classroom units. Police reported that many windows were beneath working surveillance cameras.

The damage was so extensive school was closed that

day. School employees boarded up and secured the building on Aug. 30 and replacement glass was ordered. Interior areas of the building affected by the vandalism were cleaned up while the school was shutdown for the Labor Day weekend.

Christiana principal Noreen LaSorsa stated that students and staff are looking at ways they can respond to this situation through positive action. Suggestions have included campus beautification projects and a mural project.

Earlier this summer, Delaware State Police arrested four suspects on July 2 after an employee of Richardson Park Elementary School reported a group of juveniles had just unlawfully entered and discharged a fire extinguisher inside the facility.

The four suspects, ranging in ages 14 - 16 years, were all area residents. They were each charged with criminal trespass 2nd, criminal mischief, and conspiracy 3rd.

A \$1,000 reward has been offered in connection with the incident at Christina High School. Police agencies reported that they do not believe the numerous incidents are related. Anyone with information about any incidents of school vandalism is asked to call Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.



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Cost is \$30 for full-time students and \$50 for nonstudents. For more information, visit www.udel.edu/dance or contact Pat Grim at 831-1117 or spring@udel.edu.

Basketball tickets on sale

Season tickets for University of Delaware men's and women's basketball are being sold now.

Season tickets can be purchased through the University of Delaware athletics website www.udel.edu/sportsinfo. Season tickets also can be purchased by calling the UD season ticket office at 831-2257.

Chairback seats for the 12-game men's basketball home schedule will cost \$156, while bench seats will cost \$117. All seats for the 15-game women's home schedule will cost \$94. Additionally, Family Four Packs for each team are available for \$150.

The basketball schedules will be announced Tuesday, Sept. 4.

Web of Science workshops offered

For researchers curious to know how many times a particular article or book has been cited, or for those interested in cross-disciplinary research, UD's Morris Library will offer two workshops this fall on the Web of Science, a library database that tracks scholarly citations. The database covers all disciplines, not just science, and the workshop will cover research techniques to analyze the citation history of articles. The workshop also will cover ways to use Article Express, the document retrieval system that works in conjunction with Web of Science. Web of Science workshops will be offered from 2-3:30 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 20, and from 2-3:30 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 3.

Both workshops will take place in room 116A of the Morris Library and are free to all UD students, faculty and staff. Seating is limited, so registration is required.

To register online, go to <http://www2.lib.udel.edu/usered/workshops/current.htm>. To learn more about the workshops, call 831-6310.

Schweitzer and Xia designated named UD professors

Two members of the University of Delaware faculty have been appointed named professors. Robert Schweitzer has been named Donald J. Puglisi Professor of Finance. Xiang-Gen Xia has been named Charles Black Evans Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering. Both appointments are effective Sept. 1.

Robert Schweitzer

Schweitzer, who also is a professor of economics, teaches in the area of financial institutions and markets. His research interests include mortgage markets, bank management and the regulation of financial institutions.

Schweitzer chaired the UD Department of Finance from 1990-97. He serves as a member of the board of trustees of the Eastern Finance Association and also was a member of the board of the Southern Finance Association.

He has published extensively in his field and serves as associate editor of the Financial Management Association's Survey and Synthesis Series. Schweitzer's publications include articles in the Journal

of Finance, American Economic Review and Real Estate Finance and Economics, among others.

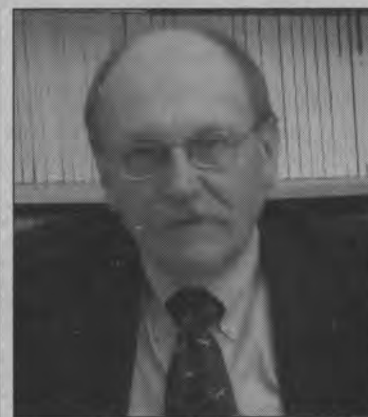
A graduate of Towson University, Schweitzer received his master's degree in economics from UD and his doctorate in finance from Duke University. Schweitzer joined the UD faculty in 1980.

Xiang-Gen Xia

Xia's research interests include wireless communication systems, space-time coding, SAR/ISAR (synthetic aperture radar/inverse synthetic aperture radar) imaging and filterbanks, wavelets, time-frequency analysis and other signal and image processing.

He holds seven patents and has written more than 160 refereed journal articles. He also is the author of *Modulated*

Coding for Intersymbol Interference Channels and has held editorial positions for IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) and EURASIP (European Association for Signal Processing) publications. He serves on the Sensor and Multichannel Technical Committee in the IEEE Signal Processing Society.



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Robert Schweitzer, Donald J. Puglisi Professor of Finance.



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Xiang-Gen Xia, Charles Black Evans Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Xia is a graduate of Nanjing Normal University with master's degrees in mathematics from Nankai University, China, and in applied mathematics from the University of Cincinnati, and a doctorate in electrical engineering from the University of Southern California. He joined the UD faculty in 1996 after serving as a researcher at the Air Force Institute of Technology from 1993-94 and at the Hughes Research Laboratories in California from 1995-96.

Donald Puglisi joined the UD faculty in 1971 and was named

MBNA America Professor of Business Emeritus in 2002. While at UD, Puglisi received the Medal of Distinction in 1996, the UD Excellence in Teaching Award and other college teaching awards.

Charles Black Evans, who received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Delaware College by 1889, was an attorney, who became a trustee in 1894 and succeeded his father, George G. Evans, as secretary-treasurer of UD's Board of Trustees from 1896 until his death in 1933.

UD prof wins fellowship to attend symposium on Islamic art

Lawrence Nees Jr., professor of art history, has been awarded a 2007 Hamad Bin Khalifa Fellowship to attend "Rivers of Paradise: Water in Islamic Art and Culture," the second biennial symposium on Islamic art, from Nov. 3-7 in Doha, Qatar. Convened by Virginia Commonwealth University School of the Arts at the Qatar campus, the symposium aims to foster the development of an international community of researchers and scholars in Islamic art and cultures.

Nees of Moylan, Pa., was selected for the competitive fellowship from more than 300 applicants from 62 countries, including historians, art historians, architects, engineers and curators. The fellowship, which was awarded to 15 participants, provides financial support for conference attendance and recognition of scholars from diverse geographic and cultural areas, including those from the less developed countries.

