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# **KELLY POST AUXILIARY CELEBRATES 80TH ANNIVERSARY**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Michael A. Kelly Post 2433, Veterans of Foreign Wars of Union, is celebrating its 80th year of service and support. It is a member of the National VFW Ladies Auxiliary which was

organized in 1914 to support the work of the National VFW. Ladies Auxiliary which was organized in 1914 to support the work of the National VFW. With goals of helping and honoring American veterans and their families through aid, counsel and cooperative programs, the auxiliary was well positioned to respond to the needs of returning WWI vets. Today it has about 550,000 members nationwide and continues to be a major force in veterans' activities.

The Kelly Ladies organized in September of 1932 under the guidance of Sallie E. Quinlan, with Helen M. Murphy as its first president. Her strong leadership was recognized when in 1939 she became the Department of New Jersey's President and in 1948 the National President. Since the Union auxiliary's founding, 56 ladies have served as president, some with multiple terms. Of those now living, 14 remain active in the organization.

President Nettie Urban said that the ladies continue to carry out the original goals. They take great pride in supporting civic and post programs with excellent attendance and participation. A strong spirit of patriotism permeates all their activities, and service to hospitalized vets is one of the highlights.

In congratulating the Auxiliary, which celebrated the anniversary with



(above, l-r) Post Commander Leo Graf congratulates Auxiliary President Nettie Urban President upon its 80th anniversary.

a Birthday Luncheon at the Suburban Golf Club, Post Commander Leo Graf said the work and support of the Auxiliary was vital in the life of the Post. He emphasized that their attendance and participation is second to none.

99¢ PLUS STORE OPENS AT 5 POINTS

(above) Pam Kaur stands at counter at 99¢ Plus behind a few samples from the many brands of perfume sold at the store.



Vincent Zheng has announced the opening of 99¢ Plus at 350 Chestnut Street in Union. The variety store, located at Five Points, houses thousands of items neatly displayed from floor to ceiling.

This is Zheng's second store, the other is in the Roselle Shopping Center on Raritan Road, and North Wood Avenue.

Special giveaways are being offered to celebrate the store's opening along with regular specials discounts. See back cover for more details.

The stores usually has everything the shopper needs for the home and personal use. Zhang says "If you don't see what you need, just ask."

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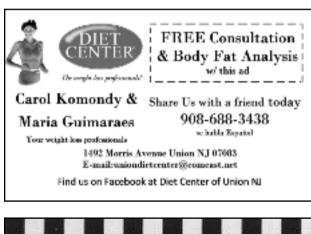
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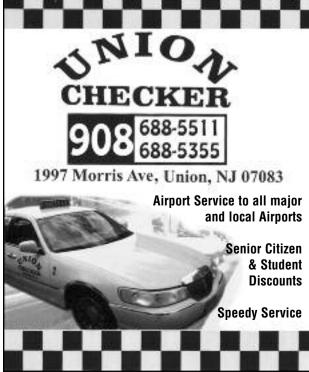
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# WEST NILE VIRUS ADVISORY

In response to a report from the State Public Health Laboratory of a sample of mosquitoes that tested positive for West Nile Virus. Township of Union Mayor Joseph Florio and Board of Health President Jackie Carter, want to assure residents that mosquito control activity in the Township is being monitored on a regular basis by our Health Department staff and the Union County Bureau of Mosquito Control. They added that the County Mosquito Control Program has been advised of all known mosquito-breeding areas in the Township for both larvacide and adult mosquito treatment. Only direct ground spray application will be performed between 7:00 PM and 12:00AM. The material being used is safe and has a maximum target drift span of 150 feet.

The Health Department also is distributing educational materials on the West Nile Virus (WNV) including what individuals can do to reduce the risk of being bitten by a mosquito. The Mayor and Board of Health President also noted that residents could access further information on the WNV Public Health



Advisory by contacting the Health Department WEB site (www.uniontownship.com) or by calling 908-851-8507.

To reduce exposure to mosquitos residents need to take the following control measures:

• Eliminate local sources of stagnant or standing water where mosquitoes breed, e.g., clogged rain gutters, neglected backyard swimming pools, old tires, empty buckets, birdbaths, drains, wheelbarrows, flowerpots, etc. and to change their pet's water dish daily.

