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The 2nd Annual Trunk or Treat was held on Saturday, October 25th at Arthur L. Johnson High School Parking Lot from 1-3 pm. Prizes were awarded for best costume, best group costume, and best decorated car.





















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Clark UNICO held it's 8th annual Italian and scholarships," President Ralph Bernardo east over the Columbus holiday weekend. said.

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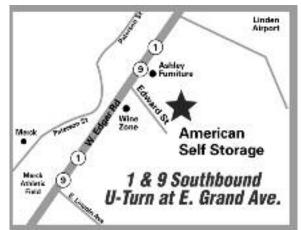
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Students have recently studied the unique characteristics of the planets in our Solar System. As a part of the learning process, students were required to conduct research on their own to answer such questions as, "What is the largest planet?", "Which two planets are closest together?", "Why are the terrestrial planets closer to the Sun?". Students then worked together to create a scaled down model of the Solar System. The lab required students to research the distance in astronomical units between each planet, and come up with a system of measurement that would accurately express these distances on an open field.



(above) Students pose as planets in our Solar System.

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### CLARK MONTHLY • Page 6 • November 2014 HEHNLY SCHOOL HOLDS WEEK-LONG ACTIVITIES IN OBSERVANCE OF "WEEK OF RESPECT"

Frank K Hehnly students in Mrs. Mytrowitz's kindergarten and Ms. Guarino's third grade class met together as buddy classes to complete apple activities as part of an annual fall unit of study. Partnered buddies created apple artwork and

participated in an apple tasting. This is the first time that these buddy classes met for the new year. They will continue to meet throughout the year in an effort to teach students the value of building relationships within a community.



(above) Buddy classes Mrs. Mytrowitz's Kindergarten class and Ms. Guarino's third grade class working together on an apple unit.

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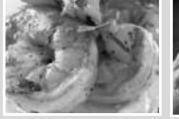
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Ready, set, glow were the words used to kickoff the Frank K. Hehnly PTA first annual Glow 15, 2014.

The rain didn't deter event goers from enjoying an evening of fitness and glowing fun. The event was held at the Arthur L. Johnson High School athletic track where participants wearing matching blue shirts, glow bands and other glow accessories completed lap after lap

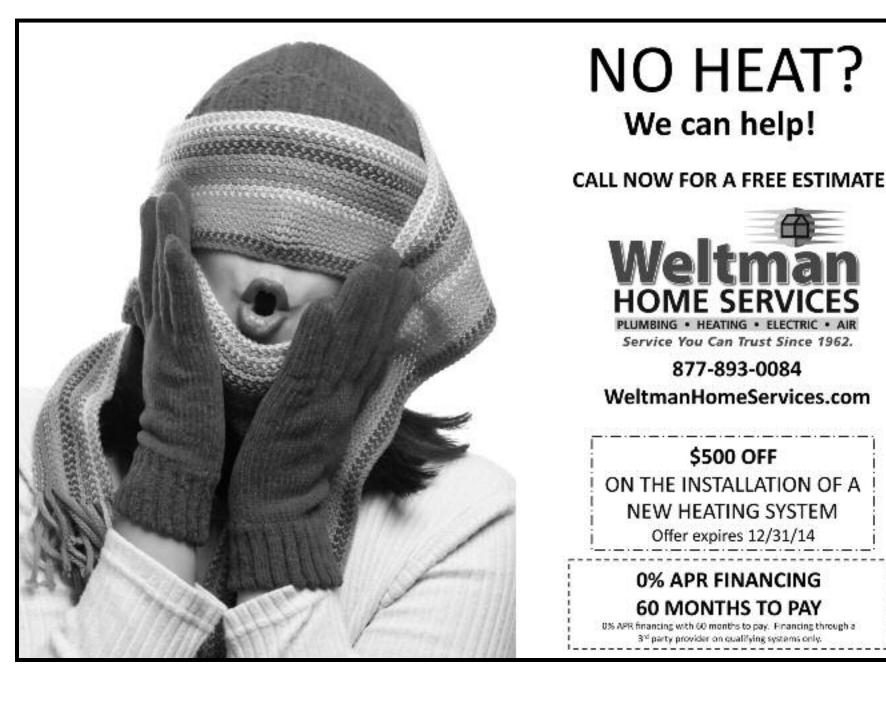
on the track. This was a non-timed event.

"We had such an amazing turnout for the 5K and Family Fun Walk fundraiser on October event," said Jennifer Pittari, President, Hehnly School PTA. "The participants had so much fun and it was great to see so many students and their families come and support the school."