"This is a major international conference on Islamic culture, and it is an honor for me to have been chosen to participate as a Fellow," Nees said. "My own speciality has long been medieval art in the Western world, but I have becoming increasingly involved with teaching and scholarship on Islam in recent years, and I participate in the Interdisciplinary Minor in Islamic Studies at UD, which is a new initiative."

Nees joined UD as an assistant professor in 1978. He obtained his bachelor's degree

with honors from the University of Chicago and his master's and doctoral degrees from the Department of Fine Arts at Harvard University.

Nees conducts research in the area of medieval art and has published four books and dozens of articles. He also has received grants and fellowships from the Guggenheim

Foundation, the National Endowment for the Humanities, the American Council of Learned Societies, the American Philosophical Society, the Mellon Foundation, the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton University, the Center of Advanced Study in the Visual Arts at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C., and many others.



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Lawrence Nees Jr., professor of art history.

OBITUARIES

■ Obituaries are printed free of charge as space permits. Information usually is supplied to the newspaper by the funeral director. Additional local obituaries are posted each week on the Newark Post web site. The web address appears at the top of every right-hand page.

Richard Andrew Albright Jr., PhD

Richard Andrew Albright Jr., 63, died suddenly on Aug. 25, 2007.

He was born in Portland, Maine, to Richard Andrew Albright Sr., of Detroit, Mich., and Thelma Wynetta Smith Albright of Wilmington and Portland, Maine. He was a direct descendant of William Bradford, the second governor of Plymouth Colony in Massachusetts. He earned his bachelor of science in mathematics from the University of Delaware in 1967. He received a Ph.D. for original research on "An Integration Theory of Topological Spaces," under the mentorship of Dr. Robert Neilson at the University of Delaware in 1971. He was an accomplished furniture maker, carpenter and landscape artist.

Albright is survived by his wife, Leena; their daughters, Dylan and Taryn; and by his sons, Benjamin and Matthew; daughters, Cara and Leah; son-in-law, Dan Roche; and brothers, Jack and Craig Albright.

A memorial service was held on Wednesday, Aug. 29, at the Beeson Funeral Home of Newark.

Donations for the education of his children can be made to Leena Albright c/o Beeson Funeral Home, 2053 Pulaski Highway, Newark, DE 19702.

Mary K. Norton, author and educator at the University of Delaware

Mary K. Norton, 59, of Newark, died on Sunday, Aug. 26, 2007, at her home after a short illness.

Norton was born in Carneys Point, N.J., on Jan. 9, 1948, daughter of the late Walter Kille and Mary Stewart Kille. A gifted and inspiring educator, she taught at the University of Delaware in both the Parallel Program and the College of Education, and also worked in the university's Academic Studies Assistance

Program. Together with her husband, David L. Norton, professor of philosophy at UD, she authored "Philosophies of Love."

For her achievements in education, she was honored by the College of Education in 1993 with the Second Mile Award for Exemplary Teaching. In 1999, she received the Award of Highest Honor from the Women's College of Soka University in Tokyo, Japan. She served until her death

as a member of the board of trustees of Soka University of America in California.

She volunteered in the Red Clay Creek School District for 15 years. She was also a Literacy Volunteer and worked in the Threshold Program at the Smyrna Correctional Facility, as well as the Women's Prison.

Her husband died in 1995. She is survived by two sons, Tucker Norton and his wife, Kelley, of Chesterfield, Va.;

and Cory Norton and his wife, Vicki, of Middletown; a stepson, Ron Norton of Florida; and two grandchildren, McKenna and Aria.

Funeral services were held privately.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 92 Read's Way, Ste. 205, New Castle, DE 19720; or to Compassionate Care Hospice, 5610 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington, DE 19808.

Harry R. Eckhardt

Harry R. Eckhardt, 69, of Newark, died on Aug. 28, 2007.

Born Jan. 25, 1938, in Brooklyn, N.Y., he was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

He is survived by his sons, Henry and Robert; daughter, Amanda; sister, Helen of Boulder, Colo.; and four grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at the Main Towers Apartments, 330 E. Main Street, Newark, on Friday, Aug. 31. Burial was private.

Donations may be made to the Blood Bank of Delaware, or monetary donations made payable to the Blood Bank c/o RT Foard & Jones Funeral Home, 122 W. Main Street, Newark, DE 19711.

Dannielle Ann Mostrom

Dannielle Ann Mostrom, 39, of Newark, died on Wednesday, Aug. 23, 2007.

Born in Michigan in 1968 to Jim and Sally Schloegel, Mostrom moved to Fountain Hills, Ariz., with her family to complete her

senior year in high school and went on to receive her bachelor's degree at Arizona State University. She then became a corporate sales representative for DoubleTree Corp. In April 1996, she married her husband, Doug, and moved to Minnesota where she worked for Mystic Lake Casino in corporate sales. In 2002, she resigned to become a full-time mother. She was a homeroom mother at The Independence School, and prep class teacher at St. Mary's the Assumption in Hockessin.

She is preceded in death by her sister, Nikki, in 1997, who was also her best friend. She is survived by her husband, Doug; two children, Mason and Mya; parents, Jim and Sally of Queen Creek, Ariz.; siblings, Michael Scott and his wife and six children of Gilbert, Ariz.; sister, Rae and her husband, Lenny, and their two children of New Baltimore, Mich.; and sister, Janet Lee and her three children of Tampa, Fla.

A Mass of Christian Burial was offered on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at St. Mary the Assumption Church, 7200 Lancaster Pike, Hockessin.

Burial followed in All Saint's Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 100 W. 10th St., Suite 209, Wilmington, DE 19801.

Mildred K. Pennington

Mildred K. Pennington, 89, of Charlestown, Md., formerly of Newark, died on Sunday, Aug. 26, 2007, in the Sun Bridge Nursing Home, Elkton, Md.

Born in Newark on April 4, 1918, she was the daughter of the late Earl and the late Maggie (Crossan) Porter. She was the wife of the late John Entwistle Pennington who died on March 3.

She is survived by one daughter, Joan E. Berry of Media, Pa.; and one son, John E. Pennington of Newark; four sisters, Elizabeth Hale of Charlestown, Md., Hannah Masters of Aston, Pa., Jean Thompson of Bradenton, Fla. and Vivian Allison of Wilmington; also six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, Aug. 29, at Crouch Funeral Home, 127 South Main Street, North East, Md. Interment followed in Charlestown Cemetery, Charlestown, Md.

