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"A Night of

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## **2015 NEW PROVIDENCE STREET FAIR**

The annual New Providence Street Fair was in downtown New Providence on Sunday, November 1, 2015. The fair, sponsored by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders and New Providence Business, was held on Springfield Avenue, between South Street and Livingston Avenue, from 10 AM until 5 PM.

The family-oriented street festival offered attractions for everyone, young and old. As in previous years, the event provided arts and entertainment for the kids, such as kiddie rides, pony rides, a petting zoo, balloons and a clown performer. The attendees were also able to enjoy great fair food like sausage and pepper sandwiches, hot dogs, shish-k-bobs, zeppoles, butterfly fries, kettle corn, ice cream and more. The event also offered food from local establishments and Business Community members. Street vendors presented many unique items at great prices and local nonprofit organizations hosted contests and games for all attendees.



(above, l-r) The Berrocal family Danny, Joseph, Nina, Martha and Alexis.









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## LIVE ANIMALS AND CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 1307 Springfield Avenue, New Providence, NJ

The Presbyterian Church at New Providence would like to welcome the community once again to enjoy their Christmas traditions on the front lawn, Friday, November 27, 2015 from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM.

There will be live animals available to pet including sheep, goats, rabbits and a donkey. Also a livere-enactment of the Nativity scene with children from the community along with Christmas carols, a craft for the kids, and cookies. Or you can warm up inside with hot cider and enjoy the front window display at the Annex across the street from the church (1312 Springfield Avenue). The New Providence Christmas Walk in downtown New Providence is a wonderful family tradition and we look forward to seeing everyone stop by!

All are welcome!



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## **ENJOY A SCANDINAVIAN SHOPPING SPREE**

On Saturday November 21, 2015 Lodge Linne #429 Vasa Order of America will sponsor a unique day of shopping, culture, and camaraderie. The 37th annual Scandinavian Import and Gift Sale will be held at SALT BROOK SCHOOL, 40 MAPLE ST, NEW PROVIDENCE, NJ. (off Springfield Ave.). The sale will be open to the public between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Handicapped Accessible. ADMISSION IS FREE.

The sale will feature a wide variety of traditional holiday and everyday Scandinavian items made from silver, pewter, amber, wood, paper, wool, straw and other materials. These gift and handicraft items are either manufactured in one of the Nordic countries or are designed in a Scandinavian style or motif and manufactured elsewhere.

Many of the traditional Scandinavian decorating items will be offered, including a large variety of elf-like tomten, Jul Bock or straw goats in all sizes, painted Dala horses, and many Christmas ornaments. Among paper items for sale will be a wide selection of Advent calendars, including those filled with chocolate candy, Carl Larsson calendars, Christmas cards, and stationery. An assortment of table linens will be available, including runner fabric by the yard for both Christmas and every day use. For the home one will find, trays, baking needs, aprons, knives, a large variety of Danish wrought iron candleholders, and wooden candleholders for Christmas and general use. Personal items will include lovely sweaters from Dale of Norway, for men and women in both cardigan and pullover styles. The jewelry department has been expanded to include Norwegian silver solje, pewter and amber pieces designed as necklaces, earrings and pins.

We will be selling a large variety of Scandinavian baked goods, such as limpa bread, coffee braids, and pastries. Imported foods that will be sold include cheeses, such as authentic Farmers cheese; several types of herring and mackerel; lingonberries and cloudberries; and various chocolates and marzipan.



A variety of Swedish tomtar will be sold by Judy Lonn of Millington, Joyce Farrell of Berkeley Heights and Karen Jenshoej of New Providence at Lodge Linne's 37th Annual Scandinavian Import and Gift Sale.

Coffee and Danish pastries will be served beginning at 10:00 a.m. followed by a light lunch of Scandinavian open-faced sandwiches and pastries starting at 11:00 a.m. Drawings for door prizes will be held frequently during the day.

Lodge Linne No. 429, Vasa Order of America, is a non-profit organization, originally for individuals of Scandinavian descent. However, membership has now been opened up to also include people who are interested in Swedish and Nordic heritage and culture. In 2013 our lodge celebrated its 90th anniversary. For further information about membership contact: Vibeke (908-464-0425) or Judy (908-464-0139). The Lodge meets on the third Friday of each month at the DeCorso Community Center on Fourth St. in New Providence. Proceeds from the Import Sale benefit many local organizations and charities such as First Aid Squads, Volunteer Fire Departments, local libraries, high school scholarships, Sage, Cherished Creations and we sponsor a local softball team in New Providence. A portion is also donated to the local Vasa Order to be used for Scandinavian cultural programs and scholarships. Admission is free. Only Cash and Checks accepted.

