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CALLING ON VETS TO JOIN IN MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Submitted by Councilwoman Deanna Andre

On Monday, May 30th, Mountainside will sponsor a Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal. Memorial Day Ceremony followed by a parade honoring those who have died in our nation's service.

The ceremony will take place at 11:30 am at the Veterans flagpole monument on Constitution Plaza (between the Fire House & Library). Upon conclusion of the ceremony, Veterans, Scouts, Rescue Squad, Fire Department, Police and community groups will parade toward Deerfield School. The parade will proceed from Constitution Plaza up to Bridle Path to Wood Valley Road to Central Ave. ending in Deerfield comprised of individuals representing the VFW, Mayor and School parking lot. It is expected to end at 12:30 pm.

The Grand Marshall of Mountainside's parade will be William (Bill) Madden. Bill served in the U.S. Navy during WWII (1944-1946). Bill was a Signalman 3rd Class assigned to the USS Terry, a Naval Destroyer. Bill served in the South Pacific sailing from Pearl Harbor towards Japan in preparation for the invasion of Japan. As a Signalman, Bill had a 'bird's eye' view of the Japanese Instrument of Surrender ceremony aboard the USS Missouri that formalized the surrender of the Empire of Japan, marking the end of World War II. He was awarded WWII Victory Medal and the Deanna Andre at (908) 244-4111.

Bill is a 30+ year member of the Mountainside VFW Post 10136 and served as the Post Commander during his tenure. Bill has been a Springfield resident for 48 years. Bill is a widower and has two (2) daughters and one (1) son, five (5) grandchildren and five (5) great-grandchildren. Bill is an active member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Mountainside.

The Mountainside Memorial Day Parade Committee is Borough Council, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Girl Scouts, Fire Department and Rescue Squad and others. These groups came together to bring a fitting Memorial Day event to the town of Mountainside as an honor to our own brave citizens who have fought and sacrificed in wars so that we can enjoy the many freedoms that Mountainsiders enjoy. The Committee hopes that citizens come out in force to show their appreciation for our Veterans as we memorialize our heroes in this way.

For further information about the parade, please contact

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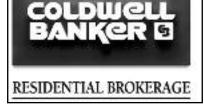
Mountainside residents might have noticed a new building going up on Mountain Avenue next door to Vine Republic. Husband and wife, and long-time Mountainside residents, Tom and Heather Murphy saw the potential in the land and to also fill a community need. When the opportunity presented itself to buy the lot, it had not been utilized for many years. "Coincidentally, when the land was used, it was used by a previous owner for personal farming," says Heather Murphy.

Heather (Prince) Murphy herself is from a farming family. Her parents, Micky and Donna Prince of Springfield, NJ, once owned Prince's Farm on S. Springfield Avenue. The Prince Family served the community of Springfield for four generations. From a young age until her late teens, Heather was always working at Mrs. Prince's Stand. The farm stand was started by her great-grandmother as a way to bring their farm-fresh produce directly to families in the local community. It is with that same community spirit that Prince's Farm Stand of Mountainside will now bring quality, freshly-grown, local produce closer to Mountainside residents and to other communities in the area. They are hoping to be opened in mid-June.



(above) New building going up on Mountain Avenue destined to house new farm stand.

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SAGE MEALS ON WHEELS MARCH FOR MEALS CAMPAIGN



(above, l-r) Meals on Wheels volunteer Rachel Patar of Mountainside and Mountainside Councilman Glenn Mortimer delivered meals to older residents of Mountainside on Wednesday, April 6. They participated in the celebrating SAGE Meals on Wheels 50th Anniversary and Meals on Wheels America's "March For Meals" campaign, which is coordinated by SAGE Eldercare in Summit. On a daily basis, SAGE volunteers deliver meals and check in on approximately 120 older residents in parts of Union, Essex, and Morris Counties. For more information on the program, call 908.273.5554 or visit http://www.sageeldercare.org/.

