

# Fairview Board of Trustees Welcomes Carl Desch, Jr.

WESTFIELD — The Fairview Cemetery Board of Trustees has announced the election of Carl W. Desch, Jr. to its board at its meeting on September 18, 2018. Mr. Desch has an extensive background in operations, finance and corporate governance. His varied skill set will be of significant value to the board.



Carl W. Desch, Jr.

Mr. Desch currently is the Chief Administrative Officer of Omni Ophthalmic Management Consultants, a referral-based ophthalmic medical and surgical group, headquartered in Iselin, N.J. Prior to working at Omni, he served in a senior role at American SurgiSite Centers, an ambulatory surgery center management firm. Before becoming involved in healthcare, he spent most of his career working at Goldman Sachs and

JP Morgan & Co. in both domestic and international operating capacities.

Mr. Desch served as a lieutenant in the United States Army and has been a trustee for Echo Lake Country Club and the First Congregational Church. Upon his election to the board, he stated, "I have been a resident of Westfield for over 40 years and have always been impressed with the dignified manner with which Fairview has operated and been maintained. I am honored to be able to directly contribute to such a fine institution."

He is a graduate of Lafayette College and has an MBA from the University of Virginia. Mr. Desch continues to reside in Westfield with his wife, Peggy. They have two grown children.



MAJOR SUPPORT...Members of the Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care Auxiliary leadership are shown with Center President Frank Brady during the Auxiliary's recent holiday party, when the Auxiliary presented Mr. Brady with an \$80,000 year-end donation to benefit the Center's Charitable Care program. The donation reflected the Auxiliary's fund-raising activities. Pictured, from left to right, are: Margaret Blanco, Jo Favor, Mr. Brady, Donna Dooley, Elaine Pisano and Edith Smith.

## Center For Hope Auxiliary Presents \$80,000 Donation

SCOTCH PLAINS — The Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care Auxiliary held its annual holiday party on December 10, during which members of the non-profit organization presented Center President Frank Brady with a record-breaking year-end donation of \$80,000, bringing the group's annual fund-raising total to over \$110,000.

The Auxiliary volunteers coordinate and put on two major fundraisers every year to benefit the Center's Charitable Care program — a fashion show, luncheon and tricky tray event in the fall and a wine-tasting and silent auction in the spring. In addition, the Auxiliary operates the Hope Chest Thrift Store in Westfield. The Auxiliary's fund-raising efforts are vital to the Charitable Care program, which provides nearly \$3.5 million in free or reduced-cost residential hospice care to those who need it, regardless of ability to pay.

The Center for Hope has two residences — Peggy's House in Scotch Plains and Father Hudson

House in Elizabeth, both named after the Center's two founders. It also offers high-quality hospice care in the wider community.

The Center for Hope Hospice and Palliative Care is a non-profit, community-based organization that provides terminally ill patients with hospice care, and their families or loved ones with physical, emotional and spiritual support during their time of need. The Center actively supports the individual's right to live out the remainder of his or her life with dignity and in comfort, surrounded by the love of family and friends, and eased from the burdens of physical, emotional, spiritual, financial or social distress.

The Center for Hope welcomes all terminally ill patients, their families and loved ones, without concern for race, ethnicity, religious affiliation or ability to pay. It also offers pain and symptom management for chronically ill and seriously ill patients through its palliative care program. For more information, visit cfhh.org.

## Westfield Foundation Lists 2018 Grant Recipients

WESTFIELD — In 2018, the Westfield Foundation distributed more than \$278,000 in grants to 26 different agencies, among them the Westfield Service League, Our House Foundation, Flintlocks BSA, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Alzheimer's Association, Arts Power and the YWCA Union County.

The Foundation focuses on four sectors: Arts, Education, Health and Social Services. For 2018, 46 percent of the grants were for educational requests, 5 percent for health, 44 percent for social services and civic, and 5 percent for the arts.

Grants from the Foundation help individuals and agencies launch promising civic projects, so they can become sustainable agencies that meet a specific community need. In 2018, the Foundation provided a major grant toward the renovation of Mindowaskin Park, which recently opened to the public. In addition, the Foundation funded a state-of-the-art science, technology, engineering and math classroom at Westfield High School. These major grants were from the Bertha Bogaert Fund held

at the Foundation.

In the fourth quarter, the Foundation distributed \$68,000 to seven organizations. Among the recipients were Social Justice Matters, the New Jersey Intergenerational Orchestra and Community Access Unlimited.

Currently, the Westfield Foundation is holding its annual fund-raising appeal. The Foundation has added the capability of making a secure donation, via its website, for the first time.

The Foundation holds only one annual fund-raising campaign. Those wishing to donate by check to the Foundation's current annual appeal may send their contribution to: Westfield Foundation, P.O. Box 2295, Westfield, N.J. 07091. For more information about the Westfield Foundation, visit the Foundation website at thewestfieldfoundation.com.

Anyone with questions about making a donation or interested in creating a "family legacy" that would benefit the community for years to come may contact Betsy Chance, executive director, at (908) 233-9787 or by e-mail to foundation@westfieldnj.com.

