



READY TO GO...Many Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School students are hoping for the creation of a varsity ice hockey team. Pictured, left to right, are: front row; Michael Kitts and Keith Facer; middle row, Charlie Fields, Vincent Pulleo, Danny Jones, Jeremy Kaufman and Tyler Mathern; back row, Max Jones, Rich Kickenwitz, George Helock, Chris Bauer, Alex Bromley, Martin Anderson, Dan Long, Nick Rykassen and Brian Jascur.

### GL Lax Club Offers Wine Tasting Event

The parents of the Governor Livingston High School Lacrosse Club, with the assistance of the Berkeley Wine Company, will sponsor a wine tasting event on Friday, April 1. The cost will be \$50 per person at the door and the event will feature affordable wines from around the globe as well as a raffle of magnificent gifts.

This year's boys' and girls' teams are among the largest at Governor Livingston. Unfortunately, the teams are not funded by the school district and funds are needed to cover expenses. For more information, please call (908) 608-0021.

### SP-F's Hessemer Helps Susquahanna Swim Team

SELINS GROVE, PA. - Junior Allison Hessemer, a Scotch Plains-Fanwood High school graduate, was a member of the Susquahanna University women's swimming team, which recently finished seventh at the 2005 Middle Atlantic Conference championships at Wilkes-Barre.

Hessemer competed in five different events during the season. Her best regular-season times in each were: 28.63 (50 freestyle), 1:03.31 (100 free), 1:18.51 (100 breast-stroke), 2:52.89 (200 breast) and 2:35.56 (200 individual medley).

## WF Masters Swimmers Make Waves at Holiday Classic

WESTFIELD - In its inaugural effort, the Westfield Master Swimmers led by Heidi Remak-Ziff, Daniel Moore and Tom Welchans, swam to victory in the Holiday Classic at the College of New Jersey on December 11, 2004 against established statewide competition.

Mrs. Ziff set a NJ Local Masters Women's 50-54 short-course meters record with her 50M Free time of 33.06, as well as won the 100M free (1:15.36) and 100M IM (1:30.61). Mr. Moore took first in Men's 35-39 50M back (32.37) and second in the 100M IM (1:11.00). Mr. Welchans took first in both the Men's 35-39

50M free (26.65) and 100M fly (1:09.32). He finished third in the 100M free (1:00.65).

The Westfield Masters meet weekly at the Westfield YMCA and welcome master swimmers of all abilities and ages who wish to train and compete. In addition to formal workouts and stroke training they offer a free informal masters swimming email group. Members get email about swimming events and informal workout times. They can be reached at westfieldmasters-subscribe@yahoogroups.com or contact the YMCA at (908) 233-2700.



SWIMMERS TAKE UP THEIR MARK...The Westfield Master Swimmers, led by Heidi Remak-Ziff, center, Daniel Moore, left, and Tom Welchans swam to victory in the Holiday Classic at the College of New Jersey on December 11, 2004 against established statewide competition.

### NJ Jackals Announce Pro Baseball Tryout

MONTCLAIR - The New Jersey Jackals are calling out to all baseball players with college or professional experience to try-out for the 2005 Jackals team on Tuesday, May 10, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Yogi Berra Stadium. Players are required to register. They can do so by contacting Matt Abel at (973) 655-8009 or matt@jackals.com. There is a \$25 fee to participate in the tryout and players are required to bring all necessary equipment.

As part of the Can-Am League, the Jackals play the Bangor Lumberjacks, Brockton Rox, Elmira Pioneers, New Haven County Cutters, North Shore Spirit, Les Capitales de Quebec and the newest team to the league, the Worcester Tornadoes.

The Jackals begin their season on the road on May 26 and will kick off their home season on June 2.

### St. Bart's Announces Softball Draft Night

What separates the St. Bartholomew Men's Oldtimers softball league from others in the area is that new teams are chosen each year. This makes it easy to meet the 150 players, in what sometimes seems more like a "fraternity" than a softball league. This year's player draft will be held on April 19 at 7 p.m. at the St. Bartholomew School Cafeteria, on the lower level.

