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The City of Rahway presented Hot Rods and Harleys on Saturday, May 14th. The day featured hundreds of classic cars and bikes and entertainment along Main Street, Irving Street, Milton Avenue and other downtown locations. The entire downtown was filled with food, drink and music from street vendors. Over 15,000 were expected to attend.



SUPREME SACRIFICE MEMORIAL UNVEILED

The Hot Rods and Harley Event held on May 14th featured a memorial dedication in honor of the Veterans of Rahway who lost their lives in the four conflicts – WWI, WWII, Korean War and Viet Nam. The City unveiled the “Supreme Sacrifice” Memorial which lists the names and dates of the deceased, along with photos, military branches as well as all the parks, fields, and streets that have been named throughout Rahway in honor of these Veterans. A video of the presentation can be found at www.hrandh.com.



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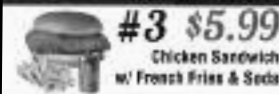
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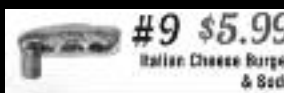
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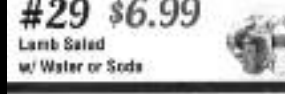
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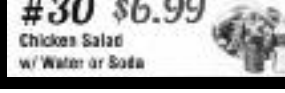
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Because of the weather this year Rahway Day took place indoors, but that didn't stop the fun. With plenty of food, musical performances, and fun filled events for the kids and adults, it is no wonder why the recreation center was Jam packed and filled with laughter and joy.

Organized by Rahway's Chamber of

Commerce, the festival allowed young Rahway talent to demonstrate their gifts and abilities, by providing the platform and crowd.

The day proved to be an entertaining experience with Rahway citizens partaking in all the food, music, culture, and arts their city had to offer.



(above) The Rahway High School Band



(above) Rahway Police Aux at Rahway Day- corporal Chris Demers- Officer Robert Service- Officer Francis Martis.



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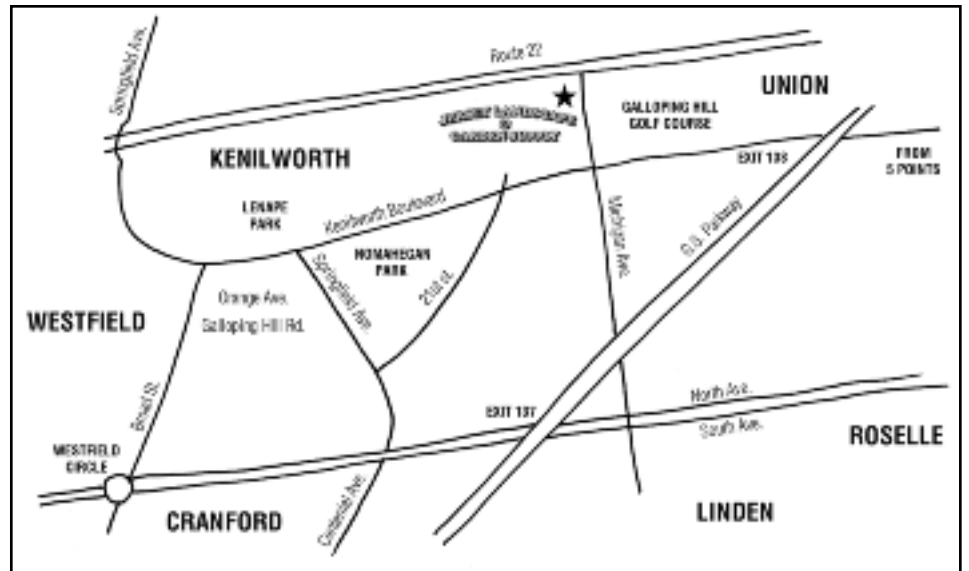
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Beautifully arranged potted plants add an eye catching focal point to any area in your garden. Making them yourself is not as difficult as you may think and is very rewarding.

The most important thing is to make sure all the flowers and plants in the container require the same care, sunlight, soil and water. Otherwise there is a chance one will not survive, leaving an empty space where flowers should be growing. Read the directions on the plant marker or ask the knowledgeable greenhouse personnel for suggestions.

