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Community **Mourns** Auciello

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Eugene F. Auciello, a member of the Gazette staff since day one. Gene passed on January 5, 2016 at the age of 96.

"On Gene, The Scene" developed a number of columns for the Gazette including the famous, "Name the Celebrity" column. He was the beloved husband of Rita E. (nee Kiel). Devoted father of Eugene P. (Jeanne), Susan Fidanza and Stephen. Loving grandfather of Stephanie, Marc, Amy, Vincent, Delina, Emily and Anthony. The family will receive friends Friday 3-5 and 7-9 pm. at McLaughlin Kramer Megiel Funeral Home 220 Glen Street, Glen Cove. Funeral Mass at the Church of St. Patrick Saturday 9:45 am. Interment Holy Rood Cemetery.

Glen Cove 2016 Inaugural Ceremony Council Member and Mayor Take Oath; Senator Schumer Recognizes Mayor's Accomplishments



Mayor Reggie Spinello is joined by his wife Coleen as he takes the oath of office administered by the Honorable Judge Paul (photos by Tabb Hauser) Meli

Roslyn Trinity Cooperative Day School Successful Coat Drive

In December, children from the Roslyn Trinity Cooperative Day School participated in the school's annual coat drive, which donates warm coats and jackets to the Interfaith Nutrition Network (INN), a non-profit organization that provides food and shelter to the homeless on Long Island. This year, Coop families also donated new pajamas to the organization. The children were so proud to add their donations to the ever growing pile of coats and pajamas, and parents and the school's staff were happy to provide the children with an

opportunity to learn about helping others and contributing to our community.

Throughout the year, the Roslyn Trinity Co-op provides a warm and nurturing preschool experience for children ages two to five years old. For more information or to schedule a tour, contact the director, Lindi Nubel, at (516) 621-3380 or visit www.roslyntrinitycoop.org. For further information about the INN and how to make your own contribution, please contact (516) 486-8506.



North Shore BOE/Town Meeting 2016-17 Initial Budget Presentation by Superintendent Melnick Thursday, January 14th, NS High School Library, 7:30 PM (Public Session)

Don't Miss Important Initial North Shore Schools Budget Presentation

There will be a North Shore Board of Education/Town Meeting on Thursday, January 14, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. at North Shore High School Library. At this important meeting Superintendent Dr. Edward Melnick will present the initial budget proposal for 2016-2017. At the town meeting, the public will have the opportunity to ask questions regarding this topic or any others. Also, on the agenda will be an IB Update.

Over the next couple of months, Trustees will then begin diligently reviewing the school budget. They strongly encourage all of our residents to get involved early, attend Board meetings, learn the facts, and stay informed. Please join us at upcoming BOE meetings on the following dates in the HS Library at 7:30 p.m. (unless noted otherwise): 1/28 (Budget Review at North Shore Middle School), 2/11 (Budget Review),, 2/25 (Budget Review), 3/10 (Budget Review), 3/31 (Budget Review), 4/14 (Budget Adoption), Wednesday, 4/20 (Meet the Candidates Night, HS Cafeteria, 8 PM), and 5/5 (BOE Town Meeting/Budget Reading. The board will convene into executive session usually prior to each meeting (these are not open to the public). The Budget/Tax Levy Vote and Election of Trustees is on Tuesday, 5/17 in the North Shore High School Gym from 7 a.m. -10 p.m. Information regarding the school budget can be found on the district website atwww. northshoreschools.org. We encourage you to stay informed about the school budget.

If you are a resident and would like to receive emails from the NS Schools, please send your email address to Superintendent Dr. Edward Melnick atmelnicke@northshoreschools.org or stop into the Central Office (112 Franklin Avenue in Sea Cliff) and let us know that you would like to be included on all district emails. In addition, there is a "subscribe" button at the top of the district website at www. northshoreschools.org. Email our trustees atnsboe@northshoreschools. org

Sea Cliff Civic Progress Committee to Hold Annual Nominating Caucus Thursday, January 14, 8:00 pm at Village Hall

The Sea Cliff Civic Progress Committee will hold its 68th Nominating Caucus on January 14th. Expected to be nominated are Elena Villafane and Kevin McGilloway for two-year terms as Trustees on the Sea Cliff Village Board. Both Elena and Kevin currently hold that position on the current Board, serving with Mayor Bruce Kennedy and Trustees Ed Lieberman and Dina Epstein. The Caucus will take place downstairs in the Village Court Room at 8:00 pm, anyone wishing to attend is welcome.

The Civic Progress Committee was created in 1948 by local residents John Burns, Ward Bell, Bill Barlow and others for the purpose of nominating qualified citizens for positions on the Village Board. For 68 years, it has never failed to carry out that mission. We are not Democrat, Republican, Liberal, or Conservative. The Committee uses the many Sea Cliff organizations, groups and committees as a "farm system" to identify capable, competent, and conscientious people who have demonstrated these qualities in past public service. It then handles the nominating process and tells the community why they are good candidates for the Board. The current members of the Committee are pleased to continue this tradition. The Village election is Tuesday, March 15th. Dan Maddock, Chair



Glen Cove at 2016 Inaugural Ceremony Council Member and Mayor Take Oath; Senator Schumer Recognizes Mayor's Accomplishments

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It was standing room only at the January 1, 2016 Inaugural ceremony for Mayor Reginald Spinello and members of Glen Cove's City Council. Judge Paul Meli and Judge Joseph McCall administered the official oath of office to Mayor Reginald Spinello and City Council members Joseph Capobianco, Nicholas A. DiLeo Jr., Pamela Panzenbeck, Efraim Spagnoletti, Timothy J. Tenke and Roderick Watson. Special guest, New York Senator Charles Schumer, acknowledged Mayor Spinello's successes in the areas of economic growth, stabilizing taxes and taking a hard line on illegal housing for the City of Glen Cove and noted his work with the Mayor on the Glen Cove Waterfront project as part of his remarks.

