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## Vitale & Coughlin Announce Clean Communities Grants for the 19<sup>th</sup> Legislative District

*Funds go to Counties & Municipalities for Litter Cleanups & Improve Quality of Life in New Jersey Communities*

Press Release 6/8/17

TRENTON – Senator Joseph Vitale and Assemblyman Craig J. Coughlin announced today the award of New Jersey Clean Communities grants to municipalities in the 19th Legislative District to conduct litter cleanup and beautification efforts.

Municipalities in the 19th District were awarded \$365,454 in grants which included \$170,727 for Woodbridge Township, \$75,329 for Sayreville Borough, \$65,820 for Perth Amboy City, \$15,604 for South Amboy City and \$37,974 for Carteret Borough. In addition, Middlesex County will receive \$98,527.

"This funding is important to our communities as it helps to keep them clean and maintain their beauty while improving the quality of life for our residents," said Senator Vitale (D-Middlesex). "A clean community not only helps the environment but also helps to maintain the value of proper-

ties in our municipalities."

Activities funded by the grants include cleanups of storm water systems that can disperse trash into streams, rivers and bays; volunteer cleanups of public properties; adoption and enforcement of local anti-littering ordinances; beach cleanups; public information and education programs; and purchases of litter collection equipment, litter receptacles, recycling bins, anti-litter signs and supplies to remove graffiti.

"Clean communities are important for municipalities and counties to maintain their towns clear of litter that pollutes our roads, parks, water and neighborhoods," said Coughlin (D-Middlesex). "These grants are especially important to local residents who take pride in their communities."

The New Jersey Clean Communities Council, Inc. oversees the reporting requirements for the program. The allocations to

municipalities are based on the number of housing units and miles of municipally owned roadways within each municipality.

Municipalities and counties must file statistical reports with the New Jersey Clean Communities Council, Inc. every grant year. Statistical reports track the expenditure of funds and the progress of local programs.

Now in its 13th consecutive year, the Clean Communities Council oversees the implementation of litter abatement programs in 558 municipalities and 21 counties, collects statistical reports, maintains a data base of information that tracks local programs, and implements a statewide program of public information and education that targets Clean Communities coordinators, schools, and the general public. The Clean Communities Council also administers New Jersey's Adopt-a-Beach and Adopt-a-Highway programs.

## Perth Amboy Police Officers Participate in Torch Run



Perth Amboy Police participate in the Torch Run on Smith Street  
\*Photo by Carolyn Maxwell

PERTH AMBOY - 4 Police Officers from Perth Amboy participated in the Special Olympic Torch Run called the "Flame of Hope." This year was the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Law Enforcement Torch Run. Lt. Joseph Sulikowski is shown with the torch in his hand. Alongside him are Officers Danny Gonzalez, Special I Officer Luis Almanzar and Special II Officer Joe Holland. Holland had retired from the PAPD after 25 years of service and came back to the Force as a Special II Officer.

The Amboy Guardian had a chance to speak to Officer Holland about his participation in this run. He stated, "This year's run began at 4:45 a.m. on Friday, June 9, 2017 from Island Beach State Park. The 4 Officers from Perth Amboy who participated waited on the Sayreville side of the Victory Bridge to receive the torch from the participants from the Sayreville Police Department. All 4 of us were able to run with the torch on our route. After crossing over the Victory Bridge, we made a right hand turn onto Smith Street, then continued and made a left-hand turn onto State Street and then another left

hand turn onto Fayette Street to finish the run at Shop Rite, Perth Amboy. There, we were met by the top executives of Shop Rite and were presented with commendations for our participation. I participated in 17 Torch Runs and I am the oldest participant. The only year that I missed was in 2011 due to injury. I like to get up around 5:45 a.m. in the morning to run. I participate in local runs if my schedule permits. I did a Frog Hollow Run (in South Amboy) 2 years ago. In the 1980's, I participated in a full mile race for a fundraiser. The YMCA also used to have 3 mile runs in the 1980's called "Shape Up Amboy." I've also participated in 2.5 mile runs that St. Mary' Church used to have."

The Torch Run is held nationwide. According to [www.lettr.org](http://www.lettr.org): *The mission of the Law Enforcement Torch Run is to raise awareness for the Special Olympics movement. So far, the LETR has raised over \$600 million for the Special Olympics.*

To find out more about the Torch Run and it's benefactors, go to Law Enforcement for the Special Olympics or [www.lettr.org](http://www.lettr.org)

## 19<sup>th</sup> District -The Match-ups



Senator Joe Vitale



Asm. Craig Coughlin



Yvonne Lopez

19<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT/NEW JERSEY - Democrat Incumbent Assemblyman Craig Coughlin and newcomer Yvonne Lopez easily won the Democratic nomination for the upcoming November Election. Lopez took the seat vacated by John Wisniewski who was Assemblyman since 1996. Wisniewski

declined running for Assemblyman in 2017 in order to seek the Democratic nomination for Governor. During the recent Primary Election held on 6/6/17 Wisniewski lost to newcomer Phil Murphy by a large margin. Kim Guadagno won the Republican nomination for Governor. Deepak Malhortra

and Amarjit K. Riar won the Republican nomination for Assembly. Arthur J. Rittenhouse, Jr. won the Republican nomination for State Senator of the 19<sup>th</sup> District. Incumbent Joe Vitale won the Democratic nomination for State Senator. He has been representing the 19<sup>th</sup> District since 1998.

