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## UP FRONT

### Neighbors helping neighbors

By JIM STREIT

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

REALLY DO NOT know Marie Ruskay very well but I know two things about her. First, she is persistent and, second, she has the misfortune to bring her good ideas to me when my world is tumbling down around me.



Streit

Marie is part of a core group of 20 persons who lead one of our town's greatest treasures, the Newark Area Welfare Committee.

Before St. Valentine's Day and again before Mother's Day, Marie approached me with a really great idea, one where our newspaper and the NAWC could "partner" (a great Y2K2 buzz word). In February, she arrived in our office just when we were going through some painful downsizing. Months later, she reappeared just as the prospect of a change in editorship was looming (nothing is more significant in a newspaper's life than a switch in the editor-in-chief).

Finally, though, Marie connected me at the right time in late September and today we announce a great way for you to help a worthy non-profit that does its good work right in our community.

In her latest pitch, Marie

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## Newark takes a look at its 'new' library

MICHAEL WATSON, with a freshly-painted ghost on the side of his face, smiled and nodded his head when asked if he had a good time. Watson, an eight-year-old from Newark, was visiting one of his favorite places — the library.

Last Thursday, Watson and about 900 other visitors got a sneak peek at the newly renovated and expanded Newark Free Library.

Visitors said they were impressed the new look, which was brighter and featured more



open space than the old library. This modern facility will have a coffee bar, as well as an area to sign out CDs, DVDs and audio books, and boasts a 100-person community meeting room.

"Of course the shelves are empty, but it seems so immense, so open and airy," Eleanor Higgins of Newark said. "I am anxious to see this when it is ready."

The library, which serves about 60,000 people, has been closed since March because of a \$5.5 million expansion project. Charlesa Lowell, head librarian at the 750 Library Ave. site, said the library will have its grand-opening on Jan. 6.

"Obviously a lot of people are wait-

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In the midst of yet-to-be-assembled shelves, hundreds of library patrons, elected officials, candidates and others inspected the remodeled facility last week.

PHOTOS BY ERIC STARK

## Is he in or is he out?

### Christina board rescinds vote on Fischer's contract

By ERIC G. STARK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

NICK FISCHER has used three of his nine lives. In what many in the audience called a surprise, Christina school board members Tuesday night rescinded their Oct. 8 vote to not renew Superintendent Nicholas Fischer's contract.

Board President George E. Evans said after the meeting that he and the other board members are sending a clear message that they want to make sure everyone's opinion is heard. They will take more public comment at its Nov. 12 school board meeting at Gauger-Cobbs Middle School in Newark, starting at 7:30 p.m.

"There is some concern with the process we used at our last meeting," Evans said during an impromptu 20-

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## Frats on agenda

MONDAY at 7:30 p.m., Newark City Council will consider final action on fraternity and sorority house regulations.

Up for vote is a revised ordinance concerning the temporary revocation of the certificates of occupancy of fraternity and sorority houses that have violations of noise or disorderly conduct more than two times in a 12-month period.

A certificate can be reissued 270 days after revocation with "the condition that the fraternity, sorority, club or organization is in good standing at the University of Delaware."

The bill was tabled at the Sept. 9

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## Graffiti arrest made here

**O**N SUNDAY, Oct. 20, at 4:30 a.m. while on normal routine patrol New Castle County Police, Officers Anderson and Stengel observed two subjects spray painting the Rt. 273 underpass at Rt. 4.

Police said that when the pair noticed the officers, they fled to a waiting red Isuzu Amigo, which was occupied by two other persons. Officers were able to capture a 16-year-old male prior to him entering the waiting vehicle. The juvenile was charged with criminal mischief. He refused to provide any information about the others. The juvenile admitted to spray painting other underpasses.

The Delaware State Police were notified along with the Newark Police to conduct investigations in their jurisdictions, county police said. Any person with additional information is asked to call Officers Anderson or Stengel at 573-2800 or the Newark police at 366-7111.

## Hit-and-run arrest

On Saturday, Oct. 19, at 3 a.m., Delaware State Police investigated an accident involving a pedestrian and automobile. The crash occurred on the 1700 block of Bear-Corbin Road near Red Lion just outside of Newark.

Crystal L. Farren, an 18-year-old woman from New Castle, was exiting a residence on Rt. 7 and was walking westbound across the roadway. A 1996 Dodge Stratus driven by Christopher L. Mendez, 19, of New Castle, was southbound on Rt. 7, police said. Mendez failed to see Farren crossing the roadway and struck her with the front end of his car.

Police said that following the crash, the driver fled the scene and was later apprehended at his residence. Troopers said they discovered damage on Mendez's vehicle consistent with an accident involving a pedestrian.

Farren was taken to Christiana Hospital for treatment of multiple traumas. Farren is listed in stable condition.

A preliminary state police investigation suggests alcohol may have been a factor in the crash.

State police arrested Mendez for the following offenses: vehicular assault, reckless driving, failure to report an accident, leaving the scene of a personal injury accident and no valid proof of insurance.

Mendez was arraigned at Justice of the Peace Court 20 and released on \$6,000 unsecured bond.

## Up, up and away

Delaware State Police investigated the theft of a canvas 20-by-10-foot Guinness Draft Mug balloon. The theft occurred from the rooftop of a restaurant, A Piece of Ireland, 23

## NEWARK POST • POLICE BLOTTER

# Arrest follows October 7 assault on Madison Drive

**A**N 18-year-old Elkton man was arrested on Saturday, Oct. 19, in the 100 block Madison Drive in connection with an assault in that neighborhood on Oct. 7.

Newark police said Kenneth W. Fowler, 18, of Elkton, was charged with assault and possession of deadly weapon during the commission of a felony in relation to the Oct. 7 incident. Other charges levied at the time of his arrest included

underage possession and consumption of alcohol, disorderly conduct, and possession of suspected marijuana. He was transported to Gander Hill Prison in lieu of \$15,000 bond.

When Newark police arrived on Madison Drive on Oct. 7, they discovered a 33-year-old man standing in the doorway of his home. Police said the man's shirt was torn and covered with blood. He had a bloodied mouth, cut lip and told police officers his

arm was broken.

Prior to being taken away in an ambulance, the victim told police he heard a commotion outside his home at 8:19 p.m. When he went to investigate and ordered persons involved in the altercation off his property, one of the group approached and accused the man of "disrespecting" him, police said. The victim was then hit in the mouth, head and side before the assailant struck his left arm with a large stick.

Chesmar Plaza. The theft occurred between 2:50 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 19.

Police reported an unknown suspect cut ropes securing the balloon to the roof and fled the scene. The Guinness Draft Mug is described as black in color with a white top and the name Guinness in gold lettering. The approximate value of the balloon was \$3,000 and may be one of only three balloons like this on the East Coast, police said.

Anyone with information regarding this theft is asked to contact Troop 6 Cpl. Mark Spence at 633-5000, ext. 0 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

## Indecent exposure reported at UD

Newark police assisted the University of Delaware officers early Monday, Oct. 21, with the investigation of an indecent exposure incident.

Police were called to a UD property in the 300 block Wyoming Road at 12:24 a.m. and learned that a white male with dreadlocks, age 25 to 33, exposed himself in front of a woman's residence.

Earlier, on Sunday, Oct. 20, at 10:09 p.m., two female University of Delaware told Newark police that they witnessed a man without any pants fondling himself as they walked along North College Avenue.

Investigation of both incidents is continuing.

## Door smashed

A glass security door was smashed by vandals at the University Courtyard apartments, 1 Scholar Dr., it was reported to Newark police on Sunday, Oct. 20, at 11 a.m.

## CDs disappear

About 40 compact discs were stolen from a 2000 Acura parked in the 100 block Kershaw Lane, Newark police learned at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 20.

Thieves broke the passenger window to gain access.

Total loss was estimated to be \$600.

## Laptop stolen

A laptop computer valued at \$2,000 was stolen from a truck parked on the DaimlerChrysler lot,

550 S. College Ave., Newark police said.

## Dog disappears

Newark police were called to the 900 block Baylor Drive on Friday, Oct. 18, at 5:30 p.m. to investigate what the owner believed was the theft of a two-year-old black Labrador.

Officers were told the dog was last seen when he was secured in an outdoor kennel at 9 a.m. and had an identification chip surgically implanted.

Police later learned that a neighbor on Baylor had picked up a stray lab and turned it over to the SPCA. Police notified the dog's owner of their discovery.

## Window shattered

The front window of Cutler Camera, 220 College Square, was shattered, it was reported to Newark police on Friday, Oct. 18, at 10:21 a.m.

## Extensive damage

A 19-year-old Hockessin woman told Newark police on Saturday, Oct. 19, that vandals caused severe damage to her 2002 Mitsubishi Eclipse while it was parked in the rear of the unit block Kershaw Lane.

Police were told that a beer and egg yolk mixture had been poured on most of the car's exterior and the front seats. The mixture caused extensive paint damage.

The owner said that as she was driving to a car wash, her vehicle ran rough. It was towed to a dealer where it was learned that a foreign substance had been poured into the car's gas tank.

Investigation is continuing, police said.

## Clerk injured

A Pathmark store employee was injured during a scuffle with a shoplifting suspect at the College Square store at 3:54 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 19, Newark police reported.

Newark police said the 39-year-old clerk was struck in the ribs and kicked in the leg as the suspect was held until Newark police arrived.

Jose Angel J. Natal, 25, of Newark, was charged with shoplifting \$170 in goods from Pathmark and criminal impersonation,

arraigned and taken to Gander Hill Prison in lieu of \$11,107 bond, police said.

## Car seized

Five charges were levied against a 22-year-old Newark man following a routine traffic stop on Sunday, Oct. 20, at 1:07 a.m.

Newark police said an officer noticed a Chevrolet Cavalier make an illegal right turn onto Rt. 273 at the traffic signal at Library Avenue.

When the car was stopped, police learned that the car was displaying a tag that did not belong on the vehicle. The driver did not speak English and an interpreter was called to the scene.

The car was seized and Joaquin Celestino Raiz, 22, of New Castle, was charged with disregarding a traffic control signal, fictitious registration, no insurance, unregistered motor vehicle and no drivers license, and was released pending an appearance in Alderman Court.

## Remodeling scam

Newark police and the Delaware Division of Professional Regulation are investigating a remodeling scam that bilked a Newark homeowner out of \$3,050.

According to Newark police, on Aug. 1, the South Fawn Drive resident contracted for bathroom work by a man who claimed to be a licensed plumber and electrician. After the workman cashed two checks but failed to complete the work, police learned that the man's and the company's names were fictitious.

Investigation by the two agencies is continuing.

## Inside old mill

Two men were arrested by Newark police after they were apprehended inside the city-owned former Curtis Paper Mill, 225 Paper Mill Road.

Marcell N. Quarto, 27, of Newark, and Christopher T. Yarnell, 25, of Newark, were summoned for trespassing, police said. Quarto was released pending a court appearance but Yarnell was transported to Gander Hill Prison in lieu of \$750 bond, officers reported.



# Newarker names the pony

By BEN SCHNEIDER

NEWARK POST CONTRIBUTING WRITER

AMANDA Poole, a six-year-old from Newark, was named as the winner of the Carousel Park "Name That Pony" contest.

Her suggestion, "Little Bandit," was chosen from more than 2,000 entries.

Poole's prize will be a pony-riding event for 20 children.

Susan Amadio, media coordinator for New Castle County, said a committee of 10 picked 20 to 30 of their favorite selections. Names that showed up on multiple lists were kept in the running. Still, it was hard to choose a fair way to judge the entries.

"It was really hard to judge the winners," Amadio said, "when you had entries from pre-schoolers and grandparents."

Ultimately it was Poole's reason for the name, which she listed on her entry card, that landed her first prize:

"When I saw him," she wrote, "he stole my heart."

Amanda said it was a group effort to succeed in the contest.

"My mommy wrote it down," she said, "and I thought of the name."

The second-, third- and fourth-place winners are Liz Harrington of Newark, who suggested Baby Shadow, Jennifer Lann of Newark, who suggested Hay-lo, and Laura Swain of Wilmington, 10, who suggested Eencee.

They will each receive a hay ride for up to 50 of their friends as their prize.

Thirty-four additional entrants are receiving an honorable mention. Each of them will receive a small gift.



All three top winners in the "Name That Pony" contest were from Newark, including Amanda Poole, Liz Harrington and Jennifer Lann.

# Residents listen to state, local candidates

By BEN SCHNEIDER

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NEWARK residents got a chance to "Meet The Candidates" who are running for public office last Wednesday.

At the Embassy Suites Hotel, candidates for the U.S. senate, U.S. Representative, Attorney General and many other positions came to tell a little about issues important to their campaign and field questions from the audience. Each candidate had five minutes to speak followed by five minutes for questions. If a candidate was unable to attend the event, a representative could speak for the five minutes but

was not allowed to take questions.

U.S. Senate candidate Ray Clatworthy said he wanted to make it easier to launch small businesses.

"I want to see a rebirth of the entrepreneurial spirit in this country," he said. "We need good jobs now in this country."

Clatworthy then criticized incumbent Joe Biden for not initially supporting the bombing campaign in Afghanistan.

In favor of invading Iraq, Clatworthy compared merely disarming Saddam Hussein's regime while leaving it in power to leaving Nazi Germany in power after having been disarmed.

Sen. Biden was represented at the meeting by his son, who

quickly stated that his father was never opposed to the bombing campaign in Afghanistan.

He then stated that his father wants to have a tax deduction worth up to \$12,000 for families with college students.

He finally stated that his father is an advocate of corporate liability.

Mike Miller, running for U.S. Representative, said he hopes to raise minimum wage and make health care available to everyone. "I know what it's like to not have health care," he said.

Miller also criticized incumbent U.S. Rep. Mike Castle for

cutting the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) budget by eight percent.

Castle, who was unable to attend the event due to obligations with congress, had a representative list some of his accomplishments while in office, such as increasing the police force and improving the 911 system.

The representative also pointed out that Castle has advocated land conservation.

Robert Wasserbach, candidate for State Auditor, said he thought state auditors should report to taxpayers.

"I am sick and tired of reading

about financial scandals," he said.

Incumbent State Auditor Tom Wagner stated he has held the position for 14 years, during which time he has made it necessary for all 14 school districts to be audited. He said he has also reported \$9 million in fraud.

The Attorney General position had three candidates running for it, including Green Party member Vivian Houghton.

Houghton said she distinguishes herself from other candidates because she is not afraid to

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# Luft 'credentialed'

City Manager of Newark Carl F. Luft was recently named a Credentialed Manager by the International City/County Management Association (ICMA).

Luft is one of 282 credentialed local government management professionals.

ICMA requires several qualifications in those who are credentialed, including having



Luft

substantial experience as a senior management executive in local government, having a degree in public relations or a similar field of study, and showing an interest in lifelong education.

Luft has been in local government for 26 years.

Luft is a noted member of several other organizations. Among the positions he holds are: Board Director of the Delaware Municipal Electric Corporation, Board Director for the Downtown Newark Partnership, and Board Director for the Delaware Science Alliance.

— Ben Schneider

# Newarkers hear details of reporter's visit to Iraq

IN A TIME when most people want to stay close to home, imagine getting a work assignment that sends you to the Middle East for a year.

After the Sept. 11, 2001 attacks, *The New York Times* sent columnist Nicholas Kristof to Iraq to report on the impact of U.S. foreign policy in that region.

Kristof was at the University of Delaware recently to talk with students about his travels throughout the Middle East during the past year.

In last Tuesday and Thursday columns in the *Times*, Kristof has discussed his thoughts on these matters, with the hottest topic of discussion being the possibility of a U.S. invasion of Iraq.

"I think that it won't necessarily be the cake walk the White House thinks it will be," he said in regard to the invasion.

Kristof said the Iraqi military is smaller now than it was ten years ago, and they will likely not confront the U.S. out in the open, opting rather to take refuge in cities.

Kristof saw firsthand how confident Iraqis are that the U.S. would never attack where there are civilians. He was on a commercial flight that flew right through a U.S. no-fly zone.

The real problems of an invasion would arise after Saddam Hussein is removed from power, Kristof feels.

"Saddam has brutally crushed uprisings in the north and south," Kristof said. "When that threat is gone, (what's to stop the uprisings from happening again?)"

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# On Campus

NEWS FOR NEWARK FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

## BRIEFLY

### 'Count of Monte Cristo' opens Nov. 7

**T**HE University of Delaware's Professional Theatre Training Program will produce Alexandre Dumas' "The Count of Monte Cristo," a tale of buried treasure, misleading identities and revenge that develops into a dramatic adventure of romantic intrigue and swashbuckling retribution. This spell binding, edge-of-your-seat drama opens on Thursday, Nov. 7 at 7:30 p.m. in Hartshorn Hall, Academy Street and East Park Place.

Subsequent performances are scheduled at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 8, Saturday, Nov. 9, Wednesday, Dec. 4 and Saturday, Dec. 7. Afternoon performances are scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 9 and Saturday, Dec. 7 at 12:30 p.m.

Tickets for the general public are \$14 for matinees, \$16 for weeknights and \$17 for Friday and Saturday evenings.

For reservations or more information, call 831-2204.

### UD accounting historian honored

**D**ALE Buckmaster, professor of accounting at the University of Delaware, received the Hourglass Award from the Academy of Accounting Historians at its 2002 annual conference.

The honor is presented annually to the person or persons who have made a notable contribution to the study of accounting history.

Buckmaster was recognized for his continuing work on the development of accounting literature with the most significant work to date being the 2001 book, "Development of the Income Smoothing Literature 1893-1998."

While the book is intended for use by researchers, the topic is particularly timely in this era of questionable corporate accounting tactics. Income smoothing includes most of the legal, but sometimes unethical, manager behavior known as "cooking the books."

## University honors top alumni

**T**HE University of Delaware's 2002 Outstanding Alumni Awards were given to Ann B. Catts and Fred P. Rullo Jr., who were honored during the halftime at the Homecoming football game on Oct. 12 at Delaware Stadium in Newark.

