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## Season's changes unfold

BY MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The seemingly endless autumn finally departed last week. A hard frost may still be a little time away. But when the clocks are turned back, the rhythm of our days is adjusted to a winter mode.

For a few more weeks, the ride home will still take place in waning daylight. But, by the Winter Solstice on Dec. 22, we will have only a little over nine hours of daylight.

Despite warnings that the autumn colors would not be quite so vivid, the leaves have turned and still cling to branches despite cold and rain. The drought and the weather pattern that brought us the warmest October for this region since 1894 has been kind to us.

Mornings are a little magical as the fall slips away. Dawn reveals fog and mist hanging over fields and lawns, creating a soft radiance as the sun is climbing.

Afternoons bring new vistas and colors as school children run and shout on distant soccer fields and pint-size football players squint into the slanting sun to see the arc of a pigskin ball across the sky.

As evening comes down earlier in the approaching winter, late commuters can see welcoming lights in windows of homes usually hidden by lush summer growth.

Of course, nature and clocks are not the only features of our days that changed this month. Studies have shown that there are more automobile

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Petzak

## HONORING OUR VETERANS

### Ceremony salutes Newark area servicemen

On Sunday, Nov. 11, Newark residents and veterans gathered at a World War I monument on the University of Delaware campus near Old College for a Veterans Day ceremony. The monument, first dedicated in 1921, marks the spot where New Castle County men were sworn into the military during the first World War. Here are some scenes from the event:



Sam Tibbels, representing ROTC, presents the flag to Dave Butters and John Morrow of VFW Post 475.



Above: Dave Butters reads the soldier's rendition of the "Night Before." Left: Newark City Councilman Frank Osborne and resident Victoria Owen place a wreath at the WWI monument near Old College.



The Lt. J. Allison O'Daniel VFW Post 475 Honor Guard presents arms.

## DRC project completed

Christina District efforts also used in state model

BY MARY E. PETZAK

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The Delaware Department of Education (DOE) has completed all components of its statewide-recommended curriculum framework, including a launch of DOE's Delaware Recommended Curriculum (DRC) Website.

The state recommended curriculum defines a K-12 curriculum map with benchmarks and includes model units and resources for teachers. The DOE is working with all Delaware public school districts and charter schools to demonstrate how their curriculum is aligned to the standards in all content areas, and to provide tools and resources to all teachers to help ensure high-quality classroom instructional units and assessments that will meet the needs of their students, while aligning with expectations in the

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## Student to run for council seat

Newark native is first to file in April 2008 elections

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A Newark native and graduate student at the University of Delaware is the first person to file as a candidate in the Newark City Council elections, which will be held about five months from now in April 2008.



Temko

Ezra Temko, 22, is running for the District 5 seat currently held by Councilman Frank Osborne. District 5 encompasses city homes in the northwestern section of Newark, north of Nottingham Road and

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### Gun shots heard in neighborhood

Police investigated a report of gun shots being fired near a home in the 300 block of Matthew Flacco Drive on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 10:25 p.m. Residents reported hearing between 3 and 4 gun shots. The casing of what appeared to be a large caliber shell was found nearby, said police. One homeowner found a single bullet hole above the front door. Investigation will continue.

### Jewelry stolen in robbery

An unknown suspect smashed the front door of Minster's jewelry store in the 200 block of E. Main Street, broke the tops of several glass display cases and ransacked the store before stealing jewelry and fleeing the premises, police were told on Monday, Nov. 5, at 5:24 a.m. Investigation will continue.

### Other incidents

An 8-year-old dog was stolen from the backyard of a home in the 100 block of Galloway Court, police were told on Sunday, Nov. 11, at 4:57 p.m. An unknown suspect lifted a fence gate off its hinges to remove the dog, said police. The dog is described as a pit bull/German shepherd mix.

Police are investigating the theft of more than \$200 worth of food from the Acme Supermarket in the 900 block of Elton Road, on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 10:38 p.m. Witnesses said a man wearing a black coat loaded up a shopping cart with items and then left the store without paying for them. A female helped him load the items into a car, which then fled the parking lot, said police.

An 18-year-old Hillsborough, N.J., man reported being struck in the face and head by an unknown suspect in the K-mart parking lot in the 300 block of College Square on Sunday, Nov. 11, at 10:24 p.m. The victim had cuts in his mouth and on his head, said police. Investigation will continue.

Employees at the Superfresh in the 400 block of New London Road reported seeing a man run out of the store with a basket full of unpaid items on Friday, Nov. 9, at 8:06 a.m. Items included more than \$200 worth of baby formula, police were told.

Graffiti was found on several telephone poles, a mail box, stop sign and neighborhood watch sign at the intersection of Ritter Lane and Apple Road,

## POLICE BLOTTER

### UD freshman killed when struck by SUV

**A**n 18-year-old University of Delaware student was struck by a car and killed as he crossed Elton Road west of Otts Chapel Road in Newark on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 2 a.m., said Newark Police.

The fatal collision took place in the east bound lanes just before Otts Chapel Road. A 2005 Chevrolet Trailblazer driven by a Delaware resident struck

the freshman student, John M. Roca of Rehoboth Beach, said police.

Police said Roca was walking in the roadway when hit. The driver of the Trailblazer stopped at the scene and called police. The driver and his passenger gave aid to the victim until emergency medical services arrived on scene, said police.

Police said the pedestrian

was too badly injured and pronounced dead by doctors at Christiana Hospital.

Aetna Fire Police and Delaware's Department of Transportation assisted at the scene. Police are asking anyone who witnessed the accident to contact Cpl. Dave Kerr at 366-7110, ext. 107.

police were told on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 10:23 a.m.

The entrance sign for Windy Hills development on Capitol Trail near Dillwyn Road was stolen by unknown suspects, police were told on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 3:08 p.m.

Police investigated a report of eggs being thrown at a car parked in the unit block of Alford Court on Sunday, Nov. 4, at 5:49 p.m. Investigation will continue.

The parking gate at a lot in the unit block of E. Delaware Avenue was broken off by unknown means, police were

told on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 3:05 a.m.

A witness saw three men breaking the gate at a parking lot in the unit block of E. Main Street on Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 12:50 a.m., police were told.

### Vehicles targeted

A Honda Civic was stolen from a parking lot in the 100 block of E. Main Street, police were told on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 5:09 p.m.

An unknown suspect stole a Honda Prelude from a parking lot in the unit block of N.

College Avenue, police were told on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 11:57 a.m.

A mountain bike was stolen from outside an apartment in the unit block of Duke Street, police were told on Monday, Nov. 5, at 4:20 p.m.

The side mirrors of a Honda Civic parked on Amstel Avenue were kicked off by unknown suspects, police were told on Monday, Nov. 5, at 10:35 a.m.

A Chevrolet Trailblazer reported stolen by its owner from the unit block of Hawthorne Avenue was later recovered by police after an apparent collision on Monday, Nov. 5, at 7:30 a.m., said police.

### 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:

**Charles Sniadowski, 19**, of Newark, and **Andrew DiGuiseppe, 19**, of Newark, disorderly premises, on Sunday, Nov. 11, at 12:42 a.m., in the unit block of E. Cleveland Avenue;

**Michael Green, 20**, of Newark, and **Kevin Stark, 20**, of Newark, noise law violation, on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11:40 p.m., in the unit block of E. Main Street;

**Michael Riisen, 22**, of Newark, disorderly premises, on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11:40 p.m., in the unit block of E. Park Place;

**Jordan Wolfson, 20**, of Commack, N.Y., disorderly premises, on Friday, Nov. 9, at 11:57 p.m., in the unit block of W. Park Place;

**James Lisa, 20**, of Newark, noise law violation, on Friday, Nov. 9, at 12:28 a.m., in the unit block of W. Delaware Avenue;

**Kevin Kelaher, 19**, of Stony Brook, N.Y., underage consumption of alcohol and disorderly conduct, on Saturday, Nov. 3, at 2:52 a.m., in the 200 block of E. Delaware Avenue.

Police said all were released pending court appearances.



## Weekly crime report

STATISTICS FOR OCT. 28-NOV. 3, 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	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kidnap	0	4	0	15	10	0
Rape	12	10	0	12	43	0
Unlawful sexual contact	7	7	0	6	8	6
Robbery	73	47	0	53	75	3
Aggravated assault	42	51	4	44	51	2
Burglary	158	158	5	52	221	7
Theft	836	800	16	194	347	5
Auto theft	135	96	2	11	12	0
Arson	6	2	0	7	0	0
All other	66	80	0	81	188	4
<b>TOTAL PART I</b>	<b>1336</b>	<b>1255</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>PART II OFFENSES</b>						
Other assaults	354	374	8	242	343	6
Receiving stolen property	3	0	0	34	31	4
Criminal mischief	653	450	13	310	174	1
Weapons	13	10	0	81	84	4
Other sex offenses	17	21	4	20	14	4
Alcohol	510	532	5	1026	1045	15
Drugs	109	123	2	369	364	3
Noise/disorderly premise	636	603	17	381	345	14
Disorderly conduct	1137	964	13	191	252	9
Trespass	168	161	7	88	116	2
All other	506	489	16	197	248	8
<b>TOTAL PART II</b>	<b>4106</b>	<b>3727</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>2939</b>	<b>3016</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>						
Alarm	1212	1330	27	0	0	0
Animal control	493	526	17	37	5	1
Recovered property	273	239	3	0	0	0
Service	8246	7250	145	0	0	0
Suspicious person/vehicle	926	890	20	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS</b>	<b>11150</b>	<b>10235</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>THIS WEEK 2006 2006 TO DATE THIS WEEK 2007 2007 TO DATE</b>						
<b>TOTAL CALLS</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>24447</b>		<b>514</b>	<b>23464</b>	



## IN THE NEWS

# CSX Bridge: before and after

DNP volunteers clean up Chapel Street railroad bridge

Members of the Newark community, Downtown Newark Partnership (DNP) and city staff came together on Saturday, Nov. 10, to clean up the CSX railroad bridge on Chapel Street.

The city's parks and public works departments supplied trained labor, equipment and trucks, while volunteers worked to remove debris and brush from the area, which acts as a gateway to the central business district.

City Councilman Stu Markham who initially proposed the idea to the DNP said the cleanup served as an "excellent example" of the community coming together to promote downtown improvement.

"Projects like this not only



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improve the attractiveness of an area, but they also improve the esteem in that area. It is in the benefit of all residents to have a clean and attractive city," he said.

While the event provided a short-

term clean-up, plans are in the works for the long-term development of the site. City crews plan to topsoil and seed the area, and remove any graffiti from the bridge. The DNP Design Committee will then

decide on future improvements. Volunteers at Saturday's event were Joe Charma, Reid Rowlands, Dave Dalby, Howard Smith, Lori Athey and Pat Bartling of the DNP Design Committee, Mayor Vance

A. Funk III and Councilman Stu Markham. They worked alongside members of the city's parks and rec and public works department and DNP Administrator Maureen Feeney Roser.

## Going green with geothermal heat

Newark homeowner installs system

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The construction vehicle that rolled onto Ann Morrison's Sunset Road property in old Newark last week was nothing short of enormous.

A drill at one end of the truck stretched several stories in the

air, towering over the homes on the street. Bit by bit, it worked its way into the ground, digging a hole that would eventually reach 265 feet deep.

Over the noise from the machinery, Kenny Madron of KL Madron well-drilling company in Avondale, Pa., explained what was happening. It would take a day and a half, he said, for the company to drill two narrow, deep holes in Morrison's yard.

The purpose? To install the vertical pipes needed for the fam-

ily's new geothermal heating and cooling system.

A geothermal system taps into a free source of energy — the earth's year-round temperature of about 55 degrees — and captures this heat in a series of pipes buried underground.

To heat a home, the system circulates a mix of water and a freon-like substance through the pipes, transferring heat from the ground to the fluid and, eventu-

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NEWARK POST PHOTO BY CHRISTINE NEFF

K.L. Madron Company starts to drill at a Newark home.

## Food Bank in need of donations

Newark-based warehouse supplies food to 350 partner agencies

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

As the giving season approaches, one Newark-based organization has put out a special request for donations.

The Food Bank of Delaware has said its inventory is lower than usual for this time of year, and requests for assistance will only increase with the holiday season.

About 350 nonprofit agencies in the state depend on the Food Bank for food inventories, said Dana Johnston, community relations manager. These agencies, which include the Sunday Breakfast Mission and the

Ministry of Caring, provide emergency food assistance to more than 90,000 Delawareans each year and often provide baskets of food and special meals to needy families during the holidays.

This year, however, food stores at the Food Bank are lower than normal and may not be able to meet the demand. Supplies are low, said Johnston, because more food is going overseas and the organization receives fewer "salvage" products — items that

can't be sold at a grocery store due to package damages or other reasons.

"In order for the Food Bank to continue its tradition of bringing a bit of joy to the less fortunate during the holiday season, we need the assistance of the community," she said.

The community can participate in two major food drives this week that will benefit the Food

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## HEADACHES KILLING YOU?

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# In Our Schools

EDUCATION NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS

## NOTE PAD

### Vo-Tech Open Houses

New Castle County Vo-Tech High Schools will be open to the public on Sunday, Nov. 18. Vo-Tech students will present live demonstrations in the career labs during the afternoon. Howard High School of Technology, 12th Street, Wilmington, and Delcastle Technical High School, Newport Road, Wilmington, will have tours from noon to 3 p.m. Hodgson Vo-Tech High School, Glasgow, and the new St. Georges Technical High School, Hyetts Corner Road, Middletown, will be open 1 to 4 p.m. For more info, visit [www.nccvotech.com](http://www.nccvotech.com) or call 302-995-8035.

