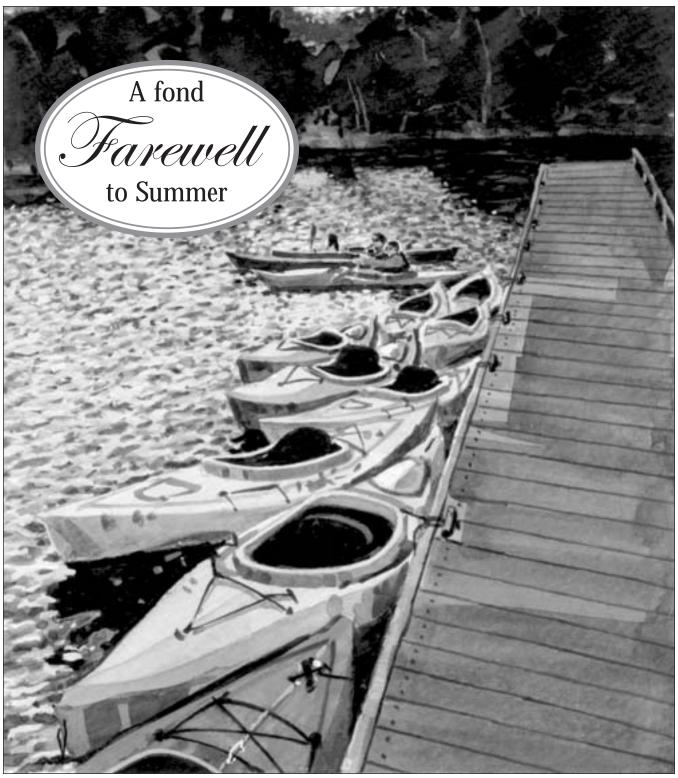
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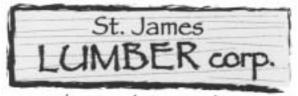
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MERCHANT SPOTLIGHT

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by Elizabeth Isabelle

One of the most important things in life that is all too often overlooked is the need to keep our personal and financial affairs in order and updated as our lives change through the years. Perhaps the family has a new addition or your children have completed their education and are off to careers and families of their own. Maybe you are considering the sale of your current home or you keep meaning to update your will or even draft a will for the first time. Making sure that all your legal documents are current and in place is vital to the preservation and protection of your assets as well as the security of your family as we reach these milestones.

This month, I had the pleasure of meeting Daniel L. Gobetz, Attorney-At-Law, located in the heart of St. James at 220 Lake Avenue. Dan, his wife Karen, a Special Education Teacher, and their three children, have been residents of Smithtown for the past 20 years. Dan's practice encompasses real estate, estate planning, healthcare proxies, living trusts, wills, landlord/tenant rights, power of attorney, etc., to serve all of your legal needs. Dan is assisted by two experienced and knowledgeable paralegals, Marilyn Todaro (who is also a licensed real estate agent) and Nancy Carpenter, as well as his administrative assistant,



Theresa Custini.

As we are all aware, due to the number of foreclosures and bank failures, mortgage companies are scrutinizing mortgage applications now more closely then ever. That beautiful deck or extension that you enjoy had better have the proper CO's (Certificate of Occupancy) and permits or it could delay the closing on the sale of your home and in some cases cause you to lose a buyer. Often times when this situation comes to light, it necessitates going before the Town to retroactively put the proper paperwork in place. Additionally, many buyers are purchasing homes today to be used as rental properties requiring sound advice on landlord/tenant rights, eviction proceedings and lease agreements. During difficult economic times, such as loss of wages, there are options available with your lender to help you avoid foreclosure and just as you need an

attorney to purchase your home; it is in your best interest to have legal representation when negotiating a plan with your lender.

Many of us are concerned with preserving and protecting that which we have worked so hard for with the intention of passing our assets onto our heirs. Life Estate Planning is one such option to help you realize that goal. In addition, it is so important to have the tools in place in the event of unforeseen illness, to appoint a trusted individual to maintain your financial affairs, manage important medical decisions and act as your advocate. The law firm of Daniel L. Gobetz is caring, compassionate and above all highly skilled at helping you organize all your legal matters. Call for an appointment today at 631-584-4500 and enjoy the peace of mind of knowing that your best interests and those of your family are being taken care of.



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AROUND TOWN

New Garden at Deepwells



Deepwells newly renovated front garden bed.

photo by Kitty Link

If you haven't been to Deepwells lately, you're in for a big surprise. The entire front garden has been beautifully restored thanks to the generous donation of Richard J. Kuri, president of R.J.K. Gardens, Inc. of St. James. The project was completed in early July, just in time for the many events and programs held outdoors during the summer. Trees, flowering bushes, annuals, perennials and planting materials add to the historic landscape.

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NESCONSET. Beautifully updated 3 BR, 2 bath Ranch. EIK, FDR. **\$449,990.-\$464-500**.



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St. James F.D. Family Country Bar-B-Q Set for September 13

The St. James Fire Department Eagle Hook and Ladder Co. #1 will hold their Annual Family Country Bar-B-Q, featuring live music by the Six Gun Band, on Saturday, September 13, 2008 beginning at 5:30 p.m. at the St. James Fire House, 221 Jefferson Avenue in St. James.

The night will include: live coun-

try/rock music and line dance instruction, full Bar-B-Q dinner with the works, complimentary beer, wine and soda, raffles, and much much more!

Ticket prices are \$35 per person with discounts for children. For tickets and additional information call 584-5799



St. James Homemakers Unit #44 Invites You to Join

It's amazing how time seems to fly right by. Only a few months ago the St. James Homemaker's Club was saying good-bye for summer recess... and now it's time again to say welcome back to a new year 2008-2009.

Rally Day will be held on Wednesday, September 10, 2008. This is when they invite back all their old and faithful members; and welcome any newcomers to come visit with them and consider joining this great group of local women.

Just think about it ladies... where else can you find a terrific group of women, learn about new arts and crafts and create great projects, be part of social gatherings throughout the season, make new friends and have great conversation.

It's a terrific club and think of all the gas money you'll save by staying local and still have the benefits of being part of this fabulous and friendly group of women.

Come and visit with the St. James Homemakers on September 10, 2008. Meetings take place at the St. James Lutheran Church on Wednesdays, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. For further information, please call 584-7745 or 862-8945. They are looking forward to meeting you.

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Be sure to take advantage of their Grand Opening discounts and specials. From toddlers to adults, beginners to advanced, North Shore Academy of Dance offers classes in tap, jazz, ballet, **GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23

lyrical, modern, ballroom, hip hop, breakdancing, acro, Latin and more with their top notch award winning instructors.

To get acquainted they are holding a special GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION on Saturday, August 23 beginning at 1 p.m. (raindate, Sunday, August

24) at the school. Bring the whole family – there will be activities for children all day with raffles and prizes, refreshments, music with DJ Kaos, and special dance performances featuring staff instructor Tony Bones and the XFENZ, along with performances by his students, Mariah Carey's backup dancers. So be sure to stop by for a day of fun for all.

For further information, please call North Shore Academy of Dance at 899-4340.

A Grateful Thank You

On June 20, 2008, I had to call 911 for my mother who was in an asthma attack. EMT Jeff Johnson and our firefighters from the St. James Fire Department arrived within minutes. They were absolutely wonderful. My mother's breathing was soon under control and the EMT advised my mother she had to go to the hospital. She has a fear of ambulances and hospitals, so with his calming way,

he convinced her to go to the hospital and get checked by the doctors. The doctor said she was very lucky that the EMT was there so quickly.

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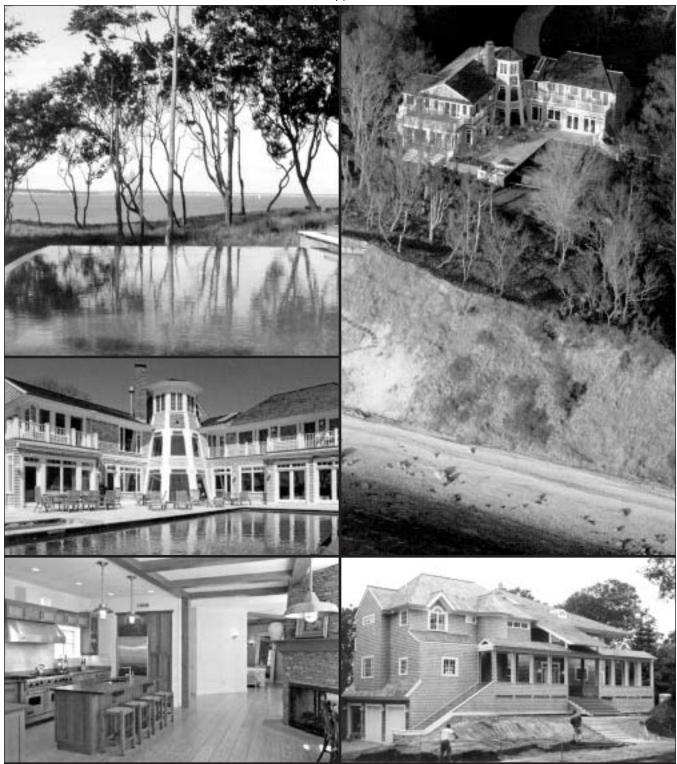
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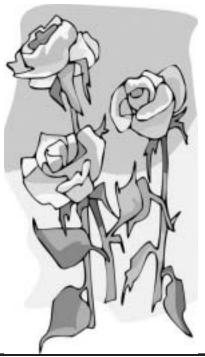
On Wednesday, September 3, residents of St. James will have a unique opportunity to meet each other and develop new friendships, when St. James Florist and Gift Shop hosts FTD® Good Neighbor Day®. Beginning at 9 a.m. St. James Florist and Gift Shop, located at 213 Lake Avenue, St. James, will give away roses in bunches of a dozen, *ABSOLUTELY FREE* to anyone who visits the shop.