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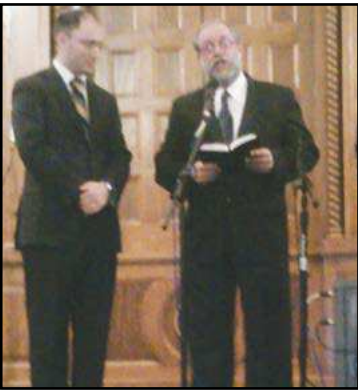
			
			
			
			
			
			
			
			
			
			



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EDITORIAL

Rabbi Ari Saks  
A Gift To Perth Amboy



Rabbi Ari Saks with his father,  
Rabbi Moshe Saks



Rabbi Ari Saks with his wife,  
Sarah



Welcoming Rabbi Ari Saks with a Celebration Dance  
\*File Photos by Carolyn Maxwell 11/14/12



(2<sup>nd</sup> from Left) Ali Abu Awwad, Rabbi Hanan Schlesinger, Rabbi Saks pose for a group photo after the panel discussion of a Rabbi and Palestinian Activist Seeking Peace through Understanding in Middle East Conflict

\*File Story & Photo by Ron Miskoff 9/17/14

Carolyn Maxwell and Katherine Massopust thank Ron Miskoff for suggesting that we ask Rabbi Ari Saks of Beth Mordecai for the use of the Synagogue for our first Mayoral Debate of 2012 and our last debate that was held in 2016.

Rabbi Saks could not have been more gracious, as were his staff. His patience, prayers and presence helped so much in calming our jitters.

Rabbi Saks along with Ron Miskoff also were responsible for the forum between the Palestinian and a Rabbi who became friends despite the conflict going on in their countries. As a Perth Amboy Police Chaplain, Rabbi Saks participated in many interfaith and community events such as the 9-11-01 Services. He would be available at local shopping malls for those who want to



Ari Saks with his son.  
\*File Photo by Bob Ned 4/16/15

know about Judaism and other subjects. As Rabbi Saks and his family prepare to leave Perth Amboy, we want them to know that we appreciate the gift of your presence while you were here and you will remain an honorary Perth Amboyman. C.M.& K.M.

THE COMMUNITY VOICE

New Principal Named at Assumption Catholic School in Perth Amboy, NJ

Press Release

PERTH AMBOY - On June 7, 2017, Fr. Ivan Turyk, Administrator of Assumption Catholic Parish and School, announces the selection of Mrs. Lissette Shumny as the school's new Principal. She will start her work on July 1, 2017 succeeding Mr. Michael Szpyhulsky who announced his retirement from the position of Principal and return to the classroom at ACS. During the remainder of this school year, Mr. Szpyhulsky ("Mr.S") and Mrs. Shumny will spend time working together to ensure a smooth transition.

Assumption Catholic School (ACS) is an AdvancED accredited school in Perth Amboy, NJ which first opened in 1963 with only first and second grades. Today it boasts a 4-year-old-pre-kindergarten through eighth grade. Hundreds of students have graduated from ACS including Mrs. Shumny herself. A former student and graduate becoming principal of her alma mater is history in the making at ACS and possibly beyond! After ACS Mrs. Shumny went to and graduated from Bishop George Ahr High School in Edison. She then attended Rid-

er University where her Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and Human Resource Management was earned. After working several years in the private sector, Mrs. Shumny felt a different calling. So when she enrolled her oldest child in ACS's pre-k, she applied for a teaching position and was hired. Once all three of her children were attending ACS, Mrs. Shumny realized how much she loved teaching. She enrolled in St. Peter's University graduate program and attended evening classes until she earned a Master's of Science degree in Education.

In her thirteen years at ACS Mrs. Shumny has been a third, sixth, and seventh grade teacher, Language Arts Curriculum Supervisor, and a behind the scene organizer of many school wide projects. When asked for her thoughts and feelings Mrs. Shumny replied, "It is truly an honor to have the opportunity to be Principal of Assumption Catholic School and to lead a school that is so close to my heart. My vision for ACS is to build on the rich legacy of a strong Catholic identity and dedicated teachers as well as chart a new course



Mrs. Lissette Shumny  
\*Photo Submitted

for our future. My focus will be in enriching the curriculum in the areas of math, science, and technology by developing new partnerships with leading institutions in order to prepare our students to be the leaders and innovators of tomorrow." Her enthusiasm, organization, fairness, and sense of humor will surely be advantageous in her new position. Please stop by and say Hello to our new Principal. Ask questions and hear her plans for the 2017-2018 school year!

To receive more information about the ACS call 732-826-8721 or visit us at [www.assumptioncatholicschool.net](http://www.assumptioncatholicschool.net)

2017 Summer Food Service Program

Press Release

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WED. Jun. 14	City Council, Regular, 7 p.m. City Hall, High St.
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










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**Correction**  
PERTH AMBOY - In the 6/7/17 issue of the Amboy Guardian it was incorrectly stated that the descendent of Thomas Mundy Peterson was named Denise Blanks. Her name is actually Bernice Blanks. The Amboy Guardian regrets this error.

