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BOROUGH COUNCIL NEWS

By Michael Ticktin

Council Introduces Pay-to-Play Ordinance; Groundwater Testing Process Underway at Gas Station Property.

At its September 10 meeting, the Borough Council approved proposal of an ordinance that would limit the ability of any provider of goods or services to enter into any contract with the Borough if that vendor contributed more than \$300 to the election campaign of any candidate for local office in Roosevelt or to any Roosevelt or Monmouth County political party organization. The ordinance was introduced by Councilman Jeff Ellentuck, on the recommendation of municipal attorney Richard Shaklee. The reason for this recommendation is that, although campaign contributions have not historically been an issue in Roosevelt elections, having such an ordinance in place is one of the “best practices” that is strongly recommended for all municipalities by the Division of Local Government Services of the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, and failure to have such an ordinance can adversely affect determinations of eligibility for State financial assistance.

In his report as chairman of the Community Development committee and Council representative on the Planning Board, Councilman Ralph Warnick conveyed the concern of the Planning Board that nothing was being done about the excessive height of the grass on certain local lawns. The problem has been that, when the Council adopted the International Property Maintenance Code many years ago, it failed to fill in a blank specifying the permissible height

of grass, thus rendering the language in the Code concerning excessive grass height unenforceable. After discussion, the Council voted to have Mr. Shaklee draft an amendatory ordinance specifying a maximum permissible grass height of ten inches, which is a standard used by some other municipalities. Mr. Warnick emphasized that excessive grass height must be viewed as a health issue for enforcement purposes, and that a more restrictive requirement that might be preferable for aesthetic reasons might also be less likely to be enforceable.

Councilman Warnick also reported that a well required for testing purposes by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) had been drilled at the gas station property, that samples were scheduled to be taken from that well on September 24, and that those samples should have been analyzed, and a report received, by October 8. If the results of these tests meet DEP standards, the site should be eligible for clearance by DEP and removal from the list of contaminated sites in New Jersey. Two decades after it was abandoned by its last private owners, and over a decade since the Borough took ownership and began the process of remediation, the site will at last be in a condition where it can be sold and restored to an economically viable use ■

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Welcome to the 36th edition of the *Roosevelt Borough Bulletin*. There will be ten issues starting with September 2012 through July, 2013, leaving out January 2013.

We will do our best to make the *Bulletin* both informative and interesting with the help of our devoted writers and production people.

If you want to **CONTACT THE BULLETIN**, please look at our masthead to the right with our address as shown.



Please report any bear sightings to:
State Bureau of Wildlife Management
Kim Tinnes, Wildlife Control
609-259-7955

The **MEALS ON WHEELS** program delivers prepared meals to Roosevelt seniors who need this assistance. Though meals are provided free of charge to recipients, the cost to the program is \$2.50 per meal. Donations to help cover these costs may be sent to Interfaith Neighbors, 810 Fourth Avenue, Asbury Park, NJ 07712.

SENIOR CITIZENS: There is a S.C.A.T. bus provided by Monmouth County Division of Transportation that comes to Roosevelt on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. and will take you shopping to ShopRite in East Windsor. The bus will pick you up at your home, you spend 1 ½ hours shopping, and the bus will take you home and leave your groceries at your door. There is no charge to you for this service.

If you wish to go, you must call the SCAT bus Tuesday no later than 3:00 p.m. at 732-431-6485 and press 1. Give them your name, address, and the town you are from, and your interest in going on Wednesday, the next day.

Roosevelt Open Studio

Roosevelt School Art Room
Tuesdays 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Open for Roosevelt Residents over 15
Contact: Ellen Silverman, Home phone 609 490 0557
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An archive of all past issues of the *Bulletin* can be found online at www.mazicmusic.com/rbb.htm, courtesy of Mark Zuckerman. Current and recent issues can also be found online at www.boroughbulletin.org, the official website of the *Borough Bulletin* that is maintained by *Bulletin* Trustee Bob Francis. To have the *Bulletin* sent to you by email, please go to www.boroughbulletin.org and press the "Push Here to Sign Up for *Bulletin*" button.



From the Mayor

By Elsbeth Battel

Dear Neighbors,

On behalf of the borough, I'd like to offer a very big 'Thank you' to all the folks who worked so hard to put together a wonderful 75th Anniversary celebration! I hope everyone had a great weekend, that long-time residents had an opportunity to have re-united with old friends, and newer residents enjoyed learning about our history.