There is a catch. Christine and Maria, owners of St. James Florist, hope the goodwill is exactly that — "catching." Those picking up the roses will be asked to keep one for themselves and give the others away to 11 different people, in the process of getting acquainted or renewing a friendship. Christine and Maria, hope that every visitor

to St. James Florist will make 11 new friends in the community on September 3, and in doing so, help create a friendlier, more caring and compassionate world.

Good Neighbor Day is being celebrated throughout the United States and Canada as a day of goodwill to all people. Sponsored internationally by FTD® and locally by St. James Florist and Gift Shop, the day celebrates the "power of a flower" to help forge new friendships and promote neighborliness. It is expected that millions of roses will be given away this Good Neighbor Day. Traditionally held to be a symbol of friendship and love, the rose is America's national floral symbol.

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Special Thanks to St. James Residents and Businesses

Kenneth Baribault, a police officer in Nassau County, while on duty, was critically injured by a drunk driver and is currently in a rehabilitation facility in New Jersey. He sustained injuries to the brain and pelvic area. His condition was quite serious but he is making good progress and we wish him a speedy recovery.

Virginia Augugliaro, a close family friend, collected \$600 thanks to the generous people of St. James.

Special thanks go out to Tic Toc Cafe, Patio Pizza, Lake Village Deli and Energy Fitness Center, all located in St. James, for putting out canisters and to the folks here in St. James who helped to fill them.

The Kenneth and Christopher Baribault Benevolent Fund, c/o Nassau PBA, 89 E. Jericho Tpke., Mineola, NY 11501, has been set up for his son. If you would like to make a donation, please send it to the above address.



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A R O U N D T O W N

Natalie Weinstein to be Honored at Sixty over Sixty Gala

Natalie Weinstein of Natalie Weinstein Design Associates, a leading design firm since 1973, and president of the Natalie Weinstein Home Decorating Club, of St. James with over 15,000 members, is being honored at the School-Business Partnerships of Long Island's Sixty over Sixty Awards Gala.

The inaugural gala will honor 60 individuals over the age of 60 who have made positive, tangible contributions to make Long Island the great community it is today. The *Sixty over Sixty* Awards Gala will be held on Thursday, October 23, 2008 at the Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury, NY.

Natalie is the former director of the Willsey Institute for

Art and Interior Design, and has been a guest lecturer and mentor for Suffolk Community College. Natalie's "Home Show" can be heard on WALK 1370 AM on Sundays from 10 to 11 a.m. and be sure to listen for "Design Tips by Natalie" on WALK 97.5 FM. Her recently published children's book, Katrina's New Room, combines her love of children and decorating. She has written for numerous magazines, including House Magazine.

For more information on SBPLI and the *Sixty over Sixty* Awards Gala, which certainly promises to be an exciting evening, please visit www.sbpligala.com or call HJMT Communications at 516-997-1950.



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Chorus Line Dance Studio, under the direction of Roseann Cousin, has made it tradition to end each annual production with a routine performed in

American Sign Language. This began 17 years ago in honor of Roseann's daughter, Marissa Nicole, who was born deaf.

On May 22, 23, and 24, the 200 members of the Chorus Line Dance Companies ended this year's annual performance at the Patchogue Theatre with a special tribute to Breast Cancer Awareness. Their chosen song "I Run For Life" by Melissa Etheridge, was performed in American Sign Language by the entire cast. American Cancer Society donated pins and pink ribbons for the girls to wear with their attire. The performances were a true inspiration to all and standing ovations were received after the grand finale. The Chorus Line Dance Companies were invited to repeat this performance at the opening season breakfast for American Cancer Society at the Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury on Wednesday, August 6.





Chorus Line Dance Companies perform a special tribute to the American Cancer Society in American Sign Language.

In lieu of their performance, each dancer also made a contribution to the American Cancer Society making it possible to send a \$1,000 donation from the dancers at Chorus Line Dance Studio.

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Mather Memorial to Hospital, where the celebration begins at 12 noon. A complimentary lunch will be served at 1:30 p.m. to all attendees. The Long Island Rail Road will provide free return rides for those making the journey to Victory Day and there will be free buses to transport you from the Port lefferson station to Mather Hospital for the celebration. The return train will depart Port Jefferson at 2:39 p.m.

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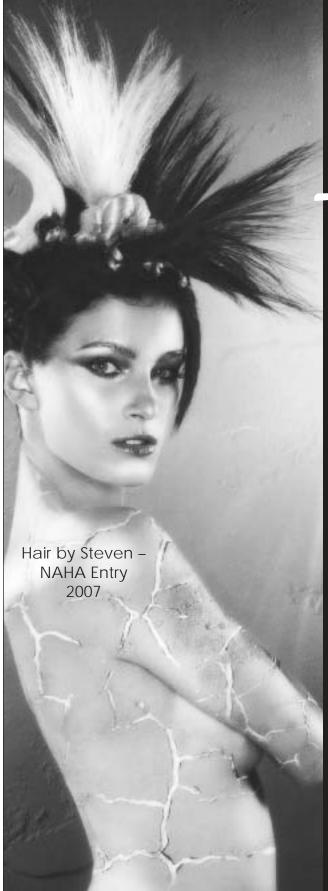
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8th Annual Harbor Day Festival Set for September 27

On Saturday, September 27, 2008, at Long Beach in Smithtown, the Head-of-the Harbor/ Nissequogue Joint Coastal Commission is hosting the eighth annual Harbor Day Festival. The festival is an opportunity for people of all ages to learn more about the ecology and history of Stony Brook Harbor and to participate in a canoe and kayak tour of the Harbor.

The festivities start at 9 a.m. at the first boat ramp at Smithtown's Long Beach. The mayors of the two villages, Nat Tartamella and Richard Smith will welcome everyone and reiterate their concerns about the ecology of the Harbor.

Following the mayors' greetings, Brad Harris, president of the



Nissequogue Mayor Richard Smith discussing the aesthetic and ecological importance of the Harbor.



Arrival at Cordwood Beach.

Smithtown Historical Society, will be speaking about the Nesaguake Indians, Smithtown's original inhabitants, what we know about these indigenous Americans and how responded to contact with The Europeans. Nesaguake Indians were a small clan of Algonquin-speaking Indians who made their home along the banks of the Nissequogue River and around the banks of St. James Harbor. Never a very large clan, the Nesaguakes probably had less than 500 members; they were a friendly peaceful people. The story of how these peaceful Indians lived upon the bounty of the land and sea and what happened to them is the substance of Mr. Harris' remarks. It is a sad story of cultural absorption and annihilation that needs to be told.

Students from the Knox School in Nissequogue will then provide a short overview on the Harbor as habitat for various living creatures and how these creatures contribute to the health of the Harbor. They will also discuss the effects of the recreational use and misuse of the Harbor and the overall impact of urbanization that contributes non-point source pollution from fertilizers and storm water run-off. As in past



Coastal Commission Chairperson Liz Shepherd opening the 2007 Harbor Day Festival.

years, the students will provide a touch-tank for first hand observation and handling of the life forms found in the Harbor. They will also show a DVD, "Underwater Tour of the Long Island Sound" originally created by the Long Island Sound Study group.

Then a flotilla of canoes and kayaks will set off on a tour of Stony Brook Harbor, stopping at continued on page 28



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8th Annual Harbor Day Festival

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Cordwood Beach for a brief rest and rehydration. Returning from the tour, participants may enjoy an old fashioned 99¢ lunch from a hot dog stand, courtesy of Villa Sorrento in St. James. Then comes a chance to learn more about the harbor wildlife in displays collected by Knox School students.

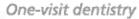
People who don't have their own canoe or kayak but want to join the flotilla, can arrange to rent them from Nissequogue Canoes by calling 979-8244 and mention HARBOR DAY. Everyone in the flotilla, children and adults, must wear life jackets, and it is highly recommended that you wear a hat and use sun block. For a pictorial tour of previous Harbor Day Festivals and updated information about this year's event visit www.harborday.net.