### USA meeting location needed

The University/Schools Alliance is looking for a school to volunteer some classroom or library space for its next coalition meeting on Thursday, Dec. 13, at 3:45 p.m. If available, please contact USA project coordinator Mary Perno at 302-831-4470 or [mperno@udel.edu](mailto:mperno@udel.edu).

The Alliance invites all parents to "The Dating Game" at Newark High School on Wed. Nov. 28, at 6 p.m. Food will be served, admission is FREE. Register on the USA Website at [www.udel.edu/usa](http://www.udel.edu/usa).

### Annual Essay Competition

The non-profit Bill of Rights Institute is offering its annual "Being an American" essay contest to high school students nationwide. Winning essays will be announced next spring and can earn teachers and students cash prizes of up to \$5,000 each. Entries must be submitted by Dec. 3. A lesson plan for teachers and supplemental materials on the contest topic "What civic value(s) do you believe are most essential to being an American, and how can you personally put those values into practice?" is available at [www.BeingAnAmerican.org](http://www.BeingAnAmerican.org). The mission of the Bill of Rights Institute, founded in 1999, is to educate young people about the words and ideas of America's Founders, the liberties guaranteed in our Founding documents, and how our Founding principles continue to affect and shape a free society.

## Gallagher Elementary wins STAR Award for PBS

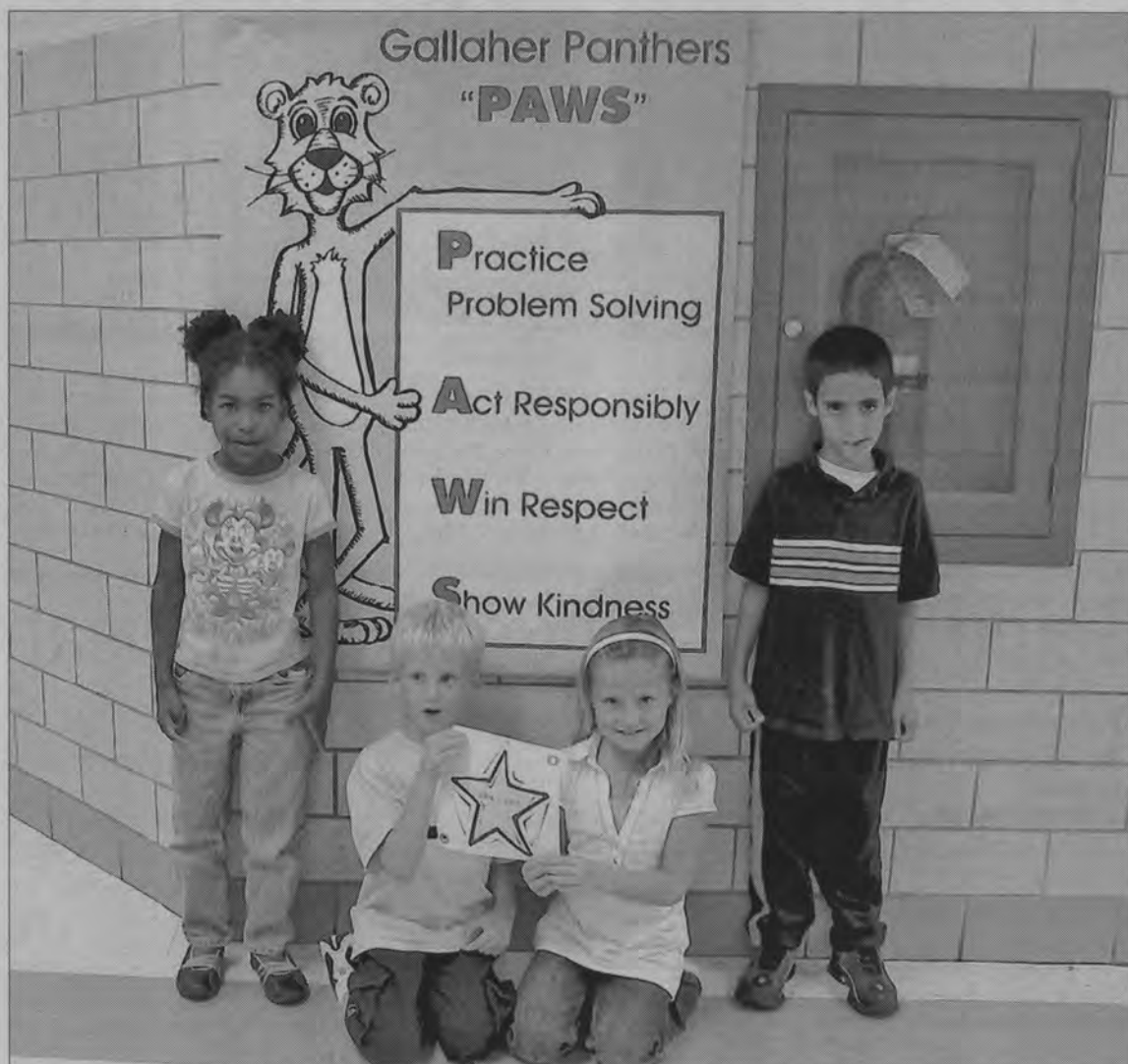
Gallagher Elementary School earned STAR School status from the Delaware Department of Education for the school's 2006-07 Positive Behavior Program (PBS).

The goal of PBS is to maximize appropriate behaviors by teaching students how to manage themselves appropriately. Gallagher was recognized as one of the STAR Schools due to their strong, model program implementation and the ongoing use of data for decision-making.

A review team, requiring a score of at least 80/80, used the Delaware School-wide Evaluation tool (SET-D) in considering Gallagher for STAR school status. The evaluation looked at PBS program materials created by the school-wide team and randomly interviewed students and staff to ensure the program is being well implemented. The school also had to demonstrate multiple ways of how character education is integrated into the PBS Program. The second requirement was a comprehensive end-of-the-year analysis of PBS data.

Gallagher students receive Panther Bucks as incentives for following the school-wide rules. Panther Bucks can be traded in for a variety of rewards. Each month, students who have earned Panther Bucks, because they have been following the positive behaviors, can redeem them for a PBS sponsored activity.

According to Gallagher staff, this year's PBS program "got off to an exciting start" with over 200 students participating in the PBS Games Day in September. In October, another 230 students participated in the PBS Ice Cream Party. Future events include the PBS Craft Party in December and the PBS Super Bowl Party in January.



## CHS juniors meet Supreme Court Justices

Angelica Montes and Kristina Horton of Christiana High School were selected to meet on Nov. 4-5 with U.S. Supreme Court Justices. The two juniors met with the Justices in the marble corridors of the Supreme Court building in Washington, D.C., as

part of the Constitution Project, which is designed to expand understanding of the nation's democratic institutions.

Coordinated by the Annenberg Public Policy Center of the University of Pennsylvania, the opportunity was extended to top high school juniors and seniors from major city school districts.

Principal Noreen LaSorsa and CHS teacher Barbara Land, who accompanied them on their trip to Washington, nominated the students for the trip. Montes has a 4.5 grade point average, and is an Advanced Placement and Honor student. She is a Sentinel Officer for the FFA, and is a member of Student Council, Student Government, National Honor Society, and the State Floriculture Team.

Horton has a grade point average of 4.0, and is an Advanced Placement and Honor student. She is a member of Marching Band, National Junior ROTC, National Honor Society, and Student Council.



Two Christiana High School 11th graders were selected to meet with U.S. Supreme Court justices Nov. 4 and 5 in Washington, D.C. From left: CHS students Kristina Horton and Angelica Montes with teacher Barbara Land.

The sessions with the Justices were videotaped for distribution to schools throughout the nation for use on Constitution Day through the Sunnyslands Seminar DVD series, underwritten by the Annenberg Foundation Trust.

## Local Semifinalists for 2008 Merit Scholarships

New Castle County students were among Semifinalists in the 53rd annual National Merit Scholarship Program announced in September by officials of National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC).

### Local Semifinalists include:

ARCHMERE ACADEMY  
Barr, Victoria W.; Bartels, Elizabeth B.; Lakin, Julia R.; Meng, Dennis F.; Mulhearn, William; Murphy, Laura S.;

Shaud, Brian C.

ALEXIS I. DUPONT H. S.  
Thompson, Robert K.

SANFORD SCHOOL  
Bowman, Brittany A.;  
Nachbar, Brian C.

WILMINGTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
Chenault, Aaron M.

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## IN OUR SCHOOLS

Look  
it up!

All third graders at Downes Elementary School each received a dictionary from Christiana Rotary Club on Thursday, Nov. 1. Club president Dave Schultz presented the dictionaries at the school.



## Merit Scholarships Semifinalists

## ► MERIT, from 4

ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL  
DuBose, Theo B.; Lee,  
Conrad M.; Liu, Maggie Y.

TALL OAKS CLASSICAL  
SCHOOL  
North, Paige R.

BRANDYWINE H. S.  
Tosun, Tarik D.

CHARTER SCHOOL OF  
WILMINGTON  
Alexander, Sarah J.;  
Depenbusch, Phillip M.;  
Fennick, Arielle J.; Harad,  
Lauren J.; Kempton, Willett  
J.; Lee, Hwa P.; Lewin, Sylvia  
K.; Li, James Y.; Li, Zehao;  
Liu, Jeffrey; Miller, Alexia  
S.; Niedzielski, Anastasia I.;  
Siva, Sindhu; Strouss, Lisa N.;  
Sweigart, Eric A.; Terasaki,  
Akito T.; Vel, Rajarajan S.;  
Yang, Mengfei

HOME SCHOOL  
Ryan, Audrey S.

MOUNT PLEASANT H. S.  
Spiegel, Rebecca S.

SALESIANUM SCHOOL  
Everett, Matthew C.  
Patterson, Jason M.

ST. MARK'S H. S.  
McGuire, Anthony J.

THE TATNALL SCHOOL  
Goldstein, Rick D.;

Gondek, Alison M.; Salevan,  
Julia C.; Wehner, Katherine A.

TOWER HILL SCHOOL  
Debold, Abigail L.;  
Tan, Joseph S.

URSULINE ACADEMY  
Brinn, Katherine M.

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Merit Program.

Approximately 15,000  
Semifinalists will advance to  
the Finalist level from which all  
Merit Scholarship winners will  
be chosen.

Delmarva awards  
\$10,000 in scholarships

Delmarva Power Foundation recently awarded a total of \$10,000 in college scholarships to 16 Girl Scouts for successfully completing their Gold Awards. Recipients of Scholarships are:

Samantha Slusser, Wilmington; Jennifer Crick, Chesapeake City; Bethany Hughes, Elkton; Victoria Combs, Wilmington; Clara Menton, Newark; Katherine Miente, Stevensville; Michelle Onorato, Wilmington; Adebola Adeniran, Salisbury; Sarah Painter, Newark; Katherine Wootten, Wilmington; Megan Murray, Bear; Samantha Todd, Stevensville; Stephanie Reimer, Newark; Maria Lepore-Stevens, Wilmington; Lindsay Udinski, Newark; Amanda Mazie, Wilmington.

"On behalf of the entire Girl Scouts organization, I would like to thank Delmarva Power for their commitment to furthering the educations of girls in our community," said Judy Taggart,

CEO of the Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay Council. "Our Scouts are extremely appreciative of Delmarva Power's generosity." The Gold Award, Girl Scouts' highest honor, is given to any teen-aged Girl Scout who completes a rigorous multi-year service project that aims to improve the community and lives of girls. Gold Award projects can be based in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math) initiatives, environmental advocacy, community outreach, politics, the arts, etc. The program is designed to teach Girl Scouts leadership, team building, and other skills adaptable to the real world.

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(L to R) Marianne Abdul, wholesale manager at Delmarva Power Wholesale and member of Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay board of directors; Gloria Zook Diodato, chair, Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay board; Gary Stockbridge, president, Delmarva Power; Judy Taggart, CEO, Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay Council; and Enid Wallace-Simms, public affairs manager for Delmarva Power.

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# Opinion

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POST COLUMNIST

## Too blessed to be stressed

By RUTH KELLY

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

I was pleased to receive a note from a reader who thanked for me a recent column and for my writing about God. It is troublesome that some people don't want to broach the subject of faith and spirituality. Prayer, particularly public prayer, still seems to upset people.

The news in recent weeks has been awful. O.J. Simpson rearing his ugly head, Jena 6 in Louisiana, the Delaware State University shootings, the tragic fires in Southern California are just a few of the dismal headlines we've seen over the past several weeks. It's enough to stress even the strongest willed among us. I also dread the football season and the weekly news analyses of every play and fan reaction, wondering, is this all there is? Is this all folks think about?



Kelly

I recently read about a minister who, upon opening the new session of the Kansas State Senate a few years ago, had a number of legislators walk out during his prayer in protest.

In times like we live in today, I believe that "if you don't stand for something, you will fall for anything" and so I share his prayer with you.

"Heavenly Father, We come before you today to ask your forgiveness and to seek your direction and guidance. We know your Word says, 'Woe to those who call evil good' and that is exactly what we have done. We have lost our spiritual equilibrium and reversed our values. We have exploited the poor and called it the lottery. We have rewarded laziness and called it welfare. We have killed our unborn and called it choice. We have shot abortionists and called it justifiable. We have neglected to discipline our children and called it building self-esteem. We have abused power and called it politics. We have coveted our neighbor's possessions and called it ambition. We have polluted the air with profanity and pornography and called it freedom of speech and expression. We have ridiculed the time honored values of our forefathers and called it enlightenment. Search us, Oh, God, and know our hearts today; cleanse us from every sin and set us free."