As we go forth into our 76th year let us all strive to continue to make Roosevelt one of the top towns in New Jersey. From Jersey Homesteads'

early years of a three-part cooperative to the present, Roosevelt has been and still is a community of people who embrace the concept of cooperation through commitment to public service and volunteerism.

Anyone who hasn't yet participated in community activities but would like to join, we encourage you to come out to the meetings of your choice and make your interests known. You will be welcomed!

Beth ■

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We will be pleased to continue sending them the *BULLETIN* when we receive their contributions which, of course, can be for the same amount (or more) as in the past.

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To educate and inspire all students to excel academically, to become independent and creative thinkers, skillful communicators and lifelong learners. Roosevelt Public School nurtures and challenges the unique potential of each student so that our children will develop individual, social and civic responsibility as well as respect for themselves, each other, and the environment.*

**to achieve or exceed N.J. CCCS at all grade levels*

Register Soon for School Choice

The Roosevelt School Board is pleased to confirm that RPS has been approved as a Choice School beginning next academic year, 2013-14. The New Jersey Inter-district School Choice program provides the opportunity for non-resident students to attend RPS at no cost to their parents/guardians.

Because of the uniqueness of our small school and the individualized attention we can provide to students, we have already attracted a good number of tuition-paying students from outside the district. Once they begin under the School Choice, those same students can attend RPS free of charge. In addition, RPS can admit additional students from outside the district if space allows.

Students who wish to participate in the program submit a notice of intent by November 2, 2012, to their home districts. Upon receipt of this notice, and no later than November 21, the sending district provides written confirmation to the student's parent or legal guardian of the student's eligibility to participate. If slots are still available, additional students, after the tuition students and siblings, may

apply from other districts subsequent to the November deadline.

This program is a win-win proposition: It gives students from other districts a chance to benefit from our great programs; it provides our district with revenue (we will receive \$9,000 per student from the state); and it adds fresh young faces to join the great group of young learners in our classrooms.

Please help spread the word about the choice program. For information, a complete timeline, and forms go to our website at www.rps1.org.

A Big Thank You to Our Community

The Roosevelt School Board would like to thank the Borough, parents, teachers, staff, and general community for their continued support during our delayed school opening. The Borough was generous in our use of their office building for our staff. The Board of the Congregation Anshei Roosevelt even agreed to let the SAFE childcare program use their building if school had to be delayed past the original two days. The community was gracious as always. We do have more facilities work to do, including replacement of the gym floor, but we are delaying that work until after the 75th Anniversary celebration.

Feel free to contact the Board at RPSBOE@gmail.com. ■

Each month the Roosevelt
Board of Education
is going to submit an article to
keep the public apprised of
Board goals, decisions,
and activities



Party Celebrating Bess Tremper's 99th Birthday



By Mary Macher

A party was held September 8th at the Solar Village to celebrate the 99th birthday of Bess Tremper, the Editor Emeritus and longtime Managing Editor of the Borough *Bulletin*. There were approximately 60 guests, including Bess's daughter Ellen who came from New York with her husband Peter and two sons, Teddy and Gregory. A huge cake and coffee were provided by Lutheran Social Ministries of New Jersey, the managers of Solar Village; their Director of Housing, Ms. Eileen Yesko even helped with cutting the cake. Huge fruit platters were provided by the Solar Village Board. The Leon Barth Senior Center was decorated with flowers and multi-colored balloons and provided a festive setting for a few hours of celebrating and socializing with Bess thanks to the planning by Margaret Schlinki and Maureen Clark. Bess was serenaded by David Brahinsky with his rendition of "Bess, You Is My Woman Now" and also "Summertime" which turned into a group sing-along adding to the fun of the afternoon. The weather cooperated and, after early afternoon showers, the sun came out and the party spilled out onto the patio. When asked what she liked best about her party, Bess replied, "The people."

A good time was had by all. ■



ATTENTION MONMOUTH COUNTY RESIDENTS!

If you are a Roosevelt homeowner and reside in your home year round, you may be eligible for home repair assistance from the Monmouth County Housing Improvement Program. Eligible repairs include plumbing, sanitary plumbing, electrical, structural, roofing, heating/ventilation and remediation of lead-based paint hazards. Lead-based paint hazards, if present, must be mitigated or eliminated in conjunction with other eligible repairs. This program is funded by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders through a grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Eligible homeowners may receive up to an average maximum of \$20,000 for eligible property improvements in the Monmouth County Housing Improvement Program, in the form of a ten-year interest free, deferred payment loan. The loan will be totally forgiven if the homeowner resides in his/her unit for ten years.