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## Literacy New Jersey To Begin Tutor Training

CRANFORD — Literacy New Jersey (LNJ) will offer its Winter 2019 Tutor Training classes beginning at the end of January. The program consists of six workshops that will provide trainees with the tools and strategies necessary for working with adults in one of three categories: English As A Second Language, High School Equivalency, and Basic Skills.

The six required sessions will take place as follows: Thursday, January 31, 7 to 9:30 p.m.; Tuesday, February 5, 7 to 9:30 p.m.; Thursday, February 7, 7 to 9:30 p.m.; Tuesday, February 12, 7 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, February 16, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and Wednesday, March 13, 7 to 9:30 p.m.

The classes on January 31, February 5, February 7 and March 13 will be held at the Cranford Community Center, located at 220 Walnut Avenue, Cranford. The February 12 class will take place at Summit High School on Kent Place Boulevard in Summit, and the February 16 class will take place at the Elizabeth Public Library, 11 South Broad Street, Elizabeth.

After completing the training sessions, tutors are matched with a small group of students from the

growing waiting list of adults who need to improve their literacy skills. Tutors meet with their students in a public place, usually a Union County library, for two hours each week. Once they have met with their students, tutors will be asked to come back for a sixth session. New volunteers are asked to make a commitment of at least 50 hours.

LNJ provides ongoing supervision and support to tutors in the form of free Professional Development workshops on specific topics such as Health Literacy, Learning Disabilities and ESL Conversation and Small Group Instruction.

To volunteer, individuals must be at least 18 years old, able to speak and read English and willing to tutor in Union County. Tutors do not need to have any teaching experience and do not need to speak a foreign language. The training will provide volunteers with techniques and strategies for working with adult learners, as well as sample instructional materials and activities.

There is a \$45 non-refundable registration fee to cover the cost of books and materials. For more information, or to register, call Literacy New Jersey at (908) 486-1777 or email nlama@literacynj.org.



Photo courtesy of Tom Krantz

SHOW OF SUPPORT...Roger Bernier, Chelsea Senior Living president and chief operating officer, right, presents a symbolic check for \$32,937.46 to Ken Zaentz, president and chief executive officer of Alzheimer's New Jersey, at the Chelsea corporate headquarters in Fanwood. The donation represented Chelsea's year-long fund-raising drive. Alzheimer's New Jersey is a non-profit supporting individuals with Alzheimer's disease and their families.

## Chelsea Raises Over \$32K For Alzheimer's New Jersey

FANWOOD — Chelsea Senior Living capped a year-long fund-raising drive January 9 by presenting a check for \$32,937.46 to Alzheimer's New Jersey, a non-profit supporting individuals with Alzheimer's disease and their families.

Roger Bernier, Chelsea president and chief operating officer, presented the check to Ken Zaentz, president and chief executive officer of Alzheimer's New Jersey, at the Chelsea corporate headquarters in Fanwood. Chelsea's 17 properties in New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania all provide specialized services to individuals with Alzheimer's and other memory impairments.

"We are proud of our association with Alzheimer's New Jersey," said Mr. Bernier. "It provides a spectrum of support services that make lives a little bit easier for those affected by this devastating disease."

Chelsea communities engage in

year-long fund-raising activities including bake sales, tricky tray auctions, T-shirt sales and many other events. The campaign is capped in the fall by the annual Lace Race, a walk-a-thon held in Thompson Park in Jamesburg that brings in additional funds.

### Library Slates Event With GSE Jan. 24

CRANFORD — The Cranford Public Library will host a workshop with Garden State Equality on Thursday, January 24, at 6 p.m. The topic of this workshop will be "Creating Safe and Affirming Communities for Transgender Youth."

Garden State Equality is the largest LGBT advocacy organization in the state and collaborates with community partners to bring training programs like this one statewide. Garden State Equality is responsible for assisting in the passing of 216 laws since its founding in 2004 to protect and give rights to LGBTQIA+ individuals, including the most comprehensive anti-bullying laws in the nation.

Teens and adults are invited to attend this workshop. Admission to the program is free and all are welcome. This program will be held at the Cranford Community Center, located at 220 Walnut Avenue. To see other upcoming programs, go to cranfordlibrary.org and click on Calendar or Upcoming Events.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### TOWN OF WESTFIELD BOARD OF HEALTH

Public notice is hereby given that an Ordinance entitled "Ordinance Amending Section 5-13 of the Health Code of the Town of Westfield" of which the following is a copy was introduced, read and passed on first reading by the Westfield Board of Health at a regular meeting held on January 7, 2019. The Board of Health will further consider the same for final passage on February 4, 2019 at 5:30 P.M. The meeting will be held in the Council Conference Room of the Westfield Municipal Building located at 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey at which time and place members of the public will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said ordinance.