The event drew over 100 registered participants. All event proceeds raised will go towards PTA programs and activities for Hehnly students throughout the year.

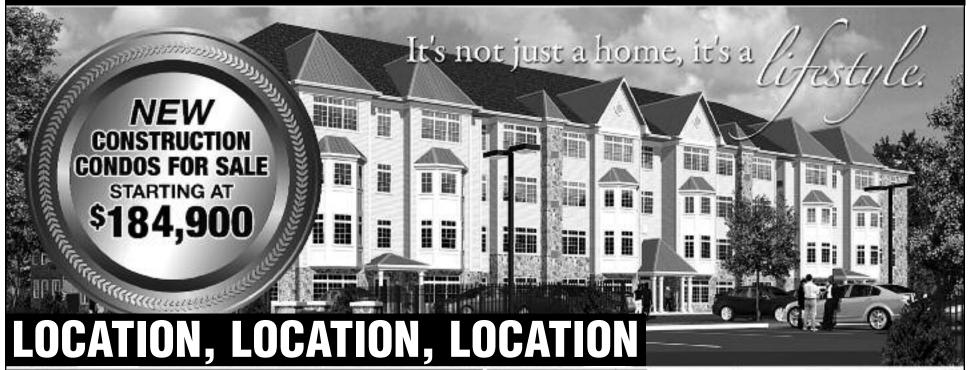


(above) Hehnly students getting ready for the Frank K. Hehnly 5K Glow Run. Also pictured in the back row are Mrs. Shirley Bergin, Principal of Hehnly School and Sparky, the mascot for the Somerset Patriots baseball team.



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### ALJ STUDENTS ATTEND KNEE REPLACEMENT SURGERY THROUGH LIBERTY Science Center's "Live From Surgery" Program

On October 7th, students from Arthur L. Johnson High school were privileged to attend a knee replacement surgery through the Liberty Science Center's "Live From Surgery" Program. Bernadette Jacobi, accomplished Biology Teacher at ALJ, has developed a long-standing relationship with the staff at the Liberty Science Center through repeated successful field trips to the facility for the program. Jacobi, who teaches AP Biology, Anatomy & Physiology, and Premedical Studies, has had such noted success in bringing student groups to the Liberty Science Center that two ALJ students, Caitlyn Moran and Justin Veltre, were interviewed by the center to make a promotional video. The "Live From Surgery" program, primarily funded by Johnson & Johnson and Verizon, enables students to witness a live surgery and ask questions of the surgeon via microphone during the procedure. Jacobi, who has always been grateful for the opportunities that the Liberty Science Center has

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afforded her students, has been previously honored by being selected to pilot surgeries that are new to the program- like last year's open heart surgery. The staff at the program routinely cite the professionalism, interest, and extensive content knowledge that the students from ALJ exhibit when in attendance. Jacobi was ecstatic when her students were invited back again to be the pilot group for a neonatal surgery later this school year. The school community is proud of the growing relationship that Jacobi has created with the Liberty Science Center as the programs there have greatly enhanced the already excellent curriculum and instruction in place.



(above) Arthur L. Johnson students selected from Bernadette Jacobi's Predmedical Studies Class, AP Biology class, and Anatomy & Physiology A class attend a Knee Replacement Surgery through Liberty Science Center's "Live From Surgery" Program.

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If you looked in the courtyard at Valley Road School during art period, you would find a group of fifth graders, diligently painting the landscape surrounding them or a landscape from their imagination. Students have begun creating their post-impressionism landscape paintings, inspired by the style of Vincent Van Gogh.

In Michelle Matesic's art class, students are learning all about the famous artist Vincent Van

Gogh. Van Gogh was born in the Netherlands and began painting in the late 1800s. The color palette on his work was first limited to dark colors but this all changed when he encountered the neo-impressionism and impressionism styles in Paris. Van Gogh then began incorporating brighter colors into his painting and developed more of painterly style that was distinctive of his paintings. He also became the pioneer for the



(above, l-r) Hard-working fifth graders Natalie Feeney, Claudia Ferreira, Ashley Younan, Camryn Janusz, and Madelynn Nolan create their post-impressionist paintings outdoors at Valley Road School.

post-impressionist style, where the paintings had vivid colors, a thick application of paint, and real-life subject matter. Artists who used this style of art also distorted form for expressive effect, emphasized geometric forms, and used unnatural or arbitrary colors to complete their work.

