



Jeffrey Pereira and Miss Heather White

Miss Heather White To Wed Jeffrey Pereira

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. White, Jr. of Cranford have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Heather White of Cranford, to Jeffrey Pereira of Westfield. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Pereira, also of Westfield. The bride-elect graduated from Cranford High School in 1997 and from Chubb Institute of New Brunswick in 1999. She is employed as an account specialist with Micro Strategies in Denville.

Her fiancé, a 1993 graduate of Westfield High School, earned his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communications from Ramapo College in

1997. He is a sales representative for Kraft/Nabisco in Edison. The couple will be married in August of next year.

Hypertension Clinic Set For October 19

SCOTCH PLAINS - The Township of Scotch Plains' monthly Hypertension (high blood pressure) Clinic will be held at the Municipal Building, 430 Park Avenue, from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday, October 19, in conjunction with the township's Annual Health Fair.

Westfield Y's Men's Club To Host Halloween Parade

WESTFIELD - The Westfield Y's Men's Club will host its 42nd annual Halloween Parade and Costume Contest on Sunday, October 27. The parade has supplied families of the community with fond memories for over 40 years.

Children and parents wishing to participate in this year's festivities should gather at the Elm Street Field in Westfield at 12:45 p.m. The judging of costumes will take place between 12:45 p.m. and 1:15 p.m. and free treat bags will be given to the children participating.

The parade will begin at 1:15 p.m. from the Elm Street Field and travel up Elm and East Broad Streets and into Mindowaskin Park. The parade will be led by the Westfield Fire Department's Super Truck and the Westfield

High School Marching Band. Awards will be given following the parade at the gazebo in Mindowaskin Park. Ribbons will be awarded for first, second and third places for each age group. For groups of five or more there will be cash prizes awarded for first (\$35), second (\$25) and third (\$15). Children of all ages up through fifth grade may participate.

The club is a nonprofit organization best known for its Christmas Tree Sale at the Elm Street Field between Thanksgiving and Christmas. The funds generated by the tree sale are donated to a wide variety of community organizations.

The Y's Men's Club is always looking for new members to join its ranks. Anyone interested should contact the YMCA of Westfield for more details.

Woman to Woman to Host Coffee for Moms

MOUNTAINSIDE - The founders of *Woman to Woman*, a local newsletter for mothers in its third year of publication, has invited all area mothers to a "Coffee and Conversation" event on Sunday, October 20, from 3 to 5 p.m. at the MountainSide home of Christine Spear.

The event will be an informal dialogue addressing the issues mothers face about whether to stay at home with their children, or return to work, and if so, what form that work should take. Attendees are invited to share concerns and learn how other mothers are handling their situations.

The mission of *Woman to Woman* is to provide women, especially mothers, with information, resources, tips and ideas on maintaining their individuality and increasing their self-esteem as they juggle their busy lives.

For more information, reservations and directions, please call (908) 301-0190, (908) 654-0394 or (973) 969-4985, or e-mail info@silkpurseformothers.com. There is a \$10 registration fee.

Library Plans Classes On Uses of Internet

WESTFIELD - The Westfield Memorial Library will present a two-part class entitled "Introduction to Email...the Basics" on Wednesday and Friday, October 16 and 18, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. each day.

Assistance with setting up an email account will be included. Participants must attend both sessions and experience with a computer mouse is a prerequisite.

A second class, "Still Puzzled by the Internet?" will be held on Tuesday, October 22, from 10 a.m. to noon. The class will cover basic skills such as search strategies, selecting a search engine and printing online.

Attendees must be Westfield Library cardholders and advance registration is required. All classes will be held at the library, located at 550 East Broad Street. For more information or to register, please call the Reference Department at (908) 789-4090.



OFFICERS AND FRIENDS...Officers of the Friends of the Westfield Library for 2002-2003 gather to review the group's upcoming activities. They are, pictured left to right: Seated, Fran Lemberg, Recording Secretary; Eleanor Senus, President, and Colleen Bodayla, Vice President, and standing, Kristen Fitzpatrick, Treasurer; Jane Bischoff, Assistant Treasurer, and Carolyn Pulliam, Corresponding Secretary.

Westfield Library Friends Reveal 2002-2003 Officers

WESTFIELD - The Friends of the Westfield Library recently elected officers for 2002-2003.

They include Eleanor Senus, President; Colleen Bodayla, Vice-President; Fran Lemberg, Recording Secretary; Carolyn Pulliam, Corresponding Secretary; Kristen Fitzpatrick, Treasurer, and Jane Bischoff, Assistant Treasurer.

A non-profit organization, the Friends are celebrating 30 years of assistance to the Westfield Memorial Library and the community.

In addition to the more than

\$300,000 provided to the library, the group sponsors free programs for children and adults, trips to the opera and ballet and Books-On-Wheels for the homebound.

It also offers a book discussion group that is open to all, a yearly award to a person or group that contributes to the library, several trips and an annual spring book sale.

New members are always welcome. Interested individuals may find out more information at the library, located at 550 East Broad Street.

Mel Ehrin to Perform at Next WF Woman's Club Meeting

WESTFIELD - The Woman's Club of Westfield will begin its Fall program with a meeting at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, October 14, at the First Congregational Church, 125 Elmer Street in Westfield.

Following the general meeting, well-known entertainer Mel Ehrin will entertain the members and their guests with his stand-up comedy routine, along with renditions of favorite tunes on the piano. Mr. Ehrin makes his piano come alive playing one tune while singing another at the same time.

As an artist, Mr. Ehrin is in the tradition of Victor Borge and Mark Russell. He flavors his background of serious music with wit and comedy.

Mr. Ehrin lives in Rydal, Pa. and has brought his unique brand of music and comedy to Plam Springs, Maui, the Trump Plaza, Banff, Canada, college campuses and conventions.

Guests are invited to participate

and should call (908) 654-3946 for further information. The tea following Mr. Ehrin's performance will be presented by the members of the Home Live/Social Services Department under the direction of Dorothy Hulsart.

Realtors Encourage Residents to Participate In Annual Coat Drive

WESTFIELD - The ninth annual coat drive, sponsored by the Community Service Committee of the Greater Union County Association of Realtors, will be held from Monday, October 21, to Thursday, October 31.

Men's, women's and children's styles and sizes of coats and jackets are welcome. They will be given to local families and charitable agencies throughout Union County.

Coats and wraps may be brought to the Greater Union County Association of Realtors office, located at 767 Central Avenue in Westfield. Office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. from Monday through Friday. All items should be clean and in wearable condition.

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