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#### Raritan River Bridge Replacement Environmental Assessment / Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation

The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) and New Jersey Transit Corporation (NJ TRANSIT) have prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) and Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation for the Raritan River Bridge Replacement. Recognizing that bridge resiliency is essential to safe and reliable operations along the North Jersey Coast Line (NJCL), the Raritan River Bridge Replacement project will replace the existing swing bridge that carries NJ TRANSIT's NJCL trains over the Raritan River between Perth Amboy, NJ, and South Amboy, NJ. The new bridge will be on an alignment adjacent to the existing bridge, which suffered damage in 2012 during Superstorm Sandy. Built in 1908, the Raritan River Bridge is the sole rail link for 17 of the 20 stations on the NJCL to the major job centers of Newark and Jersey City in New Jersey and the New York City borough of Manhattan. It carries almost 10,000 NJ TRANSIT customers daily and moves two million tons of freight annually via Conrail.

The document has been prepared in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, Section 106, of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, Section 4(f) of the U.S. Department of Transportation Act of 1966, and all applicable regulations including: Council on Environmental Quality regulations at 40 CFR 1506.6; FTA regulations under 23 CFR 771.119(d); Executive Order 12898 on Environmental Justice; Executive Order 11988 on Floodplain Management; and U.S. DOT Order 5650.2 on Floodplain Management and Protection.


The EA/Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation is now available on the project's website at <http://njtransitresilienceprogram.com/documents> and at the following viewing locations:

NJ TRANSIT Headquarters	Federal Transit Administration
One Penn Plaza East Newark, NJ 07105	Region 2 Office One Bowling Green, Room 429 New York, NY 10004-1415


The official comment period for this EA/Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation is between June 14, 2017 and July 14, 2017. Comments may be submitted in the following ways:

- Submit comments at the following website: <http://njtransitresilienceprogram.com/contact-us/>
- Email to [riverdraw@njtransitresilienceprogram.com](mailto:riverdraw@njtransitresilienceprogram.com)
- Postal mail to the following address: NJ TRANSIT Resilience Program, Capital Planning & Programs Department, One Penn Plaza East, 8th Floor, Newark, NJ 07105

Following the close of the comment period, FTA will review the findings of the EA/Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation as well as the comments and responses and make a formal NEPA determination for the project. Public comments will be addressed in FTA's NEPA determination.



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Newborn Care Class for Grandparents

PERTH AMBOY- Hackensack Meridian Health Raritan Bay Medical Center, is providing a Newborn Care Class for Grandparents Wednesday, June 28, 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Raritan Bay Area YMCA, 357 New Brunswick Ave., Perth Amboy, NJ. The class is about learning to help in your grandbaby's growth and development. The latest techniques in baby care will be discussed. Cost is \$50 per couple. Make checks payable to RBMC. Registration required, call 1 . 8 0 0 . D O C T O R S (1.800.362.8677).

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## Thanksgiving Dinner

SOUTH AMBOY – South Amboy Elks will be holding a Thanksgiving Dinner in July on Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> from 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. Lodge is located at 601 Washington Ave. South Amboy. Dinner also includes salad, coffee, tea and desert. Cash bar will be available. Tickets for this dinner must be purchased in advance at the lodge or by calling 732-727-7170 or contact Joanne Kopik at 732- 668-3166. All proceeds go towards lodge charities.

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## Kearny Cottage Historical Association

### Berry Festival

Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup>  
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Civil War Re-enactors  
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Berry Refreshments Available  
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## Do you or someone you know have Old Photographs or Documents?

The Kearny Cottage Historical Society is  
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## Book Sale

WOODBIDGE - The Robert E. Lee CWRT and Research Center will be having a book sale on Saturday, July 1, 2017. Dozens of top quality books will be priced to sell. Some topics available will be personalities, battles, medicine and weapons, just to name a few. The library is located in the Mercatili Building on 94 Green Street in Woodbridge. Enter through the side doors which are off the driveway, and look for room 104. The sale will run from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Looking forward to seeing you! Stop by, peruse, chat and while you're there, enjoy our light refreshments.

## Edison AARP

### Ch. 3446

EDISON - Edison AARP Chapter 3446 will meet on Monday, June 19, 2017 at 11:30 am. The meeting will be held at The Pines Manor on Rte. 27 in Edison, and will feature the annual installation of officers for the coming year, as well as a presentation of the "Community Service Award" to a deserving member for outstanding service to AARP and the community. Following the ceremonies, a deli buffet will be served, along with a musical performance from instrumentalist Bill Herring.

Upcoming Events: June 23: AARP Driver Safety Program - For information, call Bob at 732-885-1789. September 15: Li Grecis, Staten Island, NY - For reservations, call Mary Ann at 732-287-3659. October 17: Lakeside Manor, Hazlet, NJ - For reservations, call Mary Ann at 732-287-3659. For additional information on the chapter or upcoming events, visit our website at [www.edisonaarp.org](http://www.edisonaarp.org).

## Maternity Tour and Family Health Information Open House

PERTH AMBOY - Hackensack Meridian Health Raritan Bay Medical Center, monthly tour of Check out our Cribs: Maternity Tour and Family Health information open house will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 7:00 p.m. Newly expectant parents are invited to tour and learn about the maternity unit's modern comforts, designed to provide a calm and relaxing birthing experience. Participants are asked to meet in the main lobby of Raritan Bay - Perth Amboy, 530 New Brunswick Ave. Registration required, call 1-800-DOCTORS (1-800-362-8677) and reference zip code 08861.