NOTE: Rain gutters need to be physically inspected to see if debris is being collected that would restrict water flow and create a mosquitobreeding source. Recent news articles reported that all positive cases cited last year revealed mosquito-breeding areas on the properties of the affected parties.

- When outdoors, to wear clothing that covers the skin, such as, shoes, socks, long-sleeved shirts and pants. Also, mosquito repellants should be applied to clothing and exposed skin areas with recommended insect repellant products (follow instructions for age appropriate products!)
- Curb outside activity at dawn, dusk and during the evening and avoid mosquito habitats, including areas with heavy underbrush.
- Repair holes in screens on doors and windows.
- Fill ornamental pools with mosquito-eating fish.
- Drain flat roofs that pool water on a regular basis.
- Fill holes in trees and stumps with suitable material.





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# **NEW HOPE PET RESCUE IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS**

ways to volunteer, including being a foster family. We have volunteer opportunities for all ages! We have a list of so many ways you can help the rescue including tasks that can be done right at home. Please email NewHopePetRescue@aol.com for more info.

## WHO WE ARE

We are a smaller, rescue group that focuses on animals in local pounds/shelters. These are the animals that need the most help. We rescue dogs from local pounds where they have no room and euthanize them due to space. Most of the animals wind up impounded from no fault of their own. Maybe they rew to be too big, maybe the owners lost their home, or just plain simple they are not wanted anymore. Financial issues are always a reason. But whatever the reason might be, for us they are worth a second chance to find great homes. Our rescue was created through the desire to save more lives right here in our neighborhood . We all have a passion to save animals as well as a commitment to ensure great futures for all the animals we rescue.

Fostering is the most rewarding of all volunteer opportunities. You get to have the love and companionship without a long-time commitment. You can take a dog into your home for a period raning from one week to a few months. You take care of them and give them the extra time they need until they find a home of their own. Many animals are very adoptable but are in high-kill shelters where they only have 3-7 days to find a home. Most just need more time to find their new family. This is a very good experience for somebody who has the room in their home and in their heart but not sure yet of taking that final step of adopting. It is an unbelievable feeling to know you were the reason they are alive, you were part of their journey to find their forever home. And we provide the food, the vetting, the toys and beds, even crates where necessary, you only provide the love. And all these dogs show so much affection to reward you in so many ways

## YOU CAN ALSO HELP BY:

Bringing animals to the vet - We currently use two different vets. When we rescue dogs they need either updated shots or to be fixed. If you can help, you would pick up and drop off the animal at the vets. This is a task that could help us greatly. If you have some extra time to spare one day, we can make a vet appointment to fit your schedule.

Helping get us "out there" - We are always

New Hope Pet Rescue has so many different trying to spread the animal rescue message. As well as how important fixing your animals is. We are always trying to make a presence and have everyone remember to adopt versus purchase a dog. We need help calling around to get exposure. Whether it is the local newspaper, fliers, anything.

> Supply Drive - We collect old blankets, towels, sheets; small, medium & large dog collars, leashes; carriers/crates; dog food; dog

beds; and monetary donations for vet bills (spay/neuter).

Fundraising - We are always looking for people to help with events and even plan them.

Thousands of animals are saved each month by a network of rescuers who work together. But many more are still dying unnecessarily.

Please join us and help make a HUGE difference! For more information, email NewHopePetRescue@aol.com.



# **IS THE CALDWELL PARSONAGE HAUNTED?**

Come see the evidence for yourself and find out!

## On Saturday, October 27, 2012, at 5 and 6:15 p.m., members of New Jersey Paranormal will present the results of the paranormal investigation they conducted on the evening of June 30, 2012, at the Parsonage, 909 Caldwell Avenue, Union.

To purchase tickets at \$10 each, please call the Union Township Historical Society (UTHS) at 908-687-7977. Leave a message, including your phone number, and your call will be returned promptly. (All proceeds will benefit the Parsonage, which is listed on the National and State Registers of Historic Places.)

