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Downtown Rahway's Indigo Hotel was the host business for the Chamber's Holiday Party and business networking event that took place on Tuesday evening, December 6th. The event was extremely well attended with an overflow crowd. A special holiday choral treat was provided by 15 members

of the Rahway Valley Jerseyaires. Toys were donated to the Rahway Elk's Toys for Tots and the Salvation Army brought its "Donation Bucket" as well as providing some delightful puppeteering. The Chamber extends well wishes to the entire Rahway community.



(above) Rahway's Jerseyaires Acappella Chorus, Rich Taylor, Director.



(above, l-r) Salvation Army bell-ringers Nicloe Fullop and Major Verna LaSalle.



(above, l-r) Rahway Realtors Lyn Tyler-Partida, Cynthia Goodman, Colins Anibogwu, Carmen McClendon.



(above, l-r) Jacki Duboys of Wisdom Media and RPD Sgt. Charley Sabba.



(above, l-r) John Bond of H. Hanson, Inc., Clea Carchia of Chameleon House Design, Ralph Ortiz of Rahway/Academy Glass, and Jim DeCarlo also of H. Hanson, Inc.



(above, l-r) Mark Hrywna of Rahway Rising, Clea Carchia, Ari White of Rahway Electric Motor and Rahway resident Josh Donovanof.



(above, l-r) Will Davis of Petit-Davis Funeral Home. Pat and Ann Harbinson of Flynn's Irish Pub.

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Message from the President

WE THE PEOPLE FIRST. NOT WE THE PARTY.

The newspapers and local TV have been providing us with a glimpse of the political troubles currently festering within our city hall. Our city fathers must find a resolution to the back and forth bickering and nasty business that is currently tarnishing both our mayor and our city council.

Within every problem there lies a resolution and there can be a healthy resolution to this current mess. Yes, our residents still get their garbage picked up and our sewers are still flowing but our town is no longer functioning anywhere near 100%. Local party politics must take the back burner.

Let's ask Mayor and Council to place the best interests of Rahway's residents and businesses on their front burners. As we enter this holiday season and celebrate its renewal and light, let's each of us do our best to keep our hearts open and filled with love. Let's then send a holiday basket of this good cheer to those that we have entrusted our city government to. Government caring first for its people is the greatest thing. Caring is what matters most.

Bob Markey

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CITY MEETING DATES & SCHEDULES

RAHWAY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Meetings will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the City Hall, City Hall Plaza, Rahway. Please call (732) 827-2100 for any inquiries.

Monday, December 12, Regular Meeting

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Monthly Caucus Meetings are held in the Louis R. Rizzo Board Meeting Room (room 105) of the Middle School at 7 p.m.

Board Meetings are held in the Cafeteria at 7 p.m. Organization Meeting begins at 7 p.m., Regular Meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. (Both in the Cafeteria). Please call (732) 396-1000 for any inquiries.

Tuesday, December 13, Monthly Caucus

Tuesday, December 20, Reg. Board Meeting

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Monday, December 19

RAHWAY ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. at Rahway City Hall (2nd floor conference room)

Thursday, December 8

LIBRARY BOARD

Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm at the Rahway Public Library. Please call (732) 340-1551 for any inquiries.

Tuesday, December 20

PARKING AUTHORITY

Meetings are held at the Parking Authority offices at 67 Lewis Street, Rahway, on the fourth Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Please call (732) 382-3279 for any inquiries.

Tuesday, December 27

PLANNING BOARD

Meetings are held in the Municipal Council Chambers, 1 City Hall Plaza, Rahway at 7:00 p.m. Call (732) 827-2176 for any inquiries.

Friday, December 27

RAHWAY CENTER PARTNERSHIP

Meetings are held at 7 p.m. at Café at UCPAC, 1601 Irving Street. Please call (732) 396-3545 for any inquiries.

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ORGAN CONCERT

A free organ concert will be held on First Thursday, January 5, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. at the Rahway Senior Center. Thom Madura will play the Wurlitzer organ that was originally in the Rainbow Room at Rockefeller Center in New York and was donated to the Garden State Theater Organ Society.

