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From the Desk of Mayor David Runfeldt

Dave Runfeldt

Each year, the Mayor is given the task of reporting the state of affairs in the Lincoln Park to the Borough Council. This is typically done by reading the address into the public record at the organization or first Council meeting of the year. In the effort of trying to enhance communication between borough hall and the residents we serve, I would like to share the "State of the Borough" with as many of you as possible. In addition to the public reading at the meeting, this account will be available on our website and in the Beavertown Journal.

Clearly, one of the most noticeable events of 2007 was the completion and occupation of our new Municipal and Emergency Services Buildings. The two year construction project was actually the culmination of nearly 20 years of contemplation and planning. The Municipal Building allows for greater productivity and efficiency of the daily borough operations and more importantly, enables us to provide a greater level of service to the residents and community we serve. The EMS Buildings give our Police, Fire and First Aid — already among the most respected in our region — state of the art facilities to maintain their equipment, increase their training and safety, and to further proficiently protect you and your property.

The improvements and benefits of these buildings do, however, come with a price. Yes, there was a significant tax increase in 2007 due partially to the funding of the new buildings. Administration and Council have taken steps which should insure that funding of this project going forward should not exceed the increase our residents have already experienced.

Alas, the buildings were only a portion of the 2007 increase. Rising insurance and energy costs, state mandated increases to pension programs, a county mandated property re-valuation are just a few of the items which did and will continue to plague us, as well as every other community in New Jersey. Your elected officials are committed to balancing these uncontrolled increases by thoroughly evaluating those which we are able to exercise control over. This year's budget planning will be a zero-based process where each department in the municipality, rather than start with the funds they were allocated the previous year, will have to start from zero and build up to their 2008 request. I and your Council members will also continue to work with and lobby the county and state to provide much needed property tax relief.

Another prominent event which affected every member of our community was the 'nor easter and subsequent flooding which occurred in April. Thankfully, there was no loss of life in Lincoln Park. Regrettably, the loss of property and the disruption of far too many lives in our community was staggering. This year for the first time in the long and horrible history of flooding in Lincoln Park, a town meeting was held with representatives from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, State of New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, State and Local Officials, to discuss the impact of flooding locally. This meeting which was attended by nearly 200 residents shows the distress that our community has regarding this predicament and puts the State on notice that we need movement towards solution of this problem. Once again, communication with our county, state and federal officials must continue to insure that once the flood waters recede in Lincoln Park the issues which contribute to the severity of flooding in this region are not forgotten. Prevention, relief and mitigation of flood hazards in Lincoln Park is a continuous topic, not just one to be thought of while we are inundated with water. These issues are not particular to Lincoln Park and must be addressed regionally. I call on our local and County Emergency Management agencies to improve their protection of and service to every municipality in the county. The State must take responsibility for planning proper development throughout the region where water run-off or flood control measures from one municipality will have a burdensome affect on another. The Federal government must be able to better provide aid to us when we as a community and the individuals in it need assistance most. I must take a moment to thank Congressman Rodney Frelinghuysen for his tireless efforts on behalf of Lincoln Park during the flood. Senator Menendez, our State Representatives Alex DeCroce and Joe Pennacchio and assemblyman elect Jay Webber offered a great amount of assistance, as did our County Freeholders.

During the campaign preceding my election, I met with many residents of town who told me of their desire for new and improved borough programs and services. 2007 saw an increase in programs offered by our Health Department and Parks and Recreation Department and Lincoln Park's participation in the New Jersey Mayor's Wellness Campaign.

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Library Corner

Submitted by:

Francis Kaiser: Director

The Lincoln Park Public Library is located at 12 Boonton Turnpike.

Our hours of

operation are as follows: Monday – Thursday: 10am – 9pm; Friday: 10am – 5pm;

Saturday: 9:30am – 4pm; and Sunday: 12pm – 4pm.

The library will be closed on Monday, January 21 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Please visit our website at www.lincolnparklibrary.org

The library is now wireless. Cablevision has provided a number of free Internet connections. Come to the library with your laptop and access the Internet without plugging into an outlet.

The library will sponsor a program on Identity Theft on Sunday, January 20th at 1pm at the library.

Upcoming Programs include Retirement Income for Life on Wednesday, February 13th

at 7:30pm and International Investing on Sunday, March 9th at 1pm. Both of these programs will also be held at the library.

In January the Lincoln Park Public Library will join the Morristown/Morris Township Public Library, Joint Free Public Library of the Chathams, Madison Public Library, Dover Public Library, Wharton Public Library, East Hanover Public Library, and the Boonton Holmes Public Library as a SAM (Smart Access Manager) library. Comprise Technologies, Inc. produces SAM. SAM is the leader in Access Management Software for public libraries. Patrons will need a valid library card and pin number to access the public computers. They will be allowed a set time limit per day and this time counts at all the SAM Libraries. Printing will only be possible with the establishment of an account set up at the circulation desk. **Con't on page 9**

Police News

Submitted by: Chief Sean Canning

Submitted by: Sean P. Canning Chief of Police

Welcome to 2008! With the start of the New Year we have also started to initiate goals for the coming year. Some goals we obtain from our own observations and needs that must be addressed. We also get suggestions from the public, which are always welcome.

A prime goal for 2008 will be the establishment of a pedestrian safety zone encompassing much of the center of the town, from Comly Road and Park Avenue crosswalks through Main Street, Route 202 and out to Beaverbrook Road in front of the Shop Rite. Much of the work in attempting to succeed at this will be working with Morris County Engineering Department as some of the roads are county roads in our attempt to lower the speed limit. We will be issuing an educational campaign in late winter to early spring about the need to yield to pedestrians in the crosswalk, followed lastly by enforcement.

It is paramount that our children and other pedestrians be capable of traversing roadways within crosswalks free from a constant fear of being struck by an auto.

A major concern from many residents is always **speeding and traffic enforcement** in their neighborhood on the busier thoroughfares. For several years now we have been conducting speed surveys and enforcing of roads where there is identified a speeding problem as well as the times of greatest violations in an attempt to work more efficiently.

Accreditation –a team of independent assessors from the New Jersey State Chiefs Association and the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement assessed LPPD for Accreditation in Law Enforcement. The team spent three days in late November going through every aspect of the Lincoln Park Police Department. As of **Police News Continued on page 3**

News From Hose Co. #1

Submitted by: John Steible

Yes! We made it. Lincoln Park Hose Company #1 has now moved into the new firehouse next to the Borough Hall. The trucks went from the Borough D.P.W. Garage to the new firehouse just a few weeks ago.

Along with the move came a complete cleaning of the trucks. They were stripped of all their equipment and thoroughly cleaned and checked out. A full evening's work was done by many hands. Just like moving into a new house, there are still a lot of things to be done. We will be working on these for the next few months.

In order to keep up with the changes in the fire service, the fire department receives information and training from a number of other organizations. New training courses for officers and firemen are provided by the Morris County Fire School. The New Jersey Exempt Firemen Association provides information for former and active firemen who have served seven or more years. The North Jersey Firemen's Association meets monthly in various firehouses in the area. One portion of their meetings is for the reporting of fire calls and first aid calls. A fire company has the opportunity to inform the membership of any large or unique fires they have experienced in the previous month and how they were handled. There is also a Fire Chief's Organization for all active and former fire chiefs.

Winter came early this year with a light snowfall. But, if we get a big one and you have a fire hydrant by your house, please be a good neighbor and clear the snow away. Time can be lost if the first fire engine has to stop and shovel out a fire hydrant before they can hook up and get water. Don't feel left out if the hydrant is not in front of your house...you can still walk over and clear the snow away. The homeowner with the hydrant might just be away. We thank you and your neighbors will too.