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Gala to be Held in Honor of Supervisor Vecchio's 30 Years of Service to the Community

The Smithtown Historical Society will be honoring Supervisor Patrick R. Vecchio for his 30 years of distinguished service as Town Supervisor of Smithtown at their annual gala on Thursday, October 23, 2008 at Flowerfield in St. James.

During his service as supervisor, Mr. Vecchio has witnessed many changes in Smithtown and on Long Island, and through it all the residents of Smithtown have been able to depend on his guidance and leadership since 1978. No one in New York State's history has served as Town Supervisor for as long or as faithfully as Mr. Vecchio.

Certainly, the occasion of his three decades in office is worthy of celebration and congratulation. This celebration will also benefit the Smithtown Historical Society, which is committed to the preservation, restoration, and interpretation of Smithtown's rich heritage for the education and enjoyment of current and future

generations. Since its founding in 1955, the Smithtown Historical Society has strived to serve as both a viable and valuable cultural resource through its diversified programs and events.

So be sure to mark your calendar, Thursday, October 23, 2008, for this special occasion. If

you would like to be a sponsor or take out an ad in their souvenir journal honoring Supervisor Vecchio, be sure to call 265-6768.

For further information and to make your reservations for the gala, please call the Smithtown Historical Society at 265-6768.

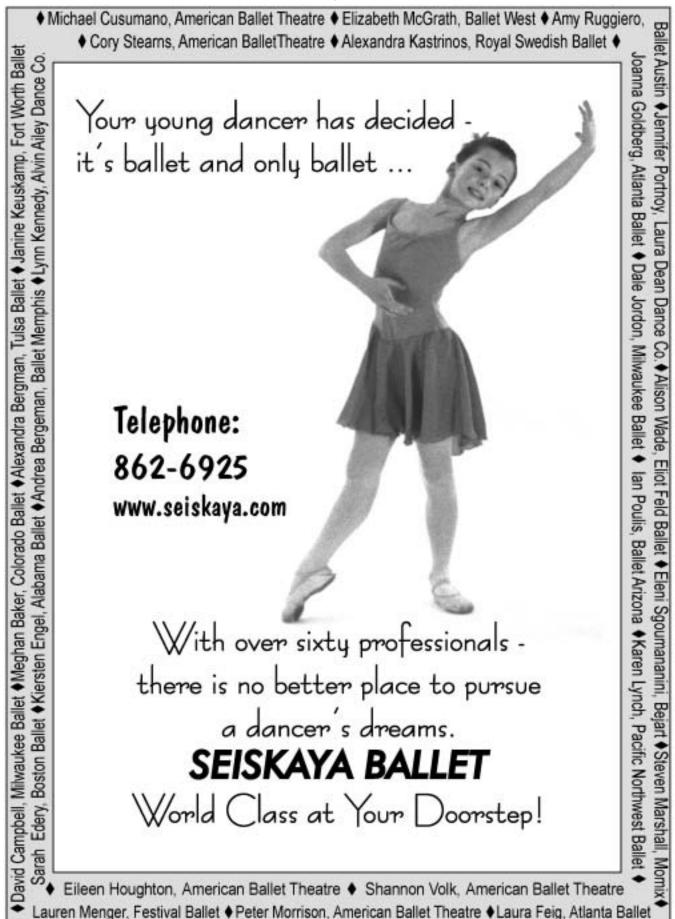
Kick-Off Reception

The Smithtown Historical Society is now in full swing for its largest ever fundraising event. A kick-off reception was held Monday, July 14 at the beautiful Deepwells mansion to start the ball rolling. Smithtown Historical Society Trustee, the Journal Committee and special guests listened attentively to Brad Harris, president of the Board of Trustees, talk about the importance of the October 2008 fundraiser honoring Supervisor Patrick Vecchio. Deanna Varricchio and Kathy Albrecht, co-chairpersons for the October 2008 celebration instructed and coached formally and informally the guests on how they could participate in the commemorative journal or take advantage of the special sponsorship opportunities.

Special thanks to Carol Shybunko for the beautiful table centerpieces; Laura Albrecht for the wonderful buffet; Jeannine Sturm and friend for the sweet sounding violin music; Smithtown Elks continued on page 103







IN THE NEWS

Smithtown H.S. 50 Year Reunion – Class of 1959

Dear Classmates,

The golden era between 1955 and 1959 will long be remembered by many to have been some of the most fun-filled years of our young lives. Although we may not have always appreciated everything that happened to us during the height of the rock n' roll era, as the last class to graduate from the Smithtown High School, we considered ourselves to have been most fortunate to have known each other over those four years.

With the above in mind, we are in the planning stages to celebrate our **50th Class Reunion** in June, July or August 2009. That's right, as of June 2009 it will have been 50 years since we last walked down the aisle of that huge tent wearing our caps and gowns to receive our prized diplomas. (God it was good to be young then.)

Although, we are only in the middle of 2008, the Reunion Committee believes that time is of the essence and that we must act quickly in order to arrange for the festivities celebrating our graduation from SHS. It is therefore hoped that you will respond as quickly as possible in order to solicit your comments and suggestions. Your input is vital to the success of the reunion. The sooner we hear from you, the sooner we will be able to make the required arrangements to facilitate our special weekend. In hopes of reducing operating expenses, please e-mail, fax, or phone us with your response. (We would really appreciate your e-mail address to reduce future mailing costs.)

A 50-Year Class Reunion only comes once in a lifetime. We hope that you will take advantage of this unique personal experience by joining your fellow classmates in this special "homecoming" celebration. Bring your memories, your pictures, your digital cameras, your camcorders and your 1959 Yearbook. But most importantly, bring yourself. Don't let this once in a lifetime fun-filled historical experience slip away from you. Start thinking now about your participation. Don't wait until the last minute to start your planning. Think ahead. You will never have a second chance to attend the one and only SHS Fifty-Year Class Reunion. We look forward to your expeditious response so that we may get started. Thank You.

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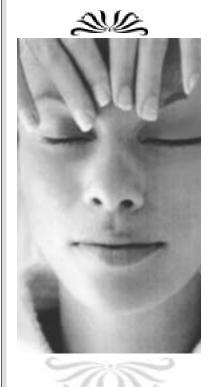
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ment at 632-7330.

Emerson String Quartet Saturday, October 4 • 8p.m. Recital Hall - \$42

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Savion Glover in Bare Soundz Saturday, October 11 ● 8 p.m. *Main Stage* - \$42

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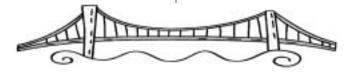
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Thursday, Dec. • 8 p.m. Recital Hall - \$34

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Emerson String Quartet

Thursday, February 5 • 8 p.m. Recital Hall - \$42

The Puppini Sisters

Saturday, February 14 • 8 p.m. Main Stage - \$34

Les Gouts Réunis

Sunday, February 15 • 7 p.m. Recital Hall - \$34

Drumline Live

Saturday, February 21 • 8 p.m. Main Stage - \$38

Danielle de Niese, soprano

Sunday, February 22 • 8 p.m. Recital Hall - \$38

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NOT JUST FOR KIDS Sunday, March 1 • 4 p.m. Main Stage - \$12

STALLER CENTER GALA 2009 An Evening with Patti LuPone and Mandy Patinkin

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Chuck Mangione, trumpet Saturday, March 14 • 8 p.m. Recital Hall - \$38

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Emerson String Quartet Thursday, April 2 • 8 p.m. *Recital Hall* - \$42

David Benoit - "Peanuts"NOT JUST FOR KIDS
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Tuesday, September 16

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Computer 2nd Grade for Grownups

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Tuesday, October 7

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Tuesday, October 28

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An AARP Defensive Driving class will be held at three of the Smithtown Library branches on a rotating basis — Smithtown, Commack and Nesconset. There is a fee of \$10 (check or money order only) which is non-refundable for drivers 50+ years.

Classes will be held at SMITHTOWN: on Tuesdays, 10

a.m.-5 p.m., October 21; COMMACK: Fridays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., August 29 and November 28; NESCONSET: Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., September 13 and December 13.

Register at the Circulation Desk of the the branch you wish to take the program. Space is very limited, registration is on a firstcome first-served basis.

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DESIGN IDEAS:

How Architects and Interior Designers Can Help You



by Natalie Weinstein, Allied ASID

In today's challenging economy, many of our clients and club members are considering renovating their present homes rather than moving. I'm often presented with a set of architectural plans to review at our first meeting even though folks think that may be premature since the "decorating" stage appears to be far away. But savvy homeowners often seek my advice in preparation for the initial meeting with an architect or when they've just received their preliminary plans. For the most part, however, many folks don't understand the best way to use the services of an interior designer and an architect.

An architect is a space-planning professional who provides a series of drawings, plans and specifications according to various regional and national codes, as well as elevational drawings of all sides of a dwelling. If not new construction, these plans include the existing structure as well as additions and changes to it for the purpose of building to code as well as filing with the proper municipality. Once approved by the homeowner

and then the town, they become the working drawings which the builder or contractor implements.