Robert E. Picking

Robert E. Picking, 80, of Newark, died on Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2007, at Christiana Hospital in Newark.

The elder son of the late Walter R. Picking and Ethel Coble Picking, he was born in Newark, N.J., on Dec. 28, 1926, and grew up in Chambersburg, Pa. He was active in Boy Scouts of America as a young man and achieved the rank of Star. Following graduation from Chambersburg High School

in 1945, he joined the U.S. Army Air Corps. He later graduated from Gettysburg (Pa.) College and the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, and would go on to serve pastorates in Bloomsburg and Danville, Pa.

He retired from the University of Delaware, where he was an audiovisual specialist. He was a Sunday School teacher and choir member at his church, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and a member of the chorus at the Delaware Saengerbund, both in Newark. He was also a pilot, a gifted photographer and videographer and a ham radio operator.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Thisell Picking; his children, Robert C. Picking and his wife, Christine, Brenda Picking Obergefell and her husband, Robert, Kathy Worthington, Scott Worthington, Jan Thisell Gilmour and her husband, Robert, John Thisell and his wife, Diane, and Susan Thisell Nyhoff and her husband, Rudy; his grandchildren, Andrea Picking, Candace DiBuo, Tony DiBuo, Laura Gilmour, John Gilmour, Wayne Gilmour, Samantha Moreland, Robert Moreland, Nicholas Nyhoff and Lindsay Nyhoff; his former wife, Betty Jane Picking; and his brother, Willis C. Picking. He was preceded in death by his second wife, Elizabeth Jane Picking.

A funeral service was held on Saturday, Sept. 1, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 701 S. College Avenue, Newark. Interment followed in Gracelawn Memorial Park, 2220 N. DuPont Parkway, New Castle.

Contributions may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 701 S. College Ave., Newark, DE 19713.

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Kenneth V. Sharp

Kenneth V. Sharp, 88, of Newark, died on Aug. 29, 2007.

Sharp was a Lab Tech with the DuPont Company for more than 30 years before retiring. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, a member of the American Legion, VFW Post # 475, the Knights of Columbus and Eden Lodge, IOOF, and also a member of Hiram Lodge #25 AF & AM in Newark.

He was preceded in death by his son, Jeffrey K. Sharp; and his wife, Elizabeth A. Sharp. He is survived by his children, Ronald R. Sharp and his wife, Nancy, of California; Betty L. Sharp, and Janet Blansfield and her husband, Rob, all of Delaware; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday, Sept. 4, in the McCrery Memorial Chapel, 3710 Kirkwood Highway. Burial followed in Gracelawn Memorial Park, Rt. 13, New Castle.

Contributions may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church Building Fund, 701 S. College Ave, Newark, DE, 19713.

Kathryn Hawthorne Smith

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■ Additional local obituaries are posted each week on the Newark Post web site. The web address appears at the top of every right-hand page. Obituaries of the following persons will be posted this week on the web:

Richard Andrew Albright Jr. PhD.
Robert L. Broomell
Harry R. Eckhardt
Barbara J. Lemmon
Jane M. Milbourne
Dannielle Ann Mostrom
Mary K. Norton
Mildred K. Pennington
Robert E. Picking
Kenneth V. Sharp
Kathryn Hawthorne Smith
Eric W. Wilt

Jenner's Pond, formerly of Newark, died on Sunday, Aug. 26, 2007.

She was the third of four daughters of George Lloyd Hawthorne and Kathryn Palmer Copley. She was raised in Kenbridge, Va., and was a proud graduate of Longwood College, which she continued to support throughout her life. After her graduation she became a social worker for the State of Virginia in the Staunton area. She then moved to Waynesboro to begin a job as the city welfare officer. While in Waynesboro, she met a young engineer who worked for DuPont, Robert S. Smith. They married in 1951 and shortly after that relocated to Newark, where they lived for almost 50 years. In 2005 they moved to the Jenner's Pond retirement community.

She was predeceased by her sisters, Anna Leigh Freeman and Minnie Rose Lyle. She is survived by her sister, Mary Constance Sours. She is also survived by her husband Bob; her daughters and their husbands, Kate and Lew Watson and Lex and Tom Mellon; and her grandchildren, Leigh and Michael.

A memorial service will be held at 2 pm, on Friday, Sept. 7, at St. Christopher's Episcopal Church, 116 Lancaster Pike, Oxford, PA 19363. Burial will be private.

Donations be made to either the Jenner's Pond Benevolent Care Fund; or the Easter Seals Society of Delaware c/o R.T. Foard & Jones Funeral Home, 122 West Main St., Newark, DE 19711.

Eric W. Wilt

Eric W. Wilt, 27, of Newark, died Friday, Aug. 10, 2007.

Services and burial were private.

Robert L. Broomell

Robert L. Broomell, 85, of Newark, formerly of Claymont, died on Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007, at Broadmeadow Nursing Home in Middletown.

Born in Elsmere on Jan. 20, 1922, Broomell was a son of the late George E. Broomell Sr. and Emma M. Anderson Broomell. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during World War II as a machinist's mate (First Class) aboard the destroyer USS Bush, which was sunk off the coast of Japan by suicide bombers in 1945. Honorably discharged at the close of the war, he was awarded both the World War II Victory Medal and the American Defense Service Medal. He later served in the Navy Reserve from 1955 to 1959.

In civilian life, Broomell was a machinist by profession and enjoyed a 37-year career with the DuPont Company, retiring from the Experimental Station site in 1985. He spent many years in the service of his community as a firefighter, volunteering before the war with the Elsmere Fire Company. From 1949 to 1955, he was a member of the Claymont Fire Company and drove the company's ambulance. He was also a member of the Delaware Volunteer Firemen's

Association. Broomell was also a talented woodworker.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Joe, George and Norman Broomell; and a granddaughter, Colleen. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Edith E. Webb Broomell; four sons, Kenneth Broomell and wife, Barbara, of Hamburg, N.Y.; Robert Broomell and wife, Christine, of Brunswick, Ga.; Dennis Broomell and wife, Robin, of Delaware City; and Martin Broomell and wife, Candee, of Groveland, Fla.; two daughters, Margaret Scott and husband, Bob, and Patricia Stevenson and husband, Paul, all of Newark; sister, Alice Crawford of Margate, Fla.; 17 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held on Saturday, Sept. 1, at the chapel of Gracelawn Memorial Park, 2220 N. DuPont Parkway, New Castle. Interment followed in the adjoining memorial park.