A physician, Catts received her bachelor's degree in biological sciences from UD in 1952 and her medical degree from the Medical College of Pennsylvania. After a residency in general practice at Wilmington General Hospital, she completed her pathology residency at Queen's General Hospital in Honolulu, where she joined the staff as assistant pathologist and then as associate pathologist. She served as medical director of Diagnostic Laboratory Services from 1985-87 and as assistant professor of pathology at the John A. Burns School of Medicine at the University of Hawaii.

Catts was the first woman to be president of both the Honolulu County Medical Center in 1977 and the Hawaii Medical Association in 1982.

She also was an active participant in many community service organizations, including the American Cancer Society and the Breast Cancer Task Force. She was awarded the Physician of the Year Award for her community service from the Hawaii Medical



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UD Alumni Association President R. Thorpe Moeckel, center, presented the 2002 Outstanding Alumni Awards to Ann B. Catts and Fred P. Rullo Jr. during the halftime at the Homecoming football game on Oct. 12 at Delaware Stadium in Newark.

College in 1984.

A strong supporter of the University, Catts has provided for an endowed scholarship in honor of her parents through her estate planning. A member of the Legacy and Delaware Diamonds Societies, Catts received the University Medal of Distinction and has been inducted onto the Alumni Wall of Fame in recognition

of her professional achievement.

Catts lives in Honolulu, and during her retirement, she volunteers at the Hawaii Medical Library, where she works on archival material concerning Hawaiian hospitals and physicians.

Rullo received his bachelor's degree in political science from

UD in 1963 and earned varsity letters in both football and baseball.

One of UD's biggest athletics fans and supporters, Rullo was defensive back and punter for the 1962 Lambert Cup championship football team and earned the game ball at the championship football game against Bucknell

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### THIS IS NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ALCOHOL AWARENESS WEEK

## Newark campus offers alcohol programs

**N**ATIONAL Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week is being celebrated at the University of Delaware with special activities planned through Oct. 25.

This week, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., students can pick up something fun with a healthy message about drinking in the Trabant University Center, Main Street and South College Avenue, and in the Perkins Student Center, on Academy Street.

On Wednesday, Oct. 23, Youth to Eliminate Loss of Life (YELL) held its annual leadership conference at the Dover Sheraton. Members of UD's registered student organization, The V8's, attended the

conference in support of the great work of many local high school students who draw awareness to the issues of drinking and driving and other alcohol-related safety issues.

Also on Wednesday, in the spirit of the PRISM Awards, which honor accurate depictions of drug, alcohol and tobacco use and addiction in feature films, television, music videos and more, the film "Body Shots" was shown at 7:30 p.m., in the theatre of the Trabant University Center, Main Street and South College Avenue. Directed by Michael Cristofer and released in 1999, the drama is said to define a decade... as it tells the tale of the mysterious, but necessary,

mating ritual between men and women of today and everything they think about sex but are afraid to say.

On Thursday, Oct. 24 and Friday, Oct. 25 the Road Scholar College Tour comes to Harrington Beach. The tour is visiting 37 college campuses across the country, providing students with information on road rage, drinking and driving, safe driving tips, what to always pack in the trunk for a road trip and what to do in case of an accident.

Giveaways abound, as do the opportunities to enter sweepstakes for a lease, trips and speaker sets. Tower Records, Lipton Iced Tea, Reebok and Coppertone will

also be there, handing out samples and gifts to the students.

At 8 p.m. on Thursday, October 24, local resident Phyllis Stahl, member of the Delaware chapter of MADD, will be on campus to talk about the death of her teenage son, Aaron. Aaron was only 15 when he was killed, in March of 2001, by a drunk driver on Otts Chapel Road in Newark.

At 9 p.m. on Thursday, October 24, an Open Mic Night hosted by SCENE will be held at the Art House, on Delaware Avenue, with free beverages and finger foods provided.

The week concludes with the fourth annual Get Wacky Not

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# UD alumni get presidential citations

**T**WELVE University of Delaware alumni were honored with Presidential Citations for Outstanding Achievement during Homecoming on Friday, Oct. 11, in Mitchell Hall, on the campus in Newark. The citations recognize distinguished alumni who have graduated within the last 20 years and have exhibited great promise in their professional or public service activities.

Honored were Lou Abbruzzesi of Purcellville, Va.; Virginia Corrigan of Wilmington; David DeWalt of Danville, Calif.; Iris Gibbs of Palo Alto, Calif.; Tyron Jones of New York City; Mark Lasoff of Oak Park, Calif.; Ann Lemon of New York City and Mohnton, Pa.; Zhi Lin of Seattle; Richard Mroz of Haddonfield, N.J.; Diane Robina of Mamaroneck, N.Y.; Nancy Sottos of Champaign, Ill.; and Leo Strine of Hockessin.

Corrigan, who earned a bachelor's degree in nursing, has had a career dedicated to the care of others.

Today, she is coordinator of the Injury Prevention Program for Christiana Care Health System in Delaware, focusing on injury prevention education across the age span.

She also directs the Delaware chapter of Think First, a national

injury prevention program, coordinating the work of volunteers who offer programs in the first through third grades and in secondary schools.

Corrigan lives in Wilmington with her husband, Francis, and their sons, Daniel, Owen and Joseph.

She also is currently enrolled in a UD graduate program to become a pediatric clinical nurse specialist.

"When I was in high school, I knew that I wanted to be a nurse.

My mother is a nurse, and I've known so many people whose lives were better because of her. I evaluated many colleges and universities to find one that would provide me with the education and environment that would help me achieve my goal. The outstanding reputation of the UD's College of Nursing encouraged me to visit. The campus was so beautiful. I knew it was the right place. I was fortunate to be educated and mentored by so many remarkable nurses, so much so that I am back again completing my master's degree at UD," Corrigan said.

In 1985, Stine received his bachelor of arts degree in political science and was elected a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

While at UD, he was awarded a Harry S Truman Scholarship



Two Delaware residents were among 12 Presidential Citation honorees, shown in this University of Delaware photo with president David R. Roselle, top right.



Strine

and was selected as the outstanding graduate in political science. In 1988, he graduated magna cum laude from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and was selected as a member of the Order of Coif. In November 1998,

Strine was named vice chancellor of the Court of Chancery for the state of Delaware, the nationally renowned court, where litigants seek a resolution to problems involving corporate and fiduciary matters, trusts, land sales, real estate and commercial

and contractual matters, before a judge without a jury.

Previously, he served as counsel to then-Delaware Gov. Thomas R. Carper.

Strine resides in Hockessin, with his wife, Carrie, and their sons, James and Benjamin.

"I will always look back fondly on my days at the University of Delaware. The school was sized right-big enough to be diverse and small enough to be welcoming and comfortable. The College of Arts and Science, in general, and the political science depart-

ment, in particular, provided me with a challenging and substantive immersion in liberal arts and social sciences that continues to serve me well, both professionally and personally. The faculty was accessible and interested in my future, and I owe a debt of gratitude to many professors, especially Joe Pika and other members of the political science department, for their advice and friendship during those critical, formative years," Strine said.

## Rullo honored

► RULLO, from 4

University, which the Blue Hens won 9-6.

Chairman and CEO of Penn Specialty Chemicals, during his career, Rullo was associated with Atlantic Richfield (Arco) where he implemented the first convenience store/gasoline station. He also helped develop the first automated bank tellers.

Inducted into the University of Delaware Alumni Wall of Fame in 1985, which recognizes alumni for their outstanding professional achievement, Rullo is a member of the Delaware Diamonds Society. Since 1986, he has been active on the UD Athletics Steering Committee, which he currently chairs.

In 1999, the Fred P. Rullo Stadium was dedicated. The state-of-the-art artificial turf stadium, used by the women's field hockey, men's and women's lacrosse, soccer, football, baseball and softball teams, was made possible through his \$1 million gift.

# UD researchers receive \$3.1 million to fund research for stroke patients

**T**HE University of Delaware's Center for Biomedical Engineering Research has received a five-year, \$3.1 million Biomedical Research Partnership Award from the National Institutes of Health to help stroke patients regain their ability to walk.

This is the second major NIH grant the center has received this year. In April, the center announced an NIH grant of \$6.4 million for research on osteoarthritis.

Through the new grant, researchers in the center will help stroke patients suffering central nervous system dysfunction learn to walk again through a combination of electrical stimulation of their muscles and the use of a rehabilitation robot, according to Thomas S. Buchanan, UD professor of mechanical engineering and director of the project.

"In our protocol, muscles will

be electrically stimulated in an impaired leg to activate them and move the limb, bypassing the normal commands from the brain that are not working properly in patients with strokes," Buchanan said.

"The robot will help move the impaired leg to train a patient how to walk again following the stroke."

Within a decade, Buchanan said the research team hopes to develop a portable functional electrical stimulation device that can be worn by patients to assist in the production of coordinated leg movements.

The multidisciplinary project will involve faculty members



Buchanan

from the departments of mechanical engineering and physical therapy. The scientists will work together through the Center for Biomedical Engineering Research.

Buchanan is the principal investigator and will build musculoskeletal models of the leg. Kurt Manal, associate scientist in mechanical engineering, will work with Buchanan on the models.

Stuart Binder-MacLeod, co-principal investigator and chair of the department of physical therapy, will supervise the functional electronic stimulation, or FES, portion of the project. Jun Ding, a researcher in physical therapy, will work with Binder-MacLeod on the FES protocols.

Sunil Agrawal, professor of mechanical engineering, will supervise construction of the robot.

The project team also includes

John Scholz, associate professor of physical therapy and an expert on stroke and neurological injuries, and Katherine Rudolph, assistant professor of physical therapy and an expert on human gait analysis.

Buchanan said the project has three major components, the first of which is to identify impairments in the locomotor patterns of patients through biomechanical modeling using gait analysis and electromyographic data.

The second is to develop methods and equipment to optimize locomotion of stroke patients, using the electrical stimulus and the robotic device.

The final component is to test the feasibility of the new system and make adjustments based on patient trials. The 10-year goal is the development of a portable device that patients can wear to assist them in walking.



# Opinion

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WELCOME TO MY LIFE

## Saying goodbye to an old friend

By TRACY BACHMAN

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

A FEW WEEKS AGO, I made one of the most difficult decisions in my life—I put my oldest dog, Maggie, to sleep. She was a 12-year-old black lab and the first dog I raised on my own from a puppy.

Growing up, my family had two dogs—Pickles and Taffy (my older daughter thinks it's funny that I had two dogs named after food).

Pickles was hit by a car on Feb. 3, 1977, and I remember the incident like it was yesterday. I'll never forget my beloved dog dying on our kitchen floor. The following Christmas, my parents surprised me with Taffy, a cocker spaniel. I remember not wanting her because I was terrified that she would die just like Pickles. Taffy died in her sleep while I was away at college several years later.



Bachman

I got Maggie Mae when I graduated from UD in 1990. I took her to dog obedience school and bought her the best of everything—food, collar and leash, bowls, toys, etc. She was my “first-born” dog.

Then, on New Year's Eve of that year, I accidentally shut her back end in the door of my apartment. She yelped, went outside and did her business, but a few hours later she couldn't walk.

The veterinarian thought she was going to lose one of her back legs, but decided the door had hit her in such a way that it damaged the nerves.

I spent the next few months teaching her how to walk again with an old bed sheet wrapped under her belly to hold her up. She eventually recovered, but often limped after she ran too much.

Maggie loved to swim. I have pictures of her underwater in a swimming pool going after a ball. Whenever we hiked at the White Clay Creek Preserve, she would run down the large embankments to get to the creek. She had even more fun on the rare occasions she swam in the ocean. Maggie was also good at stopping softballs and catching food in mid-air—no matter how

bad the throw. She would chase a ball until she collapsed.

Over the last year, Maggie's back legs gradually got worse. She had a hard time getting up and down the steps, running, and going for walks around the neighborhood.

During the last few months, she was barely getting up at all. She had to be carried outside and sometimes lay in her own mess when she couldn't move to tell us she had to go outside.

My husband began to gently pressure me, saying that it was time. I cancelled two appointments before I finally went through with it. Both times, I made the appointment and Maggie seemed to improve. Meanwhile, my husband and I were preparing our daughters for the inevitable. This would be their first experience with death and I wanted to do it right. We told them that Maggie had had a good, long life, and that she was old and in a lot of pain. We looked at pictures of Maggie and spent a lot of time petting her.

We have three other dogs (Rigby, Abbey, and Maxwell — all of my dogs are named after something Beatles-related) who remain very active and healthy, so the contrast was apparent. On those rare occasions when Maggie was standing, they would run by and knock her down.

Finally, I made the decision and called the veterinarian's office. It was a Friday morning and they had an opening early that afternoon.

A co-worker who had been through it before suggested that I take Rigby with us so he would know that Maggie wasn't coming home. Rigby is 11 years old and he and Maggie have been together for a long time. Throughout all of this, I was most worried about how Rigby would handle losing his lifetime companion.

Rigby laid next to Maggie while she died. It was very sad. He appears to be doing better than I had expected. He has two other dogs to keep him company and he is getting more attention from me.

My daughters have taken it well. A few times they said that they missed Maggie and wanted to look at pictures (since she was my first dog, and just like the first child I have a lot). My older daughter broke down one night while we were driving home from the beach — we were both crying and I almost had to pull over. And she was the one a few months ago who couldn't wait to get a kitten after all of our dogs died.

As for me, sometimes I think about Maggie and cry. Something will remind me of her or I'll just notice that she's not here. But I know that I made the right decision, as hard as it was.

## OUT OF THE ATTIC



This week, “Out of the Attic” features a photograph lent by Alice Marrison Clabaugh. It shows the dirt road of Rt. 7 in the heart of Christiana. The date of the photograph is unknown. “Out of the Attic” features historic photographs from Newark's history, recent and long ago. Readers who have a historic photo and would like to share it with other readers are invited to loan their photos for reprinting in this space. Special care will be taken. For information, call the Newark Post, weekdays, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., at 737-0724.

## PAGES FROM THE PAST

News as it appeared in the Newark Post throughout the years

### ■ Oct. 26, 1927 Two Newark men badly injured when truck strikes their car

Two Newark men, C. Jr. Wright, who lives on Wilbur street, and Charles Dyer, who lives just east of the town, are in the Delaware Hospital, semi-conscious, and in a critical condition as a result of an automobile accident, which occurred yesterday morning at 7 o'clock at the intersection of Basin Road with the du Pont Boulevard.

### Taxi men fight to hold nuptial trade

The Elkton taxi Company, up in arms at what they feel is interference with their monopoly, have filed a petition seeking an injunction to restrain S. Ralph Andrews, clerk of the Circuit Court

for Cecil County, from interfering with couples procuring marriage licenses in Elkton. The petition was presented to Judge L. L. Wicks, Sunday.

### Hallowe'en parties for entire school

That all school children should have the opportunity

of having the fun of a real school party, the Newark School through its faculty and student association, has planned parties for every group in the school.

The several committees on decoration, program, reception, music and refreshments have planned many interesting surprises.

### ■ Oct. 22, 1980 Seminar series

A seminar series sponsored by the University of Delaware Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department will meet at 140 DuPont Hall.

### Capt. Ray of Light to return

Capt. Ray of Light, also known as Dr. Douglas Stalker, associate professor of philosophy at the University of Delaware,



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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

# 735% fee hike bad for local business

To: The Editor:

From: Jay Mahanna

IN the article in the Oct. 18 *Newark Post* by Eric Stark, the Mayor of Newark is quoted as saying "By no means do we want to hurt our businesses."

Later in that same article, an ordinance passed unanimously by City Council and championed by that same mayor raised fees on local business that sell alcohol by 735 percent. ("The average license fee could increase from \$680 to \$5,000")

Thank goodness they don't want to hurt anyone.

In fact, dividing the "approximately" 40 establishments licensed to sell alcohol in Newark into the "approximately" \$215,000 that the new ordinance will supposedly cost works out to \$5,375 dollars per license.

Stark reports that the ordinance shows how "serious the city is." Serious as long as they don't have to confront the binge

drinkers themselves.

Does City Council seriously think that this ordinance is going to put a dent into student drinking and rowdiness? Exactly how, may I ask?

By taxing some establishments out of business so we can have more vacant windows on Main Street and in other commercial areas?

Look at what happened to the Italian Bistro and all they wanted to sell was wine and beer with dinner, something happening right down Main Street at Caffé Gelato every night.

Small business, no matter your product, is a tough enough proposition without repressive taxes being levied on you.

Was the possibly precarious state of the finances of some of these establishments even considered by Council?

Or were they only concerned with pleasing the University of Delaware and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation?

I understand that Newark has

a huge problem with alcohol and students. I just don't think this new ordinance will have any effect on the problem, just as the university's efforts at cutting down on drinking at tailgates has had very little effect, judging by the bottles in the parking lot after the games.

There are other problems with

the ordinance, such as what constitutes "excess noise" and who judges that. Are we going to have officers armed with decibel meters cruising the bars?

And how is someone supposed to know if someone else is buying alcohol to consume off the premises? In a liquor store, that's all anyone does.

We don't want to hurt our businesses, indeed. Raise anyone's license fees by 735 percent and see if they get hurt.

Thanks to the *Newark Post* for its coverage of this and other issues in Newark.

I look forward to receiving the *Newark Post* every week.

— Eric G. Stark

## Council to vote of frat ordinance change

### ► COUNCIL, from 1

council meeting. Staff was directed to review certain facets of this ordinance and repropose at a later date.

Revisions included changes in the first sentence to include new language: "the director of building is hereby empowered to issue an order temporarily revoking the certificate of occupancy."

New language has also been added explaining the definition

beyond just fraternities and sororities to include "any residential club or organization, defined as a dwelling owned and operated by a corporation, partnership, association, or group of individuals affiliated with the University of Delaware and catering exclusively to members and their guests for social, intellectual and recreational, or athletic purposes..."

The solicitor has opined that interpretations of this new section would be appealable to the

Board of Property Maintenance Review, not the Board of Building Appeals.

To clarify the authority issue and when owners may reapply for occupancy, the last sentence has been added to the ordinance that essentially provides that certificates of occupancy can be reissued after 270 days or nine months (the equivalent of a new school year).

— Eric G. Stark

## Factory site owners ordered back to court

### ► PAGES, from 6

will present his popular program "Winning Through Pseudo-Science" at the Rodney Room of the university's Student Center on Academy Street in Newark.