Lastly, just to correct a typographic error from last month, the line should have said, "A new fire rescue boat is now on standby service."

Health Department Clinic Dates

Friday, January 4, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Thursday, January 10, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Wednesday, January 23, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure Screening ☺

Monday, January 28, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Friday, February 1, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Thursday, February 14, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Monday, February 25, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Wednesday, February 27, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure Screening ☺

Friday, March 7, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Thursday, March 13, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Monday, March 17, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Wednesday, March 26, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure Screening ☺

Thursday, April 3, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Friday, April 4, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Monday, April 21, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Tuesday, April 22, 5:30pm-7pm
Male Cancer Screening*

Wednesday, April 23, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure Screening ☺

Thursday, May 1, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Friday, May 2, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Tuesday, May 6, 5:30pm-7pm
Stroke Prevention
Screening*

Monday, May 19, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Tuesday, May 20, 5:30pm-7pm
Female Cancer Screen-
ing*

Wednesday, May 28, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure
Screening ☺

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Police News Continued:

this writing we have not yet received word that we will be accredited. We expect to hear between January and March of 2008 the findings of the commission. We are excited about the prospect and are hoping for a positive outcome. I want to thank all of the citizens, our elected representatives and other Chiefs that expressed their support for Lincoln Park Police at the public session.

This months concerns: Throwing snow on roadways/ Failure to clear sidewalks -

With the arrival of wintry weather also comes some of the common problems we face as a community. One of the most fielded complaints we receive from citizens is the act of throwing or blowing snow into plowed roadways. While there certainly is no criminal or malicious intent by persons doing this, there is a real danger of causing a serious accident that could inflict injury or even claim a life. When clearing sidewalks and driveways please make every effort to direct the snow onto other portions, such as a yard, or any area away from a plowed roadway.

The effect of putting the snow onto the roadways is a possible freezing over and the potential for a motorist to lose control of a vehicle with disastrous results. Not only is this dangerous it is against Borough Ordinance 185-L, "Placing of Obstructions in Streets". As a side note it is also important to clear all sidewalks within 12 hours of daylight after a snowfall. Oftentimes children walking to school have had to walk in dangerous icy roadways due to impassable sidewalks. This ordinance is covered under Borough Ordinance 185-2. We ask your cooperation in this to keep the children and other pedestrian's safe.

Please feel free to contact the officers or myself with concerns or ideas you may have and help keep Lincoln Park the safe community we all strive for. Thank you and happy New Year.

Lincoln Park Board of Education News

Submitted by: Kimberly B. Florit

Lincoln Park Board of Education

Visit our website at www.lincolnparkboe.org to stay updated on what's happening in the Lincoln Park School District. While on the website, check out eBoard, where you'll find updated information from the district, schools, and individual teacher's classrooms.

The Lincoln Park Board of Education office will be closed on December 31st and January 1st.

Schools reopen from Winter Recess on January 2nd and will be closed for students only on January 21st.

Lincoln Park Board of Education meetings are scheduled for Tuesday, January 8th and Tuesday, January 22nd at 7:30pm in the Lincoln Park Middle School Media Center.

SUBSTITUTE NURSES NEEDED! Earn \$125/day. Send resume and letter of interest to: Mr. James Grube, Superintendent Lincoln Park Public Schools 92 Ryerson Road Lincoln Park, NJ 07035

AA/EEO

January 2008—Cut Out and Save

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Borough Offices, Yard & PAL Bldg. Closed New Years Day	2 CERT 7-10 pm (CMR) Christmas Trees (All Routes) Court CC	3	4	5
6	7 Council Organi- zation Meeting & Work Meeting 7:30 pm (CC) Newspapers & Bulk Rt. 1	8 Christmas Trees (All Routes)	9	10	11	12
13	14 Newspapers & Bulk Rt. 2 & Con- dos	15	16 CERT 7-10 pm (CMR) Court CC	17	18	19
20	21 Borough Offices, Yard & PAL Bldg. Closed martin Luther King, Jr. Day	22 Council Work Mtg. 7:30 PM (CMR) Newspapers & Bulk Rt. 3	23	24	25	26 Budget Hear- ings Begin 8 am, (CC)
27	28	29	30	31 Court CC		
<p>Recycling: Please note that the dates listed are starting dates for your route.</p> <p>CC: Council Chambers, CMR: Community Meeting Room, CC: Council Chambers; HD: Health Department</p>						

New Laws & Pending Legislation

Source: NJ League of Municipalities Legislative Bulletin

New Laws:

A-1323: Requires assignment of same inspector or team of inspectors who found a construction code violation to re-inspect thereof

A-4326: Prohibits newly elected public office holders from simultaneously holding more than one elective office

S-1810: Clarifies that penalties for unauthorized parking in handicapped parking space are effective even when not posted

Pending Legislation:

A-273: Creates matching grant program for purchase of emergency escape rope systems

A-1291: Permits purchase of goods and services by the state and local government units through electronic means

A-1786: Provides for issuance of a uniform identification card for all law enforcement officers

A-1842: Establishes circumstances under which municipalities may base development approval, the timing thereof, or denial, on sufficiency of local transportation infrastructure

A-1843: Clarifies power of municipalities to zone for separation of incompatible land uses through specifications of reasonable separation limitations

A-1895: Increases time for DEP review of proposed negative declaration and requires certain notice to municipalities under Industrial Site Recovery Act

A-1292: Prohibits municipal officers and employees serving on re-development or housing agencies from voting to condemn property (same as S-210)

A-2716: Requires 90 days' notice to affected municipalities of discontinuance of certain bus and train service

A-2721: Requires municipal treasurer to certify in writing annual service charge received pursuant to tax exemption financial agreement

A-3119: Authorizes local law enforcement officers to inspect trucks

A-3387: Authorizes municipalities to establish a local reality transfer fee in the amount of \$0.50 per \$500 of a property's purchase price

A-3625: Reduces certain stop sign no parking zones from 50 feet to 30 feet

A-3792: Provides that property owner who negligently contaminates or neglects property shall be assessed property taxes at value of property without consideration of effects of contamination or neglect.

A-3797: Allows municipal tax assessor to increase assessment of illegally converted real property

A-3799: Clarifies that additions and improvements omitted from the property assessment list may be assessed as omitted assessments

A-3801: Authorizes tax assessor at his or her own discretion to file cross-petition of appeal with county tax board or counterclaim with Tax Court

A-4004: Prohibits municipal prosecutors from making certain recommendations to the court

A-4400: Requires that no combustible materials be present near designated outdoor smoking areas

S-162: Permits voter registration at polling place on day of municipal primary and general elections

S-2145: Requires coaches in youth sports leagues to receive CPR certification

S-2311: Requires public body to post agendas and minutes on Internet site; requires any public body to devote part of each public meeting to public comment

S-2566: Requires COAH to conduct a public hearing if mediation to resolve objection to municipality's petition for substantive certification is unsuccessful

S-2839: Concerns access to wage records in connection with projects subject to prevailing wage requirements

A: Assembly Bill

S: Senate Bill

All bills are available at the Clerks Office



2008 N.J. Dog License Application

Dog Licenses are due for renewal by January 31, 2008, but cannot be renewed before January 1, 2008. Check your rabies information and neuter status. If there are changes, be sure to enclose the required copies of certificates. The fees are \$15.00 (neutered/spayed) or \$18.00 (non-neutered/spayed). After February 2008 a late fee of \$10.00 per dog will be imposed. **WE MUST HAVE PROOF OF RABIES GOOD THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2008 IN ORDER TO ISUUE A NEW LICENSE.**

Return this form with a check in the appropriate amount payable to the Borough of Lincoln Park. Your 2008 Tag License will then be mailed to you. Please notify the Health Department if you no longer own your dog. Please do not send cash through the mail.