Contributions may be made to Vitas Hospice, 100 Commerce Drive, Ste. 302, Newark, DE 19713.

Barbara J. Lemmon

Barbara J. Lemmon, 64, of Newark, died on Sunday, Sept. 2, 2007, after a battle with lung cancer.

Born in Mobile, Ala., on June 12, 1943, Lemmon was a 1961

graduate of Eddystone (Pa.), High School and worked for a time with Visco in Marcus Hook, Pa., and Howard Johnson's in Claymont. In 1977, Lemmon became a homemaker after marrying the love of her life, Clarence B. Lemmon. He died in 2004.

She was also preceded in death by her mother, Gladys Sweeney Merrill. She is survived by her daughter, Wendi M. Rader and her husband, Ed, of Newark; her son, Daniel A. Lemmon Sr. of Newark; two grandsons, Daniel A. Lemmon Jr. and his fiancée, Beverly Ostrowski, of New Brunswick, N.J. and Kenneth L. Rader of Newark; her father, William T. Merrill Jr.; her brother, William T. Merrill III and his wife, Anna Marie; her sister, Janice Merrill Rossi and her husband, Joseph; nieces and nephews, Mike, Joseph, Alexa, Lauren and Kayla; and many aunts, uncles and friends.

A funeral service was held on Wednesday, Sept. 5, at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home in Newark. Interment followed in Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 2465 Chesapeake City Road, Bear.

Contributions may be made to the Helen F. Graham Cancer Center, c/o Christiana Care Foundation, P.O. Box 1668, Wilmington, DE 19899; or to Delaware Hospice, 3515 Silverside Road, Wilmington, DE 19810.

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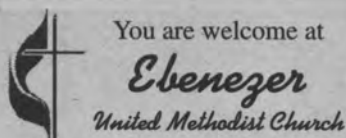
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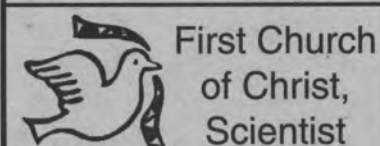


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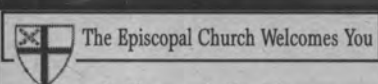
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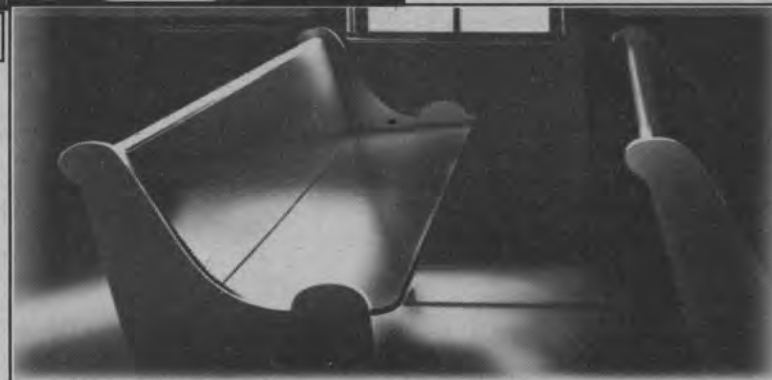
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Revered sage to speak at UD

By VIVEK DESAI

NEWARK POST CONTRIBUTING WRITER

On Sept. 11, Mahamandaleswar Swami Nityananda, a revered sage from an ancient yogic lineage of Gurus in India, will address issues of the mind and more in a talk, "Mind: Friend of Enemy?," at the University of Delaware.

His lineage begins in the early 1900s with Bhagawan Nityananda, an avadhoot — a totally detached being — who, after years of wandering far and wide, made the village of Ganeshpuri his spiritual center. Seekers reported finding transforming experiences in his presence, with a deep sense of comfort to the distressed and hope for the aspirant.

Swami Muktananda Paramahansa, known as Baba, was one of many whose life was transformed. At the age of 15, following a chance meeting with Nityananda, Baba left his home and embarked on a 25-year journey towards self-discovery.

Baba traveled barefoot throughout India, braving cold, hunger, and fatigue, until his body and mind were tempered in the crucible of austerity. He mastered ancient scriptures, different systems of yoga, Indian medicine, cooking, gardening and martial arts. In 1956, Nityananda declared that Baba had achieved enlighten-



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Mahamandaleswar Swami Nityananda

ment.

Baba enthusiastically embarked on spreading his message; he traveled across India in the 1960s and undertook world tours during the 1970s. Baba often said that he was not inventing a new path, but simply reiterating and bringing into direct experience the timeless message: "Meditate on your self. Worship your self. Honor your self. God dwells within you as you."

In July 1981 Baba chose Mahamandaleswar Swami Nityananda to succeed him in the work of inspiring people to practice meditation and the yoga of self-knowledge. In 1995, at the

age of 32, Nityananda became the youngest monk to be ordained a Mahamandaleswar. This honorable title was awarded in recognition of his knowledge of ancient scriptures, his global spiritual work and his teaching and practice of ancient Indian philosophy.

It is Delaware's great fortune that a Satsang, an assembly with the Guru, will be held with Nityananda. The talk is open to the public. It will be held at the Trabant Center Multipurpose Rooms A/B on Tuesday, Sept. 11, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Admission and refreshments are free. For more information, visit www.babasfootsteps.com.

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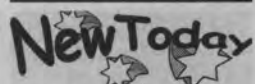
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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #3 JL, AD., 2007.

TAX PARCEL NO. 11-047.30-005

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 8 Celtic Street, Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 382, on the Record Resubdivision Plan for Brennan Estates as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 13,651, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by Zebley and Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated February 3, 2004.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Elton Frank and Avis Frank by deed of Kirk Miller and Lauren Miller, dated February 17, 2004 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware at Instrument Number 20040226-0021978.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ELTON FRANK AND AVIS FRANK.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of VEND EX #6 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 0805530218C0161

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 201 Creekside Drive, Unit 201, Newark, DE 19711

ALL that certain Unit of real property existing under and by virtue of the Unit Property Act of the State of Delaware, known as Unit No. 201 Creekside Drive, in Creekside at Green Valley, a condominium community situate in the Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, as said Unit is more particularly bounded and described in (1) the Enabling Declaration of Reston Corporation, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed book 483, Page 166 and by Amendment to the Enabling Declaration, dated February 9, 1988, and recorded in Deed Book 659, Page 1; and (2) the Condominium Declaration Plan of Creekside at Green Valley, prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds as aforesaid in Microfilm Record No. 8467, as amended by an Amendment to Declaration Plan prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, P.A. dated February 8, 1988, and recorded in the Office aforesaid in Microfilm Record No. 9047.