In the comical debunking program, Capt. Light will demonstrate his psychic powers and will divulge fundamental principals of pseudo-science. He uses this comedy routine to debunk such pseudosciences as astrology, bio rhythms and numerology. By constructing preposterous pseudo-sciences of his own, he demonstrates how false these pseudosciences are.

### Halloween party

A Halloween party sponsored by the Newark After Five Club of the Christian Business and Professional Women will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 29 at Clayton Hall on the University of Delaware campus.

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### ■ Oct. 25, 1996

#### Factory site owners ordered back to court

Hopes may be dashed again for a clean-up in this century at Newark's largest and most decayed industrial site.

Owners of the old Budd Company/Continental Fibre property on North Chapel Street have been ordered to appear in Alderman's Court on Oct. 30 to explain their proposed three-year schedule for demolishing and/or improving the site.

#### Spirits haunt Newark

Creeping, Crawling or marching, Newark's Halloween parade steps off for the 49th year on Sunday at 2 p.m.

"We have at least 25 more groups this year than last so it should be a nice parade if it doesn't rain," said parks and recreation organizer Jennifer Jones.

Jones said many of the additional groups this year were political but there were more girls scouts and brownies as well.

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# Lifestyle

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## OUTLOOK

### Enjoy year-round gardening

By JO MERCER

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

**Y**EAR-ROUND gardening is possible with a variety of plants. Regardless of the origins of the plants, basic care is similar. Applying a few rules to promote vigorous growth will play a big role in keeping them pest and disease free.

Four major environmental factors contribute to healthy plant growth: relative humidity, temperature, light, soil moisture, and temperature.

Each of these factors can interact to contribute to house plant health-or problems.

Heating the air indoors causes the relative humidity to plummet. Our homes are often drier than the Sahara Desert. The drier the air and the warmer the leaf surface, the faster a plant loses water from its tissues. Devise ways to increase the relative humidity around the plants. Allow the plants to sit elevated above water, such as in a shallow tray filled with pebbles. Running a humidifier or misting the plants several times a day are other ways to increase relative humidity.

It's finally getting chilly at night. This is your reminder to take care in getting your house plants in from the porch or yard. The first average frost date for this part of the country is mid October. Many houseplants are native to tropical climates or other frost-free parts of the world. Temperatures well above the freezing point can severely harm or kill them. Be sure to provide them with cozy temperatures indoors away from drafty doors and windows.

Light levels can drastically affect plants that migrate indoors and outdoors as the

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Mercer

## Newark church earns its marker in history

By ERIC G. STARK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**I**N 1866, Father William Blake, pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish in Elkton, Md., established a mission for local Catholics residing in Newark, Del.

One Sunday a month, Father Blake traveled to Newark and offered Mass in different residents' homes.

In 1868, the original Old Village Presbyterian Church, located on the corner of Main and Chapel streets, was vacated. It was then purchased by Charles A. Murphey and donated to the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington. The church became the established church for Newark's Catholics and was named St. Patrick's.

This was the beginning of the St.

John/Holy Angels' Parish, a church with a lot of history. This Sunday that history will be honored, as the building will be presented with a state marker. The presentation will take place following the 10:30 a.m. mass at the church.

"It is really interesting that so many generations have passed through our doors," Susan Pfeifer, director of development at St. John's said. "The state marker represents our past and our future, too."

It is a future that has St. John/Holy Angels is moving forward. With all the changes in the Newark community, this church is not staying stagnant or stale. It is a church very much in touch with the community.

St. John/Holy Angels' provides services to more than 500 children with sports programs in the area, and

55 percent of these kids are not Catholic. They also provide food and clothing to families in the community. Their social outreach also extends to non-English speaking residents as well. At 2 p.m. every Sunday the church provides a Spanish mass. The Spanish ministry at the church is about three years old.

"We are very much a part of the Newark community," Pfeifer said. "We are as much a part of the faith community as the social community. We do have an active role and we are giving back to the community."

Giving back to the community is not a new concept. In the 1950s it was determined that a Catholic school and an additional Catholic church were needed to serve the increasing number of Catholics who were moving into the

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## STARK RAVING

# Sometimes you just have to laugh...

By ERIC G. STARK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**"C**HANGES in attitude, changes in latitude, nothing remains quite the same. With all of my running and all of my cunning, if we couldn't laugh we would all go insane."

It's lyrics from a Jimmy Buffet song, and I sure can relate, but I can also find some fault.

I can relate because if we don't step back and laugh at ourselves sometimes we would go

crazy. We all get ourselves into some dumb situations, and as frustrated as we may get, the best thing to do is just stop and laugh sometimes.

Come on, admit it. You know you have had those days when nothing appears to be going right and you mumble, "why me?" That's when you need to laugh.

I had one of those type of days about two weeks ago. I was attending the honorary doctrine ceremony the University of Delaware had for Ireland President Mary McAleese. It occurred on one of the rare days

when rain actually fell from the sky. But how could I be upset that it was raining, in the midst of one of the state's worst droughts.

Well this was one of those days when I decided to dress to show instead of dress to go. I wore a tie and dressed up for the ceremony. When I picked



Stark

out my shoes I went with a pair that would match my outfit the most, instead of the most practical pair. The shoes I picked looked good with the outfit, but the problem was my sole. No, not the soul that raises up to heaven for eternity, but the leather sole on the bottom of my wing-tip shoe.

There is a small hole in this leather sole; small enough that I didn't think any water would penetrate through.

Wrong.

The black shoe matched my

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# Church third location with historic marker

## ► MARKER, from 8

greater Newark area. In 1956 Holy Angels' School opened. It was decided to postpone building a new church and use the school's gymnasium-auditorium as a worship space until funds were raised to build a new church. In 1957 the parish was renamed St. John/Holy Angels' Parish.

The church had changed its name from St. Patrick's to St.

John the Baptist in 1880, in honor of the patron saint of one of the church's benefactors, father John A. Lyons. In 1880 the floor of the church collapsed. It was decided to raze the building and construct a new church at the same location.

In June 2002 construction began on the new Holy Angels' Church. When completed, the current worship space will be converted into Holy Angels' Community Gymnasium and

Activity Center.

St. Johns will join two other locations — R. T. Foard and Jones Funeral Home and Deer Park Tavern — with state markers installed in the city so far. St. John/Holy Angels' Parish is also a national historic register.

"The property is significant for two reason," said Victoria Owen, a member of the Newark Heritage Alliance. "It has been and continues to be a Roman-Catholic Church built for the

Catholic Community. The second reason is because it is deemed to be an excellent example of Romanesque-Rival Ecclesiastical as interrupted by Newark builders."

The dedication of the sign will feature Rev. Richard A. Reissmann, who has been at the Parish for 18 years giving the dedication. Punch and cookies will be served on the lawn after the dedication.

"It's funny with churches, you

always think of them as part of the community," Pfeifer said. "St. John/Holy Angels' is not new. We've been around since the 1860s and have been a part of the community. We've birthed their children, married their children and they've stayed at our Parish. They stay in the community. We serve our Parish for a lifetime. The state marker shows how much of a role we play in the community."

# It's time to 'sit back and laugh at myself'

## ► RAVING, from 8

outfit well, but I had a wet foot. I should have dressed to go, not to show. This is an expression I learned several years earlier when I attended a state football game that my former high school was involved in at Bucknell

**Solution to The Post Stumper on Page 11.**

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University. Bucknell is located in northern Pennsylvania and it gets cold there. I was only a year out of high school and dressed up for the game to "look good."

As my friend's father pointed out to me as I shivered from the sideline with stylish, but not warm enough clothing, "You dressed to show, not to go." The expression has stayed with me, but I haven't always followed the instructions, meaning, it is easier said than done.

As I drove to see President McAleese, it rained as hard as I've seen it rain in a long time. That's when I remembered that I didn't have an umbrella. I was wearing a windbreaker and had my sports jacket under my arm so it wouldn't get wet as I made a sprint to Mitchell Hall. I thought McAleese's Secret Service guys would pick me off, not knowing why this guy was charging toward the building wearing an

Adidas windbreaker and another object tucked under his arm.

After the ceremony it was still raining hard and I was relieved when I got back to my car. But then I realized something was missing. The sports coat had tucked under my arm when running in and wore once I got there, was now sitting on a bench at Mitchell Hall. I had to go back, and the rain was not letting up. Already wet, especially my left foot, I was about to become soaked.

I was having one of those day, when nothing goes right and all I could do was laugh. But unlike Jimmy Buffet's song, where he sings nothing remains quite the same, life has a way of repeating things until you get it right. Three days later it rained again and I still didn't have an umbrella and I was wearing the same shoes.

This is just a small thing, but think about some of the other

times we keep running around in a circle, repeating the same things because we didn't learn life's lessons. You promise yourself you won't be late and then you are late again. You pledge not to speed and then you get pulled over again. You tell yourself you are going to stop saying what you are thinking and then you do it again. You say you are not going to buy anything from telemarketers, but the deal is too good, however you get burned again. You tell yourself you are not going to eat so much food, but you are stuffed again. You vow to only buy a present for your brother, but then you purchase three things for yourself.

Hopefully I will soon learn from my mistakes, keep my own promises and learn to follow my own mottoes. But until then, I will just sit back and laugh at myself. If not, I would sure go insane.

■ *The author was editor of The Hershey Chronicle prior to becoming the Newark Post news editor. A graduate of Penn State, he has been a community journalist for more than a decade.*

## ■ Building fund sale

Seventh and eighth grade students of Newark Charter School are hosting a yard sale-bake sale on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Proceeds from this sale will be donated to: Newark Charter School Building Fund, National Brain Tumor Foundation and Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company Fire Department.

Household items, clothes and baked goods will be available for sale at the school, located at 924 Barksdale Road. This event will take place rain or shine.

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**LONGABERGER BASKET BINGO** 7 p.m. games, raffles, cash snack bar/food and drinks at Mill Creek Fire Company. \$20 for 20 games. Info., 998-9685.

**GUS MERCANTE** 7 p.m. program presented by award-winning counter-tenor from the University of Delaware at New Ark United

Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. Free-will contribution accepted.

**COMEDY CABARET** 9:45 p.m. tonight and tomorrow. Keven Sullivan; from Comedy Central Ed McGonigal; and special guest emcee Keith Dunning at Colby & Company (formerly The Ground Round), 801 S. College Ave. \$15. Info., 652-6873.

**HALLOWEEN HOOTENANNY** 7 - 10 p.m. build a scarecrow, paint or carve a pumpkin, tunnel through a haybale maze, music and stories at Brandywine Creek State Park. Park entrance fees will be in effect. Info., 577-3534.

**FALL FESTIVAL** Through tomorrow. Crafts, bake sale, silent auction, food and more at Red Clay Creek Presbyterian Church, 500 McKennans's Church Rd. Info., 432-1815.

**CHRYSANTHEMUM FESTIVAL** Through Nov. 24. Annual indoor festival of more than 20,000 gold, white and purple-hued chrysanthemums at Longwood Gardens near Kennett Square. For more information, call 610-388-1000.

**HAYRIDES** Through Nov. 9. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. 50-minute hayride and campfire at Bellevue State Park. \$65-\$75 per wagon. For more information, call 793-3046.

**OLD FASHIONED HAYRIDES** Through Oct. 27. One hour hayride followed by a snack and beverage at White Clay Creek State Park. For reservations and info., call 368-6900.

**RECENT ACQUISITIONS** Through Dec. 18. exhibit presenting a selection of rare books, manuscripts, and other materials acquired by the University of Delaware since 2000 at the Morris Library. Info., call 831-2231.

**BEYOND OSCAR WILDE** Through Nov. 10. Portraits of Late-Victorian Artists and Writers from the Mark Samuels Lasner Collection at University Gallery, North College Ave. For more information, call 831-8242.



This Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. will be family and children's programs at the Philadelphia Museum of Art. The Saeko Inchinohe Dance Company will perform at 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. The family day will highlight the special exhibition: Munakata Shiko: Japanese Master of Modern Prints. For information, call 215-684-7902

**SHARED VOICES** Through Jan. 5. Modern Gay Literature exhibit at the Morris Library, South College Ave. Info., 831-2231.

**SPINELESS WONDERS: BUGS FROM AROUND THE WORLD** Through Jan. 5. Exhibit at The Delaware Museum of Natural History. For more information, call 658-9111.

SATURDAY

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**ALLHALLOWS EVE COSTUME BALL** 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. vampires, devils, starlets and superheroes will dance the night away in Brandywine River Museum's haunted courtyard. For information and tickets, call 610-388-2700.

**COMEDY AT TIMOTHY'S** 9 p.m. and 11 p.m. shows. Joe Bublewicz, S. Anthony Thomas, and John Vitali at Timothy's/Newark, 100 Creekview Rd. Reservations, 738-9915.

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST** 8 a.m.-noon breakfast to benefit Meals on Wheels at Newark Senior Center, 200 White Chapel Dr. \$5 per adult, \$4 per child. Info., 737-2336.

**FAMILY STYLE TURKEY DINNER** 4-7 p.m. dinner in New Castle United Methodist Church's Fellowship Hall. \$4 for children under 12 years old, \$8 adults. Take-out available. Info., 328-2207.

**CRAFT SHOW** 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. crafts, bake table, white elephant table, children's table and lunch at the Methodist Church on Broad Street in North St. Georges. Info., 836-0415.

**BOO AT THE ZOO** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. spooky fun, pumpkin decorating, face painting, Halloween stories and more at The Brandywine Zoo, 1001 N. Park Drive, Wilmington. Activities are free with paid admission to the zoo. Info., 571-7850, ext. 208.

**USED BOOK SALE AND FARMERS MARKET** 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. sale at the site of the old Division of Motor Vehicles on the corner of 8th and Grant Streets in Wilmington. Info., 302-427-0252.

**YARD/BAKE SALE** 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. sale of household items, clothes and baked goods at Newark Charter School, 924 Barksdale Rd. Info., 292-0980.

**RIDERS ON THE WIND** 9 a.m. walk through White Clay Creek to search for broad-winged hawks, bald eagles and other raptors that may be migrating in the park. Binoculars available for pre-registered participants only. 368-6900.

**PEACE MARCH** Chartered bus will leave for Washington at 8:30 sharp and from the Park & Ride in Newark at 9 a.m. \$20 per passenger. Info., 656-2721.

SUNDAY

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**GLORIOUS GUITARS** 7:30 p.m. symphony concert in Loudis Recital Hall, Amy E. du Pont Music Building, Orchard Road and South College Ave. \$12 general admission, \$10 seniors, \$6 students. Info., 369-3466.

**SCOTT MACKLER 5K RUN/WALK** Noon run/walk to benefit The ALS Association at Temple Beth El, 301 Possum Park Rd. Preregistration \$18; \$20 day of race.

**55th ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARADE** 3 p.m. march down Main Street. Trick or Treat Main Street to be held after the parade at 5 p.m. To participate in the parade, call 366-7060.

See HAPPENINGS, 11 ►

## ■ FRIDAY, OCT. 25

**PACE CLASS** 9 a.m. Fridays or Mondays. People with arthritis can exercise at Newark Senior Center. \$13/month. Info, 737-2335.

**CARDIO POWER** 9 a.m. Fridays or Mondays at Newark Senior Center. Increase endurance, strength and flexibility. 737-2336.

## ■ SATURDAY, OCT. 26

**ESTONIAN TRADITIONAL ARTS** 7:30 p.m. music, dance, and food at Wheaton Village, 1501 Glasstown Rd., Millville, N.J. \$10 adults, \$5 students. Info., 865-825-6800, Ext. 2730.

**DIVORCECARE** 1-3 p.m. Saturdays and 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays. Separated/divorced persons meet at Praise Assembly, 1421 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark. All welcome. Info, 737-5040.

**POST-POLIO SUPPORT** 10 a.m. to noon fourth Saturday of month. Meeting at the Easter Seal Independent Living Center, Reads Way, New Castle. For information, call Paula Hentz at 369-3905 or 764-1714.

**PROSE READING** 7 p.m. Fourth Saturdays at Art House, Delaware Avenue, Newark. Free. 266-7266.

## ■ SUNDAY, OCT. 27

**AUTHOR READINGS** 2 to 3 p.m. Fourth Sundays. Featured readers and open mike at Arts House, Delaware Avenue.

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## ■ MONDAY, OCT. 28

**ORCHIDS ON YOUR WINDOWSILL** 7-9 p.m. class discussing care of orchids, including light and temperature control, watering, fertilizing, and potting mix at Fischer Greenhouse, University of Delaware. \$18. Info., 831-1355.

**NEW DIRECTIONS** 7:15 to 9:30 p.m. Support group for families, friends and persons with clinical and manic depression at the Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Wilmington. For information, call Dolores at 286-1161 or June at 610-265-1594.

**TRU-DEE BURRELL** 7:30 presentation about project in a school in Stellenbosch, South Africa at Memorial hall, First Presbyterian Church. Public Welcome. Info., 731-4724.

**FREE VISION SEMINAR** 10 a.m. to noon seminar featuring renowned Philadelphia Ophthalmologist Dr. Stephen Sinclair at Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, 625 Montgomery Ave., Bryn Mawr, Pa. Info., 215-886-4026.

**CHORUS OF BRANDYWINE** 7:30 p.m. every Monday. Men's barbershop rehearsals at MBNA Bowman Conference Center, Oglethorpe. All are welcome. 655-SING.

**NEWARK DELTONES** 7:30 p.m. Mondays at Newark United Church of Christ, Main Street. For information, call 368-1749.

**GUARDIANS' SUPPORT** 6-8 p.m.

## MEETINGS

Mondays. Meeting for grandparents and all those raising others' children at Children & Families First, 62 N. Chapel St., Newark. For information or to register, call 658-5177, ext. 260.

**SINGLES CIRCLE** 7 p.m. every Monday at New London Presbyterian Church, 1986 Newark Road (Route 896) in New London, Pa. 610-869-2140.

**LINE DANCING** 1 and 2:30 p.m. every Monday at Newark Senior Center. 737-2336.

**SCOTTISH DANCING** 8 p.m. Mondays at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, South College Avenue, Newark. For information, call 368-2318.