In his inaugural address to Glen Cove residents, Mayor Spinello said, "My promise this year is that my administration will concentrate on smart growth in our community from our waterfront redevelopment to the revitalization of our downtown. I expect 2016 to be a watershed moment in turning Glen Cove into the vibrant municipality that it should be. Our vision is simple - make Glen Cove a "go to" destination for commerce, recreation, entertainment, culture and waterfront living. We're intent on infusing our local economy with new jobs, expanded tax revenues from sources other than homeowners and residents, and bringing in young professionals, empty nesters and new families who will appreciate the benefits of an affordable suburban City with beautiful surroundings and easily-accessible beaches." The Mayor concluded his address with an invitation to the community, "Please join me in becoming part of a team that nurtures our land for safe, sensible and smart development, that plants seeds of innovation with new and creative programs like Single Stream Recycling which will save money and benefit our planet, that aggressively tackles suburban weeds like illegal housing and that sees the potential of achieving Glen Cove's promise – making our City a center of commerce and culture and a place you can be proud to call your home."

The ceremony was hosted by David Zatlin, Chairman of the Glen Cove Republican Committee, and featured a Presentation of Colors by representatives of the Glen Cove Police Department, Harbor Patrol, Volunteer Fire Department, Emergency Medical Services, Auxiliary Police, United States Coast Guard Flotilla 1203, Glen Cove American Legion Post 76, Glen Cove American Legion Post 1765 and Veterans of Foreign Wars James E. Donohue Post 347. Michael Renga, a second grader at Glen Cove's Gribbon School led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance while singers John Brakatselos and Millie Sullivan sang the National Anthem and God Bless America. Victoria Crosby, the City's Poet Laureate read an original poem she wrote entitled, "First Day." The Reverend Daniel Nash, Pastor of St Patrick R.C. Church conducted the Invocation and the Reverend Roger Williams, Pastor of the First Baptist Church provided the Benediction.





he Honorable Judge Paul Meli administers the oath of office to Glen Cove City Council members Joseph Capobianco, Nick DiLeo Jr., Pam Panzenbeck and Roderick Watson.

North Shore Elementary Students Participate in the National Hour of Code

In celebration of Computer Science Education Week during December 7-13, 2015, North Shore students embarked on an exciting adventure participating in the National Hour of Code that is a global movement sweeping the globe, reaching tens of millions of students around the world in over 180 countries.

The goal of The Hour of Code was not to teach anybody to become an expert in computer science, but to demystify coding and in one hour help students of all ages and backgrounds learn that computer science is fun and creative. Like learning a foreign language, it is recommended to begin at a young age so that students will have a foundation for attaining success as they embark on their careers in the 21st century.

At Glenwood Landing under the direction of Dr. Carol Smyth (Elementary STEMDirector), Mrs. Audra Marcantonio (GWL School-wide Enrichment teacher) and their teachers, students participated in the Hour of Code in the new STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) Lab. In addition, Library Media Specialist Mrs. Stephanie Smith, and teachers Ms. Jen Chaputian, and Mr. PJ Ciampi helped work with the students.

Mrs. Marcantonio said, "This was an exciting opportunity to expose students to coding in a fun way! Every K-5 grade participated in coding lessons utilizing iPads where the "E" for engineering was emphasized! The hope was to simply expose students to coding and then offer resources to parents and their children to use at home." The various grade level coding activities included:

• Students in K-2 were coding a program called Lightbot.

• 3rd & 4th graders were coding Flappy Birds

• 5th graders were programming a "robot" friend by telling the kids the actual steps in code how to build stacks of cups

At Sea Cliff School under the direction of Principal Zublionis and Dr. Carol Smyth students participated in the Hour of Code in the Computer Lab and school library. The children of various grades participated in coding lessons after school in the computer room and library. The various coding activities included learning coding programs called Lightbot and Flappy Birds. Dr. Carol Smyth said, "Today, we are surrounded by technology; many students have their own tablets and phones. We are enthusiastic about asking students to begin to explore how these devices work. Simple computer science activities, like coding, not only stimulate interest in computer programming but also help nurture creativity, critical thinking, and problem solving skills." She concluded by saying, "As we work to incorporate STEAM (e.g., Science, Technology,Engineering, Art, Math) in our schools, we are excited to bring

innovative opportunities like this to our students."

Article and photos by Shelly Newman





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North Shore Schools Kindergarten Registration

In September 2016, your child will enter Kindergarten and the start of an exciting journey. The first step into school is one of the passages in life that marks the beginning of new experiences and relationships. It begins an educational experience that will serve as a foundation for their future.

During the Kindergarten Registration Week and Orientation Week, you will learn more about our Kindergarten program and about our schools. First you must complete a registration process that provides us assurance of your residency in the North Shore Schools and the necessary demographic information on your youngster. Parents enrolling their child in non-public (private and parochial) schools must also prove residency and meet eligibility requirements in order to qualify for transportation and textbooks.

