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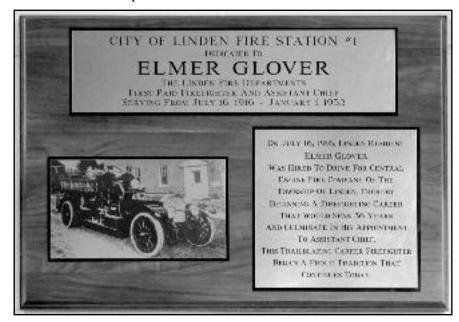
FIRE HOUSE #1 DEDICATED TO FORMER ASSISTANT CHIEF

On May 7th the Linden Fire Department held a dedication ceremony to dedicate Fire House #1 to Elmer Glover, Linden's first paid firefighter and an assistant chief of the department. Elmer Glover started with the department on July 16, 1916 as a paid driver of their brand new 1916 American LaFrance fire engine. Elmer was later promoted to Assistant Chief and served on the department until his retirement in 1952.

In attendance at the dedication were Linden Mayor Derek Armstead, Linden Fire Chief Joseph Dooley, Deputy Chief Kevin Brady and many retired and active members of the department. Chief Dooley spoke stating "It is important to recognize the past members of the department in that they are the ones that helped shape the department into what it is today."

The dedication is part of the yearlong celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Linden Fire Department. The culmination of this celebration will be taking place on July 16, 2016 with a parade of antique and modern fire

apparatus down Wood Avenue followed by a festivities open to the public at the Raymond Wood Promenade on North Wood Ave in Linden. All are invited to attend the parade and festivities.



(above) Fire House #1 Dedication Plaque to Elmer Glover, Linden's first paid firefighter and an assistant chief of the department.

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(above) Retired Linden Fire Department members attended the ceremony to dedicate Fire House #1 to Elmer Glover.





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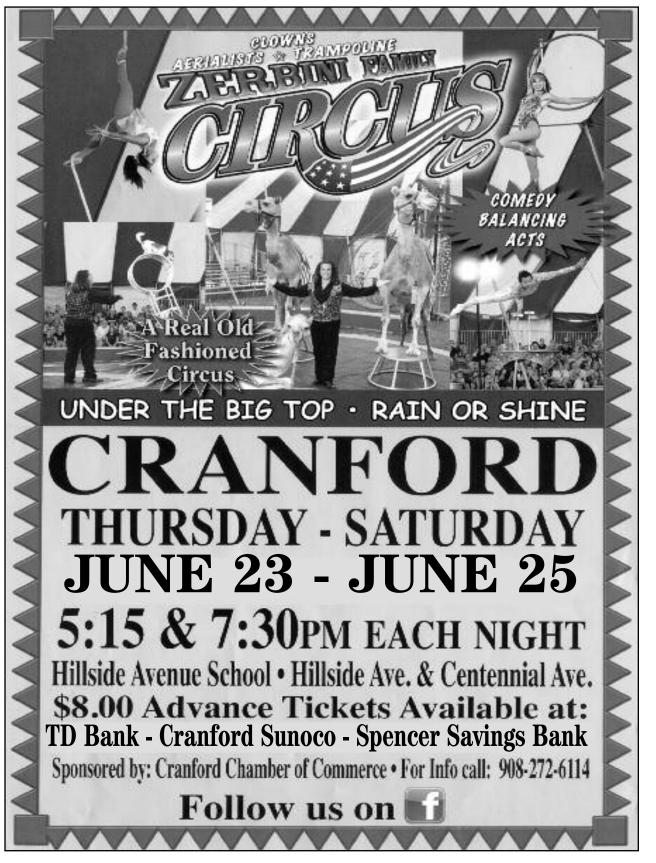
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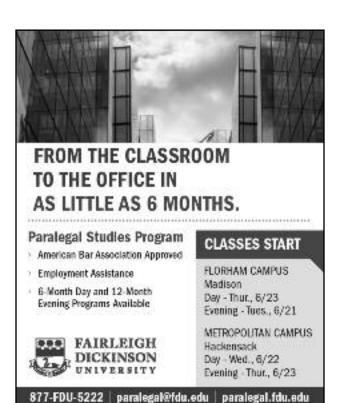
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10pm