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GOVERNOR LIVINGSTON ENVIRONMENTAL CLASS AWARDED \$2,000 SUSTAINABILITY GRANT

Sustainable Jersey announced that the Governor Livingston Environmental Class, taught by Lara Mendenhall, has been awarded a \$2,000 Sustainable Jersey for Schools capacitybuilding grant funded by the PSEG Foundation. Four \$10,000 grants and thirty \$2,000 grants were distributed to fund a variety of projects including food composting, outdoor classrooms, sustainability education, rainwater collection, recycling and more.

"The students, faculty, and administration at Governor Livingston High School are excited and honored to be chosen to receive a PSEG Sustainable Jersey for School Grant. This Grant will help fund GL students as they conduct action research and develop sustainability initiatives for the school that they have developed. Students have formulated ideas, designed research methodologies, and carried out independent investigations geared around the sustainability of our school and community. Thank you for your support in empowering our students to make real changes in how our school impacts the world in which we live and study." -Lara Mendenhall, Governor Livingston High School Science Teacher

"The grants create an opportunity for teachers, administrators and their respective communities to shape the future of their students and schools for years to come," said Donna Drewes, who codirects Sustainable Jersey with Randall Solomon. She extended her congratulations to all of the schools and districts that received grants. "Grant funding will build capacity as schools embark on sustainability projects making today's real winners the students," Drewes said.

The PSEG Foundation has contributed over one million dollars in funding to the Sustainable Jersey Small Grants Program. "Our long standing partnership with Sustainable Jersey has helped to empower schools to develop projects that provide students with the opportunity to learn more about sustainability, protecting the environment and STEM education," said Ellen Lambert, president of the PSEG Foundation.

Proposals were evaluated by an independent Blue Ribbon Selection Committee. The Sustainable Jersey for Schools grants are intended to help school districts and schools make progress toward a sustainable future in general, and specifically toward Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification. Currently 161 districts and 427 schools have registered to work toward Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification.





(above l-r) Donna Drewes, Co-Director, Sustainable Jersey, Russell J. Furnari, Manager, Environmental Policy Enterprise PSEG Services Corporation, Lara Mendenhall, Environmental Science Teacher at Governor Livingston High School, James Finley, Science Supervisor for Berkeley Heights School District, and Rick Dovey, Chair, Sustainable Jersey Board of Trustees

ABOUT SUSTAINABLE JERSEY FOR SCHOOLS

Sustainable Jersey for Schools is a certification program for public schools in New Jersey. It was launched by Sustainable Jersey, a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that provides tools, training and financial incentives to support and reward municipalities and schools as they pursue sustainability programs.

Sustainable Jersey for Schools is underwritten by the New Jersey School Boards Association (NJSBA), the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Clean Energy Program, The Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation and the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA). The 2016 Sustainable Jersey for Schools small grants program is funded by the PSEG Foundation, NJEA and the Gardinier Environmental Fund.

The Founding Sponsors are South Jersey Gas, New Jersey Natural Gas and NJM Insurance Group. Bayer Foundation is a Silver Sponsor and JCP&L and Spiezle Architectural Group are Bronze Sponsors.

Program partners include: NJSBA, NJEA, New Jersey Association of School Administrators (NJASA), New Jersey Association of School Business Officials (NJASBO), New Jersey Parent Teacher Association (NJPTA), New Jersey Principals and Supervisors Association (NJPSA), New Jersey School Buildings and Grounds Association (NJSBGA), the New Jersey Department of Health, and The Sustainability Institute at The College of New Jersey (TCNJ.) Website: www.SustainableJerseySchools.com





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in his latest match, defeated his opponent in an impressive two minutes and twenty-one seconds with an aggressive chokehold.

Ribeiro, a Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu practitioner and mixed martial artist who lives with his wife Janaina and three children; Henrique 9, Eduardo 6, and Vicky 5, began his journey in the early 1990's in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. After losing a schoolyard fight at 14 years old, Ribeiro enrolled in the famous BJJ school Nova Uniao. His talent was noticed by the coaches right away, and within 3 years, Victor won his first World Championship and placed second in both the Pan Am Games and the Brazilian Nationals.