The County is looking to assist 40 households. If you are interested, please fill out the coupon below. Return it to the Monmouth County Housing Improvement Program, Hall of Records Annex, 1 East Main Street, Freehold, NJ 07728. Deadline for accepting coupons will be Friday, November 30, 2012. Limit one coupon per household. The County will hold a random drawing for the 40 available spots. You will be notified if your coupon is one of the 40 selected by the Program. Households will then be qualified in the order the coupons are selected.

To qualify, you must be listed on the Deed to the home, no mobile homes, live in the home year-round, and be up-to-date with mortgage payments, water/sewer, and real estate taxes. Also, your gross income must be within the following limits:

Family Size	Income Limit	Family Size	Income Limit
1	\$ 46,300	5	\$ 71,400
2	\$ 52,900	6	\$ 76,750
3	\$ 59,500	7	\$ 82,000
4	\$ 66,100	8	\$ 87,300

Monmouth County Housing Improvement Coupon

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Return coupon to:

Monmouth County Housing Improvement
Hall of Records Annex, 1 East Main Street
Freehold, NJ 07728

Blanket drive for the Tent City in Lakewood NJ.

Do you have a roof over your head and a place to sleep this Winter? Not everybody does. With high unemployment rates and many people finding themselves homeless and without shelter, those who have lost jobs and homes are living in tents and setting up shacks in the woods. One such settlement is the Tent City in Lakewood, NJ.

We are collecting blankets to donate to the Tent City. Used or new, clean blankets and sleeping bags can be left in the box on the porch at 41 Tamara Drive.

Thank you!

grace & peace, Dave Teich

For more info: 609-448-5036

<http://www.TheTentCityProject.com> or <http://www.cbsnews.com>
(search "homeless woods")

The First Aid Squad has responded to 175 emergency calls from January 1 to August 31, 2012. 23 emergency calls for the month of August, driving 373 miles. For Roosevelt, the emergencies were emergency transports, fire stand-bys, seizures, falls, stroke, allergic reaction. For Millstone Twp.: falls, emergency transports, cardiac, seizures, and crisis. For Upper Freehold Twp.: an MVA. In Manalapan Twp.: crisis and a rescue.

The training for August was a review of patient assessment medical and trauma, traction splint and the Kendrick Extrication Device (K.E.D.).

The Squad would like to congratulate two of our members Jeff Klein and John Vo for being hired as career EMT's: Jeff now works for Oakhurst EMS in Ocean Twp., NJ and John for MONOC.

Grant from East Windsor Walmart

The Roosevelt First Aid Squad would like to thank Jessica Utz of the East Windsor Walmart for a generous contribution of \$500. This money was used to purchase seven new aluminum D-size oxygen cylinders with on/off toggle handles. This begins our portable oxygen cylinder upgrade from steel to aluminum bottles to make our oxygen bag lighter.

We would like to thank all the residents of Roosevelt in there generous donations to the Squad. Without your support we could not operate. Thank You!!!

If any one wishes to make a donation, you can send it to the Roosevelt First Aid Squad at P.O. Box 274, Roosevelt, NJ 08555. Remember, all donations are tax deductible and greatly appreciated.

We are always looking for new members. We will pay for the basic training that is needed. If anyone is interested please contact any Squad member or stop in during our training

for an application. If you would like to join or receive information about becoming an EMT please e-mail: rooseveltfirstaidsquad@yahoo.com and now we are on facebook.

First Aid Squad History: August 2012 both ambulances where re-certificated by the New Jersey First Aid Council for 2012-2013. April 1975 the Squad attended a Defensive Driving course at the Twin Rivers Squad building. April 1973 the new Standard and Advance first aid classes were given.



Health Notes: Pediatric Burn Patients

Pediatric Burn Patients: The assessment and management priorities for the burn patient are the same as for any other trauma patient. Make sure the scene is safe before approaching the child. Always anticipate exposure to hazardous materials and carbon monoxide, and use protective measures. Get technical help, if needed, from authorities on hazardous materials.