10pm

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		6pm				
Sat June 25	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Sun June 26	Bobby Byrne	4:30pm				
Thu June 30	Backspin 50	5pm				
	JULY 2016					
Fri July 1	'Brian Kirk & the Jirks'	6pm				
Sat July 2	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Sun July 3	Bobby Byrne	4:30pm				
	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Mon July 4	"The Barksdales	5pm				
Thu July 7	Backspin 50	5pm				
Fri July 8	'Waiting on Mongo'	10pm				
Sat July 9	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Sun July 10	Bobby Byrne	4:30pm				
Thu July 14	Backspin 50	5:00pm				
Fri July 15	"Enjoy!"	10pm				
Sat July 16	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Sun July 17	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Thu July 21	Backspin 50	5:00pm				
Fri July 22	"Sweet Chin Music"	10pm				
Sat July 23	Pat Roddy	10pm				
Sun July 24	Bobby Byrne	4:30pm				
	'Brian Kirk & the Jirks'	10pm				
Thu July 28	Backspin 50	5:00pm				
Sat July 30	"The Medicine Men"	6pm				
-	Pat Roddy	10pm				
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Backspin 50	5:00pm
'Waiting on Mongo'	10pm
Pat Roddy	10pm
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"Joebonanno and	
the Godsons of Soul"	7pm
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SEPTEMBER 2016

Thu September 1	Backspin 50	5:00pm
Sat September 3	Pat Roddy	10pm
Sun September 4	Bobby Byrne	4:30pm
	Pat Roddy	10pm
Fri September 16	Nicole & Denise	7pm

OCTOBER 2016

Sun October 2	'Brian Kirk & the Jirks'	TBA
Fri October 14	Nicole & Denise	7pm

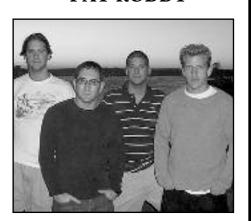
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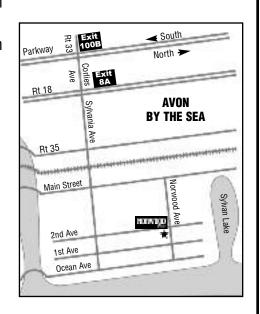
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INCIDENT RESPONSE RECOVERY ASSISTANCE TRAILER DONATED TO LINDEN F.M.B.A.

The Linden F.M.B.A. Firefighter's Local 34 and Fire Officers Local 234 received a donation for the purchase of a trailer to be used as an Incident Response Recover Assistance Trailer. During the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy Linden F.M.B.A. Locals realized a need for a recovery assistance program for the city residents. They came up with the idea of a recovery trailer outfitted with generators, grills, tents, lighting, clothing and other items to assist residents in times of emergencies or disasters. Hearing of the idea the Pribish Family, headed by Mrs. Judith

Pribish, stepped up and made a very generous donation for the purchase of the trailer to help get the program underway. The long-time Linden residents donated the trailer to the Linden F.M.B.A. Locals in memory of Judith's husband Retired Linden Firefighter Frank Pribish who is also the father of Firefighter Matthew Pribish. Now with this trailer loaded and a program in place the firefighter locals can respond to an incident when needed and better be able to assist the residents in recovery from an emergency.



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Four Linden School District students recently participated in the Union County 4-H Presentation Night program, held at Union County Magnate School in Scotch Plains.

Kiera Sethman received a Blue Ribbon for her presentation on Yorkshire Terriers. Kiera, a student at McManus Middle School, has been a member of the 4-H Dog Lover's Club for 6 years.

Three members of the newly formed Tech Club, which meets at Linden Library twice a month, participated for the first time. McManus Middle School student, Ariana Rodriguez received a Blue Ribbon for her presentation on Spain and School 9 student, Diego Rodriguez received a Blue Ribbon for his presentation on jet

Four Linden School District students recently aircrafts. Alex Pillar, from School 8 received a rticipated in the Union County 4-H Yellow Ribbon for his presentation on Legos.

Giving presentations helps develop many life skills including the ability to speak in front of a group; organize ideas; and create and use graphics to support the spoken word. The 4-H Youth Development Program, supported by Rutgers Cooperative Extension, uses a learn-by doing approach to enable youth to develop the knowledge, attitude and skills they need to become competent, caring, and contributing citizens of the world. This is accomplished by using the knowledge and resources of caring adults. For more information on Union County 4-H program, contact 908-654-9854.



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(above) Kiera Sethman received a Blue Ribbon for her presentation on Yorkshire Terriers.



(above) Ariana Rodriguez, Diego Rodriguez, and Alex Pillar, all of of whom won awards for their presentations. Not pictured in the 4-H Club are Ashton and Ryan Armstead, Joscelin Busse, Erica Conde, and Francesca and Gianni Villani.