In Nebraska, an agnostic legislator filed a lawsuit against God trying to make the point that anybody can sue anybody. Miraculously, two court filings from "God" appeared on a court clerk's desk the next day under otherworldly circumstances. The clerk reportedly said, "It just like all of a sudden - poof!" One response was "I created man and woman with free will and, next to the promise of immortal life, free will is my greatest gift to you...God".

The recent injury of Buffalo Bills football player Kevin Everett was very sad to read about. It brought back memories of a friend of mine who was similarly hurt play-

ing football for South Philadelphia High School back in the 1960s. He was injured in a game, broke his neck and was left a quadriplegic at the age of 16.

The initial prognosis for Kevin Everett was very bleak and even now remains uncertain. During a recent news conference, it was stated that Everett stood little chance of making a full recovery. Then, amazingly, a day later after receiving an experimental procedure of pumping icy cold saline into his veins to try to prevent further damage, doctors are now encouraged by subsequent signs of his moving his legs and arms. What really caught my attention was the quickness in which the surgeon spurted out that "this is not a miracle" but more a result of science than science fiction.

I'm claiming this as a miracle anyhow. What is a miracle? Webster defines it as a remarkable event. This dramatic turn, although scientific, was indeed a remarkable event and for me was an act of God.

Often times we don't realize we've experienced a miracle. Many mistakenly call miracles luck. We miss miracles because we don't look for them in our every day lives. I've experienced so many miracles in my life, I can't count them all. I do, however, count them all as joy.

Look at your lives and think of the moments that, against all odds, you prevailed in a situation. Think of the near misses you may have had traveling daily on our dangerous roads. Having a healthy baby is a miracle. The little things we take for granted are really miracles.

One of the many residents affected by the raging fires in California spoke to a reporter and shared a very powerful story of survival. She told the reporter, as she was describing her losses to a complete stranger, the man handed her a \$100 bill and said "take this, you will need it". She was overwhelmed by the stranger's generosity. The man's name just happened to be Gabriel.

I share this because there are angels among us. When you help someone you may just be entertaining an angel. When you feel stirred to do something nice for someone, follow what your heart is telling you. You could be that angel walking on earth and your act of kindness will be a blessing, and you will be blessed for your kindness.

I submit to you that faith and prayer is what our world so desperately needs. Faith in something or someone bigger than us and the power of a prayer is a miracle in itself. The blessings that occur as a result of prayer and faith serve for me as a constant reminder that I am too blessed to be stressed. Start looking for opportunities to touch someone else's life and then watch your miracles begin to come.

*The author, a single parent, has been a columnist for the Newark Post from time to time since 1994. A retired Dupont employee and a former specialist for the Christina School District, Ruth is now working part-time at Providence Service Corporation doing the work she loves on behalf of children.*

## OUT OF THE ATTIC



High School, Newark, Del.

GORDON A. WOLF, WILMINGTON, DEL.

This week's Out of the Attic features a postcard of the High School in Newark, published between 1901 and 1907. The postcard is part of the University of Delaware Library Postcard Collection, which contains more than 2,000 postcards of Delaware and nearby areas. The cards date mainly from the very end of the 19th century to the mid 20th. The collection can be viewed online at [www.lib.udel.edu](http://www.lib.udel.edu). Readers who have a historic photo and would like to share it with other readers are invited to loan their photos for reprinting in these space. Special care will be taken. For more 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

Nov. 17, 1932

### Sidewalk assured for residents of East Newark

The laying of the four-foot sidewalk from Newark toward Roseville is to be a reality. The State Highway Department is advertising for bids now for this work, which calls for 13,500 square feet of sidewalk, reaching from Leak's Garage to Lum's Lane.

This contract is part of Governor Buck's unemployment program and it is understood that this project adjoining Newark is to be realized through the sincere efforts of several prominent citizens of the town who are to be congratulated on bringing this necessary sidewalk to the residents adjacent to Newark, for there were thirty or forty children residing in this area who have to walk back and forth

to school every day. Due to the narrowness of the road just beyond the B. & O. Bridge, it is a miracle that there hasn't been a serious accident at this point.

### Dedication of Newark Auditorium and Gymnasium on Friday Evening

The Newark School auditorium and gymnasium

will be dedicated with appropriate ceremony on Friday evening, Nov. 18, at 7:30.

The dedication is open to the public without charge and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. The first part of the program will be: Dedication of the Newark School Auditorium and Gymnasium. The second part of the program will be a Washington Bicentenary Pageant, presented by several hundred pupils of the Newark School from the kindergarten to the twelfth grade.

Nov. 16, 1977

### Chamber misses on bid for auto plant

A campaign to convince Japanese auto manufacturers to build an assembly plant in the Newark area, a move that could create

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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

# Article sparks childhood memory for reader

**To: the Editor**  
**From: Ira Coover Jr.**  
**New Castle**

The recent article about privies in the American Profile insert in the *Newark Post* takes me back to my earliest memories.

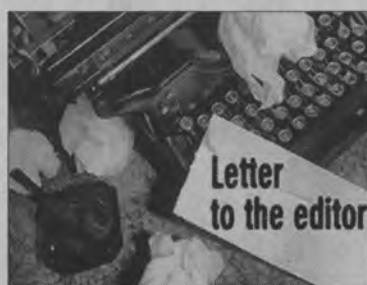
I was born in 1949 when my young parents lived in an apartment, but my father soon decided his first born should have a yard to play in, so they rented a two bedroom shack next to the railroad tracks on Old Harmony Road.

We had chickens, a cow and an outhouse. Our privy was no run of the mill outhouse; it was a deluxe two-seated model. The door faced the tracks and rumor has it that when my parents were taking advantage of the two seats and a train would go by, my Dad

would kick the door open, to the chagrin of my poor mother.

There is another story about my father teaching himself harmonica while occupying the little building and, of course, it was mandatory to entertain all the choo-choos' passengers as they went by.

A couple of years later, when we were living in a house with indoor plumbing, my father bought a lot at Broadkill beach on the Delaware Bay. He found a little house trailer for \$100 to set on the lot and found an unused outhouse in the backyard of my great uncle in Stanton. He carried that by pickup truck all the way to Broadkill and set it up behind the trailer. Once again, my family was not going to have a run of the mill privy. My dad put a septic tank under the sand and a porce-



lain toilet bowl in the outhouse. When you were finished, you just went outside and got a bucket of water and poured it in the bowl for high class flushing.

## Healthy diet can lessen cancer risk

**To: the Editor**  
**From: Neil Askins**  
**Newark**

A landmark study released this month by the prestigious World Cancer Research Fund has found a "convincing" link between consumption of red and all processed meats and an elevated risk of colon cancer, as well as a "likely" link with cancers of the lung, stomach, pancreas, esophagus, prostate and uterus. The study was based on 7,000 diet and health reports selected from a worldwide pool of 500,000 spanning the past five decades. For more details, visit [www.dietandcancerreport.org](http://www.dietandcancerreport.org).

Since 1992, the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition (EPIC), involving 521,483 individuals in ten European countries, has published dozens of reports linking meat consumption with increased

risk of cancers of the stomach, liver, kidneys, pancreas, gallbladder, colon, rectum, esophagus, lungs, breast, uterus, cervix, ovaries, prostate and testicles. Hundreds of other studies have found a correlation between meat consumption and some form of cancer. None have ever found an inverse relationship.

Like heart disease and other chronic illnesses, cancer is a largely self-inflicted condition. The American Cancer Society estimates that 62 percent of all cancer deaths could be prevented by quitting tobacco and meat products, as well as by regular screenings and exercise.

We've spent billions of dollars in search of a silver bullet to vanquish this dreaded disease, but we've had it all along. It's the will to improve our diet and lifestyle.

# Record turnout expected at annual Turkey Trot

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several thousand jobs, has temporarily failed.

Frederic Rohm, executive director of the Greater Newark Chamber of Commerce, said the unsuccessful effort involved the manufacturers of Toyota, Datsun and Honda automobiles.

"For the past six months, we've been negotiating with Japanese

auto interests to try to get an assembly plant in the Newark area," Rohm said. "As of right now, I don't think we're going to get one."

## Turkey Trot this weekend

All signs are pointing to a record turnout in Saturday's fourth annual Newark Turkey Trot.

A Newark Parks and Recreation Department spokesman said 257 joggers have already pre-registered for the six-mile race.

The event is sponsored by the Newark Parks and Recreation Department, the Weekly Post, the Delaware Sports Club, The Athlete's Foot and NIKE.

Nov. 15, 2002

## No tax increase

Monday night Newark City Council passed a motion to accept the 2003 budget proposed by city manager Carl Luft. No tax increase is planned.

The \$29,838,710 budget for all funds has an increase of 8.7 percent over last year's \$27,456,960 budget. The 2 percent tax rate increase proposed last year has been taken out of the budget. No changes are proposed to base utility rates.

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# Lifestyle

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## OUTLOOK

### Choose toys with play value

By MARIA PIPPIDIS

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

The holiday shopping season is upon us. Parents want to save money on toys for the little ones. Children are asking for the toys they see in advertisements. The pressure is on many parents to buy what their children desire knowing full well that in just a few months they will be bored with the toy. So how do you choose? Knowing what children really need can help you choose toys that have the most play value.

What's play value? Toys that can only do one thing have little value. Good toys can be approached at different levels and with open-ended results. This kind of toy will keep a child's attention for a long period of time and stimulates his/her imagination.

If you buy the most worthwhile toys, you will need less storage, save money and give your children what they really need for playing. Toys with battery power are soon forgotten; they don't have lasting play, so don't waste your money on them. Classic toys such as blocks don't seem as exciting as the flashing, beeping high-tech toys advertised on TV, but classic toys that make children use their imaginations have much more staying power because they can do whatever your child imagines.

For babies from birth to six months, the best toys are very simple. Look for unbreakable crib mirrors, one or two washable dolls or stuffed animals, and a mobile. Also get a variety of hand/mouth toys like rattles and bells that babies can bat,

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## Remembering the 'forgotten war'

Korean War veterans display artifacts, share stories at Newark Senior Center

By CHRISTINE NEFF

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Korean War Veteran Eugene Rose looked over the black and white photographs that had accompanied him home from Korea more than 50 years ago, remembering the moments nearly all of them were taken.

"I was over there a year, from 1952 to '53," he said. "When I think back on it now, it seems like it was yesterday, especially when I look at some of these things."

Rose and several other veterans told their stories and displayed artifacts and memorabilia from the time period at the Newark Senior Center on Monday, Nov. 12, as part of a "Salute to Comrades" event.

Among the items they displayed were patches, armbands



NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY CHRISTINE NEFF

**Top: Korean War Veteran Frank Davidson of Wilmington speaks to a visitor about his memorabilia on display at the Newark Senior Center. Left and below: Items displayed by Korean War Veteran Eugene Rose include black and white photographs, weapons and gear.**



worn by the military police and a piece of barbed wire from the DMZ (demilitarized zone) line that served as a buffer between North and South Korea.

Rifles, handguns, a training grenade and uniforms had been saved, as had the all-important canteen and mess gear. "We carried those two things with us all the time," said Korean War Veteran Al Lawler.

Showing people those physical pieces of history makes more of an impression than just speaking about a war that has been often overshadowed by World War II and Vietnam.

Some call the Korean War, in which more than 38,000 U.S. sol-

diers died, "the forgotten war." "Well, we don't want that to happen. We want to keep it in front of the public and younger generations. If they see tangible items, they can understand better than if we just talk about it," said Korean War Veteran Frank Davidson.

Interestingly, forgetting about the war is just what Lawler and Rose said they tried to do when they returned home from the conflict. Later in life, they became involved in the Korean War



Veterans Association, which has an active chapter in New Castle County, and started collecting artifacts that resembled the equipment they used as soldiers.

Now, they try to tell others about the war, speaking at schools and participating in parades and

ceremonies. Lawler sets up a booth every year at Newark's Community Day and passes out copies of the U.S. Constitution — "the most important book you'll ever read" — to kids.

The three veterans still have many clear memories of the conflict they served in. "It was an experience," said Rose, a member of the 25th Infantry Division, recalling the patrols he went on for ambush, reconnaissance and other purposes. "And the food wasn't the best either," he said, laughing.

Lawler, a soldier in the 3rd Infantry Division, pointed to a dark green steel helmet, one of the soldier's most important possessions, he said. "We would cook in it, shave in it and wash in it," said Lawler.

Davidson, who served in the 43rd Engineers Construction Battalion, said he came home remembering one phrase from the Korean language: thank you. He still hears it today from Koreans living here who learn he was a soldier. "They are still very appreciative of what our troops did to save their country," he said.



## LIFESTYLE

# Redefining Newark – gobble without the wobble

By NIC DECAIRE

SPECIAL TO THE POST

Ever since I was a little boy, Thanksgiving has been my favorite holiday. I have no gifts to buy. I can hang out with

favorite family members and catch up on everyone's lives. And of course, I love the food.

Probably the most enjoyable part of Thanksgiving is its signature event — the meal. Consuming tremendous amounts of delicious food has become the

centerpiece of "turkey day." The food preparation often takes days and, within a short period of time, is enjoyed by ravenous crowds.

Now, as someone who promotes healthy choices at my place of business, and, because I am getting older, I have become

more conscious about the amount and types of food I eat at Thanksgiving dinner.