Sex of Dog: _____ Owners Name & Address
 Age of Dog: _____
 Breed: _____
 Color: _____
 Hair: Long _____ Short _____
 Spay/Neut: Yes _____ No _____
 Rabies Exp.: _____ Owners Telephone #: _____
 Vet's Name: _____
 Dogs Name: _____
 Previous License #: _____

CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET

Many municipalities and public agencies must enact and enforce local pet-waste rules. An example is requiring pet owners or their keepers to pick-up and properly dispose of pet waste dropped on public or other people property.

Make sure you know your town's or Agencies requirements and comply with them. It's the law. And remember to: Use newspaper, bags or pooper-scoopers to pick-up wastes. Dispose of the wrapped pet waste in the trash or unwrapped in a toilet. Never discard pet waste in a storm drain.

Thank you for your cooperation.



Recreation Department

Submitted by: Janet Cassidy, Sup. Of Recreation

Janet Cassidy, Recreation Director/
Superintendent, 973-694-1146 or 973-270-2044. janetc@bolp.org. Mailing Address is: 34 Chapel Hill Road, Lincoln Park, NJ 07035 Recreation Office is located at 10 Boonton Tpke/Rt 202

Kinder-Rec

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

The Recreation Department is looking forward to a FANTASIC 2008! We are planning more activities for children of all ages to participate in. Mark your calendars for the re-opening of the Lake with our Summer Blast in June. More trips are in the works and if you have a special idea for one, please let us know...we welcome any new ideas!!

Please note that if LP Schools are closed for inclement weather or holidays all Kinder-Rec and Mommy & Me classes are cancelled.

Kinder-Rec

Open Enrollment... Open to all LP residents, pre-school and kindergarten age children. Classes are held Tuesday mornings 9:30am – 12:30pm and Thursday afternoons 12noon – 3pm. Cost is \$30.00 per child for a 5 week session. Registration Forms may be obtained at the Recreation Office or our web-site.

Mommy & Me

This program is designed for infants through Kindergarten. The group meets every Thursday at the PAL building from 9:30 – 11am. There is no cost for this program.

Aerobics:

2008 classes will begin in January and are held every Tues and Thurs nights at the PAL Building. The cost is \$40 for the 20-week session. Please contact the Rec-Dept for more information.

Volleyball:

Women's volleyball would like to invite you to join one of their many teams. They meet Thursday evenings.

Please log onto www.lincolnpark.org for updated news. If you have an idea or suggestion for a special even or trip please e-mail Janet Cassidy at janetc@bolp.org.

PAL NEWS

Submitted by: Meghan Cabalar

PAL November meeting in review...

This month the PAL had a group of talented ball players to honor. The Lincoln Park Raiders A squad finished off a fantastic season winning the UCJFL Superbowl against Little Falls. The boys, along with their coaches, Mike McKeown, Mike Norton and Jan Burgess came in and presented a very large trophy to be displayed at the PAL building.

Head coach Mike McKeown stated, "Part of the reason our season was so successful is due to the outstanding leadership of the four captains, both on and off the field. The captains were eighth graders, Vince Coiro, Brandon Salazar, Dylan Perry and David Shaffer. They helped to keep the team focused during the games and practices over the course of the entire season." McKeown added, "I would just like to thank the sponsors of the PAL football program whom without their donations and support the PAL Programs aren't possible and the PAL Cheerleaders for their continued support throughout the season. No matter what the weather, the girls are always there cheering the teams on. And finally I would like to thank the Lincoln Park residents for their continued support of the football program. It is really nice to go to an away game and see so many Lincoln Park faithful there cheering on all the teams."

Did you know that in the past 15 years the PAL Program has had at least one Super Bowl winner in 14 of those years. GO RAIDERS!

The cheerleading program had it's first ever Competition Cheerleading Expo on November 30th. It was an opportunity for the A, B and C squad competition teams to show their routines to their fans! The evening supplied the girls with a dress rehearsal to ease the nerves of their actual competition appearances. We also were able to thank some local businesses for their generous donations which helped fund the purchase of some mats for the cheerleaders to use in the PAL gym. A big thanks to Central Park Auto, Gold Star Flooring and 1-800- Radiator of Fairfield.

On Sunday December 2nd the C team took a 2nd place trophy in cheer and 3rd place in Pom Dance that Sunday in the UCCA competition. The other 2 teams did not place but gave great performances and showed positive sportsmanship to make our town proud! The A squad went on to compete in the Wallkill Valley Jingle Bell Blast the following Sunday where they took 2nd place in cheer and 3rd in cheer dance. We also had some brave girls do a single person cheer that they choreographed themselves. Congratulations to Crystal Doherty, 1st place,

Maykela Cabalar, 2nd place and Jessica Carey, 3rd place in the Miss Yell category. Thanks to all the parents who made this cheerleading season such a huge success!

Please stop in at a PAL meeting. They occur the 4th Wednesday of each month, 8:00 PM at the PAL meeting room. It is through the time of generous volunteers that the PAL is able to provide the sports programs that the children enjoy so! We hope you can join us.

Lincoln Park

Seniors

Submitted by: Rich Williams

December 10, 2007

The Lincoln Park Seniors continue to meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at 12 noon in Halloran Hall, below St. Joseph Church on Comly Road.

The dues are \$16 per year.

Upcoming Events:

The Christmas Party was held at the Regency House on December 3rd from 12 – 4 pm. There were 96 people in attendance and all had a great time!

For the New Year, the following dates have been planned:

January 9: Lincoln Park Nursing Home Sponsored Luncheon

January 23: Chilton Hospital Nutrition, Stress and Eating Out

April 15: Brownstone Luncheon – Blast from Past

April 30: Kiss Me Kate at Pa-permill Playhouse in Millburn

May 15: Bobby Byrne Concert – Cost \$15/Member \$20/Non-Member

Our club has grown to 129 members and we are always looking for new members and new ideas. For more information, contact Rich Williams at rwiliams@bolp.org.

COME JOIN THE FUN!

History of Lincoln Park

Source: "A History of Beavertown and Lincoln Park, Revised Edition, Compiled and written by L.S. Kimbark, Published by: Mayor & Council, Borough of Lincoln Park

Many Thanks to Amy Seise

The Borough

Continued from last month

"Due to an epidemic of infantile paralysis on September 16th, 1931 the Council voted to close the school and ban all public gatherings until September 28th.

As early as October 5, 1933, anticipating the future needs of the borough the board passed the following resolution:

"Whereas the water supply of the Borough of Lincoln Park is totally inadequate and whereas the health of certain sections of the community is threatened by the lack of an adequate water supply, be it resolved that the project for construction of a water supply system in the Borough of Lincoln Park as submitted by Clyde Potts, engineer to the Borough council of the Borough of Lincoln Park and is hereby approved as necessary to the health of the municipality and this board approve same as necessary sanitary improvement."

The water problem was not settled until 1964 when water was available to 75% of the town.

The lack of sewage system has long been with us. In 1970, Lincoln Park, Fairfield and Pequannock joined together to create a Sewerage Authority, serving the three communities, with a Treatment Plant to be located north of Two Bridges.

Former Councilman Louis R. Larson of Lincoln Park was elected the first Chairman of the Sewer Authority.

