

## Winners of Cranford DAR Essay Contest Set Record

CRANFORD — The Cranford Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) awarded prizes to 12 2014 American History Essay Contest winners at the close of the school year. Four students also won in the state level NJ DAR contest, more than any other DAR chapter in New Jersey. Statewide there were 1,476 essays from 49 participating schools.

"The students seemed to enjoy the required topic, 'The Lives of Children During the American Revolution.' They used creativity, understanding of and insight into various hardships families endured," said Barbara Krause, essay contest chairwoman. The judges praised excellent writing skills that were very improved over previous years.

Each essay was read and scored by three non-DAR judges at the local and state level. Cranford had a total of 180 entries in grades 5 through 8, and 50 students scored 90 and above. The first-place Cranford winners received a DAR History Medal. State winners, along with their parents, were honored at a NJ DAR award luncheon in April in Princeton.

"We appreciate the hard work and

enthusiasm of the students and teachers to bring such excellent results," said Mary Leonard, essay contest co-chairwoman. "We are proud of all our participants."

The winners at each grade level were:

Grade 5: First Place — Kate Bracke, Saint Michael School, also Honorable Mention NJ DAR; Second Place — Caitlin Turner, Saint Michael School, and Third Place — Alexa Joy, Saint Michael School.

Grade 6: First Place — Claire Callahan, Orange Avenue School, also Second Place NJ DAR; Second Place — Alexis Brophy, Orange Avenue School, and Third Place — Allison Licks, Orange Avenue School.

Grade 7: First Place — Alexa Aduabato, Saint Michael School, also Honorable Mention NJ DAR; Second Place — Claire Shubeck, Saint Michael School, and Third Place — Lauren Sillito, Saint Michael School.

Grade 8: First Place — Sara Ferro, Saint Michael School, also Second Place NJ DAR; Second Place — William Lentz, Orange Avenue School, and Third Place — Katherine Stoeche, Orange Avenue School.



MR. AND MRS. BRADFORD DEVENS  
(She is the former Miss Christina Hamway)

## Miss Christina Hamway Weds Bradford Devens

Miss Christina Marie Hamway, the daughter of Dr. Donald and Jeanne Fedoryk of Mountaintopside and Dr. Timothy Hamway of Westfield, was married on Saturday, July 12, to Bradford Eduardo Coria Devens. He is the son of Ms. Carla Coria of Buenos Aires, Argentina and Mr. William Devens of Chicago.

The evening ceremony and reception took place at the Molly Pitcher Inn in Red Bank, with the Reverend Brooks Smith officiating, and the bride given in marriage by her mother and father. The couple met five years ago while working together at the Soho store of Ralph Lauren, and they were surrounded at the wedding by many friends from the company.

Miss Erin Goldberger of Brooklyn, N.Y. was the maid of honor for

her high school girlfriend. Taylor Devens of San Francisco was the best man for his brother. Jack Hamway, brother of the bride, was the ring bearer.

A 2004 graduate of Westfield High School, the bride earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism from Boston University in 2008. She is still employed by Ralph Lauren in New York.

The bridegroom, a 1999 graduate of Ridgefield High School in Ridgefield, Conn., earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from the University of Connecticut. He is happily employed at Brunello Cucinelli in New York.

Following a honeymoon trip to Europe, the couple resides in Manhattan.



WINNING ESSAYISTS...Mary Leonard, Cranford Daughters of the American Revolution Essay Contest co-chairwoman, congratulates winners at Saint Michael School. Pictured with her, from left to right, are: Alexa Joy, Caitlin Turner, Katharine Bracke, Alexa Aduabato, Lauren Sillito, Claire Shubeck and Principal Sandy Miragliotta. Absent was Sara Ferro.

## Echo Lake Church Announces VBS

WESTFIELD — The Echo Lake Church of Christ has announced that its Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2014, open to youngsters age 3 and up, will take place on Saturday, August 2, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

This year's VBS will focus on the "Bee-attitudes" (Matthew 5:3-12). Activities will include skits, singing, games, Bible lessons, crafts, lunch, snacks and the opportunity to make new friends. A discussion group for adults also will be offered.