Jud Dean, head trainer and nutritionist at Fusion Fitness Center, has calculated approximately how many calories are in a typical Thanksgiving meal. He conservatively estimates that the meal will be 1,500 calories. This does not include stuffing, butter, or going back for second helpings. The typical intake at Thanksgiving dinner represents the typical recommended American caloric intake per an entire day.

To burn off the Thanksgiving meal calories, you would need to:

- Use a stepmill at level 6, for 125 minutes.
- Ride a stationary bike at resistance 5, at least 75rpm, for 211 minutes.
- Use a treadmill at speed 4 with no incline, for 300 minutes.

Obviously, I'm not recommending that everyone exercise this way. Just enjoy the day and try not to go overboard. Remember that Thanksgiving dinner is a once-a-year guilty pleasure and shouldn't be used as an excuse to derail your carefully executed health and fitness program.

But wait! Thanksgiving is just the tip of the proverbial caloric iceberg. Once the turkey is picked clean, preparations begin for Christmas and Hanukkah — with cookies and numerous other temptations. Here are some help-

ful tips to keep you motivated and in shape during the season:

1. Exercise outdoors. The weather is nice and cool, and the leaves are changing. Take a walk.

In fact, walk around Newark's reservoir; it is beautiful up there.

2. Find a workout partner. You can cheer each other on and provide encouragement to stay the course.

3. Go for a walk before dessert. Your body takes about 20 minutes to realize that it is full. By the

time you finish your walk, you won't be as hungry.

4. Drink plenty of water. Sometimes when you think you are hungry, you are actually thirsty. Try to drink at least 64 ounces of water per day. It will help curb some of your hunger pangs.

5. Do not skip meals. Eat smaller meals throughout the day to help with portion control and overeating.

6. Shop smart. When going to the mall, park the furthest away and walk. And carry your bags instead of using a shopping cart. When buying groceries, steer clear of the treats and spend time in the produce aisle.

Remember to stay active this holiday season. You'll have a jump start on the New Year and feel better as you start 2008. I hope everyone has a safe, happy, and health-conscious holiday.

Stay healthy!



NIC DECAIRE

## Buy toys that keep kids' attention

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kick, mouth or grasp. The best type of rattle is made of clear plastic so that your child can see what is making the noise.

For babies seven to twelve months, add these toys to the ones you already have. Look for a small set of lightweight blocks (safe to mouth), a variety of grasping toys, nesting and stacking toys, boxes and containers to be filled and emptied, push toys like cars and animals, a few balls of different types and a pop-up surprise toy. Remember to take down the mobile hanging over the crib or raise it higher once children can reach it, mobiles are not safe for children to handle.

The toddler years are the beginnings of make-believe play, so toys that encourage this type of play are important. They also love to fill and dump and begin to build. Keep on hand a few washable dolls, blankets, a pretend baby bottle, small wood or sturdy plastic people and animal figures, simple dress-up items, lightweight cars and trucks, containers to fill and dump and push-and-pull toys.

From about eighteen months, you can add new toys such as sand and water toys, large stringing beads (used with close supervision), a beginning set of plastic press together bricks, simple musical instruments, large paper and large, nontoxic crayons. Add simple dramatic play toys like dishes and play food, then add more housekeeping play items like a baby carriage or a shopping cart and tools.

The preschool child is ready for wonderful make-believe play. If you provide simple toys that

encourage this type of play, preschool children will be happily entertained for hours. Three year-olds still love house play. By age four, children start expanding their interest to heroes. Encourage your child to play wholesome hero roles, such as fire fighting, astronauts and veterinarians. Provide a few simple toys to help the children play these roles. Remember, you don't need much; the children will find a way to use what they have and doing this builds imagination.

As children become preschoolers they also like building materials such as blocks, which can be used to build any number of imaginative places: zoos, hospitals, and houses. You can find blocks made of cardboard, plastic or wood. Combine this with little figures of people, animals, and vehicles, and children can create their own miniature world. This will really keep them entertained. When you pick toys carefully to meet the needs of your children as they grow and give them what they need for play and no more, this helps them grow into independent players who can make their own interesting activities.

Toys for pre-teens should help build physical, mental and social skills. Children this age are really starting to enjoy active play (jump rope, hopscotch, sports, stunts and climbing), playing in groups, and physical manipula-

tion of puzzle pieces or arts and crafts. They are starting to be interested in nature, simple science activities and experiments, collecting things, magic tricks and hobbies. Socially, they have great interest in the peer group and in "belonging". They enjoy special friends, cliques, gangs, secret languages and passwords and have a greater ability to play cooperatively with others. So as you look for books, games and toys for this age group, find the ones that help them to strengthen their mental, physical and social skills.

Toys for teens can be a bit difficult. You'll want to ask them about what they want and do some checking. Not all electronic games labeled as educational really are. Do your homework about them and make sure you understand the nature of the games. For those teens who are asking for cell phones and other telecommunication devices, you will need to set limits and expectation about their use. Though many teens ask for money some still want to unwrap presents. So be careful to really understand what they are asking for.

With a little research and an understanding of play value, you can save some money, buy toys your children will enjoy and help them learn a few things along the way.

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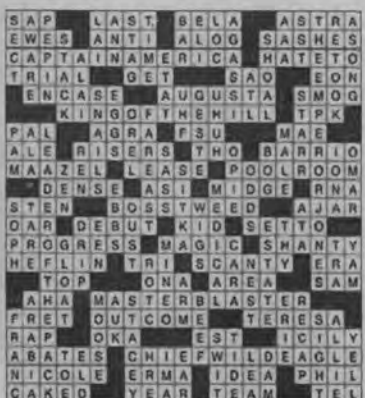
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**CONCERT** 7:30 p.m. "A musical evening with Virginia and friends." Featuring soprano Teresa Pierce and organist Virginia Vaalburg. \$10. Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 308 Possum Park Rd., Newark. Info, 737-2300.

**OPERA** 8 p.m. Also Saturday, Nov. 17, 3 p.m. Adults \$12, students \$3. Loudis Recital Hall, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**HOLIDAY BAZAAR** 5 - 9 p.m. Also Saturday, Nov. 17, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Cecil County's biggest yard sale. Crafts, bake sale, auto auction, chili and cornbread available for purchase on Saturday. Elkton Christian Academy, 144 Appleton Rd., Elkton, Md. Info, 410-398-6444.

**FESTIVAL OF TREES** 7 - 10 p.m. Also Nov. 17, 7 - 9 p.m. and Nov. 18, 12 - 3 p.m. Sponsored by Delaware Hospice. Cokesbury Village, Hockessin. Info, 1-800-838-9800.

**GARDENING WORKSHOP** 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. "Bountiful Harvest Designs." Learn the mechanics of putting fruit and vegetables into your floral arrangements. \$99, pre-registration required. Long Gardens, 1001 Longwood Rd., Kennett Square, Pa. Info, 610-388-1000.

## ■ SATURDAY, NOV. 17

**TURKEY TROT** 8 a.m. Delaware's second oldest consecutively run race, 5K and 10K. Rain or shine. \$15 registration fee. Handloff Park on Barksdale Road, Newark. Info, 366-7060.

**LIVE MUSIC** Featuring "3 Legged Fox." Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**CRAFT FAIR** 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Crafts, baked goods and more. Kingswood United Methodist Church, 300 Marrows Rd., Newark. Info, 738-4086.

**GENEALOGY WORKSHOP** 1 - 3 p.m. Sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Free. Newark Country Club, 300 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 368-9556.

**BUSINESS WORKSHOP** 9 a.m. - noon. Score presents Workshop IV: "Pricing Strategy." \$35. Score Office, Nemours Building, Suite 1120, 1107 N. Orange St., Wilmington. Info, 573-6552.

**FUNDRAISER** 6 p.m. The 4th Annual Dining For A Cause will benefit a model youth entrepreneurship program in Kenya. \$50, students \$35. UD Clayton Hall, Newark. Info, 444-9266.

**COUNTRY WESTERN DANCE** 7 p.m. Sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary. \$10. Mill Creek Fire Company, 3900 Kirkwood Hwy., Wilmington. Info, 998-9685.

**DANCE WORKSHOPS** Bulgarian Folk Dance workshops in morning and afternoon; dance party at night. \$7 per workshop. Arden Gild Hall, 2406 Granby Rd., Wilmington. Info, 478-7257.

## 'FROM SHADOW TO LIGHT'



The Newark Symphony Chamber Orchestra will perform on Saturday, Nov. 17, at 8 p.m., at the Newark United Methodist Church on Main Street. The program, "From Shadow to Light," includes pieces by Willson Osborne, Heinrich Neuman, Paul Hindemith and Franz Krommer. Tickets are \$10 at the door, \$8 for senior citizens, \$6 for students. Children in eighth grade and younger can attend for free. For more information, visit [www.newarksymphony.org](http://www.newarksymphony.org).

**ENTERTAINMENT NIGHT** Featuring Erich Mace. Benefits Delaware Hospice. Stoneys Pub, 3007 Concord Pike, Wilmington. Info, 379-4461.

## ■ SUNDAY, NOV. 18

**CONCERT** 3 p.m. Featuring the Belle Voix Chamber Singers. First Presbyterian Church, 292 W. Main St., Newark. Info, 731-5644.

**RECITAL** 8 p.m. Studio recital of violinist, Xiang Gao. Free. Loudis Recital Hall, Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**GEOLOGY PROGRAM** 1 p.m. "Junior Rock Detectives." Search for minerals. \$4. White Clay Creek State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.

**MITZVAH DAY** 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. The Jewish Federation of Delaware is sponsoring Live Generously Mitzvah Day. Community event. Bernard and Ruth Siegel JCC, 101 Garden of Eden Rd., Wilmington. Info, 427-2100, ext. 17.

## ■ MONDAY, NOV. 19

**RECITAL** 8 p.m. Featuring percussionist, Ben Toth. Adults \$12, students \$3. Gore Recital Hall, Orchard Road, Newark. Info, 831-2577.

**BUSINESS INFO SESSION** 6 - 7 p.m. First State Community Loan Fund will present "Show me the Money." Free. Delaware State University, MBNA Building, Suite 108, Dover. Info, 652-6774.

**HISTORY PRESENTATION** 6:30 p.m. The Central Delaware Civil War Round Table presents, "The Forgotten Battle of Franklin, Tenn." \$14, includes dinner. Modern Maturity Center, 1121 Forrest Ave., Dover. Info, 697-1050.

## ■ TUESDAY, NOV. 20

**INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE** 7:30 p.m. Bringing together many area churches to give thanks. New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 831-3025.

**LIVE MUSIC** 9:30 p.m. Featuring "Burnt Sienna." Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**BUSINESS WORKSHOP** 5:45 - 8:45 p.m. Score presents Business Startup Series: "Writing a Business Plan - Part I." \$35. Claymont Community Center, 3301 Green St., Claymont. Info, 573-6552.

## ■ WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21

**THANKSGIVING WORSHIP** 7:30 p.m. "Remembering God's goodness." White Clay Creek Church, 15 Polly Drummond Hill Rd., Newark. Info, 737-2100.

**DANCE PARTY** 8 - 11 p.m. With square and folk. \$7. Arden Gild Hall, 2406 Granby Rd., Wilmington. Info, 478-7257.

**DJ DANCE PARTY** No cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

## ■ THURSDAY, NOV. 22

**DJ DANCE PARTY** Happy Thanksgiving. No cover charge. Deer Park Tavern, 108 W. Main, Newark. Info, 369-9414.

**THANKSGIVING BREAKFAST** 8 - 10:30 a.m. Enjoy the holiday in the company of Newark neighbors and friends. Presented by Newark Parks and Recreation Department, area merchants and volunteers. Menu includes pancakes, eggs, sausage, fruit, coffee, juice and tea. \$5 at door; people over 60 may attend at no cost. George Wilson Center on New London Road. For info, call 366-7060.

**THANKSGIVING MEAL** Noon - 2 p.m. For the community. \$3. St. Anne's Episcopal Church, Cox and Green Streets, Middletown. Info, 378-7358.

## ■ SATURDAY, NOV. 17

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

**DECORATIVE PAINTERS GROUP** 9:30 a.m. Third Saturday. All painting levels welcome. Yearly dues. Claymont Community Center, 504 S. Clayton St., Wilmington. Info, 239-9884.

## ■ SUNDAY, NOV. 18

**KNITTING KNUTZ GUILD** 1 p.m. First and Third Sunday. Limestone Medical Center, Room 005, 1941 Limestone Rd., Wilmington. Info, 452-0146.

**DELAWARE ACCORDION CLUB** 2 - 5 p.m. Third Sunday. Meeting for an open mic session. Open to the public. First State Diner, I-95 exit 1-B, Route 896 North. Info, 738-7378.

## ■ MONDAY, NOV. 19

**DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP** 7:15 p.m. New Directions Delaware sponsors support group for persons with depression and bipolar disorder. Free. Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 2313 Concord Pike, Fairfax. 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  
**ENGLISH CLASSES** 1 and 7 p.m. Mondays. English Conversational Classes. Free. Newark United Methodist Church, 69 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 368-8774, or [esl-numeric@hotmail.com](mailto:esl-numeric@hotmail.com).

**TAI CHI** 3 - 4 p.m. Monday (Advanced); or Wednesday, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. (Beginner/Intermediate). \$20 per month. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**TAI CHI** 10 - 11 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. \$70/month. Shaolin Martial Monks School, 181 Main St., Newark. Info, 373-2918.