In 1927, the first Boy Scout troop was formed under the direction of Mr. Al McLaughlin. Meetings were held in Firemen's Hall.

In 1938 a small group of World War I veterans formed American Legion Post #279, and since that time the post has taken an active part in numerous civic activities, among which have been the sponsoring of several Boy Scout troops and scholarship awards in the public school.

Francis W. Lyman was elected first commander. Its first meeting was held in the basement of St. Joseph's R.C. Church and thereafter until its own building was built in 1957 its meetings were held in the old Borough Hall.

The Post received its charter on April 14, 1939 and the following veterans were its charter members: Daniel Jennings; Frank C. Lange; John E. Norris; R.L. Bowers; Clement N. Cottrell; John N. McCoy; Edward T. Bennington; Clarence G. Cobb; Louis G. Green; Edward E. Ebbrecht; Edward C. Green; James S. Meehan; Charles Loehr; Michael Gassman; Harold H. Gassman; Fred Breitingler; Jos. Morris; Sydney G. Inch; Louis Gigliotti; Francis W.

Lyman; William Shaw; Fred G. Miller; George L. Green and Harry Schroeder. During World War II the post took an active part in forming the local defense council and civilian police, inaugurating a plan for blood typing of its members for emergency use and busily engaging in other war activities. It erected the honor roll in the center of town and the roll bore the names of 194 local men, 9 of whom paid the supreme sacrifice. Few small town posts can boast of the record and reputation of Post #279. It has been an asset and a credit to Lincoln Park. More on the Borough in the January edition of the Journal.

Recipe of the Month

Submitted by: Joan Ward

Rainbow-Raisin Coleslaw

- 1 1/2 C packed shredded green cabbage
- 1 1/2 C packed shredded [purple cabbage]
- 1/2 small red bell pepper, minced or cut in thin slices
- 1/2 small yellow bell pepper, minced or cut in thin slices
- 1 medium carrot grated
- 1/2 C raisins (black or golden or both)
- 1/3 C mayonnaise
- 1/3 C plain yogurt
- 1 Tb honey
- 1 tsp cider vinegar
- 1/2 tsp salt

Combine the vegetables and raisins in a large bowl.

In a second container, combine the mayonnaise, yogurt, honey, vinegar and salt. Use a fork or small whisk to mix until uniform. Pour dressing into the salad, mix well and serve.

Library Corner Continued

If Funds are available in the account, printing will be allowed and an amount of money will be taken from this account per page printed. Patrons with fines over a specified amount, lost books or invalid library cards will be barred from using the public computers until these problems are rectified. Patrons will be warned before the computers automatically shut down at the end of the day.

There will be one express PC which will allow a quick check of the library catalog

only. Visitors will be issued temporary cards which expire at the end of the limited session. They will receive less time than registered patrons of the library. Additional M.A.I.N., Inc. (Morris Automated Information Network) libraries are expected to acquire SAM in the near future.

New and upcoming DVDs at the library include: Waitress, The Bourne Ultimatum, Mr. Bean's Holiday, Once, Prime Suspect: The Final Act, Cinderella II, Big Love: The Complete First and Second Season, Brothers & Sisters: The Complete First Season, and Frasier: The Tenth Season.

New Music CDs include: Long Road Out of Eden (Eagles), Trace Adkins Greatest

Hits Volume II, The Black and White Album (The Hives), and The Essential Paul

Simon.

New Books include: Double Cross by James Patterson, Stone Cold by David

Baldacci, World Without End by Ken Follett, The Chase by Clive Cussler,

Boom! By Tom Brokaw, and Born Standing Up by Steve Martin.

The next regular meeting of the Library Board of Trustees will be held on Monday,

January 28 at 7:30pm at the library.

Lions Club News

Submitted by: Wayne Arvidson

Lincoln Park Lions Club

Brielle Cheff, a student at the Lincoln Park Middle School, is this years winner of the Peace Poster Contest sponsored by Lincoln Park Lions Club.

Brielle's name will be added to the John DeMauro Memorial Plaque at the Lincoln Park Middle School that honors past Peace Poster contest winners.

Brielle will also be presented with a US Savings Bond at a future Lions Club meeting.

The Lions Peace Poster Contest in Lincoln Park is part of an international peace poster contest sponsored by the International Association of Lions Clubs and attracts thousands of entries world wide.

For the past several years the United Nations has issued UN Stamps of the six top winners at the international level.

The Lincoln Park Lions Club thanks Lincoln Park Middle School teacher Mrs. Levinson for all the support she has given to her students that want to participate in this contest. We also thank the faculty members that select the school's winner from among the many fine entries.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONTINUED:

Friday, June 6, 9am-12pm
Podiatry Clinic

Tuesday, June 10, 5:30pm-7pm
Skin Cancer Screening*

Thursday, June 12, 9am-12pm
Child Health Clinic

Monday, June 16, 10am-12pm
Blood Pressure Screening

Wednesday, June 25, 11:30am-12:30pm
Seniors' Blood Pressure Screening ☺

Programs with an "☺" are held at the Collins Pavilion.

Programs with a "☺" are in St. Joseph's Church basement.

Please call the Health Department (973) 270-2040 for any information or to make an appointment for our screenings

Morris County Parks Commission

Pyramid Mountain Natural Historic Area's Guided Hikes for the month. Meet in the Visitor Center at 472A Boonton Ave. in Montville Twp. For more information call 973-334-3130 or visit www.morrisparks.net.

*Pre-registration is required call 973-334-3130. Fees are non-refundable.

1/5: Welcome to the New Year Hike, 1 pm FREE for ages 8 & up

1/9: Awesome Animal Artists, 4-5 pm \$3 per Class*, ages 5-7

1/13: Woodland Adventures, 12:30-1:30 pm \$8 per class, ages 4-6

1/16: Animals at Play, 12:30-1:30 pm \$8 per class, ages 4-6

1/16-2/20: Nature's Little Explorers 9:45 am & 10:45 am, \$50* for ages 2 & 3

1/19: Snow Shoe Celebration, 10 am—3 pm \$5*, all ages

1/23: Hop & Jump, 12:30-1:30 pm \$8 per class, ages 4-6

1/24-2/21: Nature's Classroom Fall Session, 1-3 pm \$40* great for all ages (no class 1/31)

1/27: Singles Hike, 1 pm FREE*

1/30: Diggin' It, 12:30-1:30 pm \$8 per class, ages 4-6

Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center, 247 Southern Blvd., Chatham, NJ 07928. *Registration is required 973-635-6629. Fees are non-refundable. Contact them at 973-635-6629 or jbrine@morrisparks.net if you have any questions.

Baby and Me Hikes: Put your infant in a pack and join a naturalist out on various Morris County area Trails.