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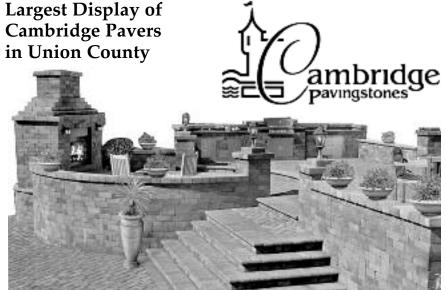
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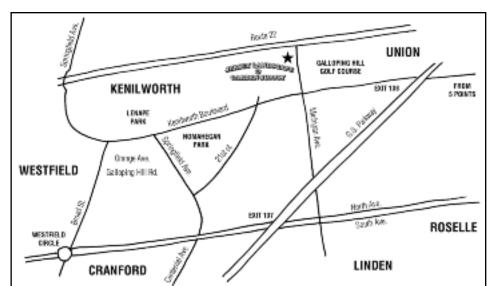
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JACLYN BEVIANO TAKES 3RD PLACE IN NJ OPEN INVITATIONAL ROLLER SKATING COMPETITION

Jaclyn Beviano, a freshman at Linden High School, competed in the NJ Open Invitational Roller Skating competition, held on Sunday, May 12. Jaclyn placed 3rd in Free Style dance.



(above l-r) Coach Mary Dunham and Jaclyn Beviano.

LINDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND TEAM LINDEN: POLICE UNITY TOUR

The weather was perfect on May 9, 2016; warm, a light breeze, and lots of bright sunshine for the 2016 Police Unity Tour. Linden Public School No. 1 and No. 6 students, teachers and faculty greeted members of the Linden Police Department "Team Linden" who participated in the 2016 Police Unity Tour on its annual trek from the Freedom Tower in New York City to Washington, D.C. As Team Linden and the entire Police Unity Tour made their entrance onto Wood Ave., leading the way was a motorcade of motorcycles with sirens blaring, lights flashing, cheers, and a standing ovation from Linden School No. 1 set the mood. School No. 1 students waved hand made American flags, held large

banners welcoming "Team Linden" and the entire tour of bikers. A few of the Linden team members pulled over to pose for a photo while the other members of the Police Unity Tour gave High-5's as the song "Proud to Be An American" was heard playing in the background. Team Linden and the entire Police Unity Tour brought smiles to the students of Linden and patriotism to the streets of Linden. The spirit of gratitude from Linden Public Schools and the entire City of Linden was felt by the Police Unity Tour and especially by "Team Linden" who ride for those that gave their lives for the American way of life.

Linden School No. 1 and Linden School No. 6 cheer on Team Linden.



(above) School No. 1 Teacher Gina Tattoli along with her 4th grade students had the privilege of taking a photo with two Linden police officers who participated in the Unity Police Tour; Lt. Mike Babulski and Lt. Joseph Cacioppo members of Team Linden. The Linden Police officers on the motorcycles are LPD Investigator Peter Hammer, and on the right is Linden Police Office Monika Oliveira



SCHOOL NO. 1 OF LINDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS "HEALTH AND WELLNESS FAIR"

The School No. One "Health and Wellness" Fair" took place recently and featured an assortment of information displays from vendors and agencies from the surrounding community of Linden, NJ. The Health and Wellness fair provided valuable health information and screening services for all of the Linden Community.v

The goal was to increase health awareness through screenings and education, and to promote positive behavior choices. There were live demonstrations by the Union County Sheriff Office K-9 Unit: Linden Police Department brought their motorcycles and static displays of police equipment; the Linden Fire Department had various fire apparatus and all agencies had safety as well as crime prevention exhibits.

The Linden School No. 1 Health and Wellness Fair promoted positive interaction with the diversity of the community between citizens, local law enforcement agencies, and health providers such as Trinitas Children's Therapy services, Family Chiropractic of Clark, Elizabeth Town Gas, Union County Mosquito Control, Care Station Medical Group, and Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital.

The evening also served as a means to get more parents involved in the Linden Public school community's health and wellness efforts. Tara McCarthy (School Nurse) and Dona Preston (Principal) plan to coordinate and host the event annually each Spring.



(above) Matteo Pinto and his family enjoy learning as a family at the School No. 1 Health and Wellness Fair.