During each hour-long session, the New Jersey Paranormal staff will:

- Explain how a paranormal investigation is conducted.
- Demonstrate some of the equipment used during an investigation,
- Show video evidence from the Parsonage investigation and their other investigations,
- Lead a tour through the building, during which visitors will be allowed to take pictures with their own digital cameras or cell phones to potentially capture any orbs,
- Conduct mock evp (electronic voice phenomena) sessions, during which visitors may use their own recording devices or record the sessions on their phones.

By the end of the hour, you'll be able to decide for yourself if the Parsonage is haunted or not.



To find out more about New Jersey Paranormal, please visit the website www.newjerseyparanormal.com or search them on Facebook (New Jersey Paranormal).

For additional information about the Parsonage, the history of Union, or the UTHS,

go to www.unionhistory.org

or www.uniontwphistoricalsociety.webs.com

## On Saturday, October 20 (11a.m. to 5p.m.) and Sunday, October 21 (1p.m. to 4p.m.), the Caldwell Parsonage will serve as one of the historic sites participating in Union County's Annual Four Centuries in a Weekend.

Docents will offer on-going tours of the house and barn, including new exhibits in both buildings; reenactors will make presentations on the grounds; and souvenirs and refreshments will be available. Admission is free.

For more information, please call Barbara La Mort at 908-687-0048.

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**Our Office Hours:** 



# On Sunday, September 30, 2012, members of the UTHS will hike one-quarter (3 miles) of the Victory Trail a colonial history walking tour and will complete the Trail on three subsequent Sundays.

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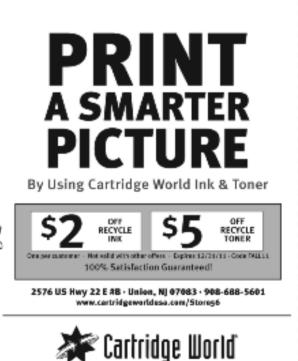
The hikers will approximate the route from Elizabethtown, New Jersey, that was followed by British forces set on attacking George Washington and his men in Morristown, during the American Revolution. The Trail commemorates the success of the local militia and the Continental Army in preventing the Redcoats and Hessians from reaching their goal with such victories as the Battle of Connecticut Farms (now Union) and the Battle of Springfield. (The historic urban trail was reinaugurated on November 12, 2011, by the Patriots' Path Council of the Boy Scouts of America, who completed the entire 12-mile trek in a single day.) Non-members are invited to participate in any or all of the UTHS walks. Please call the headquarters at 908-687-7977 for more information.

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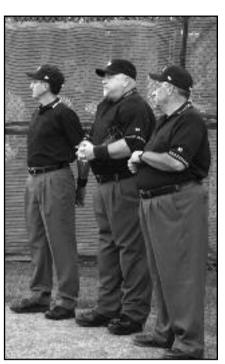
# **SWITCH FLIPPED ON NEW STADIUM LIGHTS**

A special ceremony was held on September 6, 2012 to unveil the new lights at Union Little League's Hall Stadium located on Lehigh Avenue. The ceremony included a flip-the-switch, which actually required a

(above) Emcee Jim DiGiovani presented commemorative bats to honorees Dean Rocco, president of Union Little League, Union Mayor Joseph Florio, and Union Recreation Department Director Matty Magliacano.



(above) Union Mayor Joseph Florio threw the first pitch caught by Dean Rocco.

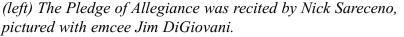


(above) Umpires Rich Masarelli, John Ferranda, John Dennis.



phone, and a first pitch thrown by Mayor Florio. The ceremony was immediately followed by the first night baseball game at Union Little League's Hall Stadium between the Hurricanes and the Storm.









(above) Opening day home team Union Storm players
(in alphabetical order): 2. Jared Alvarez,
7 Brandon Bedlivy, 1 Elliot Dix, 16 Zach Fernandez,
4 Nick Ferrante, 41 Jake Hellwig, 22 Nick Heuschkel,
17 Richard Jones, 8 Xavier Krok, 25 Michael Rizzuto,
12 Dean Rocco, 14 Michael Rocco, 23 Justin Wild.
Coaches: Julian Alvarez, Jim Hellwig & Dean Rocco.