An interior designer is a space-planning professional who provides floor plan and furniture arrangements as well as elevations for the interior of a home. After this phase, the designer provides color, fabric, furniture, lighting, art, accessories, window treatments and other finishing trades.

Where the commonality occurs is in the interior space plan, with architect and designer addressing the same basic needs from a different vantage point. I consider myself most helpful to a homeowner when I can work along with the architect to create interior space that fits their needs, their existing furniture and their goals for the future. By providing such specifications, the architect can now create the walls, windows and doors around "the box," the elevation and volume needed and the exterior structure according to style selected by the client.

The team then becomes homeowner, designer, architect and builder – all with the same goal – to provide the best and most creative use of space, to code, in budget and on time. This is often most important even if a homeowner chooses to become the "project supervisor," i.e. coordinating and hiring individual trades to do the work directly rather than hiring a contractor.

So here's what to do to get it right –

- Provide designer and architect with a "needs" and "wish" list
- Decide on what's staying and what's going so their dimensions and style can be taken into account.

- Look through magazines and books to illustrate what you'd like to incorporate
- Know your budget parameters and be prepared for at least a 10% overage
- Get back to your architect and professional team in a timely manner with reactions and corrections
- Prepare your questions in advance so that meetings are productive
- Set realistic goals and time frame for each aspect of your project
- Praise when you like the results and make positive suggestions for change when you don't
- Remember each member of the team must contribute productivity to create the results you want – even you!

If you have a design question that you would like Natalie to answer in future columns, please email info@nataliesclub.com.



Editor's Note:

Natalie Weinstein is president of Natalie Weinstein Design Associates and the Natalie Weinstein Home Decorating Club with over 15,000 members on Long Island. If you have a design question or would like to become a member, visit www.nataliesclub.com, call 631.862.6198, or e-mail nataliesclub@aol.com. Hear "Design Tips by Natalie" on WALK 97.5 FM, "Home Show" on WALK 1370 AM, Sundays from 10-11 a.m. and podcast 24/7 on walkradio.com, keyword NATALIE.

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REALTY WISE: Going Green Means More Green for You

by Rita Clous

"Going green" and "reducing your carbon footprint" are all the rage, but these trendy concepts are nothing new for the Alliance to Save Energy. That's because you can't be green without minimizing your energy use; and energy efficiency has always been and remains the quickest, most cost-effective way to use less energy — and the amount of pollution you produce. The added benefits: While lowering your household energy bills, energy efficiency doesn't require sacrificing comfort or convenience, and it will increase your indoor comfort. It may even add to the desirability to purchase your home over others in the market at the time you sell. Affordability and eco-consciousness are key factors to today's buyer.

It's just a matter of taking simple steps with your home and vehicles and employing today's widely available, easy-to-use energy-efficiency technologies. You'll not only ease the strain of today's high energy prices on your household budget, you'll also shrink the greenhouse gases and other global warming pollutants spewn into the atmosphere. Here are some tips offered by the Alliance to Save Energy:

Remember when your mom would ask, "Do you think we own stock in the electric company?" Take her sage advice and turn off lights, computers, TVs, stereos, etc. when you are done using them.

Green means clean — air filters, that is. Clean or replace HVAC filters regularly, whether you have a central heating and/or cooling system or window air conditioners.

Don't let "vampire energy use" – aka "standby power" – suck your wallet dry. Instead, look for the ENERGY STAR label on electronics – TVs, VCRs, CD players, DVD players, cordless telephones, and more that continue to use less electricity in the "off" mode to keep display clocks lit and memory chips and remote controls working.

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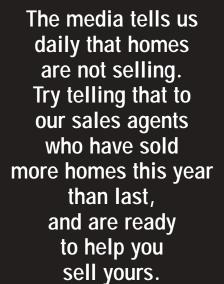


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Reach for the stars – the ENER-GY STARs, that is. ENERGY STAR qualified products can cut related electricity costs by up to 30%. More than 50 categories of products are now labeled with this government "seal of approval" for energy efficiency. In addition to electronics and lighting, they also include appliances, HVAC systems, windows, and more (see www.energystar.gov for a complete rundown).

Don't waste money and energy

heating and cooling the great outdoors, either! Make sure you have the proper amount of insulation for your climate, and seal leaks around doors and windows to cut your heating and cooling bills by up to 20%. With home energy costs estimated at \$2,200 for the average U.S. household in 2008, and just over half of that going for heating and cooling, those savings can amount to about \$225. Added benefit: Eliminate drafts and hot and cold spots for greater indoor comfort.

Simple steps taken will aid your wallet, add to your comfort and to the value of your home when you decide to sell.

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NATURALLY SPEAKING: Getting A Jump on Fall

by June A. Liardi

Can you believe that September is almost here? Wasn't it just the middle of June? At least we have many beautiful weather days to look forward to, and a cool, clear day would feel pretty good.

Even though it is not quite fall yet, you can think spring. Go spring bulb shopping with the children. Let them pick out some for themselves. Allium bulbs are one good choice. They are tall and very bold, the kids will love them. Have each child paint a stone with their name on it to mark their plants. Follow package directions as to planting depth, and always plant pointy end up!

Fall is also the time to plant garlic, mid-September to mid-October. You can order garlic to



plant from many catalogs including, Johnny's Selected Seeds, Seeds of Change and Shepards Garden Seeds. Right before planting, separate cloves and peel away paper layer of skin. Plant pointy tip up about 2-4 inches deep and 4-6 inches apart. Mulch and let rest for the winter. As green begins to show, just leave them, they will be fine. Next

summer trim off any flower buds that develop. Dig up bulbs around July-August as shoots turn brown. Place bulbs on screen trays to dry in a cool, well-ventilated, dark space. The flavor of garlic right from your garden is just great.

The time is also right to propagate your annuals to grow inside. Some good candidates are geraniums, coleus and marigolds. Fill a plastic bag (an old bread bag is fine) with vermiculite and with a very sharp knife, cut a few rows of holes, each with three or so cuts, make them above an inch long. Moisten the vermiculite by filling the bag with water. Close with a twist tie, the excess water will drain out through the cuts. Select your cuttings, remove most continued on page 70

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of the leaves, dip the end in water and rooting hormone and gently but firmly stick into each cut. Place in a light, warm spot out of direct sunlight. Check every few days and if the bag feels light, add water. After three weeks or so, gently tug on the cuttings, if you feel resistance, there are roots. You can then cut the bag apart, separate the rooted cuttings and pot each one up separately. Water well and move to a sunny location.

Another way to extend your garden and save some money is to collect seeds of your favorite plants. Maybe a friend has some flowers you have admired all summer. Seeds have to be ripe, which usually means brown or dark in color and dry. Immature seeds will rot and will not produce. I like to collect them in individually marked paper lunch bags. Let them sit in a cool, dry place for a while to make sure they are completely dry. A good way to store them for the season is in envelopes, with any information you need — plant name, date, color, etc. and then put all the envelopes inside a plastic storage box. A bit of rice or powdered milk tied up in a coffee filter will help absorb any stray moisture.

If you are buying any mums for fall planting or decorating, make sure to buy a plant with lots of tight flower buds, and dark green leaves. Plant in a spot with good drainage, full sun and give them lots of water (but do not let them sit in the water).

If you have your house plants outside, it is time to bring them inside now. They have to adjust to indoor conditions before the heats gets turned on. Move them to a shady spot so they get used to the lower light conditions of your house. Inspect them for any insects, prune away any broken or diseased leaves or branches. Give them a good shower with the hose and most will also benefit from a spray of insecticidal soap. I also top dress with some fresh potting soil.

With the leaves ready to fall, it is a good time to start a compost pile (another dollar-saving idea). You can make it as elaborate, fancy or plain and easy as you would like. There are ready-made composters and kits to buy. The simplest way is to pick a sunny spot and start piling it on. Add some leaves, a few shovel-fulls of soil, some grass clippings, some more leaves, kitchen scraps, including egg shells and tea and coffee grinds. No meats, bones or fats though. Moisten the pile and turn and toss it often. Just keep going and in no time you will have rich, free, compost. Perfect to help all those seeds, plants, and garlic to grow.

Editor's Note:

June Liardi, a St. James resident for over 30 years, is a wife and mother of three sons. June will be writing articles on gardening, nature related craft projects and family activities.

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What to Do After a Flood

by Jim Winter

People have said it couldn't happen to them. People have said it wouldn't happen in their area.

But it can and it does. And when a flood occurs in the community, anyone can suffer the devastation of a loss – lost prop-

erty, lost irreplaceable items and, unfortunately, sometimes lost lives.