The nickname "Shaolin" arose when Ribeiro was training in his teens and would sit in the Lotus Flower position pretending to meditate like a Buddhist monk to lure his training partners.

He currently holds a professional MMA record of 20 wins and 5 losses. Ribeiro's list of accomplishments includes; former Brazilian Jiu Jitsu World Champion; a Black Belt earned at 18 years of age, a record breaking achievement at the time; four time CBJJ Mundials (Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Championship) winner, once as a purple belt in 1996, and three consecutive times as a black belt (1999, 2000, and 2001); competed in the ADCC World Championship, one of the most prestigious no GI grappling competitions in the world in 2000 and 2003.

Ribeiro considered one of the best lightweights in MMA history, fought in several organizations all over the world, including Shooto Japan, Shooto Hawaii, Rumble on the

Mountainside's own, Vitor "Shaolin" Ribeiro, Rock (Hawaii), Cage Rage (England), and K-1 HERO'S (Japan). He has held the Shooto welterweight (154 lb.) title, as well as the Cage Rage World lightweight championship. Recently FIGHT magazine named Ribeiro as one of the competitors they'd like to see on the Brazilian team, if MMA makes it into the Olympic games. His reputation as a world class competitor is outshined by his reputation as a coach. He represents a lifetime of effort and commitment toward the sport of Jiu-jitsu.



(above) Vitor "Shaolin" Ribeiro competing in Abu Dhabi

ABOUT BRAWLHOUSE

BrawlHouse is located at 1115 Globe Avenue in Mountainside, NJ. The Gyme specializes in bringing the highest level of technical training to wrestling, Brazilian ji-jitsu (BJJ), CrossFit, mixed martial arts (MMA), boxing / cardioboxing, strength, stretch & flexibility (SSF Elite), yoga, sport specific functional training, personal training and injury prevention (FLO SSA), muay thai, kickboxing / cardiokickboxing, corpsfit and bootcamp.

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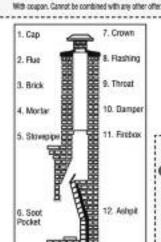
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TOUR OF MOUNTAINSIDE'S GARDEN TO BENEFIT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Saturday, June11th is the date for the Mountainside Restoration Committee's "Tour of Mountainside's Gardens." A rain date of June 12th is planned. The Committee has lined up 6 unique private home gardens, which will be decked out in late-Spring splendor. The tour runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a special Garden Tour lunch planned at Mountainside's Public House restaurant, which will open only for tour guests from 12-4 p.m. Garden fans can start touring in the morning and lunch afterward, or lunch first and tour gardens in the afternoon.

One of the meticulously manicured gardens located in the Orchard section of Mountainside reflects a true love of gardening in the hands-on gardener homeowners. As a member of the Rake & Hoe Garden Club, this homeowner takes great pride in her backyard garden, which will feature an "Afternoon Tea" theme. Visitors will be delighted at the hard work and dedication put into all these gardens over the years.

Other homes on the tour are uniquely themed and will feature a garden wedding theme, Fortunoff's patio furniture display, a hidden pool garden, a backyard vegetable garden, a professional gardener's garden, raffle, photo display, and refreshments.

Advance tickets for Mountainside's Garden Tour are \$45 for Tour and Lunch or \$30 for Tour only and can be purchased online at mountainsidehistory.org or at Christ offers Flower & Gift Shop located at 860 Mountain Avenue in Mountainside. Limited tickets will also be sold on the day of the tour at each Garden Tour location for \$35 for tour and \$15 for lunch.