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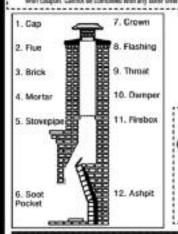








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Andrew won the William H. Spurgeon, III award which is the highest award available in the Exploring program and Andre won a recruitment strip for having recruited four members in three months.

In addition to this accolade, on May 12, 2016 Law Explorer Post 629 had their Awards and Induction Ceremony at the Linden Municipal Court presided by Judge Cassandra Corbett. During the ceremony, the youth explorers told Judge Corbett and the guests about their past years' events including their meetings with many local public officials, and their tour of the United

The past few months have been very exciting Nations, their participation in Scouts in Government Day, and the Student Leadership Conference with Congressman Leonard Lance. Mayor Armstead, who was present at the ceremony, said a few words of praise and encouragement to the group and thanked the parents, family members, distinguished guests and friends in attendance for their support. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the Explorers were inducted into their offices and took their oath to live by the Explorer Motto, "Our Best Today for a Better Tomorrow" and to uphold the oath and law of the post in their everyday lives.

> Law & Government Explorer Post 629 is a registered program with Exploring, BSA and is chartered by the Law Offices of Lucia E. Perpina, Esq., LLC.

> Post 629 has ongoing recruitment. The post meets in Linden, NJ on Friday evenings and is open to students ages 14 through 20. Volunteer leaders are also welcome. For more information contact Lucia E. Perpina, Esq. at (908)718-5877.



(above) Law Explorer Post 629 celebrated their achievements at a ceremony held on April 26, 2016 by the Linden City Council. Photo by Law Explorer Post 629



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WELCOME HOME OFFICER DANIEL ARAQUE





(above) Members of the Linden Police Department recently travelled to Newark Liberty Airport to welcome home one of their own. Officer Daniel Araque recently returned from a tour of duty with the U.S. Army in Iraq. Welcome home, Dan, and thank you for your service, both home and abroad.







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LINDEN SCHOOL NO. 5 BOOKS ALIVE



(above) NJEA Priority School Consultant, Julia Mahoney, speaks with Dawn Beviano and Theresa Villani members of Linden Board of Education and parents regarding reading strategies and they received a FAST tote filled with books of various genres for their children. Photo by Linden School No. 5



(above) Linden Public Schools art teacher and author, Mark Kohut discusses his inspiration in writing his children's book, "Red, Yellow, Blue, Black, Gray & White" during their tour of "Books Come Alive at School #5".

Did you know that books could really come to Gradebook". life? Well they did at School No. 5. It was a sunny, spring evening that brought out a total of 245 community members inclusive of students, parents, and local dignitaries.

School 5 prides itself on being a community of learners with families being an integral part. In an effort to involve families in the learning community School 5 teachers applied for a grant through their local union. The event was coordinated by Reina Irizarry-Clark, Literacy Coach, Kimberly Hughes, Title One Teacher, Nancy Koblarz, Kindergarten Teacher who worked with the Linden Education Association president Russell Marchica and the School 5 NJEA Priority School representative Julia Mahoney to obtain a FAST grant (Families and Schools Together). The grant provided the funding to cover the entire cost of this event. As data was gathered to determine student needs it was noted that students lacked exposure of varied genres. In an effort to increase parent involvement, as well as instill a love of reading, the idea to bring books of varied genres to life seemed like a perfect choice.

As the participants entered the event, they received an LEA/FAST tote bag and were met by a tour guide. Parents and students were in for a treat as the School 5 staff transformed the school into a living book museum of various story genres including poetry, mystery, non-fiction and fantasy. The families began their guided tour at the "All Star Readers Café" where they enjoyed dinner and received a collection of books of varied genres to enhance their at home libraries.

The tour continued into the school's gymnasium where participants learned all about poetry through rhythm and rhyme. DJ Dave led them through a series of line dances to foster listening comprehension.

The fun and learning continued into the school courtyard, where an interactive mystery unfolded. Parents and students alike helped the teachers solve "The Case of the Missing

After a stop in the "Sleuth Photo Booth" families walked through an aquarium tunnel where they exited to the non-fiction station where they met fellow Linden art teacher and author, Mark Kohut. Mr. Kohut read and shared the makings of his book "Red, Yellow, Blue, Black, Gray, and White". Lucky student winners walked away with an autographed copy of Mr. Kohut's book.

Finally, the tour entered the genre of fantasy where they met a story telling princess, Morgan La Fey from the "Magic Tree House" series and the crime fighting superhero Batman. Here families learned about character traits, elements of a fairytale, and made superhero masks. The fun concluded with families exiting through the bat

We would be remiss not to mention the families of School No. 5, dedicated teachers and staff members of the School 5 faculty as well as the support from building Principal Michelle Rodriguez, who helped make this event possible.

