

CF High School Student Teaches SP-F Brownies

CRANFORD — Kaley Francis, a junior at Cranford High School (CHS), spent the afternoon of Sunday, November 26, teaching the Scotch Plains-Fanwood (SP-F) third-grade Brownies of Troop 417 how to make friendship bracelets.

The event was hosted at the Scotch Plains home of Girl Scout leader Lisa Lesiak. The girls, who all attend Brunner Elementary School, were given step-by-step instructions on how to make the woven jewelry. They were given a brief history of the bracelet and information on what each color stands for.

As part of a college level introductory education course called Ready, Set Teach at CHS, which is taught by teacher Barbara Narus, Kaley was required to teach a skill to a young group of students as part of a community service teaching assignment.

At the end of Sunday's class, Ms. Lesiak was required to complete an evaluation of the session. Kaley was rated on categories such as planning and preparation, classroom environment, instruction and professionalism.

Ready-Set-Teach gives high school students with an interest in the education field an opportunity to experience teaching firsthand. The curriculum focuses on qualities to be an effective teacher, communication skills, the brain and learning, diverse learning styles and the multiple intelligences.

Student teaching is the final experience each student has. A Cranford district teacher offers an elementary class for a high school to teach. Kaley will earn college credit upon successfully completing the course.

Local Students Make Wardlaw Honor Roll

AREA — Ann Hergenrother, Middle School Head at The Wardlaw-Hartridge School in Edison, has announced the First Trimester Honor Roll for the 2006-2007 academic year. Students listed with an asterisk have earned Honor Roll with Distinction status. Area students include:

- 8th Grade**
 Adrianna Davis — Westfield
 Raj Merchant — Scotch Plains
 Peter Minnum, Jr. — Scotch Plains
- 7th Grade**
 Catherine Badalamenti * — Scotch Plains
 Billy Buchbinder * — Scotch Plains
- 6th Grade**
 Jessica Clarke — Scotch Plains
 Brian Downing * — Scotch Plains
 David Monte * — Scotch Plains
- 5th Grade**
 Katie Buchbinder * — Scotch Plains
 Kyle Hewett — Westfield
 Haley Needle — Scotch Plains
 Megha Reddy * — Scotch Plains



LENDING A HELPING HAND...Cranford High School (CHS) junior Kaley Francis taught the Scotch Plains-Fanwood third grade Brownies of Troop 417 how to make friendship bracelets for her class Ready Set Teach, an introductory education class at CHS. Pictured, from left to right in the back row, are: Georganne Yarbenet, Micayla Mirabelle, Kaley Francis, Sierra Lesiak, Grace Lesce and Alaysia Joi Hicks. Seated in front is Bella Velez.



SHOW ME THE MONEY...In October, Wardlaw-Hartridge senior Raphael Eidus of Westfield, right, and junior Will Vogt of Plainfield, left, helped the school's Model United Nations Club with its bake sale. Club members raised approximately \$170, according to Model UN Club Advisor and Upper School Math teacher Youmie Kim.

Park Middle School Announces Honor Rolls

SCOTCH PLAINS — Park Middle School Principal Lisa Reimbias announced the first marking period honor rolls:

- Joshua Knechtel
 Kathryn Lee
 Kristen Lee
- Christine Szpond
 Sarah VanBuskirk
 Keira Wiggins
 Alexandra Zaller

