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Sharon Meconi, first grade teacher at John R. Downes Elementary School, was among the thousands getting ready for the rapidly approaching first day of school. Coverage starts on page four.

City of Newark water is safe

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

NEWARK OFFICIALS SAID this week, that despite reports of odor and taste problems as well as possible contamination in the city water system, there never was a danger to the public.

Carol Houck, assistant city administrator, said city staff first learned about the problem when water customers began calling on Monday, Aug. 17. "We started trying to find out what was happening from DNREC and the Department of Health," Houck said. "We also tried to call the Pennsylvania Environmental Protection Agency."

Houck said the city realized the 300,000 gallons of water from the fire at a dairy farm in West Grove, Pa., on Friday, Aug. 14, would have arrived in Newark by Sunday afternoon. On Aug. 17, it was already too late to keep it out of Newark's homes.

> *"We had 240 calls... in five days."*
>
> **CAROL HOUCK**
> ASSISTANT CITY ADMINISTRATOR

"The minute the firemen saw the water went into the creek, if they had thought, 'hey, we've got to let someone know this is coming,' United and Newark (water companies) could have shut down their plants," Houck said. "All we could do on Monday was start testing immediately, in addition to our routine tests, to determine if anything dangerous was there."

The city tests the water supply for bacteria every Tuesday. Tests for fluoride, chlorine, PH and turbidity are run four times a day, while tests for iron are done occasionally.

Houck said city staff went into crisis mode to obtain information and protect the customers. Houck and Charles Zusag, assistant to the city manager, helped to answer phones and even went out to houses themselves to taste and smell water flowing from the taps. "We had 240 calls, some of them duplicates, in five days," she said. "We would immediately call one of the five crews out working and they would bleed the mains in the area of the calls."

Houck said it took four days for the affected water to get through the system. "Even then, it was mostly residences in areas

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NVF site to be developed by Lang

Plan could before submitted by November

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Jeffrey Lang of Commonwealth Managment said his company has the 20-plus acres of the former National Vulcanized Fibre site on Paper Mill Road under agreement for development.

"We've already taken the plan through the city for technical comments and expect to go before the city planning commission in November," Lang said.

Lang's plan will convert approximately five old buildings with 400,000 square feet on the industrial site into about 220,000 square feet of commercial and residential space.

"Our proposal makes use of the same footprints as the existing buildings," Lang said. "We'll also try to reuse a couple – most notably the the big stone structure.

We're talking to the city building department vis-a-vis historic structures like at the Farm and Home site."

Lang said mixed use of old timber frame buildings like these can cause more code problems. "For that reason, we'll designate separate buildings for residential or commerical use to avoid that problem."

While discussing the plan with the city, Lang said he spent a lot of time redoing the site and greatly reduced the density. "We downscaled the density from 240 units to 180 because we're not sure from a marketing standpoint that it makes sense to have more," he said. "Also we're trying not to overbuild the site and want to save a lot of open space with as many existing trees as possible and additional landscaping."

Some of the site is in the floodplain and Lang said he plans to make the White Clay Creek a feature. "Every residential unit will have a view of the stream."

Lang is still not sure what the residential component will be. "We're saying apartments but considered townhouses as well. A lot of the property is on slopes and that complicates things."

Appraisals done for this and other recent developments indicate to Lang that people presently living in Maryland and other areas outside of Newark will move in closer if they have a little more upscale choice. "By upscale we're not necessarily talking more rent, just some more aesthetically pleasing elements," he said. "People from places like MBNA will choose a nice, new apartment community close to

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A rash of car break-ins hit Newark

Police said it appeared thieves targeted unlocked vehicles in some of the flood of car break-ins this week.

Between noon on Aug. 13 and 1 p.m. on Aug. 15 a cellphone valued at $100 was removed from an unlocked vehicle on Fiske Lane.

Sometime between 9 p.m. on Aug. 15 and 2 p.m. on Aug. 16 a cellphone and power cord valued at $240 was removed from a vehicle parked in the driveway of a residence on Rising Road.

On West Mill Station, sometime between 8 p.m. on Aug. 16 and 9:30 p.m. on Aug. 17, three incidents occurred: a cellphone was taken from the glovebox of an unlocked vehicle; suspects entered an open garage and removed a stereo CD player, mountain bike, briefcase, Texas Instruments calculator and green rain jacket; and a garage door opener valued at $500 was removed from another open garage.

Between 8:30 p.m. on Aug. 16 and 7:15 a.m. on Aug. 17 suspects removed a car phone valued at $50 from an unsecured vehicle in West Branch.

Sometime between 11 p.m. on Aug. 16 and 1:40 p.m. on Aug. 17, a cellphone was taken from the glovebox of a vehicle parked on Devon Drive. Between 10:30 p.m. on Aug. 16 and 7:30 a.m. on Aug. 17, a cellphone valued at $100 was taken from a vehicle parked on Vassar Drive.

Two cellphones valued at $200 each were taken from an unlocked vehicle on South College Avenue sometime between Aug. 12 at 7 p.m. and Aug. 19 at 10 a.m. A cellphone was removed from an unlocked vehicle in Christina Mill sometime between Aug. 19 at 5 p.m. and Aug. 20 at 8 a.m.

Sometime between 6 p.m. on Aug. 20 and 11 a.m. on Aug. 21 a radar detector valued at $150 was removed from an unlocked vehicle on Arbour Drive. Sometime overnight on Aug. 20-21, a travel bag, miscellaneous papers, credit cards and a camera were removed from an unlocked vehicle on Devon Drive.

Between midnight and 2 a.m. on Aug. 21 cellphones were removed from two vehicles parked at the same location on Blue Jay Drive.

Between midnight and 6 a.m. on Aug. 21 suspects entered four vehicles parked on Arbour Drive and removed two cellphones, and a vinyl case.

Between 12:30 and 10 a.m. on Aug. 23 a cellphone was taken from an unlocked vehicle at a home on Indian Road.

Police recommend always locking vehicles and garage doors. Roll windows up tight. Don't leave valuables in vehicles and don't hide spare keys - they can be found. Trim shrubbery and install lights for outside areas. Use deadbolts on all outside entrances.

Look after your neighbors homes where they are away and ask them to do the same for you. Report unusual activity to police.

Arrests made in car break-ins

Following a series of burglaries and thefts from vehicles in neighborhoods throughout the city, Newark Police arrested two adults on Aug. 24 in connection with many of the incidents.

Police charged Damon Anthony Anderson, 18, of Varlano in Christiana and Owen Ellis Russell, 18, of Abbotsford with three counts of burglary, 10 counts of theft and seven counts of conspiracy.

Charges are pending against two juveniles and additional charges could come against all four suspects.

"We recovered items reported taken from many of the recent vehicle break-ins and are in the process of trying to get identification," said Officer Mark Farrell.

Police also recovered over 80 pieces of stolen electronic equipment, cellular phones, cameras, watches and jewelry. The public can view the recovered property on Monday, Aug. 31 between 4 and 7 p.m. at Newark Police headquarters in an attempt to identify the owners. Individuals will be required to provide proof of ownership.

Anyone with information about the incidents, or with questions about the public viewing, please call Detective Andrew Markowitz at 366-7110, ext. 135.

POLICE BRIEFS

Car damaged at Martin Honda

Newark Police report that unknown suspects damaged the rear window of a vehicle at the Martin Honda dealership on Cleveland Avenue sometime between 9 p.m. on Aug. 17 and 9 a.m. on Aug. 18. A CD changer was removed from the vehicle.

Bettor attacked

A 56-year-old man told Newark Police he was assaulted by four men in an incident that began near the Stone Balloon on Aug. 21 around 2:50 a.m. The victim told police he made a successful wager with the two white men and two black men that he could do 25 pushups. After receiving his winnings of $25, the victim said for unknown reasons first one and then another of the suspects struck him. The four suspects chased the victim into the Newark Diner where they continued to hit and kick him until a bystander intervened. Police have no leads.

Shoplifting beef from Superfresh

An employee of the Superfresh on New London Road told police that a man attempted to remove three packages of beef from the store on Aug. 20 around 2:15 p.m. Described as a black male in his mid-30s, 6 feet, 2 inches tall, 210 pounds, with black hair, mustache and beard, the suspect pushed the employee out of the way when she tried to prevent him from leaving the store. The employee was not injured and the meat was recovered. Police are investigating a possible vehicle tag number from the suspect's vehicle.

Two-day condiments dispute

According to the police report, two men were standing near their vehicles outside the Galleria on Aug. 16 around 3 a.m. when a four-door gray Cadillac with spoked rims drove past on Main Street..

One of the car occupants threw small cups of ketchup and mustard at the two victims who drove after the Cadillac but lost it when it went through a redlight.

The following night, the same Cadillac again drove by the two men in front of the Galleria and they again chased it.

When they caught up with the car at South College Avenue, the driver pulled a knife and the victims retreated back to Grotto's pursued by the other vehicle.

The two men then drove to the Newark Police Station and reported the incidents.

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Main Street Court approved for development

Newark Lumber site finally ready

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A PLAN TO REDEVELOP the former Newark Lumber site on Main Street was approved by city council this week but not without two more hours of discussion.

In July, Newark's city planning commission spent over two hours dissecting and amending the rezoning, subdivision and parking waiver for the site before making a recommendat'on.

RTD Investments Inc. intends to renovate the existing two-story 4,900-square-foot retail store on Main Street and remove all other existing buildings on the 2.1284-acre site, including a now-empty house converted to apartments on Chapel Street.

Access to the complex called Main Street Court will be from Main Street and Delaware Avenue only.

Several members of the community made requests to table the plans to allow further consideration of saving the old Queen Anne-style residence, as well as decreasing the size of the plan and putting apartments on the ground floor of the new building in place of parking.

Following the planning recommendation, principals Richard and Mary Dudek had already added a landscaped walkway, additional bays to the interior facade and a steeper-pitched roof on the building portion that faces Delaware Avenue, reconfigured parking, and a landscaped buffer between the property and Burger King.

Newark resident Michael Fagan said the plan ignores every design guideline and visioning session Newark has had. "This building is two times as high and four times as long as any other building in the downtown and it's surrounded by a sea of asphalt," said Fagan. "The citizens of Newark want the city to maintain it's small town charm."

However, architect Lee Sparks of the Design Collaborative said the developers adhered strictly to the design guidelines. "We did not change and merely fixed up the exterior of the old building on Main Street," said Sparks. "As to the Delaware Avenue facade, we put in details like gables and bays to reflect architectural details from other buildings in the community."

David Athey of Tetra Tech added that according to the Hyett-Palma study commissioned by the city, "Newark is a large city with a dynamic downtown."

City planning director Roy Lopata also said he sent copies of the Dudek's plan to one of the Hyett-Palma consultants. "In a letter sent to me in August, he stated that this plan is consistent with the recommendations of the Downtown Economic Strategy prepared for the city," said Lopata.

Main Street Court will have a 15,000 square-foot, four-story "L-shaped" building with retail on the first floor of the section facing Delaware Avenue and parking on the first floor of the longer wing.

Mary Dudek said the developers already have letters of intent from "specialty shops" for some of the retail space in the complex.

The upper three floors of both wings will contain a total of 45 apartments, some of which will be two-story, according to Mary Dudek.

The old building on Main Street will have six apartments, 4,500 square-feet of retail space, and maintenance and storage for the complex.

Council approved a 54-space parking waiver for the site which requires 162 parking spaces. Prior to issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, the developer must also pay $21,697.20 to be used at the city's discretion for improvements to downtown off-street parking.

Kennett Square paper joins *Newark Post* family

Chesapeake Publishing Corporation, parent company of the *Newark Post*, has acquired The Kennett Paper, of Kennett Square, Pa.

The joint announcement was made by Chesapeake president and chief operating operating officer Tom Bradlee, and James G. Blaine, president of Kennett Communications and publisher of The Kennett Paper.

A paid weekly newspaper published for 12 years under Blaine, The Kennett Paper serves the Pennsylvania communities of Kennett Square, Chadds Ford, Unionville, Avondale and West Grove. It was named Pennsylvania's weekly "Newspaper of the Year" in 1997.

"Chesapeake Publishing is delighted to acquire The Kennett Paper. It's a perfect fit for our company and will be an enhancement to our marketing efforts in Pennsylvania as well as nearby Delaware and Maryland, said Bradlee. "We have plans to expand the Kennett operation and look forward to doing so as soon as possible."

Blaine will stay on with Chesapeake Publishing in a consulting role and will play a part in Chesapeake's expansion plans.

"Tom Bradlee and I have been talking about joining forces for some time." Blaine said. "Given Chesapeake's commitment to independent community newspapers, this move will benefit both parties land will help grow and offer more opportunities to its staff."

Chesapeake now owns 46 publications and six printing facilities in Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

In addition to The Kennett Paper, Chesapeake's Northern Division includes the *Newark Post*, the New Castle County Business Ledger, the Route 40 Flier, the Oxford Tribune, the Cecil Whig, the Mariner, the Bargaineer, Prime Times, and the Cecil and Harford Business Ledgers.

Delaware schools safe for now

Under 10 percent feel unsafe

Less than 10 percent of Delaware high school students responding to a survey felt unsafe on school property in the past year.

According to a 1997 Youth Risk Behavior Survey, administered to high school students from 24 Delaware schools, only eight percent had been threatened or injured with a weapon on school property within the past 12 months while five percent reported that they skipped school because they felt unsafe.

Student conduct reports compiled by the Department of Education reported the number of incidents involving dangerous weapons has decreased by almost half since the 1993-1994 school year. The rate of incidents occurring in schools in New Castle County is less than two percent of all of the students enrolled.

To promote continued school safety during the first week in August, more than 220 Delaware principals, district administrators, school counselors and police agency youth aid and school resource officers spent two days learning how to react to crisis and how to identify and respond to warning signs in order to avoid tragedy in schools.

The School Safety Symposium, sponsored by the Department of Education and Public Safety, featured presentations by national experts in prevention and intervention education, gangs, youth violence, school crisis, and child and family mental health.

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Fischer ready for first school year at Christina

By LAURA SANKOWICH
NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

WITH more than 30 years of experience in the education system under his belt, Christina District school superintendent Nicholas Fischer will be able to put his experience to the test as he tackles the school year ahead. Since beginning his job more than five months ago, Fischer has been busy working on academic achievement and accountability as well as visiting summer schools and academies.

"We're in good shape for starting the school year," he said last week. "We're making good progress with construction and everything will be ready to go when school starts."

So far Fischer said the transition into his job has been great. "People have been helpful and the staff is extremely committed," he said, "They spend tons of hours making sure the schools are ready."

One of Fischer's accountability projects, grade articulation, will determine and establish guidelines for parents so they understand what knowledge and skills children in kindergarten through the fifth grades are learning. "This is one of three critical steps to accountability that we're working on," Fischer explained.

He said the other two steps involve learning and knowledge assessment.

"We've got a number of goals we will be working on," he said. "Over the next several years we want the schools to develop new and innovative ways to measure school progress."

Fischer explained that this means student progress will be measured by having them show what they know by applying their knowledge – perhaps by giving a speech or performing a play. "It gets you away from paper and pencil fill in the blank and fill in the bubble tests," he said.

In the kindergarten through second grade levels, Fischer said work will be done to improve readiness to read and reading skills and readiness to do math and math skills. "As for grades three through 11," he said, "we're working on a combination of tests."

The tests will compliment the state accountability tests which are administered to children in grades three, five, eight and 10. The district tests will look at achievement in the areas of English, math skills, science and social studies for students in grades six, seven, nine and 11.

The superintendent said he wants to enhance current programs. "I'm going to be clear to teachers and principals, that they must be clear with students about behavior in school," he said. "There will be an emphasis on what we want them to do, not what we don't want them to do. We have to tell them what we want and reinforce these rules constantly."

Fischer said other key steps to improving behavior in school were to recognize warning signs of troubled students, preventing problems and having the principals be visible and active when it comes to interacting with students.

In the months ahead Fischer will also be teaching two classes a month, one each at the secondary and elementary levels. He said teaching in classrooms throughout the district will give him a better sense of going on as well as meet another of his goals. "I'm trying to highlight the importance of teaching as the most critical activity in the school district," he said.

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What to expect

Surprise can be fun, but every child and most parents like to know what to expect when students enter the schools on the first day of the 1998-99 school year. The staff of the *Newark Post* contacted most local schools and offers the following information based on conversations with principals, teachers and others.

These reports were researched and prepared by staff writers Mary E. Petzak, Laura Sankowich and Meghan Aftosmis.

Christina School District
Grades K-4
SCHOOLS OPENS SEPT. 8

■ BRADER ELEMENTARY

107 FOUR SEASONS PWY.
NEWARK 19702
454-5959

Principal: Margaret Sharp
Number of students: 960
New staff: Renee Hawke, 1st grade
Laurie McMichael, 2nd grade
Alyssa Rosenthall, 2nd grade
Rohmanda Campbell, 2nd grade
Barbara Padilla, 2nd grade
Jill Dugowski, 3rd grade
Amy Reese, 3rd grade
Chuck Sanders, 3rd grade
Jennifer Cacowski, 4th grade
Susan Arbaugh, 4th grade
Wendy Modjelewski, tech support
Amy Rosas, physical education
Dan O'Neill, art
New programs: Extra time program for afterschool tutoring and PTA enrichment programs

■ BROOKSIDE ELEMENTARY

800 MARROWS RD.
NEWARK 19713
454-5454

Principal: Marlene James
Number of students: 560
New staff: Paula Trimble, 1-2 Tam
Ayanna Cooper, 1-2 Tam
Heather Buchanan, 1-2 Tam
Tamika McReynold, 3-4 Tam
Matt O'Day, 3-4 Tam
Janet Meadows, 3-4 Tam
Kendra Taylor, Kindergarten
Still hiring school nurse at press time

■ DOWNES ELEMENTARY

220 CASHO MILL RD.
NEWARK 19711
454-2133

Principal: Charles Haywood
Number of students: 630
New staff: Kim Dalton, 2nd grade
Judi Lennon, Kindergarten

■ GALLAHER ELEMENTARY

800 BROWNLEAF RD.
NEWARK 19713
454-2464

Principal: Josephus Clark
Number of students: 600
New staff: Laura Brace, 1st grade
Denise Ademski, 3rd grade
Pam Waun, administrative intern

■ JONES ELEMENTARY

35 WEST MAIN ST.
CHRISTIANA 19702
454-2131

Principal: Rick Bartkowski
Number of students: 650
New staff: Peter Barry, 4th grade
Dawn Martinez, kindergarten
Maryanne Ferguson, kindergarten
New programs: thematic instuction will integrate "exploring many worlds" theme throughout all classes, PEW initiative program staff development and curriculum planning, 100% Junior Achievement program enrollment.

■ LEASURE ELEMENTARY

925 BEAR CORBITT RD.
BEAR 19701
836-2620

Principal: Linda Ochenrider
Number of students: 650
New staff: Xephia Reimer, 2nd grade
Linnette Glasscow, 4th grade
Changes: Will be moving to new school building on Church Road in December.

■ MACLARY ELEMENTARY

300 ST. REGIS DR.
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454-2142

Principal: Richelle Talbert
Number of students: 550
New staff: Richelle Talbert, principal
Lisa Nichols, 3rd grade
Germaine Boughman, kindergarten
Brendon Lowe, physical education still hiring for 2nd grade at press time.
New programs: Will be participating in school reform self-analysis and studies throughout the year and increases participation in extra-time programs.

■ MARSHALL ELEMENTARY

101 BARRETT RUN RD.
NEWARK 19702
454-4700

Principal: Elva Brooks
Number of students: 810
New staff: Donna Gustafson, 4th grade special education
Janet Merkel, 3rd grade special education
Maureen Mead, 4th grade
Elaine Hudson, art
Still hiring at press time
New programs: 4th graders will be required to design a webpage, extra time afterschool programs, inclusionary program to integrate autistic students into kindergarten and 1st grade.