## Come Sail Aboard the Tall Ship

### AJ Meerwald

PERTH AMBOY - New Jersey's official Tall Ship will be calling Perth Amboy home from June 12 - June 18 "Come aboard we will be expecting you!" Evening Sails: June 12 - June 18: 6 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Ticket Prices: \$45 adult/\$40 senior/\$22 child; Saturday Family Sails: June 17 Morning: 10 a.m. - 12 noon. Ticket Prices: \$25 adult/\$20 senior/\$12 child June 18; Afternoon: 1:30 p.m. - 4 p.m. Ticket Price: \$35 adult/\$30 senior/\$25 child. Father's Day Breakfast Sail: Sunday June 18: 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Ticket Prices \$50 adult/\$45 senior/\$25 child. Location: Harborside Marina Perth Amboy, 2608 Front Street. Private sails and charters available! For information and ticket sales: 856-785-2060 or [bayshorecenter.org](http://bayshorecenter.org)

## Moonlight Music Series

PERTH AMBOY - Perth Amboy Artworks is partnering with the Historic City of Perth Amboy's Ferry Slip Museum to present a Spring/Summer 2017 live music series at the Ferry Slip. Enjoy great live music, the moonrise over Raritan Bay and check out the Ferry Slip Museum. The free live music events are from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. at 200 Front St, Perth Amboy.

Destitute NJ and I4 on July 8.

## Total Joint Replacement Education Session

PERTH AMBOY - The Human Motion Institute at Hackensack Meridian Health Raritan Bay Medical Center, is sponsoring a free "We Keep You Moving" Total Joint Replacement Education session Friday, June 16, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., at the medical center's Perth Amboy location, 530 New Brunswick Ave. The session is intended for patients who have been scheduled for joint replacement surgery or for those who would like to learn more about joint replacement. Registration required, call Nurse Navigator Clare Schuld, R.N., at 732-535-4746.

## World War II: When All Americans Went to War

PERTH AMBOY - Noted journalist Charles Wiley will speak at The Ferry Slip Museum, 300 Front St, on the gorgeous Perth Amboy waterfront on June 22. His topic will cover the intensity of the home front involvement in every facet of life for Americans. You will be captivated by his tales of life in the United States as war was part of the everyday life of every man, woman and child.

Mr. Wiley attempted to enlist in the Marines at the tender age of 15 on the very next morning after Pearl Harbor was attacked. This failed attempt led to his becoming one of our earliest USO performers. He left Broadway at 17 and enlisted in the U.S. Navy. His military experience is vast and his research on the war both abroad and here at home has spanned 3/4ths of a century.

Join us on the covered deck of the historic Ferry Slip, sip coffee and enjoy cake as Charles Wiley transforms you back to World War II.

## Acts of the Apostles Bible Study

PERTH AMBOY - Monday, June 12 at 7 p.m. or Wednesday, June 14 at 10 a.m., St. Peter's Episcopal Church 183 Rector Street, Perth Amboy. More information call 732-826-1594. Free event.



## Raritan Bay Cruisers Car Show

WOODBIDGE- Tuesdays from May 16<sup>th</sup> - Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. at Pizza Hut, Rte. 9, Woodbridge (Wal-Mart Parking Lot) Weather Permitting. Rock & Roll Music, Trophies, Kids Games, and Just Family Fun. For more info about Cruise Night Call 1-732-407-2396.

## DVRT Seeks Volunteers

PERTH AMBOY - The Domestic Violence Response Team is looking for volunteers. Open Registration Date: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. For more information, contact: Detective Liza Capo, Perth Amboy Police Department at: 732-324-3815 or DVRT Coordinator Damaris Ramirez at 732-500-5758 or Pastor Bernadette Lopez at 732-213-1537. Pick up an application at the Perth Amboy Police Department.

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## Live Music

PERTH AMBOY - Live Music every Saturday Night at 8 p.m. at Al Cibelli's Night Club, 1096 Convery Blvd., Perth Amboy. Dark Harvest - July 1<sup>st</sup>; Mikell's Plot - July 15<sup>th</sup>. Music in the downstairs lounge. Must be 21 to enter and drink. Extra parking across the street.

## Dog Therapy Training Course

PERTH AMBOY - Hackensack Meridian Health Raritan Bay Medical Center is offering a five session Dog Therapy Training Course Fridays, June 23 through July 21, 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Raritan Bay Area YMCA, 357 New Brunswick Ave., Perth Amboy. This course will teach you to be a safe handler and train your dog to provide therapy for patients. The cost is \$120.00, testing fees are additional. Please contact Marie at [mcolasanti@comcast.net](mailto:mcolasanti@comcast.net) for more information and to register.

## Book Fair Fundraiser

### Press Release

PERTH AMBOY/EDISON - The Friends of the Perth Amboy Free Public Library are teaming up once again with Barnes & Noble of Menlo Park for a day of fundraising on Saturday, June 17th from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Story times for this event start at 11:30 a.m. and will continue throughout the day. Student artwork from Perth Amboy High School will be on display. Books from the Perth Amboy Schools Summer Reading List will be available for purchase. Stop by and have a Friend gift wrap your Father's Day purchases.

A percentage of net sales will go to the Friends of the Perth Amboy Free Public Library. You must present a valid book fair voucher or mention participation in the

book fair at the register prior to making your purchase. Vouchers will be available in-store or by contacting the Friends at [friendsofperthamboylibrary@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofperthamboylibrary@gmail.com). If you cannot make it to the store, visit [BN.COM/book-fairs](http://BN.COM/book-fairs) from June 17 to June 22 by entering Bookfair ID 12153086 at checkout.