TOGETHER with proportionate undivided interest in the common elements of Creekside at Green Valley, as said common elements are more particularly bounded and described in said Declaration and Declaration Plan; which proportionate undivided interest expressed in terms of percentage of the common elements as a whole equals 0.50 percent.

BEING the same lands and premises which Victor R. Martuzza, by deed dated December 15, 1997, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, at Deed Book 2367, Page 288, did grant and convey unto Richard J. McGuigan, Jr., in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF RICHARD J. MCGUIGAN, JR.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of VEND EX #7 JL, AD., 2007.

TAX PARCEL NO. 08-055.30-218.C.0177

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 401 Margit Court, Newark, DE 19711

ALL that certain Unit of real property existing under and by virtue of the Unit Property Act of the State of Delaware, known as Unit No. 401 Margit Court, in Creekside at Green Valley, a condominium community situate in the Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, as said Unit is more particularly bounded and described in (1) the Enabling Declaration of Reston Corporation, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed book 483, Page 166 and by Amendment to the Enabling Declaration, dated February 9, 1988, and recorded in Deed Book 659, Page 1; and (2) the Condominium Declaration Plan of Creekside at Green Valley, prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds as aforesaid in Microfilm Record No. 8467, as amended by an Amendment to Declaration Plan prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, P.A. dated February 8, 1988, and recorded in the Office aforesaid in Microfilm Record No. 9047.

TOGETHER with proportionate undivided interest in the common elements of Creekside at Green Valley, as said common elements are more particularly bounded and described in the aforesaid Declaration and Declaration Plan; which proportionate undivided interest expressed in terms of percentage of the Common Elements as a whole shall and does equal 0.50 percent.

BEING the same lands and premises which Jacqueline A. Corrigan (then known as Jacqueline A. Godwin), a woman, by deed dated February 4, 2005 and recorded on February 9, 2005, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County

and State of Delaware, in Instrument No. 20050209-0013643, did grant and convey unto David H. Clough, as sole owner, in fee.

SUBJECT to any and all restrictions, reservations, conditions, easements and agreements of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DAVID H. CLOUGH.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #12 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 18-013.00-032

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 45 Grays Avenue, Newark, DE 19711

ALL those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land being Nos. 14 and 16 in tract of land formerly owned by Henry Harrison Gray, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by McBride and Ziegler dated 09/27/01, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Michael Foxwell did grant and convey unto Paul McNulty and Lisa Edmondson by deed dated September 28, 2001 and recorded on April 23, 2002 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20020423-0038072.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF PAUL MCNULTY AND LISA EDMONDSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #15 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-033.20-007

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 74 East Shady Drive, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain lot, place or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, know as 74 Shady Drive East, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, and being Lot No. 67, Block D, of the subdivision of Breezewood Section II, Microfilm Number 4490, and being described in accordance with a survey of First State Mortgage Surveys, Professional Land Surveyors, dated June 13, 2002.

BEING the same land and premises that Linda C. Stanker by Deed dated September 15, 2005 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 20051110-0116439, did grant and convey unto Devona Martin, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DEVONA MARTIN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #18 JL, AD., 2007.

TAX PARCEL NO. 09-022.30-286

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 10 Carole Road, Newark, Delaware 19713

ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, and being Lot No. 15, Block No. 2, on the Plan of Chestnut Hill Estates, Section 2, and described in accordance with a recent survey prepared by A.E.S. Surveyors dated February 1, 2006.

BEING the same land and premises that the Estate of Joseph C. Klose, Jr. by deed dated February 3, 2006 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Instrument 20060213-0015220, did grant and convey unto Lawrence R. Black, II and Donna M. Black, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF LAWRENCE R. BLACK, II AND DONNA M. BLACK.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #21 JL, AD., 2007.

TAX PARCEL NO. 10-043-10-469

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 61 Auckland Drive, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as No. 61 Auckland Drive, and being Lot No. 31, as shown on the plan of Wellington Woods - Section II, as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Wellington Woods - Section II & III, prepared by Mann-Talley, recorded October 2, 1990, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Microfilm No. 10595, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by Franco Bellafante Associates, Professional Land Surveyor, dated June 29, 1992, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Brian R. Bamber and Amie Doub did grant and convey unto Peter N. Githae by deed dated February 1, 2006 and recorded on February 14, 2006 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Instrument 20060214-0015731.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF PETER N. GITHAE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #27 JL, AD., 2007.

TAX PARCEL NO. 11-025.20-126

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 30 Versailles Court, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware known as 30 Versailles Court, being Lot No. 153 on the Record Resubdivision Plan for French-town Woods Townhouses as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 11707 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by A.E.S. Surveyors, Professional Land Surveyors, dated November 12, 2001.

BEING the same lands and premises which Kritin J. Baynes did by deed dated November 28, 2001 and recorded in the office of aforesaid in Instrument No. 200112100104082 did grant and convey unto Marsha A. Robinson.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF MARSHA A. ROBINSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #32 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 11-017.20-152

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 302 E. Edgewater Way, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware and being designated as Lot No. 155, Block E, as shown on the Resubdivision Plan of Four Seasons, as said Plan appears of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County in Microfilm No. 2200, said lot also known as 302 East Edgewater Way, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated March 6, 1998, as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which John A. Liles and Yvonne M. Liles did grant and convey unto Julian E. Jackson, Jr. by deed dated March 31, 1998 and recorded on April 2, 1998 in Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2422 Page 0118.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JULIAN E. JACKSON, JR.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #50 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 10-048.20-006

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 154 South Kings Croft Drive, Bear, Delaware 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon erected, situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 154 South King's Croft Drive, Scarborough Manor, Lot 26, Block A on record subdivision plan of King's Croft as said Plan is of record in the Office for the Recording of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm N. 4637 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a more recent survey prepared by Zebley & Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors for county and State aforesaid, dated August 24, 2000.