■ McVEY ELEMENTARY

908 JANICE DRIVE
NEWARK 19713
454-2145

Principal: Susan Zigler
Number of students: 675
New staff: Still hiring and could not release information at press time

■ SMITH ELEMENTARY

142 Brennen Drive
Newark 19713
454-2174
Principal: Todd Harvey
Number of students: 700
New staff: Jeff Davis, 1st grade
Nicole Marello, art
Ellen Barnett, 3rd grade
Elizabeth Christopher, preschool
Barbara Kenzierski, kindergarten
Cindy McGonigal, kindergarten
Daryl Zarzycki, 2nd grade
Still hiring at press time

■ WEST PARK ELEMENTARY

193 WEST PARK PLACE
NEWARK 19711
454:2290

Principal: David McCarthy
Number of students: 500
New staff: Donna Charkar, preschool
Janet DeRicco, 2nd grade
Lisa Short, special education
Bonnie Lynch, guidance counselor
New programs: New math books and supportive materials for all grades

■ WILSON ELEMENTARY

14 FORGE RD.
NEWARK 19711
454-2180

Principal: Charles Hughes
Number of students: 600
New staff: none hired this year.

IMPROVEMENTS, REPAIRS, ROOFS, DRIVEWAYS

Renovations continue as Christina opens

By LAURA SANKOWICH

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

DESPITE several months of site improvements and some schools closed for the summer, all Christina District schools will be up and running by the time the academic year begins on Sept. 8.

"The way it looks now all of our buildings will be open, and none of the projects will effect our school openings or activities," said Dr. Capes Riley, assistant superintendent of planning and facility management.

Downes Elementary School has a repaved driveway and upgraded storm water management system anticipated to be done before school begins.

McVey, Brookside, Smith, Jones and West Park are currently undergoing roof replacement while the underground storage tanks at McVey, Wilson and Brookside were repaired and/or removed.

Major capital improvements are being made at Glasgow, Newark, Shue-Medill, Gauger-Cobbs, Bancroft, Bayard, Stubbs, Pyle, Douglas and Sterck School for the Hearing Impaired. "(But) all of these schools will be opened on time, with some work carried on after school hours until it's completed."

Some construction projects will be continued during the school year but only after school hours. "We have three playground replacements at Maclary, Jones and Wilson which will be done by the time schools open," Riley said.

Additional elementary playground construction will be finished in phase three construction. "We are totally changing or upgrading all elementary playgrounds in the district," Riley said. He said 75 percent of all of the playgrounds have finished upgrading them to this point. "The rest will completed by the beginning of next school year."

Capital improvements at Newark High School include finishing the outdoor track, Riley said, where two new coats of surface were being put in place. The football field also has been sodded and is ready to be used. A final paving of all of parking lots and lining will be finished. Riley said there will be some work on the inside of the building that will have to carry on, but everything will be situated so the school can open on time.

"(At Christiana High School) we will be starting site work outside of the building toward the end of August and during the school year," Riley said.

Roadways and parking areas will be paved and sidewalks and curbs will be replaced, according to Riley, and the fencing around the athletic facility will be replaced.

Due to late approval from the state, Riley said the track at Christiana will not be worked on until the spring. Home track meets will be transferred to either Newark or Glasgow high schools.

Riley said a portion of the lot at Christiana will be shut down. "What we're doing in no way will interfere with school activities, however," he said.

Other projects including light asbestos abatement at Newark High, Brookside, and Bancroft are also expected to be completed before the schools open.

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Christina School District
Grades 4-6
SCHOOLS OPENS SEPT. 8

■ BANCROFT ACADEMY
GRADES 4-6
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTER
GRADES K-1

700 N. LOMBARD ST.
WILMINGTON 19801
429-4102

Theme School: Science, Math & Arts
Principal: Maurice Pritchett
Number of students: 1,150
New staff: Kelly Funk, kindergarten
Tiwanna Waters, 1st grade
Lori Dickerson, 1st grade
Carrie Ruth, 1st grade
Cheryl Daer, kindergarten special education
Carmen Wright, 1st grade
Heather Golf, 1st grade
Lenay Vice-Pegram, LRE
Kathleen O-Grady, 4th grade Tam
Changes: Early Education center has been incorporated within Bancroft Academy, whole school building has been remodeled, German classes now offered.

■ STUBBS ELEMENTARY

1100 PINE STREET
WILMINGTON 19801
429-4175

Theme School: Economics, International Trade
Principal: William Bennett
Number of students: 385
New staff: Glenn Clarke, 4th grade
Stacy Cassell, 5th grade
Janice VanEff, 5th grade
Doriel Moorman, 5th grade
Kherunnissaa Merchant, 6th grade
Karen DiPres, 5th grade
New programs: Will be implementing shared decision making plans with staff, parents and community, and upgraded electricity systems.

■ BAYARD ELEMENTARY
GRADES 4-6
BAYARD EARLY EDUCATION CENTER
GRADES PRE K-1

200 S. DUPONT ST.
WILMINGTON 19805
429-4118

Theme School: Talent
Principal: Steven E. Lee
Number of students: 1,200
New staff: Still hiring several staff members at press time
Changes: Early childhood center has been incorporated into Bayard Elementary.

■ DREW-PYLE ELEMENTARY

600 N. LOMBARD ST.
WILMINGTON 19801
429-4139

Theme School: Arts & Communication
Principal: Robert Klatzkin
Number of students: 700
New staff: Dan Shelton
Molly Estep
Jodi Mauer
Christine Netta
Jennifer Burlew
Cheryl Stewart
Suzanne Mood
Wendy Robinson
Mary Beth Evans

■ ELBERT-PALMER ELEM.

1210 LOBDELL ST.
WILMINGTON 19801
429-4188

Theme School: Ecology
Principal: Lavina J. Smith
Number of students: 330
New staff: Still hiring a new librarian and LRE teacher at press time

■ PULASKI ELEMENTARY

1300 CEDAR STREET
WILMINGTON 19805
429-4136

Theme School: World Languages, International Studies
Principal: Beatrice Speir
Number of students: 475
New staff: Sheree Hand, Tam special education
Still hiring at press time

Christina School District
Grades 7-8
SCHOOLS OPENS SEPT. 8

■ GAUGER COBBS MIDDLE

50 GENDER RD.
NEWARK 19713
454-2358

Principal: Dr. Freeman Williams
Number of students: 1,120
New staff: Robert Hoffman, social studies
Donald Oakes, social studies
Changes: Whole school building has been renovated and further upgrades have been made throughout the building, 7th and 8th grade classrooms have been separated onto different floors and extended day after school programming has been increased.

■ KIRK MIDDLE SCHOOL

140 BRENNEN DR.
NEWARK 19713
454-2164

Acting Principal: Susan Lesher

Number of students: 1,000
New staff: Sarah Johnson, math
Carolyn Serva, math
Anthony Sweet Wright, physical education
Jay Anderson, special education
Theresa Aldarelli, special education
Still hiring at press time
New programs: New computers in computer lab with new software applications, added programs within the career exploratory program and the after school extra time program, site council will be restructured in the fall.

■ SHUE-MEDILL MIDDLE

1500 CAPITOL TRAIL
NEWARK 19711
454-2171

Principal: Not announced.
Number of students: 1,140
New staff: Eugene Modzelewski, social studies
Gerri Traub, language arts
Bridget Lake, science
Theresa Donges, language arts
Jennifer Mayer, math
Craig Carmichael, special needs
Heather Kennedy, language arts
Joan Awkward-Young, language arts
Kristin Keister, science
Jen Fleming, math
Davita Alston, Spanish
Still hiring for 4 positions at press time

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New feeder patterns now in effect

Secondary feeder patterns approved by the Christina District School Board in April 1998 will go into effect this September. Based on enrollment growth in middle and high schools, students in Arbour Park and Academy Hill have been assigned to Shue-Medill Middle School and Newark High School.

Some students in the Polly Drummond Hill Road area who attended Christiana High School will also attend Newark High School. According to the redistricting plan, students will be phased into new schools.

Students already in a school will remain there, while those making the transition to a new school, such as seventh and ninth graders will follow the new patterns.

At the last board meeting on Aug. 11, concerns over the reliability of the enrollment figures were disputed by both Charles Mullin and Spring Davidson. "I made a decision based on the original numbers I saw," Mullin said, noting a discrepancy in enrollment figures presented at the time the decision was made.

The projections for Glasgow and Christiana High Schools were off by an approximate total of 210 students at the time of the school board meeting.

School superintendent Nicholas Fischer noted that the projections the school board used were probably the best estimate of growth in the district and that the amount the numbers are off is a concern, but not a major one.

"Look at the numbers over a five year trend," he said. He also noted official enrollment figures once the school year starts may also account for current inconsistencies.

– Laura Sankowich

Portable classrooms ready at Brader

Some fourth graders at Brader Elementary School will begin the school year in portable classrooms. Despite earlier concern by the public as well as members of the Christina School Board, the classrooms are in place and ready for the students.

"We're having six of our fourth grade classrooms in the trailers, there are seven altogether," she said. Sharp said there will be about 27 students in each room.

"They are very nice, they're regular classroom size," said Sharp. "They are actually three buildings that will hold two classrooms each."

She said each classroom is separated by a door and has its own bathroom. "They will have all the things the regular classrooms have such as computers, shelves and desks."

Sharp said the students should do well taking their classes in the portable classrooms. "Since they are fourth graders, they are our older students in the building and I think that the responsibility of children changing from building to building for classes excites them."

Sharp said the trailers will be a two year project. "The board will determine what happens after that," she said.

Sharp mentioned one possible solution that may relieve overcrowding in the school. "There is construction on a new school (in the Bear/Glasgow area between 896 and 40) and there has been discussion about (making it an elementary school), but no plans have been made yet."

Parents and students at Brader who will be affected by the portable classrooms will be able to look at them on Sept. 2 between 5:30 and 7 p.m. when Brader has its orientation for the coming year.

Christina School District Grades 9-12

SCHOOLS OPENS SEPT. 8

■ CHRISTIANA HIGH SCHOOL

190 Salem Church Rd.
Newark 19713
454-2123

Principal: Johnny Vann
Number of students: 1650
New staff: Kathy Hailey, English
Marsha Reese, English
Shawna Corsello, English
Tracy Durnall, English
Nadine Warren, special education
Dr. Pamela Rush, chemistry
Cora Robinson, drivers education
New programs: School agendas purchased for every student to record homework assignments, school within a school program to help freshman adapt to high school, extra-time programs on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Staurdays, peer mentoring program allows juniors and seniors to help teachers within freshman classrooms, new television distribution system, integrated health and physical education programs and a Japanese language and culture class will be offered.

■ GLASGOW HIGH SCHOOL

1901 S. College Ave.
Newark 19702
454-2381

Principal: Robert Anderson
Number of students: More than 1,600
New staff: Mark Delpercio, football coach
New programs: Students and faculty will wear ID badges, after school academic enhancement detentions and Saturday school.

■ NEWARK HIGH SCHOOL

750 E. Delaware Ave.
Newark 19711
454-2151

Principal: Frank J. Hagen
Number of students: 1,600
New staff: DeLessa McNair, business education
Charlotte Golden, social studies
Scott Dailey, English
Genevieve Leake, science
Still hiring at press time.
New programs: New dress policy

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Private schools

■ ALETHEIA SCHOOL

91 Salem Church Rd.
Newark 19713
737-7048

Grades: Pre K- 8
School opens: Sept. 3.
Principal: Richard Duzan
Number of students: 215
New staff: Sandra Collins, kindergarten
Diane Wyttenbach, teacher aide
Mary Morrison, art

■ CARAVEL ACADEMY

2801 Del Laws Rd.
Bear 19701
834-8938

Grades: Pre-K - 12
School opens: Sept. 8.
Headmaster: Carl Rice
Number of students: 920
New staff: Julie Anderson, social studies
Doris Cisar, foreign language
Aaron Moseley, music
Jose Ramos, Spanish
Lea Wainwright, French
Michelle Weldon, pre-school
Sandra Woods, math
New programs: Expanded computer capabilities within classrooms

■ HOLY ANGELS SCHOOL

82 Possum Park Rd.
Newark 19711
731-2210

Grades: K-8
School opens: Sept. 2
Principal: Sister Helen Bellew
Number of students: 550
New staff: Hiring a new guidance counselor at press time
New programs: New math and religion programs, some building renovations including carpeting and painting, new LAN communication network, program to address learning differences among students, will be going through reaccreditation this fall.

■ INDEPENDENCE SCHOOL

1300 Paper Mill Rd.
Newark 19711
239-0330

Grades: Pre-K - 8
School opens: Sept. 10.
Headmaster: Dr. Kenneth Weinig
Number of students: 722
New staff: Amy Graham, 5th grade
Susan Donaghy, early childhood
Marlene Kobus, early childhood
Claudia Minker, German teacher
Christine Jolly, assistant to the director of extended care
Melvin Gershman, academic technology coordinator
Leslie Gondek, early childhood aide
Susan Holler, early childhood aide
Mary Jo McNamara, early childhood aide
Michael Fulk, physical education aide

■ PIKE CREEK CHRISTIAN

199 Polly Drummond Hill Rd
Newark 19711
731-7773

Grades: K - 8
School opens: Sept. 8.
Principal: Catherine Sielski
Number of students: 370
New staff: Howard Wallace, math/science
Faith Hall, Spanish
Laura Kouba, art
New programs: The school now includes 8th grade, a media center has been created by combining the library and computer lab, art and Spanish classes have been added to the lower school curriculum and geography and environmental studies courses have been aded to the middle school.

■ RED LION CHRISTIAN

1400 Red Lion Road
Bear 19701
834-2526

Grades: Pre-K-8
School opens: Sept. 8.
Headmaster: Dr. David Thompson
Number of students: 500
New staff: Sheila Baird, bus driver
Sue Eden, preschool aide
Gail Fite, bookkeeper
Gwen Jacobsen, 6th
Charlene Johnson, elementary school principal
Cheryl Lacy, physical education
Cindy Nyhof, math
Sam Osbourn, upper school principal
Tracey Pritchard, science
Dawn Roberts, 1st grade
Amy Ross, computers
Angela Schoen, Spanish
Karen Wilson, 6th grade
New programs: 9th grade class added, separate early education building will open late fall

■ ST. MARK'S

Pike Creek Road
Wilmington 19808
738-3300

Grades: 9-12
School opens: Sept. 2
Principal: Mark Freund
Number of students: 1,560
New staff: Mark Freund, principal
Julie Leasure, Spanish, French teacher
Annette Faltot, Theology
Fitz-gerald Gallagher, English
Richard Houtz, physics
John Wilson, science
Sally Donnelly, mathematics
Jason Testa, health/ English
New programs: Entrepreneurship coursework, new track and updated athletic fields

Dress codes make the grade

Parents and students at three Christina District schools will continue to enjoy a hassle free approach to dressing for school success.

Following school board assessment, Drew-Pyle Elementary School, Shue-Medill Middle School and the Early Childhood Centers at Bayard and Bancroft elementary schools will have dress codes in place again this year.

At the Early Childhood Centers, 60.2 percent of the parents surveyed said the uniform was more convenient and also less costly when it came time to go shopping for school clothes. All of the teachers in the progarms recommended a continuation of the dress code, while 85 percent felt that the dress code helped to create a positive school environment.

The dress code did not fare as well when it came to student feedback, however. Only 53 percent of the early childhood students said they liked wearing the uniform to school everyday, and 83 percent said they would like to be able to wear other clothes to school sometimes.

Although the Early Childhood Center will be incorporated into the Bayard and Bancroft schools this fall, former principal Harriet Billops said the dress code will continue for pre-K through first grade students.

According to the 46 surveys returned, parents of Drew-Pyle students agreed the dress code made it easier for their child to dress, saved them money, helped their child become a better student, and improved overall self esteem and behavior.

Overall, parents indicated they would like to see it continued for another year despite feedback indicating that the majority of Drew-Pyle students wanted to do away with the dress code.

All except one teacher at Drew-Pyle concluded that the dress code had been successful. The remaining teacher was unsure of the results. Data submitted by the school administrators indicated an overall decrease of inappropriate issues based on dress occurring between students.

A few minor changes have been made to Drew-Pyle's code for the school year. Brown shoes will be permitted, pants must be belted if they have belt loops, and Drew Pyle shirts and shorts in white, gray or blue can be worn in the gym.

Shue-Medill Middle School, the first school in Delaware to have a dress code, submitted data which showed that there was a 13 percent reduction in school suspensions for the 1997-98 school year, with a 24 percent reduction overall since the code was implemented in 1996.

Other data showed a two percent increase in attendance over the previous year as well as almost a 63 percent increase of students who were admitted into the National Junior Honor Society for the 1997-98 school year.

A few changes were anounced for the Shue-Medill policy, including only collared shirts can be worn, belts are not necessary as long as pants are kept at waist level, and the length of skirts, dresses and shorts must be at the level of the wearer's fingertips or lower when arms are held by the student's side.

Christina bells will ring...

High and middle schools: 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Theme schools: Grades 4 to 6: (Bancroft, Bayard, Drew/Pyle, Elbert/ Plamer, Pulaski and Stubbs) 8:40 a.m. to 3:10 p.m.

Downes, Jones, Maclary, Marshall, McVey, Smith and West Park:
Kindergarten: Morning Session 8:30 to 11 a.m.; Afternoon Session 12:30 to 3 p.m.
Grades 1-4: 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Brader, Gallaher, Leasure & Wilson:
Kindergarten: Morning Session 9:10 to 11:40 a.m.; Afternoon Session 1:10 to 3:40 p.m.
Grades 1-4: 9:10 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

Family Program:
9:10 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

Brookside:
Kindergarten: Morning Session 9:10 to 11:45 a.m.; Afternoon Session 1:20 to 3:55 p.m.
Grades 1-4: 9:10 a.m. to 3:55 p.m.

Early Childhood Center:
Kindergarten: Morning Session 9:10 to 11:40 a.m.; Afternoon Session 1:10 to 3:40 p.m.
Grades 1: 9:10 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

Option Program:
Kindergarten: Morning Session 8:30 to 11:15 a.m.; Afternoon Session 12:30 to 3:15 p.m.