Flood survival tips:

Remember that your dwelling, furnishings and possessions can be covered by flood insurance, but your life can never be replaced. Take into consideration these safety tips if your community is subject to flooding:

- Never enter buildings surrounded by flood waters.
- Stay away from downed power and electrical wires.
- Watch out for snakes and small animals that may seek shelter in your home.
- Clean your home. Throw out any foods that may have come in contact with flood waters, even canned goods.
- Have damaged septic tanks, cesspools, pits and leaching systems serviced as soon as possible.
- Until local authorities proclaim your water is safe, boil water for drinking and food preparation.
- Take necessary measures to protect and dry out your home. You might cut out wet drywall, pull up wet carpeting, remove wet carpet padding and pull off wet baseboards.
- Document your time and record any expenses you incur protecting your property after a loss. Also document discarded items by saving receipts, taking photos and by compiling a room-by-room inventory of missing or damaged goods.

Protect your home:

Many times, protecting your valuables and other possessions against flood may be overlooked because most homeowners policies do not cover loss caused by floods.

Flood insurance can be purchased from the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), which is administered by the Federal Insurance Administration (FIA), a branch of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). You should talk to your insurance agent to see if he or she can sell and service flood insurance through the NFIP in your commucontinued on page 103

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MONEY MATTERS:

Smart Ways to Respond to a Down Market

by Scott Posner, CFP, A.A.M.S.

If you're an investor, you may have been disappointed with how the markets have been reacting this summer to the news of high oil prices and other short-term events. Nonetheless, your long-term financial goals don't have to be jeopardized by these losses — if you know how to respond to them.

Here are a few moves to consider:

- Stick to your investment strategy. It's almost always a bad idea to make long-term investment decisions in response to short-term market fluctuations. If you have built a diversified portfolio of quality investments, you're better off just "staying the course" during a market decline. (Keep in mind, though, that diversification, by itself, cannot guarantee or protect against loss.) If these investments were suitable for you before the market drop, they'll still be appropriate when the market turns around.
- Don't try to "time" the market. It would be great if you could know when the market had reached its low or high points, or

which days would be "losers" and which ones "winners." If you had that foresight, you could always jump in and jump out of the marthe right Unfortunately, no one can make those predictions with any accuracy. And those people who do try to "time" the market in this manner end up jumping out at the wrong times and missing both short- and long-term market rallies. By staying invested through market ups and downs, you can make progress toward your longterm goals.

• Look for buying opportunities. By definition, a market decline means that stock prices are lower — which means you may find some good buying opportunities. Of course, you'll want to know if the stock's price is low because of the effects of the broadbased market decline or because of other factors specific to the stock, such as poor management, non-competitive products or a decline in the industry to which it belongs.

While making these moves can help you get past the market

decline, it doesn't mean that a severe price drop can't affect you. If you need money to pay for an unexpected cost, such as a major car repair, you'll likely take a hit if you have to sell stocks when the market has fallen substantially. But you can avoid this problem by putting three to six months worth of living expenses in an emergency fund, preferably in a "cash" or "cash equivalent" account.

Nobody likes to see big declines in the stock market. But if you're a long-term investor, you've built an emergency fund and you've rebalanced your portfolio to fit your risk tolerance, you'll be in a much better position to withstand these market drops – and you'll be well prepared for an eventual recovery. Editor's Note: Money Matters is a monthly feature written by Scott Posner, CFP, A.A.M.S., an investment representative with Edward Jones Investments. This 130-year-old firm has over 10,000 offices around the world with one here in town at 542 North Country Road in the Old St. James School House, Mr. Posner has serviced both personal and institutional investors for over 16 years. For more information, a schedule of free investment classes or to request topics for future columns, call 862-2020.

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MORTGAGE MATTERS: Help From Mon and Dad

by Ann Mondrone

The recent decline in property values, together with the still historically-low mortgage interest rates, presents a tremendous opportunity for first-time homebuyers. However, in contrast to the borrowing requirements of a few years ago (the joke is that if you could sign your name, you could get a mortgage loan), lenders are now sticking to extremely tight guidelines for income, credit and down payment. So, how can you take advantage of this great buying time if you are falling just short of qualifying? Many first-timers are calling on help from Mom and Dad. There are basically two ways that parents or other relatives can help: providing down payment assistance or co-signing to add their income and assets to the transaction.

If the down payment is the only area of difficulty, most lenders permit "gift money" for all or part of the down payment and closing costs. Conventional mortgages with at least 20% down permit all of the down payment to be gifted and FHA loans even with as little as 3% down permit this. Conventional loans with less than 20% down and some government loans like SONYMA (The State of New York Mortgage Agency) require that the borrower

has at least some of his own money and then the rest can be gifted. Borrowers should check with their mortgage lender to see what the specific requirements are.

But what if down payment and income are problems or what if only income is falling short? In these cases, it is probably necessary for the parent to co-sign. Many lenders today have programs that have come to be called "kiddie loans." These loan programs permit a blood relative to be a co-signer without requiring that they occupy the subject home as a primary residence. The relative's income and assets are

combined with the primary borrowers to determine qualification. These programs generally require 10% down. loans, however, permit non-occupying co-borrowers even with the lowest down pay-"Kiddie" ment loans can be used even if the primary borrower has no income, as is the case of a college student or a recent graduMortgage applications that include some family assistance are becoming increasingly commonplace. They are a "win-win" situation. The prospective home-buyer now has an opportunity to obtain mortgage approval and mortgage lenders feel more secure knowing that they have minimized risk on the loans they extend.

Editor's Note:

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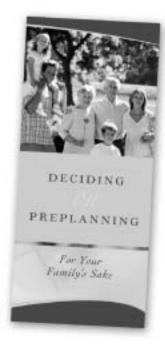
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PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE:

These Five Insurance and Financial Mistakes Can Cost You Dearly

submitted by Lawrence Glazer, CLU, ChFC, LUTCF

Everyone wants financial success for themselves and their families. The dreams that we spend long hours working toward whether it's a first home, a college education for the children, or a retirement home some place warm - are all goals on the path to financial security. Unfortunately, it's all too easy to stumble on the way to your destination. I've compiled a list of what I've found to be the most common errors people make in achieving their insurance and financial goals. They're all potentially costly, and they could mean the difference between financial success and failure.

1. Failure to Plan

An old saying goes, "Most people don't plan to fail, they fail to plan." This is particularly true when it comes to insurance and finances. If any planning is done it's on a piecemeal basis, but that's just not enough. To have a shot at accomplishing what we want, we must first set our goals, analyze what it will take to achieve those goals, and then implement a plan. The plan should include everything from savings and checking accounts, to longer-term vehicles like annu-



ities, CDs, and IRAs, and the protection provided by life, health, and disability income insurance.

2. Insufficient Diversification

Another old adage still rings true: "Don't put all your eggs in one basket." Diversification is generally considered a key to reducing risk and enhancing potential return. Some people believe that because they have CDs in three different banks they're properly diversified. True diversification cuts across product types, lengths of maturity, and asset categories. With a welldiversified portfolio, you're never too dependent on how well one product performs.

3. Insufficient Life Insurance

We're quick to insure our cars and our homes, but too often we overlook our most important asset ourselves. With mortgages, tuition, and bills to be paid, it's important to have proper coverage on all income earners. Some people may have group term life insurance through their employers, but this alone may not be sufficient. Be careful not to be overly dependent on group term, for these plans can be inflexible, may not be portable, and may not be available when you need it most - after age 65. Look into purchasing individual coverage to suit your particular needs. How much life insurance is enough? That depends on a number of personal factors including income and number of dependents. It's best to sit down with an insurance professional to go over your needs and look at the available options.

4. Inadequate Disability Income Insurance

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again, a company-sponsored plan may be too limited for your needs. Typically, disability income insurance plans will cover 50-60% of your annual income for a pre-determined period of time. You'll want to study the policy carefully to understand all of the provisions, including the definition of disability, the waiting period following disability before you can collect, and the length of the payment period.

5. No Estate Plan

Some people have the impression that estate planning is just for the rich. Unfortunately, that view can be costly to their heirs. Your estate includes such items as your home, cash, investments, personal property, and other assets you and your spouse may own jointly or as community property. These may add up to a lot more than you thought you were worth. Federal estate taxes apply to estates valued at more than \$2 million in 2007 and 2008*, and can climb to over a 45% tax rate for large estates. Add in state death taxes and final expenses and your death can be quite costly to your loved ones.

You owe it to your family to have an estate plan in place. An effective will, a trust arrangement, and adequate life insurance are some of the options available to you to help your heirs get what they deserve.

"To err is human" is yet another pearl of wisdom. Sure, everyone makes mistakes, but all of the ones outlined above can be avoided. With proper insurance products and financial strategies you can steer past those costly blunders and be on the road to financial success.