Thom is an active member of the Garden State Theatre Organ Society and plays both theatre and electronic organs. He has played for a number of organ clubs, including the Monmouth Organ society and the South Ocean Organ society. A special regular event is when Thom plays the organ for the annual ROYAL Music River Lady Cruise along Toms River and

Barnegat Bay. He has also played for the Miss Pennsylvania for Miss Universe pageant live on TV and radio and has played at the Home Organist Adventures in Valley Forge PA. Thom plays lively as well as easy listening melodies in his program.

HOLIDAY PARTY

The Rahway Division of Senior Services will host its 15th Annual Holiday Celebration on Tuesday, December 20, 2011 from 12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. at the Rahway Senior Center. Tickets are free, but they are limited and can be obtained at the Senior Center until December 16th. The party, for Rahway seniors only, will include music, light lunch and a raffle of poinsettias donated by RSI Bank.

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Submitted by Colin Gittens, president of the Friends of the Rahway Public Library.

As I write this month's column shortly before Thanksgiving and the Christmas season that soon follows (or in some cases, now precedes!) I'll admit that I have not yet gotten into the spirit of the seasons. But getting together with family for a Thanksgiving celebration, and sharing too much delicious food and good conversation, is sure to foster positive feelings about the weeks to come as well as reflection on the year that has been.

Times are tough. We all know someone whose hours have been cut or who has lost a job. Job loss impacted me this year; fortunately, with the help of friends, professional contacts, and institutions such as the Rahway Public Library, I was able to land on my feet at a new position. So I do have a lot to be thankful for, and I know I

will lift my glass in gratitude at the Thanksgiving table.

This year also marked the beginning of my involvement with the Friends of the Rahway Public Library, and this too is a reason for me to feel appreciative. As you know from previous columns, I firmly believe in the importance of a community library, and it was extremely gratifying to become involved with a group that believes equally in the library's positive impact. But just as satisfying have been the benefits outside of the group's core mission. We assembled with the purpose of being Friends of the Library, but a funny thing happened along the way of monthly meetings and fundraising events put on by the group. Among this wonderful and hardworking group of individuals, I have found a whole new circle of friends from the Library!

Which brings me to the form below... I subscribe to the belief that you can't have too many friends or, Friends! We're always looking for individuals to join us, and I hope that this message takes on special resonance at this time of year. If you are appreciative of the library and what it offers; if you are willing help support the library through either a financial donation or the gift of your time; or perhaps if you'd simply like to enlarge your circle of friends, please fill out and return this form with your payment. You can drop this off at the library reference desk or mail directly to Friends of the Rahway Public Library, 2 City Hall Plaza, Rahway, NJ 07065.

Happy holidays to you all, and I look forward meeting you at a Friends' meeting in 2012!

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BOOK BINGO:

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Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 pm

READER'S CIRCLE BOOK GROUP:

This month's title: "Garlic and Sapphires".

Wednesday, December 21 at 2:00 pm

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Friday, December 30 from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING:

All are welcome to attend.

Thursday, January 12 at 7:00 pm

READER'S CIRCLE BOOK GROUP:

This month's title: "Savannah Blues"

Wednesday, January 18 at 2:00 pm

TEEN EVENTS

CONTEST: Can you guess how many candy canes are in the jar at the reference desk? The lucky guess wins the jar at the end of the month!

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

TODDLER TIME:

for ages 3 and under with parent/caregiver.

Tuesdays, December 13, and 20 at 10:30 am

"THE POLAR EXPRESS":

Join us for a reading of the popular book, a special craft, some real hot chocolate (with marshmallows and whipped cream), and cookies!

Thursday, December 15 at 6:30 pm

HOLIDAY CRAFTS:

Drop-In Program; stop by any time.

Saturday, December 17

MOVIE FOR KIDS:

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Wednesday, December 28 at 2:00 pm

CELEBRATE KWANZAA:

Traditions, music, and refreshments.

All ages. No registration required.

Thursday, December 29th at 6:30 pm

NEW YEAR'S NOON:

Even if you can't stay up until midnight, you can ring in the New Year! Hear a special New Year's Eve story, make a "toast" to your friends, and watch the Mirror Ball drop on the count of "ten"! All ages. No registration.

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Saturday, December 31 from 11:15 am to 12:30 pm

(The Library will close at 1:00 pm).

DROP-IN CRAFT: DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.:

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JR. GEOLOGISTS AT WORK

Fourth grade students make observations and record data while learning about rocks and minerals in Mrs. Prakapas's class at Roosevelt School in Rahway.