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1998 - 1999 SCHOOL CALENDAR

July 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Holiday Schools & Offices Closed	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 7:30 p.m. Board Mtg. Marshall Elementary	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

August 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 7:30 p.m. Board Mtg. Kirk Middle	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 30	24 31	25	26	27	28	29

September 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Holiday Schools & Offices Closed	8 First Day of School Grades K-9 7:30 p.m. Board Mtg. Bayard Elementary	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 OPEN HOUSE Middle Schools	18	19
20	21	22	23 OPEN HOUSE High Schools, Bayard ECC	24 OPEN HOUSE Bancroft ECC	25 Brookside Closed Staff Development	26
27	28	29	30			

October 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 OPEN HOUSE Thorne Schools	2	3
4	5	6	7 OPEN HOUSE K-4 Schools	8	9	10
11 National School Lunch Week	12	13 7:30 p.m. Board Mtg. Downes Elem.	14	15	16 Secondary Interim Reports Mailed	17
18 National School Bus Safety Week	19	20	21	22	23 Early Dismissal High Schools Staff Development	24
25	26	27	28	29 Early Dismissal Brookside Staff Dev.	30 Brookside Closed Staff Development	31

November 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Schools & Offices Closed Election Day	4	5	6 First Marking Period Ends	7
8	9	10 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. Leasure Elementary	11	12	13 Elementary Report Cards Issued	14
15 American Education Week	16 K-8 Schools Closed Parent Conferences	17	18 EDUCATION SUPPORT PERSONNEL DAY	19	20 Secondary Report Cards Issued	21
22	23	24	25 Schools Closed Staff Development	26 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY SCHOOLS AND OFFICES CLOSED	27	28
29	30					

December 1998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4 K-8 Schools Closed Staff Development Parent Conferences	5
6	7	8 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. Drew/Pyle Elementary	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 Secondary Interim Reports Mailed Brookside Closed Staff Development	19
20	21	22	23	24 WINTER BREAK Schools And	25 Offices Closed	26
27	28	29 WINTER BREAK Schools Closed	30	31 WINTER BREAK Schools & Offices Closed		

January 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 WINTER BREAK Schools & Offices Closed	2
3	4 SCHOOLS REOPEN	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. Gallaher Elementary	13	14	15	16
17	18 M.L. King Holiday Schools & Offices Closed	19	20	21	22 Brookside Closed Staff Development	23
24 31	25	26	27 NATIONAL SCHOOL NURSE DAY	28	29 Second Marking Period Ends	30

February 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
National Eubank Counseling Week	1	2	3	4	5 Elementary Report Cards Issued	6
7	8	9 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. McVey Elementary	10	11 Secondary Report Cards Issued	12 Brookside Closed Staff Development	13
14	15 President's Day Schools & Offices Closed	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 K-8 Schools Closed Parent Conferences (ex. Shue/Medill)	23	24	25	26	27
28						

March 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH	1	2	3	4	5 Secondary Interim Reports Mailed Schools Closed Staff Development	6
7	8	9 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. Pulaski Elementary	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

April 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Third Marking Period Ends	2 SPRING BREAK Schools & Offices Closed	3
4	5	6	7 SPRING BREAK Schools Closed	8	9	10
11	12 SCHOOLS REOPEN	13	14	15 Elementary Report Cards Issued	16	17
18	19 K-8 Early Dismissal Parent Conferences Staff Development	20 7:30p.m. Board Mtg. Glasgow High	21	22 Secondary Report Cards Issued	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

May 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2 NATIONAL TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK	3	4	5	6	7 Brookside Closed Staff Development	8
9	10	11 7:30 p.m. Board Mtg. Gauger/Cobbs Middle	12	13	14 Secondary Interim Reports Mailed	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 30	24 31 Memorial Day Schools/Offices Closed	25	26	27	28	29

June 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 Newark Graduation	9 Glasgow Graduation	10 Christiana Graduation	11 Groves Graduation	12
13	14 High School Early Dismissal-Exams Sterck and Autistic Graduation	15 Last Student Day Early Dismissal High School Exams Elementary Report Cards Issued 7:30p.m. Board Mtg Bancroft Elementary	16 Staff Development Day High School Exams Make-up Day Snow Make-up Day	17 Snow Make-up Day	18	19
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Principally speaking

STUDENTS and parents can expect a new face in the principal's office at four Christina district schools for this coming school year.

Maclary Elementary School, Shue Medill Middle School, the Early Childhood Center at two sites, and Gallaher Elementary School all have changes in the status of their principals.

At Maclary Elementary, principal Patricia A. Martin retired after 10 years and will be replaced by Richelle Talbert. Formerly the assistant principal at Drew/Pyle, Talbert has worked in the education system for the past 20 years. "I have been, and still am at heart, a special education teacher," said Talbert although she was an adminstrator for the past seven years.

Talbert said her first focus is to develop a strategic plan. "We're also going to continue to to use our resources to improve literacy for students," she said. "I am excited, and am very much looking forward to a new school year."

Robert Adams, formerly the principal of Shue Medill, will be leaving to go on to become principal at Dover High School. "I'm from Dover so I have been commuting here for the last six years," Adams said. "It's a good opportunity to be closer to home and closer to my family, and that's the only reason why I took the job."

Although Adams will be moving on, he said he will not forget his time at principal at Shue Medill anytime soon. "I've enjoyed myself here tremendously. The Shue community has just been wonderful."

According to Christina District spokesperson John Holton, there has been no decision made at this time as to who will become principal at Shue Medill.

Harriet Billops, principal of the Early Childhood Center, has resigned from her position. Billops, the principal of the school since its establishment last year, has also been an administrator in the district for seven years.

Billops said she will be leaving the district completely to work in the private sector.

"I am leaving because a variety of things happened in my private and professional life that led me to this decision," she said. "I am not ruling out working with schools as an option, and I will do what best suits the skills I have acquired."

Because the Early Childhood Center has been incorporated into the Bayard and Bancroft schools, dsitrict officials said there will be no replacement for her position.

Principals Maurice Pritchett of Bancroft and Steve Lee of Bayard will assume the role of principals of the Center at their respective schools.

At Gallaher, acting principal Joe Clark has been named as principal of the school.

"I feel very good about the up and coming year," Clark said, "because we have a very good and highly knowledgeable staff. They want the best for the school and the students are the best."

Clark said that Gallaher's PTA has been nominated as the top in the state for the last 4 or 5 years. "We're always trying to improve academics," he said. "We want to improve academic status for students of diverse backgrounds and I will be meeting with teachers, parents, and the community to address that."

Red Lion Christian adding high school

An aggressive expansion program is underway at Red Lion Christian Academy in Bear which includes an early education center and the construction of a $3.5 million high school beginning this fall.

"Parents in this area are recognizing the need for a comprehensive, quality Christian high school," said headmaster, Dr. David Thompson.

The Academy was started in 1980 as a ministry of Red Lion Evangelical Free Church under the direction of Rev. Irvin Pusey who has seen the area change around the 37-acre church property.

In the mid 80's, there was an unsuccessful attempt to start a high school. However, the area's population explosion has caused enrollment to jump from the present 380 to 520-plus for next year.

Thompson anticipates the enrollment to be between 1,500-1,800 students once the 46,000-square-foot upper school is in full operation. Groundbreaking for the upper school building will take place in December with occupancy by August 1999.

A new 9,000-square-foot early education center has been put on the site that formerly housed temporary classroom trailers.

"The new facility will enrich the present program," said Linda Graham, director of early education, who has been with the school from day one.

Special schools

■ HODGSON VO-TECH

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School opens: Aug. 31
Principal: Dr. Steven Godowsky
Number of students: 1,000
New staff: Pamela Perdue, science/pre-engineering teacher
Stan Studzinski, maintenance tech
Barbara Glacier, math
New programs: New 10th grade math program; new Chevrolet Cavalier has been donated for use in auto tech program, which is working to become part of the Automotive YES program; new curriculum in the academy of manufacturing and pre-engineering for 11th graders; new attendance policy; two new classrooms and upgraded air conditioning units.

■ STERCK SCHOOL

620 E. Chestnut Hill Rd.
Newark 19713
454-2301

Director: Dr. Susanna Lee
Principal: Edward Bosso
Coordinator: Richard Gays, 454-2305
Coordinator: Margaret Lashbrook, 454-2305
Number of students: 155
New staff: None
Changes: Building renovations including carpeting, lighting and new sprinkler system

■ AUTISTIC PROGRAM

144 Brennen Dr.
Newark 19713
454-2202

Principal: John Dewey
Number of students: 160
New staff: Still hiring 4 teachers and 3 paraprofessionals at press time.
New programs: Program to increase the number of students who are receiving direct vocational opportunities. Also integrating more students into the district schools.

■ DOUGLASS SCHOOL

Option Program & Family Program

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August 25, 1998

Dear Newark Resident:

I am writing on behalf of the City of Newark and our Water Department staff to thank you for your patience during last week's unfortunate situation involving our water system. As I assume you are aware, the runoff from a fire in West Grove, Pennsylvania on Friday, August 14, inadvertently made its way into the White Clay Creek and, due to lack of notification, into our water system.

Immediately following our identification of the occurrence on Monday, August 17, we began a "no holds barred" attack on this problem, working crews late into the evening to flush this annoying odor and taste from our mains. In addition, immediate testing was conducted by both the City and the State Department of Public Health to ensure the safety of our water.

Thankfully, all tests reported that there was no need for special actions or restrictions to be implemented. Throughout last weekend, we continued a systematic bleeding of the deadend areas of our mains - a targeted sweeping if you will - to release the affected water from the system. After a full week of constant and aggressive actions, we are happy to report that this problem is behind us.

I thank you again for your patience and apologize for the inconvenience this past week. If you have any questions or further concerns, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Carl F. Luft
City Manager

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Opinion

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The flow of information needs more work

THE EFFORTS MADE BY state and local authorities to lock the barn door last week after possibly contaminated water entered local water supplies were comprehensive and admirable.

Between Monday and Friday, both the Delaware Division of Health and Social Services and the city of Newark conducted repeated tests to try to determine if water flowing to consumers contained materials hazardous to the public health.

According to both agencies, the chances of that happening were exceedingly small.

Nevertheless, the city even went so far as New York City to get independent confirmation that their product was safe. As it turned out, after five hectic days of frantic concern and flushing the city's mains, the water remained safe to drink even if unappealing to smell or taste.

In addition, despite a warning issued to hospitals by Health and Social Services, no one reported any instances of illness that might have resulted from ingesting polluted water.

But among all this good news, there still remained questions about why it took unofficial reports of dead fish in the White Clay Creek to alert Delaware officials to the problem.

Three days after the water runoff from the Pennsylvania fire entered the White Clay Creek was three days later than local water companies should have been informed.

And ten days after that, Delaware officials still could not explain how notification would be better the next time. That is unacceptable.

DNREC and other state agencies responsible for the public health must set up an arrangement immediately that can assure everyone in Delaware that the water is safe to drink.

The next time, the systems in place to protect us from other people's mistakes may not work as well.

ONE PARENT'S PERSPECTIVE

A parent's teacher wish list and other thoughts

By RUTH KELLY

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

THE STAPLES TV COMMERCIAL showing a father happily skipping down the store aisles buying back-to-school supplies with his two children looking on with long, sad faces at the thought of school starting is back on the air.

Kelly

I love this commercial and at this time of year feel as exhilarated as this dad counting the days til the first day of school. This has indeed been a long summer with boredom setting in with my child shortly after the 4th of July.

The highlight of the summer early on was celebrating birthdays. Kim turned 12 in June and had a roller skating party with her friends. Sassy, our dog, celebrated her 1st birthday in July and she had a wonderful party too. Her's was a small intimate affair. The "poodle princess" was the belle of the ball on July 11. A pair of poodle pals named Chewey and Harley came decked out, freshly groomed, and bearing gifts. They all dined on scrambled ground beef and rice, romped around for a while and finally lapped up some vanilla ice cream for dessert. They left tired and full with party bags in paw which included some doggie treats, cookies in the shape of a cat and some chew toys. A fun time was had by all, canine and human.

I'm the only one who did not have a party. Mine came and went quietly on Aug. 2. Quiet is more and more appealing as I get closer to age 50.

September is a time of excitement and anticipation at our house. This year starts out on a downer – somewhat. Last year the school my daughter attended had a dress code policy. It was the best school year yet for not fussing about what to wear. Shopping was easy, and it was the most economical year we've ever had.

I am sure many parents who have experienced dress code will feel like I do. It is my hope that a uniform dress code policy be made district-wide in the not too distant future.

This year finds my daughter and I embarking into the world of middle school. She and I both have been fearing the unknown but that fear has eased into a nervous anticipation and not the fierce anxiety felt earlier this summer.

Kim attended Kirk's Summer Academy and this program was a huge success. She had fun and I very much appreciated having her attend. It gave both of us an opportunity to meet teachers and staff at Kirk. The welcome and warmth which I received from the Kirk family as a new incoming parent was very gratifying. I had always heard of Kirk's fine reputation in the community and I found out first hand how true everything I heard was.

This year will be the continuation of monumental challenges all of our students will be facing and I plan to be more involved. I am deeply concerned on the effects of education reform and how it will affect my daughter and others. The ever-widening gap between white and minority students is always a worry to me and finding ways to narrow this gap is something that I want to work on with other concerned parents.

Effective teaching can make all the difference in the world to minority students. The most highly qualified, caring and dedicated teachers can take a low-performing student and with ingenuity and patience turn that stu-

See KELLY, 7 ▶

OUT OF THE ATTIC

This week's old photo is a view of Binns development taken by the father of Denise Levering, the late Joseph J. Russell, in the late 1950s or early 1960s. According to Levering, the vertical road is Elkton Road when it was only two lanes. The woods to the right of the development is now Devon. The woods at the top are now Park Place Apartments. The path before those woods is the path students used to walk to school

Readers are encouraged to send old photos to the *Newark Post*, "Out of the Attic," 153 E. Chestnut Hill Rd., Newark 19713. Special care will be taken. For information, call 737-0724.

PAGES FROM THE PAST

• News as it appeared in the *Newark Post* throughout the years

August 29, 1923

Plans to let contract for Kemblesville Road before winter

One of the most important road improvements in this section, slated for completion next year, is one that will particularly benefit Newark and vicinity.

It is planned to advertise for and let bids for the completion of the 2 1/4 mile stretch of dirt road from the Maryland line to a point a half mile from Kemblesville.

With the completion of the new macadam, and the recent paving of New London Avenue, the town will have a much greater drawing power from the rich sections of lower Chester County.

It now appears that the business conditions of Newark will be greatly boosted by the opening up of an almost new section.

Colleges enroll 165 students

Eighty-seven men students and seventy-eight women have enrolled in the University of Delaware for the upcoming term up until this morning, according to Dean George E. Dutton, in charge of registering the men, and Miss Gertrude Sturgis of the Women's College. There is every reason to believe that there will be at least forty more enrolled in the two colleges before the term opens.

August 25, 1976

Fee hikes proposed for Newark

Newark City Council has passed a $764,000 capital improvements program for 1977 and a $3,531,000 program for the five-year period ending in 1981.

The programs, drawn up by the city department heads and approved by Newark City Manager Peter S. Marshall, include short-range improvements projects like the installation of sidewalks along city-owned parkland, intermediate-range projects like the completion of the electrical sub-station, and long-range projects like the construction of a pumped storage reservoir and surface water treatment plant to supply the city's water demands for 1981 on.

Newark commuter line faces budgetary axe

Implementation of the Regional Rail Act of 1973—which calls on state governments to help subsidize passenger rail service—may mean the end of that service to Newark.

The law provides that the federal government will continue to provide 100 per cent of the funds until March, 1977, 90 per cent of the funds until March, 1978, and 50 per cent of the funds thereafter. State governments or other state agencies are to make up the difference.

August 27, 1993

Canal Seniors score 2nd in World Series

The Canal Senior All-Star softball team is the second best 13-15 year-old squad in the entire world!

The All-Stars, after dropping its World Series opener 1-10 to Hammond, Ind., won three straight games to advance to last Saturday's world championship game. Playing before a large crowd of over 3,000 at Kalamazoo's (Mich.) Vanderberg Park, Canal fell 6-0 to five-time defending world champ Naples, Fla. in the final.

Fire at Newark High investigated

A small fire that broke out Sunday night at Newark High was termed suspicious by the city fire marshal. The blaze caused only minimal smoke and water damage and will have no affect on the opening of school.

The fire was detected shortly before 10 p.m. in the industrial arts building behind the school's main building.

Letters to the Editor

To: Editor
From: Rep. Pamela S. Maier
R-Drummond Hill
21st Representative District

Ten years in the making, an agreement just officially announced between the state and the University of Delaware will ensure the preservation of over 500 acres of open space in northern New Castle County.

The acquisition of the 504-acre Judge Morris property, near the intersection of Polly Drummond Road and Kirkwood Highway, is an impressive achievement on the part of state and university officials, as well as members of the community, who put in a lot of hard work to make this agreement a reality.

As the state representative of the district where this new property is located, I couldn't be happier. I believe the $12.5 million the state is spending to buy the land is a wise investment, saving from the threat of development the largest remaining parcel of open space along Kirkwood Highway.

Added to the existing White Clay Creek State Park holdings, the new tract will increase the park's size to nearly 2,900 acres. When considered with the Middle Run natural Area, which lies just to the west of the new property, there now exists a lengthy tract of fields and mature hardwoods extending northwest from Kirkwood Highway to beyond the Pennsylvania border.

Open space isn't the only thing the purchase has secured - we've also saved a piece of our historical heritage. The new acquisition includes the Andrew Gray House, which dates to the early 1800s and is eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places. No long range plans for the house have been made, but state park officials say they plan to initially stabilize the structure to prevent any further deterioration.

Many of the existing hiking and biking trails already on the property will be preserved and upgraded to state park standards. Ultimately, I and many other people would like to see these trials networked with other greenway trails throughout the county.

In an era where we are constantly grappling with the challenge of losing open space to sprawling development, this acquisition rates as a considerable victory that will provide area residents with additional recreational opportunities and an improved quality-of-life.

To: Editor;
From: Andrea Polukis
Our Redeemer Preschool

Among the many bills recently passed by our legislators aimed at improving public education, I applaud the long overdue legislation to reduce class size. It is a fact that our classrooms in the Christina School district are overcrowded, and I am anxious to see reduction in class size at all levels, but most particularly at the K-4 level where it is needed the most. District officials continue to stress the overcrowding and the need to build more schools at the elementary level, yet the district continues to operate preschool classrooms in some elementary school buildings.

I am sure the district is well intended by offering preschool services. I am an advocate of Early Childhood Education, as I am a preschool teacher at Our Redeemer in Newark. However, the district is offering preschool services in the Newark area, and is duplicating services that are offered through many long established church and community based organizations. The district does not have enough space to accommodate students in grades K-4, but it continues to operate preschool classrooms.

I can understand the intent of the public schools to offer special education services to preschool age children, and provide service in areas where preschools do not exist. However, the Newark area has an abundance of preschools, and in my opinion, the need for the three preschool classrooms at Jennie Smith is not justified. Along with many other area preschools, we now face a declining enrollment due to the need for full time daycare services, and duplication of services by the school district. The district is competing with services already offered in the community by many excellent preschools. Our Redeemer's program has been a highly regarded, quality program for over thirty-five years. I am proud to be a member of their team, and committed to keeping alive the small, intimate, family-involved preschool concept that is offered in schools such as ours.

Although some parents at district-run preschools pay tuition that is competitive with surrounding preschools, how many of our tax dollars are used to supplement district preschool classrooms (for utilities, maintenance, supplies)? The use of the school buildings alone makes it difficult for private schools to compete financially. Is use of public school space for preschool a necessity when we can use the district space for alternative education, special education, parent resource rooms, and most especially, smaller classes for our school age students?

I trust that our district officials will review the need for public preschool as they continue to deal with the overcrowding issue in future school years.

Praying my daughter gets a high-quality teacher this year

▶ KELLY, from 10

dent around.

Each year I continue to pray that my daughter be assigned to that high-quality teacher who will make learning fun for her. This teacher will have high expectations of her and hold her to the highest standards. He or she will look past her skin color and her class will work with me all during the year in keeping me informed and advising me of concerns and problems early on. This teacher will not be intimidated by me if I ask questions and visit school. This teacher will not judge me because I may not know what questions to ask or make me feel intimidated. This teacher will not ignore and cast me aside labeling me as just another black parent who is not interested in their child's education.

Finally, this highly qualified teacher should feel as empowered as I do as a parent and not fear being held accountable. Those teachers who are mediocre and not quality are the ones that need to worry and they will be exposed..

Some of the most influential people in my life have been teachers. I hold the profession with the utmost admiration and respect. They can make all the difference in the world in the life of a child. Good teachers, involved parents and the help of the entire village can bridge this gap. It's my hope that we can all work together and make it happen.

P.S. I won't be following the bus to school this year; my daughter will kill me for embarrassing her.

■ *Ruth Kelly is a concerned single-parent who believes in quality public education. She works as a secretary for DuPont and lives in the Christiana area.*

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NEWARK OUTLOOK

■ *Newark Outlook is a regular feature, prepared each week by staff members of the University of Delaware's Cooperative Extention Office in Newark.*

Stay off the train tracks

TRAINS AND TRAIN tracks hold a certain fascination for many children and adults. For some, however, the train tracks also seem to invite risky behaviors. In May of this year, a student was seriously injured on the CSX tracks behind the New Street Cemetery. He was struck while trying to see how close he could get to the moving train and, as a result, suffered a fractured arm and contusions. Lucky does not come close to describing this student's narrow escape from more serious injury or death.

By Cindy Genau

While driving through Newark, I have witnessed children, teenagers and college students walking along side or even on the tracks that thread throughout Newark and the University of Delaware campus. This is a dangerous pastime, and one that soon could earn violators a fine.

"Most people are unaware that walking on railroad tracks or along the right-of-way is trespassing on private property," explains Newark Chief of Police Bill Hogan.