This year, rosters will return to 15 players per team. There are no rule changes for 2005. Sunday practices at Forest Road Park at 10 a.m. begin on April 3. The practices are open to all St. Bart's players, including rookies.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS NOTICE OF PENDING BOND ORDINANCE AND SUMMARY

The bond ordinance, the summary terms of which are included herein, was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, on March 22, 2005. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of the Township Council to be held at its meeting room in the Township Hall, 430 Park Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey, on April 12, 2005 at 8:00 P.M. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours, at the Clerk's office for the members of the general public who shall request the same. The summary of the terms of such bond ordinance follows:

**TITLE: BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS AND ENHANCEMENTS TO THE SCOTCH PLAINS PUBLIC LIBRARY IN, BY AND FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$825,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS.**

**Purpose(s):** Undertaking of various improvements and enhancements to the Scotch Plains Public Library in, by and for the Township, including, but not limited to, roof replacement, window replacement and installation of new railings and other handicapped access improvements. Said improvements shall include all work, materials and appearances necessary and suitable therefor.

**Appropriation:** \$825,000  
**Bonds/Notes Authorized:** \$785,700  
**Grants (if any) Appropriated:** -0-  
**Section 20 Costs:** \$50,000  
**Useful Life:** 15 years

This Notice is published pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-17.

Barbara Riepe  
Township Clerk  
Township of Scotch Plains  
County of Union  
State of New Jersey

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John Mancini



LEAGUE BASKETBALL CHAMPS...The St. Helen's sixth grade boys basketball team recently won the Metuchen Parish League Tournament Championship. Pictured, left to right, are: bottom row; Ryan Heine, Matt Hartzell, Mac Dolan, Danny Morgan, Zack Cornwell and TJ Noonan; top row, Coach Brian Noonan, Ryan Hess, John Serzan, Matt LaBau, Sean Siburn, Nick Matthews and Coach Mark Hartzell.

### St. Helen's 8th Boys Wind Down Season

The St. Helen's eighth grade boys basketball team knocked off Our Lady of Peace to win the OLP Varsity League Playoff Championship behind 16 points each from Tony Dilorio and Matt Isabella and 14 from Jimmy Reardon.

In IHM March Madness action, St. Helen's knocked off Our Lady of Sorrows as Dilorio tossed in 16 and Isabella and Reardon had 11 each. A short-handed St. Helen's squad fought hard but was eliminated from the IHM March Madness by South Orange despite a 40-point performance from Reardon. Brett DeFazio had an outstanding defensive effort to keep St. Helen's in the game.

In North Brunswick March Madness action, St. Helen's beat East Brunswick. Isabella netted 19 points, Kevin Boyle sank 16 and Dilorio scored 13. St. Helen's also knocked off Freehold behind Boyle's 29 points and Chris Sheehan's 23.

### St. Helen's 6th Grabs Boys Hoops Crown

St. Helen's sixth grade "A" boys basketball team beat St. James of Basking Ridge to capture the Metuchen Parish League Tournament Basketball Championship. St. Helen's also won the Metuchen regular-season crown by posting a 9-1 (loss due to forfeit) record in league play.

Nick Matthews was awarded the Most Valuable Player Award for the tournament. St. Helen's has posted an impressive record this season by winning 32 of 39 games played. St. Helen's also won the regular season title of the Union County CYO league and is currently playing in the finals of the Union County league tournament.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, held in the Council Chambers in the Municipal Building of said Township on Tuesday, March 22, 2005, there was introduced, read for the first time, and passed on such first reading, the following ordinance:

#### ORDINANCE BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS AMENDING SECTION 20-20.15 OF THE TOWNSHIP ORDINANCES TO AMEND AND MODIFY MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SCOTCH PLAINS FIRE DEPARTMENT

**PURPOSE:** To now permit membership to certain non-residents who live within 5 mile radius of the Fire Station to which they will be assigned, to permit immediate transfers of residents from other fire departments, thus, eliminating the requirement to obtain 6 month residency within the Township to be a member, and to permit individuals who physically are employed within the Township boundaries to be eligible for membership. A public hearing for same will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2005 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building, or any time and place to which a meeting for the further consideration of such ordinance shall from time to time be adjourned, and all persons interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance.

A copy of same may be obtained from the office of the Township Clerk, 430 Park Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday by any member of the general public who wants a copy of same without cost.