Families and students beamed as they exited the event, with new books in hand and an ignited passion for reading! Photo by Linden School No. 5.

SCHOOL NO. 5 VISITS FIREHOUSE NO. 3

The Pre-K Class teachers at School 5 in Linden; Mrs. Nicole Zambell, Mrs. Fran Figaro, and Mrs. Laura Cuttita took a walking field trip to Linden Firehouse No.3 on May 12th, 2016. The children learned a wealth of fire safety information, as well as other information about the fire department and the job of the firefighters. The children are learning about the community in their Tools of the Mind curriculum, so this trip was a great hands on extension to their classroom learning. The children enjoyed spraying the fire hose, watching the tall ladder go high in the air, learning about the fire truck equipment, and what it was used for. They also saw the protective gear a firefighter has to wear in an emergency, they heard a real emergency call come into the department, and watched as the ambulance left with sirens and lights, they also saw the pole the firefighters go down quickly to leave the firehouse. The fire department gave each child a reflective book bag with a coloring book, tattoo, ruler and pencil. It was a wonderful time!

PHILLIPS 66 DONATIONS TO LINDEN FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR EARLY WARNING EQUIPMENT

Phillips 66 Citizen Philanthropy Grant Program recently donated \$100,000 to the Linden trains will no longer have to sound their whistle Fire Department. The funds will be used to install early warning equipment to notify the Linden Fire and Police Departments as to when a train is blocking Lower Rd. This will allow for faster response time to this area of the city.

A Quiet Zone will also be established so the before crossing.

This quality of life issue for the 7th Ward residents has become a priority for Mayor Armstead and 7th Ward Councilmen Ralph Strano.



(left) Nancy Sadlon, Phillips 66 Bayway Refinery Public Affairs Manager, and Mary Phillips, the Community Relations Coordinator for Phillips 66, presented the grant to Linden Mayor Derek Armstead and Fire Chief Joseph Dooley.



TWO LINDEN OFFICERS HONORED FOR HEROISM

Two Linden Officers Honored for Heroism in Apprehending Bank Robber Two Linden police officers were honored at the 200 Club of Union County luncheon at the Shackamaxon Country Club in Scotch Plains recently for apprehending a serial bank robber who attempted a robbery at the Bank of America on Stiles Street, on May 6, 2015. Several officers responded to the robbery in-progress call at the bank in Aviation Plaza.

Lt. Brian A. Fech and Officer Nicholas Scanlon cornered the suspect in a warehouse on W. Linden Avenue where the suspect fled on foot after attempting to carjack several vehicles while

Two Linden Officers Honored for Heroism in fleeing the bank. He then took a parcel delivery prehending Bank Robber Two Linden police driver hostage.

The bank robber, Marlon D. Peek, age 39, of Piscataway, held a gun to the head of the driver while Officer Scanlon engaged him in conversation at gunpoint. During this time, Lt. Fech was able to sneak up behind Peek and

surprised him while pointing his firearm at Peek and forcing him to surrender. Peek was arrested without anyone being injured.

Marlon D. Peek was being sought by the FBI at the time for committing several bank robberies in Union and Middlesex counties.

FOUR NEW OFFICERS ADDEDTO THE HONOR GUARD

The newest members of the Linden Police Department's Honor Guard recently completed a two-day Honor Guard Camp in Bergen County. The officers received high marks from the instructional staff and came in first place in a mock scenario which included a flag fold and casket carry.

The ceremonial unit participates in parades, funerals, hirings, and promotional occasions. It also serves as the police department's representative at other events.





(right) Officer Nicholas Scanlon, Lt. Brian A. Fech. Lt. Fech is an 18 ½ year veteran of the department, having been promoted to lieutenant in February of this year. Officer Scanlon is a 2 ½ year veteran of the department.

THE BATTLE OF THE BADGES SOFTBALL GAME



(above) The Linden Fire Department & Linden Police Department battled it out on the softball diamond on May 20th. The Battle of the Badges softball game was a first between both departments, but the two departments battle it out each year on the football field in which they will be playing later this year. The Battle of the Badges is to benefit The Linden P.A.L. Youth Organization, raising almost \$500. As for the game, it was a fun filled close battle with the Linden Fire Department nosing out the Linden Police Department 25-5.





