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336 First Street, Westfield
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(908) 317-6900

Mother's Morning Out
125 Elmer Street, Westfield
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Noah's Ark
836 Mountain Avenue, Westfield
(908) 232-7011

Precious People Early Learning Center
132 South Avenue, East, Westfield
(908) 233-2330

Redeemer Lutheran Day School
229 Cowperthwaite Place, Westfield
(908) 232-1592
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756 East Broad Street, Westfield
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140 Mountain Avenue, Westfield
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Westfield Cooperative Nursery School
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Westfield
(908) 233-4051

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140 Mountain Avenue, Westfield
(908) 232-6717
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Westfield Infant Toddler Day Care Center
462 West Broad Street, Westfield
(908) 233-1511

Westfield Pre-School Handicapped Program
800 Rahway Avenue, Westfield
(908) 789-4442

Westfield Cooperative Nursery School
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Historic Architecture

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"We sort of lost our Colonial roots," he said, although there is some evidence of a nascent revival in Colonial-style architecture.

Mr. Evans is a member of the Town's Historic Preservation Commission, a Town-created entity that identifies and designates, subject to Town Council approval, historic landmarks in Westfield.

According to Bonnie Danser, another member of the Commission, such a designation can be given to either a district or a specific property. The Charles Addams house on Lawrence Avenue, the Miller-Cory Museum, the John Scudder House, the World War I Memorial, the North Side Fire House, the Kimball Avenue neighborhood, Mindowaskin Park and several private homes in Westfield are among those sites that have received historic designation.

A portion of the downtown area has been identified by the Historic Preservation Commission as historic, but the Town Council has yet to formalize that designation, according to Ms. Danser, who resides in the Stoneleigh Park neighborhood, the third spot in Westfield to be listed on the National Register of Historic Places and New Jersey's own list.

Mr. Evans said there were about eight potential historic districts, including the so-called California Bungalow District on Wyoming Street, in Westfield, which he feels, perhaps surprisingly, "is way behind

other towns as far as preservation goes." He believes the lack of an official Town Planner, who would have intimate knowledge of the neighborhoods, has been a hindrance.

"We need to make people aware" of preservation efforts, he said, estimating that there were more than 100 houses eligible for historic designation by the town and, perhaps, even the federal government.

The historic landmark status means that if alterations are ever made, especially to homes, the resulting changes must continue to maintain the character of the house or the street.

The Commission works with the Town Board of Adjustment and the Planning Board whenever "a property that's been designated comes before either board, or where a building permit is required, to undertake any form of development or alteration," Ms. Danser said.

The Commission will determine if the proposed renovations meet the specific standards set by the Town Council and whether the project's size and scale will make it compatible with the structure or with the neighborhood.

"There's a lot of history here and that history is what gives Westfield its character and integrity," Ms. Danser said. "Progress and change are inevitable, but with a little bit of guidance, the town can maintain that character and integrity."

Increase in Building Permits

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"The streetscape design has to be compatible, obviously, with the facade designs," Mr. Marsh told *This Is Westfield*.

In the same regard, the town engineer stated that the facade of the parking deck the town is currently considering must blend in with the surrounding buildings. So, he reasoned, a deck behind Baron Drugs on Elm Street must have a different look than one that would be built off Prospect Street.

In order to keep up with the work load in the building department, Mr. Marsh has proposed the creation of an assistant director in charge of Public Works. This department would be formally known as the Division of Maintenance and Construction.

A second assistant director would oversee the Division of Building Inspections and the Division of Engineering.

consulting firm to handle the professional planning needs of the town.

Mr. Marsh said if this plan is acted on by the council, his time would be freed up to concentrate more on management issues such as developing more efficient systems including computer tracking software for vehicle maintenance. He said he would be able to help accelerate the town's sewer preventive maintenance program.

Mr. Marsh has been employed by the town since 1994 when he was hired to replace Edward A. Gottko who was promoted to town administrator. Mr. Gottko retired at the end of last year.

Prior to his tenure in Westfield, Mr. Marsh worked with a private consulting firm in which he was the town engineer in Cranford on a contractual basis.

A Potpourri of Club Listings

For a full listing of clubs and organizations please see www.goleader.com/word

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1204 Prospect Street, Westfield
(908) 233-3520

Concerned African-American Parents of Westfield is an organization dedicated to the education and social welfare of children in Westfield.

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616 St. Marks Avenue, Westfield
(908) 654-5130

Four-part women's choral group.

CHORAL ART SOCIETY
PO Box 2036, Westfield
(908) 203-9118
cas@westfieldnj.com

Presents choral works using local area musicians.

COLLEGE MEN'S CLUB OF WESTFIELD
PO Box 841, Westfield
Serves general interests of the community and furthers the higher education of men.

COLLEGE WOMAN'S CLUB OF WESTFIELD
8 Hawthorne Drive, Westfield
(908) 233-3780
cwclub@westfieldnj.com

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PO Box 74, Fanwood
(908) 889-9570

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620 Green Briar Court, Westfield
(908) 232-8674

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(908) 233-8110

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201 Grove Street, Westfield
Meg Miller, (908) 232-3236
WRGScouts@aol.com

Educational enrichment programs for girls five to 17 years of age.

HEARING SOCIETY
170 Elm Street, PO Box 2534, Westfield
(908) 233-2066

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P.O. Box 524, Westfield
(908) 322-1236

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 1711
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(908) 232-9767

Catholic fraternal organization dedicated to family, church and community service.

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PO Box 2163, Westfield
(908) 889-5948
lvwv@westfieldnj.com

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P.O. Box 572, Westfield
(908) 654-3643

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(908) 232-9689

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MOBILE MEALS OF WESTFIELD
170 Elm Street, Westfield
(908) 233-6146
mobilemeals@westfieldnj.com

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MUSICAL CLUB OF WESTFIELD
345 Wychwood Road, Westfield
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mcw@westfieldnj.com

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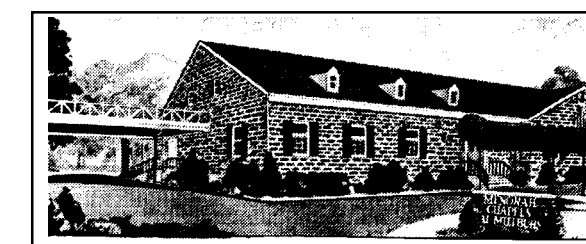
NEUMANN FOUNDATION
PO Box 2654, Westfield
(908) 232-0715
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Support students, police officers, and various children's charities.

NEWCOMERS CLUB OF WESTFIELD
PO Box 612, Westfield
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