Assessment:

Assess the scene for risk factors for airway and breathing. Important considerations in patients with fire and smoke exposures include the following:

- Enclosed space
- Heavy smoke
- Fumes
- Steam
- Hot vapors
- Chemical hazards
- Explosions with blunt or penetrating injury

Assess the patient for signs of smoke or particle inhalation and thermal burns of the airway. Give 100% oxygen for suspected carbon monoxide poisoning in children with abnormal

appearance or altered level of consciousness (ALOC), or in children exposed to fire or smoke in an enclosed space. Anticipate hidden injuries (especially abdominal) from a fall or a blast injury. Make a quick estimation of burned body surface area. A modified anatomic diagram of children of different ages gives an approximation of burned body surface area.

The rule of nines is a quick way to estimate the amount of surface area that has been burned. It divides the body into sections, each representing approximately 9% of the total body surface area.

One quick way to estimate the surface area that has been burned is to use the "rule of palms," which is roughly that of the patient's palm plus fingers equals 1% of body surface area. The percent of burned body surface area is therefore roughly equal to the number of patient palm plus fingers-sized areas burned. Although most burns are unintentional, assess all burn patients for risk factors for intentional injury. Scald and contact burns are common in children and are frequent findings in child maltreatment victims. A "pattern" burn (where there is a clear demarcation of an object in the burned skin), "glove" or "stocking" distribution of a scald burn or a history that is inconsistent with the injury are suspicious circumstances for intentional injury.

Management:

Remove any burning clothes. Give 100% oxygen to all patients with flame or blast burns. High-flow oxygen therapy is the only field treatment for suspected carbon monoxide poisoning. Because of the risk of hypothermia, do not flush or wet burned areas unless necessary to decontaminate or stop the burning process. Cover burned areas with clean dry sheets or nonstick

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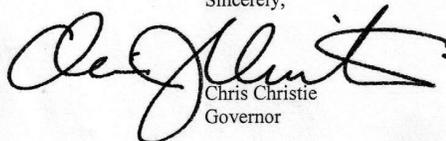
Dear Friends:

On behalf of the State of New Jersey, I extend my utmost gratitude to all those who responded to the Monmouth County Courthouse emergency on June 18.

New Jersey is fortunate to benefit from the service of emergency responders who volunteer their time and energy for the safety and protection of others and who continue to demonstrate acts of heroism and courage in the face of adverse and dangerous circumstances. I understand that you worked with other community first aid and rescue squads to coordinate the treatment and safe transport of 40 patients to area hospitals. Thanks to your quick response many lives were saved. Your efforts have not gone unnoticed and will indeed serve as a model of outstanding service for others in Monmouth County and throughout New Jersey. Thank you for everything you do to ensure the welfare of our residents.

Best wishes for continued safety and success.

Sincerely,



Chris Christie
 Governor

Letter of acknowledgment from Governor Chris Christie to the Roosevelt First Aid Squad

First Aid (CONT'D.)

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dressings. Covering helps to reduce pain by minimizing exposure to air currents. Do not apply ointments or creams to burn area.

Pediatric Need:

Burns to children are generally considered more serious than burns to adults. This is because infants and children have more surface area relative to total body mass, which means greater fluid and heat loss. In addition children do not tolerate burns as well as adults. Children are also more likely to go into shock, develop hypothermia, and experience airway problems because of the unique differences associated with their ages and anatomy.

There are still houses in town that do not have house numbers or the numbers are too small to see from the street or they are dark numbers on a dark house. Please check the numbers posted on your house to ensure that they are large and colorful enough so Emergency Services and State Police can see them from the road. There are many houses in town that do not have numbers or they cannot be seen from the road especially at night.

**Remember, if you need help,
 please dial 911.**

Jack Rindt, EMT Captain
 Roosevelt First Aid Squad
 rooseveltfirstaidsquad@yahoo.com

Patronize our
 business sponsors.
 Most of them
 are our
 neighbors.

The Roosevelt First Aid Squad
 is a totally volunteer organization. We do not charge for our
 services, we rely on donations to operate.

When Paramedics arrive and treat the patient then you will
 receive a bill from the Paramedic company.

By Ron Filepp

August

August was another hotter than normal month in Roosevelt. The average temperature for the month was 1.8 degrees above normal. There was one heat-wave (defined as 3 or more consecutive days of 90°F+ degree high temperatures). August 3, 4, and 5 had 90°F+ degree maximum temperatures. Those were the only 3 days in August with 90°F+ temperatures.