The first step in this process is to complete a residency packet. You may obtain this packet in person at the main office at any of the three elementary schools. Upon completing the required documents, please call Mrs. Katherine Miller, Registrar for the North Shore Schools, at 277-7824 to schedule an appointment to review your completed documents. Appointments will be available beginning January 19, 2016. This meeting should take no more than ten or fifteen minutes. At this meeting you will receive a second packet of information pertaining to the second step in the process, which is to register your child at the appropriate elementary school.

Please note the following registration dates for the Elementary Schools:

Glenwood Landing	March 7th through March 10th
Sea Cliff	March 14th through March 17th
Glen Head	April 12th, April 19th, and April 20th

The third step in preparation for Kindergarten will be orientation. Your school will contact you with the dates and details regarding the orientation program during which you will have an opportunity to become better acquainted with the school, the principal and some of the people who your child will work with beginning in September.

Superintendent Dr. Edward Melnick and everyone at the North Shore School District warmly welcome you and your family to North Shore. The next thirteen years will be ones of fulfillment and growth.



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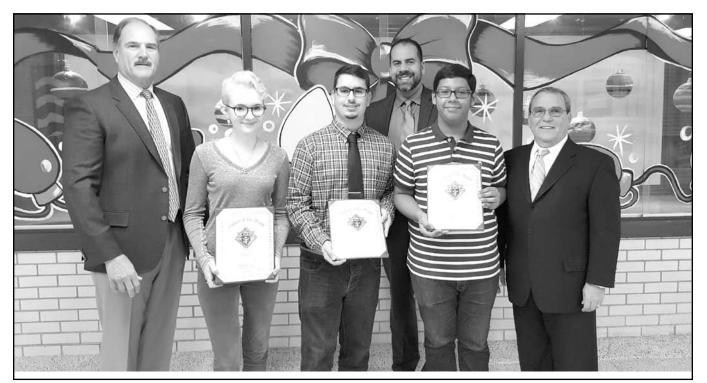


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K of C Honor Student of the Month for Glen Cove High School

The Knights of Columbus, James Norton Council, honored Matthew Pemberton as the September, 2015, Student of the Month, Geovani Flores as the October, 2015 Student of the Month and Laura Roesch as the November, 2015 Student of the Month, for their outstanding academic performance and community involvement.



Pictured presenting the students with their certificates in Glen Cove High School left- to right- Hon. Richard J. McCord, Glen Cove City Court Judge, Laura Roech, November 2015 Student of the Month, Matthew Pemberton, September 2015 Student of the Month, Antonio Santana, Principal, Glen Cove High School, Geovani Flores, October 2015 Student of the Month and Grand Knight, Angelo Floccari, Knights of Columbus

21st Annual Christmas Day Dinner

The 21st Annual Christmas Day Dinner was held at the United Methodist Church in Sea Cliff on Christmas Day. For the past 21 years, Terry Sciubba, a member of the Mutual Concerns Committee has organized this very popular dinner for all those who don't have family nearby, to enjoy a wonderful holiday dinner with friends and neighbors. Through the years, more and more people have joined this festive occasion. They look forward to this dinner and entertainment every Christmas. It has become quite the holiday tradition!

Terry enlists local establishments to donate food, and residents are always willing to give their time as volunteers in the kitchen or to sing or play a musical instrument. Everyone looks forward to participating in the annual favorite, "The Twelve Days of Christmas." This year was no exception.

Those who donated food for the dinner are Arata's and Metropolitan Bistro. Those who provided entertainment are John Canning, master of ceremonies; Sue Giordano, vocal; Andrew and Debra Fossette, piano; Angelo Antinori, drums; Danielle Fossette, cello; Paul Halou, guitar and Dawn on the glockenspiel.

A great time was had by all and we look forward to next year's dinner!



Kitchen Crew: Terry Sciubba, Ed Lieberman, Peter Fleishman, Theo Fleishman and friend Ali, Barbara Sinenberg, Margaret Evans, Stu Rodal and Andrea King



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Bullying Prevention Education at Gribbin

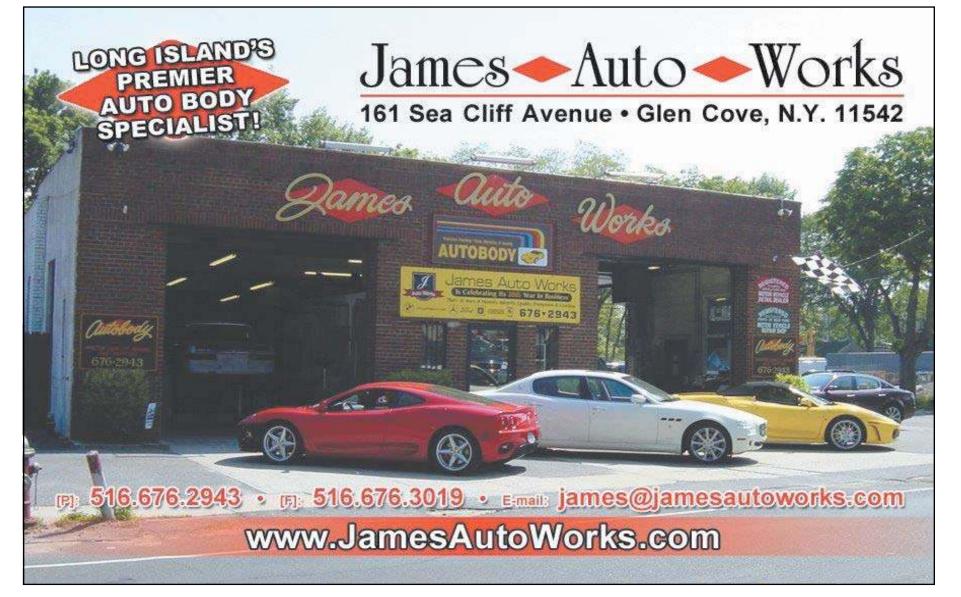
Stand up comedian and former middle school teacher Mike Speirs delivered his anti-bullying presentation "Be an Upstander, Not a Bystander" to Gribbin School students as part of the school's observance of National Bullying Prevention Month.