**NEWARK ROTARY CLUB** 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. every Monday at the Holiday Inn, Route 273, 453-8853.

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

## ■ TUESDAY, OCT. 29

**DR. JOE MARTIN** 7 p.m. discussion to explain some of the evidences of a designer in the marvelous creatures God has put on this earth at Bible Fellowship Church of Newark, 808 Old Baltimore Pike. Info., 731-5395.

**SWEET ADELINES** 7:30 -10 p.m.

Singing group meets Tuesdays at MBNA Bowman Center, Route 4, Newark. Listeners and new members welcome. Info, 999-8310.

**AEROBICS FOR WOMEN** 6 p.m. Tuesdays at Glasgow Reformed Presbyterian Church, Summit Bridge Road, Bear. Free. Nursery, \$2/child. Info, call 834-4772.

**OPEN MIKE/SLAM** 8-10 p.m. Tuesdays. Poetry reading/competition at Art House, 132 E. Delaware Ave., Newark, \$2. 266-7266.

**SCRAPBOOKING** 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays at Glasgow Reformed Presbyterian Church, Summit Bridge Road, Glasgow. Nursery, \$2/child. Info, call 834-GRPC.

**MS SUPPORT** 4-6 p.m. Tuesdays at MS Society Headquarters, 2 Mill Road, Wilmington. Info, call 655-5610.

**SIMPLY JAZZERCIZE** 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and 9 a.m. Wednesdays. Low impact fitness program at Newark Senior Center. Call 737-2336 to register.

**EATING DISORDER** 7 to 8:30 p.m. last Tuesdays. Support group for people with disorder, and family and friends meets at Trinity Presbyterian Church, Naaman's & Darley roads, North Wilmington. Free & open to public. Info, 475-1880.

## ■ WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30

**C.H.A.D.D.** 7:30 p.m., newcomers at 7 p.m. Both Adult Support Group and Parent Support Group for persons with attention deficit disorders meet third Wednesday of month at New Ark United Church of

Christ, Main Street. 737-5063.

**BAKING CLASS** Noon and 7 p.m. bread baking classes at Holiday Inn Select Wilmington. No registration required. Free

**TAI CHI** 2:30 p.m. Wednesday or Monday; 11:15 a.m. Friday, at Newark Senior Center. \$20/month. 737-2336.

**JAZZERCIZE 'LIGHT'** 9 a.m. Wednesdays at Newark Senior Center. \$15/month. To register, call 737-2336.

**FAMILY CIRCLES** 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Newark Senior Center. 658-5177.

## ■ THURSDAY, OCT. 31

**LET'S DANCE CLUB** 4 to 6 p.m. Thursdays. Bring partner and dance to DJ and Big Band Music at Newark Senior Center. info, call 737-2336.

**YOUNG ADULT DEPRESSION** 7-8:30 p.m. Thursdays. Support group sponsored by Mental Health Association in Delaware for ages 18-26. Free. To protect privacy of members, meeting locations provided only with registration at 765-9740.

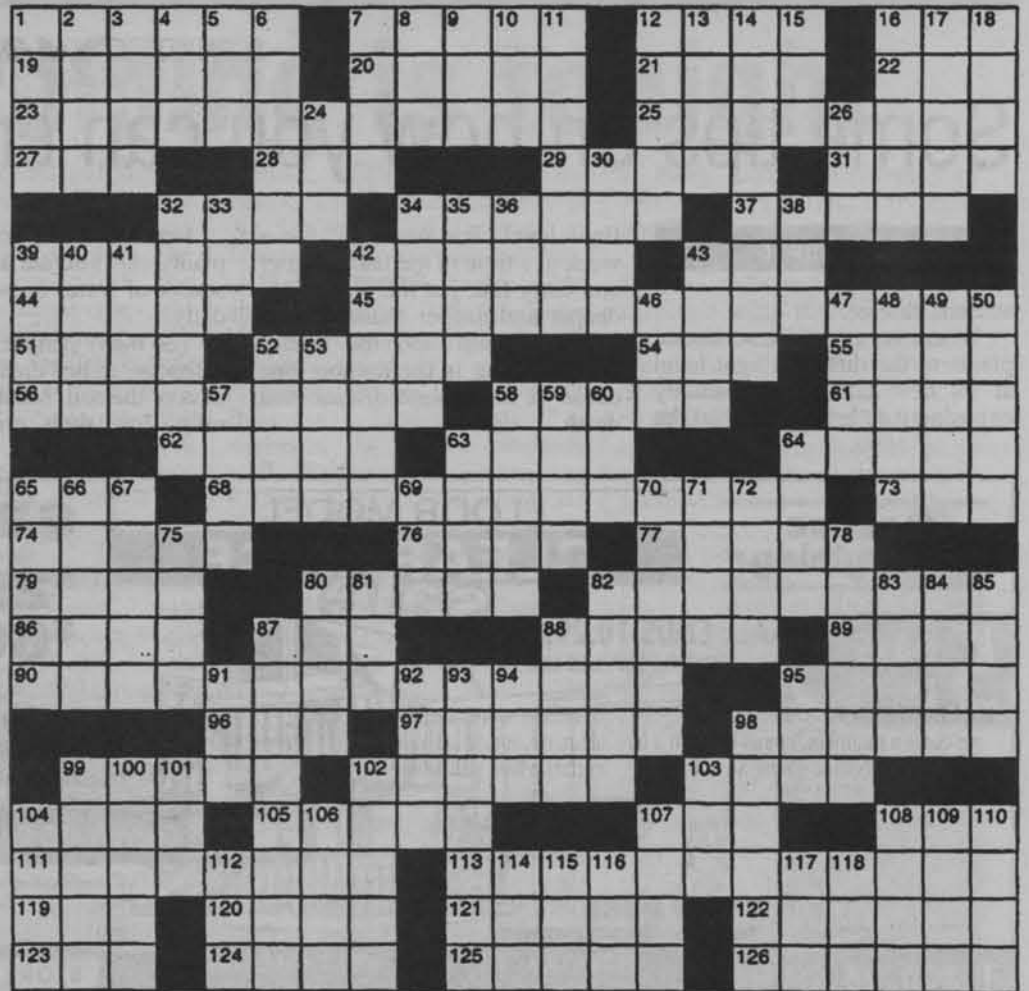
**DIVORCECARE** 7-8:30 p.m. Thursdays. Separated/divorced persons meet at Southern Chester County YMCA, East Baltimore Pike, Jennersville, Pa. Childcare available; ages 7 and up get to swim. 610-869-2140.

**NEWARK MORNING ROTARY** 7-8:15 a.m. every Thursday at the Blue & Gold Club, Newark. For information, call 737-1711 or 737-0724.



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28 Little fox  
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## ▶ HAPPENINGS, from 10

## ■ MONDAY, OCT. 28

**ADULT CO-ED VOLLEYBALL** 7-10 p.m. Mondays at at Glasgow Reformed Presbyterian Church, Summit Bridge Road, Glasgow. Info, call 834-GRPC.

## ■ TUESDAY, OCT. 29

**SOCCER SKILLS EVENT FOR SPE-**

**CIAL OLYMPICS** 10:20 a.m. showcase of skills special Olympians have learned such as dribbling, shooting, running, kicking and controlling the passing ball at the Delaware Athletic Trainer's Club, University of Delaware. For more information, call 831-4653.

**HALLOWEEN PARTY** 4-5:30 p.m. games, refreshments and a costume parade for children ages 3-12 at Downes School Cafeteria. \$1 at the door. Info., 366-7060.

**LOCAL BAND NIGHT** 8:30 p.m.

comedian Brian Scolaro in the Perkins Student Center on Academy Street.

**DINNER TRAIN** 6:30 p.m. Ride a restored 1929 Pennsylvania Railcar on Wilmington & Western Railroad to restaurant in Red Clay Valley. \$39 per person. Reservations required. 998-1930.

## ■ WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30

**MONSTER'S BALL** 7:30 p.m. film in

the Trabant University Center Theatre, South College Ave. \$1. Info., 831-1296.

**VETERANS' HOMECOMING** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. information and referral day at Nur Temple, 198 S. DuPont Highway in New Castle. Free. Info., 800-461-8262, ext. 5331.

**BINGO** 12:45 p.m. Wednesdays at Newark Senior Center. Lunch available for \$2/platter at 11:45 a.m. 737-

2336.

## ■ THURSDAY, OCT. 31

**COMMUNITY FALL FESTIVAL** 4-7 p.m. Trick or Treating, photos, and lots of fun at Perryville Outlets. For more information, call 410-378-5758.

**STARVING FOR ART** 12:15 - 1:15 p.m. Thursday lunch tours at the Delaware Art Museum, Kentmere Parkway, Wilm..571-9590, ext. 538.

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# Some tips on how you can enjoy year-round gardening

## ► OUTLOOK, from 8

seasons change.

Whenever possible, acclimate plants to the different light level at its new home by gradually exposing it to levels closer to the

final level. For example, for a week at a time in the late summer and early fall, put the plants into deeper and deeper shade, before bringing them into the house. Overwatering is the number one cause of houseplant disease and death.

Few of the common houseplants can tolerate standing in a saucer of water or being watered daily.

Too many people water by the calendar, rather than by the dryness of the soil. Most plants naturally slow their growth in the

shorter days of fall and winter. Slower growth means less water uptake.

Use your finger to gauge the moistness of the soil at or just below the surface.

When the soil feels dry, water the plant thoroughly so that water runs out of the drain hole.

When drainage stops, empty the saucer of excess water. Avoid fertilizing plants in the winter, too.

Plants aren't growing actively enough to use fertilizer effectively, and the excess nutrients could attract pests.

Some of these pests are effectively controlled with daily rins-

ing with tepid water. Others you may need to use a labeled houseplant pesticide.

For more information on home lawns, gardens, and pests, contact The Garden Line at garden-line@udel.edu or phone 302-831-8862.

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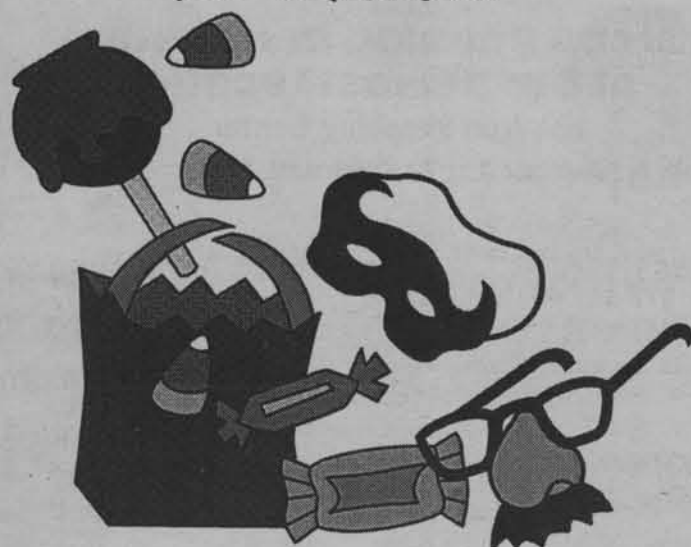
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## Free 'mocktails' offered

### ► ALCOHOL, from 12

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The evening of unusual activities, novelties and entertainment will include caricaturists, card readers, palm readers, soothsayers, clowns, jugglers, body artists and balloon artists. Virtual Reality Pods will be set up in the Hen Zone, and pool and other video games will be free for this night only. Free snacks, beverages and "mocktails" also will be provided.

In addition to these specific events, a student writing competition on alcohol abuse issues is being held now through Nov. 8 with the theme, "Be Part of the Solution." Sponsored by The Inter-Association Task Force on Alcohol & Other Substance Abuse Issues through funding from Anheuser-Busch Companies, top prize is \$2,000

and two second prize winners will be awarded \$1,000 each. To be eligible students must be enrolled as full-time undergraduates at the time of application and registered at an accredited four or two-year college or university.

Entries must be postmarked on or before Friday Nov. 8, or delivered to Tyler Haynes Commons, University of Richmond by 5 p.m. on that day.

The essay topic is "What advice would you give to someone you care about on the ways college students can play a positive role - emphasizing personal responsibility and respect for the law - when it comes to their choices around drinking alcohol?" Please see [www.iatf.org](http://www.iatf.org) for additional information and submission requirements.

For University of Delaware Alcohol-free events throughout the academic year, visit the SCENE web site at <http://udel.edu/stu-org/scene>.

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# Carlin ready for Newark show

By ERIC G. STARK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**G**EORGE CARLIN had a plan, one that at age 11 didn't include hanging out in a New York hotel on a cordless phone on a Wednesday afternoon talking about the pulse of society and being sensitive.

No, Carlin's plan included him being like Danny Kaye, a funny guy who was in the movies. By 13 or 14 years old, he started setting this plan in motion. His mother bought him a recorder and he figured he would start as a disc jockey, build his confidence in radio and then move into movies and be an actor.

In 1960, after four years in the

radio business he jumped into the acting scene, but it didn't go very well. The parts weren't coming too fast, and he later got stereotyped into aging hippy roles and professors.

Fortunately his knack for comedy has proven to have lasted longer and become more fruitful.

"I developed greater skills and become more of a writer who performs his own things, as opposed to a comedian who writes his own things," said Carlin, who be performing this Sunday 7:30 p.m. at the Bob Carpenter Center (tickets are \$35 and \$25).

"I discovered I really could write this stuff pretty prolifically," he said. "A lot of comedians can't get past their first hour or 20 minutes or whatever. No one

sets out to be a comedian all their life. You did it to take you somewhere. Nowadays it's more of a cut and dry formula for people. They do stand-up until they are noticed for a sitcom or acting parts or get a spot on Saturday Nite Live or get something. I found I could really write and write in volume."

He's done his share of writing, too. His credits include 12 HBO specials and two books.

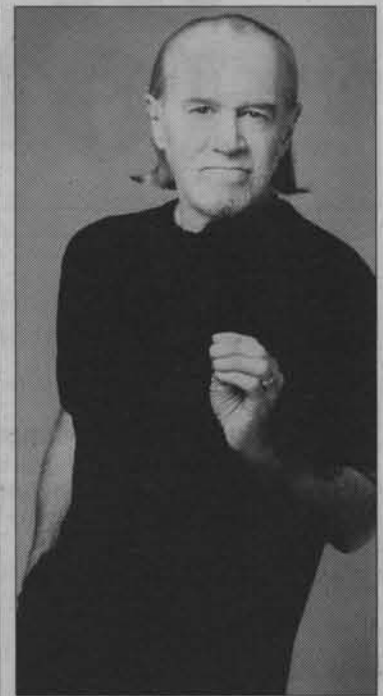
Not all his words are kind or sensitive, not all his words are clean and church-worthy. But they are his just the same.

"I am trying to have fun, but I know I have thoughts that some people find interesting, and I know I know they interest me," Carlin said. "Do I like making people think? I don't like making

people think. What I think I'm doing is showing them how I think. If that make them think, fine. Then we have a transaction."

Now, 42 years after first starting out to be movie after, he has landed his biggest role. Wednesday afternoon he was in New York on a dayoff from shooting in Kevin Smith's romantic comedy "Jersey Girl," slated for release in 2003. Carlin plays Ben Affleck's father in the film. The movie also stars Jennifer Lopez and much of it is filmed in the Philadelphia area.

"It's the most number of scenes and the largest time on screen I've ever had," Carlin said. "A lot of times when you are not reaching and grasping for things they come your way."



Comedian-actor George Carlin will be appearing Sunday, Oct. 27 at the Bob Carpenter Center in Newark. Show is at 7:30 p.m.

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# Candidates respond to questions

■ **Editor's note:** With the election scheduled for Nov. 5, this is the first of a two-part look at some of local races in this area.

By **ERIC G. STARK**

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

■ **Joe Pickering, 5th District, New Castle County Council, (Republican)**

**1. Short facts** - address, age, marital status/kids with ages, your education, years in Newark. He is the challenger.

A) He lives at 28 Charles Pointe, Thornwood, Newark. He is 34-years-old and married. He and his wife, Susan, have lived in Newark for almost six years and have two children, Connor (5 years) and Nora (18 months). He has a B.S. in Computer Science from East Stroudsburg University.

**2. What are the greatest issues facing council members? Your plans?**

A) The three greatest issues facing New Castle County today are county finances, infrastructure, and politics as usual, Pickering said. "That is to say that they plan to spend more that they receive in income," Pickering said.

"The administration will spend \$8.289 million more than they estimate they will receive this year in income. This is unconscionable. The only way to balance the budget is to take money from the savings fund."

Infrastructure - "The land use process needs to be re-designed," he said. "The Planning Board needs to have a greater role."

Politics as usual - With this Pickering refers to the U.S. Attorney's office alleging that the New Castle County Executive's office improperly used county resources in an election.

"I propose changing the current form of county government to a council-manager form of

government," he said. "As a matter of fact, the City of Newark is one local municipality that uses this form. New Castle County Councilmembers have cited the City of Newark as a very effective and efficient government. It is designed to eliminate politics from the day-to-day administration of our government."

**3. What are the greatest issues facing Newark and its residents? Your plans?**

A) Pickering wants to see how the City of Newark and the county can become better partners. "I would like to see, and will work for, better communication and cooperation between the county, the local municipalities, the state, and the school districts," he said.



Pickering

**4. It's a thankless job. Why do you want to be in public office?**

A) "I wouldn't say that making a difference for the better in people's lives should be considered a thankless job," he said. "I am an optimist who wants to help the people around me. In addition, I was motivated when I saw the how poorly the County Executive and County Council handled the Ethics Commission issue."

**5. What experiences that have prepared you to be a public official?**

A) In his professional life, he is a project manager in an information technology department. He said his job is frequently putting him between several groups of people that seem to have conflicting purposes and goals. His job is to make order out of chaos, to facilitate communication, and to deliver a product that meets the goals of the project. This is very

similar to what is required in the political office, he said

**6. Why are you the better choice?**

A) Pickering believes the citizens deserve a councilmember who will put their interests first. They deserve a councilmember, he said, who will fight to preserve the rainy day fund for when it is truly needed, instead of using our savings to pay for an unbalanced budget. They deserve a councilmember who will work to create a more open government, a councilmember who will not tolerate the nonsense happening today.