**JAZZERCISE LITE** 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. Mondays, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 9 - 10 a.m. Wednesdays, and 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Fridays. Low impact, modified version for Seniors. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

**JAZZERCISE** 5:45 - 6:45 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; 8:45 - 9:45 a.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Certified instructor Nadine Weisenbach. George Wilson Center, 303 New London Rd., Newark. Info, 366-7060, or [www.newarkjazz.net](http://www.newarkjazz.net).

**PILATES** 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Mondays, 9 - 10 a.m. Tuesdays, 6:45 - 7:45 p.m. Wednesdays, 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. Thursdays. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 737-2336.

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

**STRENGTH & FLEXIBILITY CLASS**

## MEETINGS

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays; 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. \$4 per session/\$50 for 6 weeks. First Presbyterian Church, 292 W. Main, Newark. Info, 731-5644.

**KUNG FU** 6 - 7 and 7 - 8 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. \$70/month. Shaolin Martial Monks School, 181 Main Street, Newark. Info, 373-2918.

**KUNG FU** 6:30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; 10 a.m. Saturdays. \$100/month unlimited sessions. Shao Lin Tiger and Crane Kung Fu Academy, Market East Plaza, 280 E. Main, Newark. Info, 737-4696.

**PANIC RELIEF** 7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. Phone workshop. Programs available. Overcome fears, anxiety and agoraphobia, and achieve positive self-image. Info, 732-940-9658.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** 7 p.m. Third Monday. White Clay Creek Church, 15 Polly Drummond Hill Rd., Newark. Info, 737-2100.

## ■ TUESDAY, NOV. 20

**HEALTHY HIKE** 8 a.m. Tuesdays. White Clay Creek State Park, 425 Wedgewood Rd., Newark. Info, 368-6900.

**CONSTITUENT BREAKFAST** 7 - 8 a.m. Tuesdays. Join Rep. John Kowalko for coffee and conversation. Friendly's Rest, 1115 S. College Ave., Newark. Info, 577-8342.

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

376-8934.

**DIAMOND STATE CHORUS OF SWEET ADELINES** 7:30 - 10 p.m. Tuesdays. Women's acapella singing group. Curious and enthusiastic singers welcome. St. James Episcopal Church, 2113 St. James Church Rd., Wilmington. Info, 731-5981.

**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.

**TAI CHI** 6 - 7 and 7 - 8 p.m. Tuesdays. \$70/month; Shaolin Martial Monks School, 181 Main St., Newark. Info, 373-2918.

**TAI CHI** 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. \$70/month unlimited sessions. Shao Lin Tiger and Crane Kung Fu Academy, Market East Plaza, 280 E. Main St., Newark. Info, 737-4696.

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

**NEWARK LIONS** 6:30 p.m. First and third Tuesday. Lions meeting with program. Deerfield Country Club, Thompson Station Rd., Newark. Info, 731-1972.

**CAREGIVER SUPPORT** 7 - 9 p.m. Third Tuesday. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. Info, 737-2336.

## ■ WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21

**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.

**EVENING YOGA** 5:30 - 7 and 7 - 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Sponsored by Newark Parks & Rec. Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr., Newark. Info, 366-7060.

**TAI CHI** 9:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

**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.

**AT HOME MOTHERS CONNECTION** 7:30 p.m. First and third Wednesday. Meeting for moms only. Unitarian Universalist Society, 579 Polly Drummond Hill Rd., Newark. Info, 388-6469.

**PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS** 7 p.m. First and third Wednesday. Orientation for the Wilmington chapter. Panera Bread, 3650 Kirkwood Hwy, Wilmington. Info, 998-3115.

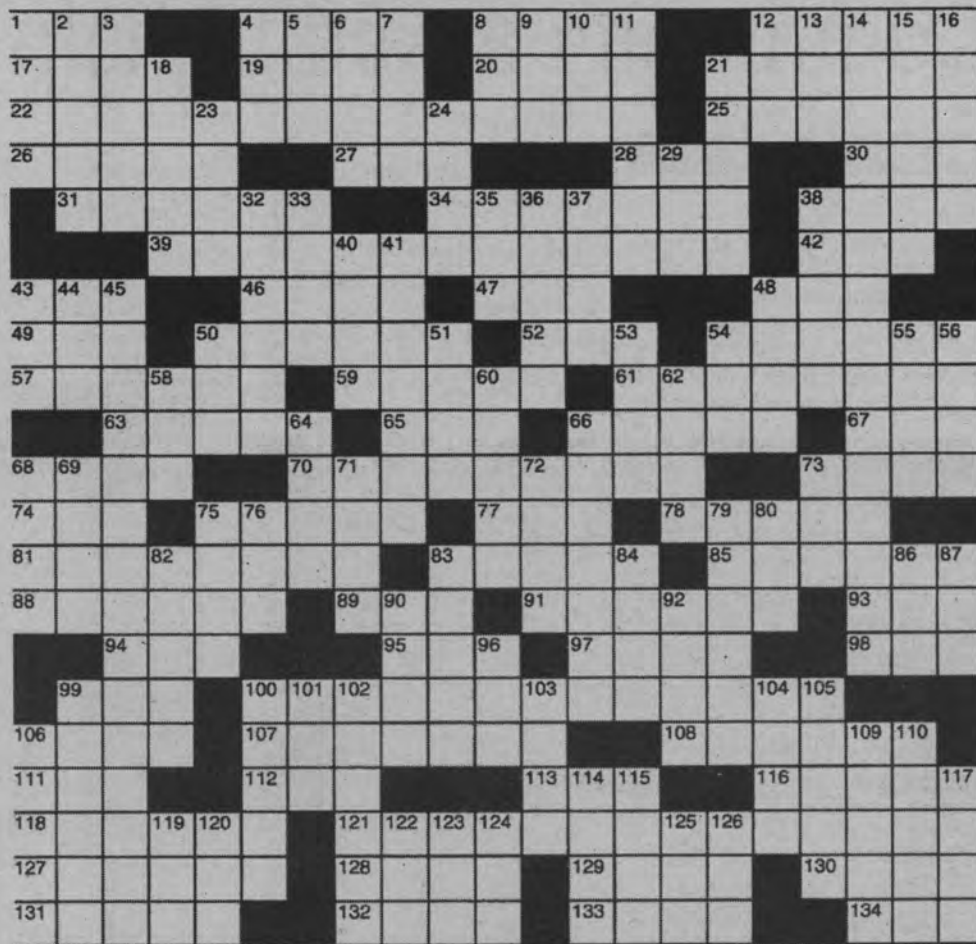
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84 Irene of "Fame" fame  
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99 Lawrence's locale  
100 "Archie" character  
101 Great bird?  
102 Dash of "Clueless"  
103 Fast-food favorite  
104 Cleveland's lake  
105 Summarize  
106 French bread?  
109 Vision  
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126 Rin Tin Tin's mother



## MEETINGS, from 10

7:30 p.m. Third Wednesday. Wilmington Satellite Group. Christiana Hospital, Room 1100. Info, 478-9206.

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

**BGCCO MEETING** 7 p.m. Third Wednesday. Bear Glasgow Council of Civic Organizations. DE State Police Troop II Headquarters, Route 40 East of Route 896. Info, 832-0793.

**AARP CHAPTER** 12 Noon. Third Wednesday. Hockessin AARP Chapter #4612. 2nd Floor of the Hockessin Memorial Fire Hall. Info, 239-5279.

## THURSDAY, NOV. 22

**Thanksgiving Holiday** — Please call ahead for meetings.

**YOGA** 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Thursdays. Free, pre-registration is required. For people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle, 4810 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

**TAI CHI** 4:15 p.m. Thursdays. Free for people touched by cancer. The Wellness Community in New Castle County, 4810 Lancaster Pike,

Wilmington. Info, 995-2850.

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

**DIVORCARE FOR KIDS** 6:30 p.m.

Thursdays. For children ages 5-12 of families experiencing divorce and separation. Berea Presbyterian Church, 957 Old Lancaster Pike, Hockessin. Info, 737-7239.

**NEWARK MORNING ROTARY** 7-8:15

a.m. Thursdays. Meeting and breakfast. The Blue & Gold Club, Newark. Info, 738-9943.

**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.

**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, Level B, Chesapeake Room, 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.

**COLONIAL STATE KNITTERS** 7 p.m. Fourth Thursday. Limestone Medical Center, Room 005, Limestone Rd., Wilmington. Info, 838-0446.


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## IN THE NEWS

# Community asked to help step up donations

## ► FOOD BANK, from 3

Bank.

The DART Stuff the Bus campaign will collect nonperishable foods on Thursday, Nov. 15, from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Friday, Nov. 16, from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Rodney Square in Wilmington.

Frozen turkeys and nonperish-

able food items will be collected between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 15, and Friday, Nov. 16, at the Buffalo Wild Wings on Route 40 in Bear as part of the 10th annual Turkey Round up.

Johnston said, while any food products are appreciated, "we really like to get more nutri-

tious food on people's tables." Examples include canned meat and vegetables, pastas, cereals and tomato sauce. "Anything you would eat," she said.

If people can't make it to the food drives, they are welcome to bring items to the Food Bank

warehouse located at 14 Garfield Way in Newark. Financial donations can be mailed or dropped off in person.

"We usually have a pretty good response for the food drives," said Johnston. "We're really hoping people will step up and help us

out even more this year."

The Food Bank of Delaware, which opened in 1981, distributes millions of pounds of food and grocer products every year. For more information, visit [www.fbd.org](http://www.fbd.org).

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## IN THE NEWS

# Supporters of geothermal cite cost-savings

## ► GEOTHERMAL, from 3

ally, into a geothermal unit in the home. Heat is pumped through a conventional duct system.

To cool, the process reverses, taking heat from the home and transferring it to fluid in the pipes. The fluid-cools as it travels back through the pipes in the earth.

Geothermal systems have been touted as an alternative to traditional systems with lower operating costs and more environmentally-friendly technology.

Morrison became interested in the product, recently, when her 22-year-old gas-powered furnace needed to be replaced. "Once I started reading the literature, it just made so much sense," she said.

She liked that the geothermal system has a high efficiency rate and does not release polluting emissions into the air. In the long run, the system presented a cost-savings, too; she will not have to buy fuel as she did for her traditional furnace.

The one drawback, she said,

was the upfront cost of drilling the well — a project that typically costs about \$10,000. She did get a state rebate and a small federal tax credit to help offset those costs. But, she compared it to buying a hybrid car. "You may spend a little bit more, but it's worth it for the environment," she said.

As the drill went deep into her yard last week, Morrison spoke to neighbors that came out of their homes, curious about the noise. "I really want people to know it's an alternative, and I hope more people just think about it," she said.

Dave Murray, owner of Calvert, the company installing Morrison's system, feels the same way. His sales team, he said, pitches the geothermal unit to potential customers before any of their traditional products. "If nothing else, they will be educated about it by the time we leave," he said.

His own staff has gone through extensive training to become geothermal certified, which reflects the company's belief in the product. "We firmly believe it's a great product," he said.

Though Calvert has been selling geothermal systems for the past 13 years, interest in the technology has increased recently, due, in part, to rising gas and oil prices. The company sells and installs about 50 geothermal units a year and has put in several at Newark area homes, said Murray.

Homeowners that have at least a third of an acre of land can

probably be fitted with a geothermal system. Murray touts the cost-savings (on average, the added cost of going geothermal can be recouped within three to five years) and the environmental benefits (if one in 12 California homes installed a geothermal system, the energy saved would equal the output of nine new power plants).

"This is the best thing on the market. If I had it my way, it would be mandatory that whenever you tore out a system, you would have to put in one of these," he said.

For more information about geothermal heating and cooling systems, visit the Department of Energy Web site, [www.energy.gov](http://www.energy.gov), or call Calvert at 998-0460.

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## UD football — Game 11

By **TOM TOMASHEK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

When the NCAA rules committee approved the existing football overtime rule in 1981, former University of Delaware coach Tubby Raymond conceded that he "vehemently opposed" the decision. He certainly opposed it even more in 1986 when the Blue Hens lost its first overtime experience in a 28-21 Yankee Conference loss to New Hampshire.

Saturday, Raymond was in Delaware Stadium and admitted that he was swept up by the tumult and shouting while watching Delaware and Richmond go five overtimes before the Spiders claimed a 62-56 decision. "I really enjoyed that Saturday," Raymond said while attending the Blue Hens' weekly press conference in the Bob Carpenter Center. "That was a thrill. It was really exciting."

"After the third overtime I had to go to the rest room. I ran out of there and ran back, but by the time I was back in my seat I'd missed 16 points. I said what the heck is this? I can't believe this."

Although Blue Hen coach K.C. Keeler, considering Delaware's postseason chances, said the loss possibly nudged his team into a must-win situation Saturday at Villanova, he appeared to appreciate the high drama of Saturday's competition. "What an amazing game," he said in an upbeat tone. "I mean that fifth overtime . . . five's enough, but the two teams went out and battled. We have so much respect for them and they have as much respect for us."

"It was a just a great football game."

Anyone who watched or listened to the Delaware-Richmond game would not have been disappointed if the teams had finished tied at 38, but the 22,000 fans in the stands and thousands of others listening will long remember the marathon that decided the Colonial Athletic Association title. The overall game was great enough theater to make one wish the National Football League would adopt the college overtime format, one in which team gets an

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## Cavaliers' second half comeback sinks Jackets

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Middletown quarterback Kenny Anderson scored three touchdowns to lead his Cavaliers to a stunning, 27-17, come-from behind victory over Newark Friday night at Bill Billings Memorial Stadium.