After learning about Van Gogh and his painting style, students then looked at his famous painting, Starry Night. Fifth graders discussed the style of the painting, the short brushstrokes and bright colors as well as the art principles harmony and unity. Then students moved class outdoors and began their paintings. Matesic instructed them to create an outdoor landscape just as Vincent Van Gogh did and use the post-impressionist style while painting. Student artwork contained vibrant colors and lots of movement, showing their understanding of the art style, post-impressionism.

"The fifth graders were instructed to create outdoor landscape paintings and at Valley Road School we have this beautiful outdoor area that was perfect to be utilized for this project. The students were able to make use of the nature around them to inspire their paintings and help create their landscapes," said Matesic. "Vincent Van Gogh once said 'Great things are done by a series of small things brought together.' And I believe that the small act of moving art class outdoors has helped students to see a different side of creating art and will help them to continue doing great things in art class."

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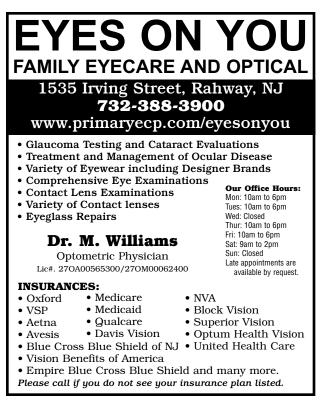


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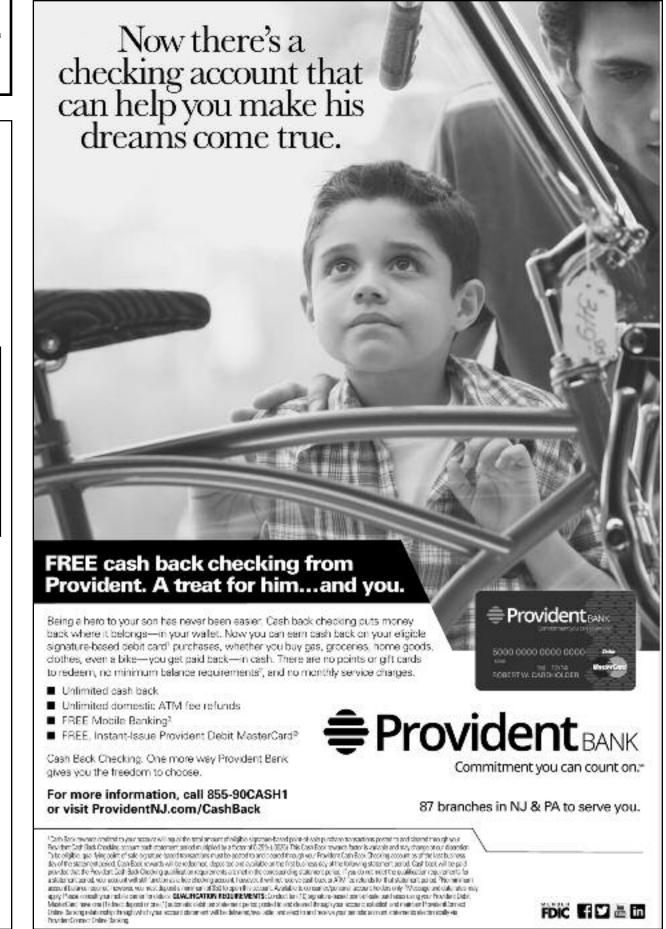
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### TRAILBLAZING PLANS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF **NEW SCIENCE STANDARDS**

Teachers and administrators from the Clark Public School District are part of a multi-district consortium focused on New Jersey's adoption of the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS). This phase of the consortium, which began in July, involves a series of grade-band collaborative meetings. On October 20th, the consortium focused upon K-2 science instruction and, specifically how the NGSS entail both a dichotomy shift in science education and a realignment of which topics are covered in which grades. The NGSS mark the first time that state science standards in New Jersey will provide specific direction on what topics are covered in each grade K-5. The NGSS

take effect September 2016 for grades 6-12 and September 2017 for grades K-5. The NGSS were already adopted by a multitude of states prior to their adoption by New Jersey and, comparable to the Common Core Standards, the NGSS mark an overall trend for alignment in United States education. At the elementary level meetings, 5th grade teachers Bryan Lowe of Valley Road School and Kathy Ulrich of Frank K. Henhnly School were joined by K-5 Supervisor Janeen Allmendinger and 6-12 Science, World Language, Business & Technology Supervisor Thomas Misiak as the Clark Public Schools collaborated with other leading districts on the adoption of the NGSS.

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(left) Mrs. Janeen Allmendinger (left), the K-5 Supervisor for Clark Public Schools, and Mrs. Kathy Ulrich (right, 5th grade teacher at Frank K. Hehnly School, amidst a curriculum gap analysis comparing existing grade-level science topics to the new arrangement brought on by the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS).