If your flower is root bound gently open the bottom with a blade or your finger tip before planting. This will permit the plant to better absorb water and minerals.

The mantra for a successful flower display is "Thriller, Filler, Spiller".

The 'thriller' is the plant in the center of the pot that adds height and interest. Usually this is a tall spike such as Dracaena (dra-SEE-na) with can be green or purple, or some type of ornamental grass.

The 'filler' is the flower around the center of the pot which is the most dramatic color. You can use more than one color flower if you wish. It's your creation so have fun with it. Remember you want to see all the flowers so they should all grow to the same height or one will crowd out the others by midsummer.

The 'spiller' will grow over the pot and give the entire container a fuller appearance. Many folks use variegated vinca, ivy or asparagus fern for this. If you have plenty of sun hanging geraniums, also known as 'ivy geraniums' will give your pot a knockout punch.

Although directions may say plant 6 to 8 inches apart, you want your pot to look like it is full immediately, so place plants much



(above) In either sun or shade a well planted container is a beautiful focal point in any garden.



(above) President of The Rahway Garden Club, James Keane has been researching and answering garden questions since 1995. Visit 'Keane Gardener' blog at: keanegardener.blogspot.com

closer together. This 'British' technique works wonderfully in containers.

Proper watering is essential for potted plants to survive. If your pot is on the ground it should be watered every day. If it is hanging, monitor it daily as it may need more frequent watering. On hot summer days it may need to be watered twice.

When creating your containers you are only limited by plant requirements and your imagination.

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NORTHCOTT RECEIVES SCOUT'S HIGHEST HONOR

Submitted by: Rose Northcott

Rahway has a new Golden Girl. Rose Northcott, a senior at Rahway High School, has earned the most prestigious Girl Scout award the Gold Award. Rose earned the award for her project titled "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" or RRR for short. The project required a minimum of 80 hours of work, however she logged an astonishing 124 hours. Her project consisted of two parts.

First was a lesson used to teach freshman environmental science classes. Collaborating with first year teacher Ms. Carr, Rose created a video lesson to be played in the science classes while she attended her own class. It began with a Do Now, had notes about the importance of Recycle Reduce and Reuse, and ended with a poster project for the students to show what they learned.

The second part of Rose's project was the creation of a mural that is now permanently

displayed in the science wing of Rahway High School. It was painted by a dozen students who volunteered their time after school to complete the mural in time for parent teacher conferences last November. The mural is a depiction of the impact humans have on our environment and why it is important to reduce, reuse, and recycle. Kaila Davila, a fellow student said, "Rose did an excellent job in securing that all of the volunteers and painters were on schedule and stayed neat. Overall it was extremely fun and definitely rewarding working with her, her leadership skills definitely shined through from start to finish." To boost team morale Rose also created t-shirts for all of her volunteers that helped her earn her gold award.

Rose will officially receive her award on June 5th from the Girl Scouts Heart of NJ council. Rose plans to become a Girl Scout leader in the future.

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Sun June 19 'Brian Kirk & the Jirks' 6pm
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Sun July 3 Bobby Byrne 4:30pm
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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

AUGUST 2016

Thu August 4 Backspin 50 5:00pm
Fri August 5 'Waiting on Mongo' 10pm
Sat August 6 Pat Roddy 10pm
Sun August 7 Bobby Byrne 4:30pm
Thu August 11 Backspin 50 5:00pm
Sat August 13 "Joebonanno and the Godsons of Soul" 7pm
Sun August 14 'Brian Kirk & the Jirks' TBA
Thu August 18 Backspin 50 5:00pm
Sat August 20 "Enjoy!" 10pm
Sun August 21 Bobby Byrne TBA
Thu August 25 Backspin 50 5:00pm
Sat August 27 "Joebonanno and the Godsons of Soul" 7pm
Sun August 28 'Brian Kirk & the Jirks' TBA