BARBARA RIEPE  
Township Clerk  
Fee: \$42.33

1 T - 3/24/05, The Times Fee: \$42.33

### WEICHERT, REALTORS HONORS WESTFIELD OFFICE TEKEL NAMED MANAGER OF THE YEAR SILLETTI NAMED MENTOR OF THE YEAR

WESTFIELD, N.J. - March 15, 2005 - Larry Mueller, Regional Vice President, is pleased to announce that Harvey

Realtors (NAR) Circle of Excellence at the Bronze level for 2004. He also earned membership in Weichert's 2004

Executive Club, an honor that places him in the top five percent of the company's 13,700 sales associates. Invite the fine sales associates from Weichert's Westfield Office, has been named Manager of the Year and Frank Silletti, sales associate, has been named Mentor of the Year in the sales region for 2004.



Frank Silletti & Harvey Tekel

Both announcements were made at Weichert's Annual Awards Breakfast, held at the Parsippany Hilton on February 23, 2005.

In the five years that he has managed the office, Tekel has increased the number of sales associates from 30 to 90 full-time professionals. Under his leadership, the office achieved their most outstanding year in all categories in 2004.

"Harvey is a dedicated leader who works hard for each member of his team," said Mueller. "He has the knowledge, experience and professionalism that bring results for our customers, the Westfield Office and the entire Weichert Family of Companies." Silletti was also honored for earning places in Weichert's 2004 Million Dollar Sales and Marketed Clubs, and the New Jersey Association of

Executive Club, an honor that places him in the top five percent of the company's 13,700 sales associates.

Invite the fine sales associates from Weichert's Westfield

Office in to learn about the real estate services that Weichert has to offer. They can be reached for real estate at (908) 654-7777, located at 185 Elm St.

Weichert, based in Morris Plains, N.J., has more than 14,300 sales associates in nearly 320 company-owned and franchised sales offices in key markets throughout the U.S. A family of full-service real estate and financial services companies, Weichert helps customers buy and sell both residential and commercial real estate, and streamlines the delivery of mortgages and home and title insurance. For more information, call Weichert's customer service center at 1-800-USA SOLD or visit Weichert's Web site, [www.weichert.com](http://www.weichert.com). Each Weichert franchised office is independently owned and operated.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL

Take notice that on March 7, 2005 a change occurred in the ownership of Charlie Brown's Restaurant Corp. trading as Charlie Brown's Steakhouse holder of Plenary Retail Consumption License #2016-33-012-006 for premises located at 2376 North Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey 07076 resulting in the following persons having an interest in this license: Charlie Brown's Acquisition Corp., sole stockholder/member; Russell D'Antoni, President; John Augustine, Executive Vice President; Ronald Solitis, Assistant Secretary; Michael Mulligan Vice President Food & Beverage; CB Holding Corp.; Trimiran Capital Partners; Allen Bernstein; Dean Kehler; Andrew Heyer; William Phoenix and Steven Flyer.

Any information concerning the qualifications of any of the above current stockholders should be communicated in writing to Barbara Riepe, Municipal Clerk, Municipal Building, 430 Park Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey 07076.

Charlie Brown's Restaurant Corp.  
c/o Charlie Brown's, Inc.  
1450 US Highway 22 West  
Mountainside, New Jersey 07092  
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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY CHANCERY DIVISION UNION COUNTY

DOCKET NO. F-6461-04  
FILE NO. 4373-01R

#### NOTICE TO REDEEM

FISH TWO ACQUISITIONS L.L.C. PLAINTIFF VS. VIOLET MITCHELL A/K/A VIOLET TAYLOR, HER HEIRS, DEVISEES AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND THEIR OR ANY OF THEIR SUCCESSORS IN RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST; STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEFENDANTS(S)

TO: VIOLET MITCHELL A/K/A VIOLET TAYLOR, HER HEIRS, DEVISEES AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND THEIR OR ANY OF THEIR SUCCESSORS IN RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an order made on MARCH 1, 2005, the Superior Court Fixed APRIL 15, 2005 between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, prevailing time, at the office of the Tax Collector of PLAINFIELD, located at 515 WATCHUNG AVENUE, PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY 07061, as the time and place when and where you may pay to the plaintiff the amount so found due for principal and interest on its certificate of tax sale as follows:

TAX SALE CERTIFICATE #980639, covering LOT 13 BLOCK 603 on the tax duplicate of PLAINFIELD. Total amount required to redeem is \$23,685.95, together with interest from AUGUST 26, 2004 and costs.