To prevent further injuries and death in the city, the Newark Police, University Police and CSX Transportation are collaborating on a program to educate the public about the dangers of trespassing on railroad property.

In a bold step, the City of Newark has passed an ordinance establishing regulations regarding this kind of trespassing. The new ordinance allows Newark police officers, UD police and railroad law enforcement personnel to arrest individuals who trespass on railroad property. A person found on or near the train track for any reason other than crossing over the tracks at a marked and identified public crossing will be considered a trespasser.

Anyone found in violation of the ordinance and convicted of trespassing on railroad property will be subject to a minimum fine of $100 and a $250 fine or more if convicted of trespassing on the train or any part of the train.

A tragic collision can be prevented if you follow this simple safety tip- Stay off the Tracks.

CAN'T SEE THE PARK FOR THE TREES

NEWARK POST PHOTOS BY JOHN CHABALKO

Children from a summer camp at the Iron Hill Museum spent a wet morning exploring the stream that flows through the 335-acre Iron Hill Park.

Iron Hill Park is a hidden treasure

By MEGHAN AFTOSMIS

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

HIDDEN BEHIND TREES AND somewhat off the beaten track on curvy Whitaker Road lies Iron Hill Park. Drivers racing up and down Route 896 seem oblivious of such a peaceful place little more than a mile away down Old Baltimore Pike. In fact, so do most Newarkers.

Bought in 1971 and one of the 195 parks operated by New Castle County, Iron Hill Park offers trails, playground equipment, a sheltered picnic area, and park benches scattered around its four parking lots.

Without ballfields or a camping area, the 335-acre park lends itself to a more sedate atmosphere than some other parks. "It's mostly a passive use park," said Jonathan Husband, development planner for the county. "There's some beautiful natural wooded areas."

But, it is the park's history and its natural land features that make it unique, Husband said.

Dating back to the 1600's, the park was originally called "Marettico" by the Minquas Indians who lived in the area, meaning "hill of hard stone," according to the history marker placed in the park by the county.

And although there are huge amounts of iron present in the area, it was Jasper rock which the Indians found there to make many of their tools.

The early Welsh settlers, who had received a grant from William Penn in 1701, first mined the iron ore which gave the park its current name. An old forge, built by Sir William Keith, a colonial Governor of Delaware and Pennsylvania, stood along the west bank of the Christiana at the foot of Iron Hill. In later years, ore was hauled to Principio Furnace near North East, Md.

Mining operations were conducted until about 1891 by the McConaughey, the Cooch, and, lastly, the Whitaker family. The large bowl-shaped ore pits and the spoil mounds can still be seen today at the Iron Hill Museum on Old Baltimore Pike.

But it's not just the iron pits that make the area famous. On Aug. 27, 1777, Generals George Washington, Nathaniel Green and Lafayette reportedly watched the movements of the British Army from the top of Iron Hill.

A week later on Sept. 3, 1777, the only Revolutionary War engagement between the British and American armies on Delaware soil took place "at nearby Cooch's Bridge at the foot of Iron Hill," according to the county history.

It is also claimed that Caesar Rodney camped at Iron Hill with his troops during the War of 1812.

With [illegible]

seems only fitting that the park was dedicated on Sept. 3, 1977, following a reenactment of the Revolutionary skirmish.

Included in the celebration was the opening of an observation tower for the first time that day. "The tower has since been torn down for liability and safety reasons," Husband said, "but at that time it was a big attraction."

Now the trails are the big attraction. Ed Yalisove of the Sierra Club said he has taken many hikers along the Mason-Dixon Trail running through the park and connecting it to White Clay Creek Preserve. "They were amazed that such a park exists among all the developments surrounding it," said Yalisove.

Pete Brakhage, president of the Delaware Trail Spinners, said mining disturbed some areas of land leaving unique landscapes and a series of roller coaster hills that are great for mountain bikes. "There are some fun trails to ride on in the park," said Brakhage.

There are no park rangers there and maintenance crews must share the responsibilities of all the parks in the county. The Sierra Club, and the Trail Spinners who use some of the profits from an annual mountain biking race for trail maintenance, are a large part of the volunteer base that helps keep the park in shape.

Children come to play on the trails from surrounding neighborhoods, Husband said, but the county would always like to see more families in the park.

A proposed expansion of the Iron Hill Museum, which the county is reviewing, would possibly bring even more people in. "Hopefully once they realize the park is there, too, they will come back," Hus-

Nicholas & Alexandra exhibit continues

By PHIL TOMAN

NEWARK POST ARTS WRITER

THE BROUGHTON International exhibit "Nicholas and Alexandra: The Last Imperial Family of Tsarist Russia" has been open about a month now and drawing huge crowds. Each one of the 14 galleries has much beauty and many riches to offer us but I have been fascinated by displays of materials from the official religion of Tsarist Russia, the Russian Orthodox Church. It is very interesting to find how many artifacts of what Lenin called "the opiate of the people" survived his Bolsheviks.

I think that Dr. Mikhail Piotrovski, director of the State Hermitage Museum in St. Petersburg, and Jim Broughton, president of Broughton International, did a superb job of selecting the items and that Dr. Robert S. Bianchi, director of academic and curatorial affairs for Broughton International and the curator of Nicholas and Alexandra, has done an equally fine job in setting up the displays. Today I would like to share with you some of the items I found of interest in the display now open at 800 South Madison Street in Wilmington.

The icon shown with my column today was particularly interesting. It shows the relationship between the church and Tsarist government very well. It was created in 1898 and shows St. Nicholas the Miracle worker with St. Tsarina Alexandra. These are both saints of the Russian Orthodox Church who have the same name as the then tsar Nicholas II and tsarina Alexandra.

There were a number of beautiful priest's vestments in the exhibit. I found a 19th century one of violet velvet with spun gold threads a real thing of beauty. The work of opulent embroidery has the representation of an all-seeing eye surrounded by angels heads on the back shoulder piece of the chasuble. Below are liturgical symbols and the horn of plenty, signifying the divine nature of the secular as well as the church rule. The entire surface of the garment is covered with flower garlands and vine branches. The cross on this vestment signifies the Order of Alexandere Nevsky which was established in 1725.

There is a lovely gold brocade miter decorated with pearls with nine enamel medallions showing saints and Jesus. All that is framed by bands of precious stones. The green silk cover of the head piece is the perfect compliment to everything else.

Another interesting icon is called "The Icon of the Chosen Saints" and dates from the early part of this century. The top part of the icon features the heavenly patrons of the heir apparent to Nicholas II and to the children of the imperial couple. The saints shown are Marie, Princess Olga, the Moscow Metropolitan Alexi, Tatiana, and Anastasia. The lower part of the icon shows the heavenly patrons of the tsar and tsarina, Nicholas and Alexandra.

Easter is a great feast in the Russian church. Easter eggs, not the kind you dye for the kids to find — the gold kind often designed by Faberge — played an important role in the Easter celebration and many are shown in the exhibit. One egg, made by the Imperial Porcelain Factory was very beautiful. It has the monogram of both Nicholas and Alexandra on it. In 1910, the monograms of all the imperial children were added as well. Up to 5,000 of these beautiful eggs were presented by the tsar to various courtiers during the Russian Easter celebration each year.

Books, particularly church books, were as ornate as everything else. There is a book of gospels done in silver with a gilded mounting. Nothing was left to chance in decorating this book which was gift to the tsar from the monks at the Kiev Caves Monastery.

Another chasuble was made entirely of spun gold. It must have weighed heavily on the priest during the liturgy, but they wore them. In Russia most of the fabrics for church vestments was imported until the 18th century. It was not until the 19th century however that such magnificent and expensive church ceremonial garments were produced.

There is much more to see. Today I covered just a FEW items in one of 14 galleries. You owe it to yourself to see the rest. My column only serves to whet your appetite to get in and see the exhibition which will continue through December 31. It will only be closed two days during that period, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

For ticket information you may call 302-777-1600 or you may drop by the box office located in the exhibit area at 800 South Madison Street in Wilmington. It is important to note that tickets are sold by both date AND time. You must be prepared with both choices before you may purchase tickets.

This icon, "St. Nicholas the Miracle Worker and St. Tsarina Alexandra" is one of many beautiful artifacts of the Russian Orthodox Church presently on exhibit as part of the Nicholas and Alexandra exhibit at 800 South Madison Street in Wilmington.

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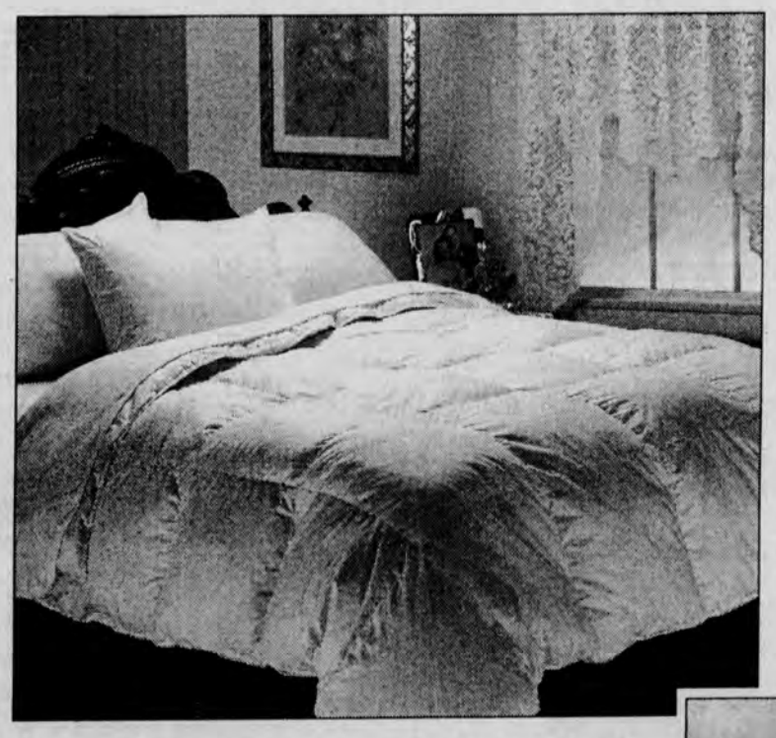

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GHOST TOUR 6:30 p.m. Storyteller Ed Okonowicz leads a candlelight tour of Fort Delaware. Tickets: $10 to $15. For reservations, call 834-7941.

SATURDAY 29

KINDERMUSIK 10:30 a.m. Children's story, craft and musical entertainment at Rainbow Bookstore, East Main Street, Newark. Free. 368-7738.

WIND SYMPHONY 7 p.m. at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. 45-piece orchestra from southern New Jersey directed by Robert Steckfuss who also directs the UD Wind Ensemble. 610-388-1000.

BARGAIN BAZAAR 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Outdoor Flea Market at Redding School, Route 299, Middletown. 832-0910.

SUMMER AT HAGLEY 9:30 a.m. to noon. One dollar for a day of history at Hagley Museum and Library during the museum's summer Dollar Days discount. For information, call 658-2400 ext. 238.

BUG VENTURES 11 a.m. Join in a hike around the Delaware Museum of Natural History property to see what insects lurk in the world around us. For information, call 658-9111.

AUGUST 30

SUNDAY 30

ANTIQUES SHOW 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Battery Park in historic New Castle. over 100 antiques dealers. Benefits Historic New Castle Visitor's Bureau. Admission fee.

RUN FOR KIDS 1 p.m. from Prices Corner Boston Market sponsored by ABATE of Delaware motorcycle club for benefit of Ronald McDonald House. Fee $5 or a NEW TOY for child per person. For information, call 656-HUGS.

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■ September 1

BARTON & SWEENEY 7 p.m. Folk music duo at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. 610-388-1000.

DINNER TRAIN 7 p.m. Ride a restored 1929 Pennsylvania Railcar to restaurant in the Red Clay Creek Valley on the Wilmington and Western Railroad. For information, call 998-1930.

The Wind Symphony of Southern New Jersey directed by Robert Steckfuss who also directs the University of Delaware Wind Ensemble will perform on Aug. 29 at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. For information, call 610-388-1000.

WEDNESDAY 2

SUMMER CONCERT 6:30 p.m. last concert of season at White Clay Creek State Park. meet at newly-opened Big Pond Area off Route 896. Park fee. Bring supper, blanket or lawn chairs. For information, call 368-6560.

MEETINGS

AUGUST 28

GROW 10 a.m. at the Hudson Center and 7 p.m. at Word of Life Church, both in Newark. Grow is a mutual help support group. Meetings are free, confidential and non-denominational. For information, call 661-2880.

AUGUST 30

BALLET OPEN HOUSE 3 to 5 p.m. at Mid-Atlantic Ballet, New Century Club, Delaware Avenue and Haines Street, Newark. For information, call 266-6362.

AUGUST 31

BRANDYWINE CHORUS 7:30 p.m. every Monday. Meeting at the MBNA Bowman Conference Center, Newark. For information, call 369-3063.

NEWARK ROTARY CLUB 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. every Monday. Meeting at the Holiday Inn, Newark. For information, call Robin Broomall at 368-7292.

NCCo STROKE CLUB noon on Mondays. Meeting at the Jewish Community Center, Talleyville. For information, call Nancy Traub at 324-4444.

SINGLES CIRCLE 7 p.m. every Monday. New London Singles Circle at the New London Presbyterian Church, 1986 Newark Road, New London, Pa. For information, call 610-869-2140.

SCOTTISH DANCING 8 p.m. every Monday. Scottish country dancing at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Sandy College Avenue, Newark. For information, call 453-1290 or

SEPTEMBER 1

GROW 7 p.m. each Tuesday. Mutual help support group meets in United Methodist Church, New Castle. Free confidential and non-denominational. For information, call 661-2880.

STOP SMOKING 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. first and third Tuesday of month. Support group for smokers trying to quit held at American Cancer Society offices, 92 Read's Way, New Castle. For information, call 324-4227.

MOMS CLUB/NEWARK 9:30 a.m. first Tuesday of month at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at Marrows Road and Route 4. For information, call 454-7910.

NEWARK LIONS BUSINESS 6:30 p.m. first Tuesday of month. The Newark Lions Club business meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn, Newark. For information, call 738-6629.

PSI INTERNATIONAL 6 p.m. Dinner followed by monthly meeting of Professional Secretaries International at Cromwell/Oxford Room, Holiday Inn, Route 273. For questions or dinner selection, call 834-3050.

SEPTEMBER 2

LA LECHE LEAGUE 9:45 a.m. first Wednesday of month. Mother-to-mother help at its monthly meetings on breastfeeding at the White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church, Newark. For information, call 738-5055 or 731-3009.

PAINTING GROUP 9:30 a.m. to noon. every Wednesday.The Newark Arts Alliance painting group meet at the Art House, Delaware Avenue, Newark. For information, call 266-7266.

F.E.M.A.L.E. 7:30 p.m. first and third Wednesdays of month. Formerly Employed Mothers at the Leading Edge meeting for moms only at St. Barnabas Church, Duncan Road. For information, call 366-0722.

SEPTEMBER 3

MEDICARE WALK-IN 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. first Thursday of each month at Newark Senior Center, White Chapel Drive, Newark. Representative from Trailblazers Medicare Part A will answer questions. For information, call 737-2336.

PIKE CREEK MOMS 9:30 a.m. the first Thursday of month at Limestone Presbyterian Church, Limestone Road.

WILMAPCO 7:30 p.m. Regular council meeting of the Wilmington Area Planning Council to discuss transportation issues, 850 Library Avenue, Newark. For information, call 737-6205.

NEW DIRECTIONS 6:45 to 9:30 p.m. A 12-week support and educational seminar for persons with clinical and manic depression and their families and friends will be held at the Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Wilmington. Cost: $25. For information, call 731-8166.

GROW 10 a.m. at the Hudson Center and 7 p.m. at Word of Life Church, both in Newark. Grow is a mutual help support group. Meetings are free, confidential and non-denominational. For information, call 661-2880.

EXHIBITS

SAVING A CITY Through Sept. 1999. Exhibit on Berlin Airlift and those who participated. Dover Air Force Base Museum. 677-5938.

OTHER SIDE OF EMPIRE Through Jan. 2 Peasant costumes from Eastern Europe on display at Delaware History Museum, Old Town Hall, Market Street, Wilmington. Costumes featuring detailed embroidery, metal adornments and intricate leatherwork were originally collected by Henry F. duPont. For information, call 655-7161.

AMBER Through Dec. 31. Learn the science behind the romance of a substance millions of years old and so beautiful it has been used to create jewelry. Delaware Museum of Natural History, Route 52. 658-9111.

NICHOLAS & ALEXANDRA Through Dec. 31 Hermitage Museum exhibit at Riverfront Arts Center, Wilmington. For information, call 777-1600.

PERFECT MARVELS Introduction of the Morris-Rossetti Chairs from permanent collection at Delaware Art Museum. Named among top 100 treasures of 1997 in Art & Antiques magazine. For information, call 571-9590.

RECENT ACQUISITIONS through December 13 at Irenee duPont Mineral Museum, Unversity Gallery, second floor of Old College, University of Delaware. Free. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. For information, call 831-8242.

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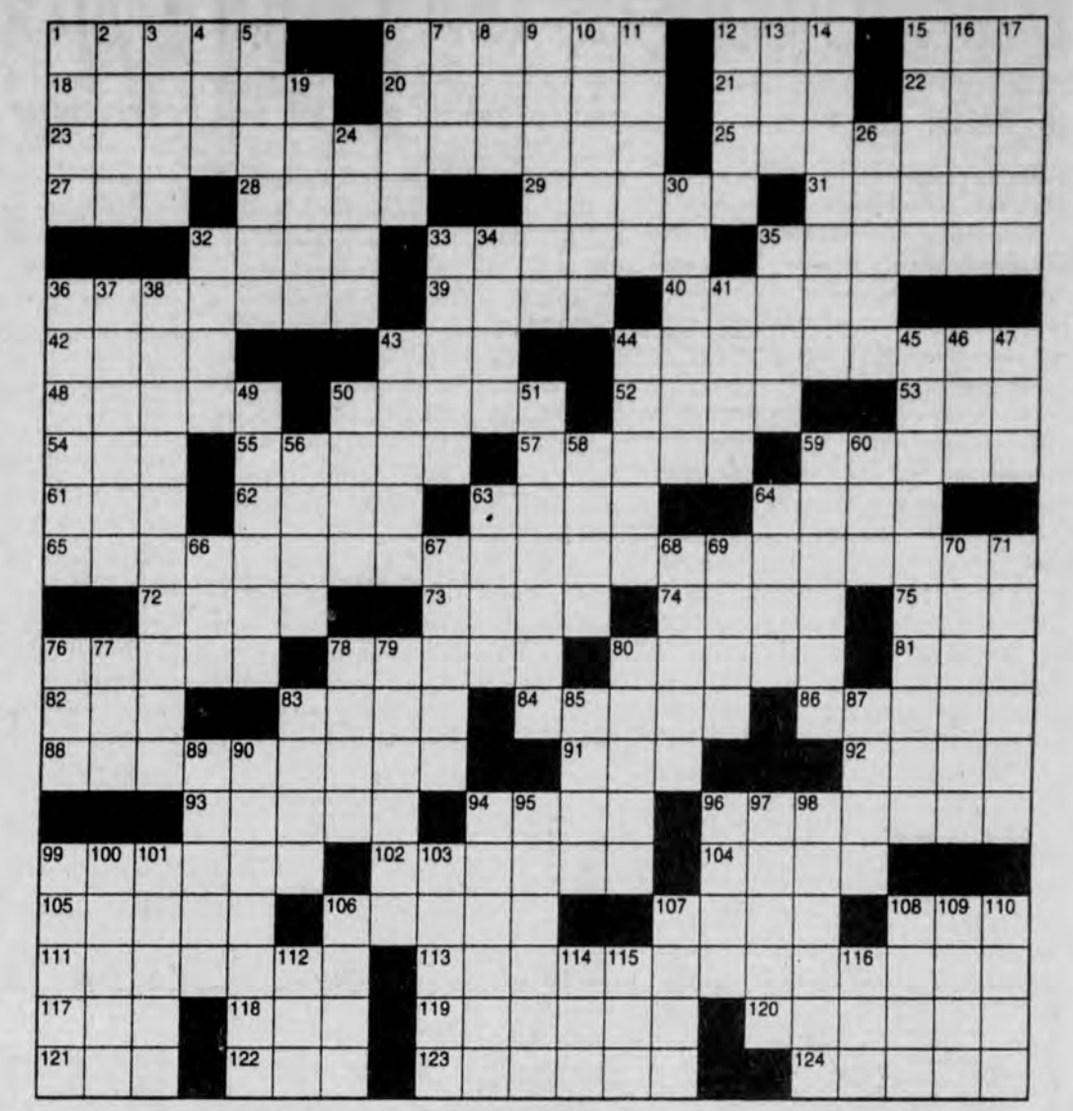

Cowtown rounds up bargains

By JACQUI KIRCHNER

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

A variety of values awaits the thrifty shopper at Cowtown Farmer's Market and Rodeo in Woodstown, N.J.