SEPTEMBER 2016

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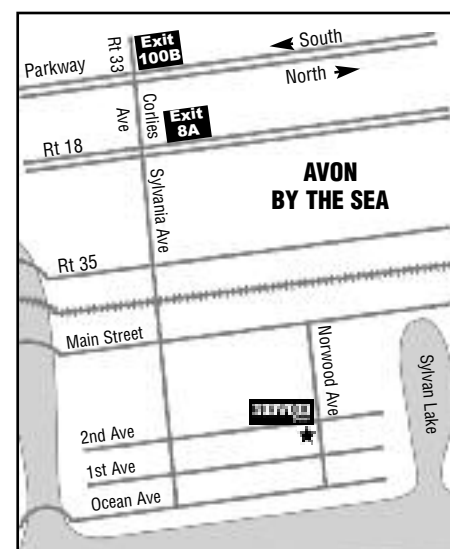
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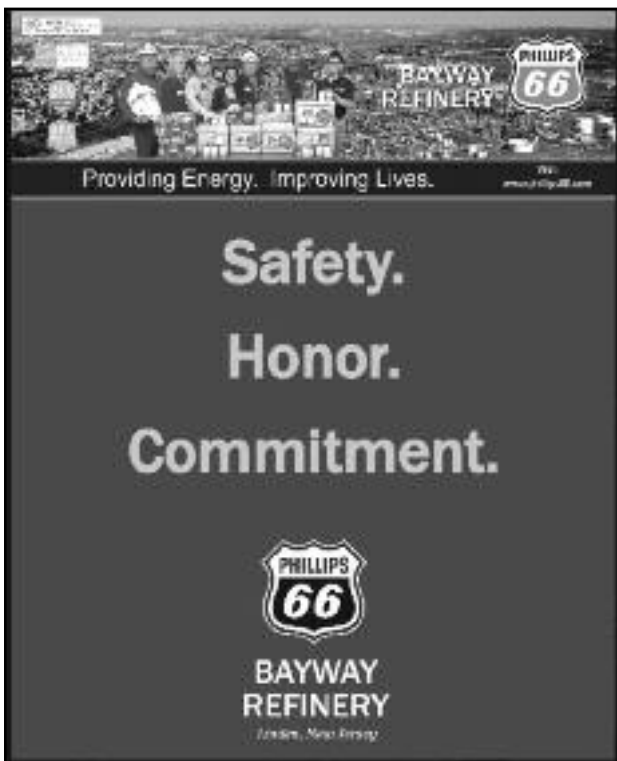
It has been indeed an exciting and successful year of competition and performance for Rahway High's 21 piece ensemble. Now in its second year under the direction of Mr. Joe Bergen, Percussion Specialist and Director of the Ensemble with assistance from Mr. Miguel Bolivar, Director of Bands at RHS, the Percussion Ensemble traveled with the Mid Atlantic Percussion Society and received 1st place honors in the Concert Open Standstill Performance in Old Bridge, NJ. In subsequent competitions, the award for 1st place was again received, for the second consecutive year, at the USBands Indoor Championship held at Stambler Arena in Bethlehem, PA.

Ensemble member Osaze Morris finds these wins especially meaningful. "I think that completing a very time consuming season of Marching Band only to push and dedicate yourself to learning even more music really shows our dedication and love for the music program. Winning the two 1st place titles is just so exhilarating for all of us." He is quick to add,

"Without Mr. Bolivar's 'open door' policy of helping his students, the atmosphere of success would never be there!"

In addition to their wins, the ensemble members were regional finalists in the highly competitive circuit of Winter Guard International Sport of the Arts, with groups ultimately competing in their grand nationals. Positions as regional finalists were also garnered at both the Trumbull and Unionville Regional Competition in the Concert Standstill Open. Mr. Bolivar affirms, "These two wins plus our standing as finalists certainly catapult Rahway and its students into competitive prominence in the Northeast. Our eye is definitely fixed on competing in the grand nationals going forward!"

Junior Anna Belfon discovered that her first year in the program had taught her more than just how to play a vibraphone. "This was the first opportunity I ever had to work with kids who all shared the same passion as me. I learned responsibility, discipline, and respect!"



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(above) Rahway High School's percussion ensemble. Photo by: Joseph Mudrak



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Auditions will be June 13 - 7:30 p.m. and June 18th - 1:00 p.m. Callbacks by Invitation, will be June 18th 2:00 p.m. at CDC Theatre, 78 Winans Ave., Cranford, NJ. The show is set to run October 7-22, 2016.