(above) Gabriel Yanes and Samuel Dorielan record the measurements in their Earth Materials Notebooks.



(above) Dominic Markwant uses a hand lens to study his specimen.

NJ DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE OFFICIAL TEACHES FINANCIAL LITERACY AND HONORS HIGH SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

The New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance (DOBI) Assistant Division Director Nancy E. Graves recently presented a financial literacy program to 15 students from Rahway High School and recognized them for their volunteer work. The class covered how to establish and preserve good credit, set up a budget, open checking and savings accounts and guard against identity theft. The honorees are Junior Achievement (JA) High School Heroes who teach elementary students about money. In addition to providing financial literacy remarks Graves presented certificates of recognition to the volunteers.

Grover Cleveland School Principal Al Giambrone introduced Graves to elementary school students and the heroes who received honorary certificates from DOBI. The JA Heroes recognized are; Hassan Abdulla, Jamel Presley, Jessica Rengifo, Odelis Peralta, Angela Alvarado, Raveena Ramsoondar, Hakeem Kornegay, Jerrel Wilson, Clarisa Reyes, Brandon Suggs, Alexis Stapleton, Beatriz Freitas, Dion Dawkins, Jose Martinez and Samantha Sierra.

"If you build a strong foundation of financial knowledge today," Graves told the class. "You will reap significant dividends as you mature and progress in your careers, no matter what you choose to do. It is impossible to plan for everything. But learning how to save now means helping yourself prosper tomorrow...and tomorrow will arrive before you know it."

The High School Heroes program pairs volunteers with elementary school classes. In recognizing the High School Heroes Graves said, "It is gratifying to see young people volunteering in our schools. It is a foundation for leadership and mentoring that deserves special recognition."

Throughout the year, DOBI and its public and private sector partners invite school districts to participate in this ongoing financial education project. Since 2006, the state-wide Financial Literacy program has reached more than 30,000 students in more than 300 public high schools from all 21 counties. Program participants include Junior Achievement, New Jersey Department of Education, New Jersey Coalition for Financial Education, Federal Deposit and Insurance Corporation, New Jersey Bankers Association, Mortgage Bankers Association of New Jersey, New Jersey League of Community Bankers, New Jersey Credit Union League and the New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants.

Also, a new financial literacy high school graduation requirement began in New Jersey last year with the 2010-2011 grade nine class. All students will take at least 2.5-credits in financial, economic, business and entrepreneurial literacy. By graduation, students will demonstrate an understanding about how the economy works and their own role in the economy and develop the necessary skills to effectively manage personal finances.

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(above, front row, l-r) Grover Cleveland Elementary School students Sayvion Suggs, Nahieim Terrell, Zaniya Small, Hammad Ahmad, Elijah Ramos. (back row) Grover Cleveland School Principal Al Giambrone, Grover Cleveland Elementary School Teacher Cindi Zatorski, New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance Assistant Division Director Nancy E. Graves, Rahway High School senior JA School Hero Dion Dawkins, Rahway High School senior JA School Hero Beatriz Freitas.



(above, front row, l-r) Grover Cleveland Elementary School students Matthew Salley, Alisha Smith, Tamia Watkins, Lynn Vilfort, Yacuba White. (back row) Grover Cleveland Elementary School Teacher Mr. Chris Burke, Rahway High School senior JA School Hero Odelis Peralta, Grover Cleveland student Brendon Streeter, NJ Department of Banking and Insurance Assistant Division Director Nancy E. Graves, Rahway High School senior JA School Hero Jessica Rengifo.

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Mrs. Kim Kiefer, an English teacher at Rahway High School also applies her professional skills at the district and university levels. She is advisor to the Rahway district literary journal, *Ex Animo*, teaches two English Composition classes at Kean University, and is Co-Director of the Kean University Writing Project.

Kean's Writing Project is a regional site of the National Writing Project (NWP), a federally

funded network with over 250 sites across the country. The mission of the National Writing Project focuses the knowledge, expertise, and leadership of our nation's educators on sustained efforts to improve writing and learning for all learners. Co-directed by faculty from the local university and from K-12 schools, local sites work in partnership with area school districts to offer high-quality professional development programs for educators.

Named by the U.S. Department of Education as a recommended Comprehensive School Reform Demonstration Program, the NWP is especially effective in developing networks that support teachers as they become leaders in their schools and in their communities.