As shoppers approach the gates at Cowtown, an enormous cowboy statue stands to welcome customers to an unusual day of farming and fashions. A sign with the slogan, "Often imitated and never equaled," hangs proudly over the first sales barn. With more than 20,000 visitors a day, the vendors suit everyone from head to toe. Hats and sneakers, purses and T-shirts rule fashion seekers looking to save money on name brand and discounted items.

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"Hey, there's our Hat Man again," shouted a repeat customer to Mr. Irvin as he stood with his display of garments. For the past 35 years, Irvin has earned his reputation as the top "Hat Man" at Cowtown. As a retired truck-driver from Morrisville, Pa., he has seen the same customers return year after year.

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Started in 1929 by Stony Harris, Cowtown began as an original farmer's market. Farmers brought surplus items from cows to corncobs to the area to be sold and auctioned.

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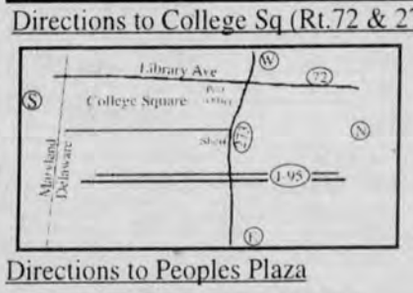

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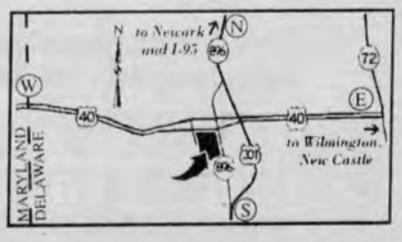

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near the end of lines that were affected," said Houck.

According to Houck, the city acted proactively despite the belief that the water was safe. "We relied on the Department of Public Health which told us there was no need to issue any warnings to the public."

Jennifer Castleberry, communications director for Delaware Health & Social Services, said there should have been better communications between Pennsylvania and Delaware. "We found out on Monday (Aug. 17) about the fishkill like everyone else," said Castleberry, but added that it was not until Tuesday that state officials realized something could have entered the utilities' water systems.

"We knew Newark had a good system in place," she said. "But our department also went out to Newark that day and started testing the taps for bacteria and nitrates."

Tests received back on Wednesday indicated a false positive for coliform bacteria which led state officials to retest. "A gentleman in our department who remembered a similar farm fire in Milwaukee, also suggested we test for cryptosporidium and send letters to hospitals to alert them of possible symptoms."

Since all test results ultimately came back negative, Castleberry said notification of medical professionals was "probably alarming" as well as needless. "We didn't think there was any public health threat at all, but wanted to do the right thing, just in case."

According to city water and waste water director Joseph Dombrowski, Newark's water system is designed to filter out all particulates, including cryptosporidium. However, extra testing was done to preclude malfunction of the system.

Houck said when Newark officials found out on Tuesday, Aug. 18, that the fire was at a dairy farm, they hired a firm in New York City to test water from Newark's system for cryptosporidium in addition to city tests for nitrates, ammonia and volatiles. "The results from those tests came back negative on (Aug 21)," said Houck.

Both Houck and Castleberry said any illness from contaminated water would have shown up over the weekend of Aug. 22-23. "But there were no unusual reports of diarrhea or fever in the affected neighborhoods," Houck said.

Castleberry said firefighters in West Grove were supposed to notify water companies downstream of the runoff into the creek. "We are trying to find out how that can be done in the future," said Castleberry. Houck said it was not until Thursday that the city of Newark even got confirmation from United Water Company that they had similar problems in their system. "We're going to be working with DNREC and other state agencies to see a procedure is in place," said Houck. "Newark doesn't want this to happen again without immediate notice."

NEWARK POST FILE PHOTO

Mill buildings on the former National Vulcanized Fibre site were constructed and used over a period of 100 years.

National Vulcanized Fibre Company has long history in Newark

The National Vulcanized Fibre Company, together with Continental-Diamond Fibre made Newark the "Vulcanized Fibre Capitol of the World" in the late 1920s, acording to Newark historian James Owen.

The old NVF plant is located on Newark's oldest industrial site. Samuel Johnson purchased a 223-acre tract which included a mill site there along the White Clay Creek in 1715. Over the next 100 years, Johnson, his sons, and others built grist and saw mills which changed hands several times.

Owen said the road leading to the mills was called Miles Lane when Edward Miles owned them around 1758 and reportedly some of the mill stones were damaged by British stragglers in 1777 when John Simonton was the owner.

The Methodist chapel built near there around 1811 by miller Isaac Tyson caused Newarkers to call the road "Chapel Street."

Starting in 1845, woolen manufacturer Joseph Dean erected a four-story woolen mill on the property and made woolen goods until a spectacular fire gutted the mill on Christmas Day in 1886.

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Lang plans to build in three phases

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town in a rural setting."

The long, narrow property includes eight different parcels and four zonings, according to Lang. "We'll have to subdivide a little differently and build in three phrases to accomodate the financing," he said. "If all goes well, we hope to begin in the Spring. We have a prominent restaurant owner interested in putting a restaurant right on the water which will be great in the summer."

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Classes begin Tuesday, Sept. 8, for the 170 courses offered for the fall semester. Topics will include current events, science, economics, history, literature, languages, music and yoga. Classes meet weekdays in Arsht Hall. For information, call 573-4417, or view www.udel.edu/ContEd/allhome.html.

Klondike Kate's 5K for Multiple Sclerosis

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Delaware Chapter along with Klondike Kate's in Newark, are hosting a 5K Run/Walk on Sept. 13.

The 5K Run/Walk is held to benefit the National MS Society. The run/walk will begin at Creek Road and North College Avenue in Newark. The starting time for the race is 9 a.m., and registration begins at 8 a.m. There will be a post-race party hosted by Klondike Kate's and a buffet brunch will be provided to all participants. There will also be prizes awarded for the top runners and walkers.

All skill levels are encouraged to attend and preregistration is $12 until Sept. 9. After Sept. 9 until race day it will be $15. For more information, call the MS Society at 655-5610.

Disappearing Delmarva Day

On Sept. 12, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. local storyteller Ed Okonowicz will give a presentation of traditional Delmarva ways of life and traditional stories. The free event will take place at the Port Penn Interpretive Center six miles south of Delaware City on Route 9. Some of the people featured in Okonowicz' book, Disappearing Delmarva, will be present to answer questions, and demonstrate traditional activities.

Arthritis program at Y

The YWCA-Newark Center has been recertified to teach the popular Arthritis Foundation Aquatic Exercise Program. Call the YWCA at 368-9173 for registration information. Call the Arthritis Foundation at 777-1212 to learn more about programs for people with arthritis.

DelDOT meeting slated

In the preparation of DelDOT's Capital Improvement Program, Fiscal Year 2000 - 2003, a meeting will be held at DelTech Stanton Campus, Churchman's Road, Stanton, on Wednesday, Sept. 23. The workshop session will begin at 6 p.m. and the auditorium session will be held at 7 p.m.

Planners will discuss the existing CIP, and the preliminary draft Transportation Improvement Program as well as bicycle and pedestrian issues, transit services, roadway/bridge improvement and the statewide long-range transportation plan. Interested persons are also invited to submit written comments which will be included in the formal record of the CIP meetings.

Another series of meetings will be scheduled in early 1999 at which time draft CIP and the MPO's TIP

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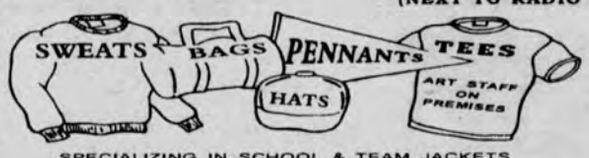

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This eight-hour classroom course is designed to comply with state law, which now requires any person born after Jan. 1, 1978, to complete a boating safety course before operating a motor boat on Delaware waters.

Fee for the course is $30 per person and includes all instructional materials and a DNREC certificate of completion. Discounts are available for families of three or more. Class size is limited and pre-registration is required. To register, contact the Newark Parks & Recreation Department at (302) 366-7060.

Wilm. & Western holding raffle

The Wilmington & Western Railroad will raffle off a signed artist proof of Locomotive No. 98 at Greenbank Station, donated by local artist Larry Anderson, on Oct. 24.

Framing of this print was donated by r.j. Bloomingdale's Art World on Kirkwood Highway in Newark. Proceeds from this raffle will go directly to the restoration of Locomotive No. 98 which is currently in need of a new fire box. Anyone wishing to purchase a raffle ticket may do so at the Greenbank Station during normal operating hours. Raffle tickets are $5 each. Anyone wishing to make a donation for the Locomotive No. 98 restoration may forward it to PO Box 5787, Wilmington, DE 19808.

Nicholas and Alexandra private showing

Girls Incorporated of Delaware is sponsoring a private showing of the Nicholas and Alexandra Exhibition at the Riverfront Arts Center on Thursday, Oct. 8. The showing will begin promptly at 7 p.m. and be followed by a champagne and dessert reception. There will also be door prizes and a raffle. Tickets ate $50 and must be purchased in advance by calling Girls Inc. at 575-1041, ext. 13. All proceeds support Girls Incorporated programs which serve children and families throughout Delaware.

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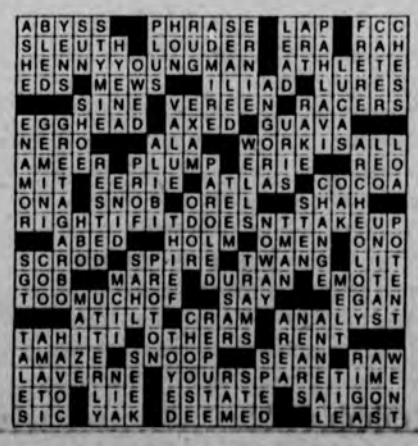

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Sports

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Blue Hens gear up for season opener

Patrick, Pressey together again

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

IT TOOK A LITTLE WHILE but the duo of Butter Pressey and Butch Patrick are together again.

After spending much of their junior high years racing and competing against each other in gym class, they moved on to Newark High. The two explosive running backs helped Newark High reach a state championship game in 1995.

Together, they went from Newark to Hargrave Military Academy in Virginia for a year of prep school.

A successful season at Hargrave landed both of them scholarships to Virginia Tech. That's, however, where their paths diverged for the first time in a long while.

Pressey, after just a brief stint at Virginia Tech, transferred back to the University of Delaware last fall. He redshirted last season and spent most of the fall as a running back, demonstrating the opposition's offense against the Blue Hens' first-team defense.

Patrick remained at Virginia Tech all year. He didn't see action for the Hokies during the season but moved his way up to second team cornerback during spring drills.

Following the spring, though, Patrick decided to transfer. His first pick was Western Carolina. But after spending some time near the campus during the summer, Patrick realized he was just too far from home.

That led him back to Newark and back with Pressey.

"It's really good to be home," Patrick said. "I feel I'm now right where I should be."

The Blue Hen coaching staff is obviously pretty happy to see Patrick as well. As of last Saturday afternoon's scrimmage, he had

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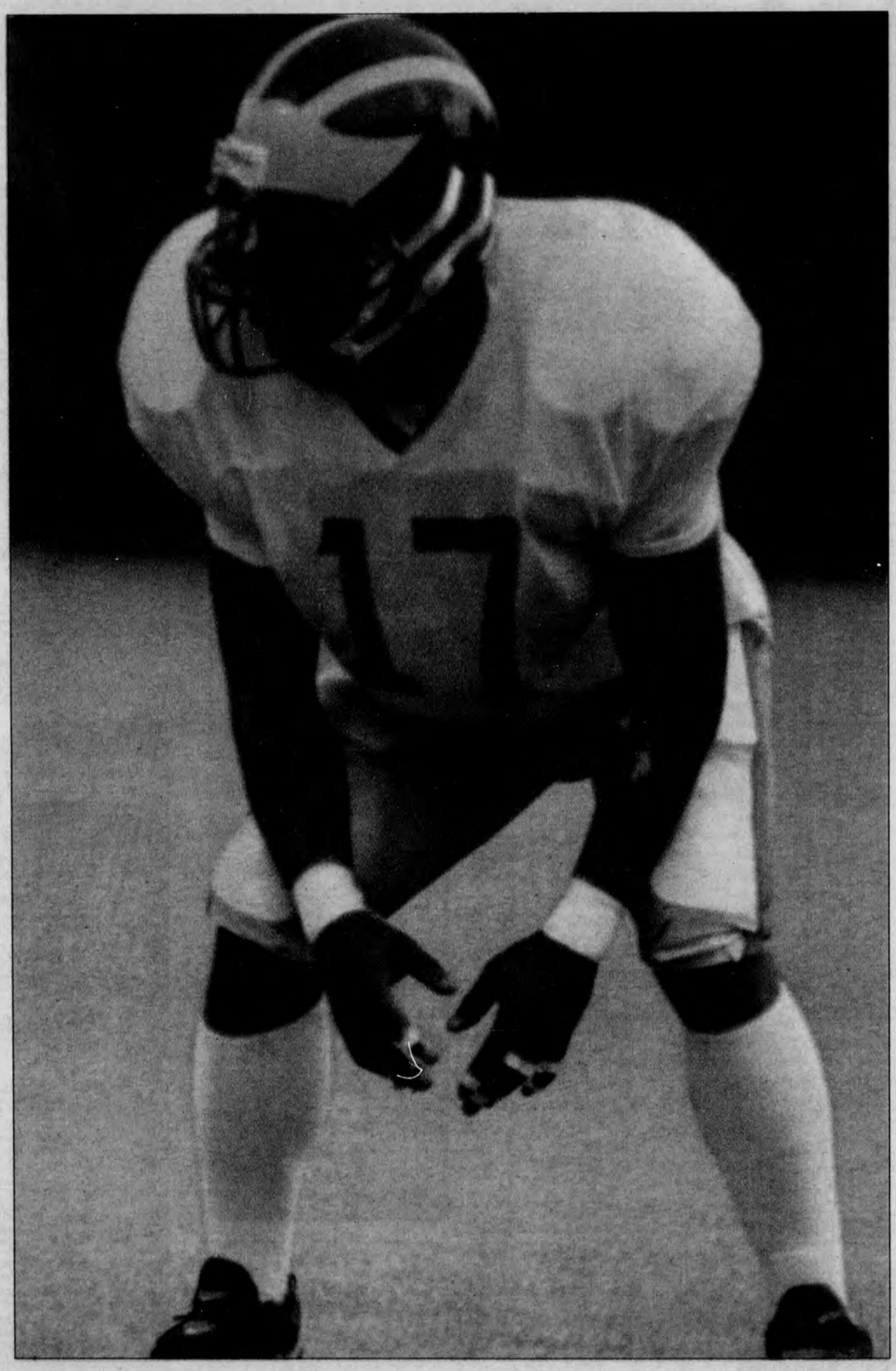

NEWARK POST PHOTO BY JOHN CHABALKO

Former Newark High star Butch Patrick is back in town and competing for playing time as a cornerback for the University of Delaware football team.

UMass has new coach, offense

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE football fans can get an early look at the team as it opens its season in a rare night game Thursday at 7 at Delaware Stadium against the University of Massachusetts.

The Blue Hens enter the contest as the preseason pick to win the Atlantic-10 conference championship and with a No. 3 national ranking. The game was moved from Saturday afternoon to Thursday night in hopes of drawing fans that would normally be away for Labor Day weekend.

There are good reasons for fans to be as optimistic as the preseason prognostications. Delaware recorded a 12-2 record last season on its way to the Division I-AA semifinals. Only a last second field goal by McNeese State kept the Hens from the national championship game.

A host of weapons return from last year's team including the two quarterbacks, the backfield and a strong corps of receivers. Defensively, the major losses came at linebacker but a strong corps of young players is expected to bolster that position.

The preseason has done nothing to dampen the enthusiasm. Through the first week and a half of double sessions, Delaware held two scrimmages in which the team performed well.

"I keep telling the team that everyone expects them to be good, so they better struggle to get there," said Delaware coach Tubby Raymond, who will begin his 33rd season as the Hens head coach. "We've gotten better and are progressing to where we want to be."

Both Brian Ginn and Matt Nagy have looked good at quarterback

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St. Mark's soccer preps for state title defense

Spartans must replace nine starters

By CHRIS DONAHUE

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

St. Mark's High's soccer team is trying for its second three-peat as state champions.

In order to do that, however, the Spartans must fill nine starting positions from a team that went 18-1-1 last season.

But before anyone counts the Spartans out, they're hardly bereft of talent, as coach Tom DeMatteis will have plenty of players returning who saw plenty of action.

DeMatteis has been through a similar rebuilding process. In 1992, coming off two consecutive titles, the Spartans also came back with only two starters to win it all.

"(Repeating) depends on so many things," DeMatteis said, "like who else is in the (tournament) mix, how well we come together; fill in for the guys we lost., and, deal with being the defending champs and with probably playing the toughest schedule of any team in the state."

PREVIEW

The two returning players who started every game last season are hardly slouches: senior forward Jason Dzielak, a first team All-State selection, scored 27 goals last season, while junior goalkeeper Pete Ferrante was a third team All-State pick.

With 43 career goals, Dzielak needs 12 to tie the school record for career goals.

"He'll have even more attention drawn to him," DeMatteis said. "That means another guy will have to step up. In years past when we've had this situation, someone has stepped up."

Other returners who started in some games last season are sophomore forward Adam Stuller; junior Stephen Mangat and senior Jeremy Doucette, both fullbacks; and junior Joe Lazorick and senior Greg Czerwinski, both forwards.

Sophomores Adam Flanigan and Andrew Gibbons - who played on the 11-0-1 JV squad last season - are battling for starting halfback spots.

Also vying for starting roles and playing time are Will Hohman, Eric Gregg, Dustin Marion, Seth Fay, Mark Benson, Cavan Wilk, John McConnell, Nicola Chicci, Joe DiDiego, Brad DiMascio, Chris Foraker; and Matt Fanuele.

The Spartans open their season Sept. 12 at home against Bishop Ireton of Washington.

"I think we have good depth and I'm optimistic that they're going to play well as a team, although it's a little early," DeMatteis said.

"I hope the pieces will come together. The potential is there. There's a number of strong players, but you have to be determined, too."

Returning assistant coaches are Steve Bastianelli, Mike McFarland and Travis Ciriaco.

Christiana hockey team eyes state tournament berth

Vikings hope to qualify for first time ever

By STEVE WESTRICK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

FIELD HOCKEY

The Christiana field hockey team is ready for the school's first ever playoff appearance.

"We're going to the state tournament," senior Jenn Carey, who will most likely start as a link, said. "This will be the first year Christiana ever went to the tournament. So we're going. That's all there is to it, we're going."

Head coach Gayle Gibson, in her fourth year with the team and second as head coach, was more conservative, not making any predictions. Nonetheless, because of the team's experience and dedication she has confidence in the team's ability.

"Honestly, I think we're here to build a tradition," she said. "Field hockey hasn't been a real tradition at Christiana.