Rainfall was above normal, too. We had close to 0.5 inches more rain than the normal average.

According to NOAA's National Climatic Data Center the average combined global land and ocean surface temperature for August 2012 was 1.12°F above the 20th century average of 60.1°F. This is the fourth warmest August since records began in 1880.

Summer 2012

It certainly was the best Roosevelt summer ever for our fig tree. The tree was given to Robin and me by Bess Tremper and Sol Libsohn as a sapling over 20 years ago. We have enjoyed fruit from the tree for many years. The warmer than normal winter and early start to spring also contributed to our tree's successful season. Our crop this year featured the best tasting and largest crop ever. *Bulletin* Managing Editor, Mary Macher, also reported having a bumper crop of figs this summer.

For the entire summer there were 22 days with 90°F+ degrees maximum temperatures. That's six days more than the normal average number of days of 90°F+ heat. The average temperature for Roosevelt's 2012 summer was 73.7°F. Normal is 71.9°F. Monthly averages were also above normal in June, July and August.

Rainfall for the three months of June, July and August was 14.22 inches.

That's just a bit above the normal rainfall of 13.76 inches.

Globally, NOAA's National Climatic Data Center says that the combined global land and ocean average surface temperature for January–August 2012 was the ninth warmest such period on record, at 1.01°F above the 20th century average.

The Old Farmers Almanac is calling for a cooler than normal October. If that occurs it will be the first month of the year to date that will have been cooler than normal. The Old Farmer is also calling for below average rainfall in October.

LongRangeWeather.com predicts normal average temperature for October and slightly more precipitation than normal. They forecast one-tenth of an inch of snow.

Finally, the Climate Prediction Center of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration predicts October is most likely to be drier and warmer than normal in our region.

Weather Joke

Q: What's worse than raining buckets?

A: Hailing taxis!

Q: How did the hail stone describe its life?

A: It really has a lot of ups and downs.

Weather Word

Sensible temperature is the sensation of temperature that the human body feels in contrast to the actual temperature of the environment as measured with a thermometer. Some forecasters call sensible temperature 'real feel' temperature. Sensible temperature is determined by combining the actual temperature with effects like wind speed and humidity. ■

August 2012

Day	High	Low	Avg	Precip	Cool'g Degree Days
1	84.9	67.3	76.1	0.11	6.1
2	89.2	64.6	76.9	0.00	6.9
3	91.8	70.5	81.2	0.00	11.2
4	92.1	70.3	81.2	0.00	11.2
5	92.7	71.4	82.1	0.36	12.1
6	86.7	69.1	77.9	1.12	7.9
7	83.8	61.3	72.6	0.00	2.6
8	86.7	68.2	77.5	0.00	7.5
9	88.7	68.4	78.6	0.19	8.6
10	81.0	70.3	75.7	1.05	5.7
11	86.9	71.1	79.0	0.00	9.0
12	83.3	67.6	75.5	0.00	5.4
13	82.2	61.3	71.8	0.00	1.8
14	77.9	64.2	71.1	0.04	1.1
15	86.7	66.4	76.6	0.82	6.6
16	82.9	63.5	73.2	0.00	3.2
17	85.5	61.2	73.4	0.00	3.3
18	78.3	62.6	70.5	0.45	0.5
19	74.5	55.2	64.9	0.00	0.0
20	77.2	60.6	68.9	0.00	0.0
21	79.2	61.5	70.4	0.00	0.3
22	82.9	61.5	72.2	0.00	2.2
23	82.8	61.0	71.9	0.00	1.9
24	83.3	62.6	73.0	0.00	3.0
25	83.1	64.9	74.0	0.00	4.0
26	81.7	64.9	73.3	0.00	3.3
27	82.9	66.6	74.8	1.02	4.8
28	85.5	66.7	76.1	0.10	6.1
29	79.9	59.4	69.7	0.00	0.0
30	79.5	56.5	68.0	0.00	0.0
31	84.9	61.5	73.2	0.00	3.2
Totals				5.26	139.1

RECYCLING DATES:

October 10, 24

November 7, 21

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

State law now prohibits disposal of computers and TVs with trash. Free drop-off. Program open to all Monmouth County residents, small businesses, and institutions. Limited to one pick-up truckload.