1/8: Mt. Hope, Dover, 9:30-11 am \$1*

1/15: Sherman Hoffman, Bernardsville, 9:30-11 am \$1*

1/22: Buttermilk Falls, Mendham Twp., 9:30-11 am \$1*

1/29: Schiff Natural Lands Trust, Mendham Twp., 9:30-11 am \$1*

Hikes For All Ages:

1/8: Lunchtime Walk 12:15-12:45 pm FREE*, ages 18 & up

1/12: Eagle Watching Trip, 9-5 \$20*, ages 18 & up

1/13: Maple Sugaring Demonstrations, 2 pm \$2*

1/15: Lunchtime Walk 12:15-12:45 pm FREE*, ages 18 & up

1/15: Pre-K Walk-Owl Prowl, 10 am, \$5/child*, ages 4 & 5

1/16: Awesome Animal Artists, 4-5 pm, \$3/per class* ages 5-7

1/17-2/21: Nature's Little Explorers, 9:45-10:30 am or 10:45-11:30 am \$50 per child*, 2 & 3 years old

1/18: Wild & Wonderful Winter: Home School Science Series, 1-3 pm, \$40*, ages 6-8

1/20: Maple Sugaring Demonstrations, 2 pm \$2*

1/22: Lunchtime Walk 12:15-12:45 pm FREE*, ages 18 & up

1/27: Maple Sugaring Demonstrations, 2 pm \$2*

1/29: Lunchtime Walk 12:15-12:45 pm FREE*, ages 18 & up

2/8: Wild & Wonderful Winter: Home School Science Series, 1-3 pm, \$40*, ages 6-8

2/22: Wild & Wonderful Winter: Home School Science Series, 1-3 pm, \$40*, ages 6-8

3/7: Wild & Wonderful Winter: Home



First Reformed Church

Submitted by: Carol Anderson

We are committed to living and sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with everyone, everywhere, every day. . . . Welcome! Located at 60 Chapel Hill Road, next to Borough Hall. Contact us at 973-694-4336 or e-mail, office@frc-lpnj.org. Our website is frc-lpnj.org. We are completely handicap accessible.

Meet our staff: Wendell Pitt, Youth/Young Adult Ministries; Charles Postas, Music Minister; Carol Anderson, Office Staff.

Worship times: 8 am worship with contemporary music; 10 am worship with contemporary & traditional music; 9 am Sunday School for Children 3 years thru 12th grade; Childcare is available from 10 am to 11:15 am. "THE WORD" meets on Sunday evenings at 8 pm, a ministry for 20- and 30-year-olds in the area (Contact Wendell 973-224-7762 or wendellpitt@gmail.com); Junior High (6th thru 8th grad) meets Sunday 6:00 to 7:00 PM

Mondays: AA Meeting (women only) at 7 pm; Consistory the second Monday of the month; Bible Study (Contagious Joy)

Tuesdays: Men's Bible Study 7 am; Women's Bible Study 7:30 pm; Rock of Salvation 7:30 pm

Wednesdays: Prayer Service 7 pm; AA Meeting 8 pm

Thursdays: Women's Bible Study 10:00 am; Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Saturdays: Men's Bible Study 7:30 am

YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES: You can contact Wendell Pitt at 973-224-7762 or by email at wendellpitt@gmail.com about ministries for youth.

CHRISTMAS EVE we will have a Family Candlelight Service at 8 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend the celebration of the birth of Jesus.

Jacksonville Chapel

JANUARY 2008 SCHEDULE

Submitted by: Lauren Katona

www.jacksonvillechapel.org or

call the Chapel office at 973-334-6657

Main Campus

Jacksonville Chapel
264 Jacksonville Road
Lincoln Park, NJ 07035

Crossroads Campus

Jacksonville Chapel
270 Parish Drive
Wayne, NJ 07470

WEEKEND SERVICES

Main Campus

Saturday Night 5:30 PM - Auditorium (Contemporary)

Sunday 8:30 AM- Auditorium (Traditional)

Sunday 9:45 AM- Auditorium (Blended)

Sunday 11:15 AM- Auditorium (Contemporary)

Sunday 9:45 and 11:15 AM - Emergence

OUR NEWEST VENUE

Main Campus

Emergence

Sunday 9:45 and 11:15 AM

Join us for a progressive and casual church service in the All- Purpose Building (APB). Come as you are. www.emergencenj.org

Crossroads Campus

Sunday 11:15 AM

Auditorium (**en Español**)

SUNDAYS MAIN CAMPUS (MC)

CROSSROADS CAMPUS (CR)

Nursery, MC & CR

18 months through pre-K (all services)

Children's Classes,

K-5th grade 9:45 & 11:15 am MC
11:15 AM CR

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Nursery, MC & CR, 18 months through pre-K (all services). **Children's Classes** K-5th grade 9:45 & 11:15 am MC; 11:15 AM CR. **Student Classes** 6th grade—12th grade 9:45 AM MC, 11 am CR, 18-30 year olds, **MC Adult Bible Fellowships** 9:45 & 11:15 AM MC, 11 AM CR. **Singled Bible Fellowship** 9:45 AM MC (Adult Singles). **SUNDAY EVENING: Choir, MC** 6:30-8:30 PM (9th grade-Adult)(Sept. thru June).

Nxt-Gen Ministries, MC www.NXT-GEN.org, Middle School (grades 6-8). **"Edge AM"** 9:45-10:55; **"Edge PM"** 6:30-8:30 PM (Sept. thru June), High School (grades 9-12); **"OSC AM"** 9:45-10:55 AM **"OSC PM"** 7-9 PM (Sept. thru June).

MONDAYS Women's Ministries, MC

7 PM (Sept. thru June); **Life Givers, MC** Illness Support Group 7 PM (2nd & 4th Monday) All Purpose Building; Pioneer Girls, MC (1st-8th grade) 7 PM (Sept. thru June); **Growing Through Divorce, MC** (for parents) 6 PM Parker House (Sept. thru June); **REAL, MC** 7 PM Nxt-Gen Building, **MC** for youth with wounded spirits (Sept. thru June); **Band 8 PM, MC** (9th grade-adult); **Grief Share, MC** 1st & 3rd Mon. 7 PM All-Purpose Building.

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St. Andrew's

Submitted by: Kathy Nardone

211 Main Street - Lincoln Park. The church is located in the middle of Main Street (across from Lincoln Park Hardware) Parking is in the rear of Thorpe Hall on Station Road.

Rev. Richard B. Andersen, Interim Rector
Church Office: 973-694-5915; Nursery School: 973-694-2358; Thrift Shop 973-694-2854.

Choir Rehearsal:

Thursday - 7:15 p.m. in the church. **ECW: (Episcopal Church Women)** 1st Tuesday of each month in Thorpe Hall after Morning Prayer service at 11:45 a.m.

SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE—

8:00 A.M. & 9:30 a.m. Sunday Services

Our Sunday worship services have been linked with Church of the Transfiguration (COTT) in Montville. Holy Eucharist services are held at St. Andrew's at 9:30 a.m. and Church of the Transfiguration at both 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 am. St. Andrew's will have "coffee hour" preceding the church service beginning at

Local Church News Continued

Abundant Life Worship Center

Submitted by: Rosemarie Orsita

We've moved...All our belongings are unpacked our home is somewhere new; and now that we're all settled in we'd love a visit from you! Here's our new address:

Abundant Life Worship Center; 103 Jacksonville Road, Lincoln Park, NJ 07035,
www.lincolnparkalwc.org

ALL WELCOME! If you need additional information, please call our church office at 973-694-9998.

Weekly Services: Sunday Worship 10:00 am: Our Sunday morning worship is a time for the entire family to come to church and be ministered to. There is a complete children's church program for infants thru 12 years of age. These programs are designed to make attending church both fun and educational for children while also allowing the parents the freedom to enjoy worshipping without any distractions. Our Sunday service consists of lively and inspirational music and the dynamic preaching of God's Holy Word, the Bible. There is also prayer for the sick and the belief that God is still able to do wonderful and miraculous things for his children today. Warning: these services have been known to change people's lives. You may leave them filled with the power of God, his unspeakable joy, a renewed sense of hope & faith, a better marriage, and a smile on your face. People may not recognize you. **Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm:** Our mid-week Bible study is a chance to learn and to ask questions about the word of God in a casual and informal setting. Coffee is available in this classroom setting. Detailed studies of biblical themes along with practical topics such as: marriages, the family, finances and dealing with emotional hurts are just some of the subjects that we openly discuss. There is a complete children's church program for infant thru 12 years of age every Wednesday.