During the fun and engaging, interactive presentation, Speirs used a variety of activities and multi-media resources to teach students what it means to be bullied. He also identified the different types of bullying, explained why bullying happens and provided strategies on how to stand up to a bully. Speirs explained the differences between reporting and tattling and gave examples to help students identify a "big problem" as opposed to a "small problem."

The presentation concluded with Speirs reminding students that when someone is mean it can hurt people. "If everyone in this room chose to be nice there would be no more bullying," Speirs said.

Students at Gribbin School also participated in STOMP Out Bullying's Blue Shirt Day World Day of Bullying Prevention. The "Be an Upstander, Not a Bystander" kicked off the school's Character Education program, which we will focus on respect and kindness.







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Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club and Nassau County Museum of Art Spreading the Joy This Holiday Season

In the spirit of the giving during this holiday season, Nassau County Museum of Art is spreading the joy of art to Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club families.

For every Family Membership purchased during the month of December, the Museum is kindly donating a matching membership to Club member families selected by the Boys & Girls Club. Membership includes free admission to all exhibitions, enriching programs for adults and families, discounts to the Museum store and invitation to opening receptions.

"The Museum has greatly enjoyed welcoming children from the Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club for afterschool and school-break programs. We are happy to now offer an opportunity for families to visit and share enriching exhibitions and educational programs throughout the year. We look forward to seeing the Club's families at the Museum soon," said Museum Director Dr. Karl E. Willers.

"We are truly grateful for the membership donation by the Museum that will undoubtedly deepen art appreciation for our kids and their families. The Arts is one of our main core program areas where we emphasize creativity and cultural awareness through knowledge and understanding of the arts. This wonderful collaboration provides our kids with a unique opportunity to see the exhibitions and the incredible works said GCBGC Executive Director, Franca Trunzo.

The cost of a family membership is \$85.

admission to the museum galleries, gardens and Sculpture Park; subscription to Muse News, the museum member newsletter; 10

percent discount on all purchases at the Museum Store; 10 percent discount on exhibition catalogues; discount on select programs at the museum; Free Admission to Family Fun Sundays at the Museum; Admission for two adults and up to four children or grandchildren ages 16 or younger. All memberships are valid for one year from the date of enrollment.

Nassau County Museum of Art is dedicated to fostering a deeper understanding of art and culture through exhibition and education programs for people of all ages and backgrounds. In practice, the Museum pursues the mission by enhancing its permanent collections, sculpture park, historic property and natural setting.

To find out more the Museum's family membership, visit www. nassaumuseum.org. To find out more about Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club, visit www.glencovebgc.org.



by famous artists and painters which they would not otherwise be able to see," The fee includes invitations to all membersonly exhibition previews; personalized membership card for unlimited free



North Shore Tri-M Spreads Holiday Cheer

On Sunday December 20th, North Shore High School's Tri-M Music Honors Society went to the Regency Retirement Home in Glen Cove to play holiday music. A quartet of strings kicked off the concert with holiday classics such as "Silent Night", "O Hanukkah", and "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas". Next up was a quartet of flutes, whose rendition of Carol of the Bells and other holiday songs put everyone in a good mood. Finally, the choir had everyone singing along to their favorite festive classics. The students in each group worked very hard to learn the songs on their own and arrange practice times outside of school, and it certainly payed off. Many people at the Regency came to see the concert and had a great time humming along to familiar songs. Tri-M's objective is to bring music to our community, and they spread the holiday spirit with the people of the Regency. Congratulations to all of the performers on a successful concert!

Miranda Purcell







St. John's Latttingtown Pageant

Children and Sunday School parents participate in St. John's of Latingtown pageant on Christmas Eve (photos by Lynn Dixon)







Name the Celebrity



This week's celebrity was born March 6, 1916 in Oklahoma City, OK and was an American film actress from the 1930s through the 1960s. She was a WAMPAS Baby Star in 1931. This was a promotional campaign sponsored by the United States Western Association of Motion Picture Advertisers, which honored 13 (15 in 1932) young actresses each year whom they believed to be on the threshold of movie stardom. The campaign ran from 1922 to 1934.

Our actress may be best remembered today for co-starring in "Wild Boys of the Road" (1933), a Pre-Code Depression era American film telling the story of several teens forced into becoming hobos. Directed by William Wellman, this film was selected in 2013, for preservation in the U.S. National Film Registry by the Library of Congress as being "culturally, historically, or aesthetically significant". She also played "Cosette" in the 1935 film version of "Les Miserables" with Fredric March and Charles Laughton. She was Shirley Temple's older sister, "Mary Blair" in "Curly Top" (1935), with John Boles and Natalie Wood's mother in "Rebel Without a Cause" (1955), co-starring James Dean and Sal Mineo. She also played "Sally Glynn", the fallen ingénue to whom Mae West imparts the immortal wisdom, "When a girl goes wrong, men go right after her!", in the 1933 Paramount film, "She Done Him Wrong", also featuring a new, budding star, Cary Grant.