The Friends of the Perth Amboy Library encourage the love of reading and independent learning, play a role in community involvement, sponsor special programs, raise funds for special projects, equipment and materials in excess of the general Library budget.

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## St. Stan's 2017 Carnival Factsheet

### Press Release

SAYREVILLE - St. Stan's Annual Carnival will be held at the parish carnival grounds on Main St. & MacArthur Ave. in Sayreville. Dates are Wed, Jun 21 & Thu, Jun 22 from 6-10 pm and Fri, Jun 23 & Sat, Jun 24 from 5-11 pm.

There will be at least 14 rides for kiddies through adults. Pre-sale ride tickets and Super 50/50 raffle tickets will be sold prior to the carnival at the following locations: Sat, Jun 3 Behind Sayreville Boro Hall 8-1pm, Sat, Jun 10 in front of St. Stan's School at the Knights of Columbus Flag Day Ceremony from 10-11:30 am; Fri, Jun 16 in front of Sayreville Seafood & Deli, 141 Main St., from 4-7 pm; Sat Jun 17, 10 am-12 pm in front of St. Stan's School; before Bingo at St. Stan's School from 6-7:30 pm on Thu, Jun 1, 8 & 15; before Bingo at St. Stan's School from 12-1:30 pm on Sun, Jun 4, 11 & 18 and at the parish office (Mon-Fri, 9 am-3 pm and Tue evenings, 6-9 pm). Tickets are available in the church lobby before and after all Sun Masses.

The Carnival will feature games of chance with fabulous prizes for all ages. Some of the games - Las Vegas "Money" Wheel for adults; nightly 50/50s, our Super 50/50 and a special eight grade parent's fundraiser.

FOOD: Fabulous food tent, featuring a wide variety of Polish-ethnic and American homemade foods, including a mouth-watering seafood area; Spezzi's Main Street Cafe; B&T's Barbecue Ribs; Friday fish fry; scrumptious desserts and our beer garden, featuring domestic and imported beers, along with wine.

ENTERTAINMENT: Wed, Jun 21 - Thunder 106.3 FM Country Radio Station from 6-8 pm followed by Magic 98.3 Radio Station from 8-10 pm; Thu, Jun 22 - DJ Bob Cherney from 6-8 pm; 8 - band to be announced. Fri, Jun 23 - "Alumni Night", East Brunswick School of Rock, live music from 6-8 pm followed by All in One, live music from 8-11 p.m.; Sat, Jun 24 - Time After Time, live music from 6-8 pm followed by The FOG, live music from 8-11 pm.

### Ukrainian Cultural Festival

PERTH AMBOY - The 5th Annual Ukrainian Cultural Festival will be held on Saturday, June 24, 2017 from 12 noon to 9:00 p.m. on the parish grounds of Assumption Catholic Church at 686 Alta Vista Pl, Perth Amboy, NJ. The festival will feature church tours, entertainment, dance shows of traditional Ukrainian dances at 2:00 and 4:00 pm, money and baskets raffles, vendors, traditional Ukrainian food/beer and delicious desserts. The live music band, "Anna Maria Entertainment" will play outdoors from 5-9 p.m. Admission to the festival is FREE. For more information, call 732-826-0767 or visit us at [www.assumptioncatholicchurch.net](http://www.assumptioncatholicchurch.net)

### Raffle

PERTH AMBOY - Saint John Paul II Parish Raffle, 490 State St., Perth Amboy NJ; Tickets \$20 Each.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize - 2017 Honda Civic
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - Flat Screen TV 65" - Donated by Toshiba
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - Laptop, 15" 8GB - Donated by Zevallos/Skrocki Home for Funerals
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Prize - Portable Electric Generator - Donated by United Poles Federal Credit Union
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Prize - Apple Watch - Donated by St. John Paul II Parish "Señor de los Milagros"
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Prize - Apple iPad, Air 2, 9.7 inch/16GB - Donated by Julio's Auto Repair
  - 7<sup>th</sup> Prize - \$300.00 Gift Card - Donated by Flynn & Sons Funeral Home
  - 8<sup>th</sup> Prize - Snow Removal - Donated by Petra Best Realty
  - 9<sup>th</sup> Prize - Canon Digital Camera EF-S 18-55MM f/3.5-5.6 IS, - Donated by Quisqueya Restaurant
  - 10<sup>th</sup> Prize - X Box One 500GB - Donated by K&K Project
- TO BE DRAWN Saturday, June 17, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at Saint Stephen's School Auditorium.

No substitutions of the offered prizes may be made. No cash will be given in lieu of the prize. Must be 18 YRS. or older to participate. Winner need not be present. Winner is responsible for all federal and state tax. All proceeds will benefit Saint John Paul II Parish.

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# This Week in World War II 75 Years Ago

By: Phil Kohn. *Dedicated to the memory of his father, GM3 Walter Kohn, U.S. Navy Armed Guard, USNR, and all men and women who have answered the country's call in time of need. Phil can be contacted at ww2remembered@yahoo.com.*

U.S. Army Air Forces B-24 Liberator bombers, flying from airfields near Benghazi, Libya, bomb the heavily defended Ploiesti oil fields in Romania on June 12. In Libya, the retreating British, being pushed by Rommel's Germans, are only 15 miles from the Tobruk defensive perimeter. German submarine U-202 lands four German saboteurs on the beach at Amagansett, Long Island, about 115 miles east of New York City. Their mission is to sabotage economic targets within the U.S. and to spread a wave of terror by planting explosives in public places.