The Cavaliers' win gave Middletown (9-1), its first-ever Flight A Conference championship. The program had won numerous Flight B championships and several state titles before moving into Division One football in 2002.

This game couldn't have started off better for the 6-4 Yellowjackets. Newark's Kendall Daniels, with help from Chad Davis, sacked Anderson in the end zone on the Cavs' opening drive for a 2-0 lead at 7:25 of the first period.

On Newark's next possession, Marc Tiberi scored on a 3-yard touchdown run at 4:19. His run completed a 7-play, 77-yard drive.

Good fortune continued for the Jackets, as Newark sacked Anderson again, with Aaron Tyson recovering at the Middletown 17 yard line.

Three plays later, Kenny Chandler rumbled in from two yards out to give Newark a 16-0 lead with 1:41 left in the first quarter. It appeared this would be Newark's game on the cold, rainy night, but the winds of fortune gradually changed in favor of the home team.

Late in the second quarter, Middletown began a drive at its

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Newark #8 Chris Cummings runs with the ball in the Friday night game against Middletown.

## Newark blanks Middletown 2-0

Yellowjackets move into soccer semifinals

By **JOE BACKER**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Newark advanced to the semi-final round of the 2007 Delaware High School Boys Soccer Tournament with a 2-0 victory over Middletown Saturday night at Wesley College's Wolverine Stadium.

Newark keeper Frank Hall made 11 saves to support a solid effort by the Jackets' defenders.

Both teams came out fired-up and ready for action, on the chilly,

windy evening. Middletown had better opportunities through most of the game, outshooting the Jackets 16-5, and having more corner kicks, by a 7-1 margin.

Newark got on the board about midway through the first half. Shawn Rhodes slipped a crossing pass to teammate Ryan Standard, who promptly deposited the ball past Middletown keeper Brian Smith.

Standard's goal came in the 22nd minute, and gave the Jackets a 1-0 lead going into the half. Crisp play continued into the second half with both teams playing solid defense despite the Cavs' constant offensive pressure.

Newark finally added an insur-

ance goal in the 60th minute when Sasa Slijepevcic danced through the Cav's defense to score the final goal of the night.

Middletown ended its season with a 13-3-2 record, while Newark improved to 14-2-2.

In the third game of the day, defending state champion Salesianum ousted Dover 3-1 to advance to the semi-finals Wednesday night against Newark.

Thatcher Howell scored the only goal of the first half in the 17th minute, to give the Sals a 1-0 lead.

Dover surprised everyone in the stadium by tying the Sals in the 41st minute. The Senator's Nick Bolton scored on a corner

kick with an assist from Steve Hogsten.

The Sals, now 14-2-1, seemingly received a wake-up call after giving up the goal, and took control over the rest of the game.

In the 50th minute, the Sals' Connor Norat put his team ahead 2-1, and in the 83rd minute Shane Powell tallied the game clincher.

Salesianum outshot Dover 15-5 for the contest. The Senators wrapped up the season with an 11-4-3 record.

In the other quarterfinal matches, all at Wesley College, St. Mark's defeated Concord 5-1, while Caravel edged Indian River 3-2.



## IN THE NEWS

# After a slow start, Middletown gets win

## ► FOOTBALL, from 14

own 19, and promptly received an illegal procedure penalty, moving the ball back to the 14.

Sixteen plays later, Anderson fought his way into the endzone on a seven-yard run, with 3.6 seconds remaining. A two-point pass play was incomplete, but the Cavs sliced Newark's lead to 16-6.

"Getting those points on the board just before half was huge," said Middletown coach Mark DelPercio. "Knowing we could move the ball, I think, really helped us get going in the second half," he said.

In fact, Newark had outgained Middletown 152-12 in total net yardage before the Cavaliers scoring drive.

"It was awful tough at the end of the first half for them to get into the end zone, with essentially no time left," said Newark coach Butch Simpson. "That's what turns a game around. And I think there were a lot of factors that probably had an effect on this game," he said.

Middletown's momentum continued into the third quarter, as Newark's Alex Carlton missed short, on a tough, 47-yard field goal attempt on the artificial turf.

Midway through the period,

Newark regained possession on an Austin Bartley interception. However, Carlton missed wide left on a 37-yard field goal attempt.

After the two missed scoring opportunities, the Jackets offense was held in check by the Cavaliers defense, while their offense kicked into high gear.

With 2:20 remaining in the third period, Scott Adkins scored on a 5-yard run around the right side. On the previous play, Adkins raced 42 yards to set up a first-and-goal. A two-point conversion cut the lead to 16-14.

In the fourth quarter, Adkins put Middletown inside the red zone again with a 34 yard run to

the Newark 14. Five plays later, the Cavaliers took a 20-14 lead on a two-yard run by Anderson.

On the ensuing kickoff, Sean Thomas gave Newark a glimmer of hope with a 53-yard kickoff return, but with 1:25 remaining, Bartley was intercepted.

Two penalties after the interception gave Middletown the ball at its own 23-yard line. But two plays later, Anderson broke through the line of scrimmage, veered down the left sideline, and raced 73 yards for the game winning touchdown. Middletown 27 - Newark 16.

"I would say they made some adjustments, and we just couldn't

counter them," said Simpson. "I don't think they did anything different than what we thought they might do coming in. We played such great ball early in the game, but maybe we just spent all of our emotion at that point and time, and lost all of our momentum," he said.

After the slow start, Middletown outgained Newark 268-179 in total yardage.

"We had something to prove," said Anderson, "that we weren't going to go out like that, down 16-0. That wasn't our team play, so we put it together on the sideline," he said.

# Blue Hens will face Villanova on Saturday

## ► TOMASHEK, from 14

offensive possession beginning at the 25-yard-line in each OT segment. As one major NFL media member put it, the biggest play in an NFL sudden-death overtime game is the coin toss because whoever wins the flip generally gets the ball and too frequently scores to win in the game's lone possession.

Coming off what many Blue Hens might claim to have been the most exciting game of their lives, they can't dwell on Saturday's thriller and certainly not the state of the NFL playoff system. Delaware could still lose Saturday against Villanova and get into the playoffs, but Keeler and his 8-2 Blue Hens can't afford to put their fate in the hands of the NCAA selection committee.

Richmond has an iron-clad grasp of one spot from the Colonial Athletic Association and Massachusetts has a fairly firm grip on a second, leaving either Delaware or James Madison as a potential third qualifier — the Hens having an upper hand having beaten bowl-bound Football Bowl Subdivision member Navy three weeks ago, followed by a victory two weeks ago over JMU.

Asked if Keeler feared any letdown after Saturday's loss, the coach shook his head and explained that his players showed unyielding resolve the last three weeks against Navy, JMU, and Richmond.

"We're coming off a loss but I just think we know what's ahead of us," Keeler said. "There's no motivation needed. [There will be] no pictures of pussy cats or anything like that in the locker room. This is just about us going 9-2 and getting into the playoffs."

Raymond, sitting several chairs to the left of Keeler, couldn't resist saying "You'll get to play Delaware State," prompting Keeler to playfully respond, "I just wish it was you sitting here . . . he forgets."

Through the 1980s until his retirement after the 2001 season, Raymond was constantly bombarded with questions about Delaware shunning Delaware State in its regular-season scheduling.

Saturday, the Hornets won the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference championship and gained the MEAC automatic bid into the 16-team bracket. The MEAC representative has frequently been paired against one of the nation's top four seeds, but Delaware State is 9-1 with its lone loss being to Football Bowl Series member Kent State and matching the Hornets against the Hens wouldn't be a major stretch. In fact, from the financial and geographical standpoint, the match-up would be a coup.

In a conference call Monday, Villanova coach Andy Talley made it sound as if this will be "Blue Hen Appreciation Day" on the Main Line. In his opening remarks, Talley greeted his former rival Raymond, calling him a legend. He flattered Keeler and Delaware quarterback Joe Flacco. And he described Delaware as being a "slam dunk" tournament selection, win or lose on Saturday.

He was far less than complimentary of his young Wildcats, describing their play as boring and

implying he looks upon his freshman quarterback Chris Whitney as a project in progress.

"If Antwon Young were playing right now, I'd probably say we're going to have a shootout," Talley said referring to this season's original starting quarterback. "But, it's vastly one-sided to Delaware's advantage because of the great package they have offensively. It's a huge, huge reach for Villanova so we're just going to come out and play."

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## IN THE NEWS

# Fall and time change bring new road hazards

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collisions on the Monday after Standard Time begins than on the previous Monday. Many of these crashes involve pedestrians, an endangered species on Newark's country roads at any time.

Some children are practically invisible while walking the

few feet to a bus stop at 7 a.m. Reflective tape on coats or backpacks, or retro-reflective material, lets drivers see them in their headlights and avoid overtaking them as they straggle along where there are no sidewalks.

Sun glare can be a contributing cause of many collisions during the waning hours of light in late afternoon. This also coin-

cides with the time that many youth are walking or biking or skating home from after-school activities or friends' homes. Lost in worlds of their own, or talking and shouting with companions, they ignore the risks of traffic.

Walkers or joggers accustomed to exercising after work should try to avoid roadways altogether or choose routes with streetlights.

Use sidewalks if there are any. Walk facing traffic and be aware it's the law that you must carry a flashlight or a reflector at night.

Cross the road, if possible, at

intersections or crosswalks where drivers are expecting to see you. Make sure your family is around to see the glories of autumn for many years to come.



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## IN THE NEWS

# Temko's platform is Committed to Community

## ► TEMKO, from 1

west of New London Road and N. College Avenue.

Last Thursday, Nov. 8, Temko jogged from the home he owns in Fairfield Crest to the Municipal Building on Elkton Road to file the necessary paperwork with the City Secretary. Family, friends and supporters joined him on the two-mile run, cheering him on as he entered city hall to become an official candidate.

Temko said he is "literally, running for office," and starting his campaign months in advance in order to meet the voters in his district. He intends to go door-to-door this month, listening to residents' concerns, and he plans to do a second district-wide tour closer to election day in order to share his platform.

Temko calls his platform, "Committed to Community." It has three main goals, he said — economic progress, environmental sustainability and responsive representation.

He advocates for filling vacancies in downtown Newark by making it a financial disincentive for property owners to keep those spaces open, he said.

He wants to work towards making Newark more "green" through such measures as curbside recycling and signing onto the U.S. Mayor's Climate Protection Agreement to reduce greenhouse emissions. Also, he said, he would like the city to explore decoupling the electric utility it owns in order to encourage efficiency and conservation.

His goals for responsive representation include a technology component. "I'd love to see Channel 22 become something more than a Powerpoint presentation," he said.

He hopes to foster civic engagement, as well. "A lot of times people do get cut off and are not given a change to speak unless it's at the delegated, required time. I think there are processes you can change to allow people to have more of a direct say in formulating and choosing what policies are going to affect them," said Temko.

Another idea is to involve University of Delaware students in city affairs through an internship program, he said. Students could serve as research assistants and support staff for council members and citizens' commissions.



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY CHRISTINE NEFF

Ezra Temko, fourth from left, a candidate for city council District 5, and his supporters ran to city hall on Thursday, Nov. 8, to file his candidacy. City elections for Districts 3, 5 and 6 will be held in April 2008.

Currently, Temko is pursuing his master's of public administration at the University of Delaware. He graduated from Cab Calloway School of the Arts and earned a degree in politics — something, he said, he's had an interest in since middle school — at Oberlin College.

On returning to Newark after college, Temko began attending city meetings. "I thought the best way to get involved is locally because you can have the most impact," he said.

He doesn't think being a young candidate will hurt his chances of being elected.

"Being younger brings a perspective that we currently don't have on council, and I think you need all different perspectives in order to have the best policy," he said.

He points out that three generations of his family live in District 5. "I definitely have an ability to know what's going on at all the different levels," he said.

The District 5 incumbent, Frank Osborne, said Monday he has not yet decided if he will seek another term on council. Osborne is serving his third term. He had no challengers in

the last election of April 2006.

As of Tuesday, no other candidates had filed for the election, which will be held Tuesday, April 8, 2008. Prospective candidates have until March to file. In addition to District 5, seats for District 3 and 6 will be up for election. Councilmen Doug Tuttle and Stu Markham currently hold those seats.

If elected, Temko would not be the first University of Delaware student to serve on city council. Kevin Vonck represented District 6 from 2004 to 2006 while pursuing a doctoral degree in public affairs.



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## IN THE NEWS

# A weekend of events

## Benefits, concerts to take place in Newark area

The Newark area will be busy this weekend with benefit events and musical performances. If you're looking for something to do, consider these local events first:

### BENEFITS

#### Festival of Trees

Don't miss the New Castle County Festival of Trees, a holi-

day event to benefit the Delaware Hospice.

The festival features magnificent displays of decorated trees and wreaths, each one unique. Hundreds of visitors attend each year, getting into the holiday spirit while supporting the nonprofit organization.

The New Castle County festival starts Friday, Nov. 16, at Cokesbury Village in Hockessin. The Silver Jubilee Gala will be held from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Vaudeville Holiday Extravaganza will be held on Saturday, Nov. 17, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. And, Family Fun Day will be Sunday, Nov. 18, from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

### Dining for a Cause

If you're in the mood for traditional African cuisine and entertainment, perhaps you should attend the fourth annual Dining For A Cause event hosted by the Delaware Kenyans Association.

The dinner starts at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 17, at Clayton Hall on the University of Delaware campus. Proceeds will benefit the construction of a model youth entrepreneurship program in Kenya.