Last Week's Celebrity

Born Ernest Sharpe, last week's celebrity was professionally known as Erik Rhodes. He was a capable baritone and stepped easily into musicals of the day, commonly playing the effete playboy that became his trademark. He portrayed a passionate Latin in "The Gay Divorcee" (1934) and again, just as passionate, as "Alberto Berdini", in another Astaire-Rogers feature, "Top Hat" (1935) and from there moved into several secondary features of the day. He played "Leopold Jaynos" in "A Night at the Ritz" (1935) with William Gargan and Allen Jenkins and "Max Corday", the sketch artist, in "Charlie Chan in Paris" (1935) with Warner Oland. He was "Archie Fisher" in "Chatterbox" (1936) with Anne Shirley and Lucille Ball and "Anton Spadissimo" in "Fight for Your Lady" (1937) with Ida Lupino, John Boles and Jack Oakie.

After serving in the Army Air Force Intelligence Service during WWII, as a language specialist, he did some early TV work most notably with Gloria Swanson in a variety show called "Wonder Boy". Between 1947 and 1964, he was back on Broadway in "The Great Campaign", 'Dance Me A Song", "Shinbone Alley", "Jamaica" and "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum", to name a few shows. In the Cole Porter musical "Can-Can", he appeared as a lecherous art critic and introduced the song, "Come Along With Me".

He died of pneumonia on Feb.17,1990, at the age of 84. He was interred with his wife, who preceded him in death, in El Reno, Oklahoma.

Correct Callers

Rich Reynolds, Don Adams, Mario Moccia, Will and Babs Hutchins, Roberta Pezza

Letters to the Editor 🕅

100K For Mayor's Office Furniture? To The Editor,

It turns out there's a reason Tony Gallo and his financial whiz kid, Philip Pidot, lost the election for Mayor and City Council. During the campaign, Mr. Pidot, who goes by the name "Flip," showed up at Council meeting after Council meeting to make public declarations that Glen Cove's finances were out of control, implying that Mayor Spinello was skippering the Titanic of municipal ships.

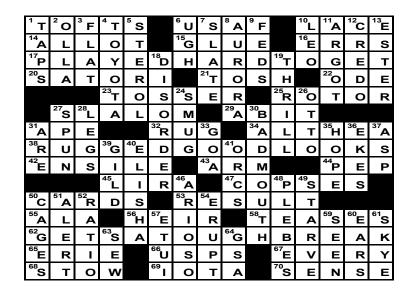
But Flip didn't hit real pay dirt until he came across the fiscal coup de grace with a discovery of what he believed to be a furniture expenditure of more than \$100,000. Actually, looking a bit like Sherlock Holmes, Flip used his magnifying glass to discover an item in a list of invoices called "Mayor – Office Expense," and it was in the amount of \$100,250 to be exact.

So Flip, with all of his claimed financial expertise, didn't use even plain, vanilla, basic common sense to check it out before he went public and declared that Mayor Spinello blew more than a hundred grand on an "office makeover." Flip has publicly declared it to be a gift from the taxpayers.

Now, here's the problem with people who don't use their heads when they're looking at something that just can't be true. The City's accounting office made a "typo" when it entered the \$100,250 item on the list of outstanding invoices. Hey, folks, it happens! That's why the world has proofreaders.

The fact is, the Mayor bought a filing

Answer to last weeks Crossword



Letters to the Editor

cabinet for his office. It didn't cost \$100,250; it cost \$1,002.50 and that's all the City ever paid for it. Flip, get a grip! It was a typo, man. Didn't it strike you as the least bit odd that the Mayor would be furnishing his office for over a hundred grand?

But along comes Flip, who claims to be a former fraud investigator and equity analyst. Wouldn't you think a fraud investigator would ask to look at a bill to confirm an actual \$100,250 purchase of furniture before he went out there and made a public claim that Santa Claus showed up at the Mayor's office this year with a gift that size from the taxpayers? Of course he would. Any fraud investigator worth his salt would confirm such a purchase before he declared Christmas to be a holiday for mayors. But, alas, Flip was so anxious to nail this Mayor with this outrageous claim that he skipped the rudimentary step of looking at an actual bill.

And lest you think that's bad, here's the kicker. While Mr. Gallo, the mayoral candidate who lost the election along with Flip, was still sitting on the City Council, this proposed mega-expenditure came up for a vote. And guess how Councilman Gallo voted? Yep, you got it! The former Councilman, who appears to be getting ready to run again in two years to unseat Mr. Spinello, cast his vote "Aye" for the six figure purchase.

Folks, these are the guys who wanted the voters to replace Mayor Spinello so they could take over the City's finances.

And now you know why they lost. Any questions?

Michael A. Levy

Remembering Those Past To The Editor,

As we close 2015 in Sea Cliff, it is with regret and gratitude that we bid Godspeed to several World War II veterans who have recently passed on.

Charles Bell, George Becker, Don Adams and John Kle were part of an era when our country closed ranks in a common cause. They will be missed.