Items accepted:

- Computer cases, CPUs
- Keyboards, Mice
- Monitors, Scanners
- Printers, Cables
- Laptops, Peripherals
- Televisions
- Radios, Cameras
- Telephones
- Copiers, Fax Machines
- VCRs, DVD Players
- Stereo Components

Location:

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP
Dept. of Public Works Garage
Recycling Center
899 Perrineville Rd.
Open on Saturday & Sunday
8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

For additional sites within Monmouth County, please visit
www.visitmonmouth.com/page.aspx?ID3021

Minutes of the Roosevelt Seniors Meeting, Borough Hall, Sept 10, 2012

By Bob Francis

Meeting was called to order 1 p.m. by president Pat Moser.

Treasury Report: All accounts in order

Nomination of Officers:

President --- Margaret Schlinski
Vice President Please volunteer for this position

Secretary -- Helen Barth

Treasury -- Allen Newrath

Sun Shine - - Louise Baranowitz

No other nominations. We would like to have someone step up to fill the VP spot.

Next meeting is October 2 to vote on the officer slate above.

Donations - \$250

Bench has been placed at the cemetery – top of the hill.

Activity:

Wednesday, September 19 –

Americana Restaurant at Noon

Back to Borough Hall for games.

Drivers – Allen, Helen, Karen, Margaret, Bob, Florie

Members picked who to go with in what car.

Ideas:

Need ideas to bring in members. Suggestions are – game day afternoons, Chinese auction (pay for tickets as fund raiser), bingo, cards, board games. What events to participate in for club members.

Announcements:

Nurse said she will give flu shots next meeting Oct 2 – take Medicare only
The VNA gives talks to seniors about many topics if we want a speaker.

Meeting Closed at 2:10 p.m.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at 12:30 p.m.

Borough Hall

Hostess: Gerrie Millar

Ideas needed for review by club members each year

Review club rules and regulations to make any revisions to recruit new members.

New officers need to create rules and regulations for the members to vote on changes.

Need agenda for all meetings and follow Roberts Rules of Order to keep on track.

LOTS OF ROOSEVELT MEMORIES CAN BE FOUND IN THE ONLINE ARCHIVES OF THE BULLETIN

Memories of “The Rock”(Dec. 1999, pg. 11)

“Gus” Chasan’s recipe for Salmon or Tuna Loaf (Feb. 2000, pg. 17)

The bus trip to Jersey Homesteads by the first seven families (Mar. 1999, p 12 and April 1999, p. 12)

(See Page 2 for more information on how to get these articles and more.)

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

To the Borough of Roosevelt Council, Roosevelt Fire Department, Roosevelt Volunteer Fire Company, Chief of Fire Department/Company, Roosevelt Borough *Bulletin*

Re: Retirement from the Fire Department & Fire Company of Roosevelt

From: Robert Francis

Date: September 4, 2012

This letter is to inform all the necessary people, departments, company, and borough council of my retirement from the Fire Department and Fire Company after over 25 years. Also, to thank the Borough residents for being responsible with fire safety. In the 25 years I can count on my fingers the number of major fires in Roosevelt. The company had many calls but not all of them major emergencies. I feel it is time for the new residents and younger people to step up to be part of the volunteers that are needed to keep Roosevelt the best place in NJ. I would like to thank all of the Fire Company volunteers for their hard work and it has been a great experience working with all of you – past and present. I wish my fellow firemen a safe and successful continu-

ation in the Fire Company and Fire Department of Roosevelt.

The Borough of Roosevelt supplies the equipment, hardware and all items needed for the Fire Department to fight a fire. The Fire Company is the manpower to run and operate the equipment to fight a fire. The volunteers have to be approved by the Fire Company and the Borough Council and pass a physical and attend Monmouth County Fire Academy. Training is a continuing process to work together helping each other and the Borough of Roosevelt and is free.

I completed Monmouth County fire school with my son Richard in March 1986. We worked well with Chief Kim Dexheimer and other volunteers. Millstone Clarksburg is where we did lots of training together with their volunteers. Clarksburg is our mutual aid company.

I am still certified as a Fire Police and when available will help out the Fire Company. To join the Fire Company submit an application. Get an application at this web site [http://www.web2sons.org/government/forms/join-](http://www.web2sons.org/government/forms/join-form-2006.pdf)

[form-2006.pdf](http://www.web2sons.org/fire41-1/41-1.htm) or at the Boro Hall. I would like to give a special thank to Kim, Chris, April, John, Kevin, Dan and my sons Richard and David for being part of the Roosevelt Volunteer Fire Company. Also, thanks to all residents for all the support given to the volunteers of Roosevelt.