Sixth Grade Distinguished

- Andres Barros
 Vincenzo Bianco
 Emily Boruch
 Zachary Brencons
 Abigail Bridge
 Kaitlyn Budis
 Caitlin Bunin
 Brian Burns
 Gabriel Canicosa
 Dana Cappicelle
 Christopher Clocarino
 Lucas Cimafonte
 Andrew Citera
 Kathleen Colonna
 Luke Crawford
 John Cunningham
 Matthew Debiase
 Nicholas Demmel
 Colleen Farrell
 Justin Glock
 Hannah Greaney
 James Kaiser
 Sonali Kamath
 Danielle Karacsony
 Emily Koprowski
 Madeline Krema
 Nicole Lamastra
 George Leavitt
 Christie Leist
- Briana Lolo
 Maxin Maltsev
 Tyler Martin
 Grace Mealindin
 Melissa McQuoid
 Mathew Medina
 Kelsey Meisch
 Tessa Mitterhoff
 Olivia Nelson
 Colin O'Kell
 Tara Palkoski
 Savvas Petridis
 Leya Quinones
 Amanda Raphael
 Carly Redfield
 Bridget Reynolds
 Elise Ringel
 Maria Jose Rivero
 John Roberts
 Kathryn Rodrigues
 Dylan Sands
 Alexander Seguin
 Taylor Smith
 Christopher Stanton
 Zoe-Nicole Stein
 Taylor Swack
 Gabrielle Testa
 Jo Venice Uriarte
 Aidan Ziobro

Sixth Grade Honor Roll

- Aashay Anjaria
 Maija Barnes
 Robert Barone
 Matthew Blank
 Matthew Boruch
 Adam Bransky
 Mary Ellen Cagnassola
 Nicole Campbell
 William Castore
 Heather Chernoff
 Michael Colineri
 Craig Conlan
 Dana Decarlo
 Taylor Decarlo
 Alec Desando
 Timothy Duddy
 Joshua Eisen
 Luciano Epp
 Dahlia Fioretti
 Alicia Fung-A-Fat
 Melissa Gara
 David Garry
 Kristen Gerritsen
 Haley Goeller
 Lia Gordon
 Justin Grambor
 Christina Jackson
 Rebecca Jenkins
 David Leavitt
 Elsa Leistikow
 Jason Leong
 Caroline Lesce
 Ryan Lesiak
- Steven Magnotta
 Maxine Mannino
 Maxwell Mansilla
 Francisco Marrero, Jr.
 Morris May
 Danielle McDuffie
 Edward Meneil
 Tyler Merriman
 Jonathan Miksis
 Chelsea Mills
 Katherine Minski
 Enovi Molina-Chevez
 Robert Mrozek
 John Murphy
 Emmanuel Nocom
 Renee Oliver
 Jacob Palmer
 Tyree Patillo
 Jeffrey Pershay
 Megan Phelan
 Ryan Poole
 Samantha Renfree
 Anna Rivero
 Jacqueline Roiz
 Faizah Romano
 Marc Rossario
 Joseph Ruzek
 Monique Santos
 Merhan Shams
 Antonio Spadaro
 Christopher Stone
 Mary Vannata
 Robert Zukofsky

Seventh Grade Distinguished

- Lisa Awaitey
 Elizabeth Baldwin
 Karen Bao
 Dominika Blach
 Kelsey Boyea
 Dominique Bray
 Laura Cappelli
 Adam Carabba
 Isabel Crystal
 Jennifer Denman
 Margaret Diaz
 John DiBattista
 Ramona Dunning
 Carly Grossman
- James Marvosa
 Lisa Matrale
 Meghan McGrath
 Mariel Mital
 Taylor Novello
 Raushan Palejwala
 Dhruvi Patel
 Erin Pierce
 Melissa Quarto
 Disha Rao
 Max Reo
 Cassandra Segulin
 Rose Sigona
 Allison Speck