One activity of Kean's Writing Project is the Summer Institute, where the Institute staff provides extensive grounding in theory; best practices for teaching writing; protocols for designing, presenting, and reflecting on classroom lessons; models for building and working with collaborative teams; and personalized coaching and one-on-one mentoring. Invited teachers receive instruction, six graduate credits and a stipend. Rahway High School teachers who have participated in this Institute include Christine McNicholas and Debra Maller; teachers from the Rahway Middle School and elementary schools have also been Institute participants.

In addition to the Institute, the Kean Writing Project also creates in-service workshops at various school districts including Passaic, Jersey City, and Garfield.

(left, l-r) Kim Kiefer and Debra Maller working on lessons for future in-service workshops at Rahway High School.




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Z Café returned on Saturdays beginning in November for an Open Mic Performance. Attendees are invited to share whatever you'd like to sing, say or play. \$5.00 admission to this event includes light refreshments and all proceeds will benefit the "Building on Blessings" fund of Zion Lutheran Church, which is dedicated to the upgrading of the social hall for full accessibility.

This monthly concert series, hosted by Pat SoulCat Toner is held on the third Saturday of each month in the social hall of Zion Church, located at the corner of Elm and Esterbrook Avenues in Rahway. Everyone is encouraged to

participate and share their talents. The casual and friendly atmosphere and quality performances have made Z Café a favorite of performers and audiences.

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(above) Pat "SoulCat" Toner

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(above) Kim's hostess Andre straightens her husband Zur's photo display.

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(left) Mrs. Prakapas and her fourth grade students thanking the Rahway Foundation for Excellence in Education.

HS CLUB ENLISTS STUDENTS IN SHARING WITH OTHERS

The Blue Tri Club, a service club at Rahway High School and one of the oldest organizations in the school, each year provides Thanksgiving baskets to families of school-aged children in need. Blue Tri enlists all home rooms in the school in collecting canned goods and other non-perishable foods. Collection takes the form of a competition, with the homeroom collecting the largest amount of food receiving a special breakfast provided by Blue Tri. In addition, students at Madison School and Franklin School collect such foodstuffs and contribute to the effort. Teachers at the high school bring in turkeys. Students from the Marine Corps Junior Reserve Officer Training Corp. assist with assembling materials. Last year, food baskets were provided to over 25 families. Blue Tri advisors, Adrienne Barnes and Christine McNicholas, anticipate that the massive sorting

and packing effort will be even more grueling this year because construction at the high school will require moving all the food to Madison School where the baskets will be assembled.



(above) Blue Tri club member Menatolla Soliman takes a break from sorting canned goods to be distributed to families in need.

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Two very convincing ghosts, using special effects to create headless announcers who held their heads in their hands, delivered the morning announcements. Students utilized green screen technology and four bodies to create these apparitions. The Weather Girls also used special effects to appear as shadows. Two special features followed. First, the cheerleading team created and filmed a showcase of their stunts and pyramids as a show of support for the football game the next day. Next, a team of

three students created a Halloween episode of Scooby Doo.

Finally, three students, Monae Torres, Alexis Orlofsky and Nicole Davis used their knowledge of dance and Nicole's experience at a Michael Jackson concert to create a rendition of Jackson's Thriller. The girls spent time outside school choreographing, practicing, costuming, filming, and editing this sequence, including inserting a spooky woods background. Watch a segment on the Rahway High School website, <http://www.rahway.net/rhs>.

Current New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards require that students be able to utilize digital media to create messages for different purposes and audiences. Students need to be able to utilize critical thinking, creativity, collaboration, and leadership. Those Rahway students who elect Speech/Broadcast classes



have ample opportunity to become proficient in these twentieth century skills while providing valuable communications services to the Rahway High School community on a daily basis. Bravo to Ms. Lauren Palermo and her Kudos Krew for the creativity and excitement provided by their productions!

DEBATE TEAM HONE SKILLS IN COMPETITION

On Saturday, October 22, the members of the Rahway High School debate team, known as the Speak Up Club, competed at Millburn High School. The club, which operates under the leadership of history teacher Patricia Peloso and special education teacher Clifford Herrington, gives students the opportunity to investigate and debate different aspects of local and national topics. Students who participate as part of the Speak Up Club have the opportunity to enhance their speaking skills, critical thinking, teamwork and rhetorical skills during practices and competitions.