■ **Karen Venezky, 5th District, New Castle County Council (Democrat)**

**1. Short facts** - address, age, marital status/kids, education, years in Newark

A) She lives at 206 Hollihen Dr. in the Oaklands in Newark. She is 59 years old and married with two children, ages 31 and 30. She graduated from Cornell University with a bachelors degree in art, attended Stanford for graduate work and later earned a technical college degree in graphic design. Venezky has spent 25 years in Newark area. She is the incumbent.

**2. What are the three greatest issues facing council members? Your plans?**

A) She believes the greatest issues is determining sustainable land development, to come up with a plan that makes sense now and for the future and not have a negative impact on the future. She is also concerned with environmental protection. "I am working on a conservation design that is taking the next step," Venezky said. "It is extremely important to have enough land for water to recharge and soak into the ground."

**3. What are the greatest issues facing Newark and its residents? Your plans?**

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A) She believes land issues are a concern in the area, and she is going to make sure land developers in the county do not have a negative impact on this community. She will also make sure Newark residents get the appropriate rate and nothing higher than it should be for such things as sewage. "I work very closely to make sure Newark is protected," she said.



Venezky

**4. It's a thankless job. Why do you want to be in public office?**

A) Venezky said she has always been extremely interested in government and political

issues. She was appointed to current position to fill an opening in 1992. "This is a really good way to be involved," she said. "I have always had a very strong volunteer background." She is involved in public and private service, and considers that the most important thing she does. "For me, as a volunteer, this just give me another chance to do it," she said. "I can use public office to help people."

**5. What experiences have prepared you to be a public official?**

A) She has learned through her volunteer work to listen to people. "You listen and you get great ideas," said Venezky, who has served 10 years in politics. Wanting to make people's lives better has impacted her career, she said.

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## 6. Why are you the better choice?

A) "See voting record," she said. "There are things I am very proud of. I helped bring in the new library in Newark and helped bring other new things to the district. I am very proud of my legislative record and my service. People can see I give a lot of thought into what would make this area better. I would like to continue working for the people."

■ **Liane Sorenson**, State Senate, 6th District (Republican)

1. **Short facts** — address, age, marital status/kids, education, years in Newark

A) She lives at 417 Sun Hill, Hockessin. Sorenson is 55 years old and married. She has three children ages 26, 24 and 22. She earned Bachelors and Masters degrees from the University of Delaware. She has lived in Delaware most of her life and at her current location for 27 years.

Both candidates are incumbents.

## 2. What are the greatest issues facing legislators? Your plans?

A) The biggest overriding issue is the budget, Sorenson said. "I know how difficult it is to balance and run things effectively," she said. "We had to cut \$95 million from the budget." Sorenson said another issue is education, something she said is vitally important. "We need to get parental involvement," she said, "and give teachers all the support

they need. I sponsored a bill with Tim Boulden to look at class size."

## 3. What are the greatest issues facing Newark and its residents? Your plans?

A) The issues Sorenson said she hears the most about is water in the drought/environment. The other is traffic. With environment, she would like to see curb-side recycling. "I've been involved with preserving open space. Bike trails through the city will help."



Sorenson

## 4. It's a thankless job. Why do you want to be in public office?

A) She said she had been involved with volunteer work for years. Sorenson enjoys helping others. She lobbied for children and families. When she got to Dover and saw she was making a difference. Sorenson has spent 10 years in elected office, working two years in the House of Representatives and eight years in the Senate.

## 5. What experiences have prepared you to be a public official?

A) "Certainly community service helped me," Sorenson said. "Also dealing with volunteering is good for working with constituents."

## 6. Why are you the better choice?

A) "Greater experience," Sorenson said. "I have eight years in the Senate. I am the only woman in leadership. My first two years in the House I was chair of the education committee. I also spent six on the finance committee, which determines the budget for the state. I have a been

in a higher level of leadership and have a greater breath of community involvement."

■ **Richard A. DiLiberto**, State Senate, 6th District (Democrat)

1. **Short facts** — address, age, marital status/kids, equation, years in Newark

A) He lives at 311 Winterthur Lane, Newark. He is 41 years old, married and the father of children, ages 5, 11, 13. DiLiberto attended Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania and Widener University of Law in Wilmington, Del. He has lived in Newark since 1987. Both candidates are incumbents. DiLiberto's district was eliminated.

## 2. What are the greatest issues facing legislators? Your plans?

A) The first thing DiLiberto believes needs to be addressed is the fine line between appropriate open space and protecting the environment, while providing appropriate housing. He said he helped add 504 acres of land to White Clay Creek State Park "Don't take away open space when you can replace old, stagnant buildings with new homes," DiLiberto said.

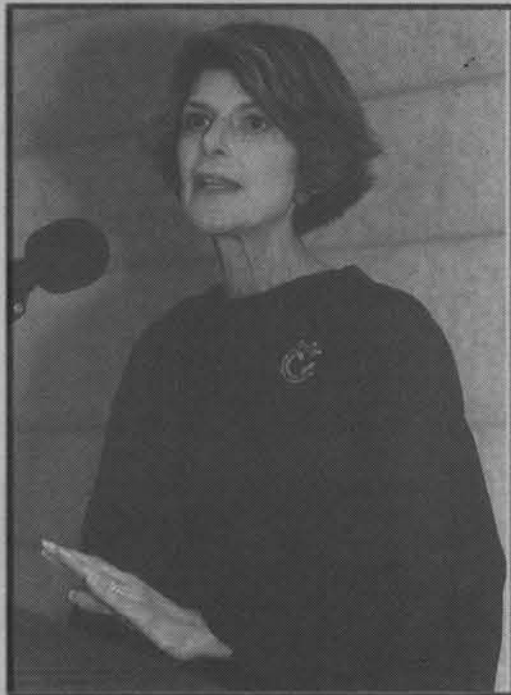


DiLiberto

## 3. What are the greatest issues facing Newark and its residents? Your plans?

A) DiLiberto believes public safety and a fair minimum wage are two issues concerning residents. He wrote Megan's Law, a bill which identifies sexual

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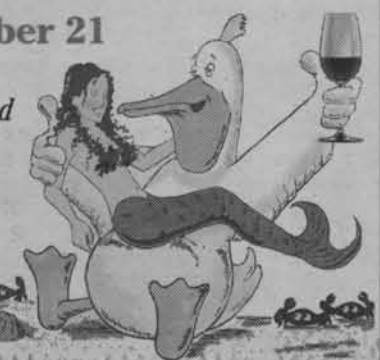
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# DELAWARE VS. NEW HAMPSHIRE

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## UD tries to bounce back at home

New Hampshire is playing its best ball of the season

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The biggest positive for the University of Delaware football team this week is that it plays New Hampshire in Delaware Stadium.

The Blue Hens (4-4, overall, 2-3 Atlantic-10) are undefeated in Newark this season and, coming off last week's terrible 17-14 overtime loss at Rhode Island, are winless on the road.

Just when Delaware appeared to have established some momentum with two quality wins over Northeastern and James Madison, it comes up with a flat performance against the lowly Rams.

"We have a young team that gets a little ahead of itself," said coach K.C. Keeler. "We had some success and I think we started to think beyond the team we were playing. They probably felt too good about themselves."

"It was a bad loss for us. It was a team we were capable of beating and we didn't do a good job."

New Hampshire is another team Delaware is capable of beating.

The Wildcats (2-5, 1-4), despite their poor record, are playing their best football of the season. They've won two of their last three games, including a 20-

10 victory over Richmond. Their lone loss was a fairly tight 34-27 setback against William & Mary.

A key to New Hampshire's improvement has been its diverse offense.

"They do a lot of things offensively," Keeler said. "You name it and they try it. If it was on TV over the weekend, they'll find a way to get into their game plan. It makes it very difficult to prepare for."

That is exactly what New Hampshire had hoped for.

"As a defensive coach, I know that if you move formations around a lot, it makes it difficult to prepare for," said New Hampshire coach Sean McDonnell. "We're going to find a lot of ways to do things." In turn, McDonnell is impressed with the Delaware offense.

"They have a helluva player at quarterback in Andy Hall," McDonnell said. "He was obviously good enough to play in the ACC [at Georgia Tech]. He makes good decisions, throws it well and is a real threat running the ball. He's the key to their offense."

Keeler hopes his team can get back on track.

"We need to keep working on things," the coach said. "We've had some injuries and that has hurt us some. But we still have to get the job done."

One thing Keeler wants to do is get his offense back to the tempo it had in the Northeastern and James Madison games.

"I was a little disappointed that the official wouldn't let us play quicker," he said. "They

would stand over the ball while the defense got set. If they're going to do that, there's no sense being in a no-huddle offense."

### Delaware leads series

The Blue Hens lead the overall series with the Wildcats 17-7. They have also won four of the last five meetings.

However, New Hampshire has won four of the last five meetings in Newark. And since Delaware joined the conference the teams have split their 12 meetings.

New Hampshire upended the Hens 45-44 in overtime two years ago in Delaware Stadium.

### Injury update

Delaware is still smarting from the injury bug.

Freshman Roger Brown missed the Rhode Island game with a hamstring injury. Brown is one of the players Keeler inserted into the lineup midway through the season in order to get more speed on the field.

In addition, Brian Ingram's high ankle sprain has him doubtful for this Saturday's game. Ingram, the team's leading receiver heading into the Northeastern game, has missed the last two games.

Antawn Jenkins, who also has missed the last two games with a back injury, is also doubtful for Saturday's contest.

Ricardo Walker, a starting cornerback, missed the Rhode Island game with a knee injury and is doubtful this week.

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SEPT. 14	at The Citadel (L)	20-24
SEPT. 21	WEST CHESTER (W)	31-10
SEPT. 28	at Wm. & Mary (L)	42-45
OCT. 5	NORTHEASTERN (W)	27-10
OCT. 12	J. MADISON (W)	23-10
OCT. 19	at Rhode Island (L)	14-17
OCT. 26	NEW HAMPSHIRE	NOON
NOV. 2	at Massachusetts	NOON
NOV. 9	at Maine	NOON
NOV. 23	VILLANOVA	1 p.m.



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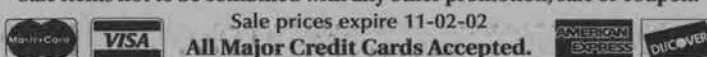
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# Sports

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## POST GAME

It won't be the same inside the stadium

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Blue Hen fans have two more opportunities to enjoy normalcy in Delaware Stadium.

Most, if not all, fans in the stadium Saturday have heard nobody else but Elbert Chance on the public address system. Elbert is part of University of Delaware football and, until now, nobody has given it a second thought.

As most of you know by now, Elbert decided this will be his last season at the microphone. He wanted to spend game days with his wife, Prue, and wanted to go out on top. It's safe to say that he certainly will be doing just that.



Valania

This week against New Hampshire and Nov. 23 against Villanova will be the last two games Elbert will call.

Just imagine, if you were a fan that had been coming to games for years, but for whatever reason were unable to make any this season.

If you're first game back is next year, you'll be in for an awakening. No Tubby, no Wing-T, no Elbert Chance — what a shock.

No matter who replaces Chance; no matter how good he or she is; it won't be the same as it has been for nearly half a century.

Whoever gets the job should talk to coach K.C. Keeler. He knows what it's like to replace a legend.

### Newark x-country wins Flight A

Congratulations to the  
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# Glasgow knocks off Newark



NEWARK POST PHOTO BY SCOTT MCALLISTER

Glasgow High players celebrate after upsetting Newark 14-7 Friday night at Hoffman Stadium.

Dragons hand Jackets first home loss since 1995

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

One of the main reasons that the Newark High football team won just about every game it played over the past five years, is that it played harder than every other team it faced.

Well, Glasgow High matched the Jackets' effort and then some Friday night.

The determined Dragons knocked off Newark 14-7 at Hoffman Stadium, spoiling Yellowjackets' coach Butch Simpson's first bid for his 200th official career victory and ending a home win streak that dated back to the middle of the 1995 season.

Glasgow used a punishing running game and a scrappy defense to rally from a 7-0 half-time deficit and earn the victory.

"We got out-coached and out-played in all phases of the game," Simpson said. "Without a doubt, we ran into a football team that was completely ready to play. We lost the physical nature of the game as well."

Turovers also cost Newark.

Glasgow's first score was set up when the Dragons recovered a fumble at the Newark 17 yard-line. Six plays later, Brandon

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# Long-time PA announcer set to retire

Chance's last game will be Nov. 23

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

University of Delaware football games look different this year with new coach K.C. Keeler on the sideline. Next season, the Blue Hen football games will sound different too.

Newark resident Elbert Chance, the voice of Delaware Stadium since the 1953 season,

has announced that he will retire as public address announcer for University of Delaware football games following the 2002 season.

Chance, 76, is currently announcing the events of Delaware football games from the Bob Kelley Memorial Press Box for his 49th season. He has missed just five games during his tenure, one of the longest in college football history. The Blue Hens will play their final regular



Chance

season home game Nov. 23 against Atlantic 10 rival Villanova.

"I was talking to [athletic director] Edgar Johnson before the season about something totally different and it came up out of the blue," Chance said. "He asked me about what my plans were and I told him my wife was wanting me to watch the games in the stands with her."

"She also told me that it would be nice to go out on top, while everybody is still happy with me and the job I'm doing."

The University will conduct a local search for Chance's replacement this spring.

"Elbert and his unmistakable voice have become synonymous with University of Delaware football over the years," said Johnson. "His service to the University and to Delaware football fans during the last 49 years has been incredible. His contributions have meant as much to the tradition and legacy of Blue Hen football as anyone else. It will be strange not to hear his voice booming throughout the stadium. He has meant so much to the Delaware football family and our fans."

Chance has rich memories of his years announcing. The ones

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# Salesianum soccer defeats St. Mark's 2-0

## Late PK seals defeat for Spartans

By JOE BACKER

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Highly-ranked Salesianum played a sturdy defense for 80 minutes in turning back Catholic Conference rival St. Mark's 2-0 Monday night before a capacity crowd at A.I. DuPont High School.

Senior Kevin Dunn scored for the Sals in the 35th minute from the right side following a direct kick, on only the team's third

shot of the first half.

Senior Steve Cavalier added an insurance goal with just over 19 minutes left in the game.

Cavalier was awarded the close-range shot after hand violation in the box by one of the Spartan defenders.

Salesianum's first year coach Scott Mosier said his team played well against a very good opponent.

"We played as a team, and we played smart, even after we had to move some players around," he said. "It took a lot of hard work, but the kids were able to handle the adversity tonight."

The Sals are now 10-2-2 on the season, but are undefeated against in-state opponents. The six-time defending state champi-

on Spartans are 10-2, having lost to two Delaware teams in one season for the first time in distant memory. The Sals also beat St. Mark's during the regular season last year, but lost to the Spartans in the state semifinals last November.

The Spartans controlled play early, outshooting the Sals 4-0 through the first twenty minutes of play. Sals senior keeper, Adrian Grise was called on to make several tough saves, especially on a shot by Spartan junior forward Brian Donnelly in the ninth minute, and on a point-blank shot by senior Ty Bastianelli in the 15th minute.

The Spartans potent offense peppered Grise, but were unable

to find the scoring touch on the cold, crisp evening.

Cavalier was called on to mark Spartan junior Jeff DiGiacobbe throughout the game.

He responded by limiting DiGiacobbe, the state's leading scorer to only three shots on goal. Cavalier said it was definitely an intense game.

"We knew we had to step it up a notch to beat them, so we were fortunate to play well all game this time," he said.

The Sals got their first shot towards goal by junior Brent Rueda with 17:50 remaining in the first half, while Ryan Dougherty had his team's first shot on goal in the 30th minute.

Midway through the second

half, Spartan senior Mike Zawislak made a great stop on a give-and-go play. Keeper Dan Mangat later made an excellent stop on

Another break-out by the Sals strikers.

Spartan coach Tom DeMatteis said he was pleased with his team's effort, despite the loss.

"I think we did a nice job, but once they got the PK, (penalty kick), they were able to clamp down on us defensively."

DeMatteis said he hoped his team would maintain the intensity the players showed against Salesianum for the remainder of the season, and into the upcoming playoffs.

# Christiana beaten by Delcastle

By JOE BACKER

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

Put another heartbreaker in the loss column for the Christiana High football team.

The Vikings fell 10-7 to Delcastle on Saturday, before a sparse crowd on the 'Cougars' cloudy, rainy, Homecoming Day. Christiana is now 2-4, and 1-2 in Blue Hen Conference Flight A, while Delcastle is also 2-4 overall, but 2-1 in conference.

Delcastle's burly offensive lineman Justin Boc, kicked a short, 22-yard field goal with only 29 seconds left on the clock to provide the margin of victory. Boc's kick was set up by a failed punt attempt by the Vikings deep in their own territory with just over a minute to play.

"We keep shooting ourselves in the foot, especially when we're near the end zone," said a disappointed Viking coach Marvin Spence. "It's definitely not from a lack of effort, but we just can't score when we need to right now," he said. Spence said he was mentally preparing for overtime, just before Delcastle's game-win-

ning drive.

After a scoreless first half, Delcastle scored with just over two minutes left in the third quarter. The Cougars took over on the Viking 30-yard line, when Christiana's punter tried to run for a first down after a high snap from center. Don Marshall ran for 21 yards, setting up a first and goal. Two plays later, Cougar quarterback Randy Haskins scored from seven yards out. Boc's extra point made it 7-0.

Christiana's Lewis Carter then put his offense in good position, running the ensuing kickoff back to the Delcastle 43-yard line. The Vikings then reeled off

their best drive of the day, going the distance in eight plays. Dave McComb scored on a one-yard sweep around the right side for Christiana's only touchdown of the game early in the fourth quarter. Jeff Houser added the extra point to knot the game at 7-7.

Delcastle coach Dan Pritchard, in his fourth season at the vocational-technical high school, said his team played well

without their top lineman, Anthony Perry.

"We teach team play all the time, and we got a good effort today from everyone, but I also want to say that Justin Boc and offensive lineman Sean Waterland stepped up and did a great job for us this afternoon," he said.