Directed by Alan Van Antwerp, Musically Directed by Jack Bender, Choreographed by Megan Ferentinos.

Those auditioning are asked to prepare 32 bars of a song of their choosing. If you have a Sondheim song prepared and ready, that would be preferred but not required. Those who audition may be asked to read at the audition.

Additional information can be found by visiting www.cdctheatre.org.

MEMORIAL DAY GRAND MARSHALL BOB HORSCH



The Rahway Memorial Day Parade was held on Sunday, May 29th. The veterans in attendance were well please with the show of support from the community.

This year's Grand

Marshall was Rahway resident Robert "Bob" Horsch, a U.S. Army veteran of the Vietnam War serving from 1969-1790 with Company B Second/506 Infantry in the 101st Airborne Division, Phu Bai and Fire Support Base Ripcord.

He also belongs to the Military Order of Purple Hearts. Bob is a past Commander of Post 5 of the American Legion in Rahway.

(above) Robert "Bob" Horsch, 2016 Grand Marshall Rahway Memorial Day Parade.



Photo albums of the Memorial Day Parade are available to view, download and share at rennamedia.com. and on on Facebook at [Facebook.com/OurTownRahway](https://www.facebook.com/OurTownRahway) "Like", "Tag" and "Share" .



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Students were given a list of 10 books to read. They competed in teams to correctly answer questions based on the books in a "quiz show" format. Questions begin with the words "In which book..." so that the answer will always be a title and author.



(above l-r) The second place team winners of Battle of the Books: Victoria Komperda, Madison Bracey, Jade Wong, Giselle DoCarmo, Mariel Woodson, and Anisha Subramanie.

WELCOME NEWEST AUXILIARY POLICE OFFICERS

The Rahway Police Department is pleased to announce the addition of 5 new auxiliary police officers following a graduation ceremony at the Union County Vo-Tech on May 11th, 2016. The Rahway Police Department would like to welcome these new auxiliary officers to our department.



(above l-r) Navraj Kumar, Anthony Service, Christian Berrios, Kazim Smith and Abhimanyv Gupta.

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A MEMORIAL DAY TRIBUTE TO RAHWAY'S WORLD WAR I VETS

By Al Shipley, City Historian and Rahway Library Research Consultant

This year, the First Presbyterian Church is celebrating 275 years of Christian ministry in Rahway. Founded in 1741, First Pres. has the longest tenure of any institution in the history of the city.

The four settlements of Rahway, Leesville (also called Lower Rahway), Bridgetown, Upper Rahway, and Milton, developed shortly after the founding of Elizabethtown and Woodbridge both of which date back to the 1660s. For the next seven decades, the inhabitants of the Rahway area had to travel to the two larger communities to conduct business or to participate in religious services. For religious groups, making the long trek to either city every Sunday was difficult at best, but during the winter of 1741, a time referred to as the "Hard Winter," it became impossible. It was during that season that the Rahway Presbyterians made a formal request to organize their own church.

The construction of a sanctuary commenced in the summer of 1741 and was completed within the next year. It was built on St. Georges Avenue across from Union Street on the present grounds of the Rahway Cemetery. The location of the structure is clearly outlined by the position of the grave stones which stood on the north, south, and west sides of the church. This first church was two stories high and constructed of heavy timbers. A bell tower rose from the roof and was topped with a copper weathercock. During the Revolutionary War, the weather vane was damaged when a musket ball was shot through it. Church rolls listed members who were New Englanders, Scottish Presbyterians, those of Irish and Welsh extraction, Puritans, Covenanters, and Quakers.

For the first six years, sermons were given by visiting preachers. In 1748, Aaron Richards became the spiritual leader and remained in that position for the next forty-three years. His length of service is still the longest in the church's history.

In the mid-1770s, the Revolutionary War



(above) Photo (circa 1900) shows the minister's home next to the sanctuary.

began bringing with it hardships and loss of life to the church. As a group, the Presbyterians were hostile towards the British who considered a Presbyterian and a rebel to be one and the same. Pastor Richards, an ardent patriot, was forced to flee to South Hanover to escape capture and imprisonment. While there, he continued to speak out against English rule and returned to Rahway only after his safety was no longer jeopardized.