2016 SPRING PROGRAMS @ THE JTG CENTER

Pilates & Barre Exercise Class: Mind-Body exercises that train several muscle groups at once, using smooth and continuous movements. It teaches body-awareness and good posture, while improving flexibility and agility. Barre: A fusion of ballet, pilates and stretches.

Class is from 6:30pm-7:30pm, Thursdays, June 9-August 11, 2016. Cost is \$40.00. This program is for 18 years of age and older.

Complete Fitness Exercise Class: A whole body workout using kick boxing, high and low aerobics, cardio and body toning. Class is from 6:30pm-7:30pm. Tuesdays, June 7-August 9, 2016. Cost is \$40. This program is for 18 years of age and older

L.E.R.S-: The City subsidized LINDEN EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM provides around-the-clock, monitoring for ANY medical emergency. It acts as an electronic guardian for instant communication in emergency situations. This system is for elderly, handicapped, medically disabled or anyone living alone. For a nominal monthly monitoring fee, this program will enable Linden residents to continue living at home instead of facing the prospect of institution-oriented facilities. It will also provide the recipient and their family peace of mind knowing that help is on the way within minutes with just the PRESS OF A BUTTON!

Any resident who knows of someone who could benefit from this program, or feels that they could benefit from this service contact Lenore Price or Megan Martin at the JTG Recreation Center (908) 474-8627, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00am-4:00pm.

Nutrition Volunteers: The JTG Recreation Center is looking for people to volunteer in the Nutrition Department, Monday-Friday only, 10:00am-1:00pm. If you are interested, please contact Nate Vetrano at (908) 474-8629 between 9:00am and 1:00pm.

Please Note: All programs can be registered online at www.linden-nj.org by using Community Pass or in person at any Recreation Center; JTG Center-330 Helen Street, Community Center Building-605 S. Wood Ave, or the Linden Multi-Purpose Center, 1025 John Street. All sites accepts checks, money orders, Visa, and or MasterCard.

ATTENTION LINDEN PARENTS!

Summer is almost here! If you need a safe fun Filled place for your children this summer, Linden Recreation Summer Day Camps is still Accepting registrations for children entering K-6 grades. Please register your Children soon as you can! Spots fill up quickly!

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RAYMOND WOOD BAUER PROMENADE 2016 LINE-UP						
Wed. May 25, 2016 Board of Education- All City Concert – 7:00 pm (rain date June 2)						
Tue. June 7, 2016	Epic Soul ~ Opening Night 7:30pc					
Fri. June 10, 2016	Zydeco-A-Go-Go ~ The Music of New Orleans	7:30pm				
Tuc. June 14, 2016	"Damn the Torpedoes" ~ Tom Petty Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Sat. June 18, 2016	Uptown Summer Kickoff (5:00pm-11:30pm)					
Tue. June 21, 2016	The Cameo's ~ New Jerseys Best Doo Wop	7:30pm				
Fri. June 24, 2016	"Starman" ~ David Bowie Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Tue. June 28, 2016	The British Invasion Show	7:30pm				
Tue. July 5, 2016	The Sensational Soul Cruisers ~Motown at its Best	7:30pm				
Fri. July 8, 2016	"Rave-On" ~ Buddy Holly/Roy Orbeson Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Tue. July 12, 2016	"Best of the Eagles" Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Tue. July 19, 2016	Jimmy Sturr & His Orchestra ~ Polka Night	7:30pm				
Fri. July 22, 2016	Brandy Wine ~ Cover Music	7:30pm				
Tue. July 26, 2016	"Anyway You Want It" ~ Journey Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Tue. Aug. 2, 2016	National Night Out Against Crime (4 pm-7 pm)					
Tue. Aug. 2, 2016	Black Rose ~ Modern Rock	7:30pm				
Fri. Aug 5, 2016	Jesse Garron ~ "A Tribute to Elvis"	7:30pm				
Tuc. Aug 9, 2016	"Real Diamond" ~ Neil Diamond Tribute Show	7:30pm				
Fri. Aug 12, 2016	The Vinny's	7:30pm				
Tue. Aug. 16, 2016	Kootz ~ Music with Fibre	7:30pm				
Fri. Aug. 19, 2016	Round Trip ~ Cover Music	7:30pm				
Sat. Aug. 20, 2016	Gospel Fest (12 noon- 6pm)					
Tuc. Aug. 23, 2016	"Disco 54" ~ Tribute Show	7:30pm				
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Tue. Aug. 30, 2016	Jobonanno & Godsons	7:30pm				
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For more information, please contact: <u>Mr. Monty Brooks</u> @ (908)406-8537 <u>Email: mbrooks@linden.k12.nj.us</u>