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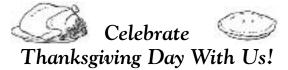


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Earning 1st Place awards were Krizia Aponte (Science) and Alexander Cadillo (Science). Earning 2nd Place awards were Karl Canonica (Art), Matthew Dohn (Religion) and Lisa Micheludis (Forensics). Earning 3rd Place awards were Nicole Buczynski (Current Events), Matthew Gomes (Current Events), Sean MacLaney (History), Joshua Polo (English) and Kenneth Salanga (Spelling).

Also competing, based on their notable scholastic records, were Jasmine Akesson, Sebastian Bienkowski, Brian Conaty, Charlize Colon, Lauren Destito, Patrick Hartnett and Sydney Salomon. Sister Donna Marie O'Brien, principal said "I am so proud all of the students competing and their wonderful accomplishments."





(above) Out of 11 competing area grammar schools, St. John the Apostle's Eighth Graders took home 2nd place in the 43rd Annual Scholastic Olympics hosted by Roselle Catholic High School on October 24th. With a field of over 150 competitors; St. John's students earned individual awards in 7 of the 9 subject events.

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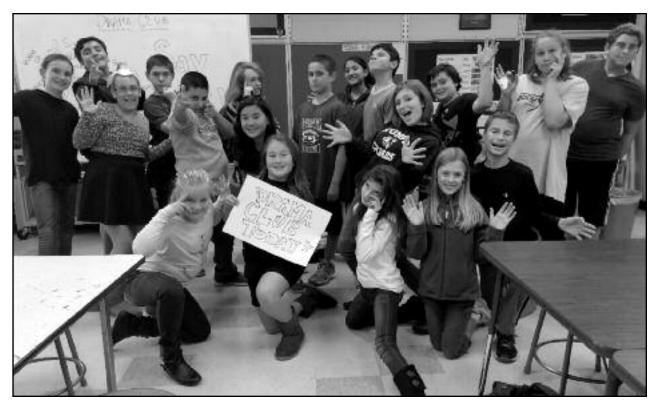
(above) Clark Recreation reintroduced a fencing program to both Valley Road and Hehnly schools. The hour-long class begins right after school and is instructed by two time National Fencing Champion and Penn State Graduate – Clark's own – Aleks Ochoki. Aleks teaches the great sport of fencing – complete with saber and gear. The six week clinic is offered twice a year. For further information please contact Ralph Bernardo at the rec office – 732-428-8400.



### SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB: STUDENTS BUILD CONFIDENCE WHILE HAVING FUN

Students at Carl H. Kumpf Middle School in Clark chose to become members of the Drama Club run by Michele Greenspan (Language Arts) and Thomas Peitz (Art). Separate from Kumpf Theater, the students in the Drama Club have the opportunity to learn how to properly audition for shows as well as become more confident teenagers by speaking and performing in front of a crowd. They work on improvisational activities that help them say "YES" to the moment, speak loudly and clearly, and react on the spot. Some activities include "Freeze and Justify", where a scene is made and other students can "freeze" the scene, jump in, and recreate a whole new one. Another activity is "Character Interview" where one student is asked a variety of questions that allow them to make up character. The students at Kumpf are able to have fun and learn ways to become confident young adults.

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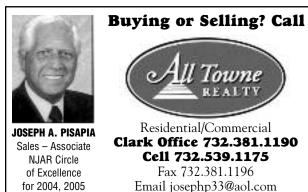
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All residents are encouraged to read and review the following advisory.

of wildlife due to its natural waterways, deciduous woodlands and suburban geographic boundaries. Types of wildlife include raccoons, skunks, groundhogs, moles, opossums, squirrels, rabbits, fox and most recently coyote. Clark also supports a large rodent (i.e. rat) population.

Rabies is a viral disease that is transmitted through virus-laden saliva of a rabid animal introduced by a bite or a scratch. The rabies virus can infect all warm-blooded animals. Since infected wildlife does not always appear sick or exhibit the symptoms of rabies, it is advisable to avoid contact with wildlife. Some animals such as skunks and raccoons, which are primarily nocturnal, may be seen during the daytime. This does not mean that they are rabid. Their homes may have been disturbed, it may be breeding season, or they may be foraging for food for their young.