Delcastle faces a tough game again this Saturday when they host Middletown in another Flight A conference battle. The Cavaliers will look to get back on the winning track after losing a physical game to William Penn last week in New Castle.

Spence said he anticipated the Vikings to come out stronger in the second

half, after building some good momentum, and outgaining Delcastle during the first 24 minutes.

"I don't know what it is, things just haven't been going our way the last few games," he said.

The Vikings take on Flight A rival McKean, Saturday at 1 p.m. at home.

# Local teams win Flight A titles

## ► POST GAME, from 18

Newark High boys cross country team for winning the Blue Hen Conference Flight A championship.

The Yellowjackets wrapped up the title with a victory over Christiana and Glasgow in the annual Christina Cup at Iron Hill Park.

The Jackets finished with 17 points while the Vikings had 54

and the Dragons 78.

Newark's Paul Wilcox and Robert Netta both finished with a course-record time of 17:38.

Newark took six of the first eight places on its way to the victory.

All three teams will compete in the New Castle County championships this weekend.

## Glasgow wins soccer

Speaking of Flight A crowns,

Glasgow picked one up in soccer.

The Dragons rolled past William Penn 5-0 Tuesday evening to clinch the conference title with a 6-1 record.

Tolu Olowolafe and Justin Esposito scored two goals each to lead the Dragons to the win.

Glasgow is 9-4-1 on the season and will prepare for the upcoming state tournament.

# Newark soccer falls to A.I.

By JOE BACKER

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

It takes eighty minutes to complete a high school soccer match, and as any coach will quickly tell you, the team needs to work hard for the entire duration in

order to be successful.

"Against a good team, you can't play only 70 minutes," said a disappointed Newark coach Hugh Mitchell after the Yellowjackets 4-1 non-conference home loss to A.I. Dupont Thursday night. "We got off to a slow start recently against Salesianum, with the same final results," he said.

A.I. Dupont repeatedly swarmed Yellowjacket keeper Evan Walker during the opening minutes of the game, coming up with three quick goals, and taking a commanding 3-0 lead with less than 13 minutes off the scoreboard clock.

A.I. DuPont coach Greg Thompson said his team came out jumping.

"We played very well at first, and then we were inconsistent throughout most of the game. They took away the momentum, and we didn't get it back until the last few minutes," he said.

Tiger junior Chris Ventura banged in a rebound at the 5:31 mark, with the assist going to Justin Romanowski. About four minutes later, junior Sobhan Tadjalli scored his first of two goals on the night. Tadjalli then ripped in another goal at

12:50 thanks to a nifty set up from junior Alex Kukich. At that point, the entire

Newark team played a different brand of soccer.

The offense began to move the ball up-field with more consistency. The defense began to shut down the potent Tiger offense, keeping A.I.'s strikers away from the front of the net, and away from keeper Brad Jones who replaced Walker after the initial offensive blitz.

Newark's hard work finally paid off with about seven and a-half minutes left in the first half when senior Rick Buccos scored to shave the lead to 3-1. The Yellowjackets kept up the pressure, but were unable to cut further into the lead.

As the second half unfolded, Newark continued to have the better of the play, and had more shots on goal than the Tigers. But junior keeper Patrick Bruno kept the Yellowjackets at bay, making several sparkling saves.

A.I. finally put the game out of reach, when Kukich scored to give the Tigers a commanding 4-1 lead. Kukich's goal was assisted by senior Ryan Givier in the game's 74th minute.

Newark outshot A.I. 13-10 for the game, and registered six corner kicks for the game, compared to none for the Tigers.

"Take away the start of this game, and we might have had a different outcome," said Mitchell.

Newark also fell 2-0 to St. Elizabeth Tuesday night.

The Yellowjackets are now 4-9-1 on the season, while A.I. remains undefeated at 9-0-2. Newark wraps up the season this week against Christiana.



# Glasgow upsets Newark

## Chance to retire after season

### ► GLASGOW, from 18

Bazemore took a pitch from quarterback Shawn Lane and rumbled four yards into the end zone. Bazemore then ran in the conversion and Glasgow led 8-7 with 18 seconds to play in the third quarter.

The fumble bug hit the Jackets again on their next possession.

This time Glasgow recovered a swing pass that the officials ruled a lateral. Thinking it was an incomplete forward pass, Newark players let the free ball go while the Dragons fell on it.

Set up with a first down at the Newark 34 yard-line, it took the Dragons six plays to score. It was Van Shorts scoring on an 11-yard run. The two-point conversion failed and Glasgow led 14-7 with 6:19 to play in the game.

Newark was forced to punt after just three plays on its next possession and threw an interception on a one-play possession that followed.

After the interception, Glasgow picked up three first downs running the ball and ran out the clock, setting off a wild celebration among the Dragon players and coaching staff.

"Newark has had a great team," Lane said. "But we knew that they weren't as good as they have been the last few years. We also knew that this was our last

chance against a ranked team. We lost to William Penn and we lost to Middletown. This was our last chance to show everyone we could win against a good team."

Newark turned the ball over four times and failed to score any points after recovering a Glasgow fumble at the Dragons' three-yard line midway through the second quarter.

"That was huge," said Glasgow coach Mark DelPercio. "That gave us a lot of confidence at halftime. We felt we could play with them."

Newark did score on a 63-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Dan Perkins to end Matt Angeloni to take a 7-0 lead into the intermission.

"We didn't want that one play to get us down," DelPercio said. "We were able to move the ball and we stopped them when they were down there. I thought that was more significant than their one big play."

Glasgow churned out 257 yards on the ground, collecting first downs and running the clock.

"Oh my goodness — yes," said DelPercio when asked if this was his biggest win in his five years as head coach of the Dragons. "To beat a team like Newark, with all their tradition and what they've accomplished, it's a big win for our program."

### ► CHANCE, from 18

that stand out most are the 1977 victory over Colgate, a NCAA Division II semifinal victory over Winston-Salem State and a 16-13 upset of Navy with its Heisman Trophy candidate Napoleon McCallum.

"Colgate was so sure they were going to win they had a victory party the night before at the Hotel Dupont in Wilmington," Chance said. "They all wore their red blazers and red buttons, and then we went out and beat them. They just kind of evaporated after that."

Chance recalled the same kind of arrogance before the whooping of Winston-Salem.

Chance has used both his voice and his pen to chronicle the rich history of University of Delaware athletics like no one

else ever has.

Affiliated with the University since his days as a student in the early 1950's, Chance served as Sports Information Director in 1952-54 and as Alumni Director in 1956-85. He was inducted into the University of Delaware Athletics Hall of Fame in 2001.

A gifted writer and diligent researcher, Chance has penned countless articles and stories regarding the history of Delaware athletics and has published three popular books on University of Delaware football, the latest titled One Hundred Years Plus: The Story of Delaware football which was released last month.

He earned his bachelor's degree in 1952 and his master's degree in 1959 from Delaware. A native Delawarean, he also has authored "The Blue Hen Chronicles" and "One Hundred

Years of Delaware Football" (1989). He has also written articles and essays for the Wilmington News Journal, Newark Post, the Blue Hen Messenger, and the Blue Hen Gridder and has recorded pre-views of sporting events on WDEL radio.

Many fans and alumni associate Chance's voice with the university and Newark.

"One time an older alum came back to Newark for the first time in a long while," Chance said. "He said he strolled down Main Street and hardly recognized it because of all the changes. He saw how the campus changed and didn't recognize many of the faculty. But he said when he went into the stadium and heard my voice, he knew he was home."

Chances are, there are many others that feel the same way.

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# Newark HS Homecoming is tonight

By ERIC G. STARK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

**N**EWARK High School will hold Homecoming festivities this weekend. The football team will play William Penn on Friday night. The king and queen will be announced at the Homecoming dance on Saturday. Here is a look at the Homecoming court:

■ **Twanna L. Howard**, the daughter of Lincoln and Arlisa Howard, is involved with Bassa, BPA, Vice President of NSBE, Conflict Mediation and Eliminating Racism club. She plans to attend college at either Temple or Hampton University.

■ **Lauren Christie**, the daughter of Jon and Cheryl Christie, plays volleyball. She plans to attend college at the University of Delaware.

■ **Morgan L. Grimes**, the daughter of Susie Grimes and William Carter, is involved in Business Professionals of America, Brothers & Sisters Students Union, National Society of Black Engineers and yearbook

staff. She also trained as a conflict mediator and was also a member of the Partners in Eliminating Racism and a senior Class Senator. She has applied to several colleges including, Spelman College, University of Delaware, Hampton University and Clark-Atlanta University. She plans to major in either pre-medical or business studies.

■ **Dana Sausen**, the daughter of Carol Abel, participates in winter and spring track. She plans to attend the University of Delaware.

■ **Deena Anderson**, the daughter of Parker and Susan Anderson, plays field hockey and lacrosse. She will attend college at either Duke University or Boston University.

■ **Stephanie Popejoy**, the daughter of Marilyn Huebner, plays field hockey, soccer, and is the senior class vice president. She plans to attend the University of Delaware.

■ **Dianna Romaniovga**, the daughter of Alexander and Natasha Romaniovga, plans to attend the University of Delaware.

■ **Sarah Hammond**, the

daughter of Michael and Suzann Hammond, is a captain on the girls cross country team. She also ran indoor and outdoor track. She has been accepted at the University of Louisville and plans to major in business.

■ **Kim Kostas**, the daughter of Michele Meney, is active in lacrosse and is a captain on the cross country team. She is a member of the National Honor Society. She plans to attend the University of Delaware and major in communications.

■ **Lindsay Swinger**, the daughter of Stuart and Laura Swinger, plays field hockey and soccer. She has applied to Green Mountain College, the University of Maine and New England University.

■ **Christian Church**, the daughter of Robert and Chrissy Church, is involved with Brother and Sisters Students Union, Key Club, National Society of Black Engineers, Partners in Eliminating Racism, and Business Professionals of America. She is a reporter for the Telegram (school newspaper) and is on the yearbook staff. She plans to attend Hampton University and major in business administration with a minor in e-commerce.

■ **Brandon Nieves**, the son of Orlando and Gail Nieves, plays on the Newark High School and Chiefs ice hockey teams and the chess club.

■ **Drew Undercuffler**, the son of Frank Moore and Beth Undercuffler, enjoys making people laugh. He plans to attend college at Delaware Tech or Cecil County Community College.

■ **Scott Klotzkin**, the son of Bob and Julie Klotzkin, plays basketball and participates in the yearbook. He plans to attend the University of Delaware and major in communications.

■ **Steve Wooldridge**, the son of Robert and Joanne Wooldridge, plays cross-country, and wrestling. He plans to attend Virginia Tech.

■ **Pete Callahan**, the son of Peter and Pam Callahan, plays

football, baseball and is on the yearbook staff. He is interested in the University of Delaware or Townson University for college.

■ **Ray Hancock**, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hancock, plays baseball and is a member of the National Society of Black Engineers, the key club, BASSU, Business Professionals of America, the school yearbook staff, Partners in Eliminating Racism, Conflict Mediation and Beeline. He hopes to attend Howard University or the University of Delaware.

■ **Aaron Sneed**, is son of Elmore and Doreen Sneed. He is involved with NSBE, BASSU, BPA, and Upward Bound. He plays basketball and is a senior senator. He applied to Old Dominion University, UMBC, and the University of Maryland.

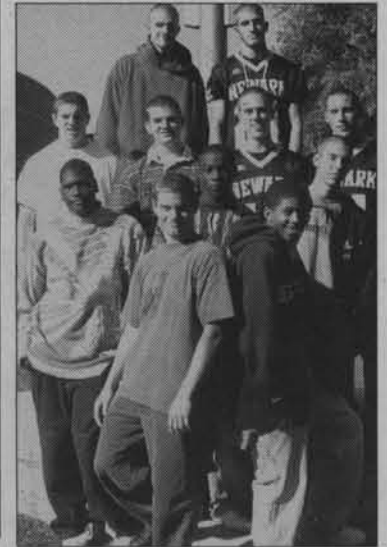
■ **Nick Hurd**, the son of Jeff and Linda Hurd, plays ice hockey for the Newark and Jr. Blue Hens teams. He plans to attend the University of Delaware.

■ **Drew Kisner**, the son of Bill and Kim Kisner, plays football, baseball and is involved with the yearbook. He has applied to the University of Delaware, William

& Mary College, University of Pittsburgh, Lehigh University and Townson University.

■ **Richard Houseal**, the son of Richard and Cynthia Houseal, is involved with BASSU, chorus, and is the senior class president. He plans to attend the University of Colorado-Boulder.

■ **Matt R. Augelson** is the son of Carolyn R. Augelson. He plays on the football team and plans to go to Villanova University.



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Above: Newark High will hold its Homecoming on Saturday. The King and Queen will be crowned at the dance Saturday. Here is a look at the boys court. Front row, left to right, are Steve Woodridge and Aaron Sneed; second row, left to right, Rich Housel, Ray Hancock and Scott Klotzkin; third row, left to right, are Brandon Nieves, Nick Hurd, Pete Callahan and Drew Kisner; back row, left to right, are Darren Undercuffler and Matt Augelson. Below: Here are the girls on the Homecoming court. Front row from left to right are Christian Church, Lindsay Swinger and Twanna Howard; back row, left to right are Dana Sausen, Kim Kostas, Deena Anderson, Lauren Christie, Diana Romaniovga, Stefanie Popejoy and Morgan Grimes.



## DiLiberto details views

### ► CANDIDATES, from 16

offenders by listing them on the Internet. He also believes minimum wage should be increased.

#### 4. It's a thankless job. Why do you want to be in public office?

A) "I have served 10 years in the State House of Representatives," DiLiberto said. "It's a great honor vote on things that influence others lives. It's a great honor and trust they put on me."

#### 5. What experiences have prepared you to be a public official?

A) He said he was a school teacher before he attended law school. He helped home-bound

children and saw families battling through illness. He enjoyed helping others in need. "I always felt people should be given opportunities and once they climb up, the ladder shouldn't be pulled up. You should help others," DiLiberto said.

#### 6. Why are you the better choice?

A) "I admire and respect my opponent personally, but her voting record has put families at risk," DiLiberto said. "Violent criminals who haunt children should be in prison. If elected I would be involved in with the majority caucus. My opponent would remain in the minority. I am also the only candidate who lives in Newark. My children are all born and raised here in Newark."

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# Residents listen to contenders

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go after corporations that sponsor other parties.

She said that Claymont has the highest respiratory disease rate in the nation, and that corporate pol-

luters should be punished for it.

"Corporate greed is a crime, too," she said.

Houghton said she is against the death penalty, citing skewed incarceration ratios between races as one of the reasons. "For every one white person in jail, there are 10 blacks," she said.

A representative spoke for candidate Carl Schnee, saying he has been chair of the criminal justice system where has had a 95 percent conviction rate.

Incumbent Attorney General Jane Brady said she hopes to improve gun control laws.

Tenth Senate District candidate Julie Dugan said she wants to improve the quality of public transportation while keeping fares cheap.

She also said she wants medical prescriptions to be more affordable.

Dugan said she wants to implement sound barriers in neighborhoods badly affected by road traffic.

Tenth Senate District incumbent Steve Amick said the road barriers were not as effective as some believe. "After three or four houses, the sound is the same," he said.

Amick said that while in office he has reduced elementary

school class size.

Amick said good behavior is now the only way to end prison sentences prematurely, and that parole is now virtually gone because of him.

Stephanie McClellan, running for 25th district representative, said she wants to have strong enforcement against corporate polluters. She also said teachers should be given better healthcare. She said that currently, the first 90 days a teacher works in this state they are without healthcare.

Incumbent 25th District Rep. Stephanie Ulbrich said she wants repeat violent offenders to not be eligible for work release. She also said she is for teacher accountability.

New Castle County Council candidate Joseph Pickering said his top priority, if elected, would be to lower New Castle County's deficit.

Fifth District, New Castle County Council incumbent Karen Venezky said the New Castle County has a \$123 million reserve, and that her budget spending has included Newark Library renovations and an increase in police patrols.

She also expressed an interest in environmental conservation, including re-forestation.

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## Residents inspect library

**► LIBRARY, from 1**

ing for us to open," said Lowell about the large turnout. "We want this to be a place where people can get away from their hectic lives, a place for families to gather."

Lowell said the library will have updated technology, where people can get access to word processors, the Internet and be able to bring in their laptops.

"We're not the old-time library anymore," said Lowell, who added that the children's section is double its size from before.

The sneak preview had music by Newark band Swing Samba

Soul and Classical guitarist Robert Dopira. Heidi Assimos painted children's faces and balloon animals were available by Peg Broadwater. The Friends of the Library were there selling the "History of the Library" books, and author Jane Tripp was present. The Days of Knights staff were there to talk about role playing games. Newark High School and the Newark Charter School each had art exhibits.

"It's lovely," said Newark's Rebecca Townson, who was gathering together the five children she brought for the visit. "We have been waiting for it to get done. We always come here to reserve books."



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# Glasgow ready to crown homecoming court

By ERIC G. STARK

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**H**OMECOMING at Glasgow High School is this weekend. All this week the school has celebrated Homecoming with "Spirit Week." There will be a Pep Fest on Friday, and the crowning of the teacher court will take place at the Pep Fest. There will also be a decorating contest on Friday.

The festivities continue when the Dragons play Brandywine in football Friday at 7 p.m. The entire Homecoming court will be presented at the Homecoming dance on Saturday from 8-11 p.m. The court will be announced at 9:45 p.m.

Here is a preview of the Homecoming Courts for each grade and a list of activities the students listed that they are involved in.

## ■ 9TH GRADE GIRLS

**Heather Records** is a varsity cheerleader and she works in the school store. She said her hobbies are shopping, watching movies and

sleeping.

**Brittany Harmon** is a varsity cheerleader, as well as a basketball and softball player. She said her hobbies include softball, basketball, cheerleading, shopping, and hanging out with her friends.

**Jamie Jones** participates in cheerleading and she said her hobbies include cheerleading.

**Shannetta Gross** is involved with cheerleading and volleyball.

## ■ 9TH GRADE BOYS:

**Paul Yeager** is active in band, mock trial, math league, swimming/diving and lacrosse. He also likes skateboarding, playing video games and playing his trumpet.