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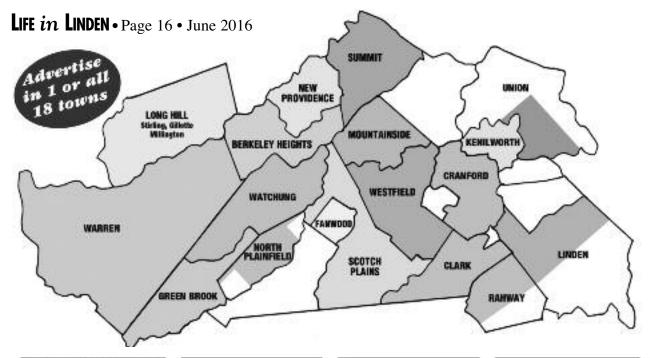
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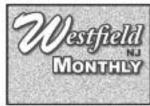


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Linden filmmaker Bradley Creanzo will be at the Linden Public Library on Wednesday, June 22nd, at 7:00 pm to discuss his past films as well as his upcoming release, "Vicious Thunder." Brad began his acting career at the age of 16, appearing in school plays. He went on to Kean University where he attained his bachelor's in Film and Media. Mr. Creanzo's first feature directorial

effort "The Bible Belt Slasher: The Holy Terror!", was picked up for distribution and can be found online and on store shelves nationwide. Mr. Creanzo has continued to grow within the film world with his next feature film "Vicious Thunder". Not many directors are effective with getting their product out there, but Mr. Creanzo has done just that against all odds.

AUTHOR FRITZNER LEE ALTIDOR TO VISIT LIBRARY

Author Fritzner Lee Altidor will be at the Linden Public Library on Monday, June 13th, at 7:00 pm. Born in rural Cabaret, Haiti, Fritzner Lee Altidor pillared early on in his native village in school as a boy who excelled in all academic attempts. Immigrating to the United States after high school, Fritz found himself pursuing the business world, graduating with honors from college with a Bachelor's degree in accounting from Rutgers University. Thereafter, he became a certified public accountant and went on to earn his Master's degree; then a law degree. He has worked for several reputable banking organizations and other local accounting firms

since graduating college. A man with no particular comfort zone and in constant search of life's challenges, Fritzner surprisingly discovered his true passion, immersing himself in imaginary

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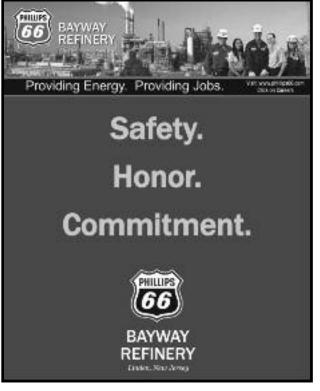
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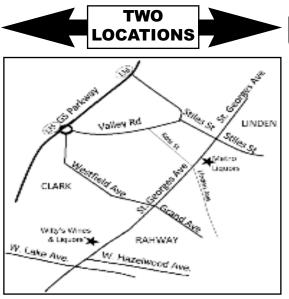
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Jack Daniels			Finlandia			Patron Silver		
Jack Daniels Fire			Grey Goose			Patron Silver	1.75L	\$84.99
Jack Daniels Fire			Grey Goose (all types)			BI	EER	
Jameson			Ketel One			Becks (12oz) 24pk		\$22 00
Jameson			Ketel One			Bud and Bud Lite cans		
Jim Beam Whisky			Majorska		•	Coors Lite (24oz) cans		
Johnnie Walker Blue			Majorska			Coors Lite loose bottles		
Johnnie Walker Blue			Pinnacle (all types)			Coors Lite		
Johnnie Walker Black			Pinnacle (80 proof)			Corona/Corona Lite loose bott		
Johnnie Walker Black			Skyy			Dab (16oz) cans	1	•
			Smirnoff Vodka (80 proof)			Heineken/Heineken Lite	•	
Johnnie Walker Double Black		\$38.99	Smirnoff Vodka (all types)			Land Shark		
Johnnie Walker Red			Sobieski			Lech (500ml)		
Johnnie Walker Red			Sobieski					
Knob Creek 9 yrs old			Soplica		•	Modelo Especial cans		
Knob Creek 9 yrs old			Soplica			New Belgium Fat Tire	•	
Macallan 12yrs old			Stolichnaya (all types)			Pabst Blue Ribbon cans		
Makers Mark		•				Pilsner Urquell		
Makers Mark			Svedka (all types)			Sagres Beer		
Old Smuggler			Svedka (all types)			Sam Adams Boston Lager		
Seagram V.O.			Tanqueray Sterling			Stella Artois loose bottles		
Seagrams 7			Tanqueray Sterling			Tecate cans		
Woodford Reserve	1L	\$34.99	Three Olives (all types)			Dogfish Head 60 min	•	
G	IN		Three Olives (all types)			Yuengling Lager cans and bott		
		\$35.99	Traveler's Vodka	1.75L	\$10.99	Zywiec (11.2oz)	24pk	\$19.99
Beefeater								
Bombay Saphire			"Cald 1	2 C D.	rica"	SUMMER PICNIC	HEADOU	ARTERS
Seagram's gin	1./3L	\$10.99	"Cold or warm I	seer = Same Pr	ice		5,14-	3 527