A famous patriot, who was a member of the church, was Abraham Clark, a signer of the Declaration of Independence. A large granite monument marks his grave in the church cemetery.

In the years following the war, membership in the church increased and by 1830 it became apparent that a new and larger sanctuary was needed. A seventeen acre lot that encompassed the area from the corner of Grand Avenue and Church Street all the way back to the river had been left to the congregation by Pastor Richards. Ground was broken for a new church in May 1831. Job Squier and Samuel Oliver each gave \$5,000.00 to help defray the \$14,600.00 construction cost. The church, which was patterned after the Third Church in Newark, and minister's home, which was built next to the church, were both dedicated on February 5, 1832.

As all parts of the city continued to grow, neighborhoods became populated enough to be able to support their own churches. By the 1840s, members of First Pres. who lived in Lower Rahway began to consider organizing a congregation that would be located closer to their homes. Discussions were held and on November 9, 1849 the way was made clear "with deep brotherly regard, cooperation, fellowship, and true Christian spirit" to organize the Second Presbyterian Church in Lower Rahway.

From the mid-19th century, the history of First Pres. continued to illustrate a congregation whose enthusiasm never waned and whose mission always encouraged improvement and refinement. In 1912, Mrs. William Squier donated a \$6,000 organ to replace the old water-powered organ the church had been using since 1875. The congregation paid tribute to Mrs. Squier on December 6, 1926, when a new Community House, built behind the church, was dedicated to her memory. A new residence for the minister was built on Union Street and was dedicated on January 1, 1938. In 1967, many changes and modernization work took place. Improvements were made to the Community House, extensive renovations were made in the church sanctuary, and a new building, Davis Fellowship Hall, was added to the property. This large addition was named in honor of the Reverend Chester M. Davis, who served faithfully for thirty-six years (1922-1958).

The church was recognized as a historic site in 1974 by the Historical Sites Commission of the Presbyterian Historical Society. On January 29, 2012, after 160 years of faithful ministry, the congregation of Second Pres. reunited with the mother church marking a "New Dawn" in the history of Presbyterianism in Rahway. In 2016, the year of its 275 anniversary, First Pres. is a welcoming church that is actively engaged in creating a multi-cultural and multi-racial community of faith, striving to be a living testimony of Christ in the world.

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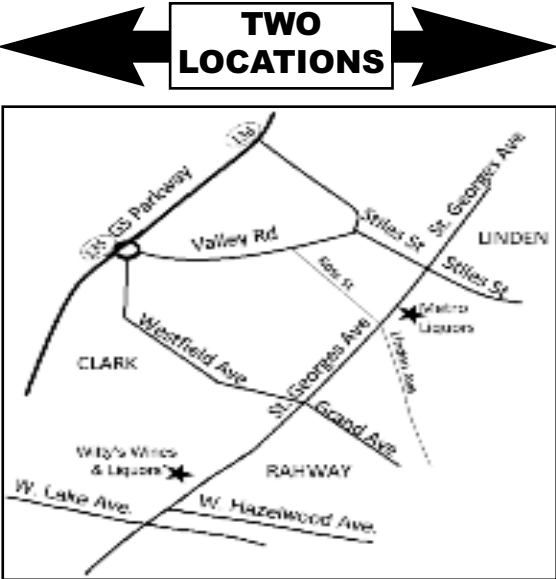
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Courvoisier V.S.	1.75L	\$54.99
E & J V.S. Brandy	750ml	\$ 8.99
E & J V.S. Brandy	1.75L	\$20.99
E & J V.S.O.P. Brandy	750ml	\$10.99
E & J V.S.O.P. Brandy	1.75L	\$22.99
Hennessy V.S.	750ml	\$32.99
Hennessy V.S.	1.75L	\$62.99
Leroux Blackberry	750ml	\$12.99
Leroux Blackberry	1.75L	\$18.99
Paul Masson Amber	750ml	\$10.99
Paul Masson Amber	1.75L	\$19.99
Paul Masson Peach	750ml	\$10.99
Remy Martin 1738	750ml	\$48.99
Remy Martin V.S.O.P.	750ml	\$38.99
Remy Martin V.S.O.P.	1.75L	\$84.99