In 2009 a rabid raccoon was identified in



Submitted by Clark Health Department

In an effort to protect you, your family and your pets, residents are urged to take the following precautions:

- 1. Vaccinate your dogs and cats against rabies. 2. Make sure that all garbage, especially garbage containing food waste, is placed in metal or heavy duty plastic garbage cans with lids.
- Clark Township is indigenous to many types 3. Clean up after your pet. Wildlife and rats will eat animal waste.
  - 4. Never leave pet food or water outside of your home.
  - 5. DO NOT FEED THE BIRDS. THIS INCLUDES BREAD.
  - 6. Discard of rotted vegetables from your garden.
  - 7. Cut grass, trim bushes and cut back tree branches frequently to prevent harborage and access to your home.

- 8. Remove den sites such as wood pilings. Keep storage sheds free of debris and accumulation.
- 9. Have chimneys professionally capped. Screen off decks and porches. Rats will burrow under decks, elevated sheds etc.
- 10. Perform a home self-inspection. Check for broken windows, torn screens, cracks and holes in building foundations and gaps under doorways.
- 11. Drain pool covers of water, invert buckets, barrels, planters etc, and eliminate areas of stagnant and/or standing water.
- 12. Educate and supervise children to stay away from wildlife. THINK SAFETY FIRST.
- 13. Never attempt to corner or trap wildlife. Seek professional assistance from a certified wildlife removal company or licensed exterminator.
- 14. Remove compost piles as they are a source of harborage and food.





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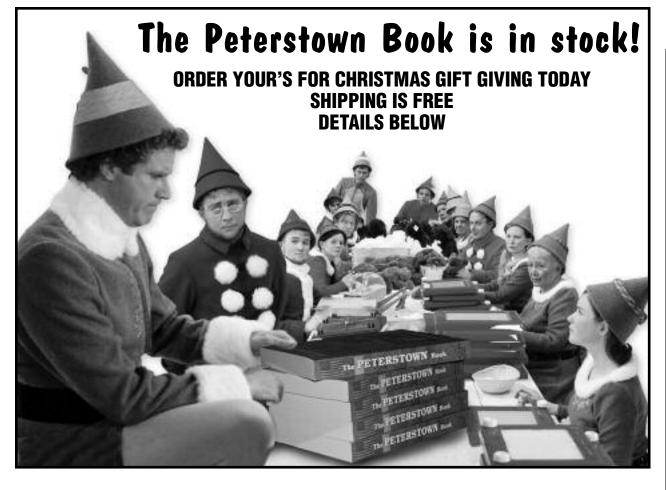
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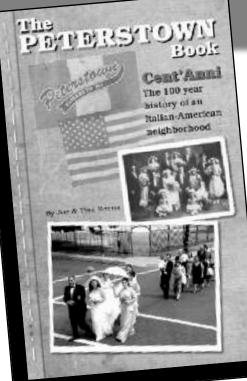
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### **AUTHOR MEET & GREET**

Saturday, December 6 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Fans of books are invited to meet and greet authors who are based in New Jersey and surrounding states during an event scheduled at the Clark Public Library on Saturday, December 6, from 2-4 p.m.

Authors, both independently published and signed to major publishing houses, will be available to meet with readers and book lovers in a relaxed, casual setting to chat about all things book. The panelists feature Young Adult and Adult authors, and include veteran and firsttime authors. In describing the day, event programmer Lauren Thorne said, "It will provide an opportunity to delve into the mind of an author who may just become a new favorite!" This event is free to attend and open to the public. The authors will have signed books for sale, so be sure to bring cash if you'd like to purchase one.

## **CLARK PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Registration is required for programs unless noted.

Additionally, free movies are shown at the library on Monday and Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. Newly released DVDs are featured each Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m.

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#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Be sure to visit the library and enjoy these free events for people of all ages.

**Diary of a Wimpy Kid Program** 

Tuesday, November 4 at 3:30 p.m.

Celebrate the release of the latest Wimpy Kid book with fun program featuring actvities and trivia. This program is for children in grades 2 - 6.

**Family Movie** 

Friday, November 7 at 10:00 a.m. **Stories and More - each** 

Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

starting on November 18 through December 16 Theme-based stories, movement, songs and a craft for active listeners age 3 through 5 years old. Younger children may NOT attend this program. Craft and open

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#### **Mother Goose Puppet Show**

Sunday, November 16 at 2:00 p.m. Classic rhymes of Mother Goose come to life in a fun, interactive puppet show for children ages 2 - 5 years old.

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#### Lego Club

Friday, November 21 at 3:15 p.m. We provide the Legos; you provide the creativity. This program is for children in grades K - 5. No registration.

#### **Local Author Meet and Greet**

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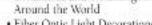
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