(right) Rahway High School Speak Up Club advisers Patricia Peloso and Clifford Herrington join student debaters Mbaga Kayondo, Jamie Pierre, John Shearing and Hendrix Dyke at a competition held in October.





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The celebration included recognition of the Chairmen through the years. Bunny Bowen, RWJ Rahway Foundation Chairperson, honored past Chairs Michele Chen, Bonnie Josephs, Debra Karp, Peggy Ann Nicora and current Chairman, Cindy Timoni.

The Boutique Auction, chaired by Marla Lind, featured 160 beautiful gift baskets filled with wonderful items and gift certificates all

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Cavit Pinot Grigio 1.5lt.	\$12 ⁹⁷
Chateau Ste Michelle (cab., merlot) 750ml	\$12 ⁹⁹
Chateau Ste Michelle chardonnay 750ml	\$ 9 ⁹⁵
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Louis Jadot Pouilly Fuisse 750ml	\$19 ⁹⁷
M&R Asti 750ml.	\$11 ⁹⁷
M&R Asti 1.5lt.	\$21 ⁹⁷
Mark West Pinot Noir 750ml.	\$10 ⁹⁸
Menage Trois Red Rose 750ml.	\$ 9 ⁹⁵
Moet Imperial 750ml.	\$32 ⁹⁹
Nando Asti Sumante 750ml.	\$ 8 ⁹⁹
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Robert Mondavi Private Selection 1.5lt.	\$18 ⁹⁷
Ruffino Chianti 1.5lt.	\$13 ⁹⁹
Ruffino Chianti classico	\$19 ⁹⁹
Santa Margerita Pinot Grigio 750ml.	\$19 ⁹⁷
Sebastiani Chardonnay 750ml.	\$ 9 ⁹⁵
Smoking Loom (All Types) 750ml	\$ 8 ⁹⁹
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Sutter Home White Zinfandel 1.5lt.	\$ 7 ⁹⁹
Sutter Home Moscato 1.5lt.	\$ 8 ⁹⁹
Veuve Clicquot Brut 750ml.	\$41 ⁹⁸
Woodbridge (All Types) 1.5lt.	\$10 ⁹⁸
Yellow Tail (All Types) 1.5lt.	\$10 ⁹⁸
Zonin Pinot Grigio 1.5l	\$ 9 ⁹⁵

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Courvoisier VS 750ml	\$27 ⁹⁹
Courvoisier VS 1.75lt.	\$52 ⁹⁹
Hennessy 750ml	\$28 ⁹⁹
Hennessy 1lt.	\$35 ⁹⁷
Hennessy 1.75lt	\$59 ⁹⁹
JC VSOP 750ml	\$19 ⁹¹
Paul Masson VS 750ml	\$ 9 ⁹⁵
Paul Masson VS 1.75lt.	\$18 ⁹⁷
Remy Martin VSOP 750ml.	\$36 ⁹⁷
Remy Martin VSOP 1lt.	\$49 ⁹⁹

VODKA

Absolut 750ml	\$18 ⁹⁷
Absolut 1.75lt.	\$29 ⁹⁹
Ciroc (All Types) 750ml.	\$29 ⁹⁷
Ciroc (All Types) 1.75lt	\$55 ⁹⁷
Finlandia 750ml	\$15 ⁹⁷
Finlandia 1lt	\$17 ⁹⁷
Finlandia 1.75lt.	\$25 ⁹⁹
Fris 1.75lt.	\$18 ⁹⁷
Grey Goose (All Types) 750ml.	\$27 ⁹⁹
Grey Goose (All Types) 1.75lt	\$49 ⁹⁹
Ketel One 1.75 lt.	\$39 ⁹⁷
Luksusowa 750ml	\$14 ⁹⁷
Luksusowa 1.75lt	\$19 ⁹⁹
Majorska 1.75lt.	\$13 ⁹⁷
Pinnacle Vodka 1.75lt	\$18 ⁹⁷
Sobieski 750ml	\$10 ⁹⁹
Sobieski 1.75lt	\$17 ⁹⁷
Svedka (All Types) 1.75 lt.	\$19 ⁹⁷
Smirnoff 750ml.	\$10 ⁹⁸
Smirnoff 1.75lt	\$19 ⁹⁷
Stolichanaya 1.75lt	\$29 ⁹⁹
Three Olives (All Types) 1lt.	\$22 ⁹⁹
Three Olives (All Types) 1.75lt.	\$25 ⁹⁹
Tanqueray Sterling 1.75lt.	\$29 ⁹⁷