**Matt Hessey** plays football and basketball.

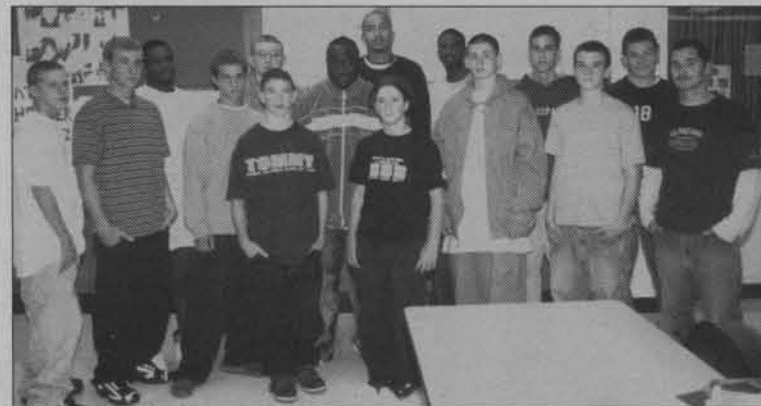
**Jared Keichline** participates on the freshman football and basketball teams, plays baseball and is involved with the mock trial club. He lists sports as a hobby.

**Matthew Sturdivant** plays soccer, wrestles and plays lacrosse. His hobbies include soccer.

## ■ 10TH GRADE GIRLS:

**Kendra R. Jones** participates in cheerleading, SGA, school chorus and gospel choir. She listed her hobbies as shopping, reading, cheerleading, talking on the phone and singing.

**Diane Knarr** participates in band,



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The following Glasgow boys were nominated for Homecoming. **Matt Hessey, Jared Keichline, Matt Sturdivant, Paul Yeager, Steve Abbott, Deron Duker, Babio Martuselli, Byran Taylor, David Bowman, Ryan Congill, Matt Santo, BJ Sturdivant, Tom Elgart, Saul Rasario, Van Shorts and Brian Taylor.**

drama, journalism and music. She enjoys drawing, writing and sports.

**Jessica Korup** is nominated on the court, but listed herself with no activities and no hobbies.

**Ciera Smith** plays on the high school basketball team. She listed her hobbies as shopping, going to the movies and cooking.

## ■ 10TH GRADE BOYS

**Steven Abbott** participates on the basketball and baseball teams at Glasgow High. He listed his hobbies as baseball and basketball.

**DeRon Duker**, in addition to being named to the Homecoming Court, plays football.

**Fabio Martusceli** plays basketball and soccer and skateboards.

## ■ 11TH GRADE GIRLS

**Jen Brooks** is active in field hockey, indoor track, indoor soccer and soccer. She listed her hobbies as going to the mall and hanging out with friends.

**Jissell Martinez** is involved in the Honor Society, Spanish Honor

Society and the junior class vice-president. She is also involved in the 2003-2004 Miss Hispanic Pageant and she is a student superintendent. She listed her hobbies as hanging out with close friends and just being herself. She also said she enjoys listening to music and traveling the Dominican Republic every year.

**Stephanie Mullen** is involved with the Homecoming Committee and also like to draw.

## ■ 11TH GRADE BOYS:

**David Bowman** is a Student Government Association member, a BPA member and serves on the student advisory committee. He said his hobbies are singing.

**Ryan Cowquill** plays football and is involved in the Honor Society and Spanish Honor Society. His hobbies include hanging out with friends, football, basketball and music.

**Kevin Greyton** is active with R.O.T.C., gospel choir and concert ensemble. His hobby is music.

**BJ Sturdivant** plays soccer and lacrosse. His hobbies are sports and

hanging out with friends.

**Matt Santo** plays soccer and listed chillin' with friends as his hobby.

## ■ 12TH GRADE GIRLS:

**Kristine S. Walker** is in the band, varsity swimming and varsity tennis. Her hobbies are swimming, tennis, drumming, golf and writing for the Dragon's Fire school newspaper, where she is the editor.

**Keisha Lewis** participates in the Spanish Honor Society, ATA and is a student government member. She is also a class officer. Her hobbies include shopping, dancing and singing.

**Kimberly Adams** is a cheerleader and volleyball player for the last three years at the school. She played basketball for one year and has been active in student government for two years. She was Miss Newark, Delaware and also Miss Cheer USA.

## ■ 12TH GRADE BOYS:

**Shornay Thornton** is involved with student government, business professionals of America, cheerleading. She works at the school store and track store and is a student mentor. Her hobbies include talking on the phone, spending time with friends and watching TV.

**Saul Rosario** participates in football, basketball, R.O.T.C., Spanish Honor Society and student government. He lists his hobbies as all sports.

**Thomas Elgart** played football in his sophomore and junior year and is playing soccer this year. He played tennis as a sophomore the last three years. His hobby is hanging out with friends.

**Brian Taylor** is in the band and Honor Society. His hobby is his car, a 1994 Z28.

**Van Shorts** plays on football and track and field teams. His hobbies are cooking, going to the movies and shopping.



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The following girls at Glasgow High School were nominated to the Homecoming Court. **Shanetta Gross, Brittany Harmon, Jamie Jones, Heather Records, Kendra Jones, Jessica Korup, Ciera Smith, Jen Brooks, Jissell Martinez, Stephanie Mullins, Stephanie Records, Kim Adams, Keisha Lewis, Shornay Thorton and Kristie Walker.**

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## NEWARK POST ❖ POLICE BLOTTER

## ► BLOTTER, from 2

## Not very happy

A former assistant manager at the Happy Harry's outlet in Suburban Plaza has been charged with theft of cigarettes and others items and possession of a controlled substance.

Newark police were alerted by drug store security personnel at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 15.

Christopher Lloyd Stevens, 25, of Newark, was charged with possession of controlled substances not in their original container, theft, and two

counts of possession of a controlled substance, and released on \$2,500 unsecured bail pending a Court of Common Pleas appearance, police reported.

## Cash disappears

A bag containing cash was taken from Caffé Gelato, 90 E. Main St., at 7:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 16, it was reported to Newark police.

The theft apparently occurred when a former employee, who had been fired a few days before, asked a restaurant employee to retrieve a telephone number.

Investigation is continuing.

## Assault at NHS

A 16-year-old Newark High School student was struck by another student, 15, following a name-calling incident in the school's cafeteria on Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 11:20 a.m.

Newark police said the victim was treated for a cut by the school nurse.

## Nucar assault

An employee of Nucar Pointiac, 250 E. Cleveland Ave., told Newark

police that he was assaulted in his office at 7:05 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 18.

Police said a man, who was reported to be intoxicated, pushed and punched the Nucar employee following a dispute over some electrical work done to lights at the dealership. Another Nucar employee pulled the attacker off his victim. The suspect then left, police reported.

## Knife shown

Newark police responded to a home in the 900 block Devon Drive on Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 8:39 p.m. to investigate a family dispute.

Officers reported that a nine-year-old displayed a knife after his brother attempted to wash his mouth out with soap.

No arrests were made.

## Gone on Pickett

A leather briefcase, denim jacket, wallet containing cash and credit cards, and a clarinet were removed from an unlocked 2002 Honda Accord parked in the 900 block Pickett Lane, Newark police reported.

The theft took place sometime overnight Tuesday, Oct. 15.

## Warrants pending

Newark police said DUI charges are pending against a 19-year-old man after he was seen driving the wrong way on East Main Street at 1:50 a.m. on Thursday, Oct. 17.

An officer on patrol said he watched a green Jeep Cherokee turn

off Chapel Street onto Main and travel to University Auto, when the officer approached the SUV.

Police said the driver refused to undergo a field sobriety test and was transported to Newark police headquarters, where he refused to undergo an intoxilyzer test. The man then was transported to Newark Emergency Center, where blood was drawn.

Police said warrants are pending the outcome of the blood test for alcohol content.

## Cash taken out

An undisclosed amount of cash was stolen from the New #1 Chinese Restaurant, 417 New London Road in the Fairfield Shopping Center, Newark police learned on Monday, Oct. 14, at 6:53 a.m.

A maintenance man discovered that the front door lock had been pried and the glass smashed. Police said the money was taken from a counter. Investigation is continuing.

## Dog bowl taken

A resident of an apartment in the unit block North Street told Newark police officers on Monday, Oct. 14, at 9:13 p.m. that someone had stolen a red dog food bowl from her dog's cage inside her apartment.

The theft took place between 6:45 and 8 p.m. and the door of the cage was bent.

The resident's dog was inside the cage at the time, police reported. There were no signs of forced entry.

The missing plastic bowl was valued at \$5.

## All invited to fall fest Thursday

Come to "the barn" for a great Harvest Celebration. Newark Christian Fellowship invites all children and families to their annual Fall Harvest Party on Thursday, Oct. 31 from 6:30 to 8:30 at their renovated barn facility. "A great alternative to Halloween, this celebration will feature a castle moon bounce, hayrides, games, arts and crafts, prizes, desserts and lots of candy," a spokesman said.

The moon bounce opens at 5:30 and the festivities begin at 6:30.

"We encourage all who come to dress in costume but please no scary costumes," the spokesman said.

For more information, contact the NCF office at 610-255-5073 or e-mail ncf@dol.net.

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# Alcohol law enforcement continues

The City of Newark's stepped-up enforcement of alcohol ordinances continued during the past week, Newark police reported.

Some of the recent citations include:

Saturday, Oct. 19, 11:58 p.m., during a traffic stop at 121 E. Delaware Ave., Miguel Anselmo Ongay, 21, of Wilmington, summonsed possession of an open container of alcohol;

Saturday, Oct. 19, 12:59 a.m., University Courtyard apartments, Scholar Drive, Joseph Firetto, 20, of Newark, summonsed for underage consumption of alcohol and disorderly conduct;

Saturday, Oct. 19, 1:44 a.m., 600 block Academy Street, Jeffrey S. Ettinger, 18, of Cherry Hill, N.J., summonsed for underage consumption of alcohol;

Saturday, Oct. 19, 12:50 a.m., 611 Academy St., Randie Allan Rosa, 19, of Newark, summonsed for underage consumption of alcohol after police witnessed the destruction of a political campaign sign;

Saturday, Oct. 19, 12:19 a.m., Main Street Courtyard apartments, 329 E. Main St., Bryan D. Reilly, 22, of Newark, summonsed possession of an open container of alcohol;

Saturday, Oct. 19, 12:13 a.m., North College and Cleveland avenues, Laura C. Shockley, 21, of Milford, summonsed possession of an open container of alcohol;

Friday, Oct. 18, 11:47 p.m., Wilbur Street, Alicia K. Loomis, 20, of Carlisle, Pa., and Kristin M. Iannuzzelli, 20, of Glen Mills, Pa., each summonsed for underage possession of alcohol;

Friday, Oct. 18, 11:04 p.m., 155 E. Cleveland Ave., Curtis Toan Tran, 21, summonsed possession of an open container of alcohol;

Friday, Oct. 18, 8:23 p.m., Elkton Road, two juveniles, ages 16 and 17,

each summonsed for underage consumption of alcohol;

Friday, Oct. 18, Old Chestnut Hill Road at Park Drive, following a traffic collision as 17-year-old was summonsed for underage consumption. Police said that when the youth threatened suicide, she was transported to the Christiana hospital emergency for evaluation. At the hospital, police said the youth became disruptive and at one point it took four officers to subdue the girl;

Thursday, Oct. 17, 8:06 p.m., Peddlers Pit Stop, 610 S. College Ave., Michael J. Fappiano, 19, of Hamden, N.J., Martha A. Roldan, 19, of Turnbull, Conn., Matthew S. Damore, 19, of Newington, Conn., Andrea E. Klugo, 19, of Valatie, N.J., Michael U. Laferrera, 18, of Bagota, N.J., and Katie E. Broodie, 20, of Clinton, Mass., each summonsed for underage entry into a liquor store. Police said two fictitious IDs were seized;

Sunday, Oct. 13, 1:21 a.m., 32 Academy St., Skid Row, Joseph T. Norvell, 21, of Newark, summonsed possession of an open container of alcohol; and

Thursday, Oct. 17, 8:45 p.m., Peddlers Pit Stop, 610 S. College Ave., Danny O. J. Midkiff, 19, of Elkton, summonsed for underage consumption of alcohol.

Police said all were issued summons and released pending court appearances.

## Noise violations

The latest in a series of stepped-up weekend enforcement of noise ordinances by the Newark police department continued the last two weeks.

A variety of recent noise and loud party complaints resulted in a number of citations, police said. Some of the incidents include:

Unit block Corbit Street, Sunday, Oct. 20, 12:52 a.m., Jason P. Rice, 24, of Newark, summonsed for noise violation;

Unit block Water Works Lane, Saturday, Oct. 19, 11:24 p.m., John Nicholas Kallis, 20, of Newark, summonsed for noise violation;

Apartment at 260 Elkton Road, Saturday, Oct. 19, 2:23 a.m., Jose Mauricio Garzona-Viscarra, 21, of Newark, summonsed for noise violation;

1100 block Blair Court, Sunday, Oct. 13, 3:32 a.m., Jason Keating, 23, of Newark, summonsed for maintaining a disorderly premise;

100 block Wharton Drive, Sunday, Oct. 13, 1:14 a.m., Kristin N. Hanna, 20, of Yorklyn, summonsed for maintaining a disorderly premise;

"Skid Row" in the unit block

Academy Street, Sunday, Oct. 13, 12:58 a.m., police said a large crowd was dispersed without incident from the rear of homes in the block;

Unit block Wilbur Street, Saturday, Oct. 12, 7:46 p.m., a live band stopped performing in the rear of a residence after a noise complaint was lodged;

300 block South College Avenue, Saturday, Oct. 12, 1:06 p.m., a landlord complained of a large, loud party. Police said a warning was issued;

700 block Academy Street, Saturday, Oct. 12, 10:44 a.m., a noise ordinance warning was issued after a crowd of 100 was found;

300 block Ashley Road, Saturday, Oct. 12, 9:35 a.m., a warning was issued;

Unit block Madison Drive, Saturday, Oct. 12, 1:36 a.m.,

Dominick F. Schiavoni, 20, and Benjamin R. Woodward, 21, both of Newark, each summonsed for noise violation;

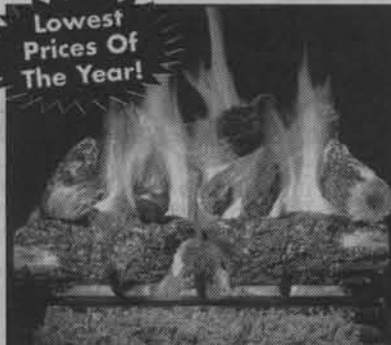
400 block Wollaston Ave., Saturday, Oct. 12, 1:12 a.m., Jason M. Ritthaler, 19, of Rehoboth Beach, Wesley A. Smith, 20, of Ramsey, N.J., Michael R. Ceccarelli, 19, of Moorestown, N.J., and Christopher J. Acheson, 20, also of Moorestown, each summonsed for noise violation; and

Unit block North Street, Friday, Oct. 11, 2:42 a.m., John Magrans, 22, of Newark, summonsed for noise violation.

Police said all were issued summons and released pending court appearances.

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# Girls look into outer space

## ► SCOUTS, from 32

expose girls to science at the age they are deciding if science is for them. Academic stereotypes and lack of encouragement for girls have caused a major disparity between girls and boys in science. Girls do not take as many advanced science or math classes as boys nor do they perform as well on standardized test. Studies show that without direct influence from parents, teachers, and mentors, girls lose interest in science and conform to conventional attitudes about their academic strengths. Through community partnerships, Girl Scouts is able to address the gender gap in science by exposing girls to a wide variety of experiences and career choices.

"The program was designed to engage girls' minds and get them to think about science. Science is fun and can be fun for girls. Girl Scouts is providing girls the opportunity to experience science in an all-girl environment." Ann

Marie van den Hurk, Director of Girl Scouts of the Chesapeake Bay Council, said.

The day was all about hands-on activities at the Chesapeake Bay Council Headquarters. Twelve Junior Girl Scouts became space scientists and rocket engineers for the day. They explored life on Mars by building a working Mars buggy. Analyzed matter from another planet and made assumptions about what planet was made of and if there was any life. The highlight of the program was the engineering behind rockets. The Girl Scouts designed, build, and painted the rockets.

For most of the young women, it was their first experience with space science and rockets. Jeanine Chapman and Courtney Capotrio, Troop 1283 from Bear, echoed each other. Both really thought rockets were cool, but they didn't think they wanted to go into space. Suvudha Polu said she may want to get into science and her smile said that she was

going to. Karen McBride wants to come back to launch and learn more about rockets.

Juergen Plischke, father of Veronica Plischke thought the Girl Scout program was great and happy to spend the day with his daughter. Juergen Plischke, who is an engineer, was glad that Girl Scouts is teaching girls about science. His daughter has been in Girl Scouts for five years and through Girl Scouts have had a lot of experiences that he never it. Their families joined the Girl Scouts for the launch of the rockets.

The event was a success. All rockets launched and stayed in together to launch another day. The Girl Scouts got to keep their rockets and reuse them again. The faces of the Girl Scouts told the whole story: this was cool.

# Reporter visits Iraq

## ► IRAQ, from 3

Kristof is also skeptical that weapons inspections would have an impact in neutralizing the Iraqi threat. He doubts weapons inspectors would receive the freedom they need to fully investigate the country.

"Saddam has weapons," Kristof said, "and he's not going to give them up. It may be the best way to peace, but I doubt it will work."

Kristof feels that the U.S. would attack Iraq with or without the support of European countries, regardless of the consequences such a move would have on international relations.

"There is a fundamental difference in how we approach these problems," Kristof said, referring to the United States and

European countries.

Kristof also said he is skeptical about the effectiveness of international laws created to prevent such unilateral actions.

"International law is basically what big countries get away with," he said.

"The only way to go is to move toward more democracy (in Iraq)," Kristof said, although he is not clear on how to make that happen.