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Alamos Malbec	750ml	¢ 2 00
Andre (All Types)		•
Apothic Red		
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Avalon (Cabernet Sauvignon)		
Barefoot All Types		
Bartenura Moscato		
Beringer White Zinfandel		-
Beringer White Zinfandel		
Black Box (All Types)		1
Blackstone (All Types except Chardonnay)		
Blackstone (All Types)	1.5L	. \$13.99
Bogle (Chardonnay and Merlot)	750ml	. \$ 6.99
Bolla	1.5L	. \$12.99
Caymus Napa Valley (Cabernet Sauvignon)	750ml	. \$65.99
Carlo Rossi (Chablis, Burgundy, Sangria, Blush)	4L	. \$13.99
Carnivor (Cabernet Sauvignon)	750ml	. \$10.99
Casal Garcia Vinho Verde	750ml	\$ 5.99
Cavit (All Types)		•
Chateau ste Michelle Columbia Valley Cabernet and Merlo		-
Chateau Ste. Michelle Columbia Valley Chardonnay		
Chateau Ste. Michelle Columbia Valley Riesling		
Clos du Bois Chardonnay		
Clos du Bois Cabernet, Merlot		-
Cockburns Ruby and Tawny Porto		-
Concha Y Toro Frontera		
Coppola Diamond Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot		
Coppola Diamond Chardonnay		-
Corbett Canyon (All Types)		-
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Cupcake (All types, except Prosecco and Moscato) Don Perignon		
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Dreaming Tree (All Types)	750ml	. \$11.99
Dreaming Tree (All Types) Eco Domani (Pinot Grigio)	750ml 750ml	\$11.99 \$ 8.99
Dreaming Tree (All Types) Eco Domani (Pinot Grigio) Fish Eye (All Types)	750ml 750ml 1.5L	.\$11.99 .\$ 8.99 .\$ 9.99
Dreaming Tree (All Types) Eco Domani (Pinot Grigio) Fish Eye (All Types) Flip Flop (All Types)	750ml 750ml 1.5L	\$11.99 \$ 8.99 \$ 9.99 \$ 9.99
Dreaming Tree (All Types) Eco Domani (Pinot Grigio) Fish Eye (All Types) Flip Flop (All Types) Franzia (Crisp White, Blush, Sangria, Chilable red)	750ml 750ml 1.5L 1.5L	\$11.99 \$ 8.99 \$ 9.99 \$ 9.99 \$13.99
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Mark West Pinot Noir		-
Martini & Rossi Asti	750ml	\$11.99
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Merry Vale (Cabernet)		-
Mezzacorona Pinot Grigio		•
Mi Amore Red		
Moet Imperial Champagne		
Noble Wine 337, 667		
Papi (All Types)		-
Ravenswood (All Types)		
Real Sangria		
Rex Goliath (All Types)		
Robert Mondavi Private Select		-
Robert Mondavi Private Select		-
Rodney Strong Sonoma Cabernet & Merlot		-
Rodney Strong Sonoma Chardonnay		-
Rombauer Chardonnay		
Ruffino Chianti		-
Ruffino Chianti		-
Ruffino Pinot Grigio		-
Ruffino Chianti Gold		•
Ruffino Tan label		•
Santa Margerita Pinot Grigio		
Senor Sangria (All Types)		
Silver Oak Alexander Valley Cabernet		
Simi Chardonnay		-
Sonoma Cutrer Chardonnay		
Sutter Home (All Types)		
Tom Gore (All Types)		
Woodbridge (All Types)		
Yago Sangria		
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