"I don't talk about [making the tournament] too much. But the kids are ready to go. They have dedicated themselves over the summer. We had 11 players go to summer [training 'camps], and with the experience, we should improve on last year's record."

Last season the Vikings amassed a 5-5 record in the Blue Hen conference, and 5-11 overall. This year, Christiana returns all but five players. The team will consist of 10 seniors, most of them with substantial playing experience.

Senior Jenn Robinson will be in goal for the third consecutive season.

"I'm really excited about our goalie," Gibson said. "This is her third year [in net] and she has really done great things for our team. With what she has learned over the past two seasons, we should be solid in goal."

Offensively, the story is one of good news, bad news for the Vikings. The good news is the team returns the most experienced players on this side of the field. The bad news is that Jennifer Weiner, the team's top scorer and best player last season, graduated.

Gibson will look to seniors Anna Germain, Holly Sloniewski, Sarah Noonan and junior Corinne Oakes to provide the scoring this season.

According to Gibson, Carrey will be expected to control the flow of the game on the field.

"She is able to see [the plays] well and understands how they work. So we will look for her to control the play on the field."

Most of last year's graduating seniors came from the defensive side. Still, Gibson feels the defense should be a team strength.

Last year, Kathryn Willaman and Leslie Woods moved from attacking positions to defense when the team suffered injuries to defensive starters. This year, Willaman, Woods and junior Erika Smith will be expected to lead the defense, Gibson said.

The players feel their experience together both on and off the field should help them this year.

"We can respond together," Germain said. "We know what each other is going to do. We're a close group and really good friends. [The friendships] gives the team a sense of togetherness. We all have the same goal."

Last year Christiana played 16 of its 21 games in the Blue Hen conference. This year because of a rule change, which makes it mandatory to play each conference team at least once, the Vikings will play all but two games against conference foes.

Gibson said it's important for her team to come out strong. The Vikings open with a home game against Newark on Sept. 11.

"The Blue Hen conference is a really hard conference. The two toughest teams in the conference are William Penn and Brandywine. They are perennial tournament teams. We play Brandywine early in the season [away on Sept. 18], if we could score on them and keep it close, I really think it could give these girls some confidence," Gibson said.

NEWARK POST PHOTO BY STEVE WESTRICK

Returning contributors to the Christiana High field hockey team include: (front row) Corinne Oakes, Jenn Carey, Sarah Noonan, (back row) Leslie Woods, Kathryn Willaman, Anna Germain and Holly Sloniewski.

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Patrick, Pressey will contribute

▶ PATRICK, from 20

already worked his way up to a second team cornerback.

"I'm happy with where I am right now," said Patrick of his position. "I need to learn the defense more. You can have all the talent in the world, but if you don't know the technical parts of the defense, you won't be able to play.

"I don't mind being second team right now. I don't deserve to start and wouldn't feel comfortable right now. It's the only thing holding me back, but I know I'm going to keep getting better."

Pressey has had the advantage of a whole extra year to learn the Blue Hens offensive system and should be a key contributor this season.

He's been running with the second team offense much of the preseason. In the team's second scrimmage, however, Pressey got some time with the first string backfield.

"I've been running with the second team most of the practices," Pressey said following Saturday's scrimmage. "But I also have been getting time with the first team. This was the first time I got to play with the first team during a scrimmage."

After running the demo offense all fall, Pressey got his first crack at the Hens Wing-T attack during spring drills. The complexity of the offense was what caused him trouble in his first go-around.

"I've improved a lot since the spring," said Pressey, who rushed for over 1,200 yards in his final season with the Yellowjackets. "Over the summer I worked with the team and I've been putting a lot of time in with the playbook. Now, I feel I know just about everything. It's starting to become where I don't have to think about what I'm going to do on every play.

"I think I'm on the right pace to play. I'm gradually improving. It's a step-by-step process. If I'm not starting against UMass (the Hens opener on Thursday night), I won't be disappointed. I think I'll be able to play during the season."

Pressey is also happy that Patrick has joined the squad.

"Basically, I think we both wanted to come to Delaware all along," he said. "But we got that offer from Virginia Tech. But now we're both here and looking forward to playing in front of the home crowd."

Hens open against UMass

▶ HENS, from 20

but don't expect a starter to be named until next week.

UMass is coming off a 2-9 season and has a brand new head coach in Mark Whipple. Whipple, who was also an offensive coordinator at the University of New Hampshire in 1986-87, compiled a 72-33 career record and comes to Amherst from Brown. He also was head coach at Division II powerhouse New Haven.

The Minutemen's strength appears to be a defense that returns six starters including All-Conference candidate Kahri Samuel.

UMass was picked to finish fourth in the five-team New England Division of the Atlantic-10.

"With a new coach bringing a record setting offense in and the addition of junior college transfer at quarterback, UMass appears to be on its way," said Delaware coach Tubby Raymond of the Minutemen. "They should really be able to move the ball.

"We're going in blind against an outstanding offense. It will be a very difficult opener."

■ The Blue Hens final scrimmage Tuesday was closed to the public as the team worked on some new formations and wrinkles.

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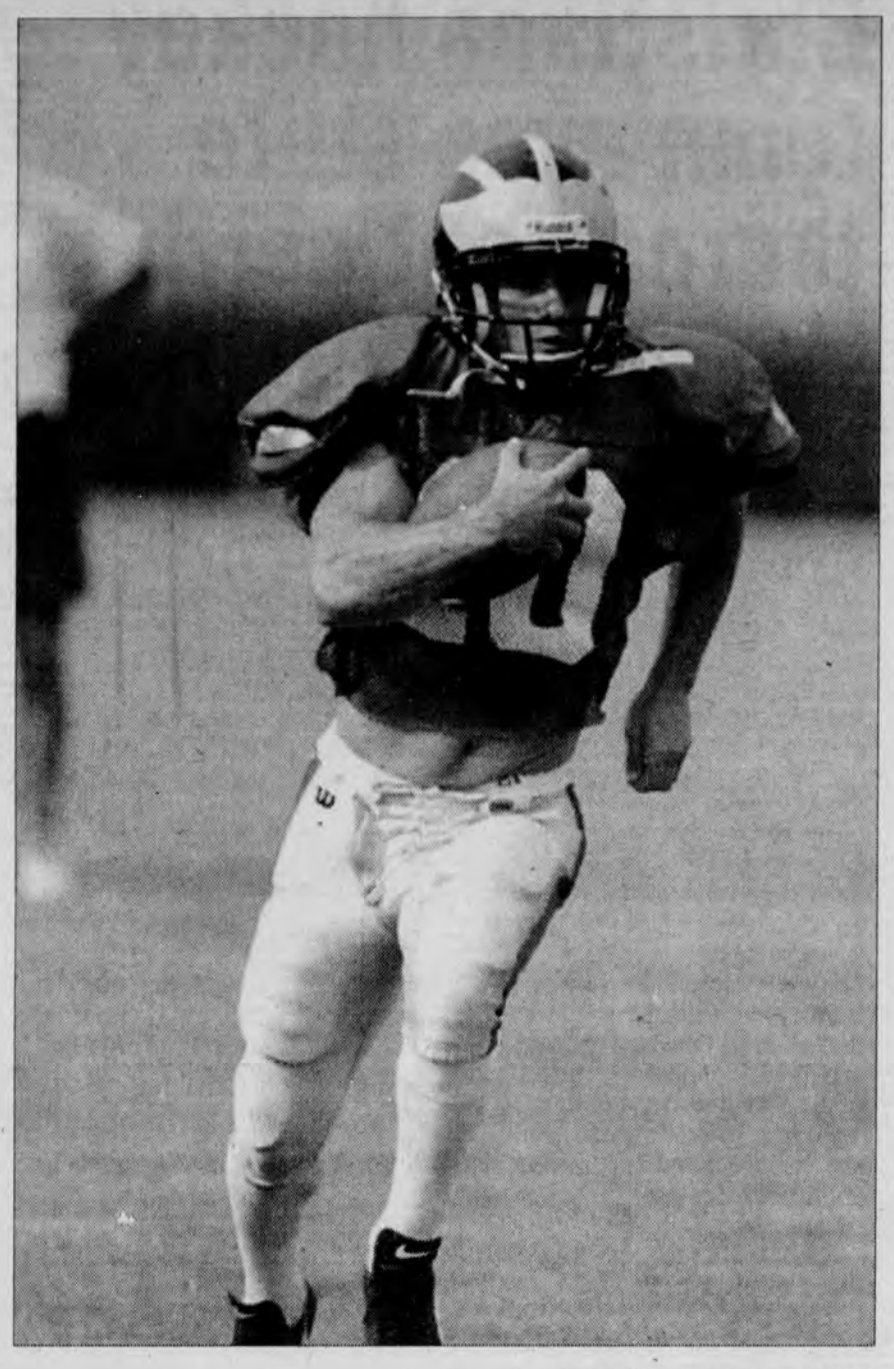

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After a suffering a season-ending knee injury early last year, Eddie Conti has worked himself back into shape and will start for the University of Delaware football team this fall. The Blue Hens open their season Thursday night at Delaware Stadium against the University of Massachusetts.

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Newark Area Sports Briefs

Connell qualifies for U.S. team that will swim in Hong Kong

Local swimmer Cassie Connell qualified for the USA Swimming Team headed for the FINA Short Course World Championships in Hong Kong, April of 1999.

Cassie qualified for the team, which will include seven males and seven females, by swimming a time of 2:01.81 in the 200 meter freestyle at the USA Swimming National Championship in Clovis California, earlier this month.

The time was good enough to win Connell the "B" or consolation finals. It was also the third fastest time by a 13-14 year old U.S. swimmer since they started compiling times around 1970.

Cassie also won the "C" finals of the 400 meter freestyle with an Olympic Trials qualifying time of 4:16.46.

Cassie swims for Swim Quest and is coached by Robert Mattson. She is a resident of Meeting House Hill in Pike Creek Valley and will attend Newark High School as a freshman, this fall.

KSC Inferno capture second

The Kirkwood Inferno, under 11 boys soccer team, took second place in the Endless Summer Tournament held in Ocean City, N.J., last weekend.

The Inferno competed in the Surf division, defeating Medford, N.J. 3-2, Linwood, N.J. 4-0, and Hammonton, N.J. 6-1, to advance into the tournament finals.

In the first game, Nicholas White scored two goals and Kevin Mackie add another. Against Linwood, Mackie again scored, with the other three goals added by Lester Owens, Phil Strickland and Scott Becker. The semifinal, saw six players including Matt Nimmerichter score.

Despite seven saves by Inferno goalie Boz Weir, Kirkwood lost to Atlantic United, N.J., 2-0 in the finals. The Kirkwood Inferno is coached by Doug Lee, with assistants Laura Meckie-Lee and John Weir.

Kirkwood Twisters place second

The Kirkwood Twisters, under 11 girls soccer team, took second place in the Endless Summer Tournament held in Ocean City, N.J., last weekend.

The Twisters won their first three games over upper Township Surge 7-1, Council Rock Attack 4-0 and West Chester Lazers 1-0. However, the team could not score a goal in dropping the finals 1-0 to Moorestown Stompers.

Throughout the tournament, Kate Attenberger led the offense with seven goals. Natalie Brousseau and Danielle Weaver each scored two tournament goals.

Kirkwood's defensive play was outstanding. It allowed only two goals in the entire tournament. Megan Bastianelli and Jennifer Piechowski shared the goalkeeper duties. While, Heather Richardson, Beth Kitchen, Anna Lewis, Shannon Crowley, Brittany Oncay and Rachel Andrews led the solid defense.

Junior Blue Hen hockey tryouts are scheduled

The Delaware Jr. Blue Hens will hold tryouts for their travel teams on Sept. 12 and 13. Players must attend both days and all practices will be in the Gold Rink. Times for different divisions are as follows: Atoms and Mites 7:30 a.m., Squirts 8:30 a.m., Pee Wees 9:50 a.m., Bantams 11:20 a.m., Midgets 12:45 a.m.

A $15 tryout fee will be charged to all players.

Tang Soo Do championship results

Students and instructors from the Newark Korean Martial Arts Institute, located on Elkton Road, participated in the 1998 Tang Soo Do National Championships in Orlando, Florida earlier this summer.

Jenifer Turner, an instructor at the institute, won a gold metal in fighting, and silvers in the forms and weapons for the female 17-34 year old division. She also finished as the runner-up for the 1998 Female World Cup. The cup is given to the best all-around competitor in each division.

Instructor, George Maybroda , competing in the 26-34 year old male, second degree black belt, heavyweight division, won a gold metal in fighting and bronze in forms.

Students who competed and took metals included: Sakda Hudson, boys 14-16 blue belt, who took gold in forms and silver in fighting. Julie Brooks, girls 11-13 red belt, won a bronze in forms.

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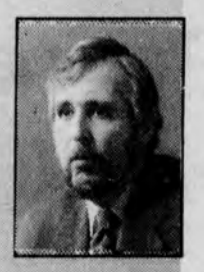

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HIGH SCHOOL FIELD HOCKEY

Experience should help Newark High

By STEVE WESTRICK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The Newark High field hockey team is loaded with experience this year. According to second year head coach Jennifer Rowles, 14 players who saw significant playing time last year are back for the 1998 season.

"This is an experienced team," she said. "I didn't think it was going to be [an experienced team] but now that I see them play and realize who's on the field, they're pretty experienced."

Leadership responsibilities will fall to senior captains Jen Deptula and Caroline Muir. In all, Newark will have eight seniors ready to contribute.

Offensively, the team will have a more attacking approach, said new Newark assistant Krista Boettler. Boettler will work with the varsity offense and coach the junior varsity team.

"On offense we have a lot of talent on the offensive line," said Rowles, who played collegiate field hockey at Central Michigan. "So, I think we will be a scoring team and proficient in putting the pressure on the other goalie."

This offense will be led by the wings, Deptula on the right side, and Jessica Commbs on the left side. Rowles will look to Jen West and Meggin Lynam to get the most work at the two inner positions.

Defensively, Muir, Stephanie Drew, Jen Mindrup, Lia Yohannes and Bridget Callahan should all get time in the backfield.

Rowles said most of the players that will contribute this year played in the William Penn summer league. Under rules, Rowles is not permitted to coach the team, but the players were able to compete together.

Rowles said the league helped both individual players and team chemistry. Individually, she said junior defensive back Yohannes made the most improvement.

And as far as chemistry, she likes what she has seen.

"Over the summer I saw them get comfortable with each other," Rowles said. "They know how each other works and can feed off each other."

Last year's starting goalkeeper Rachel Sklut graduated leaving a void in the net.

"It's going to be tough to replace [Sklut], but I think we have potential," Rowles said.

To realize that potential, Newark will look to junior Megan McMillian. If McMillian is not effective, Rowles will turn to sophomore Stephanie Hartsoe.

Newark will open its season at Christiana on Sept. 11

"We're going to surprise some people," Rowles said. "I think this team definitely has the potential to have a good season and reach the tournament."

HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER

Defense key to Glasgow success

By CHRIS DONAHUE

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

If Glasgow High's soccer team was in the legal profession as defenders only, it might not lose a "case" this season.

But winning soccer games also requires offense, and if the Dragons are going to make it back to the state tournament, that's what they'll have to show evidence of.

Glasgow, which finished 13-5 last season and lost to eventual champion St. Mark's in the state quarterfinals, opens its 16-game schedule Sept. 11 at William Penn.

"Defense will be our strength, and if a core group of players play the way they're capable of and stay focused, we could win as many games as we did last season," said Glasgow coach Bob Bussiere.

"If we don't, we also have the capability of self-destructing. Things have to go well for us. We're going to do a lot of positions by commitee."

Bussiere faces the task of replacing two of his offensive giants for the past four seasons: David Hudson, now at the University of Delaware, and midfielder Ivan Vidanovic, who was killed in an automobile accident last January.

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Even though Vidanovic was a senior, his presence is still being felt, Bussiere said. And the team has and will continue to be in contact with Ivan's mother, Milinka, through visits and phone calls.

Goalkeeper David Scruggs, a junior who was second team All-State selection last season, leads the defense.

Others who either started or saw plenty of playing time last season include: fullbacks Chester Harding and D.C. Lavender, midfielders Jody Martin and Brian Scholl, and forwards Justin Iacono, Ryan Bordas, and Abe Nimroozi.

Bussiere also may get help from some players from last season's junior varsity team that went 12-0-2.

Bob Varell will be an assistant coach for the second consectuive season.

Bussiere said Christiana should be the team to beat in Flight A as well as a favorite to win the state title along with St. Mark's.

"In order to win the conference, you almost have to go undefeated; one loss at the minimum," said Bussiere, who led the Dragons to the state title in 1995. "We finished with a 6-1 record two years in a row and didn't win it."

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Iron Hill Brewery introduces new ales to its beer line

Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant introduced cask-conditioned ales to their beer line this summer. Cask-conditioned versions of Iron Hill's regular beers, including their pale ale and porter, as well as specials such as Extra Special bitter, will be available late this month.

Iron Hill's cask conditioned ales will be served at 55 degrees Fahrenheit. This is the temperature that beers were served before the advent of refrigeration, when beer was stored in the pub's cellar, and pulled to the bar using a hand pump known as a beer engine.

"One of our goals was to provide our customers with fresh, hand-crafted beers that are brewed in traditional ways and to classical styles," said Mark Edelson, one of Iron Hill's brewers and partners. "Cask conditioned ales are one of the styles that have been revived by the small brewers in the United States and England."

Cask conditioned, or real ales, draught beers that are served using traditional ingredients, are matured by secondary fermentation in the container they are dispensed from, and are served using only the carbon dioxide that is produced from fermentation. Casks were traditionally made of oak, but today stainless steel and aluminum are more common.

Normally, the beer completes fermentation in the large fermentation tanks before being filtered and transferred to large serving tanks (265 gallons). But Iron Hill's cask conditioned ales will be racked to firkins (11-gallon metal casks) before they complete fermentation.

> *"We continually try to educate our customers to new and traditional styles of beer."*
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This allows the ale to be naturally carbonated using the gas produced in fermentation. The casks are vented to release pressure.

The most obvious difference to the discriminating beer drinker is the way the ale is served. The bartender "pulls" the ale using the traditional English beer engine. The long neck of the beer engine reaches the bottom of the pint glass, where it is forced through a "sparkler" (an outlet typically made with 16 holes of 0.6 mm each). This forms a tight head on the beer, which makes the beer taste smoother and less bitter.

All beer was cask conditioned until the advent of mass production and refrigeration, two conditions that helped lead to the demise of small brewers. Just 25 years ago cask conditioned, or real ale, was about to go the way of the dinosaur, but a brewing revival was about to take place to save real ales and the publican way of life. CAMRA, the Campaign for Real Ales, convinced Englishmen to request real ales at their local pubs, and slowly revived the style. Before CAMRA was founded, no new ale breweries had opened in England for over 50 years. Since it's founding over 25 years ago, over 300 breweries have been started in England that produce real ale.

In the United States, the style is being revived mostly by a few brew pubs throughout the country.

"We don't see it as a style that will spread to the mainstream microbrewery and brewpub fan," says Edelson. Because cask conditioned ale is served warm and has a higher flavor profile, he feels that there is only a small market for the product. "But we continually try to educate out customers to new and traditional styles of beer," he said.

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"This record breaking collection is a result of the outstanding efforts of the staff of the office of Labor Law Enforcement," says Lisa Blunt-Bradley, Secretary of Labor. "Their continued diligence on behalf of Delaware workers is commendable."

Wage claims, such as money recovered for unpaid wages or fringe benefits, accounted for 50.3 percent of the total collected and discrimination cases announced for 49.78 percent. The agency received 1,064 wage claims and 314 charges of discrimination during Fiscal Year 1998. The office enforces 24 state and federal labor laws.