BEING the same lands and premises conveyed to Jerry A. Congo and Sarah Griffin, by Deed from Cassandra D. Bivings, dated September 28, 2000, and recorded October 3, 2000, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, and State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2904, Page 138.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JERRY A. CONGO AND SARAH GRIFFIN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #52 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 11-026.30-257

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 24 Red Sunset Drive, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain land situated in New Castle County, Delaware: Being known and designated as Lot numbered twelve (112) as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Perch Creek III, said plan being recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware in Microfilm No. 12819. The improvements thereon being known as 24 Red Sunset Drive, Newark, DE 19702. Being also one of the lots of ground which by Deed recorded among the Land Records of New Castle County, State of Delaware in Book 2237, Page 143 as granted and conveyed by Nicholas Development unto Pulte Home Corporation, the Grantor herein. Subject to all declarations, easements, rights-of-way, restrictions, declarations, agreements, covenants and plans of records.

BEING the same lands and premises which Pulte Home Corporation, by their Attorney-in-Fact, Stephen E. Anderson, by corrective deed dated February 18, 1998 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware in Deed Book 2407, Page 67, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DONALD W. & ANGELA WILSON.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #63 JL, AD., 2007.
PARCEL NO. 11-026.30-207

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 3 West Hawthorne, Newark, DE 19702
ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware known as 3 West Hawthorne Court, being Lot No. 6 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan for Perch Creek II, as said plan is of record in the Office for Recording of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm Record No. 11,809, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebley and Associates, Inc., dated April 20, 1995, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Lee R. Herbert, Sr., and Jacquelyn L. Herbert did grant and convey unto Jennifer L. Chamberlain by deed dated August 15, 2005 and recorded September 14, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, as Instrument No. 20050914-0093496.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JENNIFER L. CHAMBERLAIN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #65 JL, AD., 2007.
PARCEL NO. 10-038.20-034

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 30 Denny Circle, Newark, DE 19702
ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being known as Lot No. 45, in accordance to a Record Major Subdivision Plan of Brookfield, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Microfilm No. 12071, said lot is also known as 30 Denny Circle, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance to a recent survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated November 17, 1999.

BEING the same lands and premises Lawrence K. Kennedy, by Indenture bearing even date and to be recorded simultaneously herewith in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, will grant and convey unto Stefon E. Jackson, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF STEFON E. JACKSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #67 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-037.40-246
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 303 Jaymar Boulevard, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware being designated as Lot No. 272, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Salem Woods, Phase II, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware in Microfilm No. 8260, being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by East Coast Survey, dated March 22, 2001, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Harvard A. Hooper and Carol Ann Hooper by deed of Harry D. Olszweski and Evelyn M. Olszweski dated April 12, 2001 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware at Instrument Number 20010416-0026659.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF HARVARD A. HOOPER AND CAROL ANN HOOPER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #76 JL, AD., 2007.
PARCEL NO. 11-027.00-106

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 130 Loretta Lane, Bear, DE 19701
ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, being designated as Lot 28, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Caravel Farms, Section 5, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, on Microfilm No. 8200, said lot being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated October 28, 2004.

AND BEING the same lands and premises conveyed unto Joseph S. Daniels by deed of Stephen C. Bordas, Jr. by his Guardian Denise A. Crony, dated November 16, 2004 and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware at Instrument Number 20041117-0124272.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF JOSEPH S. DANIELS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #78 JL, AD., 2007.
PARCEL NO. 11-021.10-083

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 302 Evergreen Drive, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements erected thereon, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware being designated Lot 74, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Woodland Village, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware on Microfilm No. 12614 said lot also known as 302 Evergreen Drive, and being now more particularly bounded and described by A.E.S. Surveyors, Wilmington, Delaware, dated 1-25-99, as follows to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which NVR, Inc. (formerly NVR Homes, Inc.) a Virginia corporation did grant and convey unto Arnett D. Richardson, Jr. and Cindy Richardson by deed dated January 26, 1999 and recorded on February 2, 1999 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2580 Page 0137.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ARNETT D. RICHARDSON, JR. AND CINDY RICHARDSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #87 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 11-016.00-102
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1640 S. Old Baltimore Pike, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 3 on the Record Minor Subdivision Plan of Wincell, Inc., said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 8463 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent mortgage inspection plan, by First State Mortgage Surveys, dated February 6, 1996, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Sandra L. Ham-Patterson and Christopher A. Patterson did grant and convey unto Christopher A. Patterson by deed dated December 21, 1998 and recorded on December 29, 1998 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2564 Page 0008.

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

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #96 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 08-055.30-218-C0005
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 105 Michelle Court, Newark, DE 19711

ALL that certain Unit of real property existing under and by virtue of the Unit Property Act of the State of Delaware, known as Unit No. 105 Michelle Drive, in Creekside at Green Valley, a condominium community situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware, as said Unit is more particularly bounded and described in (1) Enabling Declaration of Reston Corporation, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed Book 483, Page 166 and by Amendment to the Enabling Declaration, dated February 9, 1988, and recorded in Deed Book 659, Page 1; and (2) the Condominium Declaration Plan of Creekside at Green Valley, prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, dated October 21, 1986 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds aforesaid in Microfilm No. 8467, as amended by an Amendment to Declaration Plan prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, P.A. dated February 8, 1988, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds as aforesaid in Microfilm No. 9047.

BEING the same lands and premises which Charles Stephen Myer and Ann G. Meyer did grant and convey unto Francis M. Kopanski, Jr. by deed dated January 23, 1998 and recorded on January 29, 1998 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2390 Page 0141 Record 008021.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF FRANCIS M. KOPANSKI, JR.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #98 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-029.10-332
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1 Stature Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon erected, situate in the White Clay Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 12 Block G, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan, Section Two, Sherwood Forest, dated September 28, 1971, as prepared by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc. Civil Engineers and Surveyors of Newark, Delaware, and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, in Microfilm No. 1902, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Ebley and Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated June 12, 1991, as follows to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Michael F. Weinkowitz, Jr. did grant and convey unto James J. Ogden and June M. Ogden by deed dated June 14, 1991 and recorded on June 17, 1991 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1188 Page 0205 Record 035827.