CORDIALS

Bailey's Irish Creme 750ml	\$19 ⁹⁹
Bailey's Irish Creme 1.75lt	\$38 ⁹⁷
Leroux Blackberry Brandy 750ml	\$11 ⁹⁹
Leroux Blackberry Brandy 1.75lt.	\$19 ⁹⁷
Patron XO Cafe 750ml	\$22 ⁹⁹
Southern Comfort 750ml	\$16 ⁹⁷
Southern Comfort 1.75lt.	\$26 ⁹⁷

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Bombay Sapphire 1.75lt.	\$38 ⁹⁷
Seagram's 1.75lt.	\$17 ⁹⁹
Tanqueray 1.75lt.	\$37 ⁹⁹

RUM

Bacardi Lt, Gold, Select 1.75lt.	\$19 ⁹⁷
Captain Morgan 1.75lt.	\$25 ⁹⁹
Malibu 750ml.	\$18 ⁹⁷
Malibu 1.75lt	\$24 ⁹⁹

WHISKEY

Ballantine Finest 1.75lt	\$28 ⁹⁷
Canadian Club 1.75lt	\$19 ⁹⁹
Canadian Mist 1.75lt	\$18 ⁹⁹
Chivas Regal 12 Year 750ml	\$27 ⁹⁹
Chivas Regal 12 Year 1.75lt.	\$49 ⁹⁹
Crown Royal 1.75lt	\$45 ⁹⁹
Dewar's White Label 750ml.	\$19 ⁹⁹
Dewar's White Label 1.75lt	\$29 ⁹⁹
Dewar's 12 Year 750ml.	\$29 ⁹⁹
Dewar's 12 Year 1.75lt	\$49 ⁹⁹
Gentleman Jack 750ml	\$26 ⁹⁹
Gentleman Jack 1.75lt.	\$49 ⁹⁹
Grant's 750ml	\$13 ⁹⁹
Grant's 1.75lt.	\$23 ⁹⁹
Jack Daniel's Black 750ml	\$21 ⁹⁹
Jack Daniel's Black 1.75lt.	\$40 ⁹⁹
Jameson 750ml.	\$24 ⁹⁷
Jim Beam Whisky 1.75lt	\$29 ⁹⁹
Johnnie Walker Black 750ml	\$31 ⁹⁹
Johnnie Walker Black 1.75lt	\$59 ⁹⁹
Johnnie Walker Blue 750ml	\$169 ⁹⁹
Johnnie Walker Red 750ml	\$19 ⁹⁷
Johnnie Walker Red 1.75lt.	\$31 ⁹⁹
Maker's Mark 750ml.	\$24 ⁹⁹
Maker's Mark 1.75lt	\$42 ⁹⁷
Seagram's 7 1.75lt	\$18 ⁹⁷

TEQUILA

Avion Silver 750ml	\$36 ⁹⁹
El Jimador Reposado 100% Agave Tequila (#1 Selling Tequila in Mexico) 750ml	\$19 ⁹⁷
El Jimador Reposado 1.75lt	\$29 ⁹⁹
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Jose Cuervo 1.75lt.	\$32 ⁹⁹
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Corona 24pk.	\$23 ⁹⁹
Guinness Extra Stout 24pk.	\$28 ⁹⁹
Heineken and Amstel Lt 24pk.	\$24 ⁹⁹
Mich Ultra (Loose)	\$16 ⁹⁹
Miller Lite (Cans) 30pk.	\$20 ⁹⁹
Sargres 24pk (Bottles)	\$16 ⁹⁹
Sam Adams Lager 24pk	\$25 ⁹⁹
Stella Artois 24pk	\$24 ⁹⁷
Tatra (500ml) 20pk	\$18 ⁹⁹
Tecate 24pk (Cans).	\$15 ⁹⁹
Yuengling Lager (Loose Bottles) 24pk	\$15 ⁹⁹
Zyweic (11.2oz) 24pk	\$19 ⁹⁷

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