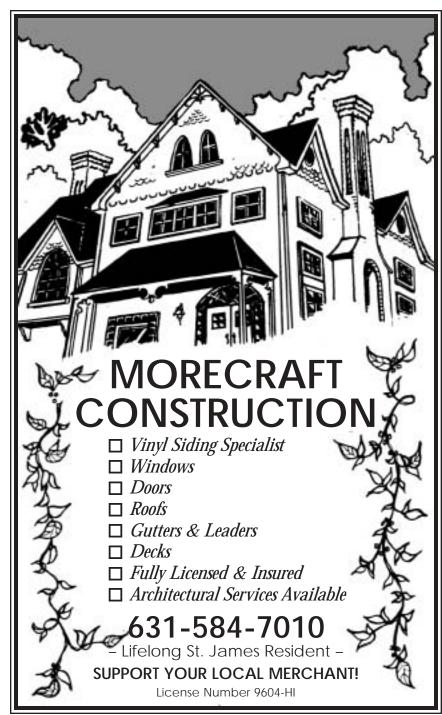
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LEGAL-EASE

What is a Sprinkling Trust? Hint: It's a Good Thing for Kids

by John L. Belford

A child's inheritance cannot be used for the child's benefit before his or her 18th birthday without a court order and a child's inheritance must be distributed to the child on his or her 18th birthday. That's why many parents establish a sprinkling trust in their wills. A sprinkling trust avoids the need for court orders to use the inheritance for a child's benefit before his or her 18th birthday and also avoids the distribution of the child's inheritance on his or her 18th birthday when he or she may not be ready to handle the inheritance wisely. A sprinkling trust is established in the parents' wills and it provides as follows:

(a) the inheritance for all of the children is held in one sprinkling trust for the benefit of all of them until the youngest child reaches the age chosen by the parents, usually 22 years or so, and

(b) before the trust funds are distributed outright to the children, the trustee named by the parents may distribute the trust assets to meet the individual needs of each of the children such as food, clothing, medical and dental needs and school and college expenses.

The trustee is not obligated to make equal distributions of the trust assets before the trust is terminated, just as the parents would not have equalized expenses for each child. The sprinkling trust empowers the trustee, who is often also the named guardian of the children, to make everyday decisions in raising the children because he or she will also have the authority to apply the trust funds for the various needs of the children in the same way the parents would have if they had survived.

Most sprinkling trusts have two dates for distribution. The first distribution is usually on the date the youngest child attains the age of 22 years or so. At that time one-half of the trust assets are distributed to the children in equal shares. After the first distribution and before the second distribution the trustee would continue to have the discretion to use the remaining funds for the benecontinued on page 103





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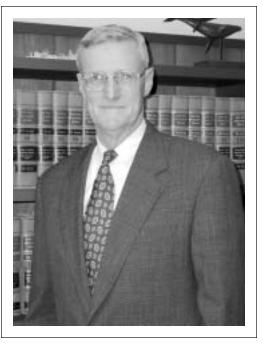
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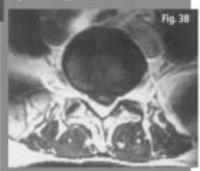
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AFTER SPINAL DECOMPRESSION



Before Spinal Decompression

Fig. 3: Pre-spinal decompression T2-weighted mid-sagittal (A) and axial (B) MR images through the L5 SI levels obtained using an uprigh weight-bearing position. There is a weight-bearing position. There is a large focal left paracental extrudes disc hornitation which is posteriorly displacing the left S1 nerve root. This scan was obtained prior to any spinal decompression therapy. Note that on te axial scan, there is bright xignal intensity within the discrepresenting an annual tear.



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Environmental Poster Contest Winner

Eight year old Brian Femminella, a second grade student at Mills Pond Elementary School in St. James, took third place, for his grade, in the Covanta Huntington Recycling Poster Contest. His poster's theme was "We Must Recycle to Save Our Earth." The contest was open to all Huntington and Smithtown elementary schools who chose to participate.

The Covanta Huntington Resource Recovery Facility, which began commercial operation in December 1991, serves the towns of Huntington and Smithtown. The facility processes 750 tons of solid waste per day, which generates up to 25 megawatts of renewable energy that is sold to LIPA.

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SCHOOLNEWS



Pictured are the 3-year-olds at their end of the year program.

St. James United Methodist **Nursery School** Year Round-Up

The children and teachers at the St. James United Methodist Nursery School, located at 532 Moriches Road in St. James, had a wonderful year. Children made many new friends and were busy with their daily projects.

They visited Sweetbriar Nature Center and the St. James Fire House, had visits by a snake, turtles and a hermit crab. They also planted tulips and watched them grow in the spring. They took walks to look for birds and bugs and blooms.

Their very busy year ended with a teddy bear picnic, a stepping up program and a graduation ceremony.

St. James United Methodist Nursery School has openings available for the 2008-09 school year in their 3 and 4 year old classes. Please stop by and visit during the school year or call Director June Liardi at 584-9555 or 584-5340 for additional information.



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Back 2 School For Kids - Back 2 the Grind for Parents

Packing lunches, checking homework, taxiing kids, attending PTA meetings, going to sports practice... parents know all too well the "to do list" expands when the kids head back to school. Before the busy back-to-school schedule starts, take some

time to prepare and ensure a less stressful year. Here are some timely tips to help parents get a jump on the new school year.

• Clear out the study:

Whether it is in the den or on the kitchen table, clear an area for kids to do their homework. Remove all the clutter, wipe down wood surfaces with a product that will protect the surface and stock with pens, pencils, staplers and other necessary supplies.

• Clean and organize bedrooms:

There is nothing worse than your child not being able to find clean socks, ballet shoes or backpacks. Have your children clean and organize their rooms, giving them a short list of the sports gear, uniforms, etc. they need to dig out of their closets.

• Clean your ride:

Most families spend a lot of time in the car shuttling kids to and from after school activities. Get your kid taxi ready by vacuuming out the sand from the family vacation, cleaning the windows and wiping down leather seats with a product that is designed to clean, condition and protect the leather. Stock the glove compartment with extra napkins, plastic bags for trash, tissues and hand sanitizer.

• Make a chore schedule:

Schedules are typically more hectic throughout the school year for both parents and children. Make a chore schedule for the week to ensure responsibilities are being taken care of in and around the home.

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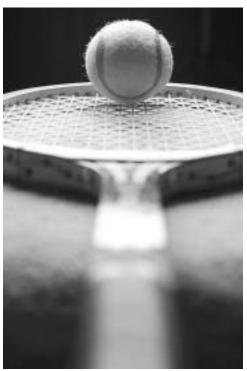
Registration is now underway for the 28th Annual Stop World Hunger Tennis Tournament. The tournament is open to all players who have not qualified to participate in this year's U.S. Open Tennis Tournament. Intermediate (3.0-3.5), advanced intermediate (3.5-4.0), and advanced (4.0-4.5+) players from more than 40 Long Island communities are expected to take part.

The purpose of the tennis tournament is to provide an enjoyable recreational activity, while helping those in desperate need. All entry fees and donations are forwarded to Catholic Relief Services to assist them in their efforts to feed hungry children throughout the world. Assistance is provided in 100 countries

where the need is greatest, regardless of race, religion and/or nationality.

Events consist of men's singles, women's singles, men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles. The cost is \$6 for singles and \$10 for doubles. Participants schedule their own own matches at mutually convenient times and sites. All matches are to be played between September 13 and November 16. The deadline for registration is Tuesday, September 2, 2008.

Applications and/or more information can be obtained by contacting: Stop World Hunger Tennis, 53 Elm Place, Amityville, NY 11701. Or, if you prefer, you may call Matt at (631) 789-3618.



Trish TobackMembers of the Month July





I first joined Energy Fitness 4 years ago, after having a spinal fusion procedure completed. I still had two herniated discs that the doctors also wanted to operate on, but I was determined to find a healthy alternative to surgery and prevent further injury. I began at Energy with Pilates classes, and then participated in my first of many Energy Challenges... and this is where it all began for me. I had the *Goal Bug*.

As I got stonger and more committed to my health, I set more and more goals for myself. I then began personal training 1x/wk, and started to see my hard work come to fruition. The Energy Challenges, like the *I Will, Spring into Summer*, and *Fall Fitness* continue to help me set competitive goals and push myself to the limit!

I want to thank the staff at Energy for their support, constant motivation, and ongoing education. Even though weight loss was never a main goal, I have lost 35 pounds as a result of living a healthy lifestyle. I am in the best shape of my adult life, feeling stronger and more fit than I have since playing competitive sports. "I live my life with Energy!"

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By Gregory R. Thomaier, D.C., C.C.S.P.

This article is part of an ongoing series presented in order to bring you the very best and latest information about exercise, health and diet.

Combating Inflammation with Diet

Have you ever experienced an injured ankle or wrist and around the area you notice a swelling called "inflammation"? A common misconception is that swelling only occurs in the body at the site of recent trauma. The truth is inflammation can occur at any time, in any area of the body. The cause of inflammation is directly associated with one's dietary habits. Most people don't realize that their diet is negatively affecting their health until much later in their lives because most diseases or conditions take years to develop. Inflammation generally occurs within the circulatory and immune system and is not always a temporary state. Researchers have recently discovered that illnesses such as osteoporosis, arthritis, cancer, heart disease and Alzheimer's disease can be the result of a poor diet, and that inflammation is the "red flag." In order to fight against inflammation, one must become completely mindful of their diet and look toward a positive nutritional lifestyle.