On June 13, President Franklin Roosevelt issues Executive Order 9182, creating the Office of Strategic Services (for intelligence) and the Office of War Information (for propaganda). In North Africa, British and South African troops begin to evacuate the Gazala Line. German submarine U-157 is depth charged and sunk northeast of Havana, Cuba, by U.S. Coast Guard cutter USCGC Thetis.

In Libya, British positions have become untenable and Gen. Claude Auchinleck, commander-in-chief, Middle East, based in Cairo, on June 14 orders British Eighth Army Commander Gen. Neil Ritchie to withdraw from all forward positions. In Bridgeport, Connecticut, the General Electric Company releases to the Army its new M1 shoulder-fired rocket launcher, commonly referred to as the "bazooka."

Rommel's 21st Panzer Division reaches Sidi Rezegh, Libya, on June 15. In Washington, D.C., exiled King George II of Greece addresses the U.S. Congress.

Two British convoys heading for Malta both suffer heavy losses on June 16. One turns back to Alexandria without delivering any cargo, while the other makes it to Malta, but with only two of the six original supply ships surviving the voyage. German submarine U-584 lands a second team of four saboteurs at Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida, south of Jacksonville. These four are to link up with the team landed in New York on June 12 and cause mayhem. However, two of the New York team decide to renege on their participation and they inform the FBI of the plans. All eight men are arrested on June 27 and no sabotage takes place. After a trial, six of the eight are executed; the two who cooperated with the government are given jail terms.

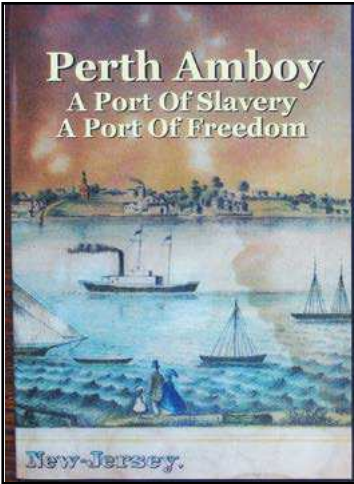
After almost two weeks of a punishing artillery barrage against Sevastopol, German infantry on June 17 begins fighting its way into the city. In Tokyo, Prime Minister Hideki Tojo is shot in the arm by a would-be assassin — a Korean nationalist — who in turn is shot and killed by Japanese police. The British withdraw from Sidi Rezegh, Ed Duda and El Adem, Libya. President Roosevelt signs a bill raising the minimum pay of servicemen to \$50 per month. The first issue of "Yank, the Army Weekly" magazine makes its debut, with a cover price of 5 cents.

On June 18, Tobruk, Libya — garrisoned mainly by the 2nd South African Infantry Division, commanded by Gen. Hendrik Klopper — is surrounded by Rommel's Afrika Korps. Some Allied troops are forced to pull back into western Egypt as Axis forces reach Kambut, 50 miles east of Tobruk. In New York, the U.S. Army establishes the Manhattan Engineering District as part of the Manhattan Project, the goal of which is developing nuclear weapons.

## Free Perth Amboy History DVD

### Press Release

PERTH AMBOY - At the May 27th Waterfront Arts Festival, visit the 1683 Society table & get your FREE Perth Amboy History DVD. Yes, it is free! This hour long documentary is entitled "Perth Amboy: A Port of Slavery, A Port of Freedom," produced by John Kerry Dyke. And it is the first time this new documentary is available on DVD. The 1683 Society is a Perth Amboy nonprofit organization. Find



out what they've done & what they intend to do.

## A.C. Bus Trip San Salvador Seniors

PERTH AMBOY - The San Salvador Seniors are sponsoring a bus trip to Caesar's Casino in AC on Thursday, July 6, 2017. Bus leaves 12 Noon from the Perth Amboy Knights of Columbus, High Street, Perth Amboy. Cost 30 pp. Receive \$30 back in slot dollars. For more info call Joe at 732-826-0819.

## Bus Trip Holy Rosary Seniors

HOPELAWN - Holy Rosary Seniors sponsoring a bus trip to Mount Airy Casino on Tuesday, June 20 2017. Includes a 3:30 PM show "The Music of Mamma Mia," lunch buffet, \$10 slot play and bus. Cost is \$70 a person. Bus leaves Church parking lot at 10:00 am. For more details please call Ronnie 732-442-5252

## A.C. Bus Trip St. John Paul II Seniors

PERTH AMBOY - There is a Trip to the Resorts Casino in Atlantic City. The next trip will be held on Wed. Jun. 28, 2017. Cost \$30 pp.; \$25 back in slot play. Bus will depart from behind St. Stephens Church parking lot on Mechanic Street at 9:45 a.m. Call Bobbi to reserve a seat: 732-636-2867.

## A.C. Bus Trip Fellowship Circle of the Hungarian Reformed Church

PERTH AMBOY - Atlantic City Bus Trip to the Tropicana Casino on Sunday, June 11, 2017

Sponsored by the Fellowship Circle of the Hungarian Reformed Church, 331 Kirkland Place, Perth Amboy, NJ. Bus leaves the church at 12:00 Noon - 6 hour stay at Casino from when we arrive in AC. Cost: \$30.00 per person (\$25 slot play). Bagged lunch provided -To reserve a seat call: 732-261-8726

## Book Sale

PERTH AMBOY - Pick up a book or two (\$.50 for paperbacks/\$1 for hard cover) ...or select a "bag of books" for a price of only \$5. Presently due to lack of shelf space we are NOT accepting any donations of books.