Check out the fire company web site @ <http://www.web2sons.org/fire41-1/41-1.htm>

Firefighters save hearts and homes.
~Author Unknown
Retirement is the beginning of life,
not the end.

Robert Francis
September 4, 2012

Thank you

A great “thank you” for all of you who came to help me celebrate my 99th birthday on September 8th; also, and of course, my good friend Margaret Schlinski who put it all together. I’m a very happy person.

Bess Tremper



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HALLOWEEN

By Karen Block

Witches on broomsticks,
Goblins and black cats,
Children in costume,
With scary faces and funny hats.
Pumpkins of orange,
Round and aglow,
Skeletons in closets,

Where they don't show.
Knocking on doors,
Or ringing the bell,
It is trick or treat
For Halloween.
Can't you tell?

ROOSEVELT ARTS PROJECT 2012 - 2013 Season

Saturday, October 6. 12-4 p.m., The Factory, North Valley Road

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An exhibit of sculpture, assemblage, ceramics and more...

Saturday, November 10 1-7 p.m. & Sunday, November 11, 1-5 p.m., The New Martin House, 20 South Rochdale Ave. @ the base of "Paradise Hill"

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Saturday, December 8, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

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Saturday, January 19, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

RISING STARS: MICHAEL NAHMIAS & ALIYA GOLDMAN

RAP is proud to present two of our locally bred musicians, former Rooseveltian, singer-songwriter Michael Brett (Nahmias) and Roosevelt resident Aliya Goldman in concert.

Saturday, February 9, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

DAVID B AND GUY DEROSA SING THE BLUES

David Brahinsky (guitar and vocals), Guy DeRosa (harmonicas), Phil McCauliffe (acoustic and electric bass) and Bill Leech (electric guitar) devote the evening to The Blues -- traditional, contemporary, Dylanesque, Cohenesque...and funky too.



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ROOSEVELT ARTS PROJECT 2012 - 2013 Season

Friday, April 19 and Saturday, April 20, Borough Hall, SPECIAL START TIME: 7:30 p.m.

ROOSEVELT STRING BAND

As befits our 25th anniversary celebration year, the String Band, with David Brahinsky, Paul Prestopino, Ed Cedar, Sam Cedar, Kai Altair and Joe Pepitone (and we hope to have Howie Jacobson back from South Africa in time) will perform one song from as many of the 25 years that we have been performing in Roosevelt as we can reasonably fit in.

Saturday, May 4 and Sunday, May 5

RAP 25TH ANNIVERSARY WEEKEND

This last event of the 25th season of RAP will include many favorites, including a show of Roosevelt artists past and present, walking tours, poetry and more...

Voluntary Contribution:

For most events \$5 per adult, for the String Band \$10 per adult, \$5 for seniors and children.

Visit RAP's webpage at <http://music.columbia.edu/roosevelt>. Use the link at the top of the page to sign up for our e-mail list. For further information call Robin Gould at (609) 448-4616. ■



Pumpkin Cookies

1 1/2 cups butter (softened)
 2 cups packed brown sugar
 1 cup white sugar
 1 15oz. can of pumpkin
 1 egg
 1 tsp. vanilla
 2 tsp. baking soda

2 tsp. cinnamon
 1 tsp. salt
 2 cups oatmeal
 2 cups of semi sweet chocolate chips,
 raisins, or nuts. Use whatever you
 like-- coconut is another option.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Place tablespoon-sized balls of cookie dough in an non-stick cookie sheet. Bake 15-20 minutes until brown—time varies depending on your oven.

This recipe freezes well, I divide the recipe in half and put the rest in the freezer to use at a later date.

Entire recipe yields 10 dozen cookies.



T = tablespoon
 tsp = teaspoon
 C = cup

Dear Readers,

If you have a favorite recipe that you would like to share with our other readers, please submit it as a digital file to www.boroughbulletin.org for consideration.

Thank you!

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9 Tues.	7:00 p.m. Council Action Meeting, Borough Hall, Beth Battel, Mayor, 448-7701
10 Wed.	RECYCLE 
14 Sun.	10:00 a.m. First Aid Squad, Training, Jack Rindt, Captain, 448-9475
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