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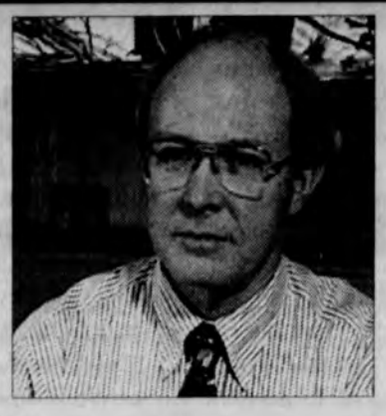

Dr. Kenneth M. Lomax

Holman graduates basics

Air Force Airman Kurt T. Holman has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

Holman is the son of Barbara A. Holman of Dover and grandson of Jane Myers of Newark.

Lomax appointed dept. head

Dr. Kenneth M. Lomax has been appointed chair of the department of bioresources engineering in the University of Delaware's College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Lomax began his career at the university in 1979 as an assistant professor and was named an associate professor in 1985.

Lomax received numerous awards and recognition over the years, including, in 1988, the Excellence-in-Teaching award, given annually to four UD faculty. He also received the college's Academic Advisement Award in 1993.

The native Delawarean grew up in Corner Ketch, the northernmost region of Newark that is minutes away from the mushroom houses of Hockessin and southeastern Pennsylvania.

Newarkers on dean's list

Matthew Robert Anderson and Robert Lester King, both of Newark, were recently named to the second semester dean's list at Wooster College in Ohio.

Short named to BSA council

Newark resident David R. Short was elected council commissioner for the Boy Scouts of America commencing July 1. Dr. George H. Meney of Colonial School District, New Castle, was named to the council's executive board.

Seniors named DSO sports coordinators

Delaware Senior Olympics has recently announced new sports coordinators for 1998: Softball–Barbara Sweeney, and Volleyball–Peggy Olivero, both of Hockessin; and Archery–George DiGuardi, Newark. Peg Owen of Newark is chairperson of the 1998 Annual Games Souvenir Program Committee.

O'Leary earns doctorate

Renee G. O'Leary of Newark was awarded a doctorate in elementary education with a concentration in early childhood science from LaSalle University.

O'Leary teaches science to kindergarten through 3rd grade students at Caravel Academy and travels to New York City to train teachers in early childhood science teaching methods. Her work has received special recognition from the National Science Teachers Association and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

BRUBAKER-WOLOCKO MARRY

Jill Nichole Brubaker and Lt. Jamison Richard Wolocko were united in marriage on June 6, 1998, at the First Presbyterian Church of Newark. The Rev. J. Raymond Brubaker, uncle of the bride, presided at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brubaker of Newark. The groom is the son of Mrs. Joanne Mayville of Whitmore Lake, Mich., and Mr. Thomas Wolocko of Sterling Heights, Mich.

Matron of honor was Robyn Vannoy, and Kristen Bielick served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids included Kristen Chase, Erin Clements and Danielle Marrone.

The best man was Lt. Dan Hoffman. Groomsmen included Lt. Jack Benecke, Lt. Jason Brizic, Lt. Kevin Chaney and Craig Brubaker, brother of the bride. Saber bearers for the military wedding were Lt. James Chun, Lt. Neil Kugler, Lt. Mike Makovec and Lt. Matt Wiger.

Alicia Hollick, friend of the bride, read a scripture passage from the Bible.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Hercules Country Club.

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The bride, a 1992 graduate of Newark High School, received a bachelor's degree in communication studies from Virginia Tech in 1996. Previously a reporter for the Community News, she is currently employed as a publishing manager for Josten's.

The groom is a 1991 graduate of Hart High School in Valencia, Calif., and received a bachelor of science in engineering from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1995. After flight school and a one-year tour in Korea, he is an Apache attack helicopter pilot for the Army, stationed in Ft. Campbell, Ky.

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Jade Morgan Hines, infant

Jade Morgan Hines, daughter of Newark residents William J. and Gina G. Hines, was stillborn on Aug. 12, 1998, at Christiana Hospital.

She is survived by her parents; sister, Alexis, at home; paternal grandmother, Judy Johnson of Delaware City; maternal grandparents, Melodie Clifton of Wilton, New Castle, and Francis Clifton of Ridley Park, Pa.; paternal great-grandparents, Theodore and Louise Johnson of Newark; maternal great-grandmother, Yvonne LaPash of Wilmington; step-grandmother, Mary Clifton of Ridley Park, Pa.

Service and burial were private.

Theresa C. Jackson Gehrold, secretary

Newark resident Theresa C. Jackson Gehrold died Wednesday, Aug. 12, 1998, at Christiana Hospital.

Mrs. Gehrold, 74, worked as a secretary for more than 30 years at the DuPont Co.'s Newport Pigments Plant, retiring in 1982. She was a member of St. John's/Holy Angels Parish and was a life member of Thomas Cooper VFW Post 475 Ladies Auxiliary. Her first husband, John C. Jackson, died in 1970. Her second husband, Wallace F. Gehrold, died in 1982.

She is survived by sons, Gerald F. Jackson of Wilmington and Robert Jackson of Newark; brother, John Cone of Lake Wales, Fla.; sister, Catherine J. Delcollo of New Castle; and two grandchildren.

A mass was held on Aug. 17 at Holy Angels Catholic Church in Newark. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery in Wilmington.

The family suggests contributions to the Cancer Fund of Thomas Cooper Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 475, 100 Veterans Lane, Newark, 19711.

Robert J. Gilardi, DuPont engineer

Newark resident Robert J. Gilardi died Friday, Aug. 14, 1998, in Christiana Hospital.

Mr. Gilardi, 67, was the senior engineer at the DuPont Co., retiring in 1991 after 31 years.

He was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1960 with a master's degree in mechanical engineering. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Newark.

He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Beverly J. Skibba Gilardi; sons, Michael of Newark, Daniel of Phoenix, Ariz., and David of Wilmington; daughters, Kathy Hard of Atlanta and Donna Masley of Wilmington; brother, Donald of Glen Ellyn, Ill.; sister, Karen Brower of Charlotte, N.C.; 11 grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Aug. 18 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Newark. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery, Milltown.

The family suggests contributions to the American Diabetes Association.

Philip H. MacInnis II, retired from DuPont

Newark resident Philip H. MacInnis II died Friday, Aug. 14, 1998, of heart failure in Christiana Hospital.

Mr. MacInnis, 71, worked for the DuPont Co. at Louviers for 36 years in the Engineering and Information Department, retiring in 1985. He was a member of Newark United Methodist Church, Newark. His wife, Gloria Thompson MacInnis, died in 1992.

He is survived by a son, Philip H. III of Newark; daughter, Margaret M. Snell of Landisville, Pa.; brother, Derrick of Newton Square, Pa.; six grandchildren.

A service was held on Aug. 18 at Newark United Methodist Church. Burial was at Head of Christiana, Newark.

The family suggests contributions to the American Lung Association.

Margaret C. Williams, registered nurse

Newark resident Margaret C. Williams died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, at Millcroft Health Care Center.

Mrs. Williams, 92, was a registered nurse and homemaker, graduating from St. John's Hospital School of Nursing, Pittsburgh. She was an accomplished oil painter, specializing in outdoor landscapes. Her husband, John V. Williams, died in 1990.

She is survived by a son, John O. Williams of Pittsburgh; daughters, Barbara A. Thim of Fort Myers, Fla., Marijane Wheatley of Earleville, Md.; 11 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

A service was held on Aug. 18 at Mealey Funeral Home. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery, Kirkwood Highway.

The family suggests contributions to the 700 Club at Millcroft, 255 Possum Park Road, Newark 19711.

Steve E. Politakis II, Chrysler worker

Newark resident Steve E. Politakis II died Friday, Aug. 14, 1998, as the result of injuries suffered in an auto accident.

Mr. Politakis, 27, was a picker/packer for Chrysler-Mopar in Newark, where he worked since 1991. He was a member of UAW Local 404 and attended Glasgow High School.

He is survived by his wife, Marie J. Politakis; sons, Bryan E. Wolinski and Steve E. Politakis III, both at home; father, Steve E. Politakis of Fenton, Mo.; mother, Jackie Politakis of Newark; brother, Shawn Glass of Elkton, Md.; paternal grandparents, Wanda and John Politakis of Man, W.Va.

A service was held on Aug. 18 at Spicer-Mullikin & Warwick Funeral Home, Newark. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery.

Kaitlin Marie Bell, student at Leach

Kaitlin Marie Bell, daughter of Newark residents James T. and Teisha M. Bell and the late Kerry C. Bell, her biological mother, died Saturday, Aug. 15, 1998, in Christiana Hospital.

Kaitlin, age 4, attended John G. Leach School in New Castle and previously had attended Meadowood School in Wilmington. She was a client of Bayada Nurses, home care specialists, Wilmington.

She is survived by her parents; paternal grandmother, Rebecca J. Bell of Seaford; maternal grandparents, James and Christine Chance of Salisbury, Md., and Joseph and Joanne Proulx of Niagara Falls, N.Y.; paternal great-grandmother, Claris Chance of Salisbury, Md.; maternal great-grandparents, Frank and Jeri Krawczyk of Niagara Falls.

A service was held on Aug. 19 at Cannon United Methodist Church, near Seaford. Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Seaford.

Helen O. McGrory, security guard

Bear resident Helen O. McGrory died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, in Christiana Hospital.

Mrs. McGrory, 71, was a security guard for Gettier Security in Wilmington for 12 years, retiring in 1996. Earlier, she was a security guard for Texaco. She attended St. Hedwig's Roman Catholic Church, Wilmington. Her husband, Joseph S. died in January.

She is survived by a son, Dean McGrory; a daughter, Dawn Robinson, both of Newark; four grandchildren.

A mass was held on Aug. 19 at St. Hedwig's Roman Catholic Church, Wilmington. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery.

The family suggests contributions to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Martha Jane Roderick, accountant

Newark resident Martha Jane Roderick died Saturday, Aug. 15, 1998, at her home in Brookside Park.

Mrs. Roderick, 79, was an accountant for the office of Dr. Walker in Brookside Park, retiring in 1990 after 20 years. She was a member of Holy Family Parish. Her husband, David J. Jr., died in 1989.

She is survived by sons, David J. IV of New Castle and Russell J. of Chestertown, Md.; brother, Robert Patnovic of Newark; sisters, Rita Christ of Baltimore and Helen Skitka of Allentown, Pa.; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a great-great-granddaughter.

A service was held on Aug. 19 at Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel, Summit. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

Carl F. "Curly" Wright, Acme manager

Newark resident Carl F. "Curly" Wright died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, at his home.

Mr. Wright, 61, was a meat department manager for Acme Markets for 36 years, retiring in 1996. He was a member of Red Lion Evangelical Church. He served in the Delaware Air National Guard.

He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Barbara Snively Wright; daughters, Sheri Powers, Shelly Shortlidge and Jennifer Wright, all of Newark; and three grandsons.

A service was held on Aug. 19 at the Gracelawn Memorial Park Chapel in Minquadale. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

The family suggests contributions to the Delaware Hospice.

Cynthia Parsons Glenn, grandmother

Newark resident Cynthia Parsons Glenn died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, in Christiana Hospital.

Ms. Glenn, 43, was a member of Alcoholics Anonymous for 13 years.

She is survived by a daughter, Tanya Parsons of Downingtown, Pa.; parents, who live in Ohio; and a granddaughter, Savanna Parsons.

A memorial service was held on Aug. 23 at First Presbyterian Church of Newark, West Main Street.

Genevieve S. Miller, Brookside resident

Newark resident Genevieve S. Miller died Tuesday, Aug. 18, 1998 in Christiana Hospital.

Mrs. Miller, 70, lived in the Brookside Park community.

She is survived by her husband of 55 years, George W. Miller; sons, George W. Jr. of Newark, Alexander J. of Wilmington, William R. of East Lake, N.C., and Glenn R. of West Chester, Pa.; daughters, Theresa Smiley of Brookside Park and Helen G. Warner of Frankford; sisters, Edna Biedrzycha and Regina Miller, both of Wilmington, Ann Domanski of Newark, Theresa Steele of New Castle and Helen Symonds of New Jersey; 11 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held on Aug. 21 at Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home, Wilmington Manor. Burial was in the Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Summit Bridge.

Jeffery S. Galvin, electrical worker

Newark resident Jeffery S. Galvin died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, at home.

Mr. Galvin, 29, was an electrician with Local 313 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for six years.

He is survived by his wife, Sharon M. Figgs Galvin; son, Jeffery S. Jr.; daughter, Rebecca N. Galvin, at home; father and stepmother, Kenneth C. and Charlene A. Galvin of Claymont; mother and stepfather, Carol and Irving Hutchinson of Smyrna; brothers, Sean A. and Kenneth L. Galvin, both of Wilmington, and Donald R. Wyrick of Newark; sister, Andrea Hutchinson of Smyrna.

Service and burial were private.

Emily M. Lorah, member St. Paul's

Bear resident Emily M. Lorah died Saturday, Aug. 15, 1998, at home.

Mrs. Lorah, 67, was a native of West Hazleton, Pa.She lived in Delaware for 35 years. She was a homemaker and a 30-year member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Newark. She enjoyed bowling, was an avid reader, and took great joy in raising her family. Her husband of 43 years, Norman W. Lorah Sr., died in 1997.

She is survived by sons, Norman W. Jr. of Newark and Mark E. of Bear; brother, Frank Zorzi of West

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Service and burial were private.

The family suggests contributions to the Compassionate Care Hospice, Newark 19702.

John A. Kautz Jr., Moose member

Former Newark resident John A. Kautz Jr. died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998, of cancer in Beebe Medical Center, Lewes.

Mr. Kautz, 64, was a retired floor installer. He was a member of Moose Lodge 646 of Lewes and Rehoboth.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Joanne M. Kautz; daughter, Jan M. Van Drunen of Millsboro; sister, Madelyn K. Price of Wilmington; two grandchildren.

A graveside service was held on Aug. 24 at All Saints Cemetery, Milltown.

Tyler Austin Brown, infant

Tyler Austin Brown, newborn son of Port Penn residents Kolene Dawn and William E. Brown, died Wednesday, Aug. 19, 1998, in Christiana Hospital.

He is survived by his parents; sister, Ashley L. Brown at home; paternal grandparents, Ronald and Maryellen Brown of Hartly; maternal grandmother, Mary Ellingsworth of Felton; maternal great-grandmother, Betty Blackburn of Wyoming; maternal great-grandmother, Mary Summers and husband Taylor Summers of Rising Sun, Md.; maternal great-grandfather, Buddy Ellingsworth of Laurel; paternal great-grandfather, Prince Congleton of Smyrna; and several aunts and uncles.

A graveside service was held on Aug. 25 at Odd Fellows Cemetery, Camden.

Damon "Buster" Pollard, horse trainer

Glasgow resident Damon "Buster" Pollard died Thursday, Aug. 20, 1998, at his home in Glasgow Pines II.

Mr. Pollard, 63, owned and trained thoroughbred horses for the past 40 years, and was considered a leading conditioner on the northern California circuit for nearly two decades (1965-1982). He was a trainer in California and won many stakes races during his career. In 1977, he won The Whinney Award, and the Outstanding Trainer of the Year Award in the San Francisco Bay area. He also trained in New York from 1989 through 1996, before moving his operation to Delaware Park full time. In addition to horses, he enjoyed golfing.

He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Nay V. Pollard; son, Tom of San Mateo, Calif.; daughters, Cindy Pollard Turner of Redwood City, Calif., and Alana Pollard of Newark; mother, Donna Armitage of Portland, Ore.; sister, Sue Ann Arterburn of Woodside, Calif.; five grandchildren.

A memorial service was held on Aug. 27 at Beeson Memorial Services of Christiana-Elkton, Fox Run.

The family suggests contributions to the Delaware Hospice Inc., 3515 Silverside Road, Wilmington, 19810, in memory of Buster.

Laura Q. Schetterer, UD librarian

Newark resident Laura Q. Schetterer died Monday, Aug. 24, 1998, at home.

Mrs. Schetterer, 72, formerly of Ventnor, N.J., was a library specialist for 14 years at the University of Delaware and in New Castle County public schools. She retired in the 1980s. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Newark.

She is survived by daughters, Carol F. Garver of Newark and Nancy Newhard, with whom she lived; six grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at a later date at First Presbyterian Church of Newark.

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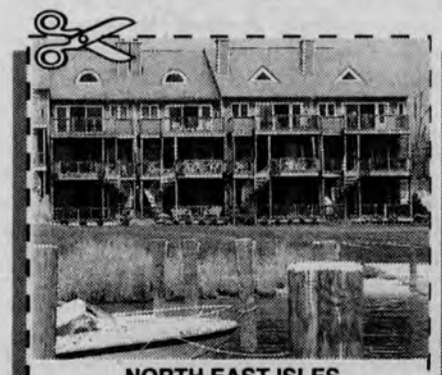

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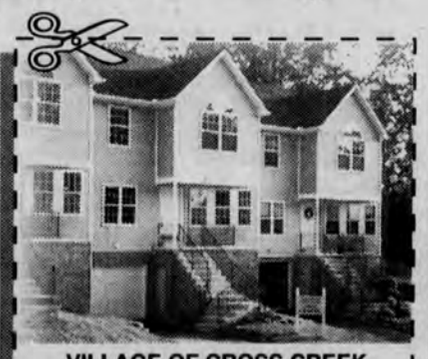

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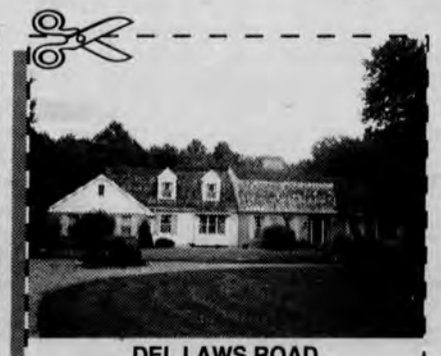

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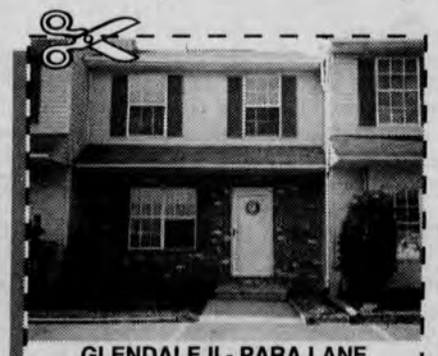

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

WILLIAM DAVID ALEXANDER

PETITIONER(S)

TO

WILLIAM DAVID HENDRICKSON

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that SHANE HENDRICKSON, MOTHER OF WILLIAM DAVID ALEXANDER intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to WILLIAM DAVID HENDRICKSON

Shane Hendrickson
Petitioner(s)

DATED: 8-10-98

np 8/21,8/28,9/4

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

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

LINDSAY JORDAN DOUGHERTY

PETITIONER(S)

TO

LINDSAY JORDAN BEIDEMAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LINDSAY JORDAN DOUGHERTY intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to LINDSAY JORDAN BEIDEMAN

Jennifer Beideman
Petitioner(s)

DATED: 8/5/98

np 8/14,8/21,8/28

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

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

ANTHONY MARCUS CUOMO

PETITIONER(S)

TO

ANTHONY MARCUS BEIDEMAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ANTHONY MARCUS CUOMO intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to ANTHONY MARCUS BEIDEMAN

Jennifer Beideman
Petitioner(s)

DATED: 8/5/98

np 8/14,8/21,8/28

FAMILY COURT FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE NOTICE OF FAMILY COURT ACTION

TO: UNKNOWN FATHER, Respondent(s)

Petitioner, Michelle L. Bowers has filed a Termination of Parental Rights Petition against you (concerning a MINOR, DOB 5/12/94) in Family Court of the State of Delaware for New Castle County on July 8, 1998. If you do not file an answer with the Family Court within 20 days after notification of this notice, exclusive of the date of publication, as required by statute, this action will be heard in Family Court without further notice.