Visit us at the Brighton Ave. Community Center located at the corner of Brighton Ave. and Sadowski Pkwy. in Perth Amboy. The schedule is as follows: Saturdays June 10 & June 24. We will be there from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (weather permitting). For more info, e-mail us at friendsoperthamboylibrary@gmail.com Book Dealers are welcome. !!!!

## Mother's Guild Tricky Tray

PERTH AMBOY - Sunday, June 18 doors open at 3 p.m. auction starts at 5 p.m. Admission \$5 per person, St. Peter's Episcopal Church 183 Rector Street, Perth Amboy.

## Alzheimer's Education Event

PERTH AMBOY- Hackensack Meridian Health Raritan Bay Medical Center is having an Alzheimer's education event Wednesday, June 14, 7:00 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the Raritan Bay Area YMCA, Room 16, 357 New Brunswick Ave., Perth Amboy, NJ 08861. Learn the signs, symptoms, prevention, treatment and caregiver resources for Alzheimer. Registration required, call 1-800-DOCTORS.

## Yard Sale

SOUTH AMBOY - Sacred Heart Church on 531 Washington Ave. South Amboy is having a big yard sale in conjunction with the South Amboy City-Wide Yard Sale on Saturday June 24, 2017 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rain or Shine. Household and kitchen items, lamps, framed pictures, purses, toys, baby items, books, CD's video games, sports equipment will be accepted. Donations will be taken on the following days before and after all Masses: June 3 & 4, June 10 & 11, June 17 & 18. Donations can be dropped off at Memorial Hall. Clothing, shoes, bedding, food, and furniture WILL NOT be accepted, Volunteers will be needed to set up, clean up, and man the tables. For more information, call the Parish Office at 732-721-0040.

## Pets of the Week



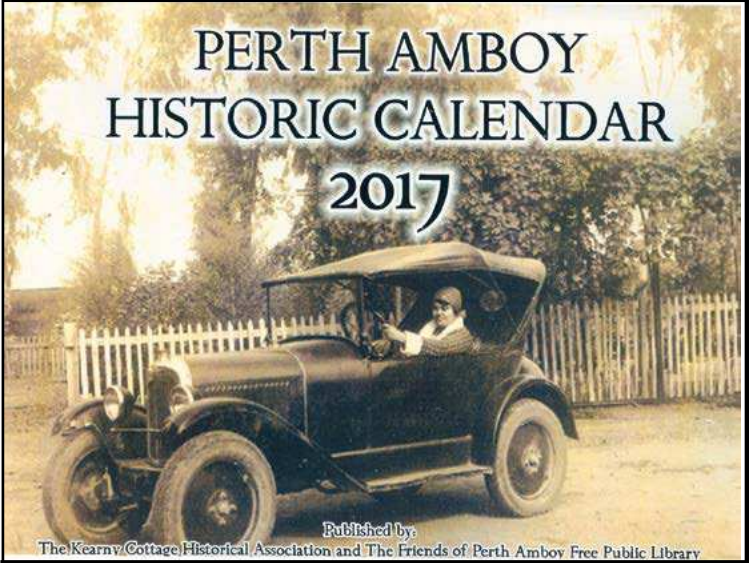
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## K of C 100th Anniversary Dinner

SOUTH AMBOY - On Sunday, June 25, 2017 Msgr. John F. Brady Assembly 676 Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus celebrate their 100th anniversary Sunday June 25 with a 12 Noon Mass at Sacred Heart Church followed by dinner at 2 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus 308 Fourth St. South Amboy. Cost of dinner is \$30. Reservation deadline is June 9, 2017. For more information, call Les at 732-721-0812.

## 2017 Historic Perth Amboy Calendars



2017 Historic Perth Amboy Calendars are now available at the Barge Restaurant, 201 Front St., Perth Amboy 732-442-3000 or at Fertigs Uniform Store, 195 New Brunswick Ave., Perth Amboy 732-442-1079, Perth Amboy City Hall or Call Paul or Katherine at 732-293-1090. Back by popular demand the Calendars feature old photographs from Perth Amboy. Sponsored by the Kearny Cottage Historical Association and the Friends of Perth Amboy Free Public Library. Calendars are \$10 Each.



Novena to St. Rita

O holy protectress of those who art in greatest need, thou who shineth as a star of hope in the midst of darkness, blessed Saint Rita, bright mirror of God’s grace, in patience and fortitude thou art a model of all the states in life. I unite my will with the will of God through the merits of my Savior Jesus Christ, and in particular through his patient wearing of the crown of thorns, which with tender devotion thou didst daily contemplate. Through the merits of the holy Virgin Mary and thine own graces and virtues, I ask thee to obtain my earnest petition, provided it be for the greater glory of God and my own sanctification. Guide and purify my intention, O holy protectress and advocate, so that I may obtain the pardon of all my sins and the grace to persevere daily, as thou didst in walking with courage, generosity, and fidelity down the path of life. *(Mention your request.)* Saint Rita, advocate of the impossible, pray for us. Saint Rita, advocate of the helpless, pray for us.