Proceeds from the tour and lunch will be used by the Mountainside Restoration Committee for restoration and maintenance of the historic Hetfield and Levi Cory houses. The Mountainside Restoration Committee (aka, Mountainside Historic Committee) is a 501(c)(3) registered not-for-profit committee of volunteers governed by the Borough of Mountainside whose purpose is to restore and maintain the Deacon Andrew Hetfield House and Levi Cory House and collect and save historic information and items from destruction. For further information, please call (908)789-9420; or, go to: www.mountainsidehistory.org

PEDAL FOR PROGRESS AND SEWING FOR PEACE

Pedals for Progress and Sewing For Peace, in its continuing effort to recycle sewing machines properly, is having a used sewing machine collection sponsored by Mountainside Rotary Club. Anyone with a used sewing machine in working condition is urged to donate to this worthy cause. Donations of scissors, pinking shears, patterns, and other assorted sewing supplies are also needed. No material or fabric of any kind can be accepted. Sewing machines can be dropped off from 8:30 am to 1:30 pm on Saturday May 21, 2016 at Deerfield Middle School located at 302 Central Ave., Mountainside, NJ 07092.

Pedals for Progress & Sewing Peace collects 3,500 bicycles; 400 sewing machines annually, and transfers this material wealth to those more needy. To date, more than 146,000 bikes and 3,200 sewing machines have been shipped to developing countries in Latin America, Africa, and Eastern Europe. In these countries the sewing machines go to non-profit vocational

education, small businesses, community service programs and individuals.

The machines provide a direct means of financial independence for people struggling to support their families in these emerging economies. It costs \$20 to collect, process, and ship each sewing machine. A donation toward shipping costs is requested (suggested minimum \$10 per sewing machine). All cash and material donations are fully deductible and a receipt will be provided at the collection site. Pedals for Progress is a 501(c)(3) corporation and a registered charity in the states of NJ, NY, PA, CT, VT. Brochures explaining this innovative program will be available at the collection site. For detailed information about our overseas projects and a current schedule of bicycle and sewing machine collections, visit our website at www.p4p.org. For more information please contact: Dan Falcone (908) 789-1010 danfarchitect@aol.com or Tom Cogan (908) 928-0188.



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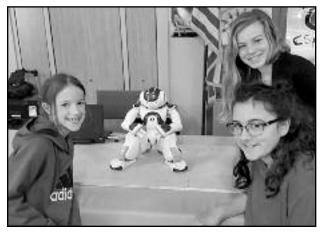


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STEAM MUSEUM COMES TO DEERFIELD

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MOUNTAINSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

One Constitution Plaza, Mountainside, NJ.

To register for these programs, stop into the library or call 908-233-0115.

The Mountainside Public Library has scheduled the following programs for May.

TUESDAY NIGHT MOVIES:

May is Academy Awards month at the Library where each movie either won an Oscar or was nominated for one.

Showtime is 6:30 PM.

(Due to the Book Sale, sponsored by the Friends of the Library, movies will not be shown on May 17 and 24.) Our first offering is

Room

On May 10

(2015) Academy Award Winner for Best Actress,
Brie Larson will be screened. A kidnapped mother and
son escape from a room in which they have endured
imprisonment for the entirety of her son's life. Upon
breaking free from its confines, they experience a
dramatic homecoming; provoking insight into the depths
of imagination and the extent of a mother's love (R).

Our final offering of the month is

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May 31

(2015) Academy Award Nominee for Best Supporting Actor, Sylvester Stallone. The former World Heavyweight Champion Rocky Balboa serves as a trainer and mentor to Adonis Johnson, the son of his late friend and former rival Apollo Creed (PG-13).

Friends Spring Book Sale

The Friends of the Mountainside Library will be having their semi-annual book sale this month. Drop off days are May 14 through May 18 during library hours.

Donations of gently used books, CDs, DVDs, audiobooks, games and puzzles are requested.

Sale days are

Friday and Saturday, May 20-21 from 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM.
There will also be a "Bag Day" on Monday, May 23 from 10:00 AM to 8:30 PM.

Who knows what you will find at the Friends' Book sale! All sale proceeds benefit the Library by financing sponsorship of events such as adult musical and educational programming.

Brown Bag Academy

Our popular Great Courses series continues through May on Mondays at 1:15 PM

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23 due to the Book Sale, on Memorial Day, May 30 and on the Fourth of July, July 4.) This "semester" we are featuring Books that Have Made History: Books That Can Change Your Life presented by Professor J. Rufus Fears of the University of Oklahoma.

Feel free to bring your lunch; coffee, tea and cookies will be served for desert!