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

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #104 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-022.30-243
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 55 W. Stephen Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, known as 55 West Stephen Drive, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 19, Block 9, on the Plan of Chestnut Hill Estates, Section Two, as said Plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Plan Book 3, Page 68, Microfilm No. 155, and being more particularly bounded and described according to a recent survey by AES Surveyors, as follows to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which James J. Donovan, III and Susan C. Donovan did grant and convey unto Christopher Ashley by deed dated September 16, 2005 and recorded on September 22, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Instrument 20050922-0096550.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF CHRISTOPHER ASHLEY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #113 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 11-002.20-038
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 40 Mallboro Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, known as 40 Mallboro Drive, situate, lying and being in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as Lot 159 on a certain plot entitled Brookside Park, Section M, prepared by Whitman Requardt and Associates, Consulting Engineers, dated May 7, 1953 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, the County and State aforesaid in Plat Book 3, Page 10, on June 25, 1953, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by The Pelsa Company, dated September 26, 2005, as follow, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Ronnie Potts, a/k/a Ronnie Potts, Jr., did grant and convey unto Frederick Mulkey by deed dated September 26, 2005 and recorded on November 7, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in book Record 20051107-0114238.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF FREDERICK MULKEY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of FIRST PLURIES LEV FAC #114 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-039.20-040
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 235 Romney Boulevard, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 235 Romney Boulevard, being Lot No. 100 on the Record Major Subdivision Plan for Huntington, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware as Microfilm No. 10591, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with the said Record Major Subdivision Plan Drawing No. 9002714-3703, consisting of four sheets as prepared by McBride and Ziegler, Inc., Newark, Delaware, as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which The Ryland Group, Inc., a Maryland Corporation did grant and convey unto John A. Winder and Lisa A. Winder by deed dated October 29, 1993 and recorded on October 29, 1993 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1613 Page 0237.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF LISA A. WINDER.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #117 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 10-043.10-182
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 24 Heron Court, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in New Castle County, Delaware and described as follows, that is to say: Being known and designated as all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the building thereon erected, known as 24 Heron Court, situate in New Castle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and being Lot No. 60 of the subdivision of Brookmont Farms, Section One, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by the Pelsa Company dated May 6, 1992 as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Anthony G. Monico and Barbara Monico did grant and convey unto Anthony G. Monico by deed dated February 1, 2000 and recorded on February 8, 2000 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2780 Page 0342.

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SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF ANTHONY G. MONICO.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #120 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 11-032.30-183

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 52 Cummings Court, Bear, DE 19701

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being designated as Lot No. 254, as shown on the Record Major Subdivision Plan of Porter Square, Phase B, Stage 1, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 7800, said lot is also known as 52 Cummings Court, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent Mortgage Inspection plan prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated January 17, 2005, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which James Moody and Kelly S. Moody did grant and convey unto Dennis Ellixson and Melanie Ellixson by deed dated January 31, 2005 and recorded on February 2, 2005 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Instrument 20050202-0011730.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF DENNIS ELLIXSON AND MELANIE ELLIXSON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #122 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-021.40-188

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 41 Gilbert Court, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, parcel or tract of land, situate and lying in the County of New Castle and State of Delaware being more particularly described as Parcel No. 09021.40188.

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the build-

ings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 41 Gilbert Court, being Lot No. 148, Block D, on the Record Land Development Plan, Section 1 of Kimberton, as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 1819, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey prepared by East Coast Survey, Professional Land Surveyors, dated September 2004 as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Nancy Sun did grant and convey unto Bryan McFadden and Jacqueline McFadden by deed dated August 31, 2006 and recorded on September 12, 2006 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20060912-0087521.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF BRYAN MCFADDEN AND JACQUELINE MCFADDEN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #129 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-023.30-024

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 111 Coral Reef Drive, Newark, DE 19713

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon erected, known as 111 Coral Reef Drive, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, being Lot No. 8, Block C, on a Plan of Hillside Heights, Section 1, dated April 30, 1956, prepared by Edward H. Richardson Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Flat Record 4, Page 9, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebbley & Associates, Professional Land Surveyors and Site Planners of Wilmington, Delaware, dated July 22, 1998, as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which Michael R. Cudd and Sherri L. Cudd did grant and convey unto Katie L. Zanes by deed dated April 15, 2005 and recorded on May 3, 2005 in the

Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Record 20050503-0041412.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF KATIE L. ZANES.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #130 JL, AD., 2007.

PARCEL NO. 09-038.40-059

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 67 East Newtown Place, Newark, DE 19702

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

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

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

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2007.

JULY 31, 2007

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

np 8/31,9/7

CITY OF NEWARK
DELAWARE
PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE

SEPTEMBER 10, 2007 - 7:30 PM

Pursuant to Chapter 32, Zoning, Section 32-78, Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, notice is hereby given of a public hearing in the Council Chamber, Newark Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, on **Monday, September 10, 2007, at 7:30 p.m.**, to consider the request of Pilgrim Baptist Church, for a Special Use Permit to allow the relocation of an outfall facility associated with the construction of a small addition to the existing church and the relocation of the existing stormwater management facility to an underground system, located at 1325 Barksdale Road.

Susan A. Lamblack, MMC
City Secretary

np 8/24,9/7

LEGAL NOTICE

Ankit, Inc., trading as American Liquors, has on August 29, 2007, applied with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner for approval to increase the square footage of its already licensed package store, located at 790 S. Old Baltimore Pike, Newark, Delaware (19702), from 1,250 square feet to 2,500 square feet. Persons who are against this application should provide written notice of their objections to the Commissioner. For the Commissioner to be required to hold a hearing to consider additional input from persons against the application, the Commissioner must receive one or more documents containing a total of at least 10 signatures of residents or property owners located within 1 mile of the premises or in any incorporated areas located within 1 mile of the premises. The protest(s) must be filed with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner at the 3rd floor, Carvel State Office Building, 820 North French Street, Wilmington, DE 19801. The protest(s) must be received by the Commissioner's office on or before **September 28, 2007**. Failure to file such a protest may result in the Commissioner considering the application without further notice, input, or hearing. If you have questions regarding this matter please contact the Commissioner's Office at (302) 577-5222.

np 8/31,9/7,14

NOTICE

The Historic Dayett Tenant House located at the intersection of Old Baltimore Pike and South Chapel Street in Newark, Delaware is available to anyone interested in moving it to another location. If you are interested, and for more details, please contact George Danneman, Esquire at (302) 777-6372.

np 8/31,9/7,14

LEGAL NOTICE

CHANGES ARE MADE IN DETERMINATIONS OF BASE FLOOD ELEVATIONS FOR THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, DELAWARE, UNDER THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

On January 17, 2007, the Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency identified Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs) in the unincorporated areas of New Castle County, Delaware, through issuance of a Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM). The Mitigation Division has determined that the modification of Base (1-percent-annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) for certain locations in this community is appropriate. The modified BFEs revise the FIRM for the community.