Kristof commented on the interests the U.S. has in attacking Iraq. North Korea has clearer ties to nuclear, chemical and biological weapons than Iraq, he said. An attack there would lead to unacceptable civilian casualties in South Korea.

Kristof was quick to say that he did not believe President George Bush was finishing "family business."

# Neighbors helping neighbors

## ► UP FRONT, from 1

pointed out that today is National Good Neighbor Day. (This fact was lost on me, though I was aware that Sept. 21 was National Drive Your Corvair Day — mine was in the shop at the time!)

With the holiday season approaching faster than most of us realize, today is an appropriate time to kick off a new fund drive for the NAWC; an announcement can be seen of page 27 of this edition.

The welfare committee truly is a classic example of neighbors helping neighbors. It is an organization comprised entirely of good neighbors — those who organize and do the physical work and those who fund the efforts of the hands-on volunteers.

The welfare committee had its beginning about 65 years ago when Etta Mae Wilson learned that some of her Newark neighbors needed food. She started hustling donations and storing

the food in her garage until it was given to the needy. Wilson's neighborliness grew and evolved into the Newark Area Welfare Committee.

Always a volunteer group, today a core group of about 50 work throughout the year helping those in our midst who need assistance.

Last year, about 280 families received cash to pay for rent, utilities or prescriptions. The group maintains a year-round food cupboard, which is housed in the Newark United Methodist Church. Last year, 180 families received a week's supply of food from the NAWC.

Each fall, the volunteers give away shoes to youngsters who need them. This year about 200 kids were the sole beneficiaries.

The committee's Hope Grocery Program pools the buying power of senior citizens living at the Main Towers saving money through bulk purchases.

Perhaps best known is the committee's partnership with Val Nardo and his needy family fund.

Together, dozens of food baskets are distributed to needy persons here each December, just in time for the holidays. (I've had the opportunity to help deliver these baskets — it's a memorable, heartwarming and, at times, uncomfortable experience.) Marie tells me that the Newark Area Welfare Committee plans to carry on Val Nardo's extraordinary efforts when he completes his decades-long project.

I hope that you'll read about our Neighbors Helping Neighbors project and choose to support the efforts of the Newark Area Welfare Committee.

Today — Good Neighbors Day — is particularly appropriate time for those of us who have to help those of us who don't.

I thank Marie Ruskay for her good idea and her persistence. I hope you'll reward her with a donation.

■ When not blaming his busy schedule for his shortcomings, the writer is publisher of the Newark Post and two other Delaware newspapers. He is chair of the Downtown Newark Partnership, a past president of the Newark Senior Center board, and member of the Newark Morning Rotary Club.

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# Board nixes vote on superintendent's future

## ► RESCIND, from 1

minute meeting at Stubbs (Fredrick Douglas) Elementary School in Wilmington. "We want to make sure everyone gets the opportunity to have their comments made....I recommend to the board that we rescind the action we took on the superintendent's contract on Oct. 8."

The board passed on a 6-1 vote to rescind its October action to not renew Fischer's contract when it expires in June 2003.

Because of public reaction at the last board meeting and in the weeks since this announcement and vote were made, the public has flooded school board members with opinions on the process, some very unhappy with the way it was handled and that their voice was not heard.

"We want to make sure we have our public with us," Evans said after the meeting. "It is a delicate situation and we want to get comments. We will take comments at the November meeting and could vote or we could wait until December to vote. We just don't want a section of our public to feel they didn't get reasonable opportunity to present their views."

Board member Chris Reed voted against rescinding the vote, saying the decision was already made at the last meeting.

"We heard all the public debate and took a vote and took a recall," said Reed, who has a child in the district. "It shows we are not professional board members and that we make mistakes, but in this case, I don't feel we made a mistake."

"We tried to do the right thing. Our minds were not already made up at the last meeting; we already heard from all the same people with e-mails and other conversations prior to the meeting. We heard the people. We all want to do the right thing. We are all parents."

The reaction in the audience was mixed on the board's latest decision to gather more public feedback. Some believe it is just delaying a decision that has already been made.

"I hope this changes their decision," said Jackie Foster, who has a child in the district and is a PTA President. "This whole meeting was a mystery. They provided me with no direction, just as they provide no direction to the superintendent. Having been involved in the campaign to elect Chris Reed, I am disappointed with his vote."

If board members base their decision on facts, Duke Wilford said, their vote will remain the same as the October vote, which was a 5-2 decision to not renew Fischer's contract.

"I don't think it will change," said Wilford, who had two children in the district. "The statistics in the district show his performance and he is not leading well."

Reed does not believe this latest decision by the board will delay the search for a new superintendent if the board decides to go that way.

Fischer said he was "not totally surprised" by the board's latest action, given the number of comments made at the last meeting on how this process was handled.

"I think the board has a concern that its actions reflect the public's concern and is done in a legal and appropriate fashion."

Evans responded to public criticism that the board does not give the superintendent the direction he needs by saying, they do superintendent evaluations. "We discuss matters with him year-round," he said. "Each board meeting we have comments with him."

Fischer added, "There is a continued conversation that goes on between the board and myself on the direction of the district."

In April of 1998 Fischer

became superintendent. Fischer, who had his contract, after some struggle, renewed on Dec. 11, 2001 and his salary increased by 5 percent to \$125,969, said he has four objectives and he as executed each of them. He said since the board's October decision the comments to him from the public and educators have been extremely supportive.

"My four objectives are to improve student achievement, to improve the facilities, safety and

improve professional development," Fischer said. Professional development and improving student achievement go together.

"I want people to know I am willing to sit down with anyone and go over the numbers. We may not agree with everything, but I must be held accountable. I have to be available anywhere, anytime to hear people's points of view."

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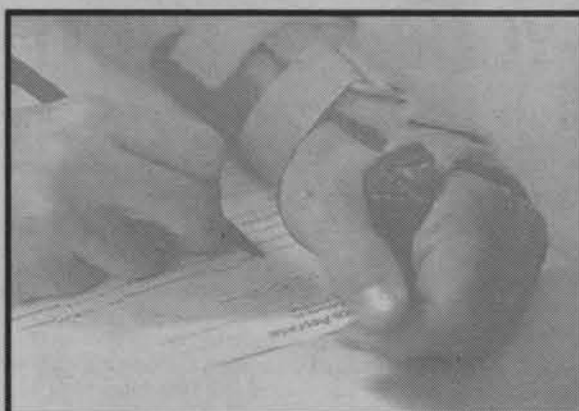
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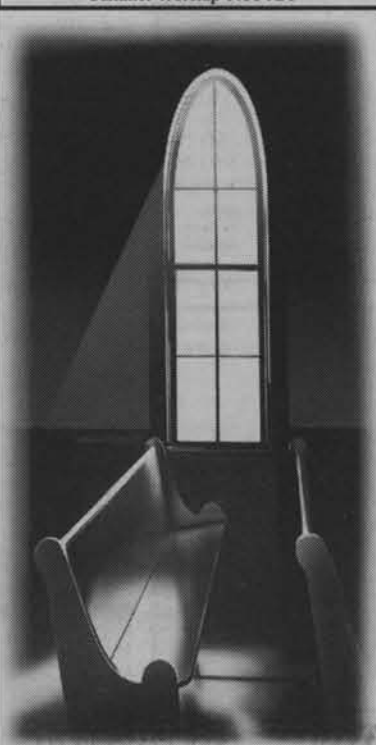
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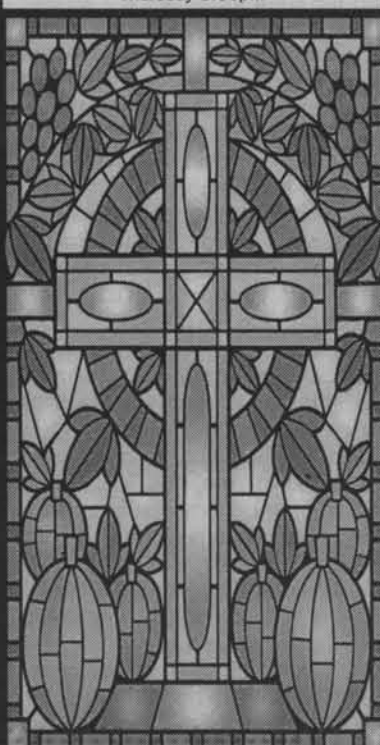
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## Blanche Peterson, accomplished pianist and organist

Newark resident Blanche S. Peterson died on Saturday, Sept. 28, 2002.

Peterson, 87, was a resident of Millcroft Retirement Community in Newark. She was a former resident of Pilesgrove, N.J. Born in Woodstown, N.J., she was a graduate of Woodstown High School. An accomplished pianist and organist, Peterson served as organ-

ist of the Elmer Presbyterian Church and later of the Union Presbyterian Church in Carney's Point, N.J., for many years and accompanied the Salem County Chorale which was directed by her husband. She worked at the DuPont Company's Chambers

Works from 1941 until her retirement in 1978 where she was a colorist in a research laboratory. Following her retirement she enjoyed summering at her cottage at Gandy's Beach, in Newport, N.J. They had no children but referred to Norma and John Clayton, and their daughter, Signe C. Wilcoxon of Newark, as "her kids." Peterson was formerly a member of the Soroptomist Club of Salem County, and currently was active in the Ladies Auxiliary to Cyrene Commandary 7, Knights Templar, Paulsboro, N.J. She was also a member of First and Central Presbyterian Church in Wilmington,

where she served for many years on the newsletter committee. In 1996 she gave First and Central Church a 7' Steinway piano which has had a very positive impact on the church's music ministry. She was thrilled when concert artist Andre Watts played the inaugural recital. In recent years she endowed a keyboard scholarship for a student from New Jersey in the School of Music at West Chester University and was pleased when she received letters of appreciation from the scholarship recipients.

She is survived by "her family" Norma and John Clayton and their daughter and son-in-law, Signe and Richard Wilcoxon of Newark.

Services were held at First and Central Presbyterian Church in Wilmington.

Services were held at the Holy Spirit Church in Garfield Park and at the Charles P. Arcaro Funeral Home in Wilmington. Interment was in the Gracelawn Memorial Park in New Castle.

## Tracy Lynn Bennett, operated gifts sales business

Bear resident Tracy Lynn "Lightcap" Bennett died on Friday, Oct. 4, 2002.

Bennett, 34, operated a home interior and gifts sales business. She enjoyed stock car racing and visits to the beach.

She survived by her husband, Mark Bennett; children, Tiffany L. Bennett and Wayne A. Bennett, both at home; father and stepmother, Lawrence and Charlene Lightcap of Bear; mother and stepfather, Evelyn and Ronald Taylor of Millsboro; sister, Lori Lightcap of Millsboro; and half-siblings, Krysta, Renee and Tyler Lightcap.

Services were held at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home in Newark. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery in Wilmington.

## Flora Holzer, 92, homemaker

Bear resident Flora Holzer died on Saturday, Oct. 5, 2002.

Holzer, 92, was born in Philadelphia, Pa. She had been a homemaker.

She is survived by her children, Stephen Gualtieri and his wife Darlenna of Sharon Hill, Pa., and Sandra S. Davis and her husband Danny of Bear; brothers, Arthur Rosati of Philadelphia, Pa., and Michael Rosati of West Chester, Pa.; sisters, Clara Schiro of Houston, Texas and Olga Celli of Pennsauken, N.J.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held at the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home in New Castle. Burial was private.

## John J. Chalfant worked for DuPont

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## NEWARK POST ♦ OBITUARIES

## ► OBITUARIES, from 30

Newark resident John J. Chalfant died on Saturday, Oct. 5, 2002.

Chalfant, 42, worked for the Dupont Company for 20 years. He was a 1977 graduate of Dickinson High School.

Chalfant was a member of St. John the Beloved Church and the Dupont Shooting Club. He was an avid outdoorsman and also enjoyed crabbing.

He is survived by his wife of 22 years, Cynthia E. "Batzel" Chalfant; children, Andrew J., Gregory J., Elizabeth C., all at home; parents, Donald R. and Stella "Ogonowski" Chalfant of Wilmington; brother, Thomas F. Chalfant of Wilmington; sisters, Diane M. Hanna of Wilmington, Donna Roth of Lake Forest, Calif., and Terry Emory of Wilmington; father and mother-in-law, Edgar L. and Virginia Batzel of Middletown; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at St. John the Beloved Church and at Mealey Funeral Home, both located in Wilmington. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, also in Wilmington.

## Josh Crumley, carpenter with All In One Construction

Newark resident Josh Crumley died on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2002.

Crumley, 18, was a carpenter with All In One Construction. He was an avid outdoorsman & enjoyed hunting, boating, & fishing.

He is survived by his parents, Mark and Pam Crumley of Newark; grandparents, Lellevine Luke of

Copperville, Mich., Donald and Linda Crumley of Wilmington, and Ed Sharkey of Wilmington; godmother, Deborah Johnson; godbrother, Jeremy Johnson; godsister, Stephanie Johnson; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Visitation was held at the Krienen-Griffith Funeral Home in Elmsmere. Service and interment was private.

## Patricia Apostolico, retired secretary

Newark area resident Patricia L. "Fry" Apostolico died on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2002.

Apostolico, 65, was a homemaker and also a secretary for the Christina School District for 15 years before her retirement in 1991. She was an avid University of Delaware Football fan and enjoyed wintering in Florida. Her memberships include St. John the Beloved Church and the Prince of Piedmont Lodge.

She was survived by her husband of 44 years, Martin F. Apostolico; her daughters, Linda and her husband Vincent DiTommaso of Wilmington and Lisa Apostolico and her husband Richard Young of Kissamee, Florida; son, Michael and his wife Elizabeth Apostolico of Newark; mother, Twila Fry of Columbus, Ohio; brothers, Hugh Fry and and his wife Jackie of Millersport, Ohio, Dale Fry and his wife Ruth of Pataskala, Ohio, and Duane Fry and his wife Leanne of Belfontaine, Ohio; sister, Judy Workman of Columbus, Ohio; one grandson; one granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at St. John the Beloved Church in Wilmington. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery in Wilmington. Park.

## Bustiano A. Pulgini, retired electrician for Amtrak

Newark resident Bustiano A. Pulgini died on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2002.

Pulgini, 82, was also known as "Snapper" to his family and friends. He was born in Wilmington. He was employed as an electrician for Amtrak, retiring in 1982 after 39 years of service. A deeply religious man, Pulgini was devoted to the Blessed Mother and to his family.

He is survived by his children, Albert and his wife Diane, Carmela Greenplate, Joseph and his wife Carol, and Maryanne Thomas and her husband Kevin; brother, Joseph; sister, Madeline DiRado; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at St. Thomas the Apostle Church and at Charles P. Arcaro Funeral Home in Wilmington. Interment was in Cathedral Cemetery.

## Nagib B. Henain, VP at Merrill Lynch

Newark resident Nagib B. Henain died on Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2002.

Henain, 66, retired as assistant vice president of operations and a member of the quarter century club at Merrill Lynch where he worked in various positions over 30 years. A graduate of Cairo University, Henain was an active member of St. Mary's Coptic Church where he served as treasurer.

He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Wafaa Messiah Henain; son, Neill of Boston, Mass.; daughter, Christine Henain of New Brunswick,

N.J.; nephew, John Malak of Princeton, N.J.; four siblings, several nieces and nephews, and several family members from around the world.

Services were held at St. Mary's Coptic Church in Bear. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery in Wilmington.

Hallie M. Smith, retired school-teacher

Newark resident Hallie M. Smith died on Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2002.

Smith, 99, was a present resident of Churchman Village in Newark. She was formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., and St. Petersburg, Fla. She would have celebrated her 100th birthday on Oct. 27, 2002.

Smith was a 1922 graduate of the Slippery Rock State Teachers College in Slippery Rock, Pa. She was a school-teacher for the Crafton School District in Crafton, Pa., retiring in 1967 after 14 years of service.

She is survived by her children, Hallie Jean Fisher of Wilmington, Sylvia I. McCartney of Salt Lake City, Utah, and George W. Smith of Woodstock, N.Y.; 11 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Service and interment was private.

## Fred Calhoun Sr., chief custodian

Newark area resident Fred Calhoun Sr. died on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2002.

Calhoun, 74, worked as a chief custodian for the Colonial School District for 23 years.

He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Jeannette Calhoun; sons, Richard Ryan, Terrence Delane Sr. and Fred Calhoun Jr.; daughters, Freddie Ann Fountain, Tracy, Leslie and Jessica Calhoun; 12 grandchildren; 10 great-

grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; a close coffee buddy, Mr. Harrison Springfield; sister-in-law, Evelyn Chambers; and a several other nieces, nephews, and family members.

Services were held at Bethany UAME Church in Old New Castle. Burial was in Gracelawn Memorial

## Eleanor Delores Malloy, former big band singer

Newark resident Eleanor Delores Malloy died on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2002.

Malloy, 78, was also known as "Ellie" to her family and friends. She was born in Staten Island, N.Y.

Malloy was the former owner of Joel's Restaurant in Stanton for about 20 years, retiring in 1999.

Prior to that she was an executive secretary at Sun Company for also about 20 years.

She was a member of the sweet Adelines in Wilmington. During World War II she sang professionally with several big bands that performed nationally.

She also lived in Germany for three years and Tokyo, Japan, for three years while her husband was stationed there during the war.

She is survived by her brothers, Ralph T. Volpe Jr. of North Miami Beach, Fla., and Arnold S. Volpe of Hallandale Beach, Fla.; and her daughter, Nancy Sharpe of Newark.

Services were held at Nichols Gilmore Funeral Home in Newport. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery in Wilmington.

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Newark-area Girl Scouts recently took to the skies. Below, they inspect rockets before launch. Above, they follow the skyward path.

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## A COLORFUL WELCOME

The Mid-Atlantic Ballet, which is located in the rear of the CVS building on East Main Street, displayed its new mural on Oct. 6. From left to right are Bruce Garrity, the mural artist, Sara Taylor Warner, the founder and artistic director of Mid-Atlantic Ballet, and Jody Anderson Miller, associate director at Mid-Atlantic Ballet. The painting, which covered a formerly gray and often graffiti-splattered wall, now welcomes visitors to the municipal parking lot. The mural effort was funded in part by the Downtown Newark Partnership.

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