"Opera on Film Series"

Friday, May 13 at 1:00 PM.

Friday Operas on Film series, sponsored by the T. Robel Hill Foundation and presented by Mena Clemson. This month's film is Andrea Chénier by Umberto Giordano. This performance, starring Luciano Pavarotti and Maria Guleghina, was recorded in 1997 at the Metropolitan Opera. The Metropolitan Opera Orchestra and Chorus was conducted by James Levine.

"Guided Meditation for Inner Peace"

Thursday, May 12 at 7:30 PM.

Join Sally Younghans monthly meditation hour as together we explore the most talked about evidence based meditation techniques for inner peace, overall well-being and stress reduction. This month's topic is "Meet Your Wisdom Keeper". Learn a guided meditation technique to tap into your inner wisdom and peace.

"Saturday Musical Getaways" Saturday, May 14 at 2:00 PM.

"Gardens in the Spring". Celebrating the liveliness of the Spring season, acclaimed international concert violinist, David Podles, will return to the Library to showcase composers who pay homage to this romantic, playful and exciting time of the year. Travel with him through the gardens of blooming flowers, listening to the lilt of the lark and perhaps the buzzing of the bumblebee! Allow Mr. Podles to evoke the veritable rapture that Spring creates in all of us! This program covers folk, classical and jazz genres.

"Physical Fitness"

Thursday, May 26 at 7:00 PM.

AmeriCare Physical Therapy in Mountainside returns this month for its third presentation on overall physical fitness. This month's topic will be "Are you ready for golf?" This seminar will promote awareness of correct posture during the golf swing.

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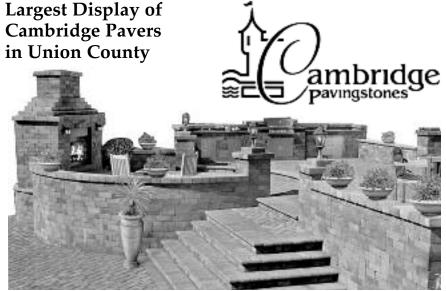


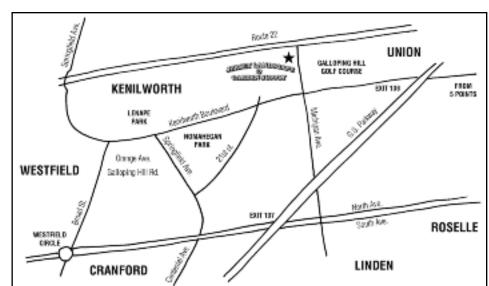
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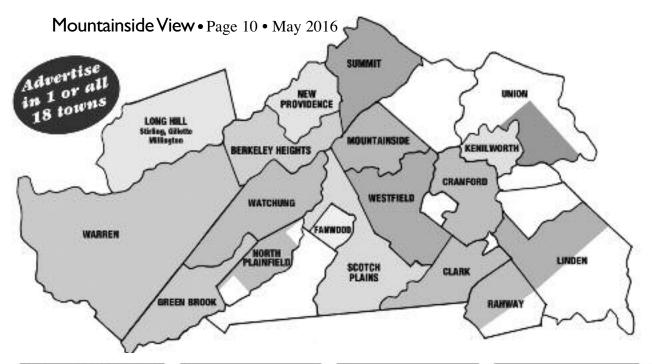


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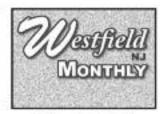
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Water quality sampling functions were performed by RAMM at both the Deerfield and Beechwood Schools to determine the quality of drinking water for lead content. According to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Guidelines and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) the threshold for safe drinking water is

15 ppb (parts per billion) or less.

At Beechwood School lead in drinking water measurements were collected in three different locations in the building. At Deerfield School measurements were collected in eleven different locations. All samples had less than 3.0 ppb except one at Deerfield which measured 3.9 ppb. All measurements were far below the guideline of 15ppb. These results substantiate that the drinking water is safe in the Mountainside School District.







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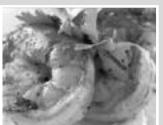
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