For more information, call Karen Jenshoej (908) 665-1292, or Sandy Olson (973) 479-7873.





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#### **MONDAY - THURSDAY** er 3:30pm - 10:00pm

Lunch 11am • 3:30pm	Dinner 3:30pm - 10:00pm
Adult\$7.99	Adult\$11.59
Kids 7-10\$5.99	Kids 7-10\$6.99
Kids 3-6\$3.99	Kids 3-6\$5.99
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#### **FRIDAY - SATURDAY**

Lunch 11am - 3	3:30pm	Dinner 3:30p	m - 10:30pm
Adult	\$7.99	Adult	\$11.59
Kids 7-10	\$5.99	Kids 7-10	\$6.99
Kids 3-6	\$3.99	Kids 3-6	\$5.99
2 & Under		2 & Under	FREE!

#### SUNDAY ALL DAY DINNER

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Kids 7-10	
Kids 3-6	\$5.99
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## NPSD ANNOUNCES DISTRICT MOBILE APP

announcing the launch of our new mobile district-wide mobile communications application. The district's official mobile app enables smartphone and tablet users to keep track of important district information and receive emergency notices from the district and schools via push notifications. The free mobile app, will help parents, students, and community members stay on top of what matters most.

The release of the mobile app for New Providence School District is an example of our commitment to take advantage of current technology for the purpose of providing parents and community members all of the district's information conveniently and easily, and making it more accessible than ever. The NPSD App will provide members of the schools and community, a quick and efficient way to stay connected anytime, anywhere with access to school announcements, high school sports schedules, upcoming events, student grades, lunch menus, breaking news, and more from your smart phone

The New Providence School District is or tablet. Individual users will also have the ability to control the settings to receive information from only those schools they care about. The school district app provides much of the same information available on the website, but in a more user-friendly format for smartphones. The app also will send push notifications for school closings, delayed openings and emergency messages.

In addition, our district app will also continue to evolve based on stakeholders needs, and we will continue to add newcontent over time. Future updates could include links to school directories, board news, etc.We look forward to receiving feedback in the months ahead and invite members of the school community to contact us with new ideas.

The New Providence School District's app is free and compatible with Apple or Android phones. The App is available for download in the App Storeor Google Play Storeby using these links or search for us by name – New Providence School District.



## **OUR LADY OF PEACE ANNUAL SOUP SUPPER**

November 13th at 6pm

The Annual Soup Supper is sponsored by Our Lady of Peace Rosary Altar Society. All are welcome. Adults \$6 and children under age 8, \$2. Local parishioners and some restaurants have donated the delicious soups. Breads and homemade desserts will also be served.

The church is located at

111 South Street in New Providence.

## SCHOOLS RECOGNIZED FOR OUTSTANDING MUSIC EDUCATION

The National Association of Music Merchants, known as the NAMM Foundation, recognizes New Providence School District for its outstanding commitment to music education with a Best Communities for Music Education designation. New Providence joins 307 districts across the country to receive the prestigious distinction this year.

"This recognition represents the community's passion and support for the arts and we are very fortunate to have a dedicated staff that is committed to music education." said Dr. David Miceli, Superintendent of Schools. "On behalf of the New Providence Board of Education, we would like to congratulate the entire community on this national designation."



## LIONS HOLIDAY RAFFLE & PARTY DECEMBER 16TH 7PM

Each year the New Providence Lions Club sponsors a 50-50 holiday raffle with a guarantee of over \$5,000.00 of prize money. This year's Christmas party is scheduled for December 16th. Tickets are only \$5.00 each and we encourage all of you to participate along with us.

Our 46,000 clubs and 1.35 million members make us the world's largest service club organization. We're also one of the most effective. Our members do whatever is needed to help their local communities. Everywhere we work, we make friends. With children who need eyeglasses, with seniors who don't have enough to eat and with people we may never meet.

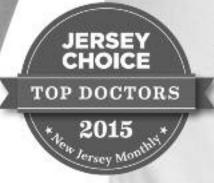
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in kicking off the Holiday Season! Come watch Santa arrive in town with a parade led by the Pioneer Band and the NPFD. The kids can also enjoy Christmas Carolers, a stilt walker, sand art and more!



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