Foods known to promote inflammation are the refined carbohydrates such as sugar, sweeteners and flour, as well as fatty meats and refined oils. Although whole grains and legumes are good for the body, they also promote inflammation despite nutritious content. Refined grains, refined oils, refined sugars, alcohol and dairy products make up about ninety percent of one's diet in calories, leaving only ten percent for healthy fruits and vegetables. Researchers have found a way to turn that statistic around into an anti-inflammatory diet that's healthy and delicious. It is recommended that eighty to ninety percent of our diet consist of fruits, vegetables, raw nuts, potatoes, and lean or omega-3 protein sources such as omega-3 eggs, chicken, wild game, fish and lean meat. Garlic, ginger, oregano, turmeric and other popular spices are all part of the anti-inflammatory diet. Finally, oils/fats such as extra-virgin olive oil, coconut oil and butter are all good to use but in

Most people concern themselves with how many cups of coffee they consume, or making sure they eat enough yogurt to balance out their diets. The truth is those small attempts we make to improve our diets are minuscule compared to the amount of damage our everyday diet has already



done. One will see a greater improvement by sticking to an anti-inflammatory diet and focusing on the eighty to ninety percent of calories of good foods as opposed to the occasional bran muffin. If the anti-inflammatory described above seems to be an extreme form of dietary depravation, you will be relieved to know that the diet is actually in synch with our biochemical and physiological needs. A person starting the diet may experience a wave of change just to clean up after years of a poor diet, but soon after the anti-inflammatory diet will feel completely natural and become easier to follow. Remember that the suggested diet is only eighty or ninety percent of your calories, so have a little fun with the extra calories and make eating healthy less of a chore and more of lifestyle.

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HEALTH NOTES

Prevent On the Job Injuries

by Dr. Linda M. Bocchichio

Chiropractic care can do wonders for many on-the-job injuries. But it is far better to prevent them in the first place.

Improper lifting is believed to account for nearly half the back injuries in the workplace as well as in the home. Most of us have been told how to lift in our early school years, but if you watch people lifting things they rarely do it in a safe way that protects the back. Bending at the waist and lifting a heavy object puts all the stress on the back. Add some twisting motion to that and you just beg for an injury. The key is using your leg muscles, which are very strong compared to back muscles.

Basic tips for lifting:

 Stand close to the object with your feet about a foot apart. Never reach over some other object. Get close.

- Squat down bending the knees while keeping your spine straight. Let your knees straddle the object on each side.
- Get a comfortable grip on the object and then, holding it close to your body, lift it straight up using your leg muscles, straightening out the knees. Your spine should remain straight up.
- Setting the object down correctly is just as important as picking it up right, and is just the reverse of lifting. Keep the spine straight and lower it by bending the knees.

More tips:

 Keep floors clear of hazards that could cause you to trip

- and fall. This may seem simple, but a lot of injuries occur from tripping.
- Be sure you can see where you are going. Get help for items too large to see over.
- Don't over estimate your ability.

If you do sustain a back injury, even if it seems minor, let your chiropractor check it out. Even minor spinal problems can cause seemingly unrelated problems elsewhere in the body.

Editor's Note:

Dr. Linda Bocchichio is a chiropractor practicing at 105 Lake Avenue So. in Nesconset. She is the founder of the St. James Walking Club and is a former president of the St. James Chamber of Commerce. For further information, call 979-9854.

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-Dave F. McKell

Young and Loose

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I was naturally undestructible
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Are always pot luckable

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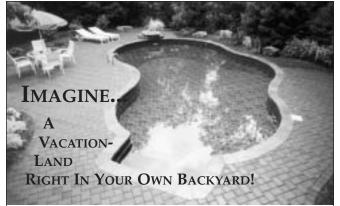
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CELEBRATIONS

Unverzagt / Palmeri Wed

Kevin David Unverzagt, son of Thomas and Muriel Unverzagt of St. James, and Mary Ann Palmeri, daughter of Salvatore and Tillie Palmeri of Bohemia, exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, July 26, 2008 at Crab Meadow Beach in Northport in the presence of their family and friends.

The groom's brother, Daniel, was the best man and Mary Ann's sister, Mattie Sauro, was the maid of honor. Alyssa Golden, the junior bridesmaid,



Mary Ann and Kevin Unverzagt

was accompanied by Kevin and Mary Ann's daughter, Angelina, who was the flower girl and Mary Ann's son, Cole, who was the ring bearer.

The bride, who carried a summer bouquet of flowers, wore a white strapless gown embellished with bugles beads, a crystal star fish at the waist and a fishtail train.

Family and friends continued the celebration at a reception at La Casa Cafe.

The couple resides in East Setauket.

Congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple and their families, from your friends in St. James. God bless their future together.

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Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Verderber on their wedding day 50 years ago.

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Gina was attended by her dear friend Jeanine Roach as maid of honor. Her bridesmaids were Raffaela Brugge, lessica DiClemente, Stefanie Carillo, Kristy Cornella, Diane Orzo-Liss, Christine Poerschke, and Jennifer Sidoti Wallis. Samantha Allan was the adorable flower girl along with the charming Gavin Marino as the ring bearer.

James had his brother, Michael, as his best man. His groomsmen were Dan Gilkey, Scott Heslin, Tim Heslin, Adam Manfre, John Montefusco, Larry Sciaronne, Tim Shelhorse, Anthony Vinciguerra, Bill Welch and Tom Zielinski.



Gina and James Rocker

The wedding reception was held at The Inn at East Wind in Wading River. The happy couple spent their honeymoon in Hawaii and Las Vegas and are currently living in their home in Ronkonkoma.

Congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple and their families.

New Arrival



Isabelle Natalie Forstner

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OBITUARIES

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A Funeral Mass was held at Sts. Philip and James R.C. Church in St. James. Interment followed at Calverton National Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to The Branch Funeral Home in Smithtown.

Rudolf Manger

Rudolf Manger passed away on July 18, 2008 at the age of 74. Beloved husband of the late Geraldine. Loving father of Vincent (Michelle), Richard (Jeanine) and Kenneth. Cherished grandfather of four. Dear brother of Otmar and Toni.

A Funeral Mass was held on July 23, 2008 at St. Patrick's R.C. Church in Smithtown. Interment followed at Pinelawn Memorial Park.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to The Branch Funeral Home in Smithtown.

Mario Pagliai

Mario Pagliai, of St. James, passed away on August 8, 2008. Loving husband of Nada Pagliai. Beloved father of Lucille, Joann and Patricia. Adored grandfather of six.

A Funeral Mass was held on August 11, 2008 at Sts. Philip & James R.C. Church in St. James. Entombment followed at Washington Memorial Park, Coram, NY.

Arrangements were entrusted to our family; Kenneth J. Maher, Kerry J. Maher and Kenneth J. Maher, Jr. at the St. James Funeral Home, St. James.

Lucy Weiss

Lucy Weiss, passed away on July 18, 2008 at the age of 81. Beloved wife of the late Edward. Devoted mother of Maryanne and Linda. Cherished grandmother.

A Funeral Mass was held on July 21, 2008 at Sts. Philip and James R.C. Church in St. James. Interment followed at Pinelawn Memorial Park.

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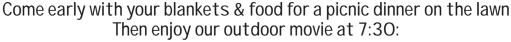
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Kick-Off Reception

continued from page 30 Club for the use of the champagne flutes; Harlan Fischer for the donation of the gravel walkways at Deepwells; and the Honey Hills Garden Club, Smithtown Garden Club and R.J.K. Gardens, Inc. for the spectacular new gardens.

And a huge home run thank you to Olivia Fischer and Kathy Albrecht for pulling it all together and making the kick-off reception a big success.

College Degree Info Session

continued from page 34 a master's program, but are unable to attend weekly classes, you can obtain information on the college's new M.B.A. program or its master's programs in business and labor, social policy or the new master of arts in liberal studies by calling 800-847-3000 or visit their web site: www.esc.edu/grad.

What to Do After a Flood

continued from page 72 nity. A flood insurance policy usually takes 30 days to go into effect, so don't wait until a flood is imminent before purchasing your policy.

A flood can happen in any community so it is important to have flood insurance and know how to stay safe during a flood.

Editor's Note:

Jim Winter is a State Farm Insurance Agent, located at 320 Lake Avenue in St. James. He has over 30 years experience with State Farm, the last 17 as an agent serving the insurance needs of St. James. Jim's office offers auto, home, life, disability and business insurance as well as financial products. He can be reached at 584-5929. Visit <u>statefarm.com</u> or stop by the office for more information.

Legal-Ease

continued from page 80 fit of the children as he or she saw fit without being required to make equal distributions. The second and last distribution, also in equal shares, would take place a few years later, such as the youngest child's 26th birthday. Providing for two distributions has the benefit of giving the children a second chance to manage the funds appropriately if they mismanaged the first distribution.