The Echo Lake Church of Christ is located at 419 Springfield Avenue, at the corner of East Broad Street and Springfield Avenue, in Westfield. To register, call (908) 233-4946.

See it all on the Web!  
[www.goleader.com](http://www.goleader.com)

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.: CH-14003219  
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
CHANCERY DIVISION  
UNION COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. F-035505-13  
Plaintiff: ALLY BANK

VS.  
Defendant: IRVIN M. FIELD AND ELEN F. FIELD, HIS WIFE; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR QUICKBORNS LOANS INC., ITS SUCCESSORS AND/OR ASSIGNS

Sale Date: 08/06/2014  
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETH-TOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The judgment amount is: \*\*\*Seven Hundred Seven Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Four and 72/100\*\*\* \$707,424.72.

Property to be sold is located in: Town of Westfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey. Premises Commonly Known as: 52 Normandy Drive, Westfield, New Jersey 07090  
Tax Lot #23, Block #4601  
Nearest Cross Street: Rahway Avenue  
Approximate Dimensions: 80 x 113  
Total Upset: \*\*\*Seven Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Six and 9/100\*\*\* \$723,636.95 together with lawful interest and costs.

The sale is subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments, tax, water, and sewer liens and other municipal assessments. The amount due can be obtained from the local taxing authority. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 46:8B-21 the sale may also be subject to the limited lien priority of any Condominium/Homeowner Association liens which may exist.

All interested parties are to conduct and rely upon their own independent investigation to ascertain whether or not any outstanding interests remain of record and/or have priority over the lien being foreclosed and, if so, the current amount due thereon. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall only be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.  
The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale for any length of time without further advertisement.

Ralph Froehlich  
Sheriff

Attorney: MILSTEAD & ASSOCIATES, LLC  
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4 T - 07/10, 07/17, 07/24 & 08/13/14 Fee: \$199.92

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

SHERIFF'S FILE NO.: CH-14003291  
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
CHANCERY DIVISION  
UNION COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. F-024664-13  
Plaintiff: FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION

VS.  
Defendant: KARINE ERAMILE, RESERVE AT SCOTCH PLAINS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

Sale Date: 08/13/2014  
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The judgment amount is: \*\*\*Four Hundred Forty-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-One and 19/100\*\*\* \$448,661.19.

Municipality: Township of Scotch Plains  
Street Address: 1087 Donato Circle, Building 100, Unit D1, Scotch Plains, New Jersey 07076  
Tax Lot: 3 C0108, Tax Block: 4901.01  
Approximate Dimensions: Condominium Unit  
Total Upset: \*\*\*Four Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Four and 09/100\*\*\* \$458,854.09 together with lawful interest and costs.

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO.: CH-14003347  
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
CHANCERY DIVISION  
UNION COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. F-038243-13  
Plaintiff: CITIMORTGAGE, INC.

VS.  
Defendant: MADELINE R. GRAY, CITIBANK, FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK, LIBERTY HOME IMPROVEMENT

Sale Date: 08/20/2014  
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETH-TOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The judgment amount is: \*\*\*Two Hundred Twenty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Six and 1/100\*\*\* \$27,467.11.

Concise Statement of Description of Real Property to be Sold:  
Municipality: Scotch Plains Township  
County: Union  
State of New Jersey  
Street & Street No: 449 Farley Avenue  
Tax Block: 501, Tax Lot: 20  
Dimensions of Lot: 50 feet x 106.30 feet  
Nearest Cross Street: 139.64 feet from Northwesterly side line of East Second Street  
Superior Interests (if any):  
Scotch Plains Township holds a claim for taxes due and/or other municipal utilities such as water and/or sewer in the amount of \$377.78 as of 12/31/14.  
Total Upset: \*\*\*Two Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Six and 01/100\*\*\* \$236,596.01 together with lawful interest and costs.