(left) Visiting team Union Hurricanes players
(in alphabetical order):12 Abel Acosta,
22 Danny Adams, 14 Julian Fernandez, 5 Zach Jones,
2 Seamus Levy. 25 Jayden McReynolds,
21 Matthew Moriera, 8 Cesar Roscoe,
33 Nick Sareceno, 11 Mike Velez,
13 Gio Zuena.Coaches: Angelo Zuena, Billy Roscoe,
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# LOCAL SINGER MOVING UP ON THE CHARTS

It's never too late to live your dream as vocal artist Leah Kamiya of Roselle Park is discovering. Leah's recent release of "Because the Night" has been climbing steadily in the last month on the FMQB National AC chart. It entered the chart at #145 and, as of mid-August, it is now #25. FMQB airplay tracking is of great use to artists/labels because: It tracks commercial radio (as opposed to noncommercial/college radio.) It includes small to medium radio stations (an essential pulse of America's radio markets).

Leah takes this Bruce Springsteen/Patti Smith hit to a whole new creative level with her lilting, acoustic version of this well-known song. Raised on an inspiring dose of Pat Benatar, Natalie Merchant, Madonna and Shakira, the Japan-born, Jersey-bred singer and performer discovered her calling early, at age 13 to be exact, when she set foot in a Tokyo studio to record tracks for TDK Electronics, where her grandfather was vice president at the time.

Arranged and produced by Joe Kurasz on the Ren Music record label, Leah's version of "Because the Night" was recorded at the New Jersey Center for Media Arts in Linden. Her video can be seen on www.njcfma.com.

Wanting to touch people through music, Leah has worked hard to develop her talents in multiple styles of dance and voice. Only recently has she been able to turn her dreams into reality with this recording and video.

For more information or to arrange for interviews or personal appearances, please contact Ren Music at 908-925-1908.

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# **NORTHERN NEW JERSEY'S MOST INTIMATE COFFEEHOUSE**

The SALEM ROADHOUSE CAFÉ proudly presents a multiple performance show on Saturday, October, 13 2012. Doors open 7:00 p.m. The music starts at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$15.00/\$10.00 students with ID.

Starting things off will be Melinda Davis with her own compositions. Melinda has performed at the Roadhouse several times in the past and has always gained acclaim from the audiences. Her songs are about life, love, and the world, in her own perspective. Her guitar playing is straight forward, melodic, and precise. Together with powerful vocals that blend and at times lead her tunes, Melinda is a treat to hear and see.

New Tricks follows, with a set of rock tunes played with energy and finesse, a dynamic musical performance with some new and different twists to familiar classics. New Tricks has also performed at the Roadhouse many times before to enthusiastic audiences.

Following New Tricks, Mike Zuko And Friends will perform a set of Mikes original rock and pop tunes, with clever, heart-felt lyrics and fascinating musicianship. Mike's band has graced the stage at the Roadhouse every year as well.

Mike Zuko, together with New Tricks and Melinda Davis, have delighted audiences since the Roadhouse began presenting musical shows four years ago in 2008. Their performances have always been solid crowd pleasers.

If this weren't enough, there may be a fourth set of music with Mike and Friends joined by some very special, well-known musical artists, all together on stage playing some new, original tunes written by each of them, plus some classics, played in a unique style that is unforgettable. GALLERY. Show proceeds always benefit a selection of local charities. The charity this year is the Eastern Union County YWCA's Domestic

Original Encaustic Art Work by Francesca Azzara will be on display at the Roadhouse Fine Arts Gallery.

Plan now for an evening of great music in Northern New Jersey's Most Intimate Coffeehouse<sup>TM</sup>.

Tickets are on sale online at: http://www.ticketleap.com/events/?q=salem+ro adhouse+cafe. Look for the "New Tricks/Zuko Show". Follow the links to the ticket purchase section. Advance ticket purchase is strongly recommended.