And that unless, at the same time and place, you or one of you redeem by paying the aforesaid sum so found due to plaintiff, then you, and each of you shall be debarred and foreclosed of and from all right and equity of redemption of, in and to the lands and premises above set out and described in the complaint and every part thereof, and that the plaintiff be vested with an absolute and indefeasible estate of inheritance in fee simple in said lands and premises.

Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, redemption shall be permitted until the entry of final judgment including the whole of the last date upon which judgment is entered.

Michael G. Pellegrino, Esq.  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
CASALE & PELLEGRINO, L.L.C.  
One Gatehall Drive  
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054  
1 T - 3/24/05, The Leader Fee: \$54.06

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY CHANCERY DIVISION UNION COUNTY

DOCKET NO. F-16768-04  
FILE NO. 8624-04

#### NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANT (L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: ALFRED L. RIDDICK; MRS. ALFRED L. RIDDICK, WIFE OF ALFRED L. RIDDICK;

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon CASALE & PELLEGRINO, LLC, plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is GATEHALL 1, PARSIPPANY, NEW JERSEY 07054, an Answer to the Complaint filed in a Civil Action, in which S2 SUNSET PARTNERSHIP is the plaintiff and ALFRED L. RIDDICK, ET ALS; are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, UNION County and bearing Docket No. F-16768-04 within thirty-five (35) days after March 24, 2005 exclusive of such date. If you fail to answer or appear in accordance with Rule 4:4-6, Judgment by Default may be rendered against you for relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your Answer and Proof of Service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex - CN 971, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and Procedure.

You are further advised that if you are unable to obtain an attorney you may communicate with the Lawyer Referral Service of the County of Venue and that if you cannot afford an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services Office of the County of Venue. The telephone number of such agencies are as follows: Lawyer Referral Service 908-353-4715 - Legal Services Office 908-354-4340.

THE ACTION has been instituted for the purpose of foreclosing the following tax sale certificates: 1. A certain tax certificate 95-206, recorded on 4/5/1995, made by SALLY A.D.I. RINI, C.T.C., Collector of Taxes of PLAINFIELD, and State of New Jersey to GTL INVESTMENTS L.P. and subsequently assigned to plaintiff, S2 SUNSET PARTNERSHIP. This covers real estate located in PLAINFIELD, County of UNION, and State of New Jersey, known as LOT 8 BLOCK 149 as shown on the Tax Assessment Map and Tax Map duplicate of PLAINFIELD and concerns premises commonly known as 1608 W 3RD STREET, PLAINFIELD, New Jersey. 2. A certain tax certificate 97-148, recorded on 8/15/1997, made by DAVID MARSHALL, Collector of Taxes of PLAINFIELD, and State of New Jersey to BCIC FUNDING CORPORATION and subsequently assigned to plaintiff, S2 SUNSET PARTNERSHIP. This covers real estate located in PLAINFIELD, County of UNION, and State of New Jersey, known as LOT 8 BLOCK 149 as shown on the Tax Assessment Map and Tax Map duplicate of PLAINFIELD and concerns premises commonly known as 1608 W 3RD STREET, PLAINFIELD, New Jersey.

YOU, ALFRED L. RIDDICK, are made party defendant to the above foreclosure action because you are the owner of a property which is the subject of the above entitled action.

YOU, MRS. ALFRED L. RIDDICK, WIFE OF ALFRED L. RIDDICK, are made party defendant to the above foreclosure action because plaintiff has been unable to determine whether defendant ALFRED L. RIDDICK is married, and if married, the name of ALFRED L. RIDDICK's spouse. If ALFRED L. RIDDICK is married, the plaintiff joins MRS. ALFRED L. RIDDICK, WIFE OF ALFRED L. RIDDICK as a defendant for any possessory or marital rights you may have.

DATED: March 15, 2005  
Donald F. Phelan,  
Clerk of the Superior Court  
of New Jersey

CASALE & PELLEGRINO, L.L.C.  
1 Gatehall Drive  
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054  
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