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## 'Godfather's Daughter' Due At Scotch Plains Library

SCOTCH PLAINS — Rita Gigante, author of "The Godfather's Daughter," will appear at the Scotch Plains Public Library on Thursday, August 7, at 7 p.m.

Ms. Gigante is an inspirational speaker, writer and expert on healing and the power of forgiveness. She shares her personal journey to make peace with her family after learning her father was notorious crime boss Vincent "the Chin" Gigante.

Attendees will have an opportunity to meet Ms. Gigante and to hear her read from "The Godfather's Daughter: An Unlikely Story of Love, Healing and Redemption." The library will have copies of the book available for sale and signing.

This program will be free and open to all. Interested persons are encouraged to register through the library's website, [scotlib.org](http://scotlib.org); by calling (908) 322-5007, extension no. 204, or by e-mailing [library@scotlib.org](mailto:library@scotlib.org).

The Scotch Plains Public Library is located at 1927 Bartle Avenue, one block from Park Avenue, in the center of the township.

**Probitas Verus Honos**

## Imagine Seeks Volunteers For August Training Class

WESTFIELD — Imagine, a grief support center located in Westfield and serving all of Union County and beyond, will hold its next Volunteer Facilitator training program Friday through Monday, August 1 to August 4.

Imagine provides free, year-round, peer grief support programs for children and teens, ages 3 to 18, and young adults, ages 18 to 30, who are coping with loss due to the death of a parent or sibling and for families where a child or parent is living with illness. The program also provides separate support groups for the parents and guardians of the children served.

Support groups are facilitated by trained adult volunteers who attend a 32-hour training and quarterly continuing education programs. Volunteers come from all walks of life and need no special background other than a willingness to listen, a heart

inclined to serve, and the ability to be with children and adults in pain without trying to fix, solve or give advice. No prior experience is necessary. Volunteers must be age 21 or older.

"We needed to train more volunteers so we can start our fourth Night of Support starting this fall," said Mandi Zucker, Imagine program director. "Our programs are growing so quickly because of the great need in this community — over 700 children annually will lose a parent to death in Union County. Over 170 children and adults from 41 New Jersey towns are currently participating every two weeks at Imagine. It is essential we fill our August training so that we will not need to place families on a waiting list."

For more information, contact Ms. Zucker at (908) 264-3100 or [mandi@imaginej.org](mailto:mandi@imaginej.org), or visit the Imagine website at [imaginej.org](http://imaginej.org).

## Westfield Library Sets Date For The Libation Bearers

WESTFIELD — The Westfield Memorial Library will present *The Libation Bearers* on Wednesday, August 6, at 7 p.m., performed by The Shakespeare Theatre of New Jersey Next Stage Ensemble. The library is located at 550 East Broad Street.

*The Libation Bearers*, by Aeschylus, is a gripping Greek classic that has family secrets, powerful gods and bloody revenge colliding with one another. Many years after the brutal murder of his father, Orestes sneaks home to enact his revenge. With the aid of Electra, his sister, a plot is laid to ensnare those responsible for the death of Agamemnon, the king who famously conquered Troy. This tale of the House of Atreus will be directed by Awoye Timpo.

In residence on the campus of Drew University in Madison, The Shakespeare Theatre of New Jersey is one of 22 professional theatres in the state and New Jersey's only professional theatre company dedicated to Shakespeare's canon and other classic masterworks. Through its productions and education programs, the company strives to illuminate the universal and lasting relevance of the classics.

Due to the continuing popularity

of plays performed at the library, attendees must register to attend. Individuals may register online by visiting the Westfield Memorial Library website, [wmlnj.org](http://wmlnj.org), clicking on the Calendar tab and then finding August 6, or they may call (908) 789-4090, option 0.

MURAL cardholders must wait until Wednesday, July 30, to register for *The Libation Bearers*. MURAL cardholders belong to libraries that are part of the Middlesex Union Reciprocal Agreement Libraries. For participating libraries, check [wmlnj.org](http://wmlnj.org).

**SUBWAY Announces Grand Opening Event**

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