We also said farewell to Korean War vet Charlie Hassel, another great member of our community –which is saddened by the passing of these fine gentlemen. *Phil Como*

Community Mourns Sent for publication-Ann & Laura Weickert

Dear Ann,

The Friends of the Sea Cliff Village Library offer our profound sympathy on the death of Andy, your beloved husband. You and Andy may have moved hundreds of miles away to a 55 + community in Springfield Mass. but you are always in our hearts and minds

Andy was always a joyful, very helpful and kindly member of the Friends when you lived in Sea Cliff. Like you, Andy was involved in all of the Friend's projects. When the two of you lived in Sea Cliff, you were stalwarts of the community helping those in need, including helping the homeless at the local shelter, and making beautiful music in choral groups and concert performances. Andy will be sorely missed.

Once again, we offer you our deepest sympathy at this time of great loss.

Sincerely,

Carol Poll & Margaret Brucia President and Vice-President The Friends of the Sea Cliff Library

Sco Family Of Services Awarded \$13,200 Let's Play Grant For Imagination Playground In A CartTM Play System From Dr Pepper Snapple And National Non-Profit Kaboom!

Dr Pepper Snapple (DPS) and national non-profit KaBOOM! awarded SCO Family of Services a \$13,200 Let's Play Improvement Grant to use toward the purchase of an Imagination Playground in a CartTM, an innovative playground equipment system.

The grant, which will allow SCO Family of Services to install the system at their Robert J. McMahon Children's Center (RJMCC) in Sea Cliff, Long Island, is part of Let's Play, a community partnership led by Dr Pepper Snapple to get children and families active nationwide. Imagination Playground in a CartTM is an innovative design in play equipment that encourages creativity, communication, and collaboration in play. With a collection of customdesigned, oversized blue foam parts, Imagination PlaygroundTM provides a changing array of elements that allow children to turn their playground into a space constantly built and re-built by their imagination.

"SCO Family of Services thanks Dr Pepper Snapple and KaBOOM! for providing this generous gift to the children and adolescents with developmental disabilities we serve at the RJM Children's Center," said SCO Executive Director Douglas O'Dell. "Given play's important role in fostering healthy cognitive, social and physical development, we recognize that the addition of this fun, engaging and safe space to play will benefit the children in ways that extend far beyond the new playground equipment alone."

SCO's RJMCC campus includes the Tyree Learning Center, a New York State certified special education school designed to accommodate the children's needs, as well as a Residential Treatment Center which provides 24-hour nursing care, social services and a variety of therapies that help children unlock their potential and achieve as much independence as their abilities allow. Incorporating Imagination Playground for children with development disabilities at RJMCC will be a hands-on, interactive way to support their personal well-being by giving them access to the same play opportunities given to non-disabled children. It will allow SCO to devise new ways of incorporating play opportunities for children at all ability levels and will bring them together to foster self-esteem and independence, and further develop relationships among the children and staff. Importantly, because some of the children served at RJMCC are non-ambulatory, the portability of the Imagination Playground will allow staff to bring play to them directly.

Unstructured, child-directed play has proven to help children develop physically, emotionally, socially and intellectually, yet today's kids have less time and fewer opportunities to play than any previous generation. As a result of expanded Let's Play grants and projects, more than 1 million kids will benefit from new or improved playgrounds around the nation between 2014 and 2016.

Created in 2011, Let's Play provides the tools, places and inspiration to make play a daily priority. The initiative began with a three-year commitment to KaBOOM!, the national non-profit dedicated to ensuring that all kids get the balance of active play they need to thrive. Through the first three years, they built 41 playgrounds, with more than 2,300 DPS employees contributing nearly 19,000 volunteer hours in the construction, and provided grants ranging from \$500 to \$30,000 for the improvement of another 2,004 playgrounds by the end of 2013.

Visit Let's Play at www.LetsPlay.com to join the conversation and learn how to apply for the various available grants to make communities more active and playful.

About SCO Family of Services

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About Let's Play

Let's Play is a community partnership led by Dr Pepper Snapple Group (NYSE: DPS) to get kids and families active nationwide. Since Let's Play launched in 2011, DPS has worked with nonprofit KaBOOM! to build or improve more than 2,000 playgrounds across North America and in 2014 partnered with Good Sports to provide sports gear for deserving athletic organizations in communities coast to coast. For more information, visit LetsPlay.com or Facebook.com/ LetsPlay.

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January 1, 2016 age 71. Beloved husband

Cemetery. www.DodgeThomas.com

Irene Moskow Moskow, Irene H. of Sea Cliff, NY on

Dec. 29, 2015. Beloved wife of Thomas.

Loving mother of Thomas, Donald,

Kenneth, Marsia Majka and the late Diane

Blackwell. Cherished grandmother of

8 and great grandmother of 5. Funeral

Mass at Hyacinth R.C. Church. Interment

Holy Rood Cemetery, Westbury, NY.

Contributions may be made to the church.

Arrangements by Whitting Funeral Home.

Maria Graziosi

GRAZIOSI, Maria E. of Glen Cove, NY

on December 28th, 2015 age 91. Beloved

wife of the late Nicola. Loving mother

of Felicina Stanco (the late Michele),

Lorenzo (Teresa) and the late Angelo M.

(Nicolina). Cherished grandmother of 5

and great grandmother of 5. Visitation at

Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen

Cove. Mass at the Church of St. Rocco.

Interment Holy Rood Cemetery. www.