*Recite the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be three times each. K.M. & C.M.*

### City Wide Yard Sale


SOUTH AMBOY - All South Amboy Residents can participate at no cost just by displaying balloons at their home to alert shoppers! No Registration Necessary! Please contact events@southamboynj.gov Or Jaclyn Kelly at 732-525-5965 with any questions. Saturday, June 24, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

### Ask the Rabbi

EDISON - Wednesdays, 12 noon -1 p.m. at the Food Court in Menlo Park Mall (between Chik-fil-A and Panera) Have a question? Have a seat! Bring your lunch and ask Rabbi Ari Saks of Congregation Beth Mordecai ANY question you’d like about Judaism, life, spirituality...anything! First person to come will get a FREE drink from the rabbi. For more information please contact Rabbi Saks at ari.saks@gmail.com

### Answers From Puzzle On Page 15

## LOOKING BACK



PERTH AMBOY - Andrew Petrick, U.S. Marine Corps (Siempre Fi) 1941. Happy Father's Day.

*\*Photo Courtesy of the Petrick Family*

Summer Fun @ Dowdell Library

Press Release 6/1/17  
SOUTH AMBOY, NJ – Summer has arrived at the Dowdell Library with fantastic programs for all ages including the annual Adult International Tea Party, Astronomy Dome Planetarium, Someday Far Rock Band Concert and Summer Clubs.

On Monday, June 26 from 6:30-8 pm, stop by for our Adult Tea Party sponsored by Jacqueline’s Florist and Soul Sisters Cakery Café. Mingle with your neighbors and library friends as you drink your way around the world.

Come join us on Monday, July 10 from 6-8 pm for a night under the stars and enter our 16’ high planetarium dome as we view constellations and learn facts about the upcoming solar eclipse! Fun for all ages!

Teens! Drop in for live music as we present Someday Far Rock Band on Monday, July 17 from 7-8:30 pm. This pop/punk band consists of Leo, Bryan, Pepi and Matty. Straight Outta Jersey. We’ll also have some BBQ treats for club members, so don’t forget to join before the event!

Our Summer Clubs for Kids, Teens & Adults will start at the end of June. Stop by to sign up and see how you can win weekly prizes. At the end of the summer, club members will have a chance to win a grand prize awarded at our End of Summer Party in August.

To learn about upcoming library programs, sign up for the monthly eNewsletter at <http://dowdell.org/newslettersignup.html>

The Dowdell Library’s Summer hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday from 10 am to 8 pm, Wednesday and Friday from 10 am to 5 pm. For more information, please visit [www.dowdell.org](http://www.dowdell.org), or contact the Library at 732-721-6060 or [comments@dowdell.org](mailto:comments@dowdell.org).

### DVD/Media Drive

SOUTH AMBOY - Please place your unwanted DVDs, Blu-Ray, CDs, and video games in good condition, into the collection boxes at the Dowdell Library, or Madura Pharmacy Your contributions will be donated to the Dowdell Library to help enhance its current collection. Larger collections call Grace at 732-721-6592 for pick-up Thank you for your support! This on-Going Collection Drive is Sponsored by the Dowdell Library Foundation, Inc.

## Senior Scene Happenings

### Perth Amboy

TUES. Jun. 13 Market Square Seniors, 1 p.m., Presbyterian Center, Market St.

- Good Shepherd Tuesday Seniors (HS) 12:30 p.m. Msgr. Gambino Hall, Florida Grove Rd.

WED. Jun. 14 St. Stephen’s Seniors, 1 p.m., Cafeteria, State St.

- Good Shepherd Wednesday Seniors, 12:30 p.m., Msgr. Gambino Hall , Florida Grove Rd.

THURS. Jun. 15 The Cathedral International Seniors, 9:30 a.m., Family Life Center, Madison Ave.

MON. Jun. 19 St. James Golden Girls, 10 a.m., Fellowship Hall, Commerce St.

TUES. Jun. 20 Market Square Seniors, 1 p.m., Presbyterian Center, Market St.

WED. Jun. 21 St. Stephen’s Seniors, 1 p.m., Cafeteria, State St.

- Good Shepherd Wednesday Seniors, 12:30 p.m., Msgr. Gambino Hall , Florida Grove Rd.
- Holy Trinity Seniors, 1 p.m., Church Hall, Lawrie & Johnstone St.

THURS. Jun. 22 The Cathedral International Seniors, 9:30 a.m., Family Life Center, Madison Ave.

### South Amboy

MON. Jun. 26 Sacred Heart Seniors, 12 Noon Memorial Hall, Wash Ave.


MON. Jul. 3 St. Mary’s Seniors, 12 Noon, Senior Center, S. Stevens Ave.

WED. Jul. 5 South Amboy Seniors, 12 Noon, Senior Center, S. Stevens Ave.

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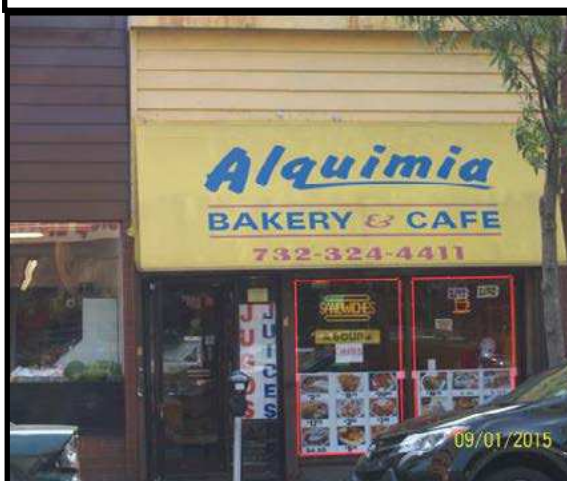
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