Seventh Grade Honor Roll

- Alyssa Apuzzio
 Rachel Armus
 Ibhukin Babalola
 Gregory Baliko
 Dory Baron
 Jacqueline Batts
 Robert Bunnell
 Chris Burke
 Daniel Carabba
 Jason Cepparulo
 Jessica Cepparulo
 Olivia Checchio
 Ara Cho
 Abigale Churaman
 Clare Cohen
 Robert Colonna
 Lindsay Curtis
 Jordan Dagostaro
 Alivia DeMaria
 Erin Dempsey
 Nicole DePaola
 Louis Dodge
 Casey Dugan
 Amanda Ekstrand
 Loryn Elsie
 Jessica Esbrandt
 Kendall Fawcett
 Katherine Fletcher
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 Molly Gechtman
 Emily Gill
 Kenyata Gilles
 Allison Grimm
 Alexandra Harmon
 Matthew Harnett
 Patrice Hayden
 Kevin Hesson
 Christopher Hormung
 Quade Ibrara
 Simon Johnston
 Christina Karpel
 Amira Khalil
 Ryan Kiel
 Patrick Leahy
 Stacey Leinfuss
- Robert Lockatell
 Daniel Lynch
 Rebecca Maioriello
 Michael Mannino
 Jessica McGovern
 Anna McGuinness
 Daniel McMillan
 Joseph McQuoid
 Kathryn Melendez
 David Michalak
 Luke Mineo
 Michael Mistak
 Megan Morelli
 Dylan Mruzinski
 Clare Muirhead
 Emily Nardone
 Margaret O'Brien
 Marisol Pacaja
 Kristina Palazzolo
 Sara Payne
 Emma Pearson
 Bertram Peters
 Alyssa Provenzano
 Delaney Riemers
 Maria Paz Rivero
 Charlie Roessler
 Victoria Ross
 Benjamin Roser
 Christopher Salazar
 William Schauer
 Joseph Schmitz
 Kevin Scully
 Zachary Shanker
 Daniel Slegowski
 Brandon Smithwick
 Emily Stefanik
 Alex Surliano
 Alex Tannenbaum
 Raymond Taylor
 Takira Taylor-Cox
 Jonathan Tomasulo
 Chayakorn Triamari
 Steven Vadas
 Andrew Wilson
 Alan Woodfield
 Kristina Zekunde
 Michael Ziegler

Eighth Grade Distinguished

- Brie Adamczyk
 Bria Barnes
 Elle Bernardo
 Micaela Jo Bernardo
 Erin Brown
 Laura Bruce
 Lauren Buckley
 Santino Butler
 Micael Camicosa
 Hayley Cornwell
 Meghan Cunningham
 Elena Haggan
- Amanda Hanna
 Peter Huether
 Emma Kelly
 Richard Krema
 Anna Leistikow
 Conor Lockier
 Benjamin Parisi
 Hyun-Jin Park
 Ananth Rao
 Danielle Schweitzer
 Bryce Smith
 Harnett Sohal
 Allison Staniec

Eighth Grade Honor Roll

- Kimberley Agbo
 Nikolai -Himlan
 Anthony Araneo
 Lauren Berk
 Jerry Bi
 Celeste Bilkerdyk
 Christina Bobyack
 Meghan Bruckman
 Joanna Carroll
 Marianna Caruso-Gilbert
 Christopher Cerchio
 Robert Cerchio
 Rachel Chan
 Jacquelin Close
 Jennifer Cua
 Nicole Danik
 Matthew D'Appuzzo
 Paige Della Badia
 Desli Demarsico
 Rachel Dolan
 Sarah Drum
 Erik Ekstrand
 Alyssa Elenis
 Marc Estriplet
 Angelica Ewaska
 Brendan Farrell
 Kimberley Federico
 Tessa Felegy
 Camille Handy
 Danya Jacobs
 Priyanka Kamath
 Matthew Kersey
- Kenneth Lee
 Daniel Lesce
 Alexa Levy
 Taryn Luby
 Brianna Mahoney
 Kyle Mahoney
 Vidhan Malik
 Edison May
 Jake Merlo
 Nathalia Montoya
 Adam Monzella
 Tyler Palkoski
 Alexandra Pearl
 Adam Redfield
 Allissa Ricci
 William Rivera
 Stephanie Robak
 Carrie Roberson
 Anne Rubin
 Brahian Sanchez
 Kevin Schmidt
 Rachael Siegel
 Michael Spaeth
 Shane Squier
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