The Bible is the most purchased book of all time; it is also the most unread book of all time. Most people claim to believe in the Bible yet have no idea what it says. Are your spiritual beliefs in line with the scriptures?

Tuesdays: 5:30 am Men's Morning Prayer for information call church office

Thursdays: 9:30 am Women connecting to Women Bible Study at the church

St. Andrew's

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about 9:10 a.m. so stop in for coffee and then join us for church. Please join us at either church for worship. **Please note:** Beginning January 6, 2008 there will again be two Sunday morning services at St. Andrew's. We will be resuming our 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist service as well as continuing the 9:30 a.m. service. COTT will have only one service at 10:30 a.m.

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH NEWS

Busy Beaver Nursery School Open House Jan. 29 - Jan. 31

Busy Beaver Nursery School will be accepting registrations for the 2008/2009 school year during our annual Open House. Our state licensed nursery school program includes a two-day program for 3-year-olds on Mondays and Thursdays and a three-day program on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday for 4 year olds. (Children must be 3 or 4 years of age by October 1, 2008)

We invite all prospective students and parents to stop by our preschool during these times and to visit the class appropriate to your child's school age.

Three-year-old classes

Monday, January 28th and Thursday,
January 31st 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Four-year-old classes

Tuesday, January 29th and Wednesday,
January 30th 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Morning classes will be filled first then registration will open for the afternoon classes. Classes are filled on a first come first serve basis. Registrations are accepted in the order they are received and classes fill quickly. If you are registering during the open house, we will need a photocopy of your child's birth certificate and payment of a \$30.00 non-refundable registration fee.

Busy Beaver is located in the center of Lincoln Park at 211 Main Street. Parking is in the rear of the building off of Station Road. Please call 973-694-2358 for further information.

Busy Beaver Nursery School: Our annual **Open House** will be held beginning on **Monday, January 28, 2007**. At that time, we will begin accepting enrollment for the 2008/2009 school year. Children must be age 3 or 4 by October 1, 2008. Please call the office (973) 694-2358 if you would like any information about the Open House.

St. Andrew's Thrift Shop:

- The shop will be closed for the Christmas Holidays from Dec. 26 through Dec. 29. Regular hours will resume on Wednesday, January 8, 2008.
- The Shop hours are: Weds - Sat. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Fridays the shop is open 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.
- We are located in Thorpe Hall A large parking lot is located in rear of the building off of Station Rd.
- Consignments are accepted Thursday through Saturday between 10:00 a.m. and 12 noon **only**. A limit of 10 per week/per account may be brought in on consignment. Due to space limitations, large items such as furniture, dressers, tables, etc. cannot be accepted.

Shop-Rite Gift Cards: St. Andrew's sells Shop Rite Gift Cards on Sundays after church and during the week in the parish office in Thorpe Hall. Shop Rite gift cards come in these different denominations: \$10, \$20, \$50, \$100 and can be mixed or matched. Please call the office (973-694-5915) during the week if you would like to stop by and purchase some. **They make great holiday gifts for those who have everything!**

St. Andrew's... "A Place to Belong"
Please join us on Sunday for worship and fellowship. We look forward to meeting you.

Local Church News Continued

St. Joseph's

Submitted by: Lorraine Thierry

We are located at 216 Comly Road across from Beaver Brook Gardens. Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Parish Office: 973-696-4411 Religious Education: 973-694-8289. Fax: 973-305-8466, stjoelp@optonline.net www.stjosephsonline.org

ADVENT WREATH MAKING: This family event is being held on December 2 beginning at 10 AM to 12 Noon in Halloran Hall. All materials will be supplied. This is a wonderful opportunity for families to come together to make their Advent Wreaths in preparation for the holy season of Advent. Please call the parish office to register @ 973.696.4411.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS: Grades K-8: The Sacrament of First Penance will be celebrated on Wednesday, December 5 for our Fourth Grade Students.

Practice for the students participating in this year's Nativity Pageant will take place on Sunday, December 23rd @ 1 pm in Church.

There will be a Penance Service for students in Grades 5 & 6 on December 19 in Church at 7 PM.

PARISH CHRISTMAS PARTY: All parishioners are invited to a Christmas Party on Sunday, December 9th from 1 – 5 PM in Halloran Hall. Please join us to celebrate the glorious season of Advent and to share fellowship with neighbors and friends.

NURSING HOME PROJECT FOR CHRISTMAS: Each year we are responsible for providing gifts for over 800 residents of the Lincoln Park Renaissance and Rehab Facility and each year, through God's grace, we are able to meet our goal. This is only accomplished through the generosity and caring hearts of our parishioners. The tags with gift suggestions are in the back of church. Gifts should be returned wrapped and placed on the windowsills in church.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE: December 17: Individual Confession from 6-6:45 PM
December 18: Individual Confession from 7-8 PM; December 22: Individual Confession from 3-5 PM; December 24: Children's Christmas Pageant @ 4 PM; Special Family Mass @ 4:30 pm; Mass @ 6:30 pm;

Mass @ 11 pm; December 25: Masses at 8 am, 10 am and 12 noon December 31: Masses at 4 PM; January 1: Mass at 8 AM

CALENDAR RAFFLE: In January, we will be holding a 10 Week Calendar Raffle and will be raffling off \$500 each week beginning on January 6th. There will only be 500 tickets sold. The price of the ticket will be \$50. That averages out to only \$5 per week. The odds are really great!! All tickets will be eligible for all 10 drawings. If you're interested in purchasing a ticket, please contact Tina Vatrano at 973.872.2104.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring their annual oldies dance featuring **FRANKIE CANTA AND THE DREAMMAKERS** on Saturday, November 10 from 7-11 pm. The cost is \$10 per person and includes beer, soda, coffee, cookies and great music. For tickets call Rich Williams at 973.696.7090.

YOUTH MINISTRY: The Youth Ministry group will be holding a dance for all middle school aged children on Friday, December 14 from 7:30 to 10 PM in Halloran Hall.

WOMEN'S MOVIE NIGHT: Will be held on Friday, November 2 @ 7:30 PM in Halloran Hall. Popcorn and snacks will be served.

The Legion of Mary Ministry meets each Saturday @ 1PM in Room 10 of the school.

The Knights of Columbus collect aluminum cans every Saturday morning between 9 am and 11 am.

The Warming Bee Ministry, meets weekly on Tuesdays @ 1:00 in Room 10.

Jacksonville Chapel Continued:

Student Classes

6th grade - 12th grade

9:45 AM MC

11:00 AM CR

18-30 years old, MC

Adult Bible Fellowships

9:45 & 11:15 AM MC

11:00 AM CR

Singles Bible Fellowship

9:45 AM MC (Adult Singles)

SUNDAY EVENING

Choir, MC 6:30-8:30 PM

(9th grade - Adult)(Sept. thru June)

Nxt-Gen Ministries, MC

www.NXT-GEN.org

Middle School (grades 6-8)

"Edge X" 9:45 - 10:55

"Edge PM" 6:30 - 8:30 PM

(Sept. thru June)

High School (grades 9-12)

"OSC PM" 6:30- 8:30 PM

(Sept. thru June)

MONDAYS

Women's Ministries, MC

7:00 PM (Sept. thru June)

Life Givers, MC

Living with life-threatening illness Support Group

7:00 PM (2nd & 4th Monday)

All Purpose Building

Pioneer Girls, MC

(1st - 8th grade) 7:00 PM

(Sept. thru June)

Growing Through Divorce MC

(for parents) 6:00 PM

Parker House (Sept. thru June)

REAL, MC

7:00 PM Nxt-Gen Building MC

for youth with wounded spirits

(Sept. thru June)

Band, 8:00 PM MC

(9th grade adult)

Grief Share MC

1st & 3rd Mondays 7:00 PM Parker

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TUESDAYS Battalion, MC 7 PM (boys in 7th-12th grade (Sept. thru June); Overcomers in Christ, MC Addiction Recovery Program 7 PM All-Purpose Building.