Chester Tuthill

TUTHILL, Chester L. of Glen Cove, New

York on December 28, 2015. Beloved

husband of the late Henrietta. Loving

and devoted father of Paul (Cathy), Linda

Carroll (Thomas), Lori Yastrub (Steve)

and David. Proud grandfather of Joseph,

Stephanie and T.J. Proud U.S. Marine

Corps. Veteran of WWII. Chester was a

School Business Administrator for Locust

Valley, Oceanside and Edgemont School

Districts. He was a Boy Scout Leader of

Troop 30 of Lynbrook, and an amateur

Astronomer who traveled the world

to witness Solar Eclipses. He enjoyed

spending time at Jones Beach, and was an

avid Fisherman and gardner. Visitation held

at Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen

Cove. Graveside service at Huntington

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communities to promote and support play, and works to drive the national discussion about the importance of play in fostering healthy and productive lives. To learn why #playmatters: visit kaboom.org or join the conversation at twitter.com/kaboom or facebook.com/ kaboom

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Ralph Perone PERONE, Ralph A. of Sea Cliff, NY on

Carl Werner Kaufmann KAUFMANN, Werner Carl M.D. of

of Michelina "Michelle". Loving father of Roseann and Diana (Joseph Kopian). Locust Valley, NY on Christmas Day Dear brother of Lena, Paul and Nancy. 2015. Beloved husband of the late Proud grandfather of Michael and Avery Hanni. Loving father of Louise M.D. Grace. Also survived by several nieces (Michael Dourmashkin M.D.) and and nephews. Proud Vietnam Veteran. Past Robert M.D. (Leesa). Dear brother of Grand Knight 4th Degree of the Knights Ilse Moss (Warren). Proud grandfather of Columbus: James Norton Council of 8 and great-grandfather of Laura. 1828. Visitation at Dodge-Thomas Funeral Service at Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home Home of Glen Cove. Mass at the Church of Glen Cove officiated by Rabbi Irwin of St. Rocco. Entombment Holy Rood Huberman of Congregation Tifereth Israel. Interment Locust Valley Cemetery. www.DodgeThomas.com

Frances McIntosh

McIntosh, Frances of Glen Cove, NY on December 21, 2015. Beloved wife of the late Hugh McIntosh for over 45 years. Frances worked as a bookkepper for her late husband Hugh, who was a long time race horse trainer. She is survived by her daughter Jill McIntosh. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen Cove. Interment Locust Valley Cemetery. www. DodgeThomas.com

Maryjane Kowalski

Kowalski, Maryjane B. of Glen Head on December 14, 2015. Beloved wife of Leszek (Les). Devoted mother of Leslie and Carrie (Francis) Dulaski. Loving grandmother of Emma and Chelsea. Religious Services at McLaughlin Kramer Megiel Funeral Home. Interment Holy Rood Cemetery.



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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing shall be held on Tuesday, January 12, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Glen Cove City Hall, 9 Glen Street, Glen Cove, NY to discuss amending City

of Glen Cove Golf Course rate schedule. All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard

Tina Pemberton City Clerk

PUBLI C HEARING NOTICE PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing will be held as to the following matter: Agency: Date: Time: Place: Zoning Board of Appeals, Village of Sea Cliff January 19, 2016

7:30 pm Village Hall, 300 Sea Cliff Avenue, Sea Cliff, New York

Subject: Application of Jason and Lisbel Wolner, 386 Carpenter Avenue, Sea Cliff, New York to construct a second story addition, which construction requires variances of the following sections of the Village Code: (a) 138-504 in that the lot is 8,250 square feet, where a minimum of 10,000 square feet is required; (b) 138-506 in that the front property 506 in that the front property line length is 75 feet, where a minimum of 100 feet is required; (c) 138-509 in that the lot width at the setback line is 75 feet, where a minimum of 100 feet is required; (d) 138-511 in that the side yards will be 12.3 feet and 10 feet, where a minimum of 15 feet is required;

(e) 138-513.1 in that the proposed addition will encroach into the both side yard heightsetback ratio planes; (f) 138-514.1 in that the total floor area will be 2,924 square feet, where a maximum of 2,557.5 square feet is permitted; and (g)138-

516 in that the air conditioner condenser units will be located 4 feet in the minimum required setback area. Premises are designated as Section 21, Block 103, Lot 137 on the Nassau

County Land and Tax Map.

Application of The Drunken ig Inc., as tenant, and Samiano Realty Corp., as owner, 243 Glen Cove Avenue, Sea Cliff, New York to permit a restaurant to operate at the premises, which restaurant requires a special use permit pursuant to Village Code §138-902, and variances of the following Village Code sections:

(a) 138-907 in that the front property line length is 75.96 feet, where a minimum of 100 feet is required; and (b) 138-1002 in that the applicant proposes 12 on-site parking spaces and use of an additional 12 off-site parking spaces during evening hours, where a minimum of 34 parking spaces would be required. Premises are designated as Section 21, Block 192, Lot 180 on the Nassau County Land and Tax Map.

At the said time and place, all interested persons may be heard with respect to the foregoing matters. All relevant documents may be inspected at the office of the Village Clerk, Village Hall, 300 Sea Cliff Avenue, Sea Cliff, New York, during regular business hours.