Tickets for the event are \$50 per person and \$90 per couple, \$35 for students. The evening will feature delicious African cuisine, traditional dance performances, a key note speaker and an auction and raffle.

The Delaware Kenyans Association is an organization for Kenyan immigrants living in Delaware. More information about the event at [www.delka.org](http://www.delka.org) or 444-9266

### MUSICAL EVENTS

#### Performance by Newark Symphony Chamber Orchestra

"From Shadow to Light," is the title of a performance by the Newark Symphony Chamber Orchestra to take place Saturday, Nov. 17, at 8 p.m.

Pieces include "Rhapsody" by Willson Osborne, "Schweizer Serenade, op. 29" and "Variations on a Theme by Schubert" by Heinrich Neumann, "Kleine



NEWARK POST FILE PHOTOS

The New Castle County Festival of Trees takes place this weekend at Cokesbury Village in Hockessin.

Kammermusik, op. 25, no. 2" by Paul Hindemith and "Partita in F" by Franz Krommer.

The concert will be at Newark United Methodist Church, 69 E. Main Street. Tickets will be available at the door, \$10 for adults, \$6 for students, \$8 for seniors. Students in eighth grade and under can attend for free.

#### 'A Musical Evening with Virginia and Friends'

Virginia Vaalburg, organist in residence at Evangelical Presbyterian Church, will host a "Musical Evening with Virginia and Friends," at the church located at 308 Possum Park Road on Friday, Nov. 16, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will include a performance by soprano soloist Teresa Pierce.

Vaalburg began playing piano at the age of 6 and classical organ at 12. Her career in church music has spanned 50 years of organ playing and 44 years of conducting choirs.

Tickets for the concert can be purchased at the door for \$10. Children in 8th grade and under can attend for free. After the show, guests can meet the musicians and enjoy light refreshments.

#### Violin Studio Recital

Xiang Gao, a celebrated violinist and associate professor at the University of Delaware, will host a studio recital on Sunday, Nov. 18, at 8 p.m. This free event takes place in Loudis Recital Hall of the Amy E. du Pont Music Building at Amstel Avenue and Orchard Road.



Conductor Roman Pawlowski directs the Newark Symphony Orchestra at a recent performance. The Chamber Orchestra will play this Saturday, Nov. 17, at Newark United Methodist Church.

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## IN THE NEWS

## Public education must develop capacity for life-long learning

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standards

According to consultant Victor Young of the Ohio-based Busara Group, part of a Christina District program, "Effective Teaching in A Rapidly Changing World," was also used in developing the DRC. Young presented an overview of the District program underway at Bayard and Bancroft schools in Wilmington at Christina's regular school board meeting on Tuesday night.

"This program is basically 90 hours of imbedded Professional Development all year long," Young explained. "Its two components are developing cultural competency in teachers and building relationships between educators and community organizations."

Young, a former consultant for the Rockefeller Foundation and creator of the Center for Collaboration and the Future of

Schooling, has extensive experience facilitating active community involvement in shaping public education, promoting excellence in teaching and equity in results, and changing structures to make sure the needs of children are at the center of education policy and practice.

The Busara (Swahili for practical wisdom or good sense) Group works with school districts, foundations, community organizations and business partners nationwide to deliver high-quality schooling.

Christina's year-long professional development program is taking teachers out of their schools to meet with and get to know individuals, organizations and agencies serving the communities from which their students are drawn. "Good teachers learn about their students from observation and not only through testing, records, reports, etc.," Young told the school board. "As a result of recent visits to local organizations in Newark and Wilmington,

some teachers are not waiting for the District to implement changes but are already volunteering on their own to work in agencies that serve their students. Some of them never went into the city [of Wilmington] before the visits in October."

According to a DOE report while planning the DRC, "Understanding global cultural contexts is critical to [preparing students] for 21st century society...The advent of the Internet and other information technologies has resulted in globalization of local cultures, businesses, and post-secondary education...[and] requires a curriculum that develops the capacity for life-long learning."

The state's three-year effort updated its academic content standards and defined Grade-Level Expectations or Benchmarks in all content areas. DRC design teams used the existing state standards, revised standards components and the published work of

the 1995 Curriculum Framework Commission to identify important concepts and principles for standards-aligned curriculum development.

DOE's Curriculum & Instructional Improvement Branch, in conjunction with the Career and Technical Education work group, enlisted the help of nearly 200 teachers, curriculum specialists, consultants, assessment designers, and higher education experts. "The level of detail in our new curriculum framework will help school leaders anchor instruction at each grade level in measurable ways," said Secretary of Education Valerie A. Woodruff. "The DRC will also help teachers and administrators make better use of textbooks and other instructional materials to support, rather than drive instruction."

Standards review teams and curriculum design specialists identified critical linkages of Delaware standards to recommend teaching

and learning targets announced in recent years by the American Diploma Project, Achieve Inc., the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, among others.

DRC project director Michael Stetter acknowledged the role that local, regional, and nationally recognized educators played in the project's success. "The willingness of our project teams to refine Delaware's existing standards to prepare all Delaware students for success in the 21st Century workplace was both timely and challenging. I believe teachers, students, Delaware universities, employers, and the public will all recognize the impetus these revised standards and Grade-Level Expectations will give to focused curriculum alignment efforts at the local school level. Our dedicated website will provide a rich resource of curriculum information and accessibility to all."

Visit the DRC Website at [www.doe.k12.de.us/programs/ci/](http://www.doe.k12.de.us/programs/ci/).

## Turkey Trot races this Saturday

The 33rd annual Turkey Trot race will be held this Saturday, Nov. 17, starting at Handloff Park on Barksdale Road in Newark.

The Trot, Delaware's second oldest consecutively run race, has a 5K and 10K course. Both course are certified.

The first 250 people to register will receive a long-sleeve t-shirt. Prizes will be awarded to overall winners, as well as winners in age group categories for each run.

This is a rain or shine event. Registration and check in begins at 8 a.m.

Again this year, the Ancient Order of Hibernians will be collecting coats to distribute to needy people in the com-

munity. Anyone interested in making a donation should bring clean coats in good condition to Handloff Park the morning of the race.

This year's Turkey Trot is organized by Newark's Parks and Recreation Department and sponsored by Delaware Chiropractic. For more information, call 366-7060.

## Don't be alarmed; it's only a test

The University of Delaware will test two aspects of the UD Alert System on the morning of Friday, Nov. 16.

All campus landline telephones, including those in offices and residence halls, will be

called with a test emergency message.

In addition, a test emergency message will be broadcast that morning on loudspeakers around the Newark campus through the university's carillon system. The carillon system has loudspeakers at Memorial Hall, the Trabant University Center, Pearson Hall, on the Laird Campus and at the University Farm.

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### Linda Baker

Linda Marie McCabe Baker, 58, of Millsboro, formerly of Newark, died on Sunday, Nov. 4, 2007.

She was born in Wilmington on March 27, 1949. A telephone operator by profession, she retired from Verizon in Wilmington, after more than 30 years of service. She was active with Cokesbury Church in Georgetown.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Marie A. Magee McCabe; and by a son, Shawnee Baker. She is survived by her son, George H. Baker Jr. of Georgetown; father, Rollin P. McCabe Jr. of Newark; granddaughter, Arieanna Marie O'Donnell; sister, Diane R. McCabe Lawhead and husband, Bill, of Newark; niece, Nikole Irelan and husband, Dan, of Newark; nephew, Chris Lawhead of Newark; paternal grandmother, Mary Agnes McCabe Talley and husband, Harlon, of Fenwick Island; and aunt and uncle, Nancy Richards Reed and Jim Reed of Milton.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, Nov. 8, in the chapel of Gracelawn Memorial Park in New Castle. Interment followed in the adjoining memorial park.

Contributions may be made to Christian Storehouse, 149 Mitchell Street, Box 239, Millsboro, DE 19966 (302/934-

## Robert E. Stafford, 76, retired Newark police officer and life member of the Aetna fire company

Robert E. Stafford, 76, of Newark, died on Monday, Nov. 5, 2007, at Christiana Hospital.

He was born on June 29, 1931, in Long Island, N.Y., to the late Fred and Mildred Stafford. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he served in the 82nd Airborne during the Korean War from 1948 to 1952. He was a Newark city police officer for 20 years, retiring in 1981 as a lieutenant.

He then worked for the Cigna Corp. as head of security for 10 years before retiring in 1991. He was a member and elder of the Head of Christiana Church, a life member of the Aetna, Hose, Hook and Ladder Fire Company for 50 years and also member of the Fraternal Order of Police, the VFW Post 475, the Newark Historical Society and the Newark Senior Center.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Ruth A. Stafford, of Newark; two sons, Lawrence E. Stafford of Wilmington and Robert Stafford of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands; one daughter, Cynthia Hatfield of Cumberland Gap, Tenn.; and five granddaughters, Erin Hatfield, Caitlin Hatfield, Caroline Hatfield, Ashley Stafford and Melissa Stafford.

A funeral service was held on Friday, Nov. 9, at the Head of Christiana Church, Church Road, Newark. Burial followed in the adjoining cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Fire Company or FOP of Newark c/o funeral home.

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### Nancy G. Biesinger

Nancy G. Biesinger, 71, of Newark, died on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007.

She was the adopted daughter of the late Thomas and Grace Gainor. She was a mortgage service representative for WSFS, retiring in 1998 after many years of service. She was a 1953 graduate of Wilmington High School and 1955 graduate of Goldey Beacom. She was a former member of Jobs Daughters, Wilmington High School Glee Club, O.E.S. Chapter 13 and the Wilmington Drama League.

Her husband, Richard J. Biesinger, died in 1997. She is survived by her daughter, Debra L. Ellingsworth and her husband, Lee, of Smyrna; her in-laws, and many friends.

A memorial service was held on Tuesday, Nov. 13, in the chapel of Gracelawn Memorial Park, DuPont Highway, New Castle. Interment followed in the adjoining memorial park.

Contributions may be made to the Shriners Children's Hospital,

c/o Nur Temple, Box 10085, Wilmington, DE 19850 or the St. Francis Hospital, 7th and Broom Sts., Wilmington, DE 19805.

### Florence B. Colmery

Florence B. Colmery, 73, of Selbyville and Newark, died on Monday, Nov. 5, 2007, at the Heartland Hospice House.

Born on Feb. 2, 1934, in St. Martins, Md., she was one of seven children born to the late Edward J. Davis and Ethel C. Davis. Her family later moved to Newark, where she lived many years of her life. She worked at Wilmington Trust Bank and at Haveg Corporation in Marshallton. She then married Frank Speace and had three children. During that time, she worked at WL Gore in the office. In 1970, she married her estranged high school sweetheart, Walter L. Colmery. She had a fourth child and became a full-time homemaker. Colmery played on bowling leagues for several years, bowling in Newark and then Millsboro Bowling Lanes.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by

her husband, Walt; a brother, Robert Davis; and two sisters, Edith Turner and Jeanette Grubb. She is survived by a brother, Edward Davis of Northeast, Md.; two sisters, Dorothy Phipps and husband, Gayle, of Newark and Marie Torres and husband, Tom, of Kileen, Texas; sons, Jeff Speace and wife, Joy, of Collingdale, Pa., Jerry Speace and wife, Angela, of Georgetown and Michael Colmery of Selbyville; daughter, Donna Curtis and husband, Jeff, of Newark; grandchildren, Holly, Christina, Rebekah, Carrie, Crystal, Alyson, Kevin, Tim, Barry and Tommy; and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral service was held on Friday, Nov. 9, at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home in Newark. Interment followed in Newark Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 92 Read's Way, Ste. 205, New Castle, DE 19720.

### John Clinton Greer

John "Tex" Clinton Greer, 34, of Newark, died on Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007.

He enjoyed landscaping and worked as a landscaper for many years. He most recently worked for Independent Disposal. He was a member of Red Lion Evangelical Free Church.

Greer is survived by his parents, Gary D. and Linda L. Greer; his wife, Stephanie Greer; his children, Jonathan Austin Greer, Taylor Asli Greer and Ali'cya Yvette Muller; a brother, Jimmy C. Greer and his wife, Yvonne; and a sister, Lena J.

Greer; a maternal grandmother, Gloria Henderson and her husband, Ray; maternal grandfather, Ernest C. Smith and his wife, Bea; a paternal grandmother, A. Irene Blevins; also a best friend, Russell Muniz.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, Nov. 8, in the Red Lion Evangelical Free Church in Bear. Burial followed in Gracelawn Memorial Park, New Castle.

### Edward "Tyrone" Hinson

Edward "Tyrone" Hinson, 46, of Newark, died on Friday, Nov. 2, 2007.

He is survived by his parents, Edward and Louise Hinson; a son, Jordon Garden; two brothers, Keith Dixon and Clay Hinson; one sister, June Smithers; and one niece, Kayla Smithers.

A funeral service was held on Friday, Nov. 9, at Mother UAME Church in Wilmington. Interment was private.

### Francis Edward Lewandowski

Francis Edward Lewandowski, 66, of Newark, died on Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007.

Born in Wilmington, he was the son of the late Edward A. and Mary T. (Mazlewski) Lewandowski. He graduated from Salesianum High School in 1959. He owned and operated Lewandowski Auto Body Inc. for 25 years until his retirement. He served his country in

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A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Thursday, Nov. 8, at St. Elizabeth Church in Wilmington. Interment was private.

Contributions to Compassionate Care Hospice, 5610 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington, DE 19808.