THURSDAY Women's Ministries, MC 9:15 AM (Sept. thru June); Tree Climbers, MC 7:00 PM (boys 1st & 2nd grade and their dads) (Sept. thru June); Stockade, MC 7:00 PM (boys in 3rd - 6th grade) (Sept. thru June).

FRIDAYS Parker House Cafe MC Ministry for Singles, All Purpose Bldg., 7:30 pm on the 3rd Friday of each month. If you are single & over 30 check us out. Call for event info. Prime Time (seniors), MC 1:00 PM.- 3rd Friday of the month (Sept. thru June)

Jacksonville Chapel Nursery School, MC JACKSONVILLE CHAPEL NURSERY SCHOOL. For 2 1/2 - 5 year old children; State certified; REGISTRATION for the 07-08 school year is ongoing. For more info. go to the nursery school website at jcnurseryschool.org or call 973-334-2798.

January 1

- Bryce Canyon National Park Established
Copyright Revision Law Signed
Ellis Island Opened
Emancipation Proclamation Takes Effect
Euro Introduced
First Baby Boomer Born 1946
Hank Greenberg born; 1911 Baseball Hall of Fame
Edgar J. Hoover born 1895
Profiles in Courage Published
Paul Revere born 1735
Betsy Ross born 1752
Doak Walker born 1927, Football Hall of Fame
"Mad Anthony" Wayne Born 1745
American Revolutionary War General

January 2

- 55-MPH Speed Limit; 1974
Georgia Ratification Day 1788
Roger Miller born 1936
Space Milestone: Luna 1 (USSR) 1959
Helen Herron Taft born 1861 wife of 27th President
Martha Carey Thomas born 1857

January 3

- Alaska Admission Day 1959
"The Arsenio Hall Show" TV Premier 1989
Grace Anna Goodhue Coolidge born 1879 wife of 30th President
First Female Congressional Page 1939
"Look Up and Live" TV Premiere 1954
Lucretia Mott born, 1793 one of the founders of the women's rights movement
"Queen For A Day" TV Premiere 1956
Joseph L. Rauh born 1911 Political activist
Space Milestone: Mars Exploration Rover Spirit (US) 2004
John Sturges born 1911
J.R.R. Tolkien born 1892 author of "The Hobbit"

January 4

- Louis Braille born 1809 inventor of touch system of reading

- "The Catholic Hour" TV Premiere 1953
General Tom Thumb born 1838
Isaac Newton born 1643
"Night Court" TV Premiere 1984
Nixon's Rejection of Senate Order 1974
Floyd Patterson born 1935
Utah Admission Day 45th state 1896

January 5

- Alvin Ailey born 1931 choreographer
"All My Children" TV Premiere 1970
George Washington Carver died 1943
Five-Dollar-A-Day Minimum Wage 1914
Jeannette Ridlon Piccard born 1895 1st American woman to qualify as a free balloon pilot
Wyoming Inaugurates first woman Governor in US 1925

January 6

- George H.W. & Barbara Bush Wedding Anniversary 1945
"Hallmark Hall of Fame" TV Premiere 1952
Joan of Arc born 1412
Ban Johnson born 1863 Baseball Hall of Fame
Eugene T. Maleska born 1916 NY Times crossword puzzle editor
Tom Mix born 1880
New Mexico Admission Day 1912 47th State
Pan Am Circles Earth 1042
Haym Salomon died 1785 American Revolutionary War patriot
Carl Sandburg born 1878
Jedediah Strong Smith born 1799
Space Milestone: Luna Explorer (US) 1998
Danny Thomas born 1912
"Wheel of Fortune" TV Premiere 1975
Loretta Young born 1913

January 7

- "Fame" TV Premiere 1982
Millard Fillmore born 1800 13th President

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January 7

First Balloon Flight Across English Channel 1785
First US Commercial Bank 1782
Vincent Gardenia born 1922
Harlem Globetrotters Play First Game 1927
Aristotle Onassis birth 1906

January 8

AT&T Divestiture 1982
Battle of New Orleans 1815
Earth's Rotation Proved 1851
Jose Ferrer born 1912
Elvis Presley Born 1935
War on Poverty 1964

January 9

Bob Denver born 1935
Fake Howard Hughes Biography 1972
"It Takes A Thief" TV Premiere 1968
Richard Milhous Nixon born 1013
"Rawhide" TV Premiere 1959
St. Petersburg Massacre 1905
"3rd Rock From The Sun" TV Premiere
Murat Bernard Young "Chic" born 1901 creator of the comic strip "Blondie"

January 10

First United Nations General 1946
League of Nations Founding 1920
"Masterpiece Theater" TV Premiere 1971
Women's Suffrage Amendment Introduced in Congress 1878

January 11

"Designated Hitter" Rule Adopted 1973
Alexander Hamilton born 1755
US Surgeon General Declares Cigarettes Hazardous 1964

January 12

"All In The Family" TV Premiere 1971
"Batman" TV Premiere 1966

Congress Authorizes Use of Force Against Iraq 1991

"Dynasty" TV Premiere 1981
First Woman Senator Elected 1932
Ira Hamilton Hayes born 1922 one of 6 US Marines who raised the American flag on Iwo Jima
Women Denied Vote 1915

January 13

Alfred Fuller born 1885
Johnny Cash at Folsom Prison 1968
Radio Broadcasting Anniversary 1910
"The Sopranos" TV Premiere 1999

January 14

Benedict Arnold born 1741
First Caesarean Section 1794
Ratification Day 1784
"Sanford and Son" TV Premiere 1972
Albert Schweitzer born 1875
Space Milestone: SOYUZ 4 (USSR)
"Today" TV Premiere 1952
William Whipple born 1730 signer of the Declaration of Independence

January 15

Black Dahlia Murder 1947
First Super Bowl 1967
"Happy Days" TV Premiere 1974
"Hill Street Blues" TV Premiere 1981
Martin Luther King, Jr. born 1929
Philip Livingston born 1716 signer of the Declaration of Independence
Pentagon completed 1943

January 16

Civil Service Created 1883
Dizzy Dean born 1911
"Donny & Marie" TV Premiere 1976
Dian Fossey born 1932 studied the endangered mountain gorilla
Gulf War Begins 1991
Ethel Merman born 1909
Andre Michelin born 1853 Michelin Tire Co.
Prohibition (18th) Amendment 1919

January 17

Cable Car Patent 1871
Al Capone born 1899
1st Nuclear-Powered Submarine Voyage 1955
Benjamin Franklin born 1706 signer of the Declaration of Independence
"Frontline" TV Premiere 1983
"The Goldbergs" TV Premiere 1949
Ike's Farewell 1961
PGA of America Founded 1916
Southern California Earthquake 1994

January 18

1st Black US Cabinet Member 1966
Cary Grant born 1904
Oliver Hardy born 1892 "Laurel & Hardy"
"The Jeffersons" TV Premiere 1975
Danny Kaye born 1913
Lewis & Clark Expedition Commissioned 1803
"Ted Mack's Original Amateur Hour" TV Premiere 1948