About Salem Roadhouse Café

You wouldn't think that a coffeehouse tucked away in a church basement would become the local hotbed of musical talent, but that's just what has happened with the SALEM ROADHOUSE CAFÉ over the past five years. Musicians simply love the place, and when musicians love a place they play their hearts out for the audience. It's a coffeehouse; not a bar. The Roadhouse serves coffee and tea, and a selection of hot and cold snacks and desserts all included in the admission. The audience and the performers are within touching distance of each other - it's a very intimate musical experience, and it brings out the best in the performers. The sound system and professional stage lighting ensure an enjoyable experience.

And there's art. The Roadhouse presents original art work on display and available for purchase in the ROADHOUSE FINE ARTS GALLERY. Show proceeds always benefit a selection of local charities. The charity this year is the Eastern Union County YWCA's Domestic Violence Program. See the Roadhouse on Union TV Channel 34's "Union After Dark" music series.

# UNION BAND HEADLINES AT KENILWORTH FAIR

Alternative rock band In Our Glory of Union New Jersey played at the carnival in Kenilworth on August 23, 2012. The event was a fundraiser for The Kenilworth Fire Department where band member Jimmy Ellmer is firefighter.



(above, l-r) In Our Glory band members Jimmy Ellmer, Gina Petro and Jason Kuhn performed at the Kenilworth carnival. Ellmer is also a Kenilworth Firefighter. The band can be found at Facebook.com/inourglory.



# THE FAMILY THAT PLAYS TOGETHER, STAYS HEALTHY TOGETHER

Family Fun & Fitness Day

The YMCA of Eastern Union County will be having their annual Family Fun & Fitness Day on Saturday, September 29 from 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm at the following locations: the Elizabeth Branch 135 Madison Avenue, Elizabeth NJ; the Five Points Branch 201 Tucker Avenue, Union NJ; the Rahway Branch 1564 Irving Street, Rahway, NJ. The event will include raffles, family games and activities, healthy snacks, group activities, give-a-ways, take-home tips and more! The first 100 school-age youth will also receive a free Y string back-pack for the upcoming school year. Our Family Fun & Fitness Day is free and open to the public.

For additional information, contact any of the following: Elizabeth Branch YMCA – Rafael Cano at 908-355-9622; Five Points Branch YMCA – Pat Sheafer at 908-349-9622; Rahway Branch YMCA – Ed Soder at 732-388-0057. Hope to see you at one of the events!

THE GARDEN CLUB

Winners of the Union Garden Club 3rd Annual Curb Appeal Contest will be announced at our October 3rd meeting. We meet in the Bonnel Room of Town Hall, Morris Ave., at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served. New members welcome.

# **CLASS OF 1972 REUNION**

A 40-Year Reunion for Union High School Class of 1972 is being planned. We are looking for all classmates from our 1972 graduating class at Union High.

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The dance season began on Friday, September 7th and there is still time to register for classes.

On Sunday, September 30, join Turning Pointe Dance Center from 11am-3pm in our Springfield location for our 20th Anniversary Celebration. This family fun event will include a train ride, an inflatable bounce house, cotton candy, popcorn and of course performances by the TPDC Dance Team!

Turning Pointe Dance Center is located at 191 Mountain Avenue in Springfield and 565 Rahway Avenue in Union.

In addition to over 90 classes for children and teens they offer adult Zumba classes, For more info visit www.TurningPointeDanceCenter.com or call 973.376.2111



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# UPCOMING FILM SCREENINGS AT THE UNION PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Union Public Library is screening a series of classic films. The films will be shown on Tuesdays commencing at 2 PM. Admission to the programs is free.

> Christmas in July (1940) starring Dick Powell and Ellen Drew Written and directed by Preston Sturges September 18, 2012 @ 2 PM

Split Second (1953) starring Stephen McNally and Alexis Smith – Directed by Dick Powell September 25, 2012 @ 2 PM

Bernie (2011) starring Jack Black, Shirley MacLaine and Matthew McConaughey – Directed by Richard Linklater October 2, 2012 @ 2 PM

Baby Face (1933) starring Barbara Stanwyck and George Brent – October 16, 2012 @ 2 PM

The Lady Eve (1941) starring Barbara Stanwyck and Henry Fonda -Written and directed by Preston Sturges October 23, 2012 @ 2 PM

Sorry, Wrong Number (1948) starring Barbara Stanwyck and Burt Lancaster– Directed by Anatole Litvak October 30, 2012 @ 2 PM



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#### **THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT MAIN LIBRARY** No registration required.