### Paul Herbert McCloskey

Paul Herbert McCloskey, 84, of Newark, died on Wednesday, Nov. 7, 2007.

Born on May 29, 1923, in Wilmington, he was the son of the late J. Herbert and Elva Blackson McCloskey. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, and a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean War. He retired after 28 years of service from the General Motors Corp., Wilmington.

Survivors include his daughter, Ann E. Anderson of Newark; sister, Doris McCloskey of Brostrom, N.J.; six grandchildren; and nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, McCloskey was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Claire Kelley McCloskey.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Monday, Nov. 12, at Immaculate Conception Church in Elkton, Md. Interment followed in Immaculate Conception

Cemetery in Cherry Hill, Md., with military honors provided by American Legion Mason-Dixon Post #194, Rising Sun, Md.

Contributions may be made to Compassionate Care Hospice, 5610 Kirkwood Hwy., Wilmington, DE 19808.

### Louise Tortella Smith

Louise Tortella Smith, 74, of Newark, died on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007.

She was born in Wilmington on April 11, 1933, to the late John P. Fisher and Eleanor M. Way. She was employed in the food service industry, working at various restaurants, including as the Wilmington Country Club and Cavalier's Country Club. She also was a caretaker in her later years, helping care for the elderly.

She is predeceased by her husband, Alec J. Tortella, who died in 1971, and her late husband, Laurence T. Smith. She is also predeceased by her two sons, Alec J. Tortella and Michael K. Tortella. She is survived by her daughters, Eleanor A. Tomlinson of Gambrills, Md., and Jean A. Farren of Chesapeake City, Md. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Renee, Tara, Edward, Albert, Louis, Louise, Rebecca and Kimberly; and three great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held on

Friday, Nov. 9, at the Doherty Funeral Home in Pike Creek. Burial followed in St. Patrick's Cemetery in Ashland.

Contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society, 92 Read's Way, New Castle, DE 19720.

### William F. Vogler

William Frederick Vogler, 81, of Newark, died at home on Nov. 2, 2007.

He was born in Jersey City, N.J., on April 23, 1926. He and his brother, Jerry, were raised in Queens, N.Y., where he remained until he joined the U.S. Navy during World War II. He became a Merchant Marine after the war to help pay his way through Columbia University in New York City and ultimately a stint in Journalism at the University of Missouri.

He spent 33 years as a newspaper reporter; first with the UPI in New Jersey and then the Rochester Democrat & Chronicle in Rochester, N.Y., covering civil rights and labor. It was there that Malcolm X told him and other reporters that he expected someone would try to kill him – and he was slain days later.

From 1965 until his retirement in 1989, Vogler was with the St. Louis Post-Dispatch where he primarily covered the city and

county courts and police beats both in St. Louis and in Belleville, Ill. After retiring he moved to Binghamton, N.Y., to be closer to family and worked as head staff reporter for the Valley News for a short time.

He is survived by his three daughters: Elaina Beppler of Cedar Hill, Tenn., Heather Vogler-Dalaviras and husband, John, of Ashland City, Tenn. and Holly Vogler and husband, Frank O'Donnell, of Bear; and three grandchildren: Dylan Beppler, Jake O'Donnell and Callie Dalaviras, and his former wife and good friend, Karla Hill.

A private memorial service was held for the family.

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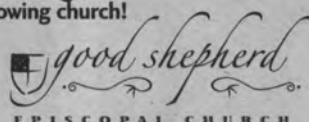
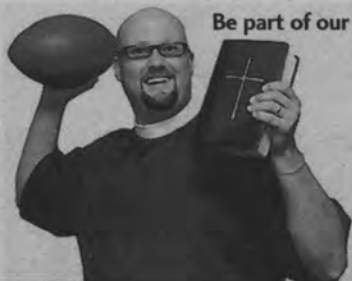
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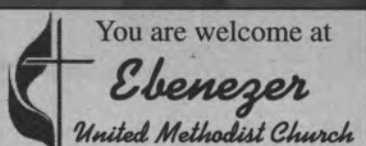
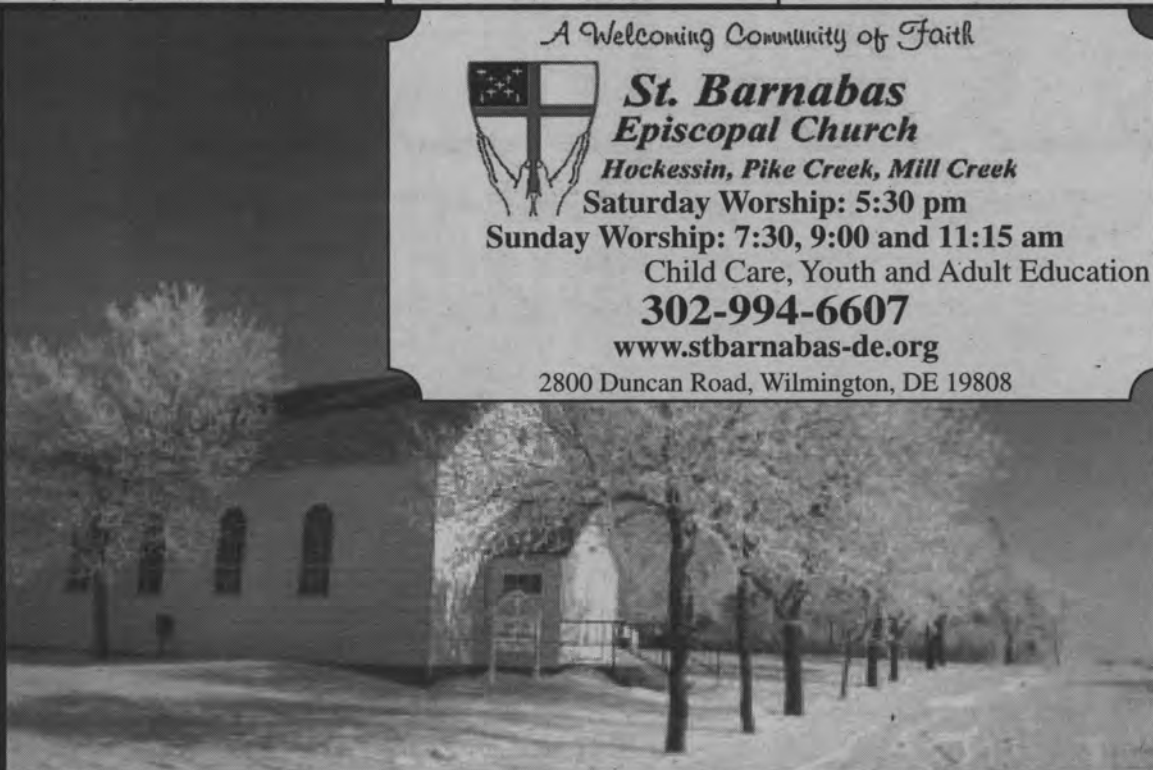
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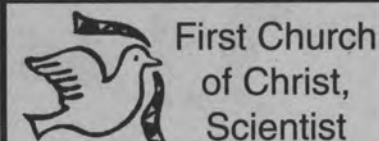
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Dated: 11/8/07 np 11/16,23,30

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- 3002 - Priscilla Hairston - computer, sofa, dryer, fish tank, 5 totes, washer
- 1006 - Nicole Hoke - sofa

np 11/16,23

## PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public sale on December 18, 2007 at PS ORANGECO INC./PUBLIC STORAGE, 201 Bellevue Rd., Newark, DE 19713 at 12:00 p.m., the personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:

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- A106 - Carlton Harry - speakers, boxes, lamp, toys, TV, vacuum
- B047 - Jesse Burleson - bags, boxes, clothing, closet, table
- B133 - Wandetta Duhart - bags (10), boxes (50), toys (4), lawnmower, ladder
- B142 - James Webster - bags (10), boxes (4), totes (4)
- E046 - Yimy Banegas - books, lamps (2), speakers, stereo, computer
- F058 - Tamiaka Hall - bags (10), boxes (20), microwave, pictures, stereo, TV, aquarium
- F118 - Sandra Foster - bags (10), boxes (10), fishing equipment, sports, equipment, ironing board
- G016 - John Greer - bed, mattress, washer, ladder
- H001 - Orlando Baines - dresser, night stand, chest, mirror, headboard, misc. items

np 11/16,23

### LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF NEWARK  
DELAWARE  
PUBLIC HEARING  
NOTICE

NOVEMBER 26, 2007 - 7:30 PM

Pursuant to Chapter 27-21(b)(2)(e) of the City of Newark Subdivision and Development Regulations, Notice is hereby given of a Public Hearing in the Council Chamber, Newark Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, on November 26, 2007, at 7:30 p.m., at which time the Council will consider the request of Amstel Associates, LLC, for a revision to the approved subdivision agreement for the development known as Amstel Square, located on the corner of Elkton Road and Amstel Avenue, in order to increase the height of the commercial/residential building on Parcel #3 from two to three stories; increase the square foot footprint of the building from 8,250 to 10,711.48 square feet; and by adding two apartments to the eight previously approved.

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Susan A. Lamblack, MMC  
City Secretary

np 11/16,23

CITY OF NEWARK  
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CITY COUNCIL  
PUBLIC HEARING  
NOTICE

NOVEMBER 26, 2007 - 7:30 PM

Pursuant to Section 402.2 of the City Charter of the Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, notice is hereby given of a public hearing at a regular meeting of the Council in the Council Chamber at the Municipal Building, 220 Elkton Road, Newark, Delaware, on Monday, November 26, 2007 at 7:30 p.m., at which time the Council will consider for Final Action and Passage the following proposed Ordinance:

Bill No. 07-39 - An Ordinance Amending Chapter 31, Weapons, Code of the City of Newark, Delaware, by Revising The Code Dealing With Carrying Weapons

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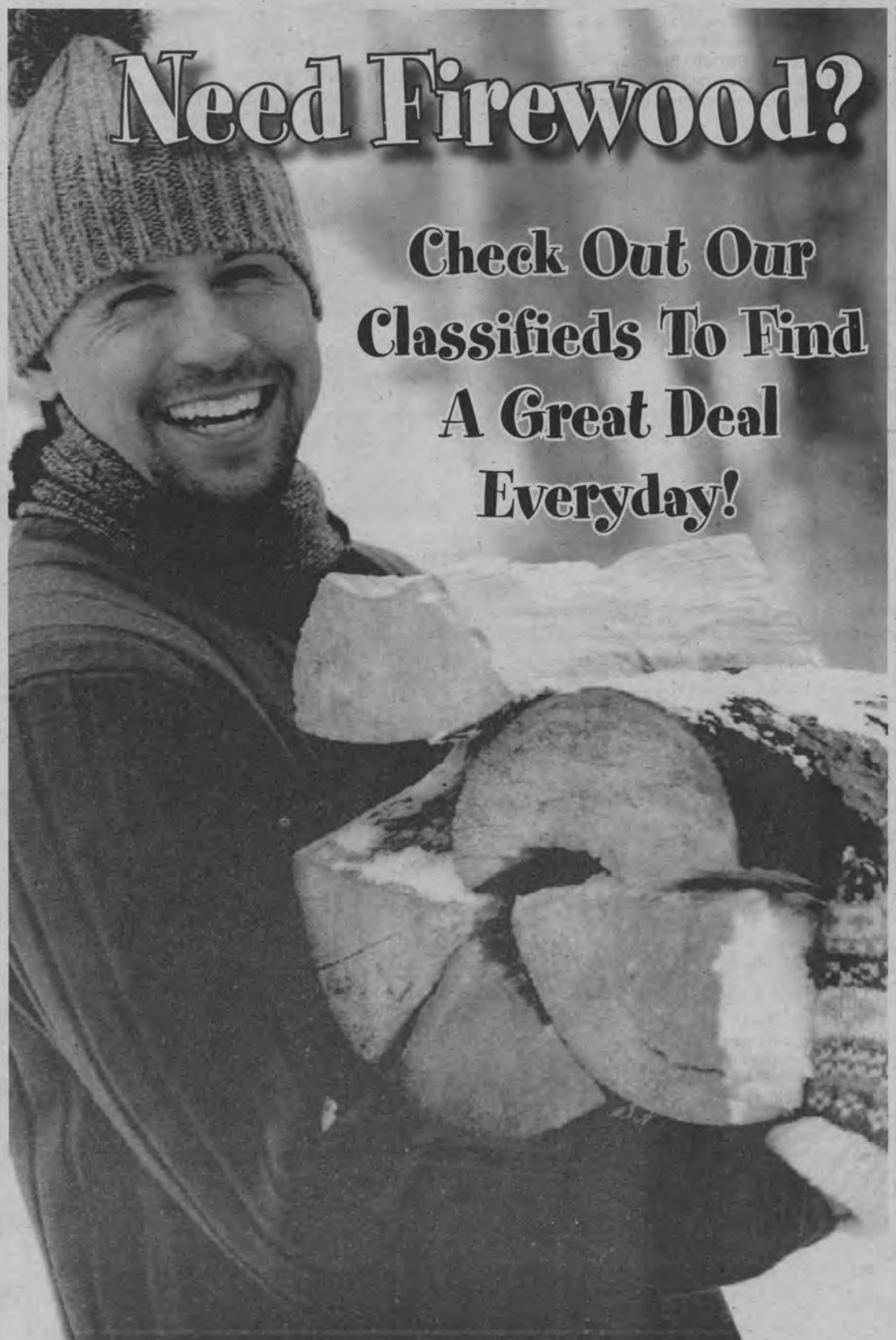
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