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

A hydraulic analysis was performed to incorporate more detailed topographic information along the overbank areas of South Branch Naamans Creek. This has resulted in increases and decreases in SFHA width and the establishment of BFEs for South Branch Naamans Creek. The table below indicates existing and modified BFEs for selected locations along the affected lengths of the flooding source cited above.

Location	Existing BFE (feet)*	Modified BFE (feet)*
South Branch Naamans Creek		
Approximately 1,200 feet upstream of Interstate 495.....	73	75
Approximately 1,700 feet upstream of Route 495.....	76	77

*North American Vertical Datum, rounded to nearest whole foot

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

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

Any person having knowledge or wishing to comment on these changes should immediately notify:

The Honorable Christopher Coons
County Executive
New Castle County
87 Reads Way
New Castle, DE 19720

np 8/31,9/7

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LEGAL NOTICE

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
Saymond You
PETITIONER(S)
TO
Alexander Saymond You
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Saymond You 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 Alexander Saymond You.

Yousef
(Father of Alexander) Petitioner
Dated: 08/23/2007
np 9/7,14,21

CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE**COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA SEPTEMBER 10, 2007 - 7:30 PM**

- SILENT MEDITATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- CITY SECRETARY'S MINUTES FOR COUNCIL APPROVAL:**
 - Regular Council Meeting of August 27, 2007
- 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:**
 - Contract 07-12, Purchase of One 2008 Mini Bus
 - Contract 07-13, Purchase & Installation of Police Facility Security System
 - Recommendation re: RFP 07-03 Design/Build Services for the Refurbishment, Fit-Out and Start Up of a Siemens TR-420(A) Treatment Unit at the Curtis Water Treatment Plant
- ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING & PUBLIC HEARING:** None
- PLANNING COMMISSION/DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:**
 - Request of Pilgrim Baptist Church for a Special Use Permit to Allow the Relocation of an Outfall Facility Associated with the Construction of a Small Addition to the Existing Church & the Relocation of the Existing Stormwater Management Facility to an Underground System, Located at 1325 Barksdale Road
 - Request of Liborio Louviers, LLC, for a Revision to the Approved Subdivision Agreement for the Development Known as The Shoppes at Louviers, Parcel A. Located on the East Side of Paper Mill Road, to Modify the Deed Restrictions to Allow Wine Tasting in the Wine-Only Package Store (ADDENDUM TO SUBDIVISION AGREEMENT PRESENTED)
- ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING:** None
- ITEMS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLISHED AGENDA:**
 - COUNCIL MEMBERS:** None
 - COMMITTEES, BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:** None
- SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:**
 - Special Reports from Manager & Staff: None
 - Alderman's Report
 - Request for Executive Session re Pending Litigation (Durkin v. Newark)

***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 www.cityofnewarkde.us
np 9/7

The following Sentinel Self Storage sites will be holding public auctions on October 10, 2007. All sales are cash only and final. A \$100 cash deposit is required to purchase a unit.

SENTINEL SELF STORAGE

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

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

- #1265 - Richard L. Thompson - 1 bag, 10 boxes, 2 chairs, lamp, 5 totes, Christmas paper
- #2117 - Janice Stokes - 4 bags, mattress, kitchen chair, clothing, freezer, rug, mirrors
- #3117 - Barbara Lenoff - 10 boxes, chair, fan, microwave, rug, refrigerator, 12 totes, 2 wheelchairs, suitcase

SENTINEL SELF STORAGE

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

A public auction will be held on **October 10, 2007 at 1:00 p.m.** at the above address. All sales are cash only. All sales are final. The units to be auctioned are as follows:

- #7012 - Benjamin Pittman - beds, boxes, bicycle, ice chest, speakers, weights, table, TVs
- #101 - Crystal Callahan - bag, clothing, tires, suitcase
- #6004 - Richard Stokes - box, clothing, computer, ice chest, refrigerator, suitcase, TV stand
- #4010 - Hillary & Renee Dandridge - totes, boxes, bags, pictures, dresser, weights, clothing, vacuum, tables, stereo/speaker

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

- #2045 - Sharon Saleem - bags, boxes, exercise equipment, stereo, portable TV, vacuum, kitchen chairs
- #3004 - Robert Morton - boxes, dresser, exercise equipment, washer, dryer, portable TV, refrigerator
- #4110 - Jennifer Schucker - boxes, desk, refrigerator, rugs, totes
- #6001 - Anthony Chopko - boxes, upholstered chair, tool box, totes, toys, model planes, power tools, ski equipment
- #7001 - Frank McClure - box spring, mattress, boxes, computer, fishing equipment, totes, vacuum, tools
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- #11 - Gerald D. Williamson - fan, lawn equipment, stove, tool box, vacuum, work bench, masonry tools, wood, shop vac, hand truck
- #49 - LeKeysha C. Ayers - baby chair, bags, clothing, speakers, stereo, toys
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- #130 - Joyce Dixon - boxes, china cabinet, couch, dresser, microwave, rug, portable TV
- #172 - Janice Carr - bags, bed, box spring, mattress, upholstered chair, totes, portable TV
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- #265 - Michael Bush - air conditioner, baby stroller, bed frame, bed, mattress, chest of drawers, dresser, dryer, mirrors, DVR
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PETITIONER(S)
TO
Teresa Louise Sharp
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Teresa Sharp Tritt
Petitioner
Dated: August 30, 2007
np 9/7,14,21

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TO
James Michael Guthrie
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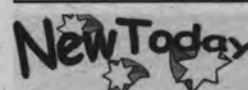
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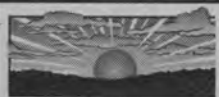
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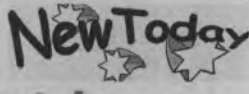
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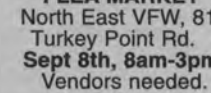


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