#### Saturday Storytime and Craft Program

Saturdays, September 15th and 29th at 11:00am. Children of all ages and their caregivers are welcome.

Bedtime Storytime Come in your pajamas for songs, stories and games at our Bedtime Storytime Mondays, September 17th and 24th and October 1st at 7:00pm.

Children of all ages and their caregivers are invited. Mother Goose Time

for children 1 ½ - 2 ½ and their caregivers, Tuesdays, September 18th and 25th and October 9th at 10:30am.

Toddler Time

for children 2 ½ - 3 ½ and their caregivers Thursday, September 20th and October 11th at 10:30am.

#### Preschool Storytime

for children 3 ½ through Kindergarten Wednesdays, September 19th and 26th and October 10th and 17th at 10:30am.

Fall Science Program presented by the Chem Club Saturday, October 13th at 2:00pm. This program is for children and their caregivers.

#### **Library Lego Club**

for children ages 5 through 12. This is an opportunity for kids to get creative and build anything they choose. The library will provide the Legos, while the kids provide the imagination! All materials must stay at the library so bring your camera to document your creations.

Thursday, September 20th from 3:30pm to 5:00pm. Caregivers are asked to stay in the library and are welcome to assist. We are also looking for donations of gently used or new Legos for this program. Please call or email Mary Pritting, Head of Children's

Services, at mpritting@uplnj.org or 908.851.5450 x3. Homeschooling Meeting for homeschooling families.

This will be a place to meet and share information and ideas with others and also become familiar with the Library and the resources we have to offer. Families are

encouraged to bring their own board games. Monday, October 15th from 10:30am to Noon. Please call or email Mary Pritting at mpritting@uplnj.org or 908.851.5450 x3 for more information.



# **VAUXHALL BRANCH LIBRARY**

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### THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT VAUXHALL BRANCH

Space is limited. Signup is required.

## "Decorate a Door Hanger" Craft Program

*Tuesday, September 4th at 11:00am.* for children, ages 3 – 5, and their caregivers.

### Decorate a Door Hanger

School-Age Craft Program Thursday, September 6th at 3:30pm. for children, grades 1 and up, and their caregivers.

#### **Bedtime Storytime**

for children of all ages and their caregivers Monday, September 10th and October 1st at 7:00pm. No registration required.

#### **Game Day**

for children ages 3 – 5 and their caregivers *Tuesday*, September 11th at 11:00am.

#### "Your Toddler and You!" Program

Wednesday, September 12th & October 10th, 11 am. Children, 24 months of age and younger, are invited to visit the library with their caregivers to read stories, use the computers or check out a book.

#### **Game Day Part 2**

for children in grades 1 through 6 and their caregivers Thursday, September 13th & October 9th, 3:30pm. Celebrate Library Card Month at Family Craft Program

Monday, September 17th at 6:30pm. Family members will design a bookmark and library card holder for themselves.

**"Make a Friendship Basket" Craft Program** *Tuesday, September 18th at 11:00am.* for children, ages 3 – 5, and their caregivers.

"Make a Friendship Basket" School-Age Craft Program Thursday, September 20th at 3:30pm.

for children, grades 1 and up, and their caregivers.

## **Disney Movie Matinee**

*Tuesday, September 25th at 11:00am.* The film to be shown is, "Winnie the Pooh". Children of all ages and their caregivers.

After School Movie Presentation of "The Lorax" Thursday, September 27th at 3:30pm. Children of all ages are welcome to attend.

#### "Fun with Science" Program

for children in grades 3 through 12 and their caregivers Monday, October 15th at 6:30pm.

This program is sponsored by Michael Bryant from the Public Service Electric and Gas Company.

"Make a Rhinestone Autumn Leaf" Craft Program

Tuesday, October 2nd at 11:00am. for children, ages 3 – 5, and their caregivers.

Fire Safety Prevention Family Program

presented by the Union Fire Department Wednesday, October 10th at 6:30pm.

#### Game Day Part 2

for children in grades 1 through 6 and their caregivers Thursday, October 11th at 3:30pm.

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