VODKA

Absolut (regular)	750ml	\$19.09
Absolut (regular)	1.75L	\$29.09
Belvedere Vodka	750ml	\$27.99
Belvedere Vodka	1.75L	\$45.99
Ciroc (all types)	750ml	\$29.99
Ciroc (all types)	1.75L	\$59.99
Finlandia	750ml	\$15.99
Finlandia	1.75L	\$24.99
Grey Goose	750ml	\$28.99
Grey Goose (all types)	1.75L	\$49.99
Ketel One	750ml	\$22.99
Ketel One	1.75L	\$39.99
Majorska	750ml	\$ 8.99
Majorska	1.75L	\$13.99
Pinnacle (all types)	750ml	\$11.99
Pinnacle (80 proof)	1.75L	\$16.99
Skyy	1.75L	\$21.99
Smirnoff Vodka (80 proof)	750ml	\$11.99
Smirnoff Vodka (all types)	1.75L	\$19.29
Sobieski	750ml	\$10.99
Sobieski	1.75L	\$19.99
Soplica	750ml	\$ 9.95
Soplica	1.75L	\$18.99
Stolichnaya (all types)	1.75L	\$29.09
Svedka (all types)	750ml	\$11.99
Svedka (all types)	1.75L	\$19.29
Tanqueray Sterling	750ml	\$19.99
Tanqueray Sterling	1.75L	\$29.99
Three Olives (all types)	1L	\$19.99
Three Olives (all types)	1.75L	\$24.99
Traveler's Vodka	1.75L	\$10.99

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Bailey's Irish Cream	750ml	\$21.99
Bailey's Irish Cream	1.75L	\$39.99
Kahlua	750ml	\$19.99
Kahlua	1.75L	\$34.99
Krupnik	750ml	\$13.99
Licor 43	750ml	\$21.99
Licor 43	1.75L	\$39.99
Patron XO Café	750ml	\$22.99
Patron XO Café	1.75L	\$34.99
Southern Comfort	750ml	\$17.99
Southern Comfort	1.75L	\$26.99

RUM

Bacardi Light	750ml	\$11.99
Bacardi Light & Gold	1.75L	\$19.19
Captain Morgan Spice	1.75L	\$25.99
Malibu	750ml	\$16.99
Malibu	1.75L	\$24.99

TEQUILA

Avion Silver	750ml	\$36.99
Casa Noble Silver	750ml	\$34.99
El Jimador Reposado	750ml	\$19.99
El Jimador Reposado	1.75L	\$29.99
Jose Cuervo	750ml	\$17.99
Jose Cuervo	1.75L	\$32.99
Patron Silver	750ml	\$39.99
Patron Silver	1.75L	\$84.99

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Coors Lite	30pk	\$20.99
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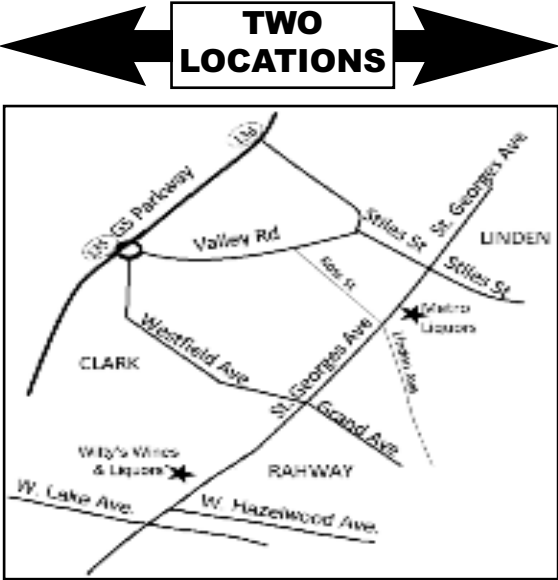


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Rodney Strong Sonoma Chardonnay	750ml	\$11.99
Rombauer Chardonnay	750ml	\$27.99
Ruffino Chianti	750ml	\$ 7.99
Ruffino Chianti	1.5 L	\$13.99
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