Any person having a disability which would inhibit attendance at, or participation in, the hearing should notify the Village Clerk at least three business days prior to the hearing, so that reasonable efforts may be made to facilitate such attendance and participation. Dated: January 6, 2016

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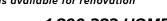
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Dear Determined,

I admire your resolve and indeed I have a compelling book to begin your odyssey : THE GOOD WIFE by Stewart O'Nan. First, let's make it clear this book has nothing to do with the very popular TV series of the same name- no, ours is a story of a blue collar, hard scrabble existence, a tale of a life and a love observed over 28 years. We first meet Patty as she waits in bed on a snowy evening for her husband Tommy to return home from a local bar. She is 25 years old, pregnant, and unaware of her husband's shadowy life of petty crimes. Then the call comesthere has been a break-in, an elderly

woman has been killed, her house set on fire, and Tommy has been arrested. We accompany Patty as she sits through the trial, the sentencing, the birth of her son, the appeals, the weekly trips upstate to a series of prisons - each further, each more dehumanizing than the last. The cruel banality of her life as she tries to hold things together over the years is recorded in stark detail, while we to are left question who has been punished more- the good wife or the errant husband? Recommended!



Jewelry Stolen From 96 Year Old Victim

On the morning of November 8th 2015, a 96 year old victim, who was a resident at the Surrise Assisted Living facility located at 39 Forest Ave in the City of Glen Cove reported that someone had stolen six valuable pieces of jewelry from her room. According to Det. Lt. John Nagle, The Sunrise Assisted Living staff began an internal investigation and the Glen Cove Police were contacted. The subsequent investigation led to a house cleaning employee of the facility who had cleaned the victims room the morning the jewelry went missing. On January 4th 2016 Detective Lieutenant John Nagle of the Glen Cove Police reports the arrest of a 53 year old Glen Cove resident, Maria Leyton who was charged with larceny and two counts ot possession of stolen property. The defendant will be arraigned in Glen Cove Court on January 4th.

Burglary by Deception

On February 3rd 2015 a retired Glen Cove Couple was tricked by a group of men who posed as tree trimming crew who wanted to cut some trees in their backyard. According to Det. Lt. John Nagle, While the couple was distracted another person entered their bedroom and removed a safe which contained the couples life savings, of over \$50,000 . The Glen Cove Police immediately began their investigation into the deception burglary. The Glen Cove Detective Division headed up the investigation and reached out to other jurisdictions who faced similar type burglaries. According to Nagle, The investigation

into the burglary was assisted by the Suffolk County 4th Squad the NYPD Intelligence Unit, and the NY/NJ Fugitive Task Force (Marshals). Glen Cove Cove Detective Karl VanAllen was able to identify one of the suspects and a warrant was issued for his arrest. The detective was able to locate the wanted subject in New Jersey, and on December 18th the NY/NJ Fugitive Task Force apprehended Tommy Marion, also known as Nicky Anderson, in Cliffside Park N.J. The defendant waived his extradition and was brought back to Nassau County by the Nassau Police Fugitive Unit on January 4th. The 39 year old defendant will be arraigned on today's date in County Court in Nassau for burglary 2nd degree and Grand larceny 3rd degree.

"The Glen Cove Detective Division spend a great amount of time investigating this deception style burglary. It caused a great amount of fear among the retired families living in Glen Cove and the surrounding areas," Said Nagle.

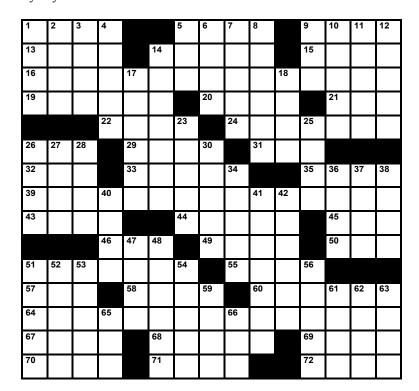
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Across

- I. Sub
- 5. Pitt play character
- 9. Priest of the East
- 13. Creative work
- 14. Hot dog sauce
- 15. Porters
- 16. Not seeing eye to eye
- 19. Butterfly wing's eyes
- 20. Lasting impression
- 21. "All the Things You _
- 22. the word!"
- 24. Boston college
- 26."
- 26."____ De-Lovely" 29. Mets, Jets or Nets
- 31. Get behind
- 32. Half a dance
- 33. Breathless
- 35. Comfort
- 39. Having a different opinion
- 43. Arizona city
- 44. Long
- 45. Fled
- 46. Condensate
- 49. Miff
- 50. Neighbor of Ida.
- 51. Marsh marigold
- 55. Kind of job
- 57. Dos Passos trilogy
- 58. Turkish official
- 60. Crafty fellows
- 64. Being antagonistic to
- 67. Scratched (out)
- 68. Enjoy much
- 69. Isolated
- 70. Minus
- 71. Other
- 72. Picnic staple

Down

- I. Foofaraw
- 2. Grander than grand
- 3. Deliberate
- 4. Sacred hymn
- 5. Bunion's place

7. Prepare for winter takeoff 8. Go-getter 9. Police, with "the"

- 10. Assumed name
- II. Geo model

6. Individuals

- 12. Bloodless
- Peninsula 14
- 17. Large body muscles
- 18. Got bigger
- 23. Drooping
- 25. Coral formation 26. Part of a nuclear arsenal, for
- short
- 27. Prayer pronoun
- 28.Wilts
- 30. Distributes, with "out"
- 34. Some horses
- 36.Voluminous do
- 37. Burn
 - 38.White-tailed eagle
- 40. Roams
- 41. Drain the cup
- 42. Chant
- 47. Panache
- 48. Squirm
- 51. Skins
- 52. Expo '70 site

63. Harpy

- 53. Come to
- 54. Medicine holder
- 56. Whines
- 59. Nile slitherers
- 61. Six-stringed instrument
- 62. Peak near Taormina

65. Checks for under 21's

66. Go after, in a way

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