Editor's Note:

John L. Belford, Jr., Esq., of Bijesse & Belford, has been practicing law for 39 years, with 32 of them here in St. James at 217 Lake Avenue at the corner of Woodlawn and Lake Avenues. A graduate of Columbia Law School, John specializes in real estate, wills & estate planning and elder law. For additional information, call him at 862-8600.

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Alcoholics Anonymous holds more than 400 open meetings each week in Suffolk County. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. All are welcome.

A.A. meets every Monday and Wednesday, at the St. James Methodist Church, off Route 25A and Moriches Road, in St. James. On Mondays a Big Book meeting is held at 6:30 p.m. and a 12-Step meeting is held at 7:30 p.m. On Wednesdays a Beginners meeting and a Topic meeting is held at 7:30 p.m.

Meetings are held each
Thursday at 7 p.m. at Temple
Isaiah, 1401 Stony Brook Road,
Stony Brook.; each Friday at 9 p.m.
at the United Methodist Church,
792 Hawkins Avenue in Lake
Ronkonkoma; 3rd Wednesday of
each month at 7:30 p.m. Grace
Baptist Church, Hallock Rd., Lake
Grove, and each Tuesday and
Thursday at 10 a.m. at Islip Town
Beach Pavilion, Rosevale Ave. All
meetings are free.

If you have further questions or would like a list of other open meetings as well as closed meetings, call 669-1124, 24 hours, 7 days.

AMVET POST #55 MEETS IN ST. JAMES

AMVET Post #55 meets the second Tuesday of each month at the St. James VFW, which is located next to King Kullen on Lake Avenue. The meetings begin at 8 p.m. AMVET membership is open to all men and women who have served honorably in the U.S. Armed Forces, Reserves or National Guard including those men and women who are currently serving our country. Each AMVET post conducts its own local programs and participates in AMVET-related state and national organization activities.

For additional information about the AMVET's Post #55 in St. James, contact Mike Guido at 862-7452 and attend the meetings on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

AMERICAN LEGION HALL FOR RENT

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CRISIS HOTLINE

RESPONSE of Suffolk County, Inc. provides a suicide prevention/crisis intervention hotline, every day, 24-hours-a-day.

Call anytime if you are feeling sad or desperate, if you are concerned about someone who is, or if you just want to talk with someone who understands and cares. Talking helps.

Call: **751-7500 ANYTIME**

CRISIS ONLINE HOTLINE

Response of Suffolk County, a 24-hour crisis intervention hotline, now has a new ONLINE crisis counseling service, called Hear2Help. Hear2Help counselors can be reached online Monday through Friday afternoons from 3-9 p.m. Log on at responsehotline.org

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS

A 12 step program for anyone who is experiencing emotional problems. There are meetings on Sunday, 3:30-5 p.m. at Mather Memorial Hospital in Port Jefferson; Saturday evenings from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Smithtown; and on Tuesday evenings from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at Atria Assisted Living in South Setauket on Route 247. Call John at 584-5604 for additional information.

FIBROMYALGIA SUPPORT GROUP

A support group for people with fibromyalgia, sponsored by the Arthritis Foundation, will meet the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m. at Siena Village Community Center, 2000 Bishops Road in Smithtown.

The meeting is open to the pub-

lic and offered free of charge. For more information, call the Arthritis Foundation, Long Island Chapter, at 427-8272.

2 FLAG DROP OFF BOXES IN ST. JAMES

Through the generosity of the St. James Postmaster, reconditioned mail-drop boxes have been painted and placed at two separate locations in St. James. One can be found on the side of the American Legion, Sherwood Bros. Hall at 95 Lake Avenue, St. James, and another at the side of VFW Post 395, at the south end of the King Kullen parking lot for the desposal Flags which are no longer suitable for use. The flags will be properly disposed of with an appropriate ceremony.

FOSTER PARENTS NEEDED

Share your heart and home with children in need. Become a Suffolk County foster parent. Foster parents receive stipends, are reimbursed for expenses, can be single parents, can work, receive free training, are supported by caring caseworkers, help to reunite families, and may be able to adopt children who can't go home.

All orientation meetings are held in the Social Services Building at 3455 Veteran's Memorial Highway in Ronkonkoma. Please call the Suffolk County Department of Social Services at 853-KIDS for more information and to sign up for one of their upcoming orientation meetings.

JEWISH STUDY GROUPS

"FREE" Study Group for community seniors is offered at Temple Beth Chai, 870 Townline Road, Hauppauge, on Monday mornings at 10-11:30 a.m. Call the temple office for further information at 724-5807.

Lunch & Learn at Temple Beth Chai, 870 Townline Road, Hauppauge, will meet on the second Shabbat morning of every month. No Hebrew or background knowledge required. Shabbat serv-

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ices begin at 9:30 a.m., with *Lunch & Learn* following. This program is "FREE" and open to the community. For directions call the temple office at 724-5807.

SENIORS WHO CAN'T GET TO THE LIBRARY... A VAN-TASTIC SOLUTION

Through a cooperative effort between The Smithtown Library and the Town of Smithtown's Senior Citizens Department, transportation is provided for library visits on regularly scheduled dates or on demand when possible.

On days of planned visits, a van from the Smithtown Senior Citizens Center will take you to any Smithtown Library Building. If you need to go to the library when a visit is not planned, call the Senior Citizen Center's Transportation Department to inquire about scheduling an individual visit. To arrange to be picked up for a planned visit or to request an individual visit, call the Senior Citizen Center's Transportation Department at 265-8811. One week's notice must be given for a pick up. There is a \$1 charge each way for transportation (\$2 round trip).

MOMS Club

The MOMS Club of Smithtown holds its General Membership meeting on the first Thursday of the month at 10 a.m. We are a chapter of MOMS Club International and are a support group for the stay-athome mom and the mom who works part time. We have playgroups, park dates, field trips, and Mom's Night Out. Our chapter serves the Smithtown Township. New members and their children are ALWAYS welcome. For more information please contact Debbie at 631-467-3723. www.momsclub.org

OUTREACH SERVICES AVAILABLE

Temple Beth Sholom of Smithtown's Social Action Committee provides outreach services to Smithtown residents and

surrounding communities on a case by case basis. Social Action volunteers are available for visits to local nursing homes, hospitals and other settings to provide friendly visiting, and our community food pantry serves the needy with periodic food basket deliveries. Monthly meetings often host guest speakers from various social service and charitable organizations, and interested speakers are welcome to contact us for scheduling. If you need the assistance of the Social Action Committee, wish to request friendly visiting, or are a community speaker, please contact chairperson, Aviva Guttmann at 724-0424, or email: SocialAction@TBSofS.org

SENIORS WANTED

Do you play Mah Jong? Chess? Crave socialization? Interested in Adult Education? Book clubs? Trips? Lunch dates? Want to meet and mingle with other seniors? Temple Beth Sholom, 433 Edgewood Avenue Smithtown is pleased to offer Seniors reduced membership fees for their first year at Temple Beth Sholom. Join now to start enjoying the activities! The time to get involved is now! Interfaith couples welcome. For more information call the temple office at 724-0424.

RECOVERY MEETINGS

Recovery, Inc., a nonprofit community mental health organization, offers self-help for nervous symptoms, fears, anxiety, depression, stress, anger, etc. Meetings are held on Tuesdays, at 7:30 p.m. at St. James Episcopal Church, 490 North Country Road, St. James.

For additional information call 724-5190.

SUFFOLK VOCATIONAL CENTER - FREE TRAINING

If you are widowed, separated, divorced or in the process of obtaining a separation or divorce, a single parent or a single parent receiving ADC/TANF you might qualify for FREE training.

Registration is in progress for the

F-E-G-S Suffolk Vocational Center/Displaced Homemaker program New Directions, Computer Skills Training and Brush Up programs. Enrollment is ongoing for programs. The New Directions program offers morning workshops. The Computer Training and Brush-Up programs include computer literacy classes in Microsoft Word and Excel as well as personal skills instruction. Call 598-0108 - early enrollment is a must.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

RESPONSE of Suffolk County, Inc. a 24-hour crisis intervention hot line needs open, caring people to volunteer 4 hours a week as telephone counselors. Training is provided. Call 751-7500 anytime.

Smithtown Parkinson Therapy Center, Route 25, Smithtown is always in need of volunteers to ensure the desired goals it strives for. No experience is needed for just two hours a day, on Monday, Wednesday or Friday, from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Volunteers are trained by the professional staff. The center welcomes present and/or future students of physical therapy as volunteers. Anyone with the desire to become a "Help" or a "Hope" should call 265-6621.

VFW POST #395

John W. Cooke Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 395 meets at 8 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at their Post next to King Kullen on Lake Avenue in St. James. VFW membership is open to all veterans who have served honorably in foreign conflicts in U.S. Armed forces. For further information, call 862-7965.

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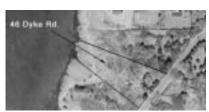
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