Megan Avallone, Board Secretary

#### ORDINANCE NO. 01-2019

#### "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 5-13 OF THE HEALTH CODE OF THE TOWN OF WESTFIELD."

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE TOWN OF WESTFIELD, as follows:

I. Subsection 1(b) of ARTICLE V, Food and Drink, Section 5-13, Licensing; fees, shall be modified as follows:

B. Fees in accordance with the following schedule shall be paid before any license required in this article shall be issued, except that payment of a fee may be waived by the Board of Health at its discretion for any municipal facility, church, school or building which does not receive any remuneration for the dispensing of food or drink upon receipt of a written application for fee waiver from the person conducting, maintaining or operating such an establishment:

License Type:	Fee
Retail food establishments (food — stores 9,999 square feet or less)	\$150.00
Retail food establishments (food — stores 10,000 square feet or more)	\$375.00
Restaurants, 1 to 49 seats	\$450.00
Restaurants, 50 or more seats	\$375.00
Retail food establishments (Risk Type 1)	\$100.00
Retail food establishments (Risk Type 2)	\$200.00
Retail food establishments (Risk Type 3)	\$300.00
Retail food establishments (Risk Type 4)	\$400.00
Milk license (set by State Statute)	\$5.00
Mobile food license	\$100.00
Food vending machines	\$50.00
Temporary license (single event up to 24 hours)	\$75.00
Temporary license (single event up to 48 hours)	\$125.00
Temporary license (annual permit for all events)	\$125.00
Farmer's Market	\$100.00

Non-profit organizations must obtain a license annually. The fee may be waived on application to the Board for a waiver of the licensing fee based on non-profit status.

II. If any section, paragraph, subparagraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the specific section, paragraph, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective immediately after publication in the manner provided by law.

III. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately after publication in the manner provided by law.

Strikethrough sections to be deleted. Underlined sections to be added.  
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Fee: \$95.88

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### TOWN OF WESTFIELD NEW JERSEY

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 2123

#### AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING 603 CLARK STREET, SHOWN ON THE TOWN TAX MAPS AS BLOCK 808, LOT 26 AS A HISTORIC LANDMARK AND MODIFYING THE ZONING MAP

WHEREAS, by application to the Westfield Historic Preservation Commission, Robert L. and Pamela R. Newell, request to deem the property located at 603 Clark Street a historic landmark, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions contained within the Historic Designation and Preservation Ordinance of the Town of Westfield, the Historic Preservation Commission gave full and complete consideration to the petition for historic designation of the property; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Commission held a public hearing on October 29, 2018 on the proposed historic designation of the property where all those who desired to be heard were heard; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Commission adopted Resolution Number 18-01 which sets forth its findings of fact, describes the public input received during the public hearing, and provides its rationale for its final decision on the historic designation which is to approve the application for historic preservation designation of 603 Clark Street, shown on the Town Tax Maps as Block 808, Lot 26; and

WHEREAS, at a public meeting held on December 17, 2018, the Town Planning Board reviewed the proposed designation pursuant to the Historic Designation and Preservation Ordinance of the Town of Westfield and New Jersey Municipal Land Use Law Section 40:55D-26 and found that designation of 603 Clark Street, shown on the Town Tax Maps as Block 808, Lot 26 would be consistent with the Historic Preservation Element of the Town Master Plan and the goals and objectives contained within the Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Town Planning Board also recommends that the Historic Preservation Ordinance, Subsection 14 be amended to include property at 603 Clark Street, shown on the Town Tax Maps as Block 808, Lot 26, and the Zoning Map be amended to identify the property as a designated historic site.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union and the State of New Jersey, as follows:

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### SECTION I. The Zoning Map shall be and is hereby amended and supplemented by identifying the following property as shown on the Official Tax Maps of the Town of Westfield as a Historic Preservation Designated Site:

Block	Lot	Address
808	26	603 Clark Street

SECTION II. Article III of the Land Use Ordinance, titled the Historic Designation and Preservation Ordinance of the Town of Westfield is hereby amended by adding a new Subsection 14.L., to read in its entirety as follows:

L. The private residence owned at the time of its designation by Robert L. and Pamela R. Newell located at 603 Clark Street, Westfield, New Jersey known as Lot 26, block 808 on the tax maps, being originally built about 1890 and being a fine example of the half-timbered variety of the Queen Anne architectural style.

The Historic Preservation Commission shall be permitted to place an appropriate notation and plaque on said property indicating its historic landmark status.

SECTION III. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with any part of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent that they are in conflict or inconsistent.

SECTION IV. In the event that any section, provision, or part of provision of this ordinance shall be held to be unenforceable or invalid by any court, such holding shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof, other than the part so held unenforceable or invalid.

SECTION V. This ordinance shall take effect after passage and publication in the manner provided by law.

### NOTICE

The foregoing ordinance was introduced at a Regular Meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Westfield held on January 15, 2019 and was read for the first time. This ordinance will be further considered for final passage by said Town Council at the Westfield Municipal Building, Council Chambers, 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey 07090 at a meeting beginning at 8:00 PM to be held on February 12, 2019 or at any time and place to which such meeting may be adjourned. All persons interested will be given the opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance. Copies of this ordinance are available at the Office of the Town Clerk, Westfield Municipal Building, 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey 07090.

Tara Rowley, RMC  
Town Clerk  
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