Michelle Lee Bowers
8/7/98
Date

np 8/28

SHERIFF'S SALE

The following Real Estate will be exposed the Public Sale at the Court House Southeast Corner of Eleventh and King Streets, City of Wilmington, New Castle County, DELAWARE, on Tuesday, the 8TH day of SEPTEMBER, 1998 at 10:00 AM By Virtue of Writ of

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #1 JL, A.D. 1998

Property Address: 2424 Owen Drive
Wilmington, Delaware 19808

Tax Parcel No.: 08-038.40-036

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as 2424 Owens Drive, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and being Lot No. 34, Block F, on the Plan of KIRKWOOD GARDENS, Section 3, as said plan iS of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Plat Book 3, Page 76, Microfilm No. 337, more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey made by Zebley & Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated February 13, 1998, as follows, to-wit::

BEING that same lands and premises which Joseph P. Dost, Jr. and Nancy A. Dost, his wife, by Deed dated May 31, 1995 and recordED in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 1930, Page 8, did grant and convey unto Gerard Alexander and Julie Fitzsimmons, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF : GERARD J. ALEXANDER AND JULIE A. FITZSIMMONS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #16 JL A.D. 1998

PARCEL NO. 09-038.30-016

STREET ADDRESS: 413 WOODMILL COURT, NEWARK, DELAWARE.

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 413 Wood Mill Court, being Lot No. 256 as shown on the record resubdivision plan of Country Creek, of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm No. 8984, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey by Zebley & Associates, Inc., dated April 23, 1996.

BEING the same lands and premises which DENISE Z. ZANKOWSKY, by Deed dated April 30, 1996, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 2092 page 318 did grant and convey unto ROSALYNN E. BODDY.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF: ROSALYNN E. BODDY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #24 JL, A.D. 1998.

Parcel No. 09-041.10-024

Property address: 32 Country Lane West, Newark, Delaware

ALL THAT certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, being Lot No. 27, on the record subdivision plan of Country Creek as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm Record No. 8984 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by Zebley & Associates, Inc. Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated March 10, 1989, as follows, to-wit:

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Dunn-Assoc., Ltd. by deed dated April 7, 1989, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Record 853, Page 326, granted and conveyed to Eric F. Wasmundski, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF: ERIC F. WASMUNDSKI.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #37 JL A.D. 1998

PARCEL NO. 09-029.10-487

STREET ADDRESS: 31 CHANCELLOR DRIVE, NEWARK, DELAWARE

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in White Clay Creek, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 31 Chancellor Drive, being Lot 20, Block L, Section 1, ELMWOOD, more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by Zebley & Associates, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors of Wilmington, Delaware, dated February 3, 1993.

BEING the same lands and premises which KIM GRAVES, by Deed dated February 12, 1993 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 1472 page 291 did grant and convey unto HENRY L. HAMILTON, III and ROSE Y. HAMILTON, his wife.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF HENRY L. HAMILTON, III AND ROSE Y. HAMILTON.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of SECOND PLURIES LEV FAC #38 JL ,A.D., 1998,

PARCEL #08-031.30-096

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, known as 820 Jasmine Drive, Woodcreek, Wilmington, DE 19808.

BEING the same lands and premises which Gary Baker and Sandra A.M. Baker Husband and Wife Deed dated August 13, 1993, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1572, Page 203, did grant and convey unto Richard Micucio and Mary Kay Micucio husband and wife in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF: RICHARD M. MICUCIO AND MARY KAY MICUCIO.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #47 JL, A.D., 1998

PARCEL NO. 09-033.10-232

STREET ADDRESS: 30 EASTWIND COURT, NEWARK, DELAWARE

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land, with the building thereon erected, known as 30 Eastwind Court, situate in White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and being Lot No. 21, Block 2, on the Plan of BREEZEWOOD, SECTION II as the Plan thereof is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware on Microfilm No. 1920 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a recent survey prepared by The PELSA Company, Professional Land Surveyors, dated August 18, 1988, as follows, to wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which M. LYNN BLACKMORE and JOSEPH V. RAINERI, by Deed dated January , 1992, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 1464, page 141, did grant and convey unto M. LYNN BLACKMORE.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF: M. LYNN BLACKMORE.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #53 JL, A.D., 1998

PARCEL NO. 11-023.20-153

STREET ADDRESS: 6 GLACIER COURT, BECKS WOODS, BEAR, DELAWARE

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land with the dwelling thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County, State of Delaware, known as Lot No. 202 (also known as 6 Glacier Court) as shown on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Becks Woods, prepared by Ramesh C. Batta Associates, PA, recorded May 16, 1991, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County and State of Delaware, at Wilmington in Microfilm Record No. 10869 and being more particularly bounded and described according to a survey by Franco Bellafante Associates, dated September 24, 1992 as follows, to-wit:

BEING the same lands and premises which RYAN D. BAUR and JANINE M. BAUR husband and wife, by Deed dated September 16, 1994 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Book 1809 page 102 did grant and convey unto AUSE T. DYE.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS THE PROPERTY OF AUSE T. DYE.

TERMS OF SALE; 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/05/98.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #61 JL AD 1998

TAX PARCEL NO. 08-029.10-116

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece of parcel of land with the building thereon erected, situate in Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 34 Meadowbrook Lane, Lot No. 93, Block D, on the record major subdivision plan of the Estates of Corner Ketch (formerly Forest View), as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Microfilm Record No. 9892.

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Corner Ketch, Inc., a Delaware corporation, by deed, dated the 27th day of July, 1992, and of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for New Castle County Delaware in Deed Record Book 1372, Pages 80 et. seq. did grant and convey to James J. McCready and Frances McCready, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF; JAMES J. MCCREADY AND FRANCES R. MCCREADY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #73 JL, A.D. 1998,

PARCEL # 09-038.10-210

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 636 Candlestick Lane, Newark, DE 19702

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, known as 636 Candlestick Lane, Newark, DE 19702..

BEING the same lands and premises which Lenape Builders, Inc. by Deed dated November 26, 1991, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 1258, Page 194, did grant and convey unto Gerald L. Wardrop, Jr. and Julia L. Wardrop, husband and wife, parties in fee.

SSEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: GERALD L. WARDROP, JR. AND JULIA L. WARDROP.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #75 JL, A.D. 1998,

PARCEL # 10-033.10-065

STREET ADDRESS: 613 Greentree Lane, Bear, DE 19701

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as 613 Greentree Lane, Bear, DE 19701.

BEING the same lands and premises which Kathleen M. Keating, by indenture dated May 17, 1996, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, State of Delaware, in Deed Book 2106, Page 282, did grant and convey unto Kathy A. Corrigan, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: KATHY A. CORRIGAN..

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #77 JL, A.D. 1998,

Parcel No. 18-031.00-242

Property Address: 503 Appletree Road, Newark, Delaware

ALL THAT certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Newark, New Castle County and State of Delaware known as 503 Apple Road, being Lot No. 1, Block D, on a revised Plan of West Park Manor, made by Marvin S. Smith, Civil Engineer and Surveyor, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by The Pelsa Company dated May 25, 1993, as follows, to-wit:.

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Joseph J. Pawelski, Jr. and Barbara J. Pawelski by deed dated June 4, 1993 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed Record 1534, Page 113, granted and conveyed to Robert Thomas Allen and Susan M. Allen, herein in fee..

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: ROBERT THOMAS ALLEN AND SUSAN M. ALLEN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE, BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #80 JL, A.D. 1998,

TAX PARCEL NO. 10-043.10-372

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as 14 Three Rivers Drive, designated as Lot 262 within Walden Glen at Wellington Woods, County of New Castle, State of Delaware.

BEING THE SAME LANDS and premises which JOHN C. COUDRIET and HAZELDEAN COUDRIET, his wife, by certain Deed dated the 28th day of May A.D. 1993, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware, in Deed Record Volume 1532, Page 282, did grant, and convey to ROBERT B. DONOVAN and KIMBERLY A. DONOVAN, his wife, herein, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: ROBERT B. DONOVAN AND KIMBERLY A. DONOVAN.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERRIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of LEV FAC #83 JL, A.D. 1998,

Parcel No. 11-006.20-396

Property address: 3 Broadfield Drive, Newark, Delaware

ALL THAT certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the building thereon erected, known as 3 Broadfield Drive, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, and being Lot No. 572, Block T, of the subdivision of Scottfield, Section 4, Microfilm No. 1540 and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with a survey by the Pelsa Company dated March 30, 1992, as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point in the southwesterly side of Broadfield Drive, at 50.00' wide, a corner for Lots Nos. 572 and 573, Block T, said point being located the two (2) following courses and distances measured along the westerly and southwesterly side of Broadfield Drive from the northeasterly end of a 20.00' radius intersection curve joining the said westerly side of Broadfield Drive with the northeasterly side of Eastfield Road, at 50.00' wide; (1) by a curve to the left with a radius of 208.29', an arc distance of 273.89' measured in a northerly direction to a point; (2) thence N 24 deg. 27 min. 11 sec W, 246.73' to the point and place of beginning; thence from said point of beginning, S 65 deg. 32 min. 49 sec. W, 129.06' along the division line between Lots Nos. 572 and 573, Block T, to the division line between Lots Nos. 565 and 572, Block T; thence thereby and along line of Lot No. 566, Block T, N 22 deg. 44 min. 05 sec. W, 70.03' to the division line between Lots Nos. 571 and 572, Block T, thence thereby N. 65 deg. 32 min. 49 sec. E, 126.95' to a point in the southwesterly side of Broadfield Drive; thence thereby S 24 deg. 27 min. 11 sec. E, 70.00' to the point and place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

AND BEING the same lands and premises which Albert W. Marvel and Kishi Marvel by deed dated April 24, 1992 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed Record 1321, Page 137 granted and conveyed to Michael S. Hitchcock and Stephne Hitchcock, herein, in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: MICHAEL S. HITCHCOCK AND STEPHNE HITCHCOCK N/K/A/ STEPHNE KENNEDY.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/1998.

JULY 31, 1998

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of ALIAS LEV FAC #87, JL, A.D. 1998,

Parcel No. 11-036.20-014

Property address: 14 Bar Drive, Newark, Delaware

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, known as 14 Bar Drive, being Lot No. 21 on the Record Resubdivision Plan of Adam's Run, Section One and Section Two, as said plan is of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Microfilm No. 11758, and being more particularly bounded and described in accordance with the said Record Resubdivision Plan Drawing No. 6677-315814, consisting of four sheets as prepared by Franco R. Bellafonte, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware, as follows, to-wit::

BEING the same lands and premises which The Ryland Group, Inc. by deed dated June 28, 1994 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County, Delaware in Deed Record 1761, page 166, granted and conveyed to Carol R. Yetter, herein in fee.

SEIZED AND TAKEN IN EXECUTION AS TO THE PROPERTY OF: CAROL R. YETTER

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN AT TIME OF SALE. BALANCE DUE ON OR BEFORE 10/5/98.

JULY 31, 1998.

Michael P. Walsh
Sheriff
Sheriff's Office
Wilmington, Delaware
np 8/28,9/4

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on **9/24/98** at **3801 Dupont Parkway, New Castle, DE 19720 at 10:00 a.m.** the personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:

A241 - Angela Ray - dresser, sofa, bags
A102 - James Biddison - sofa, loveseat, waterbed, dresser
C614 - Kelly Boyle - mattress, tables, lamps, dresser
D700 - Vernonica English - misc. items
E1003 - Deborah Britt - fridge, dishwasher, bags
E1006 - Robert G. Johnson - table, bikes, chairs, toys
E929 - Vanessa Turpin - clothing, bags, toys
np 8/21,28

CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE
PUBLIC NOTICE

The Council of the City of Newark, at its regular meeting held August 24, 1998, adopted the following Ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. 98-24 - An Ordinance Amending the Zoning Map of the City of Newark, Delaware, By Rezoning From BC (General Commercial) to BB (Central Business District) 2.1284 Acre Properties Located at 209 and 221 East Main Street

Susan A. Lamblack, CMC/AAE
City Secretary
np 8/28

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the properties listed below were seized for violation of Title 16 of the Delaware Code. Owners or lienholders who can establish that the property was forfeited by an act or omission committed or omitted without their knowledge or consent may apply for remission at the office of the Attorney General, Forfeiture Division, Wilmington, Delaware. Persons desiring to consent the forfeiture of assets seized pursuant to Title 16 of the Delaware Code, Section 4784, may protect their interest by filing a civil petition in Superior Court within 45 days after the date of this notice, or mailed notice, whichever is later. Superior Court Civil Rule 71.3 sets out the requirements for filing a civil forfeiture petition.

FROM: Lamotte Johns
AGENCY: Wilmington Police
WHERE: 4th and Walnut Streets
DATE SEIZED: 5/8/93
ARTICLE: $63.25 U.S. Currency
np 8/28

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

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF

Sean Michael Lewis
PETITIONER(S)

TO

Sean Michael Lewis Cooper

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Melissa Ann Cooper intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change minor child's name to Sean Michael Lewis Cooper.

Melissa Ann Cooper
Petitioner(s)

DATED: August 14,1998
np 8/21,8/28,9/4

Newark Post Classifieds

PUBLIC AUCTION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction on 9/29/98 at **201 Bellvue Rd., Newark, DE 19713** at **2:00 p.m.** the personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:

D016 - Master Electronics & Comm - misc. items
A012 - Tabbron Roane - misc. items
F112 - Harvey Greewidge - misc. items
np 8/21,18

PUBLIC AUCTION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on 9/28/98 at 1:30 p.m. at:

PUBLIC STORAGE
425 NEW CHURCHMANS ROAD
NEW CASTLE, DE 19720

the personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:

C103 - Marie Marucci - baby crib, 2 boxes, coffee table
C193 - Anne Latavitz - bed, box spring, dresser, trunk
F113 - Keisha Richards - dresser, bed, box spring, 12 bags
G016 - Karen Smith - bed, box spring, dining table, other misc. items
D058 - Lisa Addison - misc. items
np 8/21,28

PUBLIC RELEASE

Scalia's Day Care Center Inc. announces the sponsorship of the Child and Adult Care Food Program. The same meals will be available to all enrolled children at no separate charge regardless of race, color, sex, age, disability or national origin and there is no discrimination in admissions policy, meal service, or the use of facilities. Any complaints of discrimination should be submitted in writing within 180 days of the incident to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250.

Eligibility for free and reduced price meal reimbursement is based on the following income scales effective from July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999.

Family Size	Eligibility Scale For Free Meals	Eligibility Scale For Reduced Meals
1	$0-$10,465	$10,466-$14,823
2	0-14,105	14,106-20,073
3	0-17,745	17,746-25,253
4	0-21,385	21,386-30,433
5	0-25,025	25,026-35,613
6	0-28,665	18,666-40,793
7	0-32,305	32,306-45,973
8	0-35,945	35,946-51,153
For each additional household member add:	+$3,640	+$5,180

Meals will be provided at the facilities listed below:
Facility name(s): Scalia's Day Care Center Inc.
Address of each facility: 701 N. Harmony Rd., Newark, DE 19711
(FDCII Sponsored need only enter their office address)
Name of contact person for sponsoring organization: Susan Outten/Esther Scalia
Telephone: 302-366-1430
np 8/28

LEGAL NOTICE

The **DEPARTMENT OF LAND USE AND PLANNING BOARD** of New Castle County will hold a public hearing on ***Tuesday, September 1, 1998***, in the Council Chambers of the City/County Building, first floor, 800 French Street, Wilmington, to consider the following applications. The times listed for each application are approximate and may be changed at the hearing.

7:00 PM APPLICATION 98-1334-T (Ord. 98-093): Amending New Castle County Code Chapter 13 relating to water towers.

Considerations of rezonings may include zones other than those specified in the ordinances, and considerations of deed restriction changes will include changes other than those specified in the declaration amendment. Time limitations will be imposed on speakers. Information is available for public review in the **Land Use Department, New Castle County Government Center, 87 Reads Way, Corporate Commons, New Castle, DE, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday.** The Department's rezoning Support Facilities Reports or Technical Advisory Committee Reports are available in the Department.

Individuals needing reasonable accommodations according to the *Americans with Disabilities Act,* call 395-5400 (TT/TTY/TTD:DRS, 1-800-232-5460) at lease five business days before the meeting/hearing.

Shawn P. Tucker
General Manager

Victor Singer, Chairman
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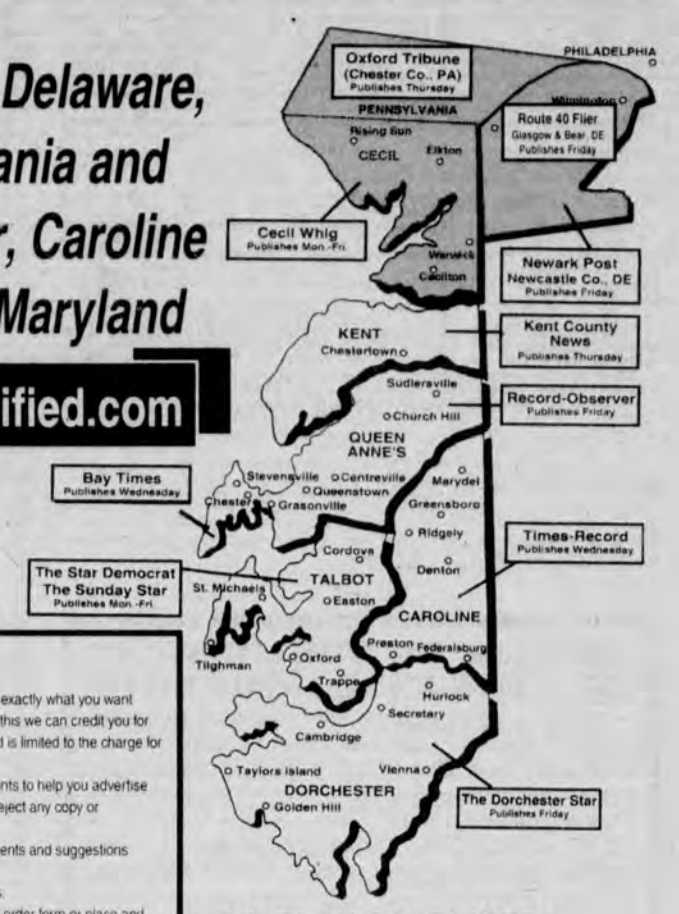

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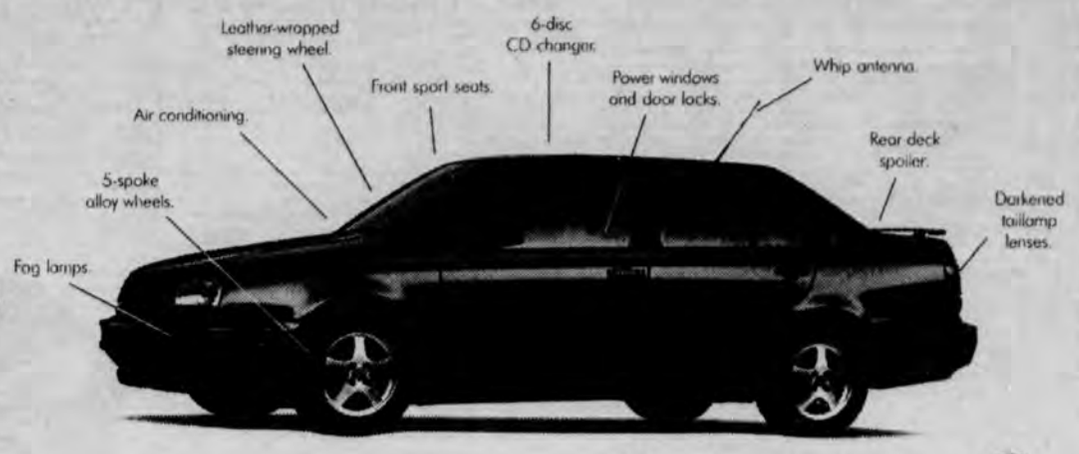

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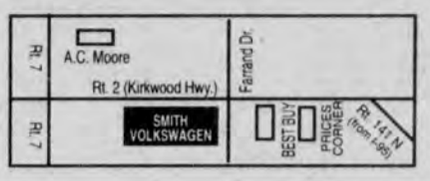

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ELKTON- Manchester Park, 174 Kennedy Blvd., 8/29, 8-2. Lots of kids clothes & assor. merch.!

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