BOE Hears Presentation on Personalized Learning

dence to support their thesis, and to be a risk taker.”
“I’m so thankful that they shared. There is a level of inter-
dependence,” she said. “There is a 69-percent increase in student
engagement,” she added.
Some of the personal testimony of the students was, “It’s won-
derful that the students can go on their own to explore new top-
ics.” “I really like it. I learned how to research and gather informa-
tion.” “I’ve learned about World War I and World War II.” School
Librarian Dr. Anne McCloskey, who helped the students be with online
resources, said, “I’m proud of the fifth graders.”

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Wednesday Morning Club Posts Upcoming Activities

CRANFORD — The next busi-
ness meeting of the Wednesday
Morning Club will be on Wednes-
day, April 1, at 10 a.m. It will
take place at the Cranford Com-
munity Center, located at 220
Walnut Avenue. Guest speaker
Angela Adams of Overlook Medi-
cal Center will discuss “The chal-
lenge of memory.” The board will
meet at 9:30 a.m.
The Public Affairs Department
will wind up its season with a
straightforward application.

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Woudn’t 50 New Trees Be Better Than One?

Many very generous Garwood, Cranford, Westfield, Kenilworth,
Plainfield, Summit and Mountainside residents may recall
back in 2003 when they so big-
heartedly donated over $2,000 to
the planting of new street trees in
the Garwood Senior Citizen Hous-
ing site neighborhood. Depending
on the size, type and species of tree selected, this could result
in anywhere from 15 to 50 new
shade trees in the surrounding
blocks.

I am asking for your opinion on
this endeavor, as you were a part
of the initial tree preservation
effort. I think the idea of con-
verting the planting of one evergreen
tree in 1991 to 50 new
trees on our borough streets in
2015 would make a greater long-
term impact than one new tree
on the senior site. What do you
think? I look forward to hearing
from you. Thank you.

Bill Nierstedt

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Rosary Altar Society Plans Taj Mahal Trip

GARWOOD — The Rosary Altar
Society of the Church of St. Anne
in Garwood has planned a trip to
Taj Mahal in Atlantic City on Sun-
day, April 26. The bus will leave
at 11:30 a.m. sharp from the
Church of St. Anne, located at
325 Second Avenue, Garwood,
and return at approximately 9:30
p.m.
The cost is $30 per person with a
generous slot return. Interested
persons are asked to make their
reservations as soon as possible by calling Jennie at (908)
789-0778 or Eileen at (908) 789-
0414.