January 19

"48 Hours" TV Premiere 1988
Janis Joplin born 1943
Robert E. Lee born 1807
"The Millionaire" TV Premiere 1955
Edgar Allan Poe born 1809
Tin Can Patent 1825
War Crimes Tribunal Appointed (Japan) 1946

January 20

George Burns born 1896
Harold Lincoln Gray born 1894 creator of "Little Orphan Annie"
John Marshall Appointed Chief Justice 1801
Richard Henry Lee born 1732 signer of the Declaration of Independence
US Revolutionary War 1783

January 21

Ethan Allen born 1738
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January 21

John Cabell Breckinridge born 1821
14th Vice President

John Moses Browning born 1855 gun-
maker

Wolfman Jack born 1938

January 22

January 23

20th Amendment to US Constitution
Ratified 1933 (fixing the date of the
Presidential Inauguration)

24th Amendment to the US Constitu-
tion Ratified 1964 Poll taxes and other
taxes were eliminated as a prerequisite
for voting

USS Pueblo Seized by North Korea
1968

January 24

John Belushi born 1949

California Gold Discovery 1848

FDR's Unconditional Surrender State-
ment 1943

Space Milestone: *COSMOS 954* (USSR)
Falls 1978

Space Milestone: *Discovery* (US) 1985

January 25

Around the World in 72 Days 1890

Charles Curtis born 1860 31st Vice
President

First Scheduled Transcontinental Flight
1959

First Televised Presidential News Con-
ference 1961

First Winter Olympics 1924

Macintosh Debuts (computer) 1984

Virginia Wolf born 1882

January 26

Dental Drill Patent 1875

"The Dukes of Hazard" TV Premiere
1979

Lotus 1-2-3 Released 1983

Douglas MacArthur born 1880

Michigan Admission Day 1837 26th
state

Rocky Mountain National Park Estab-
lished 1915

January 27

APOLLO 1: Spacecraft Fire 1967

Gunpowder Plot Trial 1606

"Laverne & Shirley" TV Premiere 1976

Hyman George Rickover born 1900

"Father of the Nuclear Navy"

Vietnam Peace Agreement Signed 1973

January 28

"Barnaby Jones" TV Premiere 1973

CHALLENGER space shuttle explosion
1986

"Fantasy Island" TV Premiere 1978

Great Seal of the US Authorization
1782

January 29

W.C. Fields born 1880

Kansas Admission Day 1861 34th state

William McKinley born 1843 25th
President

Military Ban on Homosexuals Eased
1993

Thomas Paine born 1737

The Seeing Eye Established 1929

January 30

Beatles Last Concert 1969

Richard Chaney born 1941 46th Vice
President

1st Brawl in the US House of Repre-
sentatives 1798

Gandhi Assassinated 1948

Franklin Delano Roosevelt born 1882
32nd President

January 31

1st Social Security Check Issued 1940

Garry Moore born 1915

Jackie Robinson born 1919

Space Milestone: *APOLLO 14* (US) 1971

Space Milestone: *EXPLORER 1* (US)
1958

Space Milestone: *LUNA 9* (USSR)

Space Milestone Project Mercury Test
(US) 1961

From the Desk of the Mayor Continued:

Programs were offered for the benefit of children as well as adults. Improvements to our Community Lake, Parent's Night Out, expanded hours "Kinder-Rec" and Summer Camp programs, Walk to School Day, Weight Loss Challenges, a Holiday Festival at the new Municipal building and the formation of the 1st. Annual Beavertown Fall Classic 5K race are just a few of the ways that we were able to add to the quality of life and pride in our community this past year. I look forward to being able to offer even more in the coming year.

An additional item that was a topic of interest in speaking with many residents was the need for better communication between the borough and our residents. We have responded with many upgrades to the communication to and from the borough. There have been many improvements to the Beavertown Journal that is published by our Municipal Clerk. In order to offer the journal to more residents, we made one additional town-wide mailing in 2007 and I look to do more in 2008. We have enhanced the use of our cable public access channel, not only for emergency purposes, but to post notification of information and events from the borough and the different civic organizations which serve Lincoln Park. There has been greater use of the borough web-site including an expansion of borough and community event calendars and the implementation of a newsgroup service which has the ability to send important information via email directly to those who sign up for the free service.

As in any vibrant community, youth is the key to the future. This past year many vacant and expired terms to our various boards were filled by appointments of some young adults in our community. I value and appreciate the efforts of all the members of our town who have served and continue to serve on the different boards and committees which help guide our town. This year we also have the formation of two new committees in town: The Citizen's Advisory Board and the Flood Advisory Committee. These two new entities are full of deeply dedicated individuals who have a great desire to assure that Lincoln Park remains the great and wonderful community that it is.

Many civic organizations have contributed greatly to Lincoln Park this past year. Just to name a few, The Pequannock Valley Rotary Club helped tremendously with the 5K race. The Lion's Club continued their support of our annual Halloween party. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts continue to shape the future leaders of our community. The American Legion runs our annual Memorial Day Parade. The Fire Department and First Aid Squad along with the great service they provide for health, fire and flood protection made sure that Santa could get around town this year to all his stops. I would like to express gratitude to every civic organization, business owner and individual who contributed so magnificently to our community in 2007 and ask you for your continued commitment and enthusiasm in 2008. The PAL, its volunteer board members and coaches, continue to provide excellent athletic programs for our children. And speaking of PAL programs, along with running their first invitational softball tournament, Lincoln Park took home awards from various tournaments this year including girls Softball, Baseball, Soccer, Competition Cheerleading and a Super Bowl Championship for one of our Raider's Football teams. I would like to congratulate the entire PAL membership, coaches and children on great seasons and for representing Lincoln Park so well.

Through the course of 2007 we had the retirement of several long time borough employees. Parks & Recreation Superintendent Stan Smith, Zoning Enforcement official Gary McNabb and Nadda Lohavichan from the finance department decided to move on to the next step of their lives. I thank them for their dedicated service to the borough and wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors.

I would like to thank all of the department heads for a job well done this year. Administrator and Borough Engineer Joe Maiella, Department of Public Works Superintendent Tom Piorkowski, Police Chief Sean Canning, Health Official Pat Pignatelli, Parks and Recreation Superintendent Janet Cassidy, CFO Dennis Gerber, Fire Chief Sal Marino and EMS Chief Donna Moeller along with our Municipal Clerk Penny Maida-Smith and Secretary to the Administrator Ellen Ross were all involved in making sure that the services of the borough were provided as efficiently as possible. I would like to extend a special thank you to those individuals above who also helped to make my first year as your Mayor a resourceful and productive one.

I am grateful towards each and every employee of the Borough of Lincoln Park. At the beginning of the year, I met with every employee and let them know that my goal was to provide a great quality of service, increase communication and be accountable for the service we provide to our residents. I hope you join me in my belief that this goal has been accomplished. I expect that every employee will unite with me in pledging that the accessibility, accountability and reliability of all borough department and employees will continue in the coming year.

Credit for much of what happened in Lincoln Park this year must be shared with the Council members who serve the best interests of the borough. Hy, Ray, Jim, Ellen, Anne, Lou and Janet — I, and the residents you serve thank you for your hard work.

In closing, I would like to recognize the efforts of the Lincoln Park Community as a whole. Every person, every group, each individual, each of us who provide a service and those that make use of the service and programs provided; we all play an important part in the completion of our community. Wherever you fit in this circle of community, thank you for being part of it and contributing in the ways you are able to.

